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► Afghan War in 2013: meeting the challenges of transition : Volume II Afghan economics and outside aid / Anthony H Cordesman with assistance from Bryan Gold and Ashley Hess.
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xvi, 474 pages. : colour illustrations, maps ; 28 cm.

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vii, 503 p. : chiefly ill. ; 26 cm.

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147 p. ; 21 cm.
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► Chief of Army reading list / edited by Jeffrey Grey.
This reading list has been designed to provide all ranks with a guide to publications relevant to the study of the profession of arms.

► Clausewitz’s on war : a biography / Hew Strachan.
Perhaps the most important book on military strategy ever written, Carl von Clausewitz’s On War has influenced generations of generals and politicians, has been blamed for the unprecedented death tolls in the First and Second World Wars, and is required reading at military academies to this day. But On War, which was never finished and was published posthumously, is obscure and fundamentally contradictory. What Clausewitz declares in book 1, he discounts in book 8. The language is confusing and the relevance not always clear. For a book that has truly changed the world, On War is extremely difficult for the general reader to approach, to reconcile with itself, and to place in context. Hew Strachan, one of the world’s foremost military historians answers these problems in this fascinating book. He explains how and why On War was written, elucidates what Clausewitz meant, and offers insight into the impact it made on conflict and its continued significance in our world today. This is a must read for fans of military history.—Dustcover.

► Commanders / R.G.Grant.
From Alexander the Great’s conquest of the known world to the generals leading today’s campaigns in Afghanistan, Commanders casts new light on the leaders who have forged history on the battlefield. Focusing on the greatest leaders in naval, field, and aerial warfare, such as Julius Caesar, Napoleon, and Horatio Nelson, the book gives an at-a-glance overview of each commander’s life, provides a timeline, key data, and a psychological profile outlining the commander’s strengths and weaknesses. Commanders also follows great leaders from outside the Western tradition, including the great Chinese, Japanese, Indian, Native American, and African leaders, explaining who fought whom and why.

► Contemporary security studies / edited by Alan Collins.
3rd ed
Explores the different theoretical approaches to the study of security, and provides engaging up-to-date coverage of traditional and non-traditional threats to survival.

► Cool war : the future of global competition / Noah Feldman.
A bold and thought-provoking look at the future of U.S.-China relations, and how their coming power struggle will reshape the competitive playing field for nations around the world.

► D-Day : the files / Richard Holmes.
London : Carlton books Ltd, 2013. 96 pages : illustrations (black and white, and colour), maps (colour) ; 22 cm + 1 folded map, 1 audio disc, 1 photograph album + 12 facsimile documents.
About the campaign as a whole, from the beginning of Allied planning to the liberation of Paris.

► Disaster operations and decision making / Roger C Huder.
Describes American public sector approaches to disaster management with particular attention to the early stages of response.

► Dragon in ambush : the art of war in the poems of Mao Zedong / Jeremy Ingalls edited by Allen Wittenborn
This book is a critique and new translation of the first twenty poems of Mao Zedong’s published poetry. This seminal work stands out from previous translation of Mao’s poems in seeing them as an expression of his core political beliefs, rather than for their poetic effect.

► Dragonflies of Peninsular Malaysia and Singapore / A.G. Orr.
Ending holy wars : religion and conflict resolution in internal armed conflicts / Isak Svensson.
St Lucia : Univ of Queensland Press, 2013. xiv, 218 pages ; 23 cm.
Ending Holy Wars explores how religious dimensions affect the possibilities for conflict resolution in civil war. This is the first book that systematically tries to map out the religious dimensions of internal armed conflicts and explain the conditions under which religious dimensions impede peaceful settlement. It draws upon empirical work on global data, based on the Uppsala Conflict Data Program (UCDP), and complements this quantitative data with several smaller case studies (Sri Lanka, Philippines and Indonesia). The book shows how religious identities and incompatibilities influence the likelihood of agreements and the mechanisms through which parties and third-party mediators have been able to overcome religious obstacles to negotiated settlements. These findings pave the way for a discussion on how conflict theory can better incorporate religious dimensions, as well as how policy can be designed to manage religious dimensions in armed conflicts.

Evaluating peace operations / Paul F. Diehl and Daniel Druckman.
There has been a great deal written on why peace operations succeed or fail. But how are those judgments reached? By what criteria is success defined? Success for whom? Paul Diehl and Daniel Druckman explore the complexities of evaluating peace operation outcomes, providing an original, detailed framework for assessment. The authors address both the theoretical and the policy-relevant aspects of evaluation as they cover the full gamut of mission goals from conflict mitigation, containment, and settlement to the promotion of democracy and human rights. Numerous examples from specific peace operations illustrate their discussion. A seminal contribution, their work is a foundation not only for the meaningful assessment of peace operations, but also for approaches that can increase the likelihood of successful outcomes.

Foreign fighters : transnational identity in civil conflict / David Malet
New York : Oxford University Press, 2013. x, 256 pages ; illustrations ; 24 cm.
Study of how insurgencies recruit individuals from abroad who would seem to have no direct connection to the conflict. Following a general overview the book presents four specific instances from the early 19th century to the late 20th: The Texas Revolution, Spanish Civil War, Israel’s War of Independence, and Afghanistan since 1978.

From the ground up : the training of RAAF technical ground staff, 1948-1993 / C.D. Coulthard-Clark.
This book, specially commissioned by the RAAF to commemorate the unique contribution apprentices made to the service over nearly half a century, provides a documented record of the scheme’s origins, rationale and development. It also traces the debate which gave recognition to the service’s changing requirements and ultimately led to the termination of the apprentice training.

Generals in blue : lives of the Union commanders / Ezra J. Warner.
[Baton Rouge] : Louisiana State Univ PR, 2013. xxiv, 680 p. ; 24 cm

Generals in gray : lives of the Confederate commanders / Ezra J. Warner.

Great war : a combat history of the First World War / Peter Hart.

Handbook of disaster policies and institutions : improving emergency management and climate change adaptation / John W Handmer
2nd ed.
An essential handbook for practitioners across the world seeking to improve the quality, robustness and capacity of their disaster management mechanisms.

Hezbollah : the global footprint of Lebanon’s Party of God / Matthew Levitt.
This book provides a detailed account of this multifaceted organization with particular attention to the terrorism aspect.
► In command of history : Churchill fighting and writing the Second World War / David Reynolds.
xxiv, 631 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.
This book illuminates an unjustly neglected period of Churchill's life the Second Wilderness Years of 1945-51, when Churchill wrote himself into history, politicized himself back into the prime-ministership, and delivered some of the most important speeches of his career.

► In the shadow of greatness : voices of leadership, sacrifice and service from America's longest war / edited by Joshua Welle.
xiv, 247 p. : ill., map ; 24 cm.

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x, 452 pages : illustrations, maps ; 23 cm.
Part of a series that deals with the ideas, events, decisions, and social forces, which underlie key debates and complex changes that have transformed India in the past two decades.

x, 270 p. ; ill. ; 23 cm.

► Losing Vietnam : how America abandoned Southeast Asia / Ira Augustus Hunt.
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Examines the military and strategic results of particular combat techniques, strategies, and methods used by soldiers, sailors, and airmen throughout history.

► Merchant, soldier, sage : a history of the world in three castes / David Priestland.
343 pages ; 25 cm.

► Military engagement : influencing armed forces worldwide to support democratic transitions ; V.1 : overview and action plan / Dennis C Blair.
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This succinct handbook analyzes democratic transitions in five major regions and surveys the internal power dynamics in countries such as Iran and North Korea, dictatorships that are hostile toward and fearful of democratic influences.

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vi, 392 p.
This second volume relates the stories of how democratic civil-military relations developed in five world regions and fourteen individual countries.

► Moscow 1941 : a city and its people at war / Rodric Braithwaite.
1st American ed.
This book is about the men and women who lived and worked and stood their ground in Moscow in the autumn and winter of 1941.

► National insecurity : the cost of American militarism / Melvin A.Goodman.
461 p. ; 21 cm.

► Short introduction to strategic human resources management / Wayne F Cascio.
x, 222 pages ; 22 cm.
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► Terrorism in the twenty-first century / Cindy C Combs.
7th ed.
Boston : Pearson, 2013
xxiii, 393 p. ; 24 cm.

► The Indonesia update Indonesia Project, the Australian National University.
INDONESIA Update Conference.
1 CD-ROM : col. ; 4 3/4 in.
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► World War II : Hiroshima & Nagasaki.
1 videodisc (DVD)
London : Simon and Schuster, 2010
111 p. ; 20 cm

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**Protecting the abode of peace** / Gordon Arthur  

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### CHINA

**Anti-access lessons from the past** / Toshi Yoshihara  
*Proceedings US Naval Institute*: December 2013, pp. 26-31 [86]

This article suggests there are parallels between China’s present maritime assertiveness and Japan’s plans to combat American forces in the 1920s and 1930s. Considers how far the similarities extend, where they differ, how effective China’s anti-access policy might be, and what this might mean for the United States.

### INDONESIA

**Assessing military reform in Indonesia** / Leonard C Sebastian  

This article aims to provide an assessment of the military reform processes in Indonesia. It will examine the theories relating to civil military relations and military transformation with their implications for deepening military professionalism.

### LEADERSHIP

**The civil-military divide in protracted small war** : an alternative view of military leadership preferences and war termination / Shawn T Cochran  

Considers the basis of military leadership preferences toward war termination, particularly within the context of protracted small war. Suggests that the widely held view that military leaders usually wish to continue rather than terminate long term small wars is incorrect. Presents some examples in support of the argument and discusses the implications for civil military relations.

### MILITARY MEDICINE

**Patient reported outcome measures in military patients with shoulder instability** / Simon Middleton, P Guyver, M Boyd, M Brinsden  
*Journal of the Royal Army Medical Corps*: Vol. 159 Iss. 4 December 2013, pp.271-273 [37]

A medical study report on the measurement of military patients who experienced functional impairment of the shoulder which may be due to a traumatic event or a habitual effect. This study discusses if the Oxford Shoulder Instability Score (OSIS) can be used as a tool to assess military patients with shoulder instability and monitor the progress of their condition.

### CHALLENGES OF MANAGING SNAKEBITE

**Challenges of managing snakebite envenomation in a deployed setting** / Christopher Johnson, J Rimmer, G Mount, I Gurney, E D Nicol  
*Journal of Royal Army Medical Corps*: Vol.159 Iss.4 December 2013, pp.307-311 [37]

A case study discussing the challenges and ethical dilemma in delayed-presentation snakebite, the diagnosis and treatment of coagulopathy and the role of antivenom and surgical debridement. Cases taken in this study are in two adults and two children in the Role 3 Medical Treatment Facility in Camp Bastion, Afghanistan.

### MISSILES

**Leading the way in ballistic missile defense** / George Galdorisi and Scott R Truver  
*Proceedings US Naval Institute*: December 2013, pp. 32-38 [86]

Discussion of the growing importance of the US Navy’s contribution - in the shape of Aegis - to an integrated national level ballistic missile defence system. The system extends internationally through involvement of partner nations around the world. The article looks at further developments and at the threats the system is designed to counter.

### NATO

**NATO, v. 4.0** / Michael C Sirak  
*Air Force Magazine*: Vol 96 No 10, October 2013, pp.28-33 [58]

Considers NATO’s role and functions when its participation in operations in Afghanistan concludes by end 2014.
**NORTH KOREA**

Contemporary American military technology and North Korea’s hard and deeply buried targets (HDBTs) / Soon Ho Lee

Comparative Strategy : Vol.32, No.5, November/December 2013, pp.387-401 (113)

This article proves that these newly developed military technologies are not very effective and that heavy reliance on technology is not a viable solution to North Korea’s HDBTs.

**RUSSIA**

The Russian navy rebalances to the Mediterranean / Thomas R Fedyszyn.

Proceedings US Naval Institute : December 2013, pp. 20-25 (86)

As the United States turns its attention to the Asia Pacific so Russia is moving to fill space in the west and especially the Mediterranean. This article looks at the resurgent Russian navy, why it is moving into the Med, and what America’s response should be.

**SURVEILLANCE**

Sticking around: sharing the value of persistent surveillance / Geoff Fein


The growth in the number of sensors used to collect battlefield data has increased the demand for faster processing and delivery of information. This article explores how the challenge to deliver real-time data is being met.

**TAIWAN**

U. S policy toward Taiwan : time for change / Dennis V. Hickey


This study examines U.S. policy toward Taiwan and explains why this policy often appears ambiguous and contradictory.

**TERRORISM**

Target hardening and terrorist signaling : the case of aviation security / Justin V Hastings

Terrorism and Political Violence : Vol.25, No.5, November & December 2013, pp.777-797, (116)

This article examines the evolution of aviation security, and traces how al-Qaeda's views of airplanes and airports as targets have changed since 9/11.

**THAILAND**

Army stays on sidelines as Thai political system cracks / Anthony Davis

Jane’s Defence Weekly: Vol 50 Issue 51, 18 December 2013, pp.25 (122)

As the size and momentum of anti-government demonstrations increase in Thailand, this article considers whether the Royal Thai Army can maintain its low-key role as an honest broker between the kingdom’s opposing political forces.

**UNITED STATES**

Strategy and submarine / William J Holland.

Proceedings US Naval Institute : December 2013, pp. 48-53 (86)

Describes, in relation to the development of US submarine forces, the complex interactions between defence policy, strategy, tactics and equipment, and shows that these do not follow a simple linear progression as found in business and economic models.

**UNMANNED SYSTEMS**

A few disruptive thoughts / Ryan Hilger.

Proceedings US Naval Institute : December 2013, pp. 60-65 (86)

The US Navy is being urged to adopt unmanned systems (air, surface and underwater) as fast as possible. This competition winning essay argues that this policy has a fundamental flaw: there is not enough information or understanding of the “full range of capabilities, limitations, and implications of unmanned systems”. Particular attention should be given to how enemies could use such systems against the US, and from that develop ways to maintain America’s advantages.

Unman your battle stations! / Michael J Dobbs.

Proceedings US Naval Institute : December 2013, pp. 66-70 (86)

The capabilities and degree of autonomy of unmanned systems are growing quickly. This article considers what effect removing direct human input will have on future naval warfare.
VIETNAM

Vietnam’s new constitution to build defence industry/ Jon Grevatt

Jane’s Defence Weekly: Vol 50 Issue 51, 18 December 2013, pp.22 (122)

Vietnam has introduced a new constitution reiterating its ambition to develop its defence industrial base and reduce dependency on foreign military imports.

The first domino / John T Correll.

Air Force Magazine : Vol 96 No 10, October 2013, pp.64-69 (58)

Discusses the defeat by Giap of French forces at Dien Bien Phu in 1954 and the consequences for foreign policies of France and of the USA.

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