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- **Aging, economic growth, and old-age security in Asia /** edited by Donghyun Park, Sang-Hyop Lee and Andrew Mason.

Cheltenham, UK : Edward Elgar, 2012.
xvi, 195 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

- **An end to war : a Japanese soldier's experience of the 1945 death marches of North Borneo /** Ueno Itsuyoshi, translated by Mika Reilly, edited by Richard Wallace Braithwaite.

Kota Kinabalu : Opus Publications, 2012.
xx, 151 p. : ill.

Japanese conscript soldier relates his experiences after being posted to North Borneo in late 1944. The book - originally written soon after the war when the author returned to Japan - provides another perspective to the mainly Australian memoirs. Ueno was not involved in the POW death marches but had to undertake a similar march during which two thirds of his fellow soldiers died. A notable aspect of the account is that Japanese officers and NCOs were brutal towards their own men as well as POWs and civilians.

- **Asean, sovereignty and intervention in Southeast Asia /** Lee Jones.

Houndmills, Basingstoke, Hampshire ; New York : Palgrave Macmillan, 2012.
xvi, 262 p. : map ; 23 cm.

- **Asian security and the rise of China : international relations in an age of volatility /** David Martin Jones, Nicholas Khoo, M.L.R. Smith.

Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 2013.
ix, 291 pages ; 24 cm.

This book offers a compelling analysis of the problem that China presents for its region that will enlighten undergraduate students of regional political studies and international relations.

- **Asianism and the politics of regional consciousness in Singapore /** Leong Yew.

New York: Routledge, 2014.
xviii, 241 pages : illustrations ; 24 cm.

- **Beyond the last war : balancing ground forces and future challenges risk in USCENTCOM and USPACOM /** Stephanie Sanoket ... [et.al]

Washington DC : CSIS, 2013.
x, 148 p.

- **China and coexistence : Beijing's national security strategy for the twenty-first century /** Liselotte Odgaard.

Washington, D.C. : Woodrow Wilson CTR Press, 2012
xiv, 242 p. : 24 cm.

This is not a book about China's armed forces. One reason is that the subject of China's national security strategy encompasses a range of issues that defy adequate assessment by a narrow focus on China's national defense. Instead, this book addresses Beijing's strategic agenda regarding China's position and interests in relation to the rest of the world.

- **China and East Asian regionalism : economic and security cooperation and institution building /** edited by Suisheng Zhao.

London : Routledge, 2012.
vi, 225 p. ; 26 cm.

- **China as a sea power, 1127-1368 : a preliminary survey of the maritime expansion and naval exploits of the Chinese people during the southern Song and Yuan periods /** Lo jung Pang ; edited, and with commentary by Bruce A. Elleman.

Singapore : NUS Press ; Hong Kong : Hong Kong University Press, 2012.
xx, 378 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

- **China's emergence as a defense technological power /** edited by Tai Ming Cheung.

London : Routledge, 2013.
viii, 221 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

This volume provides a wide-ranging and detailed assessment of the present state of the Chinese defense economy at a time of rapid change and accelerating advancement in its innovation capabilities and performance.

- **Chinese strategic thought toward Asia /** Gilbert Rozman.

New York : Palgrave Macmillan, 2012.
292 pages ; 22 cm.

- **Combating transnational crime : concepts, activities and responses /** edited by Phil Williams and Dimitri Vlassis.

London : Frank Cass, 2001.
390 p. ; 23 cm.

- **Commerce raiding : historical case studies, 1755-2009 / edited by Bruce A Elleman and S C M Paine.**

Newport RI : Naval War College Press , 2013
x, 341 p.

Collection of seventeen papers on aspects of war against commercial or merchant shipping over two and a half centuries. Topics covered include naval war during the American Civil War, the Sino Japanese War 1894-1895, the Russo Japanese War 1904-1905, submarine warfare in First and Second World Wars, Japanese efforts to ship resources from Southeast Asia to Japan during Second World War, the Tanker Wars 1980-1988, and piracy off Somalia in the 21st Century.

- **Communitarian international relations : the epistemic foundations of International relations / Emanuel Adler.**

New York : Routledge , 2005.
xvii, 334 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

- **Conceptualising modern war / Karl Erik Haug, Ole Jorgen Maao ; introduction by Hew Strachan.**

London: C Hurst & Co publishers L, 2013.
xiv, 344 p. : ill. ; 22 cm.

- **Conflicting currents : Japan and the United States in the Pacific / Williamson Murray and Tomoyuki Ishizu.**

Santa Barbara, Calif : Praeger Security Intl, 2010.
vi, 188 p. ; 25 cm.

- **Crazy doctor mixing drugs and mental illness / Peter J.Dorsen ; forward by Faruk S.Abuzzahab.**

UK : Triple A Press , 2012.
187 P. ; 23 cm

- **Defending the cloud : waging warfare in cyberspace / John W. Rittinghouse**

Infinity Publishing, 2011.

This book helps to explain the fundamentals of cyber warfare and cyber security, looking at attacks from the inside out, with particular emphasis on the challenges posed by cloud computing.

- **Developing mental toughness : improving performance, wellbeing and positive behaviour in others / Peter Clough, Doug Strycharczyk.**

London ; Philadelphia : Kogan Page, 2012.
1 online resource (ix, 292 p.) : ill.

Mental Toughness is about how effectively individuals respond to stress, pressure and challenge. This ground-breaking book explains the concept of mental toughness, clearly and effectively. Traces its development from sports psychology into organizational development, health and education.

- **Enhancing Army Joint Force Headquarters capabilities / Timothy M. Bonds, Myron Hura, Thomas-Durell Young.**

Santa Monica, Calif. : RAND, Arroyo Center, 2010.
xxiv, 113 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

The research in this document is aimed at helping the Army improve its ability to command and control joint, interagency, and multinational forces to accomplish diverse missions in a range of settings. The monograph describes steps that the Army might take to improve the ability of Army Service headquarters to command joint task forces.

- **European security : the roles of regional organisations / Bjorn Moller.**

Farnham : Ashgate, 2012.
xx, 495 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

This comprehensive book offers a theoretically founded and thoroughly documented analysis of European security, with a special emphasis on the role played by the United Nation and the various regional and sub-regional organisations, especially the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, the Council of Europe and the European Union.

- **Future security : 7th Security Research Conference Future Security 2012 Bonn, Germany, September 4-6, 2012. Proceedings / Nils Aschenbruck ... [et al.]**

Berlin : Springer , 2012.
xviii, 534 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

- **Futures of war / Sam J. Tangredi.**

Newport, R.I. : Alidade Press, 2008.
273 p. ; 23 cm.

Futures of war provides a completely unique and up-to-date comparative analysis of the most significant official and unofficial assessments of international security in the years 2010-2035.

- **Gallup guides for youth facing persistent prejudice : Asians / Z. B Hill.**

Broomall, Pa. : Mason Crest Publishers, 2013.
64 p.

Covers the history of prejudice toward Asians. Read personal stories of prejudice, understand the laws that seek to control discrimination and discover how to recognize and fight prejudice wherever you find it.

- **Handbook of operations research for homeland security / Jeffrey W.Herrmann.**

New York ; London : Springer , 2013.
xiv, 221 pages : illustrations ; 25 cm.

- **Historical Sabah : the war / Danny Wong Tze Ken.**

Kota Kinabalu : Opus Publications, 2010.
xii, 194 p. : ill.

Account of British North Borneo (Sabah) during the Second World War presented in broadly chronological order. Notes the particularly high levels of destruction that occurred in Sabah, the pre-war anti-Japanese sentiments, the bravery of individuals and the enormous post war changes. Much of the material originally appeared as articles in the Sabah newspaper Daily Express between 2000 and 2004.

- **Human nature in Islam / Yasien Mohamed.**

Kuala Lumpur : A.S. Noordeen, 1998.
207 p. ; 22 cm.

- **Humanitarian logistics : cross-sector cooperation in disaster relief management / Andrea Cozzolino.**

Berlin ; London : Springer , 2012.
1 v. : 48p. ; ill. ; 19 cm

Collaboration with various relevant actors involving in the emergency resolution can help reduce cost, increase speed, and improve the leanness/agility level in the humanitarian supply chain, and vice versa, poor coordination among them is cited as an explanation for performance gaps.

- **Immaculate warfare : participants reflect on the air campaigns over Kosovo, Afghanistan, and Iraq / edited by Stephen D. Wrage ; foreword by William J. Crowe.**

Westport, Conn. ; London : Praeger, 2003.
120 p.

- **International military education and training programmes : assessments / edited by Eloi Gosselin.**

New York : Nova Science, 2013.
ix, 66 p.

- **Kinabalu guerrillas : an account of the Double Tenth Rising against the Japanese invaders in North Borneo / Maxwell Hall.**

Kota Kinabalu : Opus Publications , 2009.
101 p.

Describes the background, events, and aftermath of the uprising in the Jesselton area by Chinese residents of North Borneo in October 1943 against the Japanese occupiers.

- **Leadership and management in athletic training : an integrated approach / Matthew R. Kutz.**

Philadelphia : Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, 2010.
xviii, 331 p. : ill. ; 28 cm.

Following the book's easy-to-follow explanations and performing the exercises, you'll develop strong leadership and management skills that will enable you to excel and advance throughout your athletic training career.

- **Leadership in dangerous situations : a handbook for the armed forces, emergency services, and first responders / edited by Patrick J. Sweeney, Michael D. Matthews and Paul B. Lester.**

Annapolis, Md : Naval Inst Press , 2011.
xiii, 414 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

Offering the wisdom of practitioners from the military, law enforcement, fire and rescue, as well as prominent scholars this guide integrates theory and research with practical experience to help the reader prepare for the unique psychological, social, and physical challenges of leading in dangerous contexts.

- **Management book : how to manage your team to deliver outstanding results / Richard Newton.**

Harlow : Financial Times Prentice Hall, 2011.
xiii, 254 p. ; 20 cm.

Clearly structured in 36 short sections, this practical book provides rapid, accessible advice on all the essential management challenges. Structured with the busy manager in mind, you can dip into any section of the book and read it as an individual piece of advice or read it end-to-end to gain an overall picture of management.

- **Maritime issues in the South China Sea : troubled waters or a sea of opportunity / edited by Nien-Tsu Alfred Hu and Ted L. McDorman.**

London : Routledge, 2013.
x, 178 p. : ills, maps ; 26 cm.

- **Masters of war : classical strategic thought / Michael I Handel.**

3rd rev ed.
Abingdon UK : Routledge, 2000.

- **Military adaptation in war : with fear of change / Williamson Murray.**

New York : Cambridge Univ Press, 2011.
ix, 342 p. ; 24 cm.

Military Adaptation in War addresses one of the most persistent, yet rarely examined problems that military organizations confront: namely, the problem of how to adapt under the trying, terrifying conditions of war. This work builds on the volume that Professor Williamson Murray edited with Allan Millett on military innovation (a quite different problem, though similar in some respects). In Clausewitzian terms, war is a contest, an interactive duel, which is of indeterminate length and presents a series of intractable problems at every level, from policy and strategy down to the tactical.

- **Military training lands historic context : small arms ranges / Dan Archibald...[et.al]**

US Army Corps of Engineers : Engineers Research and Development Center.
Military Bookshop, 2013.
xxxv, 347 p ; col.ills : 24 cm

- **New continentalism : energy and twenty-first century Eurasian geopolitics / Kent E. Calder.**

New Haven : Yale University Press, 2012.
xxxiv, 377 p. : maps, ill. ; 24 cm.

- **New wars, new militaries, new soldiers : conflicts, the armed forces and the soldierly subject / edited by Gerhard Kummel and Joseph Soeters.**

London : Emerald Group Publ, 2012
xiv, 251 p. : ill. ; 24 cm

This collection of sociological studies on the armed forces and conflict resolution deals with three types of developments the military is facing.

- **Non-western international relations theory : perspectives on and beyond Asia / edited by Amitav Acharya and Barry Buzan.**

London : Routledge, 2009
[ix], 242 p. ; 24 cm.

- **Northeast Asia's nuclear challenges / Su Hoon Lee.**

Seoul Institute for Far Eastern Studies : Kyungnam University Press, 2013.
229 p. : illustrations, maps ; 23 cm.

- **Operational logistics: the art and science of sustaining military operations / by Moshe Kress.**

Boston USA ; Dordrecht: Kluwer Academic Pubs, 2002
xiii, 247 p. : ill. ; 25 cm.

"The book is intended for logisticians, commanders and military scholars. Operations-research analysts, who are interested in large-scale logistics systems, may also find interest in the book, particularly in the models that are presented in the last four chapters."

- **Paths to victory : detailed insurgency case studies / Christopher Paul , Colin P. Clarke , Beth Grill and Molly Dunigan.**

National Defense Research Institute
Santa Monica, CA : Rand Offices, 2013.
xi, 468 p. ; 23 cm

- **Pre-war images of North Borneo : a collection of postcards published from 1905-1930 by Philippe B. Funk of Sandakan / Lim Pitt Kent, Nicholas K.M. Tan.**

Kota Kinabalu : Opus Publications, 2013.
viii, 224 p. : mostly ill. photographs some colour.

Large collection of picture postcards of British North Borneo all presented one per page with accompanying descriptive text. Most are sepia tones but a few were hand coloured. Includes biographical information on Philippe Funk.

- **Proxy warfare / Andrew Mumford.**

Cambridge : Polity Press, 2013.
ix, 141 p. ; 21 cm.

A masterful analysis of the dynamics of proxy warfare from the Cold War through to the War on Terror. Investigates issues relating to the rise of China, as well as the Arab Spring. Posits proxy warfare as one of the dominant characteristics of contemporary conflict. Will be essential reading for students in security studies and related disciplines.

- **Records and recollections 1889-1934 / J. H. M. Robson.**

Kuala Lumpur : Synergy Media , 2007.
203 p. : ill.

Collection of articles and recollections about life in colonial era Malaya written or edited by Robson, or attributed to him. Robson was a government official in Selangor and established the Malay Mail newspaper.

- **Rethinking energy security in Asia : a non-traditional view of human security / edited by Mely Caballero-Anthony, Youngho Chang and Nur Azha Putra.**

Heidelberg, London : Springer, 2012.
xi, 103 p. : col. ill. ; 24 cm.

- **Sabah under the rising sun government / Stephen R Evans.**

Kota Kinabalu : Opus Publications , 2007
119p. : ill.

The author Datuk Stephen R Evans was born in North Borneo and attended primary school during the Second World War period of Japanese control; he was later elected an MP and Senator. As well as providing an account of life under Japanese rule the book describes Japanese military ideology, the Kinabalu Guerrillas, Japanese atrocities, and the liberation of the state in 1945.

- **Sains politik Islam / Mohd. Rumaizuddin Ghazali.**

Pahang : PTS Publications & Distributors, 2004.
xi, 210 p. ; 23 cm.

- **Second World War experience : the turning of the tide / Richard Overy.**

London : Carlton, 2009.
4 v. : ill. (some col.), facsim., maps (some col.), ports. (some col.) ; 27 x 31 cm. + 4 computer optical discs.

This set covers the whole six-year global conflagration that shattered and then re-shaped the world. From the German blitzkrieg against Poland in September 1939, to the surrender of Japan following the dropping of atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki almost exactly six years later. Written by the leading Second World War historian Richard Overy, each spread introduces another fascinating aspect of this world-encompassing conflict.

- **Security and trust management : 9th International Workshop, STM 2013, Egham, UK, September 12-13, 2013, proceedings / Rafael Accorsi and Silvio Ranise (eds.).**

Heidelberg, New York : Springer , 2013
x, 234 pages : illustrations (black and white) ; 24 cm.

- **Singapore perspectives 2012 : Singapore inclusive : bridging divides / edited by Kang Soon Hock and Leong Chan-Hoong**

Singapore : World scientific , 2013.
xiii, 188p. ; 24 cm

Singapore Perspectives is the flagship conference of the Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore. The annual conference seeks to engage thinking Singaporeans in a lively debate about the public policy challenges the country faces.

- **Six essential elements of leadership : Marine Corps wisdom of a Medal of Honor recipient / Wesley Fox.**

Annapolis, Md. : Naval Int Press , 2011.
xiv, 169 p. ; 24 cm.

*Col. Wesley Fox is a Medal of Honor recipient who wrote two widely respected accounts of his wartime experiences in the Marine Corps. His books, *Marine Rifleman: Forty-Three Years in the Corps and Courage and Fear: A Primer* , are both considered classic war memoirs. Drawing on over four decades of leadership experience, both during two wars and peacetime, Fox insists that a good leader must focus on building an organization based on the bonds of comradeship. Successful leaders are those who are actively concerned with the health, happiness, and daily lives of those who follow them.*

- **Soldiers and statesmen : reflections on leadership / John S.D.Eisenhower.**

Columbia, London : Univ of Missouri Press , 2012.
xx, 181 p. : ill., maps, ports. ; 25 cm.

- **South China Sea : energy and security conflicts / Christopher L Daniels.**

Lanham : Scarecrow , 2014
v, 153 pages : maps ; 24 cm.

▶ **Stop talking, start communicating : counterintuitive secrets to success in business and in life / Geoffrey Tumlín ; foreword by Martha Mendoza.**

New York : McGraw-Hill, 2013.
xii, 234 pages ; 23 cm.

With startling insights and a dash of humor, Stop Talking, Start Communicating combines scientific research with real-world strategies to deliver a proven approach to more effective communication.

▶ **The best of times, the worst of times : maritime security in the Asia-Pacific / edited by Joshua Ho and Catherine Zara Raymond.**

Singapore : World Scientific Publishing, 2005
xvi, 294 p. : ill., maps (some col.) ; 23 cm.

▶ **The Middle East : the politics of the sacred and secular / Shahrough Akhavi.**

London : Zed Books, 2009.
viii, 291 p. ; 23 cm

▶ **The Northern Front : a wartime diary / Charles Glass.**

London : Sagi books, 2006
275 p., [8] p. of plates : ill., map ; 22 cm.

Veteran journalist's account of the Iraq War.

▶ **The oil curse : how petroleum wealth shapes the development of nations / Michael L. Ross.**

Princeton, N.J. : Princeton University Press, 2012.
xxi, 289 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.

The Oil Curse shows why oil wealth typically creates less economic growth than it should; why it produces jobs for men but not women; and why it creates more problems in poor states than in rich ones.

▶ **The rise and fall of the British empire / Lawrence James.**

New York : An Abacus book, 1998
xvi, 714 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.

▶ **The shadow world : inside the global arms trade / Andrew Feinstein.**

Revised and updated edition
London : Hamish Hamilton, 2012
xxx, 696 p. : ill., ports. ; 24 cm

The shadow world is the behind-the-scenes tale of the global arms trade, exposing in forensic detail the deadly collusion that all too often exists among senior politicians, weapons manufacturers and the military- a situation that comprises our security and undermines our democracy.

▶ **Turkey-Kurdish regional government relations after the U.S withdrawal from Iraq : putting the Kurds on the map? / Bill Park.**

Army War College (U.S.). Strategic Studies Institute Carlisle, PA : Strategic Studies Institute, U.S. Army War College, 2012.
xi, 75 p. ; 23 cm.

▶ **Understanding global conflict and cooperation : an introduction to theory and history / Joseph S. Nye, Jr., David A. Welch.**

9th ed.
Upper Saddle River, N.J. : Pearson, 2013.
xviii, 365 p. : ill., maps ; 23 cm.

This book employs lessons from theory and history to examine conflict and cooperating among global actors and thus provide readers with a durable analytical framework. (Earlier editions of this book had the title Understanding international conflicts).

▶ **Unseen war : allied air power and the takedown of Saddam Hussein / Benjamin S. Lambeth.**

Annapolis : Naval Inst Press, 2013.
xxiv, 435 pages, 16 unnumbered pages of plates : illustrations ; 24 cm.

"Ben Lambeth reconstructs the exceptional performance of CENTCOM's air component during the first phase of Operation Iraqi Freedom in a way that reminds us of the dispensable role played by airmen in a war that has since been overshadowed by a decade of land-focused counterinsurgency and counterterrorist operations." - ADM. Vern Clark, USN (Ret.), Chief of Naval Operations (2000-2005).

▶ **War from the ground up : twenty-first century combat as politics / Emile Simpson**

London : Columbia University Press, 2012
x, 285 pages : illustrations ; maps ; 23 cm.

In the wars in Libya, Iraq, Afghanistan and in recent conflicts more generally, liberal powers have blurred the line between military and political activity. 'War From The Ground Up' offers a distinctive perspective in its consideration of the concept of contemporary warfare.

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ASIA PACIFIC

Potential partners in the Pacific? : mutual interests and the Sino-NATO relationship / Tania M Chacho.

Journal of Contemporary China : Vol 23 No 87, May 2014, pp.387-407 (102)

Despite at first seeming unlikely this paper argues that a closer working relationship between China and NATO could have clear benefits for both parties particularly in the areas of crisis management, humanitarian assistance disaster relief, counter-proliferation and counter piracy.

ASIAN

Forging ahead: Asia-Pacific armour comes of age

Jane's Defence Weekly: Vol 51 No 14, 02 April 2014, p.35 (122)

While many countries in Western Europe are reducing their fleets of armoured fighting vehicles (AFVs), Asian militaries and the industries that support them are moving in the opposite direction.

AUSTRALIA

Australian, Indonesian headway on people smuggling.

Defense & Foreign Affairs Strategic Policy : Vol XXXXII No 1, 2014, p. 15 (22)

With the change of government in Australia and more contacts between Australia and Indonesia at political and military levels, the flow of illegal immigrants passing through Indonesia and heading for Australia has been significantly reduced.

BANGLADESH

Radical thinking : transnational jihadists eye Bangladesh / Animesh Roul.

Jane's Intelligence Review : Vol 26 Issue 5, May 2014, pp.20-23 (123)

Local Islamist groups in Bangladesh are being urged on by external interests particularly Al-Qaeda. This article discusses the various groups active in the country and notes the added complication of calls for "Bangladeshis to become involved in transnational jihad..."

CANADA

Canada's Comprehensive Approach in Afghanistan : a critical review of the literature, 2001-2011 / Eric Dion.

Defence Studies : Vol 14 No 2, June 2014, pp.192-215 (105)

Describes the results of an extensive literature review of Canada's policy on involvement in Afghanistan (The Comprehensive Approach) intended to identify whether or not it was supported by an intellectual construct. It was not. Highlights contributions and limitations of the policy and suggests some principles which would support a "pragmatic executive decision making model for Canada's future engagements".

CBRN

Something in the air : CBRN protection in the Asia Pacific / Andy Oppenheimer.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 Issue 2, April-May 2014, pp.58-66 (60)

Review of recent developments in equipment to provide personal protection against various chemical, biological and radiation threats whether caused by natural disaster, accident or deliberate action.

CHINA

Structural power, the Copenhagen School and threats to Chinese security/ Jeffrey Reeves

The China Quarterly March 2014, pp.140-161 (17)

Using case studies of Cambodia, Mongolia, and Nepal this article demonstrates that China's economic relations with small Asian states have a destabilising effect on them in economic, political, environmental, societal and military sectors. Furthermore this impact is subsequently projected back as a negative influence on China's own strategic position.

China's evolving views of the Korean-American alliance, 1953-2012 / Jae Ho Chung.

Journal of Contemporary China : Vol 23 No 87, May 2014, pp.425-442 (102)

Starts with a review of China's general policy on alliances, and then considers China's changing views of the alliance between South Korea and the USA over six decades. Notes how this has varied according to the perceived power of the USSR, of China's own rise, of American hegemony, and the domestic politics of South Korea.

The Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) : the Chinese perspective / Eveleyn S Devadason.

Journal of Contemporary China : Vol 23 No 87, May 2014, pp.462-479 (102)

Compares from China's point of view the TPP, to which China is not currently a party but in which it is interested, with other regional free trade agreements with which China is involved. Discusses the extent to which participation in TPP would benefit China.

Sino-Russian relations at the start of the new millenium in Central Asia and beyond / Niklas Swanstrom.

Journal of Contemporary China : Vol 23 No 87, May 2014, pp.480-497 (102)

Study of the current state of relations between China and Russia with particular reference to their shared boundary areas in Central Asia. Suggests that Russia's renewed interest in Asia may be more a result of the unsatisfactory outcomes of its attempts at engagement with the West than a real desire for closer ties with China. Important factors influencing relations include energy resources, arms supplies, and military buildups. Concludes that China has the upper hand in Central Asia and elsewhere, and doubts whether long term ties between the two will be enhanced.

China's counterinsurgency strategy in Tibet and Xinjiang / Liselotte Odgaard and Thomas Galasz Nieslsen.

Journal of Contemporary China : Vol 23 No 87, May 2014, pp.535-555 (102)

China's preferred approach to counterinsurgency appears to rely on heavily on hard power and imposition. This article considers from the Chinese government's perspective the application of these policies against ethnic unrest in Tibet and Xinjiang even if these events would not ordinarily be considered insurgencies. Looks at the role of China's political structures and nationality dynamics. Also considers external factors including trade routes (the Karakoram highway), relations with e.g. Pakistan, and briefly considers counterinsurgency strategies of some Asian states. Concludes that "... China's political structure is inherently biased towards hard power and imposition."

Chinese strategic culture and the use of force : moral and political perspectives / Tiewa Liu.

Journal of Contemporary China : Vol 23 No 87, May 2014, pp.556-574 (102)

Describes the historical context of China's present strategic culture noting its roots in Confucianism. Discusses just war theory, the influence of western thought such as Marxism, Realism and Liberalism, and views of recent Chinese leaders. Briefly notes Chinese attitudes to Korean War, Vietnam War, Iraq War and Somali piracy.

China 'to deploy JL-2 nukes on submarines this year'

Jane's Defence Weekly: Vol 51 No 14, 02 April 2014, p.18 (122)

The People's Liberation Army Navy (PLAN) will likely equip its submarines with long-range nuclear missiles for the first time by the end of 2014, according to a 25 March statement to the US Senate Armed Services Committee by the head of US Pacific Command (USPACOM), Admiral Samuel Locklear.

Chinese nuclear weapons enhancements : implications for Chinese employment policy / Michael Tkacik.

Defence Studies : Vol 14 No 2, June 2014, pp.161-191 (105)

China is undertaking substantial modernization of its nuclear weapons programmes, a process widely assumed to be in response to American counter capabilities. However this article points out that a different interpretation is possible: namely that China seeks nuclear warfighting capacity and may not observe the same constraints on use of nuclear weapons as have so far held worldwide since 1945. The article also acknowledges that there is still much that is unknown about China's nuclear systems and forces.

Asian influence : China's shifting non-interventionist stance / Christian Le Mièr.

Jane's Intelligence Review : Vol 26 Issue 5, May 2014, pp.54-55 (123)

Discussion of China's growing ability and willingness to project power which suggests that China may begin to take interventionist steps despite those being points on which it has been critical of the West.

China's maritime strategy / Balaji Chandramohan.

New Zealand International Review : Vol 39 No 3, May/June 2014, pp.22-24 (82)

Review of China's steadily growing maritime interests, naval force capabilities, and its maritime strategy (the three island chain approach) which aims by 2050 to extend China's reach from the Aleutians to Antarctica taking in Australia and New Zealand. Chinese interests are also developing infrastructure in South Pacific island nations.

CIVIL MILITARY RELATIONS**The paradox of recruitment / Yagil Levy.**

Defence Studies : Vol 14 No 2, June 2014, pp.216-232 (105)

Compares recruitment policies, the propensity to use force, and the value placed on the lives of military personnel of Israel and the United States. Illustrates the discussion with paradoxes related to civil-military relations in both countries.

COASTAL DEFENCE**Coastal defence : systems, solutions, tactics / Milan Vego.**

Naval Forces : Vol XXXV No II, 2014, pp.18-22 (41)

Discusses the need for coastal defence in peacetime and in war and how this can be achieved. New technologies offer a wide range of equipment for detection, protection and threat countermeasures.

DEFENCE EQUIPMENT & TECHNOLOGY**Guns, pulled or carried? : towed and truck mounted artillery / Peter Donaldson.**

Asian Defence & Diplomacy : Vol 21, March/April 2014, pp 6-9 (130)

Discussion of on-going artillery requirements in India, the Philippines and South Korea.

Middle managers / Thomas Withington.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 No 1, Feb/Mar 2014, pp.50-55 (60)

Review of battle management systems in use or planned in Asia Pacific with brief mentions of Australasia, Brunei, India, Malaysia, Pakistan, and Korea (ROK).

Big bang theory : Asian artillery ambitions / Ian Kemp.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 No 1, Feb/Mar 2014, pp.74-82 (60)

Asia Pacific countries are upgrading artillery capabilities in some cases using regionally developed or adapted products. Notes the BAE Systems M777A2 lightweight howitzer, the Korean Techwin K55 (variant of the M109A2), and Singapore's Primus (tracked self-propelled howitzer) and Pegasus (helicopter transportable light weight howitzer) products. All are 155mm weapons. Also notes the importance of precision guided projectiles.

DEFENCE MANAGEMENT**Fault-lines in the civil-military framework in India and the way forward / A P Revi.**

Defence Studies : Vol 14 No 2, June 2014, pp.134-160 (105)

Discussion of the state of civil-military relations in India, which are described as subject to bureaucratic rather than political control. Suggests that India should use an adaptation of a recent (2011) British higher defence management structure as the basis on which to revise India's own defence administration and relations.

DISASTERS**Operation Damayan / Carlo Muñoz.**

Air Force Magazine : Vol 97 No 4, April 2014, pp.54-59 (58)

Describes US Air Force HADR response to Typhoon Haiyan which devastated parts of Visayas province in The Philippines November 2013. An inset box briefly describes another mission a few weeks later in Central African Republic.

ENGINEERING**Back to the future? : unknown lessons in obstacle crossing from Soviet operations 1944-45 / M W Whitchurch.**

Royal Engineers Journal : Vol 128 No 1, April 2014, pp.45-50 (46)

LTC Whitchurch gives a clear and informative account, illustrated with maps and photographs, of how Soviet forces dealt with river obstacles in their drive westwards during the final phases of the Second World War in Europe. Identifies lessons to be learned and the importance of knowing how other countries cross obstacles.

INDONESIA**Indonesia announces offset programme/ Jon Grevatt**

Jane's Defence Weekly: Vol 51 No 16, 16 April 2014, p.20 (122)

Indonesia has launched a defence offset and countertrade programme to boost the country's economy and spur the development of its defence industrial base.

Indonesia plans indigenous naval ship design centre / Jon Grevatt.

Jane's Defence Weekly : Vol 51 Issue 19, 07 May 2014, p.20 (122)

Indonesia is establishing new facility to design surface and submarine vessels and related systems for the Indonesian Navy, which will also involve national industries and the higher education sector. The facility will benefit from Indonesia's new offset policy which includes defence technology transfer.

INSURGENCY & COUNTERINSURGENCY**Countering regional insurgencies : a process not an event / Gordon Arthur.**

Asian Defence & Diplomacy : Vol 21, March/April 2014, pp 34-38 (130)

Overview of insurgencies affecting Philippines, Malaysia, Thailand, Myanmar, India, Pakistan and China.

Paths to victory / Christopher Paul.

New Zealand International Review : Vol 39 No 3, May/June 2014, pp.17-21 (82)

Presents a summary of a RAND report "Paths to victory: lessons from modern insurgency". The study made a detailed analysis of 71 insurgencies begun and completed since the end of the Second World War. Describes good and bad practices and notes the long mean and median duration of insurgencies. [See also the related RAND publication "Paths to victory: detailed insurgency case studies"]

IRAN**Game over? : is the US-Iranian rapprochement stillborn? / Yossef Bodansky.**

Defense & Foreign Affairs Strategic Policy : Vol XXXXII No 2, 2014, pp. 9-13 (22)

Describes factors that seem likely to constrain attempts by the Obama administration to improve relations between the United States and Iran. These include American attitudes, Iranian suspicion of

America, manouering by other powers particularly Saudi Arabia, events in Syria, and the religious divisions in the Middle East.

LEADERSHIP**A strategy of discriminate power : a global posture for sustained leadership/ Michael J Mazarr**

The Washington Quarterly Vol.37, No 1, Spring 2014, pp.137-150 (108)

The leading challenge for US grand strategy over the next decade is to exercise persistent global leadership under the shadow of intensifying constraints. The United States does not need new grand strategy but a new concept for developing more innovative and economical ways to achieve its long standing and widely accepted existing one.

Ensuring a smooth change of command : guidelines for leaders transitioning into new posts.

Asia Pacific Defence Forum : Vol 39 No 2, 2014, pp.42-45 (F5)

Presents some broad principles drawn from the book "Army Leader Transitions Handbook" produced by the US Center for Army Leadership. The advice is applicable at all levels of seniority and is also relevant beyond the military context.

LOGISTICS**Using the Gap Reduction Model to analyze military logistics support / Mike Carter.**

Army Sustainment : Vol 46 Issue 1, January-February 2014, pp.23-27 (74)

Describes the Gap Reduction Model and how it has helped US logistics planners streamline the process of supporting operational forces.

MALAYSIA**Eksklusif bersama ketua pengarah APMM**

Perajurit: Mac 2013, pp.18 (133)

Sempena ulang tahun kelapan Agensi Penguatkuasaan Maritim Malaysia (APMM) – satu-satunya agensi yang bertanggungjawab terhadap keselamatan Zon Maritim Malaysia, Laksamana Maritim Datuk Mohd. Amdan Kurish, Ketua Pengarah APMM telah meluangkan masa untuk berbincang mengenai aspek pembangunan, aset serta program latihan dan pembangunan armada agensi tersebut.

Wawancara Panglima TLDM

Perajurit: April 2013, pp.4-7 (133)

Sempena sambutan hari ulang tahun ke-79 Tentera Laut Diraja Malaysia (TLDM), Laksamana Tan Sri Abdul Aziz Haji Jaafar Panglima TLDM telah berkesudian membincangkan mengenai peranan dan perancangan terkini TLDM dalam menentuai organisasi maritim negara.

Wawancara khas Panglima Tentera Darat sempena HUT ke-80

Perajurit: April 2013, pp.22-26 (133)

Sempena HUT ke-80, Jeneral Tan Sri Dato' Seri Panglima Hj Zulkifli bin Hj Zainal Abidin membincangkan mengenai hala tuju Tentera Darat (TD) Malaysia dan transformasi yang sedang dan bakal dilaksanakan bagi memantapkan lagi organisasi sedia ada.

Krisis Lahad Datu/ Saiful Anwar Md Ali

Perajurit: April 2013, pp.52-53 (133)

Artikel ini mempersoalkan berhubung peranan diplomasi yang memerlukan perundingan bagi penyelesaian melibatkan sesuatu krisis. Dalam konteks Lahad Datu yang melibatkan teritori, maruah, kedaulatan dan kepentingan nasional, ianya memerlukan jangka masa singkat untuk berkompromi. Tindakan Kerajaan Malaysia dalam menangani perkara ini akan dijadikan satu penanda aras ke atas ancaman yang berlaku di masa akan datang.

Ancaman baru keselamatan: suatu pandangan teoretikal/ Azman Ayob et al.

Perajurit: Mei 2013, pp.18-22 (133)

Artikel ini cuba meninjau beberapa kemungkinan ancaman baru terhadap keselamatan yang lain, selain daripada ancaman berbentuk ketenteraan (non-military) yang mana perlu diberi perhatian bagi memahami kesan-kesannya terhadap keselamatan sesebuah negara.

Preparing for tomorrow : Malaysia's armed forces / Gordon Arthur.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 Issue 2, April-May 2014, pp.18-24 (60)

Notes the growing complexity of security issues facing Malaysia including China's naval patrols in the South China Sea off Sabah and insurgents from the Philippines. Considers Malaysia's defence capabilities and acquisition plans and suggests there is continuing need, in some cases urgent, for new equipment for all branches of the armed forces.

MARITIME SECURITY**Mines : the hidden threat to Asia's wealth / Ted Hooton.**

Asian Defence & Diplomacy : Vol 21, March/April 2014, pp 24-27 (130)

Discussion with practical examples of the threats posed to shipping by mines. Notes that some Asian nations have no mine counter-measures while the capability of some others is limited.

MIDDLE EAST**The Arab Spring three years on / Yossef Bodansky.**

Defense & Foreign Affairs Strategic Policy : Vol XXXII No 1, 2014, pp. 6-9 (22)

Assesses the security and political situation in the Middle East at the beginning of 2014. Suggests that much depends on two things: events in Iran and a substantial change in US led western policies. Also suggests that Arab states have a particular interest in the continued existence of Israel's ability to contain Iran.

MILITARY HISTORY**The First World War and the Empire-Commonwealth / edited by Ashley Jackson.**

The Round Table: Commonwealth Journal of International Affairs Vol 103 No 2, April 2014, pp. 141-252 (100)

Special issue of The Round Table contains eight articles on a wide variety of aspects of the First World War from the perspectives of Britain and the British Empire.

MILITARY MEDICINE**Helicopter crashes into water : warning time, final position, and other factors affecting survival / Christopher J Brooks ... [et al.].**

Aviation, Space and Environmental Medicine : Vol 85 No 4, April 2014, pp. 440-444 (62)

Reports a study of helicopter crashes in water to determine what effect various factors had on survival. Overall the fatality rate was 25% with an inverse correlation between warning time and fatality. However in over half of incidents the warning time was not known. Highlights the importance of emergency breathing equipment such as EBS. Recommends that lack of warning time, and how to survive in water after a crash, should be topics of study in all marine survival/aircraft ditching courses.

MISCELLANEOUS

Hydrological strategy : the changing role of water in the strategic matrix / Gregory R Copley.

Defense & Foreign Affairs Strategic Policy : Vol XXXII No 2, 2014, p. 4-8 (22)

Discussion of the importance of water as a strategic resource and as a material necessity to sustain armed forces during operations including humanitarian aid and disaster relief. The article makes the case that new solar powered ultra/nano-filtration technologies offer low-cost low-energy ways to produce clean safe water. These it is said will replace the present options of either a) transporting large quantities of clean water or b) using reverse osmosis (RO) which is said to be expensive, inefficient, and unreliable.

MYANMAR

Myanmar holds largest naval drills in years/ Tony Davis

Jane's Defence Weekly: Vol 51 No 14, 02 April 2014, p.19 (122)

Against a backdrop of simmering tensions with Bangladesh, Myanmar has concluded its largest naval show of naval strength in recent years.

Constitutional change and security forces in Southeast Asia: lessons from Thailand and Myanmar/ Paul Chambers

Contemporary Southeast Asia Vol.36, Vol.1, April 2014, pp.101-127 (19)

The article examines two country cases of defective democracies. The article argues that constitutional change acceded to by security forces more often than not results from informal bargaining and concessions by civilians.

NAVAL FORCES

Global OPV update : a great leap forward for modular, multirole designs / Massimo Annati.

Naval Forces : Vol XXXV No II, 2014, pp.23-31 (41)

Versatility is the primary characteristic of modern OPVs to enable them to fulfill a variety of tasks at lower cost compared to mission specific platforms. This article discusses the growing demand for OPVs and briefly describes various projects including Brunei's "Darussalam" class vessels.

Why so amphibious? : littoral assault in the Asia Pacific / Edward Hooton.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 Issue 2, April-May 2014, pp.34-40 (60)

Discussion of the various types of vessels - single and multi-role, the variety of capabilities they offer, and why they are popular among Asia Pacific navies.

NAVAL WEAPONS

Special delivery: assessing options for naval land attack/ Ben Goodlad

Jane's Navy International: Vol 119, Issue 3, April 2014, pp.34 (124)

Delivering fires ashore has always been a core naval requirement. Today, with naval guns and long-range cruise missiles providing capability at the opposite ends of the range spectrum, this article takes a look at how emerging missile and gun systems could fill the gap in between.

PERSONAL EQUIPMENT

Suited and booted : soldier survivability and personal protection / Claire Apthorp.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 Issue 2, April-May 2014, pp.28-33 (60)

Discussion of recent developments in body armour and headgear to provide soldiers with better protection.

PHILIPPINES

Philippine naval modernisation programmes : rebuilding a maritime capability / David Saw.

Naval Forces : Vol XXXV No II, 2014, pp.23-31 (41)

The Philippines has a pressing need for a modern capable navy. This article describes the country's present naval assets some of which are Second World War era. Plans now in place should, when completed, see a completely rejuvenated Philippines Navy.

PORTS AND HARBOURS

Boats behaving badly / Thomas Withington.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 No 1, Feb/Mar 2014, pp.6-13 (60)

Discusses the value of radar for the security of ports and coastal areas.

RADAR

Pulse / Thomas Withington.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 Issue 2, April-May 2014, pp.6-11 (60)

Introduces new series of articles about developments in electronic warfare, radar, and satellite communications. This issue includes Kelvin Hughes' Marine Asset Protection and Surveillance System for offshore oil installations.

RUSSIA

Ukrainian navy decimated by Russian move into Crimea/ Tim Ripley

Jane's Defence Weekly: Vol 51 No 14, 02 April 2014, p.17 (122)

Ukraine's maritime forces have been dealt a heavy blow by the Russian intervention in Crimea, with 12 of 17 major warships, nearly 40 support vessels, and much of their naval aviation assets now falling under Moscow's control.

SINGAPORE

What Singapore's recent submarine decision means for Australia/ Rex Patrick

Asia Pacific Defence Reporter Vol.40, No.3, April 2014, pp.28-32 (9)

The 80s and 90s Australia's Oberon-centered submarine force was a most highly regarded force within Asia. The article highlights various issues such as standing up a Singaporean submarine force, Challenger class submarines and a tightening relationship.

Singapore considers larger amphibious ships/ Ridzwan Rahmat, et al.

Jane's Navy International: Vol 119, Issue 3, April 2014, pp.6 (124)

The Singapore Armed Forces (SAF) is examining the possibility of acquiring larger multipurpose amphibious landing platform dockships (LPDMs) for the Republic of Singapore Navy (RSN).

Stable conditions : Singapore's armed forces and military modernisation / Gordon Arthur.

Asian Military Review : Vol 22 No 1, Feb/Mar 2014, pp.14-24 (60)

Review of Singapore's defence development plans covering air, sea, and land forces.

Interview : Dr Ng Eng Hen, Singaporean Defence Minister.

Jane's Defence Weekly : Vol 51 Issue 19, 07 May 2014, p.34 (122)

Dr Ng describes Singapore's approach to defence through its comprehensive concept integrating people, platforms, and partnerships.

SOUTH ASIA

Asian war machines / Zia Mian and M V Ramana.

Critical Asian Studies : Vol 46 No 2, June 2014, pp.211-234

The foreign policies and relations of four countries - India, Pakistan, China and the USA - dominate the security of South Asia. Public pronouncements by the leaders of these countries focus on peaceful development, but this article points out the reality is different as "... all four states are committed to expanding reliance on military competition" and are effectively involved in preparing for war. Argues that these preparations are costly and in making such expenditures governments are failing to meet the practical needs of the populations of South Asia that they claim to represent.

SOUTH KOREA

Country briefing South Korea : Korea progression: Seoul adapts to threats from the North / James Hardy.

Jane's Defence Weekly : Vol 51 Issue 18, 30 April 2014, pp.24-31 (122)

Review of how the Republic of Korea (ROK) is adapting military policy and capabilities to deal with perceived changes in the threat posed by the Democratic Peoples Republic of Korea (DPRK).

TEAM BASED PROBLEM SOLVING

Complex collaborative problems solving processes in mission control / Stephen M Fiore ... [et al.].

Aviation, Space and Environmental Medicine : Vol 85 No 4, April 2014, pp. 456-461 (62)

Study of approach to problem solving used in NASA's Mission Control Center "in a complex domain characterized by ambiguity, uncertainty, ill-structured problems, dynamic conditions, high risk and time pressure". Found that team knowledge building is essential for successful collaborative problems solving.

UKRAINE

Eastern rising : Ukraine struggles to maintain territorial integrity / Leonid Peisakhin.

Jane's Intelligence Review : Vol 26 Issue 5, May 2014, pp.8-13 (123)

Following the loss of the Crimea this article provides a review of political, social, economic, and military aspects of the current unrest in Ukraine. This is accompanied by three different future scenarios, of which peaceful settlement in the next 6-12 months is considered the least likely.

UNITED NATIONS

Pertubuhan bangsa bangsa bersatu: kredibiliti kian tercalar

Perajurit: Mac 2013, pp.51-54 (133)

Perang Dunia Kedua (PD2) merupakan konflik yang membawa kemusnahan paling teruk dalam sejarah manusia sejagat, di mana senjata nuklear telah digunakan. Lahir daripada kesan kemusnahan peperangan yang teruk di seluruh dunia dan kemungkinan bahawa peperangan seterusnya akan melibatkan senjata nuklear, maka teretus idea penubuhan Pertubuhan Bangsa-Bangsa Berstau (PBB) atau dikenali juga sebagai United Nations (UN).

UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES

The dronification of state violence / Ian Shaw and Majed Akhter.

Critical Asian Studies : Vol 46 No 2, June 2014, pp.211-234

Argues that the development of targeted killing in Pakistan and elsewhere by American drones has profound implications for future warfare, the notions of sovereignty and territory, and state violence. The CIA and its Predator UAVs have generated a bureaucratic system which, according to this article, has in fact automated the people who are supposed to be in charge. Targets have become individuals while the state machinery has become faceless and unaccountable, a situation the authors' say was described by Hannah Arendt as "rule by Nobody" in which bureaucracy becomes tyranny. Finally the paper considers the implications of global reach and the possibility or probability that the capability will be used in other contexts such as law enforcement.

Major league / Beth Stevenson and Joyce de Thouars.

Unmanned Vehicles : Vol 19 No 2, April/May 2014, pp.12-18 (88)

Review of heavy or large UAV systems - an area in which the USA has so far had a considerable lead for example with Predator and Reaper. The US has the largest fleet of these UAVs with small numbers in several European countries and elsewhere. Briefly mentions possibility of such UAVs operating in commercial airspace, and then discusses developments in China and Russia.

Breaking the deadlock / Angus Batey.

Unmanned Vehicles : Vol 19 No 2, April/May 2014, pp.31-36 (88)

Discussion of the problems that will have to be resolved to enable UAVs to integrate and fly in the same airspace as manned aircraft.

The autonomy question / Rebecca Grant.

Air Force Magazine : Vol 97 No 4, April 2014, pp.44-47 (58)

With rapid developments in autonomous weapons technologies being pursued by American and other armed forces what will the human role be and how are ethical issues addressed? This article considers the pros and cons of the inexorable rise of autonomy particularly for airborne warfare.

Drone strikes : ethics and strategy / Natalie Dalziel.

New Zealand International Review : Vol 39 No 3, May/June 2014, pp.2-6 (82)

Discusses whether, from New Zealand's perspective, America's ongoing use of drone strikes in its war on terror should be considered both ethically and strategically flawed.

UAVs special report.

Flight International : Vol 185 No 5438, 6-12 May 2014, pp. 26-42 (65)

Illustrated guide to UAVs which has features on Global Hawk; on non-military UAVs in civilian airspace; and on the Northrop Grumman MQ-8C rotary wing UAV based on the Bell 407. There is a large cutaway colour diagram of the MQ-8C.

URBAN WARFARE

In this complex world do we really understand the urban environment? / I Webster.

Royal Engineers Journal : Vol 128 No 1, April 2014, pp.35-38 (46).

In future, armed conflict will probably occur mainly in urban environments, so logically there is a need to understand the infrastructure and buildings that urban areas contain. This article describes the concepts of Urban Terrain Zones (UTZ) and Tactical Infrastructure Assessments (TIA).

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