

**The Shadow World: Twenty-First Century Global Security Threats**  
IAFS 4500 International Affairs Capstone Course

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**Course Description:** Transnational security threats, which fall outside the paradigm of the traditional nation-state power system of the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries, pose increasingly significant challenges to the security and global influence of the United States. This course will begin with a brief survey of post-Cold War International Relations theory and an analysis of Great Power politics in the last decade. Students will then explore a number of priority security threats that are placing great strain on states and the global political system. Topics will include terrorism and insurgencies, global poverty and failed state zones, financial crimes, drug and weapons trafficking, genocide and other mass human rights violations, global warming, environmental degradation, energy security, and the global financial crisis. Students will investigate the qualitative nature of these threats and how governments and non-government actors are responding to these challenges with institutional, policy, and legal solutions.

**Requirements:** The following projects will constitute students' work and grades for this course:

- Class Participation 15 percent
- 5-7 page Theory Paper 10 percent
- Mid-term Exam and Symposium 25 percent
- 20 Page Term Paper and Presentation 50 percent
  - Written paper – 40 percent
  - Oral presentation – 10 percent

**Key Dates and Deadlines:**

Theory Paper Due: February 11  
Final Paper Proposal Due: February 25  
Mid Term Exam and Symposium: March 11  
Final Paper Draft Due (Required): April 1  
Final Paper Due: April 22  
Paper Presentations: April 22 and April 29

**Deadlines:** Unless otherwise noted, **ALL** assignments are due at the beginning of class on the date noted. Students submitting late papers will have their grade reduced by one letter grade for every day that the paper is late after the due date.

**Lectures and Class Participation:** Classes will be conducted in a discussion-focused seminar format, with student participation and debate highly valued.

Class participation will constitute 15 percent of your grade for this course. Participation will be evaluated based on class attendance, the quality and frequency of your comments in class, and the consistency and quality of your e-comments regarding the weekly reading assignments.

- *Attendance:* Student attendance will be taken each week. **Students with more than two unexcused absences will have their course grade reduced by one letter mark for the course.** Students are expected to arrive on time for class.
- *Weekly Reading Feedback:* To ensure lively conversation and appropriate preparation for class, students will be required to submit a brief and informal 1-2 paragraph assessment on the course's CU Learn portal for **at least two of the required readings every week by midnight the day before class.** Students are encouraged to provide candid but substantive comments about the readings. The goal of the feedback is for students to closely and critically read the materials and enhance the quality of class discussion.

**Readings:** This course will utilize assigned books, articles, and studies to examine a wide array of contemporary international security issues. This is a reading and writing intensive course. Students will be expected to read all assigned reading materials in preparation for class discussion. Other than the required book list, readings will be available for online access via CU Learn. Otherwise, a URL hyperlink is provided in the syllabus. Students are expected to read the full article unless page numbers are provided.

**Required Book List:** (Required books are highlighted in **bold** in the syllabus below.)

- Collier, Paul, ***The Bottom Billion: Why the Poorest Countries are Failing and What Can Be Done About It.*** (New York: Oxford University Press, 2007).
- Nordstrom, Carolyn, ***Global Outlaws: Crime, Money, and Power in the Contemporary World.*** (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 2007).
- O'Neill, Bard, ***Insurgency & Terrorism: From Revolution to Apocalypse*** (Washington, DC: Potomac Books, 2005).
- Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. ***International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues, 9<sup>th</sup> Edition.*** (New York: Pearson Longman, 2009).
- Roberts, Paul, ***The End of Oil: On the Edge of a Perilous New World,*** (New York: Houghton Mifflin, 2005).
- Sachs, Jeffrey, ***The End of Poverty: Economic Possibilities for Our Time, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition.*** (New York: Penguin Books, 2005).
- Zakaria, Fareed, ***The Post American World.*** (New York: W.W. Norton & Company, 2008).

**Papers:**

*Theory Paper:* Students will write a 5-7 page paper applying a particular international relations theory of the student's choice to a contemporary trend in the current international political system. For example, how would realism characterize and contextualize China's economic and military rise in the last 25 years? Or, how would institutionalists explain the growth of transnational human rights networks who advocate for greater corporate responsibility on human rights issues? Students are encouraged to think creatively and identify gaps or shortcomings in a particular international relations theory and to propose alternative ideas which better explain the trend or phenomena. Formal citation is required.

*Final Paper:* Students will write a **minimum 20 page** (or longer if needed) research paper on a contemporary international security issue of the student's choice. The paper will include a central thesis and overview, an historical contextualization of the issue, a brief review of the current scholarship on the issue, an analysis of the contemporary challenges or threats under debate in the paper, and possible policy, legal, or organizational solutions to the problem. Research topics are **not confined** to issues we discuss in class. Students are encouraged to research and craft a thesis that is narrowly focused and novel in the field.

*Paper Formatting:* For each paper, students are required to use 12 point Times New Roman Font, 1 inch margins, with double spacing. Students are permitted to use either the American Political Science Association or the Chicago Manual of Style Humanities systems of citation.

**Academic Dishonesty:** Breaches of academic honesty, to include cheating, plagiarism, and the unauthorized possession of examinations, papers, or other class materials will not be tolerated and will be immediately reported to the university's Honor Code. See CU Boulder's Academic Integrity Policy at: <http://www.colorado.edu/policies/acadinteg.html>.

**Course Outline and Readings:**

**Week 1**            **January 14**            ***Introductions and Course Overview***

**Week 2**            **January 21**            ***Theory of Post Cold War International Relations***

***Overview***

**Robert Art and Robert Jervis, "Introduction: Anarchy and Its Consequences" in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, pp. 1-6.**

Walt, Stephen, "International Relations: One World, Many Theories," *Foreign Policy*, No. 110 (Spring, 1998).

***Neo-Liberalism***

**Doyle, Michael, "Kant, Liberal Legacies and Foreign Affairs," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 83-95.**

Tickner, J. Ann, "A Critique of Morgenthau's Principles of Political Realism," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 15-25.

#### ***Realism and its Progeny***

Kennan, George, "Morality and Foreign Policy," in *Foreign Affairs*, (Winter, 1985), pp. 205-18.

Mearsheimer, John, "Anarchy and the Struggle for Power," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 50-60.

Morgenthau, Hans, "Six Principles of Political Realism," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 7-14.

Waltz, Kenneth, "The Anarchic Structure of World Politics," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 29-32; 34-37.

#### ***Constructivism***

Wendt, Alexander, "Anarchy is What States Make of It," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 61-67.

Week 3                      January 28                      *International Law, Institutions, and Organizations*

#### ***International Laws and Norms***

Henry Steiner and Philip Alston, eds., "International Law Concepts and Doctrine Relevant to the Human Rights Movement," in *International Human Rights in Context*. (New York: Oxford University Press, 1996), pp. 26-39; (39-57 recommended).

Hoffman, Stanley, "The Uses and Limits of International Law," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 114-18.

Kenneth Abbott, Robert Keohane, Andrew Moravcsik, Anne-Marie Slaughter, "The Concept of Legalization," *International Organization*, Vol. 54, No. 3 (Summer, 2000), pp. 401-19.

Ratner, Stephen, "International Law: The Trials of Global Norms," in *Foreign Policy*, (Spring, 1998), pp. 65-80.

### ***Institutions***

Etzioni, Amiti, "Tomorrow's Institution Today," *Foreign Affairs* (May-June 2009).

**Keohane, Robert, "International Institutions: Can Interdependence Work?" in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 119-26.**

**Roberts, Adam, "The U.N. and International Security," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 539-47.**

**Slaughter, Anne-Marie, "Government Networks and Global Governance," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 577-86.**

### **Week 4**

**February 4**

***Twenty First Century Great Power Politics***

#### ***U.S. Foreign Policy***

Gelb, Leslie, "Necessity, Choice, and Common Sense," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-Jun., 2009).

Joffe, Joseph, "The Default Power," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2009).

Remarks by the President at the Acceptance of the Nobel Peace Prize, Oslo, Norway, Office of the Press Secretary, The White House, Dec. 10, 2009.

Stephen Brooks and William Wohlforth, "Reshaping the World Order," *Foreign Affairs*, (Mar.-Apr. 2009).

Wolfowitz, Paul, "Think Again: Realism," *Foreign Policy*, (Sep.-Oct, 2009).

#### ***Multi-Polar Spheres of Influence***

Haas, Richard, "The Age of Nonpolarity," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-Jun., 2008).

**Ikenberry, G. John, "Rising Powers and Global Institutions," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 560-66.**

**Ivo Daalder and James Lindsay, "Democracies of the World, Unite," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 567-76.**

Zakaria, Fareed, *The Post American World*. (New York: W.W. Norton & Company, 2008), pp. xi-48; 104-108; 114-128; 133-145; 156-66; 231-259.

***Recommended***

Layne, Christopher, "The Waning of U.S. Hegemony-Myth or Reality," *International Security*, Vol. 34, No. 1 (Summer 2009), pp. 147-72.

Walt, Stephen, "Taming American Power," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep. – Oct., 2005).

**Week 5**

**February 11**

***Understanding and Responding to the Threat of Terrorism***

**\*\*Theory Paper Due\*\***

***Overview***

Abrahms, Max, "Why Terrorism Does Not Work," *International Security*, Vol. 31, No. 2, Fall 2006, pp. 42-57; 75-78.

**Hoffman, Bruce, "What is Terrorism," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 174-180.**

***The Terrorist Threat***

Kohlmann, Evan, "The Real Online Terrorist Threat," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2006).

Mette Eilstrup-Sangiovanni and Calvert Jones, "Assessing the Dangers of Illicit Networks," *International Security*, Vol. 33, No. 2 (Fall, 2008), pp. 33-43.

**Pape, Robert, "The Strategic Logic of Suicide Terrorism," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds. pp. 198-215.**

"The Growing, and Mysterious, Irrelevance of Al Qaeda," *The Economist*, Jan. 22, 2009.

"Winning or Losing?: A Special Report on Al Qaeda," *The Economist*, July 18, 2008.

Wright, Lawrence, "The Rebellion Within," *The New Yorker*, June 2, 2008.

***Strategic Responses to Terrorism***

Frank Cilluffo and Daniel Kimmage, "How to Beat Al Qaeda At Its Own Game," *Foreign Policy*, (April, 2009).

Gause, Gregory F., "Can Democracy Stop Terrorism," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep. – Oct., 2005), pp. 62-76).

Stern, Jessica, "Mind Over Martyr: How To Deradicalize Islamic Extremists," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2010).

**Recommended**

"Are We Safe Yet? A Roundtable Symposium," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2006)

*Fighting Terrorism Fairly and Effectively: Recommendations for President-Elect Barack Obama*, Human Rights Watch, No. 1, (Nov., 2008).

Gordon, Phillip, "Can the War on Terror Be Won?," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2007).

Levi, Michael, "Stopping Nuclear Terrorism," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2008).

**Week 6**

**February 18**

***Countering Insurgencies in South Asia***

**Overview**

**O'Neill, Bard, *Insurgency & Terrorism: From Revolution to Apocalypse* (Washington, DC: Potomac Books, 2005), pp. 1-12 (skim); 19-29; 45-67(skim); 98-110; 139-142; 177-191.**

Paley, Amit, "Iraqis Joining Insurgency Less for Cause Than Cash," *Washington Post*, Nov. 20, 2007.

***Afghanistan and Pakistan***

Barnett Rubin and Ahmed Rashid, "From Great Game to Grand Bargain," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2008).

Fotini Christia and Michael Semple, "Flipping the Taliban," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug. 2009).

Gall, Carlotta, "Afghans Answering the Call to Fight," *New York Times*, Jan. 3, 2010.

Jones, Seth, "The Rise of Afghanistan's Insurgency," *International Security*, Vol. 32, No. 4 (Summer, 2008), pp. 7-37.

Kahl, Colin, "COIN of the Realm," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2007).

Mullick, Haider Ali Hussein, "Lions and Jackals: Pakistan's Emerging Counterinsurgency Strategy," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug., 2009).

Nathaniel Fick and John Nagl, "Counterinsurgency Field Manual Afghanistan Edition," *Foreign Policy*, (Jan.-Feb., 2009).

"Reflecting on the Taliban," *The Economist*, March 28, 2009.

Remarks by the President in Address to the Nation on the Way Forward in Afghanistan and Pakistan, Office of the Press Secretary, The White House, Dec. 1, 2009, <http://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/remarks-president-address-nation-way-forward-afghanistan-and-pakistan>

Stewart, Rory, "Afghanistan: What Could Work," *The New York Review of Books*, Vol. 57, No. 1, Jan. 14, 2010.

### ***Recommended***

Byman, Daniel, "Friends Like These: Counterinsurgency and the War on Terrorism," *International Security*, Vol. 31, No. 2 (Fall, 2006), pp. 80-100.

Simon, Steven, "Can the Right War be Won?: Defining American Interests in Afghanistan," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug. 2009).

## **Week 7**

**February 25**

### ***Combating Radical Ideologies***

**\*\*Final Paper Proposal Due\*\***

#### ***Overview and Theory***

*Arab Human Development Report: Challenges to Human Security in Arab Countries*, United Nations Development Programme, 2009; 1-16; 189-207 (Skim other areas of interest).

Lewis, Bernard, "Freedom and Justice in the Middle East," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-Jun., 2005).

"Waking From Its Sleep: A Survey of the Arab World," *The Economist*, July 25, 2009.

Toft, Monica Duffy, "Getting Religion: The Puzzling Case of Islam and Civil War," *International Security*, Vol. 31, No. 4 (Spring 2007), pp. 97-98; 107-116; 128-131.

#### ***Strategic Responses***

Blair, Tony, "A Battle for Global Values," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2007).

Jones, Toby, "Saudi Arabia's Silent Spring," *Foreign Policy*, Feb., 2009.

"Obama and Islam," *The Economist*, June 6, 2009.

*Remarks of President Barack Obama*, Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt, June 4, 2009, available at:

[http://www.nytimes.com/2009/06/04/us/politics/04obama.text.html?\\_r=1&pagewanted=print](http://www.nytimes.com/2009/06/04/us/politics/04obama.text.html?_r=1&pagewanted=print)

Scott Carpenter and Soner Cagaptay, "What Muslim World," *Foreign Policy*, June, 2009.

***Empowering the Moderates***

Baran, Zeyno, "Fighting the War of Ideas," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2005).

Evans, Alexander, "Understanding Madrassahs," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2006).

Friedman, Thomas, "Green Shoots in Palestine," *New York Times*, August 5, 2009.

*Remarks of Palestinian Prime Minister Salam Fayyad*, Third Annual Gala of the American Taskforce on Palestine, 2008. (Skim)

Robert Leiken and Steven Brooke, "The Moderate Muslim Brotherhood," *Foreign Affairs*, (Mar.-Apr., 2007).

Testimony of Steven Emerson, Director, Investigative Project, *Report on the Roots of Violent Islamist Extremism and Efforts to Counter it – The Muslim Brotherhood*, Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, July 10, 2008.

***Recommended***

Cook, Steven, "Adrift on the Nile," *Foreign Affairs*, (Mar.-Apr., 2009).

**Week 8**

**March 4**

***Extreme Poverty and Failed Governance***

***Overview***

**Collier, Paul, *The Bottom Billion: Why the Poorest Countries are Failing and What Can Be Done About It*. (New York: Oxford University Press, 2007), pp. 1-22; 38-45; 58-63; 64-75; 157-92; 79-99.**

Faris, Stephan, "The Last Straw," *Foreign Policy*, Aug. 13, 2009.

"Fixing a Broken World," *The Economist*, Jan. 29, 2009.

**Sachs, Jeffrey, *The End of Poverty: Economic Possibilities for Our Time*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. (New York: Penguin Books, 2005), pp. 1-25; 64-73; 188-209; 226-38; 242-64; 296-308; 306-28.**

***Strategic Responses to Extreme Poverty***

Bhagwati, Jagdish, "Banned Aid: Why International Assistance Does Not Alleviate Poverty," *Foreign Affairs*, Jan-Feb, 2010.

Catherine Berini and Dan Glickman, "Farm Futures," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-Jun., 2009).

Kapstein, Evan, "Africa's Capitalist Revolution," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug., 2009).

Nancy Birdsall, Dani Rodrick, and Arvind Subramanian, "How to Help Poor Countries," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug., 2005).

Rice, Andrew, "Is There Such a Thing as Agro-Imperialism?" *New York Times*, Nov. 22, 2009.

Victor, David, "Recovering Sustainable Development," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2006).

### ***Stabilizing Weak States***

Stephen Krasner and Carlos Pascual, "Addressing State Failure," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug., 2005).

Stuart Eizenstat, John Porter, and Jeremy Weinstein, "Rebuilding Weak States," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2005).

### ***Recommended***

2009 Failed States Index, *Foreign Policy*, available at:

[http://www.foreignpolicy.com/articles/2009/06/22/the\\_2009\\_failed\\_states\\_index](http://www.foreignpolicy.com/articles/2009/06/22/the_2009_failed_states_index)

(Please read all articles on featured site).

Clemens, Michael, "Smart Samaritans," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2007).

Collier, Paul, "The Politics of Hunger," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2008).

Pierre Englebort and Denis Tull, "Post Conflict Reconstruction in Africa," *International Security*, Vol. 32, No. 4 (Spring, 2008), pp. 106-18; 128-32; 134-39.

**Week 9                      March 11                      *Mid Term Exam and Policy Symposium***

**Week 10                     March 18                     *Transnational Crime and Illicit Financial Networks***

### ***Overview***

Naim, Moises, "Five Wars of Globalization," *Foreign Policy*, (Jan.-Feb., 2003), available at: [http://www.foreignpolicy.com/story/cms.php?story\\_id=2&print=1](http://www.foreignpolicy.com/story/cms.php?story_id=2&print=1)

**Nordstrom, Carolyn, *Global Outlaws: Crime, Money, and Power in the Contemporary World*. (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 2007), pp. xv.-24; 47-55; 57-67; 59-72; 89-102; 119-122; 149-55; 167-79; 205-08.**

**Williams, Phil, "Transnational Organized Crime and the State," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 491-503.**

### ***Narcotics Trafficking***

"A Toker's Guide," *The Economist*, March 5, 2009. (See Economist Drug Trade Articles on CU Learn)

"Failed States and Failed Policies: How to Stop the Drug Wars," *The Economist*, March 5, 2009. (See Economist Drug Trade Articles on CU Learn)

Castaneda, Jorge, "What's Spanish for Quagmire?" *Foreign Policy*, Jan.-Feb., 2010.

"On the Trail of Traffickers," *The Economist*, March 5, 2009. (See Economist Drug Trade Articles on CU Learn)

### ***Corruption and Money Laundering***

Ben W. Heineman, Jr. and Fritz Heimann, "The Long War Against Corruption," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-June, 2006).

Raymond Baker and Eva Joly, "Evil Money: Can It Be Stopped,?" *New York Review of Books*, Dec. 3, 2009.

Raymond Fishman and Edward Miguel, "How Economics Can Defeat Corruption," *Foreign Policy*, (Sep.-Oct., 2008).

### ***Terrorist and Proliferation Finance***

Goldberg, Jeffrey, "In the Party of God: Hezbollah Sets up Operations in South America and the United States," *The New Yorker*, Oct. 28, 2002, available at:  
[http://www.newyorker.com/archive/2002/10/28/021028fa\\_fact2?printable=true](http://www.newyorker.com/archive/2002/10/28/021028fa_fact2?printable=true)

Liddick, Donald, *The Global Underworld: Transnational Crime and the United States* (Wesport, CT: Praeger, 2004), pp. 45-57; 1-36 (skim).

Loeffler, Rachel, "Bank Shots," *Foreign Affairs*, (April/May, 2009).

Matthew Levitt and Michael Jacobsen, *The Money Trail: Finding, Following, and Freezing Terrorist Assets*, Washington Institute for Near East Policy, Policy Focus No. 89, pp. 1-18.

### ***Recommended***

Montgomery, Alexander, "Ring in Proliferation: How to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb Network," *International Security*, Vol. 30, No. 2 (Fall 2005), pp. 153-63; 169-87.

National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Against the United States, *Monograph on Terrorist Financing*, 2004; pp. 2-29; 131-44.

Testimony of Stuart Levey, Under Secretary for Terrorism and Financial Intelligence, U.S. Department of the Treasury, U.S. Senate Banking Committee, April 1, 2008, available at: <http://www.treas.gov/press/releases/hp898.htm>

*Transnational Organized Crime: Principal Threats and U.S. Responses*, Congressional Research Service, March 20, 2006.

**Week 12                      April 1                                      *The Global Financial Crisis***

**\*\*Final Paper Rough Drafts Due\*\***

Altman, Roger, "Globalization in Retreat," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jul.-Aug., 2009).

Bergsten, Fred, "The Dollar and the Deficits," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2009).

"Bubble Warning," *The Economist*, Jan. 7, 2010.

"Greed and Fear: Special Report on the Future of Finance," *The Economist*, Jan. 24, 2009.

James, Harold, "The Making of a Mess," *Foreign Affairs*, Jan.-Feb, 2009.

Johnson, Simon, "The Quiet Coup," *The Atlantic Monthly*, May, 2009.

"The Long Climb: Special Report on the World Economy," *The Economist*, Oct. 3, 2009.

Whitehouse, Mark, "Economists See Crisis Response as Risky," *Wall Street Journal*, Jan. 7, 2010.

**Week 11                      April 8                                      *Environmental and Energy Security***

***Overview***

"Getting Warmer: A Special Report on the Carbon Economy," *The Economist*, Dec. 5, 2009.

**Roberts, Paul, *The End of Oil: On the Edge of a Perilous New World*, (New York: Houghton Mifflin, 2005), pp. 1-15; 91-115; 188-212; 237-258; 307-332.**

**Hardin, Garrett, "The Tragedy of the Commons," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 347-52.**

**Kahl, Colin, "Demography, Environment, and Civil Strife," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 353-361.**

Kurtzman, Joel, "The Low-Carbon Diet," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep-Oct., 2009).

### ***Climate Change***

Carter Bales and Richard Duke, "Containing Climate Change," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2008).

Jessica Seddon Wallack and Veerabhadran Ramanathan, "The Other Climate Changers," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2009).

Levi, Michael, "Copenhagen's Inconvenient Truth," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct. 2009).

**Viktor, David, "International Cooperation on Climate Change: Numbers, Interests, and Institutions," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 364-71.**

### ***Alternative Energies***

C. Ford Runge and Benjamin Senauer, "How Biofuels Could Starve the Poor," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-Jun., 2007).

Grunwald, Michael, "Seven Myths About Alternative Energy," *Foreign Policy*, (Sep-Oct., 2009).

### ***Energy Security***

David Vikor and Linda Yueh, "The New Energy Order," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2010).

*International Energy Outlook 2009*, Energy Information Agency, available at:  
<http://www.eia.doe.gov/oiaf/ieo/highlights.html>

and

<http://www.eia.doe.gov/neic/speeches/howard052709.pdf>

Kurtzman, Joel, "The Low-Carbon Diet," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2009).

Yergin, Daniel, "Ensuring Energy Security," *Foreign Affairs*, (Mar.-Apr. 2006).

### ***Recommended***

David Victor and M. Granger Morgan, et. al, "The Geoengineering Option," *Foreign Affairs*, (Mar.-Apr., 2009).

Economy, Elizabeth, "The Great Leap Backward?," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2007).

*Fighting Climate Change: Human Solidarity in a Divided World*, Executive Summary, United Nations Development Programme, 2007-08. (Read only executive summary).

Mallaby, Sebastian, "What Energy Security Really Means," *Washington Post*, Jul. 3, 2006.

"More Help Now, Please," *The Economist*, November 19, 2008.

**Mankiw, Gregory, "One Answer to Global Warming: A New Tax," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 372-74.**

McNeill, J.R., "Diamond in the Rough: Is There a Genuine Environmental Threat to Security?," *International Security*, Vol. 30, No. 1 (Summer 2005).

**Week 13      April 15      *The Challenge of Human Rights***

***Overview***

**Annan, Kofi, "Reflections on Intervention," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp.517-22.**

"Drawing Lines in a Dark Place," *The Economist*, Aug. 14, 2008.

Frank, Thomas, "Are Human Rights Universal?," *Foreign Affairs*, (Jan.-Feb., 2001).

**Kritz, Neil, "The Dilemmas of Transitional Justice," in *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, Robert Art and Robert Jervis, eds., pp. 529-37.**

Roth, Kenneth, "The Case for Universal Jurisdiction," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2001).

***Women's Rights***

Coleman, Isobel, "Payoff from Women's Rights," *Foreign Affairs*, (May-Jun., 2004).

Nicholas Kristof and Sheryl Wudunn, "Saving the World's Women," *New York Times*, Aug. 17, 2009, <http://www.nytimes.com/2009/08/23/magazine/23Women-t.html#>

***Humanitarian Crises***

Gareth Evans and Mohamed Sahnoun, "The Responsibility to Protect," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2002).

Guterres, Antonio, "Millions Uprooted," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2008).

Hitchens, Christopher, "The Case for Humanitarian Intervention," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2008).

### ***Human Trafficking***

Kapstein, Ethan, "The New Global Slave Trade," *Foreign Affairs*, (Nov.-Dec., 2006).

Miko, Francis, "International Human Trafficking," in *Transnational Threats: Smuggling and Trafficking in Arms, Drugs, and Human Life*, Thachuk, Kimberley, ed., pp. 36-50.

### ***Corporate Responsibility***

Kapstein, Ethan, "The Corporate Ethics Crusade," *Foreign Affairs*, (Sep.-Oct., 2001).

*On the Margins of Profit*, Human Rights Watch, Vol. 20, No. 3G, February, 2008, pp. 1-6; 48-51; skim 7-47.

### ***Recommended***

Adamson, Fiona, "Crossing Borders: Migration and International Security," *International Organization*, Vol. 31; pp. No. 1 (Summer, 2006), pp. 165-179; 181-85; 191-94.

Shelley, Louise, "The Rise and Diversification of Human Smuggling and Trafficking into the United States," in *Transnational Threats: Smuggling and Trafficking in Arms, Drugs, and Human Life*, Thachuk, Kimberley, ed., pp. 194-207.

"The ICC: Braced for the Aftershock," *The Economist*, March 5, 2009.

**Week 14      April 22      Presentations**

**\*\*Final Papers Due\*\***

**Week 15      April 29      Presentations**

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