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Course Title : American Foreign Policy

Course Description

This course examines America's role in International Politics. It provides an overview of the theoretical underpinnings of foreign policy. It conceptualizes American foreign policy through the lens of ideas relating to exceptionalism, power and national interests. It then delves into the internal dynamics that seek to influence American foreign policy and consequently examines the role of domestic variables including leadership, institutions, public opinion and the media. It also veers into more contemporary themes linked to US security interests. These include terrorism, nuclear weapons and technology. The latter theme is examined through the lens of cyber security. American foreign policy in relation to key actors in Asia such as India and China will also be a key focus as the US seeks to assert its interests in the global environment.

Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, students should be able to:

1. Demonstrate a critical understanding of the main areas of study linked to American Foreign Policy
2. Assess competing claims and make informed judgments about current and complex issues relating to American Foreign Policy
3. Demonstrate their ability to present form coherent, cohesive and balance arguments surrounding historical and contemporary issues pertinent to American Foreign Policy
4. Employ a range of research skills to plan and execute a research project on a specific aspect of American Foreign Policy

Practical Learning Skills

1. Critically analyse and assess ideas, both orally and in writing, with respect to concepts, theories, issues in American Foreign Policy
2. Develop students ability to present in written and verbal forms, coherent and balanced arguments in analysing contemporary issues in American Foreign Policy
3. Reinforce IT skills for research purposes through the use of the library and other web-based resources.
4. Enhance the ability to work as part of a team as well as independently

Students are strongly encouraged to read the university guidelines on plagiarism with regards to any written work.

Course Assessment

Presentation - 30%
Midterm Essay - 40%
Final exam- 30%

P.S. In consultation with the lecturer, students may present an independent research paper on an issue of their choice which is centered on American Foreign Policy in lieu of the mid-term essay. The research paper is worth 40%. The format of the paper will be discussed with students. Should students opt for such an option, they are expected to settle on their topic by end of week 3.

Course Summary

Topic I: Theoretical Foundations of Foreign Policy

Week 1: Realism Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis

Week 2: Liberalism Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis

Week 3: Constructivism Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis

Topic II: Conceptualising American Foreign Policy

Week 4: Conceptualising American Foreign Policy: Power, National Interests and Ideas of Exceptionalism

Topic III: Domestic Determinants of American foreign Policy: Leadership, Institutions, Media and Public Opinion

Week 5: Leadership

Week 6: US State Department

Week 7: US Congress

Week 8: Media and Public Opinion

Week 9: Revision of Topic I, II, III

Topic IV: Security Issues and US Foreign Policy

Week 10: Nuclear weapons

Week 11: Terrorism

Week 12: Cyber Security

Topic V: US Security and Asia

Week 13: United States and India

Week 14: United States and China

Week 15: Revision of Topic IV and V

TOPIC I: THEORETICAL FOUNDATIONS OF FOREIGN POLICY

Week 1: Realism Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis

Required Readings

Steve Smith, Amelia Hadfield, and Tim Dunne (2016), "Introduction," in Steve Smith, Amelia Hadfield, and Tim Dunne (eds.) *Foreign Policy: Theories, Actors, Cases*, Oxford, Oxford University Press, p.1-6.

Alden, Chris, and Amnon Aran (2016), "Foreign Policy Analysis - An Overview," in *Foreign Policy Analysis: New Approaches*. Taylor & Francis p. 1-18.

Morin, Jean-Frédéric and Paquin, Jonathan (2018). "What is foreign Policy Analysis?" in *Foreign Policy Analysis: A Toolbox*. Springer, p. 1-15.

Zakaria, Fareed (1992) "Realism and Domestic Politics." *International Security* 17 (1): 177-198.

Nye Jr, Joseph S (1999), "Redefining the National Interest," *Foreign Affairs* 78 (4) : 22-35.

Pham, J. Peter (2008), "What is in the National Interest? Hans Morgenthau's Realist Vision and American Foreign Policy," *American Foreign Policy Interests* 30 (5): 256-265.

Recommended Readings

Breuning Marijke (2007), "Where to Look for Explanations," in *Foreign Policy Analysis: A Comparative Introduction*, p.9-16.

Garrison, Jean A (2003), "Foreign Policy Analysis in 20/20: a symposium," *International Studies Review* 5 (2): 155-202.

Barkin Samuel (2009), "Realism, Prediction, and Foreign Policy," *Foreign Policy Analysis* 5 (3): 233-246.

Morgenthau, Hans (1950), "The Mainsprings of American Foreign Policy: The National Interest vs. Moral Abstractions," *American Political Science Review* 44 (4): 833-854.

Krasner Stephen D. (1978), *Defending the National Interest*. Princeton, Princeton University Press. p.35- 42

Week 2: Liberalism Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis

Required Readings

Burchill (2013) 'Liberalism', in Burchill, Linklater, Devetak, Donnelly et al., *Theories of International Relations*, 5th ed. Palgrave Macmillan, New York, p.57-85

Doyle Michael (2016), "Liberalism and Foreign policy" in Smith, S., A. Hadfield and T. Dunne, *Foreign Policy: Theories, Actors, Cases*. Oxford, Oxford University Press (2016). 3rd edition.

Moravcsik, Andrew, (2008), "The New Liberalism," The Oxford Handbook of Political Science, 2008
Keohane (1998), 'International Institutions: Can Interdependence Work?', Foreign Policy, 110, Special Edition, 82-96.

Fearon, James D. "Domestic Politics, Foreign Policy, and Theories of International Relations," Annual Review of Political Science 1.1 (1998): 289-313.

Chaudoin, S., Milner, H.V. and Ringley, D., 2018. "Down but Not Out: A Liberal International American Foreign Policy." In Chaos in the Liberal Order: The Trump presidency and international politics in the twenty-first century (pp. 61-97). Columbia University Press.

Recommended Readings

Kaarbo, Juliet. "A foreign policy analysis perspective on the domestic politics turn in IR theory." International Studies Review 17.2 (2015): 189-216.

Doyle Michael (1983), 'Kant, liberal legacies and foreign affairs', parts 1 and 2, Philosophy and Public Affairs 12:3 and 4, pp. 205-35 and 323-53.

Risse-Kappen, Thomas. "Public opinion, domestic structure, and foreign policy in liberal democracies." World politics 43.4 (1991): 479-512.

Ikenberry John, (2017) 'The Plot Against American Foreign Policy: Can the Liberal Order Survive?', Foreign Affairs, May-June, 96:2,

Chaudoin, Stephen, Helen V. Milner, and Dustin H. Tingley, (2010), "The Center Still Holds: Liberal Internationalism Survives." International Security 35 (1):75-94.

Week 3: Constructivism Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis

Required Readings

Adler, Emanuel (1997), "Seizing The Middle Ground: Constructivism in world politics." European Journal of International Relations 3 (3): 319-363.

Flockart Trine (2016), "Constructivism and Foreign Policy" in Smith, Steve, Amelia Hadfield, and Tim Dunne. Foreign policy: theories, actors, cases. Oxford University Press, p. 54-78.

Kubáľková, Vendulka. "Foreign Policy, International Politics, and Constructivism," (2001) in Foreign Policy in a Constructed World, ME Sharpe, p.15-37.

J. Goldstein and R. Keohane (1994), Ideas and Foreign Policy, Ithaca, NY: Cornell UP, p.3-31.

Rosati Jerel (1995), "A Cognitive Approach to the Study of Foreign Policy" in Neack, Hey & Haney (eds.) Foreign Policy Analysis: Continuity and Change in it's Second Generation. Prentice Hall Inc. p.49-70.

Lakoff George (1991) "Metaphor and War: The Metaphor System Used to Justify War in the Gulf," Peace Research, May Vol. 23, No. 2/3, p. 25-32.

Doty, Roxanne (1993) "Foreign Policy as Social Construction: A post-positivist analysis of US counterinsurgency policy in the Philippines", International Studies Quarterly 37(3): 297-320

Recommended Readings

Alexander Wendt (1992), "Anarchy Is What States Make of It: The Social Construction of Power Politics," International Organization, Spring, 46 (2): 391-425.

Kubáľková, Vendulka. "Foreign Policy, International Politics, and Constructivism," (2001) in Foreign Policy in a Constructed World, ME Sharpe, p.15-37.

Kowert, Paul A (2001), "Toward a Constructivist Theory of Foreign Policy," in Kubáľková, V.(ed) Foreign Policy in a Constructed World, ME Sharpe, p.266-287.

TOPIC II: CONCEPTUALISING AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY

Week 4: Conceptualising American Foreign Policy: Power, National Interests and Ideas of Exceptionalism

Required Readings

Mead, Walter Russell 2009. "The American Foreign Policy Tradition", in *Special Providence: American Foreign Policy and How It Changed the World*. New York, NY: Routledge, 3-29

Morgenthau, Hans J 1950. "The mainsprings of American foreign policy: the national interest vs. moral abstractions." *The American Political Science Review* 44 (4): 833-854.

Rosen, S. 2003. An Empire, If You Can Keep It. *The National Interest*, (71), 51-61

Lake, David A 2008. "The New American Empire?" *International Studies Perspectives* 9 (3): 281-289

Drezner, D. W. 2011. "Does Obama Have a Grand Strategy: Why We Need Doctrines in Uncertain Times." *Foreign Affairs*, 90, 57.

Holsti, K. J. 2011. "Exceptionalism in American Foreign Policy: Is It Exceptional?" *European Journal of International Relations* 17(3): 381-404.

Anatol Lieven 2012. "Introduction" and Chapter 1 "An Exceptional Nationalism?", *America Right or Wrong: An Anatomy of American Nationalism*. Second Edition. Oxford University Press p.1-15 and p.16-46.

Hook, S.W., 2015. *US foreign policy: the paradox of world power*. Cq Press. p. 2-30

Recommended Readings

Paterson, Thomas G., J. Garry Clifford, Robert Brigham, et al 2014. "Millennial America: Foreign Relations Since 2001," *American Foreign Relations: A History*, Volume 2: Since 1895. 8th edition. Wadsworth Publishing, p.505-546.

Brooks, Stephen, G. John Ikenberry, and William C. Wohlforth. 2013. "Lean Forward: In Defense of American Engagement." *Foreign Affairs*, January/ February

Nye, Joseph S 2010. "The Future of American Power: Dominance and Decline in Perspective". *Foreign Affairs*, 89 (6):2-12.

Layne, Wohlforth and Brooks 2018. "US Decline or Primacy? A Debate," in Cox, Michael and Stokes, Doug (eds.), *US Foreign Policy 3rd Edition*, Oxford, Oxford University Press, p.397-414

TOPIC III: DOMESTIC DETERMINANTS OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY: LEADERSHIP, INSTITUTIONS, MEDIA, PUBLIC OPINION

Week 5: Leadership

Breuning, Marijke (2007), "How Leaders Make Sense of the World" in *Foreign Policy Analysis: A Comparative Introduction*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, p.53-84.

Hodge, C.C. and Nolan, C.J. eds., 2006. "Introduction", *US presidents and foreign policy: From 1789 to the present*. Bloomsbury Publishing USA, p.vii-viii

Mitchell, D., (2005), "Centralizing advisory systems: Presidential influence and the US foreign policy decision-making process," *Foreign Policy Analysis*, 1(2):181-206.

Aberbach, J.D. and Rockman, B.A., 2004. "The president and the bureaucracy in the United States" In *The evolution of political knowledge: Theory and inquiry in American politics*, pp.203-31.

Fisher, Louis. *Presidential War Power*. Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2004, p.1-16

Nye, J.S., 2020. "Introduction American Moralism," *Do morals matter?: Presidents and foreign policy from FDR to Trump*. Oxford University Press, USA.

Pfiffner, J.P., 2011. "Decision Making in the Obama White House." *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, 41(2), pp.244-262.
<https://citeseerx.ist.psu.edu/document?repid=rep1&type=pdf&doi=158f88cd7a316b987741710ef01252cb0ed3173e>

Drezner, D.W., 2020. "Immature leadership: Donald Trump and the American presidency." *International Affairs*, 96(2), pp.383-400 (See Google Scholar for a copy)

Porter, P., 2018. "Why America's grand strategy has not changed: Power, habit, and the US Foreign policy establishment." *International Security*, 42(4), pp.9-46. (See Google Scholar for a copy).

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Breuning, Marijke 2007. "Do Leaders Shape Foreign Policy?" in *Foreign Policy Analysis: A Comparative Introduction*, New York, Palgrave Macmillan, Ch. 2, 27-52.

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Leffler, M.P., 2004. "Bush's foreign policy." *Foreign Policy*, pp.22-28.

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Nye, J.S., 2020. "What is a Moral Foreign Policy," In *Do morals matter?: Presidents and foreign policy from FDR to Trump*. Oxford University Press, USA. p.12-42

William G. Howell and Jon Pevehouse. 2007. *While Dangers Gather: Congressional Checks on Presidential War Powers*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press. p. 3–32.

Patrick Hulme. 2023. "A Not-So-Imperial Presidency." *Lawfare* (March 9, 2023)

Week 6: US State Department

Rosati & Scott – "Understanding Bureaucracy: The State Department at Home and Abroad," in *The politics of United States foreign policy*. CQ Press 130-159.

Lindsay, James M. 2002. "Getting Uncle Sam's Ear." *Brookings Review* 20.
http://www.cfr.org/publication/6429/getting_uncle_sams_ear.html

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Clarke, Duncan. 1987. "Why State Can't Lead." *Foreign Policy* (Spring): 128-142.

Kopp, Harry and Charles Gillespie. 2008. *Career Diplomacy: Life and Work in the U.S. Foreign Service*, Washington DC: Georgetown University Press, pp. 10-50.

Recommended Readings

Thomas L. Friedman. 2009. "Super (Sub) Secretaries." *The New York Times*, Mar. 1
<https://www.nytimes.com/2009/03/01/opinion/01friedman.html>

Pevehouse, J.C. and Vabulas, F., 2019. "Nudging the needle: Foreign lobbies and us human rights ratings." *International Studies Quarterly*, 63 (1), pp.85-98.

Schaefer, B.D., 2016. "How to Make the State Department More Effective at Implementing US Foreign Policy." *Heritage Foundation Backgrounder*, (3115).

Week 7: US Congress

Required Readings

Scott, J.M. and Rosati, J.A., 2020. "Congress and Inter-branch Politics," in *The politics of United States foreign policy*. CQ Press.

Halperin, M.H. and Clapp, P., 2007. "Congress and Bureaucratic Politics" in *Bureaucratic politics and foreign policy*. Rowman & Littlefield.p.313-344

Ornstein, Norman F. and Thomas E. Mann. 2006. "When Congress Checks Out." *Foreign Affairs*, November/December.

Howell, William G. and Jon C. Pevehouse. 2007. "When Congress Stops Wars: Partisan Politics and Presidential Power." *Foreign Affairs*, September/October.

Jacobs, L. R., & Page, B. I. 2005. "Who influences US foreign policy?" *American Political Science Review*, 99(01), 107-123.

Recommended Readings

Zoellick, R., 1999. "Congress and the making of US foreign policy." *Survival*, 41(4), pp.20-41.

Mike DeBonis. 2015. "Congress Turns Away from Post-9/11 Law, Retooling U.S. Surveillance Powers." *The Washington Post*.

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Charlie Savage. 2011. "Libya Effort is Called Violation of War Act." *The New York Times*, May 26

Pfiffner, J.P., 2011. "Decision Making in the Obama White House. *Presidential Studies Quarterly*," 41(2), pp.244-262. <https://citeseerx.ist.psu.edu/document?repid=rep1&type=pdf&doi=158f88cd7a316b987741710ef01252cb0ed3173e>

Week 8: Media and Public Opinion

Required Readings

Robinson Piers 2016. "The Role of Media and Public Opinion," in Steve Smith, Amelia Hadfield, and Tim Dunne (eds.) *Foreign Policy: Theories, Actors, Cases* (Oxford University Press), p.168-187.

Morin, Jean-Frédéric, and Jonathan Paquin, 2018. "How Influential are Social Actors?" *Foreign Policy Analysis: A Toolbox*. Springer, Ch. 6, p.167-198.

John E. Reilly, ed. 1995. "American Public Opinion and U.S. Foreign Policy 1995" *Chicago Council on Foreign Relations*, pp. 6-12.

Matthew A. Baum and Philip B. K. Potter. 2019. "Media, Public Opinion, and Foreign Policy in the Age of Social Media." *Journal of Politics* 81 (2): 747–756.

Everette E. Dennis, et. al., 1991. "Censorship. The Military and the Media: The Gulf Conflict in Historical Perspective," in *The Media at War: The Press and the Persian Gulf Conflict*, New York, NY: Gannett Foundation Media Center, Columbia University, June, pp. 8-20.

Jentleson, Bruce W. and Rebecca L. Britton, 1998. "Still Pretty Prudent: Post-Cold War American Public Opinion on the Use of Military Force," *The Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 42(4): 395-417.

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Scott, J.M. and Rosati, J.A., 2020. "The Media and the Communications Process" in *The politics of United States foreign policy*. CQ Press.

Jovanovich. Prior, M. 2013. "Media and Political Polarization", *Annual Review of Political Science*, 16, 101-127.

Stroud, N. J. 2010. "Polarization and partisan selective exposure", *Journal of Communication*, 60(3), 556-576.

Alexandra Guisinger and Elizabeth N. Saunders. 2017. "Mapping the Boundaries of Elite Cues: How Elites Shape Mass Opinion Across International Issues." *International Studies Quarterly* 61(2); 425–441.

Steven Kull, Clay Ramsay and Evan Lewis 2003/2004. "Misperceptions, the Media, and the Iraq War," Political Science Quarterly, Winter, 118 (4): 569-98.

Week 9: Revision of Topic I and II

TOPIC IV: SECURITY ISSUES AND AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY

Week 10: Nuclear weapons

Required Readings

June 17, Council on Foreign Relations. 2009. "US nuclear weapons policy," Independent Task Force Report No. 62. New York

Robert McNamara 2005. "Apocalypse soon," Foreign Policy, May-June

James Wirtz and James Russel 2003. "US policy on preventive war and pre-emption," The Non-proliferation Review, Spring.

Woolf, A.F. and Foreign Affairs, Defense, and Trade Division, 2006. February. "Nonstrategic nuclear weapons." Congressional Research Service, the Library of Congress.

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Jo, D.J. and Gartzke, E., 2007. "Determinants of nuclear weapons proliferation." Journal of Conflict Resolution, 51(1), pp.167-194.

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Bell, M.S., 2015. "Beyond emboldenment: How acquiring nuclear weapons can change foreign policy." International Security, 40(1), p.91-100 <https://dspace.mit.edu/bitstream/handle/1721.1/100497/Bell-Beyond%20emboldenment.pdf?sequence=1&isAllowed=y>

Pant, H.V., 2007. "The US–India nuclear deal: The beginning of a beautiful relationship?" Cambridge review of international affairs, 20(3), pp.455-472.

Ward Wilson 2008. "The Myth of Nuclear Deterrence" Nonproliferation Review, 15:3, 421-439, <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/pdf/10.1080/10736700802407101>

Week 11 Terrorism

Leffler, M.P., 2005. "9/11 and American foreign policy." Diplomatic History, 29(3), pp.395-413.

John Mueller, "Six Rather Unusual Propositions About Terrorism," Terrorism and Political Violence, Vol. 17, No. 4 (2005), pp. 487-505.

Robert A. Pape, 2003. "The Strategic Logic of Suicide Terrorism" American Political Science Review, Vol. 97, No. 3 pp. 343-361.

Max Abrahms, 2008. "What Terrorists Really Want: Terrorist Motives and Counterterrorism Strategy," International Security, Vol. 32, No. 4 p. 78-105.

Andrew H. Kydd and Barbara F. Walter 2006. "The Strategies of Terrorism", International Security, Vol. 31, No. 1 p. 49-80.

Malkasian, C., 2021. "The Obama Administration and the Decision to Surge", In The American war in Afghanistan: A history. Oxford University Press. p. 218-240.

Recommended Readings

Pillar, P.R., 2004. "Introduction" in Terrorism and US foreign policy. Rowman & Littlefield.

Scott, C.V., 2009. "Imagining terror in an era of globalization: US foreign policy and the construction of terrorism after 9/11." Perspectives on Politics, 7(3), pp.579-590.

Perl, R. and Perl, R.F. 2001. "Terrorism, the future, and US foreign policy." Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress. September.

Gibbs, D.N., 2020. "Pretexts and US foreign policy: the war on terrorism in historical perspective." In *The Politics of Empire* Routledge. p. 25-53. (see Google Scholar)

Badie, D., 2010. Groupthink, Iraq, and the war on terror: Explaining US policy shift toward Iraq. *Foreign Policy Analysis*, 6(4), pp.277-296.

Recommended Readings

Sagan, S.D. and Valentino, B.A., 2017. "Revisiting Hiroshima in Iran: What Americans really think about using nuclear weapons and killing noncombatants." *International Security*, 42(1), pp.41-79. (See google scholar)

Gavin, F.J., 2015. "Strategies of inhibition: US grand strategy, the nuclear revolution, and nonproliferation." *International Security*, 40(1), pp.9-46.(See google scholar)

Bentley, Michael (2014), "Strategic Taboos: Chemical Weapons and US Foreign Policy", *International Affairs*, 90(5).

Week `12: Cyber Security

Required Readings

Richard Clarke and Robert Knake, 2010. *Cyber War: The Next Threat to National Security and What to Do About It*, New York: HarperCollins, p. iv-32.

Adam Segal, 2016. *The Hacked World Order: How Nations Fight, Trade, Maneuver, and Manipulate in the Digital Age*, New York, p.1-26.

Joseph Nye, 2017. "Deterrence and Dissuasion in Cyberspace," *International Security*, Vol. 41, No. 3 pp. 44-71, http://www.mitpressjournals.org/doi/pdf/10.1162/ISEC_a_00266.

Trautman, Lawrence J. 2015. "Cybersecurity: What about US policy?." U. Ill. JL Tech. & Pol'y 341, p.345-361 (See google scholar for a copy)

Kiggins, R.D., 2013. "US leadership in cyberspace: Transnational cyber security and global governance." In *Cyberspace and international relations: Theory, prospects and challenges*, Springer Berlin Heidelberg. p. 161-180.

*** Guest lecture to be announced**

Recommended Readings

Lilli, E., 2020. "President Obama and US cyber security policy." *Journal of Cyber Policy*, 5 (2), pp.265-284.

White, J., 2016. "Cyber Threats and Cyber Security: National Security Issues, Policy and Strategies." *Global Security Studies*, 7(4).

Iasiello, E., 2013. "Cyber attack: A dull tool to shape foreign policy." 5th International Conference on Cyber Conflict p. 1-18.

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Nye, Joseph S. "Nuclear lessons for cyber security? " *Strategic studies quarterly* 5, no. 4 (2011): 18-38. (See google scholar)

TOPIC V: US Security and Asia

Week 13: US and India relations

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Schaffer, T.C., 2009. *India and the United States in the 21st century: Reinventing partnership* (Vol. 31). CSIS p. 1-17

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Hosur, P., 2010. "The Indo-US Civilian Nuclear Agreement What's the Big Deal?" *International journal*, 65(2), pp.435-448. (See google scholar)

Recommended Readings

Ciorciari, J.D., 2011, January. India's Approach to Great-Power Status. In *The Fletcher Forum of World Affairs* (pp. 61-89). The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy.

Kronstadt, K.A. and Foreign Affairs, Defense, and Trade Division, 2006, April. India-US relations. Congressional Research Service, the Library of Congress. <https://apps.dtic.mil/sti/pdfs/ADA473595.pdf>

Malone, D.M. and Mukherjee, R., 2009. "India-US relations: The shock of the new." *International Journal*, 64(4), pp.1057-1074.

Weiss, L., 2007. "US-India nuclear cooperation: Better later than sooner." *Nonproliferation Review*, 14(3), pp.429-457. (See google scholar)

Week 14: US and China relations

Required Readings

Bergsten, C.F., 2022. "The China Challenge" in *The United States vs. China: The quest for global economic leadership*. John Wiley & Sons.

Nye Jr, J.S., 2020. "Power and interdependence with China." *The Washington Quarterly*, 43(1), pp.7-21.
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Ross, R.S., Tunsjø, Ø. and Wang, D. eds., 2020. "The New US and China Superpower Rivalry," in *US-China foreign relations: power transition and its implications for Europe and Asia*. Routledge.

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