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on the morning of august 13 1961 the residents of east berlin found themselves cut off from family friends and jobs in the west by a tangle of barbed wire that ruthlessly cut a city of four million in two within days the barbed wire entanglement would undergo an extraordinary metamorphosis it became an imposing 103 mile long wall guarded by three hundred watchtowers a physical manifestation of the struggle between soviet communism and american capitalism totalitarianism and freedom that would stand for nearly thirty years the berlin wall was the high risk fault line between east and west on which rested the fate of all humanity many brave people risked their lives to overcome this lethal barrier and some paid the ultimate price in this captivating work sure to be the definitive history on the subject frederick taylor weaves together official history archival materials and personal accounts to tell the complete story of the wall s rise and fall from the postwar political tensions that created a divided berlin to the internal and external pressures that led to the wall s demise in addition he explores the geopolitical ramifications as well as the impact the wall had on ordinary lives that is still felt today for the first time the entire world faced the threat of imminent nuclear apocalypse a fear that would be eased only when the very people the wall had been built to imprison breached it on the historic night of november 9 1989 gripping and authoritative the berlin wall is the first comprehensive account of a divided city and its people in a time when the world seemed to stand permanently on the edge of destruction a great deal of attention continues to focus on berlin's cultural and political landscape after the fall of the berlin wall but as yet no single volume looks at the divided city through an interdisciplinary analysis this volume examines how the city was conceived perceived and represented during the four decades preceding reunification and thereby offers a unique perspective on divided berlin s identities german historians art historians architectural historians and literary and cultural studies scholars explore the divisions and antagonisms that defined east and west berlin and by tracing the little studied similarities and extensive exchanges that occurred despite the presence of the berlin wall they present an indispensible study on the politics and culture of the cold war each topic is very thoroughly documented weaving together historical information and current political debates surrounding memorial sites highly valuable as a chronicle of the politics of memory recommended choice march 2009 using a variety of critical and theoretical approaches the contributing scholars to this collection analyze culturally specific and globally held attitudes about mothers and mothering as represented in world cinema examining films from a range of countries including afghanistan india iran eastern europe canada and the united states the various chapters contextualize the socio cultural realities of motherhood as they are represented on screen and explore the maternal figure as she has been glamorized and celebrated while simultaneously subjected to public scrutiny collectively this scholarly investigation provides insights into where women s struggles converge while also highlighting the dramatically different realities of women around the globe many developing countries have the capacity to develop broad development policy

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sites all around the world today our cultural and natural legacies face significant threats due to social and economic developments political pressures and unresolved historical issues this book delves into these threats from two distinct perspectives internal tensions and external pressures the internal tensions include the disregard for human rights and gender equality the increasing exploitation of heritage for political purposes the development of post colonial perspectives and the necessity to reassess the established notion of universal value external pressures stem from global processes unsustainable tourism political conflicts ethnic clashes and religious strife that are causing destruction in numerous parts of the world examining the dynamics between heritage and these internal tensions and external pressures bandarin offers insights into the challenges faced and emphasises the imperative role of civil society in safeguarding the value of heritage for present and future generations changing heritage explores a wide range of issues surrounding the crisis in heritage management on an international level it will be essential reading for heritage scholars students and professionals how do stories of particular events turn into global myths while others fade away what becomes known and seen as a global iconic event in stories without borders julia sonnevend considers the ways in which we recount and remember news stories of historic significance focusing on journalists covering the fall of the berlin wall and on subsequent retellings of the event in a variety of ways from legoland reenactments to slabs of the berlin wall installed in global cities sonnevend discusses how certain events become built up so that people in many parts of the world remember them for long periods of time she argues that five dimensions determine the viability and longevity of international news events first a foundational narrative must be established with certain preconditions next the established narrative becomes universalized and a mythical message developed this message is then condensed and encapsulated in a simple phrase a short narrative and a recognizable visual scene counter narratives emerge that reinterpret events and in turn facilitate their diffusion across multiple media platforms and changing social and political contexts sonnevend examines these five elements through the developments of november 9 1989 what came to be known as the fall of the berlin wall stories without borders concludes with a discussion of how global iconic events have an enduring effect on individuals and societies pointing out that after common currencies military alliances and international courts have failed stories may be all that we have to bring hope and unity this book on jimi hendrix s life times visual cultural prominence and popular music with a particular emphasis on hendrix s relationships to the cultural politics of race gender sexuality ethnicity class and nation hendrix an itinerant gypsy and voodoo child whose racialized freak visual image continues to internationally circulate exploited the exoticism of his race gender and sexuality and gypsy and voodoo transnational political cultures and religion aaron e lefkovitz argues that hendrix can be located in a legacy of black transnational popular musicians from chuck berry to the hip hop duo outkast confirming while subverting established white supremacist and hetero normative codes and conventions focusing on hendrix s transnational biography and centrality to us and international visual cultural and popular music histories this book links hendrix to traditions of blackface minstrelsy international freak show spectacles black popular music s global circulation and visual cultural racial gender and sexual stereotypes while noting

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documents primary documents are organized chronologically allowing readers to appreciate the ramifications of the cold war within a clear time frame extensive interpretive commentary provides in depth background and context for each document this work is an indispensable reference for all readers seeking to become deeply knowledgeable about the cold war neue deutsche welle ndw or german new wave was made extraordinarily popular in the 1970s and 1980s by the likes of nena s 99 luftballoons and trio s da da and then left as quickly as it came conventional wisdom among artists dictates that it s better to burn out than fade away but this doesn t tell the full story of ndw the reason for its rapid rise and fall the historical context that necessitated the genre and where the energy of the ndw movement went after its end the genre has international influences but still demonstrates a uniquely german desire to build a new sanitized identity in the aftermath of world war ii originally quite subversive and underground ndw became exponentially more mainstream until it could no longer sustain itself creatively and rather than disappearing it helped give rise to the post cold war rave craze and is still an important touchstone in music history this compelling book describes how everyday people courageously survived under repressive communist regimes until the voices and actions of rebellious individuals resulted in the fall of the iron curtain in europe part of greenwood s daily life through history series daily life behind the iron curtain enables today s generations to understand what it was like for those living in eastern europe during the cold war particularly the period from 1961 to 1989 the era during which these people east germans in particular lived in the imposing shadow of the berlin wall an introductory chapter discusses the russian revolution the end of world war ii and the establishment of the socialist state clarifying the reasons for the construction of the berlin wall many historical anecdotes bring these past experiences to life covering all aspects of life behind the iron curtain including separation of families and the effects on family life diet rationing media clothing and trends strict travel restrictions defection attempts and the evolving political climate the final chapter describes eastern europe after the fall of the berlin wall and the slow assimilation of east into west and examines europe after communism an in depth examination of border decomposition re creation and destruction in 20th century hungary greg castillo presents an illustrated history of the persuasive impact of model homes appliances and furniture in cold war propaganda man by e i burrus the effects of colonialism upon the asian understanding of man by i g arapura religious pluralism and the quest for human community by s j samartha from confucian gentleman to the new chinese political man by d a robinson the scientific revolution and the unity of man by b towers language and communication by e a nida man and the son of man by i moltmann the potentiality of conciliarity communion conscience council by w b blakemore oneness must mean wholeness by i r nelson cohen argues that the emergence of the united states as the world's sole superpower and the process of globalization have failed to remove the importance of geography as a political and strategic factor of great import after laying out the structural basis for his theory of geopolitical theory he launches into an examination of how geopolitical realities have developed since world war ii a period that witnessed greater change than the preceding two and a half centuries he then turns his attention to the meat of the book separate examinations of the each of the major world regions including examinations of the

important countries and their individual geopolitical realities this is an annually updated presentation of each sovereign country in nordic central and southeastern europe past and present it is organized by individual chapters for each country and presents a complete and authoritative overview of each region s geography people history political system constitution parliament decentralization and states if a federation parties political leaders and elections there are also sections on foreign and defense policy economy culture future and a comprehensive bibliography the combination of factual accuracy and up to date detail along with its informed projections make this an outstanding resource for researchers practitioners in international development media professionals government officials potential investors and students now in its 14th edition the content is thorough yet perfect for a one semester introductory course or general library reference available in both print and e book formats and priced low to fit student and library budgets richardson little exposes the forgotten history of human rights in the german democratic republic placing the history of the cold war eastern european dissidents and the revolutions of 1989 in a new light by demonstrating how even a communist dictatorship could imagine itself to be a champion of human rights this book challenges popular narratives on the fall of the berlin wall and illustrates how notions of human rights evolved in the cold war as they were re imagined in east germany by both dissidents and state officials ultimately the fight for human rights in east germany was part of a global battle in the post war era over competing conceptions of what human rights meant nonetheless the collapse of dictatorship in east germany did not end this conflict as citizens had to choose for themselves what kind of human rights would follow in its wake the official monthly record of united states foreign policy this book contributes to the theoretical and policy debates on the existence and development of a european public sphere it presents a critical discussion of the links between media history and politics in europe by looking at the re organization of ideological and political determinants such as left right or east west and debating the existence of a european editorial culture the volume also examines how international crises have been debated in national media in europe throughout the post war period it looks empirically at the national media coverage of eight crisis events the 1956 revolution in budapest the building of the berlin wall in 1961 the may 1968 youth revolt in paris the events of august 1968 in prague the declaration of a state of war in poland in 1981 the fall of the berlin wall in 1989 the outbreak of the second gulf war in 2003 and the mohammed cartoons crisis in 2006 about germany on the eve of reunification in 1989 when the united states entered the 1960s the nation was swept up in the space race as the united states and the soviet union competed for supremacy in rocket and satellite technologies cities across the country hoped to attract new aerospace companies but the city leaders of seattle launched the most ambitious campaign of all they invited the whole world to visit for the 1962 seattle world s fair and more than nine million people took them up on the offer a colorful collection of exhibits turned 74 acres of rundown buildings into a futuristic wonderland where dozens of countries and companies predicted life in the future the entire city was transformed with the addition of the soaring space needle and the futuristic monorail when the fair ended the site became a complex of parks and museums that remains a vibrant part of seattle city life today

The Berlin Wall

2006

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Berlin Divided City, 1945-1989

2010

each topic is very thoroughly documented weaving together historical information and current political debates surrounding memorial sites highly valuable as a chronicle of the politics of memory recommended choice march 2009

United City, Divided Memories?

2010

using a variety of critical and theoretical approaches the contributing scholars to this collection analyze culturally specific and globally held attitudes about mothers and mothering as represented in world cinema examining films from a range of countries including afghanistan india iran eastern europe canada and the united states the various chapters contextualize the socio cultural realities of motherhood as they are represented on screen and explore the maternal figure as she has been glamorized and celebrated while simultaneously subjected to public scrutiny collectively this scholarly investigation provides insights into where women s struggles converge while also highlighting the dramatically different realities of women around the globe

Screening Motherhood in Contemporary World Cinema

2016-02-01

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The World Bank Legal Review Volume 6 Improving Delivery in Development

2015-03-09

in today s worlds of drones military strikes and weapons of mass destruction it s difficult to imagine a nonviolent war of constant hostility between world super powers readers will be intrigued by this conflict known as the cold war they will learn that it was a geopolitical ideological and economic struggle between two world superpowers the usa and the user starting in 1947 and ending in 1991

The Cold War

2008-10-24

richard williamson s first steps toward détente provides a history of negotiations conducted from 1958 1963 between the united states its western allies in europe and the soviet union in order to resolve the berlin crisis these negotiations established ongoing patterns of backchannel ambassadorial foreign minister and heads of state

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First Steps toward Détente

2012-04-06

this interdisciplinary volume addresses the consequences of the fall of the berlin wall from the revitalizing effect it had on germany to the new challenges of integrating socially and politically old and new minorities and forming a new european identity it also considers how the fall was represented by the media

The German Wall

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how is it that walls borders boundaries and their material and symbolic architectures of division and exclusion engender their very opposite this edited volume explores the crossings permeations and constructions of cultural and political borders between peoples and territories examining how walls borders and boundaries signify both interdependence and contact within sites of conflict and separation topics addressed range from the geopolitics of europe s historical and contemporary city walls to conceptual reflections on the intersection of human rights and separating walls the memory politics generated in historically disputed border areas theatrical explorations of border crossings and the mapping of boundaries within migrant communities

Walls, Borders, Boundaries

2012-05-01

revision of author s thesis doctoral columbia university 2013 titled strange commodity of cultural exchange martha graham and the state department on tour 1955 1987

Martha Graham's Cold War

2020

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Top Secret Files

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this new handbook offers a wide ranging overview of current scholarship on the cold war with essays from many leading scholars the field of cold war history has consistently been one of the most vibrant in the field of international studies recent scholarship has added to our understanding of familiar cold war events such as the korean war the cuban missile crisis and superpower détente and shed new light on the importance of ideology race modernization and transnational movements the routledge handbook of the cold war draws on the wealth of new cold war scholarship bringing together essays on a diverse range of topics such as geopolitics military power and technology and strategy the chapters also address the importance of non state actors such as scientists human rights activists and the catholic church and examine the importance of development foreign aid and overseas assistance the volume is organised into nine parts part i the early cold war part ii cracks in the bloc

part iii decolonization imperialism and its consequences part iv the cold war in the third world part v the era of detente part vi human rights and non state actors part vii nuclear weapons technology and intelligence part viii psychological warfare propaganda and cold war culture part ix the end of the cold war this new handbook will be of great interest to all students of cold war history international history foreign policy security studies and ir in general

The Routledge Handbook of the Cold War

2014-06-05

alphabetic entries explore the key issues and events that have caused the united states to alter its insular foreign policy

Internationalism

2010

changing heritage presents the most comprehensive analysis of heritage issues available today critically analysing the complexity of the current and forthcoming issues faced by heritage it presents insightful directions for the future drawing on the author's many years of experience working in senior positions at unesco the book presents discussions of heritage sites all around the world today our cultural and natural legacies face significant threats due to social and economic developments political pressures and unresolved historical issues this book delives into these threats from two distinct perspectives internal tensions and external pressures the internal tensions include the disregard for human rights and gender equality the increasing exploitation of heritage for political purposes the development of post colonial perspectives and the necessity to reassess the established notion of universal value external pressures stem from global processes unsustainable tourism political conflicts ethnic clashes and religious strife that are causing destruction in numerous parts of the world examining the dynamics between heritage and these internal tensions and external pressures bandarin offers insights into the challenges faced and emphasises the imperative role of civil society in safeguarding the value of heritage for present and future generations changing heritage explores a wide range of issues surrounding the crisis in heritage management on an international level it will be essential reading for heritage scholars students and professionals

Changing Heritage

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Stories Without Borders

2016-09-09

this book on jimi hendrix s life times visual cultural prominence and popular music with a particular emphasis on hendrix s relationships to the cultural politics of race gender sexuality ethnicity class and nation hendrix an itinerant gypsy and voodoo child whose racialized freak visual image continues to internationally circulate exploited the exoticism of his race gender and sexuality and gypsy and voodoo transnational political cultures and religion aaron e lefkovitz argues that hendrix can be located in a legacy of black transnational popular musicians from chuck berry to the hip hop duo outkast confirming while subverting established white supremacist and hetero normative codes and conventions focusing on hendrix s transnational biography and centrality to us and international visual cultural and popular music histories

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Jimi Hendrix and the Cultural Politics of Popular Music

2018-03-28

this is an annually updated presentation of each sovereign country in nordic central and southeastern europe past and present it is broken down into individual chapters on each country dealing with its geography people history political system constitution parliament decentralization and states if a federation parties political leaders and elections there are also sections on foreign and defense policy economy culture future and a lengthy bibliography

Nordic, Central and Southeastern Europe 2012

2012-08-09

michael khodarkovsky s innovative exploration of russia s 20th century through 100 carefully selected vignettes that span the century offers a fascinating prism through which to view russian history each chosen microhistory focuses on one particular event or individual that allows you to understand russia not in abstract terms but in real events in the lives of ordinary people russia s 20th century covers a broad range of topics including the economy culture politics ideology law and society this introduction provides a vital background and engaging analysis of russia s path through a turbulent 20th century a representative sample of chapters in the book includes 1902 peasants 1903 the pogrom 1906 the tsar s speech 1908 church 1910 tolstoy s death 1913 the romanovs 1916 rasputin 1922 ussr 1927 orphans into communists 1931 palace of the soviets 1935 manufacturing heroes 1939 hitler s ally 1941 moscow on the brink 1945 rape of germany 1949 atomic project 1954 nuclear war exercise snowball 1955 empire of nations 1960 virgin lands 1969 the soviet dr seuss 1971 the soviet bob dylan 1972 nixon in moscow and kiev 1977 ussr less than a sum of its parts 1980 moscow olympic games 1984 iron maiden behind the iron curtain 1985 vodka 1990 soviet nationalisms and ethnic wars 1997 russian fascism 1998 return of the kgb the historical mosaic of russia s 20th century provides a unique examination of modern russian history one snapshot at a time prompting us to reflect on a larger picture of russia s past and its place in the world today

Russia's 20th Century

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an economist our books of the year selection economist bryan caplan makes a bold case for unrestricted immigration in this fact filled graphic nonfiction american policy makers have long been locked in a heated battle over whether how many and what kind of immigrants to allow to live and work in the country those in favor of welcoming more immigrants often cite humanitarian reasons while those in favor of more restrictive laws argue the need to protect native citizens but economist bryan caplan adds a new compelling perspective to the immigration debate he argues that opening all borders could eliminate absolute poverty worldwide and usher in a booming worldwide economy greatly benefiting humanity with a clear and conversational tone exhaustive research and vibrant illustrations by zach weinersmith open borders makes the case for unrestricted immigration easy to follow and hard to deny

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The Cold War [2 volumes] [2 volumes]

2018-12-07

neue deutsche welle ndw or german new wave was made extraordinarily popular in the 1970s and 1980s by the likes of nena s 99 luftballoons and trio s da da and then left as quickly as it came conventional wisdom among artists dictates that it s better to burn out than fade away but this doesn t tell the full story of ndw the reason for its rapid rise and fall the historical context that necessitated the genre and where the energy of the ndw movement went after its end the genre has international influences but still demonstrates a uniquely german desire to build a new sanitized identity in the aftermath of world war ii originally quite subversive and underground ndw became exponentially more mainstream until it could no longer sustain itself creatively and rather than disappearing it helped give rise to the post cold war rave craze and is still an important touchstone in music history

Neue Deutsche Welle

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this compelling book describes how everyday people courageously survived under repressive communist regimes until the voices and actions of rebellious individuals resulted in the fall of the iron curtain in europe part of greenwood's daily life through history series daily life behind the iron curtain enables today's generations to understand what it was like for those living in eastern europe during the cold war particularly the period from 1961 to 1989 the era during which these people east germans in particular lived in the imposing shadow of the berlin wall an introductory chapter discusses the russian revolution the end of world war ii and the establishment of the socialist state clarifying the reasons for the construction of the berlin wall many historical anecdotes bring these past experiences to life covering all aspects of life behind the iron curtain including separation of families and the effects on family life diet rationing media clothing and trends strict travel restrictions defection attempts and the evolving political climate the final chapter describes eastern europe after the fall of the berlin wall and the slow assimilation of east into west and examines europe after communism

Daily Life behind the Iron Curtain

2013-01-24

an in depth examination of border decomposition re creation and destruction in 20th century hungary

Hungarian Borderlands

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greg castillo presents an illustrated history of the persuasive impact of model homes appliances and furniture in cold war propaganda

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1971

cohen argues that the emergence of the united states as the world's sole superpower and the process of globalization have failed to remove the importance of

geography as a political and strategic factor of great import after laying out the structural basis for his theory of geopolitical theory he launches into an examination of how geopolitical realities have developed since world war ii a period that witnessed greater change than the preceding two and a half centuries he then turns his attention to the meat of the book separate examinations of the each of the major world regions including examinations of the important countries and their individual geopolitical realities

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richardson little exposes the forgotten history of human rights in the german democratic republic placing the history of the cold war eastern european dissidents and the revolutions of 1989 in a new light by demonstrating how even a communist dictatorship could imagine itself to be a champion of human rights this book challenges popular narratives on the fall of the berlin wall and illustrates how notions of human rights evolved in the cold war as they were re imagined in east germany by both dissidents and state officials ultimately the fight for human rights in east germany was part of a global battle in the post war era over competing conceptions of what human rights meant nonetheless the collapse of dictatorship in east germany did not end this conflict as citizens had to choose for themselves what kind of human

rights would follow in its wake

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the official monthly record of united states foreign policy

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2020-04-23

this book contributes to the theoretical and policy debates on the existence and development of a european public sphere it presents a critical discussion of the links between media history and politics in europe by looking at the re organization of ideological and political determinants such as left right or east west and debating the existence of a european editorial culture the volume also examines how international crises have been debated in national media in europe throughout the post war period it looks empirically at the national media coverage of eight crisis events the 1956 revolution in budapest the building of the berlin wall in 1961 the may 1968 youth revolt in paris the events of august 1968 in prague the declaration of a state of war in poland in 1981 the fall of the berlin wall in 1989 the outbreak of the second gulf war in 2003 and the mohammed cartoons crisis in 2006

The Department of State Bulletin

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about germany on the eve of reunification in 1989

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when the united states entered the 1960s the nation was swept up in the space race as the united states and the soviet union competed for supremacy in rocket and satellite technologies cities across the country hoped to attract new aerospace companies but the city leaders of seattle launched the most ambitious campaign of all they invited the whole world to visit for the 1962 seattle world s fair and more than nine million people took them up on the offer a colorful collection of exhibits turned 74 acres of rundown buildings into a futuristic wonderland where dozens of countries and companies predicted life in the future the entire city was transformed with the addition of the soaring space needle and the futuristic monorail when the fair ended the site became a complex of parks and museums that remains a vibrant part of seattle city life today

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