



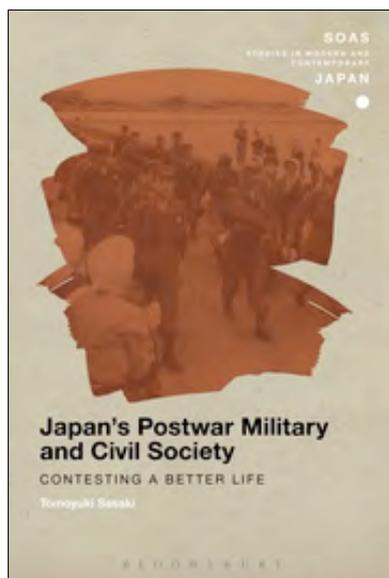
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## *Japan's Postwar Military and Civil Society*

*Contesting a Better Life*



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### **Description:**

Japan's so-called 'peace constitution' renounces war as a sovereign right of the nation, and bans the nation from possessing any war potential. Yet Japan also maintains a large, world-class military organization, namely the Self-Defence Forces (SDF).

In this book, Tomoyuki Sasaki explores how the SDF enlisted popular support from civil society and how civil society responded to the growth of the SDF. *Japan's Postwar Military and Civil Society* details the interactions between the SDF and civil society over four decades, from the launch of rearmament in 1950. These interactions include recruitment, civil engineering, disaster relief, anti-SDF litigation, state financial support for communities with bases, and a fear-mongering campaign against the Soviet Union.

By examining these wide-range issues, the book demonstrates how the militarization of society advanced as the SDF consolidated its ideological and socio-economic ties with civil society and its role as a defender of popular welfare. While postwar Japan is often depicted as a peaceful society, this book challenges such a view, and illuminates the prominent presence of the military in people's everyday lives.

*Sasaki (Eastern Michigan Univ.) focuses his study on the integration of the Japan Self-Defense Forces (SDF) into Japanese civil society from its creation in the early 1950s to the mid-1990s. He provides good case studies on aspects of the interaction between the SDF and society, including recruitment, civil engineering, disaster relief, state financial support for communities with bases, propaganda campaigns, etc. These topics have not received attention in previous studies of the SDF, so this book makes a valuable contribution. Summing Up: Recommended. Upper-division undergraduates and above. CHOICE*

*This study of the SDF in Japan differs from others in focusing on the integration of military forces into Japanese civil society in the postwar period. The book is informed by broad, theoretical analysis throughout. The chapters balance larger theoretical analyses with specific historical examples in a highly readable account. Although many of the historical conditions are specific to Japan, Sasaki's analysis of the general historical processes should be widely applicable to many other locales. Wesley Sasaki-Uemura, University of Utah, USA*

### **About Author/s:**

**Tomoyuki Sasaki** is Associate Professor of Japanese Studies at the College of William and Mary, USA.

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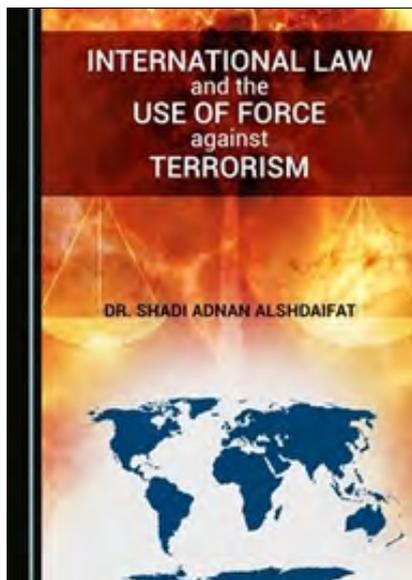


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As shown in the case of Attila the Hun, and his thirst for power, property, and personal prestige, nation states throughout the world, particularly in Asia and Europe, have, since ancient times, been vulnerable to invasion by other nation states and bands of looters from outside their borders.

Terrorism's progress into the modern day has caused extreme concern among members of the international community, who now accept that it is like a cancer that refuses to localize itself within any single organ of the body, but seeks to spread its lethality throughout, even if that means destroying itself along with the host.

The fight against terrorism is long and complex, but the end is known in advance. Terrorists are defending a lost cause, and their defeat is inevitable, and democracy, freedom, and diplomacy will triumph.

### **About Author/s:**

Dr Shadi Alshdaifat received a Bachelor's degree in Law (LLB) from Mu'tah University, Jordan, in 2001, a Master's degree in International and Comparative Law (LLM) from Dedman School of Law at Southern Methodist University, USA, in 2009, and a Science Juridical Doctorate (SJD) from Golden Gate University School of Law, USA, in 2012. He is currently an Assistant Professor in the College of Law at the University of Sharjah, UAE, where he teaches Public International Law, Human Rights Law, International Organizations, and Legal Skills. He has also worked as a senior legal adviser for the Saudi Telecom Company (STC) in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, the law firm of Mitchell and Mir, and for the Human Rights Initiative (HRI) in Dallas, Texas.

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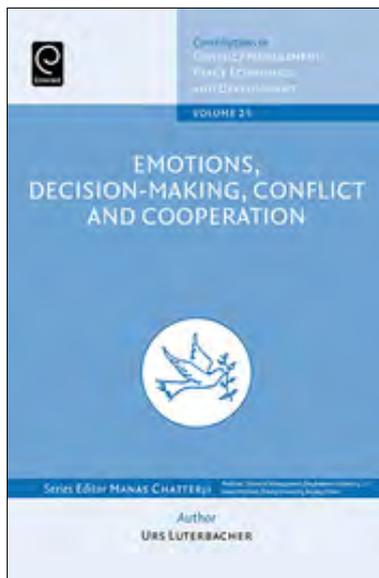


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The role of emotions is important in explaining conflicts and their resolution. Witness the emotions surrounding the outbreak of wars past and current and their endings. In order to introduce the perspective of emotions as an explanatory scheme of conflict escalation and crises, a comparison to classical conceptions such as the pursuit of power or commercial and financial interests is warranted.

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One can thus build models that account more easily for conflict escalations but also for conflict resolution. These theoretical considerations are investigated within empirical cases of civil wars and shown to be effective in explaining the origins but also the breakdown of conflicts.

The author considers the role of emotions and rationality in conflict and cooperation between groups and countries. He discusses behavioral neuroscience research on the topic and examines various models of conflict, including interest-based approaches, a model that synthesizes behavioral neuroscience and interest-based explanations, the rank dependent expected utility model, and an agent-based model, and addresses the role of economic conditions and examples of civil wars.

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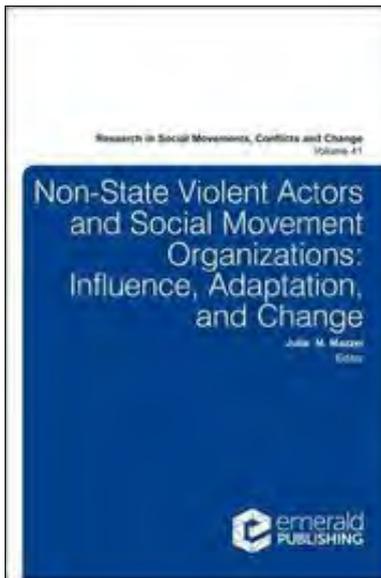
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This volume focusses on non-state actors and political conflicts but also attends to the broader themes of the series. The research emphasises the roles and motivations of non-state actors in conflicts or post-conflict situations in the post-Cold War era; as well outlining the dynamics of social movements, conflicts, or change.

This volume highlights the motivations and interests of non-state violent actors (NSVAs) in the post-Cold War era; the role of identity and/or ideology in the conflicts or resolutions of so-called "new wars;" the impact of NSVAs in conflict and/or peace-making; and the ways in which IGOs and NGOs interact with NSVAs in conflicts or post-conflict zones.

#### **About Editor/s:**

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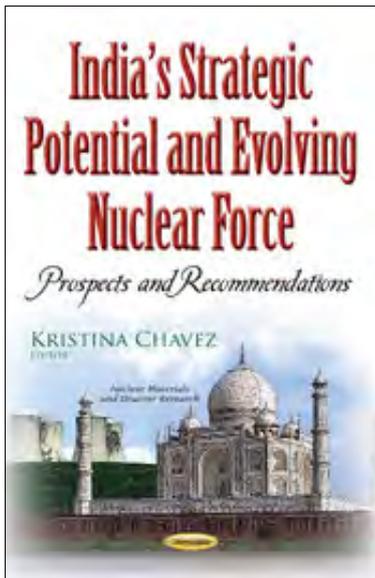
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## *India's Strategic Potential & Evolving Nuclear Force*

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As a region with abundant resources and rapidly growing transit potential surrounded by nuclear-armed powers, Central Asia is increasingly drawing the attention of global players. Russia is actively seeking to rebuild its economic influence via the newly created Eurasian Economic Union. China is expanding its reach through a recently launched Silk Road Economic Belt. Other actors are jockeying for their share of the region's pie, as well. But the United States and India are enjoying only very limited presence in what is increasingly becoming a critical part of the world.

This book explains why India lags behind other actors in the region and what needs to be done to unlock its potential as a rising great power and shore up its strategic presence in Central Asia. It explores Indian nuclear policy approaches and views, and makes a major contribution to our understanding of this factor of growing significance in Asian security.

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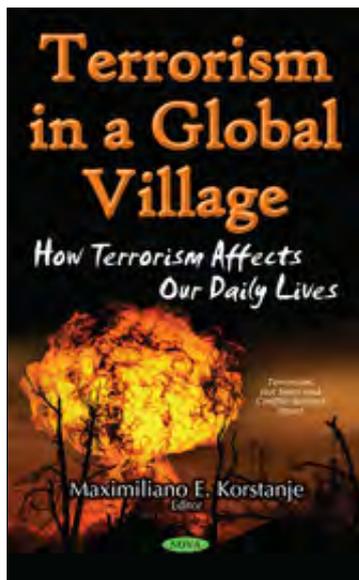
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## *Terrorism in a Global Village*

### *How Terrorism Affects Our Daily Lives*



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This book centers not only on the “scourge of terrorism”, a problem which concerns policy-makers, officials and governments worldwide, but dissects the reasons and effects it has on people’s daily lives. Focusing on 9/11 as the founding event, terrorism and the attention given by the media and news containing violence-related content paved the way for the rise of a new stage of capitalism.

Authors invited to this project discuss with accuracy to what extent terrorism is changing day-to-day behaviours, social institutions and democracy. Basically, the rise and expansion of globalisation, which crystallised into a more mobile world, alluded to a culture of instantaneity where news on terror produces a double-edge effect. On one hand, terrorist cells are prone to develop crueller and further violent tactics to perpetrate their attacks since the constant media coverage produces a process of desensitisation in audiences. On another hand, the “war on terror” is discursively manipulated to impose some restrictive economic policies that would otherwise be neglected. Lastly, not only does terrorism seem to affect the tenets of democracy, but it also accelerates the rise of populist leaders in the decades to come.

Since terrorism is subtly changing our lives, this book offers an all-encompassing model to expand the current understanding of students, scholars and policy makers in order to prioritise republicanism over “the concept of security”. In this vein, Latin America has much to say to shed light on how terrorism effaces democracy. In view of the American sentiment of exemplarity adjoined to the commoditisation of death in capitalist societies, the discourse of fear may very well lead to pathological reactions that prevent “hospitality”, which was historically the touchstone of the Western world.

*Terrorism in a Global Village is a timely and much needed book nowadays when the public along with academics and policymakers are in dire need to understand terrorism and its impact on day-to-day decisions. It is uniquely designed to appeal to a wide-range of readers who can benefit from its multidimensional approach of tackling significant topics about terrorism. Mahmoud Eid, University of Ottawa, Canada*

*Serious students of terrorism and state sponsored violence will grapple with the insights by international scholars about how everyday life and social institutions are affected by terrorist acts themselves, as well as the controlling and surveillance practices enacted to combat terrorism. Terrorism in the Global Village is a gem in the expanding study of conflict and social change. David Altheide - Regents Professor Emeritus, Arizona State University, USA*

#### **About Editor/s:**

Maximiliano E Korstanje is a cultural theorist dedicated to the study of mobilities and terrorism born in Buenos Aires, Argentina on 29 October 1976. His development is framed within the subfield of critical terrorism studies. He serves as Senior Lecturer at Department Economics, University of Palermo, Argentina. Korstanje was Visiting Fellow at CERS University of Leeds, United Kingdom and Visiting Lecturer at University of la Habana, Cuba. Formally he is part of Tourism Crisis Management Institute University of Florida US, Centre

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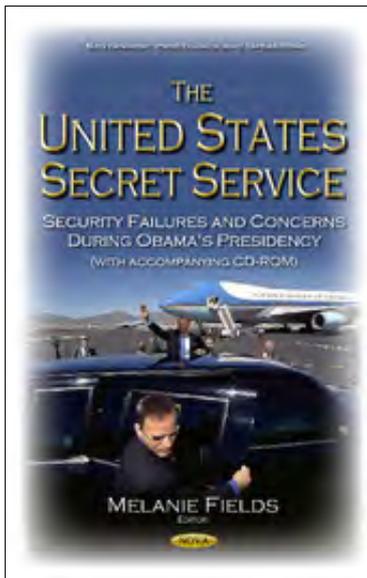
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## *United States Secret Service*

### *Security Failures & Concerns During Obama's Presidency*

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The United States Secret Service (USSS) is tasked with a zero-failure mission: to protect the President and other protectees at all costs. For most of its existence, USSS has strived to complete that mission while simultaneously garnering the respect and admiration of the American people. Secret Service agents and officers earned a reputation as stoic and impervious guardians of our government's most important leaders. The American public's respect for the agency diminished following the April 2012 prostitution scandal in Cartagena, Colombia, which attracted significant media attention and exposed systemic problems within the agency. Since then, several incidents have made it abundantly clear that USSS is in crisis.

The agency's weaknesses have been exposed by a series of security failures at the White House, during presidential visits, and at the residences of other officials, including Vice President Biden and former presidents of the United States. The Committee's investigation found that problems that undermine USSS's protective mission predate and postdate the misconduct in Cartagena. The Committee also found that at times agency leaders have provided incomplete and inaccurate information to Congress.

This book examines four incidents in detail: a November 11, 2011, incident where an individual fired several shots at the White House from a semiautomatic rifle; the April 2012 misconduct in Cartagena, Colombia; a September 16, 2014, incident at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta, Georgia, where an armed contract security guard with a violent arrest history rode in an elevator with President Obama and later breached the President's security formation; and a March 4, 2015, incident where two intoxicated senior USSS officials — including a top official on the President's protective detail — interfered with a crime scene involving a bomb threat just outside the White House grounds.

Furthermore, the book provides information on USSS funding and staffing because congressional attention has turned to the USSS and its operations due to several recent incidents.

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This book calls for the progressive creation of supra-national institutions intended to protect life on Earth against natural threats, be these terrestrial (pandemics, super-volcanoes, major earthquakes.) or celestial (comets, asteroids, meteor storms). The protection proffered would need to be pre-emptive though also responsive, reducing the number of adverse events but also their specific consequences. Rancid though the world scene currently looks, this may actually be a good time to look towards a planetary security programme that can build up over a century or more. It would need special international institutions that are sufficiently integrated to cope with the celestial and terrestrial contingencies anticipated yet not so much a class apart as to be a law unto themselves, a military regime able to ride roughshod over general world opinion. Such an holistic approach to planetary security might prove to be a definitive substitute for war between nations.

Professor Brown comes to such questions from a broad career background. His lead qualifications are a Masters degree from Oxford in Modern History and a Doctorate of Science from Birmingham (UK) in Applied Geophysics. He has been a naval meteorologist; staff college instructor; part-time but pro-active as a defence correspondent for several of the West's leading journals; and political consultant.

From 1980 to 1986, he was Chairman of the Council for Arms Control. From 1993 to 1997 he worked half-time in the Sensors and Electronic Systems directorate of Britain's Ministry of Defence. This was as the Academic Consultant in a small task force specifically created to advise the government of the day apropos what British policy to Strategic Ballistic Missile Defence should be. A declassified rendering of his 90,000-word report (published by Mansfield College, Oxford, in 1998) argued firmly against our going down this path. It could lead to a catastrophic arms race.

#### **About Author/s:**

Neville Brown has authored twenty books or major reports, including *The Future of Air Power* (1986). With the award-winning *Future Global Challenge* (1977) he began to give economic, social and ecological factors salience in the quest for a peaceable world. This thrust continued with *New Strategy Through Space* (1990) through to *Global Instability and Strategic Crisis* (2004) and *History and Climate Change, a Eurocentric Perspective* (2001), and continued with the informal trilogy: *Engaging the Cosmos: Astronomy, Philosophy and Faith* (2006); *The Geography of Human Conflict: Approaches to Survival* (2009); and *The Bounds of Liberalism: The Fragility of Freedom*.

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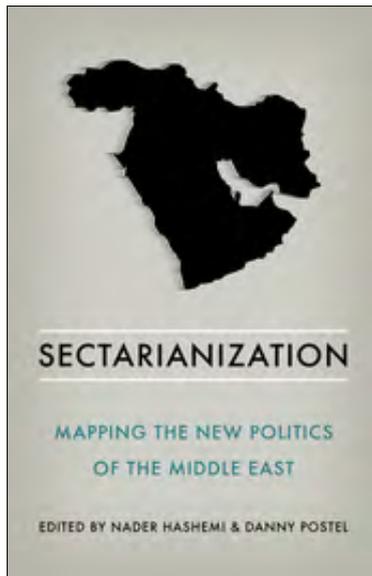
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An anatomy of the increasing sectarianisation of conflicts in the Middle East, by some of the leading scholars writing on the region.

As the Middle East descends ever deeper into violence and chaos, 'sectarianism' has become a catch-all explanation for the region's troubles. The turmoil is attributed to 'ancient sectarian differences', putatively primordial forces that make violent conflict intractable. In media and policy discussions, sectarianism has come to possess trans-historical causal power.

This book trenchantly challenges the lazy use of 'sectarianism' as a magic-bullet explanation for the region's ills, focusing on how various conflicts in the Middle East have morphed from non-sectarian (or cross-sectarian) and nonviolent movements into sectarian wars. Through multiple case studies — including Syria, Iraq, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Yemen and Kuwait — this book maps the dynamics of sectarianisation, exploring not only how but also why it has taken hold. The contributors examine the constellation of forces — from those within societies to external factors such as the Saudi–Iranian rivalry — that drive the sectarianisation process and explore how the region's politics can be de-sectarianised.

Featuring leading scholars — and including historians, anthropologists, political scientists, scholars of religion and international relations theorists — this book will redefine the terms of debate on one of the most critical issues in international affairs today.

*The master narrative that everything in the Middle East is explained by religious fanaticism has a long history in the West. Paradoxically, in our own era it has, if anything, become more inescapable than it was in the day of Martin Luther, despite the proliferation of social science about the region in the Western academy. Hashemi and Postel do an enormous service by bringing together in one volume a mass of research knocking down the "sectarianism thesis." It is essential for anyone who wants truly to understand this crucial region.* **Juan Cole, Richard P. Mitchell Collegiate Professor of History at the University of Michigan**

*Why has sectarianism become such an urgent, destructive force in today's Middle East? This collection brings together a diverse group of scholars to advance a distinctively political explanation for the rise of sectarian conflict across the region. Rather than resort to essentialised identities, these essays expertly dissect the historical, political and institutional contexts within which cynical political and social actors have mobilised sectarianism for their own ends. Every student of Middle East politics will benefit from reading and thinking hard about the implications of this collection.'* **Marc Lynch, Professor of Political Science, George Washington University, Director of the Project on Middle East Political Science, and author of The New Arab Wars: Anarchy and Uprising in the Middle East**

#### **About Author/s:**

**Nader Hashemi** is Director of the Center for Middle East Studies and an Associate Professor of Middle East and Islamic Politics at the University of Denver's Josef Korbel School of International Studies. He is the author of *Islam, Secularism and Liberal Democracy* and co-editor of *The Syria Dilemma* and *The People Reloaded: The Green Movement and the Struggle*

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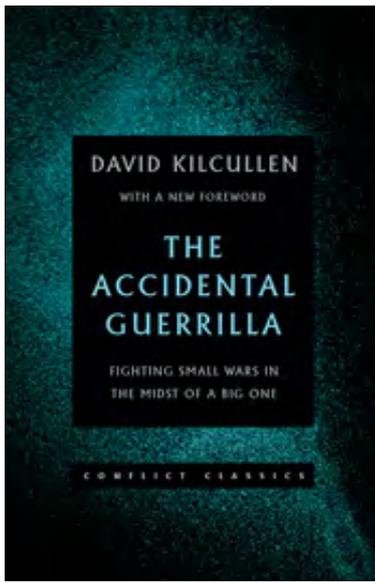


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## *The Accidental Guerrilla*

*Fighting Small Wars in the Midst of a Big One*



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War today is far different from what we expected it to be. Counter-insurgency and protracted guerrilla warfare, not shock and awe, are the order of the day. The Australian David Kilcullen is the world's foremost expert on this way of war, and in *The Accidental Guerrilla*, the Senior Counterinsurgency Advisor to the Pentagon and architect of 'the Surge', surveys war as it is actually fought in the contemporary world.

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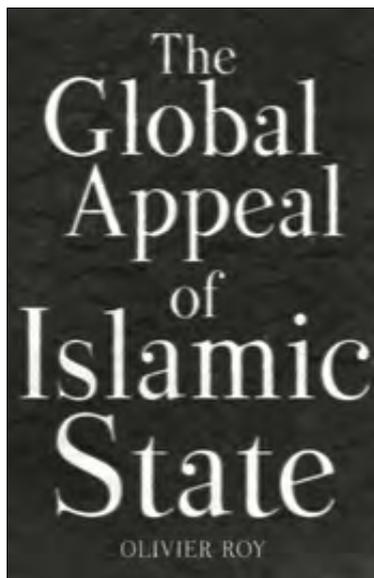
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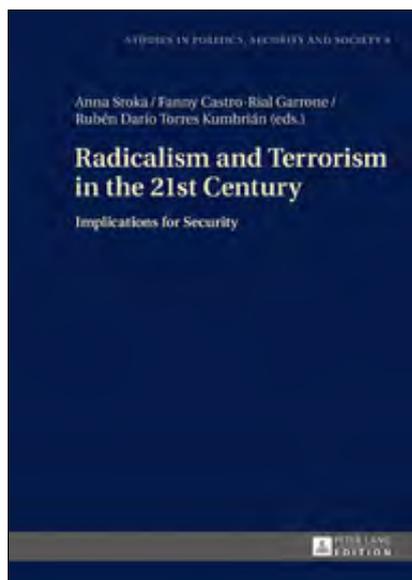
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