Global Security: From Evidence-based Research to Networked Impact
Webinar Series – List of Recommended Readings
Global Security Programme, Pembroke College

1. Opening Roundtable: Thinking about Global Security
Acharya, A. (2018). Constructing global order: agency and change in world politics. Cambridge University Press.
Andrić, I. (2021). The bridge on the Drina. Everyman's Library.
Autesserre, S. (2023). The frontlines of peace : an insider's guide to changing the world. Oxford University Press.
Avant, D. & Westerwinter, O. (Eds.). (2016). The new power politics : networks and transnational security governance. Oxford University Press.
Bilgin, P. (2019). Regional security in the Middle East: a critical perspective (Second edition.). Routledge. https://doi.org/10.4324/9781315204123
Grovogui, S. N. (2021). Making the world global: an imperial allegory. International Politics Reviews, 9(1), 129–133. https://doi.org/10.1057/s41312-021-00092-3
Kirshner, J. (2022). An unwritten future : realism and uncertainty in world politics. Princeton University Press.
Krause, K. & Williams, M. C. (Michael C. (1997). Critical security studies: concepts and cases. UCL Press.
Multiple Authors (2022) What is Power?. Foreign Affairs.
Roberts, A. & Garton Ash, T. (2011). Civil resistance and power politics : the experience of non-violent action from Gandhi to the present (Pbk ed.). Oxford University Press.
Srivastava. (2022). Hybrid sovereignty in world politics. Cambridge University Press.
United Nations (n.d.) CTC Website, https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/ctc/

2. Methodologies and Epistemologies in Global Security
Any book that looks at the collapse of past civilisations.
Hanson, R. & Richards, P. (2019) Harrassed: Gender, Bodies, and Ethnographic Research. University of California Press.
Johnson, N. F. (2009). Simply Complexity: A Clear Guide to Complexity Theory. Oneworld Publications.
Lobo-Guerrero, L., Gäckle, N., Hamati-Ataya, I. (forthcoming) Navigation, Connectivity, and the Crafting of Global Spaces. Rowman & Littlefield.
Smilde, D., Zubillaga, V., Hanson, R. (2023). The Paradox of Violence in Venezuela: Revolution, Crime, and Policing During Chavismo. Univeristy of Pittsburgh Press.
Watch Methodology Tutorials on youtube on the topic you are most scared of.

3. Spaces and Scales in Global Security

Alvarez, C. J. (2022) Border Land, Border Water: A History of Construction on the US-Mexico Divide. University of Texas Press.

Davis. D. (2018). Reflections on "The Politics of Informality": What We Know, How We Got There, and Where We Might Head Next. Studies in Comparative International Development, 53(3), 365–378. https://doi.org/10.1007/s12116-018-9273-2

Fallon, Kasparov, G. K., Garri K., Haigh, L., & Martin, C. (2017). Cyber security: the new front line. New Statesman.

Kaul, R. and Jakhu, R.S., Regulation of Space Activities in India (2010). in Ram S. Jakhu (ed.), National Regulation of Space Activities, Springer Publishing House, the Netherlands, 2010, pp. 153-198, Available at SSRN: https://ssrn.com/abstract=2801723

Rid, T. (2017) Cyberwar will not take place. Hurst Publishers.

Wainwright, J. & Mann, G. (2020). Climate Leviathan: a political theory of our planetary future (Paperback edition.). Verso.

4. Global Security and its Political Dimension

Appiah, K. A. (2019). The lies that bind rethinking identity : creed, country, colour, class, culture. Profile Books.

Coleman, K. P. (eds.), & Tieku, T. K. (eds.) (2022). African Actors in International Security : Shaping Contemporary Norms (Coleman & T. K. Tieku, Eds.). Lynne Rienner Publishers. https://doi.org/10.1515/9781626377295

Doyle, M. (1998). Ways of war and peace : realism, liberalism, and socialism. W. W. Norton and Company.

Makinda, S. & Okumu, F. W. (2008). The African Union: challenges of globalization, security, and governance. Routledge.

Mitter, R. (2005). A bitter revolution : China's struggle with the modern world. Oxford University Press.

Plokhy, S. (2015). The last empire : the final days of the Soviet Union (First paperback edition.). Basic Books, a member of the Perseus Books Group.

Rudd. (2022). The avoidable war : the dangers of a catastrophic conflict between the US and Xi Jinping's China (First edition.). PublicAffairs.

Sheer, J., & Gretskiy, Igor. (2023) Why Russia went to War: A Three Dimensional Perspective. International Centre for Defence and Security.

Walt. (1987). The origins of alliances. Cornell University Press.

Whitmore, B. (n.d.) Power Vertical Podcast.

Work by CSIS; Centre for International Governance Innovation; Chatham House; Institute for Security Studies.

5. Global Security and its Economic Dimension

Cooley, A. & Heathershaw, J. (2018). Dictators without borders: power and money in Central Asia. Yale University Press.

Findley, M., Nielson, D. L., & Sharman, J. C. (Jason C. (2014). Global Shell Games : Experiments in Transnational Relations, Crime, and Terrorism. Cambridge University Press.

Nuclear Threat Initiative (2023) 2023 NTI Nuclear Security Index. The Nuclear Threat Initiative.

Sharan, T. (2023). Inside Afghanistan : political networks, informal order, and state disruption. Routledge.

Stewart, F. & Fitzgerald, E. V. K. (2001). War and underdevelopment. Oxford University Press.

6. Global Security and its Social Dimension

Al-Rodhan, N. (2022). 21st-century statecraft: reconciling power, justice and meta-geopolitical interests. The Lutterworth Press.

Alibek, K. & Handelman, S. (2000). Biohazard : the chilling true story of the largest covert biological weapons program in the world - told from the inside by the man who ran it. Arrow.

Bruns, R. & Adalja, A. (2023). Introduction to the Global Catastrophic Biological Risks Special Feature. Health Security, 21(4), 247–248. https://doi.org/10.1089/hs.2023.0105

Franko, K. (2020). Globalization & crime (3rd edition.). SAGE Publications Ltd.

Soliman, F. (2021). States of exception, human rights, and social harm: Towards a border zemiology. *Theoretical Criminology*, *25*(2), 228 –248.
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7. Global Security and the Dynamic Interactions of its Dimensions

Abumere, F. (2022). African Identities and International Politics. Taylor & Francis.

Crawford, N. (2022). The Pentagon, climate change, and war: charting the rise and fall of U.S. military emissions. The MIT Press.

Keohane, R. & Nye, J. S. (1989). *Power and interdependence* (2nd ed.). Longman.

Rodney, W. (2018). How Europe underdeveloped Africa ([New edition].). Verso.

Seng Law, D. (2022) Conflict and Development in the Myanmar-China Border Region. XCEPT, Kachinland Research Centre.

8. The Future of Global Security

Allison, G. (2018). Destined for war: can America and China escape Thucydides's trap? Scribe.

Aning, K. & Edu-Afful, F. (2016). African Agency in R2P: Interventions by African Union and ECOWAS in Mali, Cote D'ivoire, and Libya. International Studies Review, 18(1), 120–133. https://doi.org/10.1093/isr/viv017

Forest, J. (2007). Countering terrorism and insurgency in the 21st century: international perspectives. Praeger Security International.

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Singer, P. W. & Cole, A. (2020). Burn-In. Houghton Mifflin.

Singer, P.W. & Cole, A. (2015). Ghost fleet: a novel of the next world war. Canelo.

UK Military of Defense (n.d.) Development, Concepts and Doctrine Centre.

War on the Rocks (n.d.) War on the Rocks Podcast.