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The Assassins' Gate 2014-05-06 named one of the 10 best books of the year by the new york times book review named one of the best books of the year by the washington post book world the boston globe chicago tribune thesan francisco chronicle book review los angeles times book review usa today time and new york magazine winner of the overseas press club s cornelius ryan award for best nonfiction book on international affairs winner of the new york public library helen bernstein book award for excellence in journalism the assassins gate america in iraq recounts how the united states set about changing the history of the middle east and became ensnared in a guerrilla war in iraq it brings to life the people and ideas that created the bush administration s war policy and led america to the assassins gate the main point of entry into the american zone in baghdad the assassins gate also describes the place of the war in american life the ideological battles in washington that led to chaos in iraq the ordeal of a fallen soldier s family and the political culture of a country too bitterly polarized to realize such a vast and morally complex undertaking george packer s best selling first person narrative combines the scope of an epic history with the depth and intimacy of a novel creating a masterful account of america s most controversial foreign venture since vietnam

How George W. Bush Fought the Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan

2017-07-15 after osama bin laden leader of the islamic militant group al qaeda took responsibility for the 9 11 attacks president george w bush launched a battle against violent extremist organizations that threatened the security of america his fight against terrorism sent millions of us troops into battle in afghanistan and iraq this book looks at how president bush led the war on terror the challenges and success of these efforts and how his actions have shaped the world we live in today sidebars and quotes highlight key events while full color photos and straightforward yet compelling text bring this very recent war to life for readers

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Genocide in Iraq 1993 the puk s last stand

The Endgame 2015-09-10 the endgame is the gripping and authoritative account of the secret military and political effort to pull iraq from the precipice of full scale civil war the book fuses unrivalled access to the in fighting of washington policymakers with analysis of strategizing by the generals and hard fought operations on the battlefield along with access to classified documents the authors draw from sources including military commanders high level intelligence operatives white house aides iraqi officials and the soldiers who have tested both the bush and obama administrations strategies to their limits this is a book that will be discussed in the white house the pentagon and the command centres in baghdad it will be an enduring account of the most decisive period of this bitterly divisive war it is the third volume in the gordon trainor collaboration on the united states military involvement in iraq magisterial accounts that have stood the test of time

Going to War with Iraq 2019-12-03 going to war with iraq a comparative history of the bush presidencies is the account of two united states presidents and their decision to intervene militarily in iraq examining the comparative domestic and international contexts in which the decisions to go to war were made by george h w bush and his son george w bush this book centers specifically on the issue of saddam hussein at home and abroad in the lead up to hostilities with iraq in 1991 and 2003 respectively for george h w bush in 1991 the threat posed by saddam came from his perceived capabilities as iraq s leader whereas for george w bush in 2003 it was the threat posed by saddam s perceived intentions as iraq s leader in both cases the result was war with iraq

Going to War in Iraq 2015-09-22 conventional wisdom holds that the bush administration was able to convince the american public to support

a war in iraq on the basis of specious claims and a shifting rationale because democratic politicians decided not to voice opposition and the press simply failed to do its job drawing on the most comprehensive survey of public reactions to the war stanley feldman leonie huddy and george e marcus revisit this critical period and come back with a very different story polling data from that critical period shows that the bush administration s carefully orchestrated campaign not only failed to raise republican support for the war but surprisingly led democrats and political independents to increasingly oppose the war at odds with most prominent democratic leaders more importantly the research shows that what constitutes the news matters people who read the newspaper were more likely to reject the claims coming out of washington because they were exposed to the sort of high quality investigative journalism still being written at traditional newspapers that was not the case for those who got their news from television making a case for the crucial role of a press that lives up to the best norms and practices of print journalism the book lays bare what is at stake for the functioning of democracy especially in times of crisis as newspapers increasingly become an endangered species

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The Endgame 2012-09-25 a wall street journal best nonfiction book of 2012 in this follow up to their national bestseller cobra ii michael gordon and general bernard e trainor deftly piece together the story of the most widely reported but least understood war in american history this stunning account of the political and military struggle between american iraqi and iranian forces brings together vivid reporting of diplomatic intrigue and gripping accounts of the blow by blow fighting that lasted nearly a decade informed by brilliant research and extensive interviews with key figures including everyone from the intelligence community to sunni and shi ite leaders and former insurgents to senior iraqi military officers the endgame presents a riveting chronicle of the occupation of iraq to the withdrawal of american troops that is sure to remain the essential account of the war for years to come this e book edition also contains a new appendix collecting twenty three classified documents with commentary that shed new light on some of the military s crucial mistakes and missed opportunities

The Last Card 2019-09-15 this is the real story of how george w bush came to double down on iraq in the highest stakes gamble of his entire presidency drawing on extensive interviews with nearly thirty senior officials including president bush himself the last card offers an unprecedented look into the process by which bush overruled much of the military leadership and many of his trusted advisors and authorized the deployment of roughly 30 000 additional troops to the warzone in a bid to save iraq from collapse in 2007 the adoption of a new counterinsurgency strategy and surge of new troops into iraq altered the american posture in the middle east for a decade to come in the last card we have access to the deliberations among the decision makers on bush s national security team as they embarked on that course in their own words president george w bush vice president dick cheney national security advisor stephen hadley secretary of state condoleezza rice white house chief of staff joshua bolten secretary of defense robert gates and others recount the debates and disputes that informed the process as president bush weighed the historical lessons of vietnam against the perceived strategic imperatives in the middle east for a president who had earlier vowed never to dictate military strategy to generals the deliberations in the oval office and situation room in 2006 constituted a trying and fateful moment even a president at war is bound by rules of consensus and limited by the risk of constitutional crisis what is to be

achieved in the warzone must also be possible in washington d c bush risked losing public esteem and courted political ruin by refusing to disengage from the costly war in iraq the last card is a portrait of leadership firm and daring if flawed in the bush white house the personal perspectives from men and women who served at the white house foggy bottom the pentagon and in baghdad are complemented by critical assessments written by leading scholars in the field of international security taken together the candid interviews and probing essays are a first draft of the history of the surge and new chapter in the history of the american presidency

100 Years in Iraq - George Bush IV - My Grandfather's Memoirs

2008-08-12 this is a funny and sarcastic fake book which consists of an irreverent cover and 128 blank pages for entertainment purposes and is politically incorrect depending on your opinion more information and more fake books inquire at funnybooks@mail2world.com

Confronting Saddam Hussein 2023 based on a unique set of interviews and british and american documents this book examines the motives for the american invasion of iraq in 2003 examines the decision making inside the bush administration and assesses the reasons for the chaotic bloody and costly occupation the attack on america on 9 11 by al qaeda terrorists transformed the thinking and actions of bush and his top advisers bush conceived the administration s response fear power and hubris shaped his approach fear of another attack pride in american values and confidence in america s ability to effectuate change worried about another attack on american soil this time with biological or chemical weapons bush turned his attention to iraq because of saddam hussein s history with weapons of mass destruction and because of his record of aggression brutality and duplicity to achieve his goals the american president embraced a strategy of coercive diplomacy if iraq faced a military threat bush hoped hussein would open his country to inspections relinquish his alleged weapons of mass destruction flee or be toppled when hussein admitted inspectors yet remained obstructive bush denounced the dictator s defiance and believed america s credibility was at stake without resolving the ambiguities and inconsistencies in his strategy of coercive diplomacy and failing to assess the consequences of an invasion or to plan effectively for its many contingencies bush ordered u s troops to invade iraq friction and acrimony within the administration turned the occupation into a tragedy the consequences of which we are

still living with

Betrayed 2008-01-22 they have been killed by insurgents and militias ignored by u s officials fired from their jobs without reason or recourse and prevented from fleeing to the united states for safety based on packer s account in the new yorker betrayed is a riveting and morally complex drama that explores in the iraqis own words the ways in which we have already abandoned them book jacket

Web of Deceit 2010-08-27 an investigative history of western complicity in saddam hussein s crimes reveals the story his trial never will in february 1991 the shia of southern iraq rose against saddam hussein barry m lando a former investigative producer for 60 minutes argues compellingly that this ill fated uprising represents one instance among many of western complicity in saddam hussein s crimes against humanity the shia were responding to the call for rebellion from president george h w bush that was broadcast repeatedly across iraq by clandestine cia stations but just as the revolution was on the brink of success the united states and its allies turned their backs in the end tens of thousands were massacred because of restrictions imposed by the special tribunal prosecuting saddam hussein the extensive role of the u s and its allies in his crimes will never be explored at his trial but as of deceit demonstrates the nations that now denounce saddam most prominently secretly backed the dictator from his rise to power in the 1960s and 70s to his offensives in iran and despite warnings took no action to stop his invasion of kuwait they also turned their backs when he used chemical weapons against the iraqi people and persisted in international sanctions long after they had proved ineffective and for hundreds of thousands of iraqi civilians lethal of deceit draws on a wide range of journalism and scholarship to present a complete picture of what really happened in iraq under saddam detailing for the first time the complicity of the west in its full and alarming extent

Mr. Galloway Goes to Washington 2005 presents the testimony of a british member of parliament before a senate subcommittee discussing his relationship with saddam hussein his denial of any involvement in the oil for food program and a critique of the united states war in iraq

The Afghanistan and Iraq Wars 2014-08-01 learn about the role the united states played in the afghanistan and iraq wars through eyewitness accounts letters and photos from participants and analysis

Blair, Bush, and Iraq 2014 why did george w bush and tony blair

decide their countries should invade iraq in 2003 what choices did they have what support and advice did they receive and how have their decisions affected the world we live in and their legacies this book looks at a controversial event from recent times showing how important world leaders chose to follow a particular course of action

Thanks for the Memories, George 2009-05-05 feeling bushed america in thanks for the memories george author and onion contributor mike loew takes a humorous yet furious look at the last eight years of the bush administration from the botched evidence for the war in iraq to the torture and violation of the constitution to the economic crisis this is a scathing witty review of w s sorry legacy including how the taliban is spending their record opium profits and how iraqis have more money than we do who s who on the no fly list and who is listening in on your phone calls the price of bread milk bananas halliburton stock welcome to the meltdown everyone is a suspect habeas corpus shmabeas corpus the welfare queens of wall street we don t sign no stinkin treaties complete with funny and shocking charts and graphs thanks for the memories george is a timely reminder of just how we arrived at this sorry state as we struggle to put the long nightmare of the bush years behind us

George W. Bush Administration's War on Iraq. Precedents and Consequences 2014-11-27 seminar paper from the year 2013 in the subject american studies culture and applied geography grade 8 jawaharlal nehru university school of international studies jawaharlal nehru university course us foreign policy after the second world war language english abstract following the 2001 invasion in afghanistan to dismantle taliban regime the united states engaged in a more difficult war in iraq by invading it in march 2003 following what was appeared a success in afghanistan before the invasion the george w bush administration launched its national security strategy of 2002 as a quick and powerful response to the deadly 9 11 attacks in the united states the strategy was indoctrinated with such provisions to re define terrorism and respond to it with high level of precision and effectiveness the pre emptive doctrine of 2002 commonly known as bush doctrine gave way to offensive and radical foreign policy of regime change on the basis of perceived threat perception from saddam hussein s regime in iraq under the bush administration provisions like pre emptive strike unilateralism in international relations military hegemony etc negates the settled international sovereignty significantly challenged the territorial integrity

norms and clearly undermines the international body the united nations by one of its leading founding member the paper seeks an attempt to explain and analyze bush s costly iraq war it also attempts to study impact it creates on both domestic and international stage thoroughly

Strategic Reflections Operation Iraqi Freedom 2015-03-18

operations enduring freedom and iraqi freedom were the first major wars of the 21st century they will not be the last they have significantly impacted how the u s government and military think about prosecuting wars they will have a generational impact on the u s military as its future leaders particularly those in the ground forces will for decades be men and women who served in iraq and afghanistan it is imperative that leaders at all levels both military and civilian share their experiences to ensure that we as a military and as a country gain appropriate insights for the future when general george w casey jr was the army chief of staff he encouraged leaders at the war colleges staff colleges and advanced courses to write about what they did in iraq and afghanistan so that others could be better prepared when they faced similar challenges this book is general casey s effort to follow his own advice offering narratives and insights about his tenure as commander of multi national force iraq so that future leaders can be better prepared for the next conflict

Our National Strategy for Victory in Iraq 2006-03 articulates the broad strategy that pres george w bush set forth in 2003 provides an update on our progress as well as the challenges remaining contents part i strategic overview victory in iraq defined victory in iraq is a vital u s interest the benefits of victory in iraq the consequences of failure our enemies their goals the strategy of our enemies our strategy for victory is clear the political security economic tracks this strategy is integrated its elements are mutually reinforcing victory will take time why our strategy is must be conditions based our strategy tracks measures progress part ii strategy in detail the political security econ tracks in detail org for victory the 8 strategic pillars

I'm Not the Only One 2004 political firebrand bete noir of the right wing tabloids and thorn in the side of new labour george galloway is one of the most iconoclastic figures in public life today he s been threatened smeared and branded a traitor for his stand against the war in iraq yet refuses to be gagged and remains a fearless activist for peace and social justice worldwide in i m not the only one he continues his campaign speaking out for the millions of citizens who feel powerless and

disenfranchised in today's political vacuum in the era of tory blair and a new labour that's betrayed its socialist roots attacked civil liberties and swallowed the corporate lie it's time he argues for an alternative here galloway outlines his compelling vision of a new political movement a coalition that speaks for all those people whether muslim or christian black or white pensioner or student locked out of the current system who took to the streets to protest against war and injustice and who want their country back

Truth According to George W. Bush 2004 an african american soldier returns home to new york city from the vietnam war in the late 1960s it is a time of turbulence and change racism is very much alive in america times are tough for a young black man in america especially one who has fought for his country in an unpopular war rick talley takes what he believes the only economic road open to him drug dealing prisoner of dreams presents a large cast of characters from small time street hustlers and pimps to hollywood and las vegas celebrities to organized crime figures in a poignant eye opening memoir the author describes his life and the times the good and the bad in new york city and harlem during one of the most seminal periods in america history

Liberating Iraq 2013 the us military strategy in iraq and afghanistan made use of private military and private security companies on an unprecedented scale in this environment actions and operations can greatly affect the efficacy of the us military creating unintended diplomatic and tactical consequences

Outsourcing the Global War on Terrorism 2014-04-09 the presidency of george w bush has led to the worst foreign policy decision in the history of the united states the bloody unwinnable war in iraq how did this happen bush's fateful decision was rooted in events that began decades ago and until now this story has never been fully told from craig unger the author of the bestseller house of bush house of saud comes a comprehensive deeply sourced and chilling account of the secret relationship between neoconservative policy makers and the christian right and how they assaulted the most vital safeguards of america's constitutional democracy while pushing the country into the catastrophic quagmire in the middle east that is getting worse day by day among the powerful revelations in this book why george w bush ignored the sage advice of his father george h w bush and took america into war how bush was convinced he was doing god's will how vice president dick cheney

manipulated george w bush disabled his enemies within the administration and relentlessly pressed for an attack on iraq which veteran government official with the assent of the president s father protested passionately that the bush administration was making a catastrophic mistake and was ignored how information from forged documents that had already been discredited fourteen times by various intelligence agencies found its way into president bush s state of the union address in which he made the case for war with iraq how cheney and the neocons assembled a shadow national security apparatus and created a disinformation pipeline to mislead america and start the war a seasoned award winning investigative reporter connected to many back channel political and intelligence sources craig unger knows how to get the big story and this one is his most explosive yet through scores of interviews with figures in the christian right the neoconservative movement the bush administration and sources close to the bush family as well as intelligence agents in the cia the pentagon and israel unger shows how the bush administration s certainty that it could bend history to its will has carried america into the disastrous war in iraq dooming bush s presidency to failure and costing america thousands of lives and trillions of dollars far from ensuring our security the iraq war will be seen as a great strategic pivot point in history that could ignite wider war in the middle east particularly in iran provocative timely and disturbing the fall of the house of bush stands as the most comprehensive and dramatic account of how and why george w bush took america to war in iraq The Fall of the House of Bush 2007-11-13 mission accomplished or how we won the war in iraq is the definitive collection systematically categorized indexed and footnoted for your convenience of authoritative misinformation disinformation misunderstanding miscalculation egregious prognostication boo boos and just plain lies about the iraq war never before has such a large and diverse group of experts been so unanimously in favor of a particular national policy as they were in the case of the u s invasion of iraq note christopher cerf and victor navasky who as co founders of the institute of expertology the nation s leading purveyor of expertise on expertise were uniquely qualified to assemble this impressive collection in the face of such a consensus we had no choice but to ask ourselves could the iron law of expertology the experts are never right be wrong at once an entertainment a cautionary tale a critique of mass media a reference tool and a postwar manifesto mission

accomplished presents as no book has before the collective wisdom of all those who are presumed to know what they talking about on the subject of america s adventure in iraq as this hilarious yet depressing volume demonstrates they don t from mission accomplished major combat operations in iraq have ended in the battle of iraq the united states and our allies have prevailed president george w bush may 1 2003 insurgents pose no strategic threat to the united states or to the coalition forces l paul bremer iii administrator of the coalition provisional authority in iraq november 17 2003 military action will not last more than a week bill o reilly the o reilly factor january 23 2003 i couldn t imagine somebody like osama bin laden understanding the joy of hanukkah president george w bush at a white house menorah lighting ceremony december 10 2001

Mission Accomplished! Or How We Won the War in Iraq

2008-03-25 operations enduring freedom and iraqi freedom were the first major wars of the 21st century they will not be the last they have significantly impacted how the u s government and military think about prosecuting wars they will have a generational impact on the u s military as its future leaders particularly those in the ground forces will for decades be men and women who served in iraq and afghanistan it is imperative that leaders at all levels both military and civilian share their experiences to ensure that we as a military and as a country gain appropriate insights for the future when general george w casey jr was the army chief of staff he encouraged leaders at the war colleges staff colleges and advanced courses to write about what they did in iraq and afghanistan so that others could be better prepared when they faced similar challenges this book is general casey s effort to follow his own advice offering narratives and insights about his tenure as commander of multi national force iraq so that future leaders can be better prepared for the next conflict

Strategic Reflections 2012 the essays in this book offer a series of perspectives on connections and parallels between the vietnam war and the 2003 invasion of and current conflict in iraq

Vietnam in Iraq 2007-01-24 this book shares papers from a conference taking a deeper look at the victims of isis and beyond that all religious minorities of iraq this is the first book that considers all the religious minorities that existed in modern iraq including both historic communities and new groups that recently came with labour migration especially to the autonomous region of kurdistan the book resulted from

a conference in 2018 organized exactly at the site of the Simele massacre in 1933 the campus of the American University of Kurdistan is located on the site of the first big massacre against a religious minority in Iraq the conference entitled Beyond ISIS Minorities and Religious Diversity in Iraq and the Future of Êzîdî Christians Shabak Yarsan Mandeans and other religious minorities in the Middle East brought together Iraqi and international scholars activists and religious and community representatives this book contains papers presented at the conference that included contributions on Iraq's religious diversity and the historical and contemporary consequences of genocide and persecution on the religious minorities of Iraq

Beyond ISIS: History and Future of Religious Minorities in Iraq 2019-04-16

long known as the world's only private citizen with a foreign policy George Soros combines his razor sharp sense of economic trends with his passionate advocacy for open societies and decency in world politics to come up with a workable and severely critical analysis of the Bush administration's overreaching militaristic foreign policy Soros believes that this administration's plans abroad come from the same sort of bubble psychology that afflicted our markets in the late 1990s they have used a real fact our overwhelming military supremacy to create a deluded worldview that might makes right and that you're either with us or against us in the same way that the recent boom used a real fact the growth in technology to lead to a delusion the new economy like the best of the books that have responded quickly to world events the bubble of American supremacy has a clear intriguing comprehensive thesis that makes necessary and compelling order of our seemingly disordered world

The Bubble Of American Supremacy 2004-10-13 America's failure in Iraq 402 pages 198 photographs 2 maps explores the involvement of the United States in Iraq beginning with the Gulf War of 1991 under the leadership of President George H.W. Bush and Colin Powell it continues through the post war years of the impotent United Nations sanctions that destroyed the Iraqi economy the events of September 11 2001 and the ineptitude of our nation's senior leadership that culminated with the US invasion of Iraq in the spring of 2003 the termination of the Gulf War was one of the worst political military decisions of modern times but the invasion of Iraq by his son 12 years later led the United States into a mini Vietnam scenario that has split our nation down the middle again

America's Failure in Iraq 2010 Christianity was firmly established in

iraq from the earliest times and the churches of iraq were to play a major role in the development of christian theology and spirituality for many centuries by the seventh century evangelization from iraq had brought christianity to china central asia and india yet few people in the west are aware of christianity s vibrant past in this region or of the fact that christianity has continued to be a significant cultural and religious presence in iraq right up to the present day the story of the churches of iraq their interaction with each other and their varied fortunes under successive parthian sassanid arab mongol and ottoman rule is told here with consummate skill suha rassam guides the reader seemingly effortlessly through complex issues of doctrinal dispute and ecclesiastical politics she helps us explore the ancient heritage of these churches and the major contribution they have made to the intellectual development of the region and the wider world suha rassam s book comes to fill a large vacuum in the knowledge of those in the west many of whom are still not aware of the fact that from ancient times christianity was firmly rooted in iraq and the rest of the territory now seen as the arab middle east archbishop mikhael al jamil patriarchal vicar of the syrian catholic church of antioch to the holy see and vicar apostolic for europe dr suha rassam has written a work of remarkable scholarship but is is also a vivid portrayal of an extraordinary story of conflict persecution and for fifty years in the twentieth century of hope harmony and prosperity for the christian community in iraq it would be a tragedy if that christian community were now extinguished cardinal cormac murphy o connor archbishop of westminster gives to the general interested public a comprehensive and informed insight into two thousand years of christianity in iraq dr erica hunter school of oriental and african studies london university

Christianity in Iraq 2005 george w bush graduated from yale university and harvard business school flew planes with the texas air national guard was an executive at a major oil company and served as the governor of texas in 2001 he followed in his father s footsteps and became the president of the united states cover page 4

George W. Bush 2015-09-08 ending the u s war in iraq required redeploying 100 000 military and civilian personnel handing off responsibility for 431 activities to the iraqi government u s embassy uscentcom or other u s government entities and moving or transferring ownership of over a million pieces of property in accordance with u s and

iraqi laws national policy and dod requirements this book examines the planning and execution of this transition

Ending the U.S. War in Iraq 2013-11-05 gender justice and the wars in iraq offers a feminist critique and reconstruction of just war theory it points out gender biases in the just war tradition and suggests alternative jus ad bellum and jus in bello standards that emphasize women political marginality and empathy laura sjoberg applies this feminist just war theory to analyze the wars in iraq since the end of the cold war the first gulf war the war of sanctions and the second gulf war by examining international political discourse from and about iraq it shows where war generally and just war specifically are gendered through the stories of key just war characters like jessica lynch this book reveals where women are omitted and subordinated in global politics sjoberg suggests that dialogue and empathy replace righteousness in just war thinking for the good of human safety everywhere and concludes with alternative visions of gulf war policies inspired by feminist just war theory

Gender, Justice, and the Wars in Iraq 2006-05-12 the world continues to be threatened by non state religiously rationalized violence while some fail to see the connections between the united states intervention in the middle east and this ongoing threat the non state perpetrators of terror consistently identify american meddling as one of their principle motivating grievances what are the social and cultural roots of different religious positions on the war in iraq christianity and american state violence in iraq returns to a critical moment in u s foreign policy during which american christians publicly debated war in iraq it examines the religious precepts that were used to argue both for and against the united states military engagement in iraq to capture this behavior christopher a morrissey delves into the distinct social and cultural origins of both war supporting and war challenging positions his analysis represents an improved understanding of the public role of religion in important foreign policy debates and helps us better understand how religious culture can legitimate or challenge state violence an original and timely resource on the social sources of religion s ambivalence towards violence and peace in the us and abroad

Christianity and American State Violence in Iraq 2018-03-09 drawing on the unusually extensive official documentation that has emerged through multiple inquiries on both sides of the atlantic as well

as insider accounts of cia deliberations the contributors to this volume offer careful and insightful analyses of the national security decision making process the foreign policy roles of the president and prime minister the roles of congress and parliament the management and limits of intelligence the shaping of public opinion and the ethics of humanitarian military intervention the book also discusses the dilemmas faced by australia a junior ally in the war on terror and their implications for australian intelligence book jacket

Intelligence and National Security Policymaking on Iraq 2008 discussion of the issues surrounding the destruction of cultural property in times of conflict has become a key issue for debate around the world this book provides an historical statement as of 1st march 2006 concerning the destruction of the cultural heritage in iraq in a series of chapters it outlines the personal stories of a number of individuals who were and in most cases continue to be involved these individuals are involved at all levels and come from various points along the political spectrum giving a rounded and balanced perspective so easily lost in single authored reports it also provides the first views written by iraqis on the situation of archaeology in iraq under saddam and an overview and contextualisation of the issues surrounding the looting theft and destruction of the archaeological sites the iraqi national museum and the libraries in baghdad since the war was launched in 2003 beyond this it examines our attitudes towards the preservation of cultural and heritage resources and in particular the growing political awareness of their importance although related to a single conflict taking place at a specific time in history the relevance of this work goes far beyond these self imposed boundaries peter stone is professor of heritage studies and head of school of arts and cultures at newcastle university joanne farchakh bajjaly is a lebanese archaeologist and middle east correspondent for the french magazine archéologia

The Destruction of Cultural Heritage in Iraq 2008 this book provides a descriptive and analytical narrative of the evolution of us foreign policy towards iraq at the supra national global national arab iraq and sub national iraqi kurdistan levels the book is unique in that it presents a sophisticated insight into the two major components of us iraq policy to achieve this it addresses us foreign policy towards both arab iraq and an entirely original analysis on us policy towards the iraqi kurds as components of a larger us iraq policy dictated by the supreme us grand

strategy the book also examines whether us foreign policy towards iraq has been one of continuity or change a dimension that has not been illustrated in any other publication the book deals intelligently and at great length with the events surrounding us iraq policy in three distinct phases going back to 1979 with regard to arab iraq and 1961 in respect to the kurdish liberation movement covering all subsequent us administrations including the obama presidency it provides a thorough examination of us interests in iraq and reasons for the 2003 invasion and its aftermath it also engages with the intellectual roots of us foreign policy presenting an intricate reaction of views objectives and agendas this work will be of interest to students and scholars of middle east studies us foreign policy and security studies

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