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All Legats

Attn: CT SACs
CT ASACs
CT SSAs
Training Coordinators

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Drafted By: [REDACTED]

Case ID #: 1L-HQ-1624747-A ser 2

Title: [REDACTED] CAREER DEVELOPMENT PLAN;
[REDACTED] SPECIAL AGENT CAREER
PLAN (CT SACP)

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Synopsis: To provide the [REDACTED] Special Agent
Career Path (SACP) developmental plan.

References: [REDACTED]

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Details: By way of background, in 2007, the Human Resources Division (HRD), Career Path Unit (CPU) initiated the development of career paths for all FBI job series. The SACP was selected for initial development. As a result, HRD, CPU required each operational division to develop and define their SACP relative to roles and responsibilities as set forth by Director Mueller. This EC provides an overview of the [REDACTED] SACP.

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The [REDACTED] Continuing Education and Professional Development Unit (CEPDU), has sole responsibility to develop and implement the SACP for [REDACTED] designated Special Agents (SAs). CEPDU conducted analysis of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] to identify potential learning opportunities. As a result, CEPDU has established career

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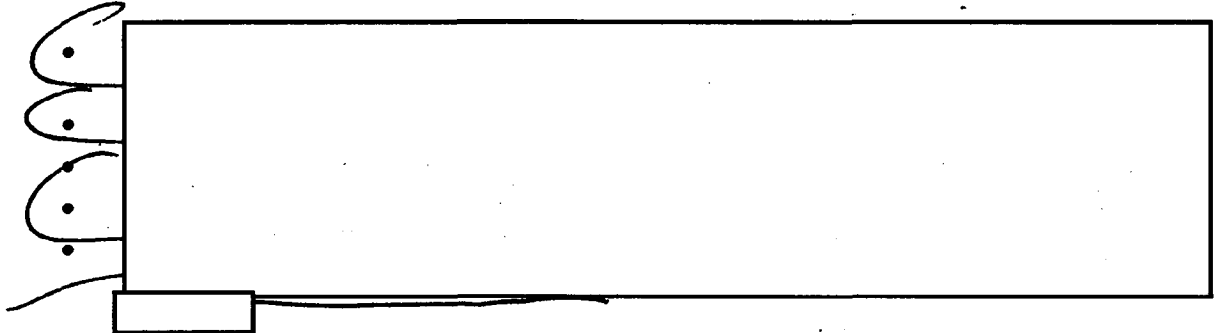
Recommended Training

- Management Development Competency Based Training¹

Stage III - [redacted] Increased specialized training
and on-the-job experiences. [redacted]

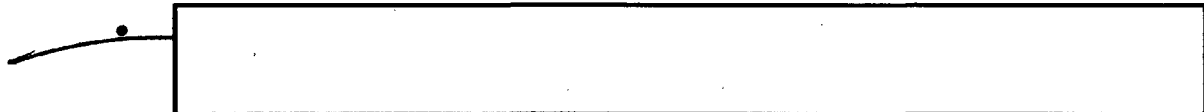
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Required Training



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Recommended Training



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- Management Development Competency Based Training¹
- Legat Pre-Deployment (mandatory for FBI personnel in overseas assignments)

Stage IV - [redacted] Increased specialized training and on-
the-job experiences; [redacted]

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Recommended Training

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Stage V - (Management/Executive Program) Agents may choose to
apply for a management position [REDACTED]

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Recommended Training

- Navigating Strategic Change (NSC)
- Leading Strategic Change

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- Executive Leadership Conference
- Supervisors Development Institute (SDI)
- The Emerging Executive
- Executive Development Initiative (EDI)
- FBI Leadership Fellows Program
- [REDACTED]
- Director's Leadership Conference
- GETA Sponsored Events

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An FD-932 form will be submitted with all education and training listed in the Virtual Academy "Self Reporting Section."

To review the [REDACTED] SACP development plan and detailed curriculum provided by the CEPDU, visit CEPDU's Home Page on the Intranet at [REDACTED]

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Questions relating to courses which are not listed on our web page may be posed to via the CEPDU Outlook mailbox, Subject Line: [REDACTED] SACP.

1. The Career Path Unit (CPU), Human Resources Division (HRD) developed the Management Development Competency Based Training for Special Agents interested in entering the Management Program. Management Development Competency Based Training provides [REDACTED]

2. Per FBI policy (Memorandum dated 8/7/2001 to All FBI Employees from the Assistant Director of the Training Division; [REDACTED], each employee is to obtain at least 15 hours of developmental training or education each year, coinciding with the annual appraisal period. CE opportunities must be directly related to job performance and should enhance the knowledge, skills, and abilities of the FBI employee. A credit hour has been defined by the Training Division/Office of Technology, Research, and Curriculum Development as:

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"An hour of continuing education credit will be earned for each hour the employee participates in an organized educational experience under qualified instruction and direction. This rule also applies to each hour the employee participates in a real-time activity such as audio, video or distance instruction.

For self-paced learning opportunities such as books, periodicals or computer-based learning, the number of CE credits will be determined by the employee and supervisor. In the case of written publications, the number of hours awarded should not exceed 15 hours per publication."

To maintain a highly skilled workforce, SAs who are in Stages IV and V of the SACP are now required to complete 15 CE credit hours during each appraisal period (60 min of training = 1 CE credit hour). CE credit hours may be substituted for the general CE hours, thereby satisfying both the and FBI mandated requirements. Only based courses will be accepted for the 15 CE credit hour requirement.

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All ASACs: Ensure each Supervisory Special Agent ^{b7E}
and each designated Special Agent is provided the SACP. For
information. Read and clear.

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Anti-Terror Training

From TransitionWiki

Teaming Up with West Point



It's a partnership that makes sense in the post-9/11 world: the FBI working closely with the prestigious Combating Terrorism Center (<http://www.ctc.usma.edu/>) at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, NY, on a variety of training initiatives.

Established five years ago, the Center provides in-depth research, policy analysis, and education in matters relating to terrorism, counterterrorism, homeland security, and weapons of mass destruction. Its "clients" include representatives from all levels of government, undergraduate students, non-profit groups, and private enterprise.

Our collaboration started in 2006, when FBI counterterrorism executive T.J. Harrington got in touch with the Center as part of his efforts to strengthen training for our more than 100 Joint Terrorism Task Forces (JTTFs) around the country. Says Harrington, "I knew the center by reputation and thought it could really augment our original training, helping JTTF members to put their investigations into context against the overall terrorism picture."

Turns out, he was right. The Combating Terrorism Center quickly developed a three-day counterterrorism course specifically tailored to the needs of the Bureau and its task forces, focusing on understanding Islam, the roots of extremism, how terrorists use the Internet, and the origins and practices of terrorist networks like al-Qa'ida, Hizballah, and HAMAS. In mid-2006, Center instructors began traveling to select FBI field offices to conduct the class for JTTF personnel — which include FBI agents, analysts, and other support professionals, plus our non-Bureau task force partners.

The feedback so far? Extremely positive. "The history and background information allows you to understand why each organization believes what they do and why they do what they do," said one participant. Offered another, "It gave me a clearer knowledge of where the bad guys are coming from ... [and] has actually prompted me to seek out more information about the socio-economic-religious aspects of the terrorist ideology."

That initiative was just the beginning. Since then, we've greatly expanded our involvement with the Combating Terrorism Center. Today, the Center:

- Sponsors leadership retreats at West Point for our field office management and counterterrorism executives from Headquarters in Washington, who not only get a healthy dose of the latest counterterrorism training but also an opportunity to exchange ideas, to raise important issues, and to work together to help shape the Bureau's counterterrorism strategies;
- Provides each of our new agent classes with insightful historical and cultural information on current terrorism threats;

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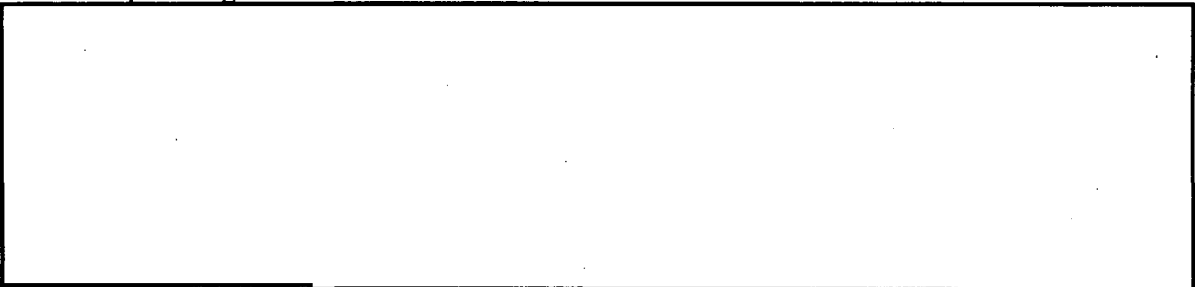
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Background

Following the events of September 11, 2001, the 9/11 Commission and the WMD Commission recognized the FBI's need for a specialized and integrated national security workforce. Former President George H.W. Bush, Congress, and the Commissions, have all directed the FBI to develop a method for employees to become experts in their field. A career path program was developed and will permit the FBI to articulate to those oversight bodies the methods the FBI uses to develop highly skilled employees.

**The new Special Agent Career Path**

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Message from Director Mueller [redacted]

[redacted] June 13, 2007

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Message From the CT Assistant Director



Training and education are crucial to the FBI's effectiveness in fighting the war on terrorism, and in order to maximize our ability to focus on threats, stay ahead of terrorist trends, and neutralize terrorist threats throughout the United States and the world, we must continue to train and educate an already highly skilled Counterterrorism (CT) workforce. Therefore, the Counterterrorism Division will fully invest in our Counterterrorism employees by refining career paths and developing new educational opportunities for professional development.

I fully expect each employee to take advantage of the opportunities provided by CEPDU in order to fulfill our training goals.

*Mark Giuliano
Assistant Director
Counterterrorism Division*

Career Stages

Special Agents will be provided a roadmap to achieve specific career goals and given program specific developmental plans [redacted]

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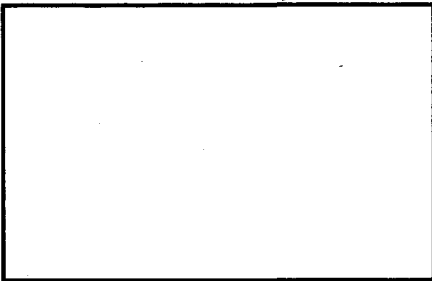
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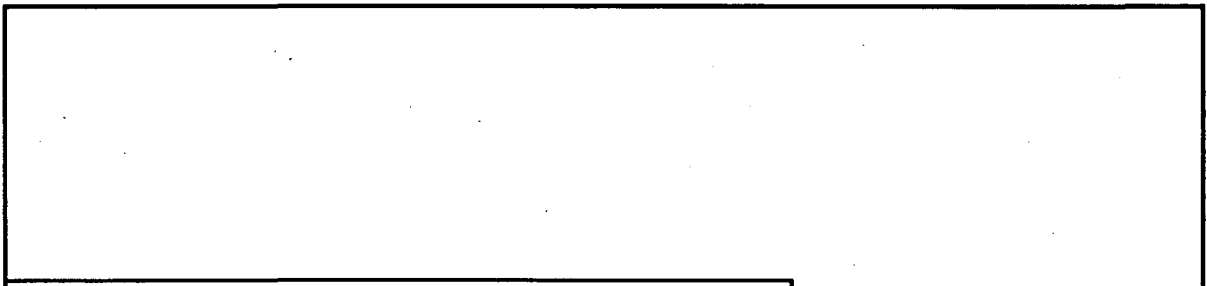
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Stage I - New Agent

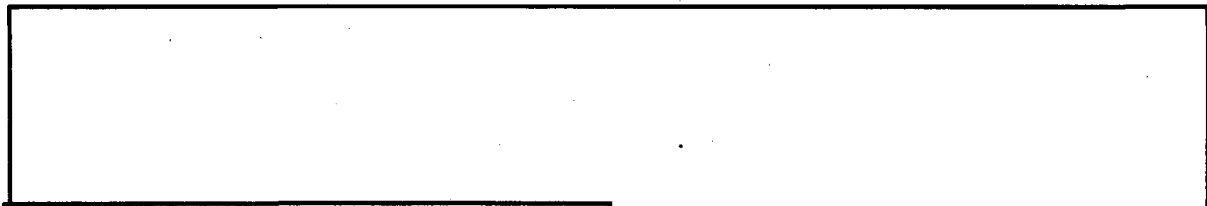
Agents are pre-designated into a career path at the time of hire and attend New Agent Training
[redacted] at Quantico. In New Agents
training there are [redacted]

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Stage II - Agents



Agents report to their first office assignment and complete Probationary Agent Program requirements, including mandatory experience in both criminal and national security casework. Agents attend career

[redacted] Special Agent Career Path

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Stage III

Agents initially sent to small/medium offices transfer to large offices.

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opportunities for SAs in Stage III

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Stage IV - [redacted]

Agents become recognized leaders/experts in areas of specialization.

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15 Hours [redacted] Continued Education Hours

[redacted]

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Stage V - [redacted]

Agents can apply for management positions [redacted]

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15 Hours [redacted] Continued Education Hours

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Training



CEPDU's Home Page

The mission of the Continuing Education and Professional Development Unit is to develop and implement a comprehensive learning strategy to enhance the professional development of FBI employees.

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Below is a list of mandatory courses for all Special Agents,

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Core Curriculum is mandatory.

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Core Curriculum:

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Taken Annually:

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Supervisors and Executives:

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Retrieved from [redacted] Special Agent Career Path"

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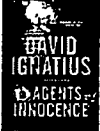
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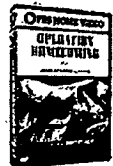
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Cover	Title	Author	Description	Resource
	50 Years War, The - Israel and the Arabs	PBS	The 50 Years War is often a tale of mistrust and betrayal, but this production strives to present a balanced view of history, and is not only impressive for its command of the facts but for its skillful and often dramatic presentation of history.	DVD
	9/11 Commission Report: Final Report of the National Commission on Terrorist Acts Against the United States (Indexed Hardcover, Authorized Edition)	National Commission on Terrorist Attacks	The final report of the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks upon the United States; covers the facts and circumstances surrounding the September 11 attacks; identifies lessons learned, and provides recommendations to safeguard against future acts of terrorism.	Publication
	Accidental Guerrilla, The	David Kilcullen	Kilcullen uses Afghanistan and Iraq as primary case studies for a new kind of war that relies on an ability to provoke Western powers into protracted, exhausting, expensive interventions.	Publication
	Agents Of Innocence	David Ignatius	A suspenseful account of a CIA agent who penetrates a prime Palestinian unit and makes a secret agreement with a Fatah Intelligence deputy chief.	Publication
	Al Qaeda Reader, The	Raymond Ibrahim	The Al-Qaeda Reader lays bare al-Qaeda's ultimate motives. Many of al-Qaeda's official accusations against the West are meticulously delineated, from standard complaints to wholly unexpected ones concerning the US's exploitation of women and the environment.	Publication
	Al-Qaida's (Mis) Adventures in the Horn of Africa	Harmony Project, Combating Terrorism Center at West Point	The Combating Terrorism Center's team of area experts and terrorism scholars analyzed al-Qa'ida's attempts to establish bases of operations and recruit followers in the Horn of Africa.	Publication
	America At A Crossroads: Gangs of Iraq	PBS Home Video	Frontline takes a hard look at how the four-year training effort has failed and how the Coalition-trained forces have themselves been infiltrated by various sectarian militias.	DVD
	America At A Crossroads: Jihad; The Men and Ideas Behind alQaeda	PBS Home Video	This episode explored the ideas and beliefs that inspire modern, radical Islamic groups.	DVD

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America At A
Crossroads: Kansas
To Kandahar

PBS Home Video

This episode explores the response of
the US military in the war on terror.

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America At A
Crossroads:
Operation
Homecoming

PBS Home Video

Operation Homecoming explores the
searing firsthand accounts of American
troops through their own words, letters,
essays and personal journals.

DVD

America At A
Crossroads:
Struggle For The
Soul of Islam,
Inside Indonesia

PBS Home Video

This episode explores Indonesia long
history of moderation in its practice of
Islam and how Islamic radicals have
mad the country a flash point in the
global war on terror.

DVD

America At A
Crossroads: The
Muslim Americans

PBS Home Videos

This episode explores the diversity of
Muslims in America today.

DVD

America At a
Crossroads:
Europe's 9/11

PBS Home Video

Explored in-depth the phenomenon of
homegrown terrorism, examining the
bombings in Madrid, Spain and the
connections between those bombers
and alQaeda cell activitted in Milan,
Italy.

DVD

America At A
Crossroads: Inside
America's Empire

PBS Home Video

This episode illuminates how the US
military is confronting the war on
terrorism in unexpected and innovative
ways.

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America At A
Crossroads:
Warriors

PBS Home Video

This episode profiles a handful of Army
soldiers filmed during the spring and
fall of 2005 in some of the most
dangerous areas in and around
Baghdad.

DVD

America At A
Crossroads:
Security Versus
Liberty; The Other
War

PBS Home Video

This edition explores the national
debate on some of the controversial
new policies the US government
adopted to help prevent terrorism at
home.

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American Jihad:
The Terrorists
Living Among Us

Steven Emerson

The story of the rise of those who wish to destroy the United States from within. From the 1993 bombing of the World Trade Center to foiled attacks on the New York City subway system, to a stunning range of murders across the country, and many other threats within our borders.

Publication



Arab Mind, The

Raphael Patai

First published in 1973, revised in 1983, and now updated with new demographic information about the Arab world, The Arab Mind takes readers on a journey through the societies and peoples of a complex and volatile region. This sensitive study explores the historical origins of Arab nationalism, the distinctive rhetorical style of Arabic speakers and its effect on politics, traditional attitudes toward child-rearing practices, the status of women, the beauty of Arabic literature, and much more.

Publication



Baghdad Diary

A & E Home
Videos

Intimate memoirs of life within the war in Iraq. Discover the basic story of human survival at the root of the Iraqi War. Iraqis involved in this project tempted suspicion - and execution - as spies.

DVD



Bin Ladens, The

Steve Coll

Steve Coll's riveting new book not only gives us the most psychologically detailed portrait of the brutal 9/11 mastermind yet, but in telling the epic story of Osama bin Laden's extended family, it also reveals the crucial role that his relatives and their relationship with the royal house of Saud played in shaping his thinking, his ambitions, his technological expertise and his tactics.

Publication



Brotherhood of
Terror

The History
Channel

Journey to Cairo, Egypt, where the Muslim Brotherhood was created in the late 1920s, and learn how Brotherhood members passed radical ideologies onto legions of followers.

DVD



Brotherhood of
Warriors

Aaron Cohen

The propulsive, gripping story of Aaron Cohen's story, from being a member of the Green Berets and NAVY Seals, to infiltrate a Hamas wedding to seize a wanted terrorist and pose as an American journalist to set a trap for one of the financiers behind the Dizengoff Massacre.

Publication



Cell, The; Inside
The 9/11 Plot and
Why The FBI and
CIA Failed To Stop
It

John Miller,
Michael Stone with
Chris Mitchell

This remarkable book offers a firsthand account of what it is to be a police officer, an FBI agent or a reporter obsessed with a case few people will take seriously. The Cell also contains a first-person account of Miller's face-to-face meeting with bin Laden and provides the first full-length treatment to piece together what led up to the events of 9/11, ultimately delivering the

Publication

disturbing answer to the question: Why, with all the information the intelligence community had, was no one able to stop the September 11 attacks?

	Closing of the Muslim Mind, The	Robert R. Reilly	In this eye-opening new book, foreign policy expert Robert R. Reilly uncovers the root of our contemporary crisis: a pivotal struggle waged within the Muslim world nearly a millennium ago. In a heated battle over the role of reason, the side of Irrationality won. The deformed theology that resulted, Reilly reveals, produced the spiritual pathology of Islamism, and a deeply dysfunctional culture.	Publication
	Counter-Terrorism Puzzle, The	Boaz Ganor	The CT Puzzle is intended to serve as a guide for the decision-maker at all levels. It examines different models and approaches to decision making, as well as the dilemmas regarding offensive and defensive actions taken against terror organizations.	Publication
	Encyclopedia of Terrorism	Cindy C. Combs and Martin Slann	This book is on terrorism in, or against, the U.S.	Publication
	Faithful Spy, The	Alex Berenson	Two years after U.S. secret agent John Wells infiltrates al-Qaeda, the events of 9/11 call into question his usefulness, if not his loyalty, but he keeps his cover and bides his time, burrowing closer to Osama while sincerely converting to the one true faith of Islam as the years slip by. When al-Zawahiri sends him home at last, it is to serve some undetermined role in a major, multiphase offensive cleverly designed to strike terror in the American heart by unleashing conventional, biological, and nuclear attacks from coast to coast.	Publication
	Far Enemy, The	Fawaz A. Gerges	Fawaz Gerges' book on al Qaeda and the jihadist movement has become a classic in the field since it was published in 2005. Here he argued that far from being an Islamist front united in armed struggle, or jihad against the Christian West, as many misguided political commentators and politicians opined, al Qaeda represented a small faction within the jihadist movement, criticized by other groups who preferred to concentrate on changing the Muslim world, rather than attacking the Far Enemy and making the fight global. Al-Qaeda is now in the wilderness suffering massive erosion of authority and legitimacy in Muslim eyes and facing a fierce revolt from within. As Gerges warns, the next US administration would do well to use political and socio-economic strategies	Publication

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Fighting Terrorism:
How Democracies
Can Defeat The
International
Terrorist Network

Benjamin
Netanyahu

rather than military means to ensure that it stays there.

Netanyahu traces the history of terrorism and provides his advice on how to defeat it.

Publication



From The
Terrorists' Point of
View

Fathali M.
Moghaddam

From the Terrorist's Point of View, shaped by the author's first-hand experiences of life in the Islamic world, argues that terrorism arises from a deep and pervasive identity crisis in Islamic societies. *From the Terrorist's Point of View* was distributed at the 2010 CTD ASAC Conference.

Publication



Fury For God, A:
The Islamist Attack
on America

Malise Ruthven

Much in this book will be familiar, the events of September 11, the idea of jihad, but former BBC journalist and scholar Ruthven is worth reading for the occasional stunning insight he offers into the psychology underlying terrorism by drawing on less well-known scholarship. He asserts, for instance, that the motivations of suicide attackers are not naive faith or "Islamic heroism, but... "Nietzschean despair" a frustration with the world's refusal to conform to the right path laid down by God.

Publication



Ghost

Fred Burton

In the mid-1980s, Burton, a Maryland police officer, joined the Diplomatic Security Service and was assigned to its counterterrorism branch. Soon Burton was plunged into the world of Middle Eastern terrorism, and this memoir follows him as he works a number of cases, including the release of hostages from Beirut, which exploded into the Iran-Contra affair and appears to have affected the author in a deep and personal way.

Publication



Ghost Wars

Steve Coll

Based on research and first hand accounts by key government, intelligence, and military personnel, both foreign and American, Coll recounts the history of the covert wars in Afghanistan that fueled Islamic Militancy and sowed the seeds of the September 11th attacks.

Publication



Global Jihadism:
Theory and
Practice

Jarret M.
Brachman

The first half of the book explores the ideas upon which groups such as Al Qaeda are built, including the concepts of Jihad, al-Wala wal-Bara, Takfir and Tawhid. Jarret Brachman exposes a genre of Jihadist strategic scholarship that has been virtually ignored in the West and helps to situate it within the broader Salafist religious movement. The second half explores the thinking and activities of Al Qaeda's propaganda machine, explaining its intricacies and idiosyncrasies. It includes case studies

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God's War on Terror: Islam, Prophecy and the Bible

Walid Shoebat and Joel Richardson

on the rise and fall of global Jihadist terrorism in Saudi Arabia post-9/11, and highlights the explosive results of bringing theory to bear on practice in the United Kingdom over the past twenty years. The book concludes by providing innovative strategies for combating the global Jihadist Ideology.

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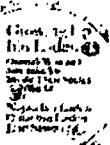


Ground Zero Search and Recovery

A & E Home Video

Never-before-seen footage takes you behind the scenes of the 9/11 investigation.

DVD



Growing Up bin Laden: Osama's Wife and Son Take Us Inside Their Secret World

Najwa bin Laden, Omar bin Laden, and Jean Sasson

Growing Up bin Laden is a repellent but oddly fascinating as-told-to memoir by bin Laden's first wife, Najwa, and fourth son, Omar. Assuming that their accounts are truthful, there is an inside view of a person so blinded by his cause that he strips himself of all humanity.

Publication



Hezbollah: A Short Study

Augustus Richard Norton

Norton tells how Hezbollah developed, how it has evolved, and what future direction it might take. He explains Hezbollah as a "Janus-faced" organization in the middle of an incomplete metamorphosis from extremism to mundane politics, an evolution whose outcome is far from certain.

Publication



Hezbollah: Born with a Vengeance

Hala Jaber

In this highly readable book, Jaber goes behind the veil of Hezbollah to tell the reader that not all we read in the West about this group is quite true. Hostages, suicide bombers, etc. - it's all in here, but so are the schools, the hospitals, and the social structure that Hezbollah has built over the years.

Publication



Homegrown Jihad

Christian Action Network

The explosive documentary that exposes the secret Islamic terrorist camps in America....with never-before-seen footage of terrorist compounds in America

DVD



How To Break A Terrorist

Matthew Alexander and John Bruning

Alexander, a pseudonymous air force officer, and writer Bruning (House to House), collaborate to tell the stranger-than-fiction story of the intelligence operation that located and ultimately killed Abu Musab Al Zarqawi, the head of al-Qaeda in Iraq.

Publication



**Hunting Terrorists:
A Look at the
Psychopathology of
Terror**

Joe Navarro

The goal of this book is to help the reader understand the makeup of a terrorist, what they universally share in common, what is part and parcel of their personalities, what is in their heads, and how they will behave in furtherance of their ideology. This book is a unique melding together of psychology and practical investigative experience that will benefit students and law enforcement professionals.

Publication



Infidel

Ayaan Hirsi Ali

In this profoundly affecting memoir from the internationally renowned author of *The Caged Virgin*, Ayaan Hirsi Ali tells her astonishing life story, from her traditional Muslim childhood in Somalia, Saudi Arabia, and Kenya, to her intellectual awakening and activism in the Netherlands, and her current life under armed guard in the West.

Publication



Informant, The

Kurt Eichenwald

Within a major American corporation, a senior executive has been serving as a secret government informant. His covert tapes record incontrovertible of a vast international criminal conspiracy. But just when the FBI is about to snap on the cuffs, they receive scalding news: Their star snitch is a champion embezzler. Apparently for years he's been siphoning millions of dollars from the company and transferring the loot overseas. Before the last twist, the C.I.A., political heavy-weights, botched crimes, suicide attempts, acts of extortion, and courtroom surprises have flared past our line of sight.

Publication



**Inside Al-Qaeda:
Global Network of
Terror**

Rohan Gunaratna

A book that analyses and explains who the ominous 'Al-Qaeda' are, where they come from and who they will be in the future. It is an eye opener for all who thought the phenomenon of Muslim terrorism will go away soon.

Publication



Inside Islam

History Channel

Inside Islam lifts the veil of mystery surrounding a misunderstood faith.

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Inside Terrorism

Bruce Hoffman

Hoffman analyzes the new adversaries, motivations, and tactics of global terrorism that have emerged in recent years, focusing specifically on how al Qaeda has changed since 9/11; the reasons behind its resiliency, resonance, and longevity; and its successful use of the Internet and videotapes to build public support and gain new recruits.

Publication

Inside The Jihad

Omar Nasiri

Inside the Jihad is the story of a double agent operative working for UK and French intelligence in infiltrating Al Qaeda training camps. From Europe's

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burgeoning terrorist underground in the 1990s, to the training camps of Afghanistan, to the radical mosques of London, Omar Nasiri offers a unique perspective on both the rise of Al Qaeda and the intelligence services that struggled to contain it.



Instinct: The Man Who Stopped the 20th Hijacker

Michael Smerconish

At the center of this dramatic true story is Mohammed al Kahtani, allegedly meant to serve as the 20th 9/11 hijacker, whose denial of entry to the U.S. by an Orlando customs officer may have provided just the edge that the passengers of United Flight 93 needed to overpower their captors.

Publication



Interrogator, The

Raymond F. Toliver

This is the story of Hanns Scharff, the master interrogator of the Luftwaffe who questioned captured American fighter pilots of the USAAF Eighth and Ninth Air Forces in World War II. This Intelligence Officer gained the reputation as the man who could magically get all the answers he needed from the prisoners of war. In most cases the POWs being interrogated never realized that their words, small talk or otherwise, were important pieces of the mosaic Hanns Scharff was constructing for the benefit of Germany's war effort. This book is a fast reader and proves that one doesn't need to beat, hit, scream at, or torture people (as is portrayed in the movies) to get information from them. If you're interested in interrogation techniques and some mind games employed by the Nazi's and the extensive database that they maintained on Allied pilots, this book is definitely for you.

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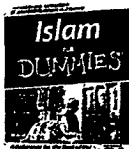


Islam and Terrorism: What the Koran Really Teaches About Christianity, Violence, and the Goals of the Islamic Jihad

Mark A. Gabriel

Islam has been veiled in a cast sea of misinformation for too long. As a professor of Islamic history at the most prestigious university in the Middle East, Dr. Mark Gabriel concluded that Islam and holy war could not be separated. Faced with a choice between "politically correct" Islam or joining in jihad himself, he left his faith altogether.

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Islam for Dummies

Malcom Clark

Whether you live or work alongside Muslims and want to relate to them better, or you simply want to gain a better understanding of the world's second largest religion, Islam For Dummies can help you make sense of this religion and its appeal. From the Qur'an to Ramadan, this friendly guide introduces you to the origins, practices and beliefs of Islam.

Publication

Islam: Empire of Faith

PBS

This 3-hour program tells the spectacular story of the great sweep of Islamic power and faith during its first 1,000 years.

DVD



Islam: A Short History

Karen Armstrong

Islam, A Short History is the concise summation of years of thinking and writing about the world's fastest growing religion, by Karen Armstrong, one of the foremost international scholars on religious affairs. Best-selling author of The Battle for God, Karen Armstrong writes about Islam with a deep understanding of the external history of the Muslim people, and the symbolic relationship between history and religion.

Publication



Islamist, The: Why I Became an Islamic Fundamentalist, What I Saw Inside, and Why I Left

Ed Husain

Based on first-hand experiences and written with pervasive clarity, The Islamist delivers a rare inside glimpse of the devious methods used to recruit new members, and offers profound insight into the appeal fundamentalism has for young Muslims in the Western world.

Publication



Kill Bin Laden: A Delta Force Commander's Account of the Hunt for the World's Most Wanted Man

Dalton Fury

Kill Bin Laden provides a rare inside look at the shadowy world of Delta Force and what happened during their mission in Tora Bora hunting for Bin Laden.

Publication



Koran, The

"Anonymous and N.J. Dawood"

Universally accepted by Muslims to be the Infallible Word of God as revealed to Mohammed by the Angel Gabriel nearly fourteen hundred years ago, the Koran still provides the rules of conduct fundamental to the Arab way of life. The Koran presents the English reader with a clear, fluent and authoritative rendering, while fully reflecting the characteristic flavor and rhythm of the original.

Publication



Law and the Long War

Benjamin Wittes

Law and the Long War tells as no book has before the story of how America came to its current impasse in the debate over liberty, human rights, and counterterrorism and draws a road map for how the country and the next president might move forward.

Publication



Lone Survivor: The Eyewitness Account of Operation Redwing and the Lost Heroes of SEAL Team 10

"Marcus Luttrell and Patrick Robinson"

This is the story of the only survivor of Operation Redwing, fire team leader Marcus Luttrell, and the extraordinary firefight that led to the largest loss of life in American Navy SEAL history. His teammates fought valiantly beside him until he was the only one left alive, blasted by an RPG into a place where his pursuers could not find him. Over the next four days, terribly injured and presumed dead, Luttrell crawled for

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Looming Tower,
The

Lawrence Wright

miles through the mountains and was taken in by sympathetic villagers who risked their lives to keep him safe from surrounding Taliban warriors.

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Lawrence Wright's remarkable book is based on five years of research and hundreds of interviews that he conducted in Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Sudan, England, France, Germany, Spain, and the United States. Brilliantly conceived and written, The Looming Tower draws all elements of the story into a galvanizing narrative that adds immeasurably to our understanding of how we arrived at September 11, 2001. The richness of its new information, and the depth of its perceptions, can help us deal more wisely and effectively with the continuing terrorist threat.



Miles to Go Before
I Sleep

Jackie Nink Pflug

Jackie Nink Pflug's gripping true story of courage and inspiration, told from a survivor's perspective, with a new preface written by the author. Ms. Pflug, who was shot and thrown onto the tarmac during the hijacking of EgyptAir Flight 648, tells her story and the lessons learned as she recuperated from this devastating trauma.

Publication



Milestones

Sayyid Qutb

The author speaks about the unique Quranic generation, the nature of the Quranic method, the characteristics of Islamic society, jihad in the cause of God, and a Muslim's nationality and his belief among other things.

Publication



Muslim Mafia

P. Davis
Gaubatz and Paul
Sperry

Get ready for an undercover exposé – a six-month penetration of the Washington-based Council on American-Islamic Relations that resulted in the collection of thousands of pages of smoking-gun documents from this terror-supporting front group for the dangerous, mob-like Muslim Brotherhood.

Publication



Muslim Next Door,
The: The Qu'ran,
the Media, and
That Veil Thing

Sumbul Ali-
Karamali

The Muslim Next Door is written from the point of view of an American Muslim, the book addresses what readers in the Western world are most curious about, beginning with the basics of Islam and how Muslims practice their religion before easing into more complicated issues like jihad, Islamic fundamentalism, and the status of women in Islam. Author Sumbul Ali-Karamali's vivid anecdotes about growing up Muslim and female in the West, along with her sensitive, scholarly overview of Islam, combine for a uniquely insightful look at the world's fastest growing religion.

Publication

Noble Qur'an, The

Dr. Muhammad
Taqi-ud-Din Al-
Hilali and Dr.
Muhammad
Mushin Khan

The Noble Qur'an summarized in one volume by: Dr. Muhammad Muhsin Khan and Dr. Muhammad Taqi-ud-Din Al-Hilali Interpretation of the meanings of the Noble Qur'an with Arabic text in

Publication



the modern English language. A summarized version of At-Tabari, Al-Qurtubi and Ibn Kathir with comments from Sahih Al-Bukhari. This 1 volume summarized version offers brief commentary and Ahadith wherever necessary. This unique combination of commentary and relevant Ahadith makes this a very useful study reference tool. The Arabic text is taken from Mushaf al Madinah



Obsession; Radical
Islam's War
Against the West

Peter Mier,
Executive
Producer

Obsession is a film about the threat of Radical Islam to Western civilization. Using unique footage from Arab television, it reveals an 'insider view' of the hatred the Radicals are teaching, their incitement of global jihad, and their goals of world domination.

DVD



Operation Solo:
The FBI's Man in
the Kremlin

John Barron

For 27 years, Morris Childs, code name "Agent 58", provided the United States with the Kremlin's innermost secrets. Repeatedly risking his life, "Agent 58" made 57 clandestine missions into the Soviet Union, China, Eastern Europe, and Cuba. Because of his high ranking in the American communist party and his position as editor of its official paper, the Daily Worker, he was treated like royalty by communist leaders such as Khrushchev, Brezhnev, and Mao Tse-tung. Through first-hand accounts, Operation Solo tells the story of the conflicts within the FBI and American intelligence about the operation, and how the FBI, through extraordinary measures, managed to keep that operation hidden from everyone, including the CIA.

Publication



Origins of
Terrorism:
Psychologies,
Ideologies,
Theologies, and
State of Mind

"Walter Reich and
Walter Laqueur"

Origins of Terrorism addresses one of the most vexing intellectual and political challenges of our time. The contributors to this book bring deep learning and experience in realms that are vital to an understanding of the arenas within which terrorist behavior takes place—arenas such as ideology, nationalism and religion. The authors explore terrorist behavior in its troubling richness and diversity, and identify the ways in which it develops, grows and sustains itself.

Publication



Perfect Soldiers:
The 9/11
Hijackers: Who
They Were, Why
They Did It

Terry Modernmott

The attacks of September 11, 2001, were a calamity on a scale few had imagined possible. In their aftermath, we exaggerated the men who perpetrated the attacks, shaping hasty and often mistaken reporting into caricatures we could comprehend — monsters and master criminals equal to the enormity of their crime. In reality, the 9/11 hijackers were unexceptional men, not much different from countless others. It is this ordinary enemy that we must understand if we are to have a legitimate hope of defeating terrorism.

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Portrait of a
Terrorist:
Mohamed Atta

A&E Home Video

Journalists, psychiatrists and former FBI and CIA investigators contribute to this exclusive profile of the 9/11 ringleader.

DVD



Prince of the
Marshes, The

Rory Stewart

Soon after Stewart, a British diplomat and professional adventurer, traveled to Iraq late in 2003 to search for work, he was named a provincial governor. Engrossing and often darkly humorous, *Marshes* should be required reading for every political commentator who knows exactly what to do in Iraq despite never having dealt with recalcitrant interpreters or an angry mob. In the end, Stewart prevails and is rewarded with an appointment to Dhi Qar, a much more dangerous province with less military support. Copyright © Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.

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Reliance of the
Traveller

Ahmad Ibn Naqib
al-Misri

'Umdat al-Salik wa 'Uddat al-Nasik (Reliance of the Traveller and tools of the Worshipper) is a classic manual of fiqh. It represents the fiqh rulings according to the Shafi'i school of jurisprudence. The appendices form an integral part of the book and present original texts and translations from classic works by prominent scholars such as al-Ghazali, Ibn Qudamah, al-Nawawi, al-Qurtubi, al-Dhahabi, Ibn Hajar and other, on topics of Islamic law, faith, spirituality, Qur'anic exegesis and Hadith sciences.

Publication



Secret History of
Al-Qaeda, The

Abdel Bari Atwan

Drawing on unparalleled access to Osama bin Laden and his key associates, journalist Abdel Bari Atwan gives an incisive and timely account, the clearest we have so far, of the rise of the notorious terrorist organization, al Qaeda. In this lively narrative, the author establishes what al Qaeda is and has become, what it wants, what its capabilities are, and how the West can answer its complaints and challenges.

Publication



Shia Revival, The

Vali Nasr

One of the least remarked upon aspects of the war in Iraq, at least in the American press, has been how conflict and instability in that country have shaken the delicate balance of power between Sunni and Shia throughout the wider region. Nasr, professor of Middle East and South Asia politics at the Naval Postgraduate School, tackles this question head-on for a Western audience. Copyright © Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.

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Shi'is of Iraq, The

Yitzhak Nakash

The Shi'is of Iraq provides a comprehensive history of Iraq's majority group and its turbulent relations with the ruling Sunnit minority.

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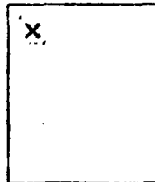


Soldiers of God

Robert D. Kaplan

Soldiers of God is a first-hand narrative of journalist Robert Kaplan's travels with the mujahadeen in Afghanistan during the waning days of the Soviet occupation. Set in the late 1980s, *Soldiers of God* tells the story of a third-world nation that was brutalized by the Soviets, then manipulated and mismanaged by the Pakistani agents who were acting as U.S. surrogates. Kaplan explains how the United States entrusted the Zia and Bhutto regimes of Pakistan with most of the day-to-day details of the war. The result was the gradual encouragement of the militant Islamist elements that would eventually coalesce into the Taliban.

Publication



Soldiers Promise, A

First Sgt. Daniel Hendrex

An incredible story between an Iraqi boy and the U.S. soldier who protected him from certain death by bringing him to the United States.

Publication



Spying Blind: The CIA, the FBI, and the Origins of 9/11

Amy B. Zegart

Spying Blind is a timely and sweeping overview of the organizational challenges confronting our intelligence agencies in an age of terrorism. Amy Zegart has written a comprehensive and engaging book that will be of interest to anyone who seeks a better understanding of America's national-security agencies.

Publication



Stalking Jihad

A & E Home Video

Feature-length documentary takes you on location to jihadist strongholds in the Philippines.

DVD



Stones into Schools

Greg Mortenson

In this dramatic first-person narrative, Greg Mortenson picks up where *Three Cups of Tea* left off in 2003, recounting his relentless, ongoing efforts to establish schools for girls in Afghanistan; his extensive work in Azad Kashmir and Pakistan after a massive earthquake hit the region in 2005; and the unique ways he has built relationships with Islamic clerics, militia commanders, and tribal leaders even as he was dodging shootouts with feuding Afghan warlords and surviving an eight-day armed abduction by the Taliban.

Publication

Struggle For Syria, The

Patrick Seale

Covers the period from independence in 1945 to the ill-fated attempt at union with Egypt in 1958.

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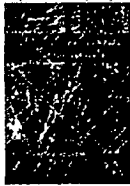
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	Terror Conspiracy, The	Jim Marrs	Marrs has crafted the definitive journalistic account exposing the likely complicity of the Bush administration in the 9/11 attacks, providing a history of the overt and covert causes of the events. However, his analysis goes far beyond 9/11, enabling us to understand the motivation behind American foreign policy, with the wars in Afghanistan and Iraq as primary examples of the US government's secret agenda.	Publication
	Terror in the Name of God: Why Religious Militants Kill	Jessica Stern	Based on her vast research, Stern lucidly explains how terrorist organizations are formed by opportunistic leaders who—using religion as both motivation and justification—recruit the disenfranchised. She depicts how moral fervor is transformed into sophisticated organizations that strive for money, power, and attention.	Publication
	Terror on the Internet	Weiman	Describes how terrorist organizations use the Internet to coordinate group action and publicize their ideology and their successes	Publication
	Terrorism and Counterterrorism	Brigadier General (Retired) Russell Howard, Major Reid Sawyer and Natasha Bajema	In this new edition of TERRORISM AND COUNTERTERRORISM: UNDERSTANDING THE NEW SECURITY ENVIRONMENT, READINGS AND INTERPRETATIONS, Brigadier General (Retired) Russell Howard, Major Reid Sawyer and Natasha Bajema have collected original and previously published seminal articles and essays by political scientists, government officials, and members of the nation's armed forces. The editors and several of the authors write from practical field experience in the nation's war on terrorism.	Publication
	Terrorism Is Sin	Frank Kubic	Rubric Stones Terrorism Is A Sin is intended to help peacemakers understand that hate and fears are deep unbodied errant beliefs.	Publication
	Terrorism: An Introduction, 2002 Update (Wadsworth Contemporary Issues in Crime	Johnathan R. White	Aids in understanding the problems of domestic and international terrorism, as well as material on al-Qaeda and violent religious extremism.	Publication

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and Justice)



Terrorism: An Investigator's Handbook (3rd Edition)

William E. Dyson

Terrorism: An Investigators Handbook introduces law enforcement professionals to the important field of terrorism investigation. Describing how terrorists operate and how they differ from other criminals, it provides a complete outline of how terrorism investigations should be conducted.

Publication



Three Cups of Tea: One Man's Mission to Promote Peace

Greg Mortenson and David Oliver Relin

On the afternoon of September 2, 1993, Greg Mortenson realized that he had failed in his attempt to climb K2, the world's second-highest mountain. But disappointment was the least of his problems. Emaciated, exhausted, thoroughly disoriented, and suffering from edema, his grip on life was loosening. He was taken in and nursed back to health by the impoverished populace of a remote Pakistani village. Grateful, he promised to return someday to build them a school. Three Cups of Tea is the story of that promise and the story of how one man changed the world, one school at a time.

Publication



Through Our Enemies Eyes

Anonymous

This seminal work on modern terrorism assesses the changes and continuities in Osama bin Laden's thinking since 2002. In order to win the war against terrorism, argues Michael Scheuer, former head of the CIA's bin Laden Unit, we must first stop dismissing militant Muslims as "extremists" or "religious fanatics." Formulating a successful military strategy requires that we see the enemy as they perceive themselves—highly trained and motivated soldiers who believe their cause is righteous. Scheuer shows that the war has accelerated the transformation of bin Laden and al Qaeda from man and organization to, respectively, a symbol of leadership and heroism and a worldwide movement.

Publication



Triple Cross: How Bin Laden's Master Spy Penetrated the CIA, The Gren Berets, and the FBI

Peter Lance

"A chilling account of a killer who slipped through the hands of a daft justice system....Triple Cross chronicles one of the most vicious spies of our time." --"Toronto Sun"

Publication



True Believer

Hoffer

A stevedore on the San Francisco docks in the 1940s, Eric Hoffer wrote philosophical treatises in his spare time while living in the railroad yards. "The True Believer" -- the first and most famous of his books -- was made into a bestseller when President Eisenhower cited it during one of the earliest television press conferences. Completely relevant and essential for understanding the world today, "The True Believer" is a visionary, highly provocative look into the mind of the

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Understanding Arabs

Margaret K. Nydell

fanatic and a penetrating study of how an individual becomes one.

Understanding Arabs will bring about understanding about modern-day Arabs for foreigners—especially Westerners in America and Europe—without pushing a political agenda. Updated to reflect the complex events that are playing out on the world stage, new chapters include: Islamic Fundamentalism—This political and social issue is not a part of the mainstream Islamic religion.

Publication



Understanding Terror Networks

Marc Sageman

Based on intensive study of biographical data on 172 participants in the jihad, Understanding Terror Networks gives us the first social explanation of the global wave of activity. Sageman traces its roots in Egypt, gestation in Afghanistan during the Soviet-Afghan war, exile in the Sudan, and growth of branches worldwide, including detailed accounts of life within the Hamburg and Montreal cells that planned attacks on the United States.

Publication



Unholy War: Terror in the Name of Islam

John L. Esposito

John L. Esposito clearly and carefully explains the teachings of Islam—the Quran, the example of the Prophet, Islamic law—about jihad or holy war, the use of violence, and terrorism. This brief, clear-sighted book reflects twenty years of study, reflection, and experience on the part of a scholar who is equally respected in the West and in the Muslim world. It will prove to be the best single guide to the urgent questions that have recently forced themselves on the attention of the entire world.

Publication



War on Terror: A Year in Review

A&E Home Video

The sweeping program documenting the aftermath of the 9/11 attacks.

DVD



What Went Wrong?: The Clash Between Islam and Modernity in the Middle East

Bernard Lewis

In this landmark volume, an authority on the Middle East examines the anguished reaction of the Islamic world as it tries to understand why things have changed, how they have been overtaken, overshadowed, and to an increasing extent dominated by the West.

Publication



Why We Want to Kill You

Walid Shoebat

A self-confessed former Islamic terrorist reveals why he and his former colleagues commit acts of violence and genocide, and are eager for the next opportunity.

Publication

Words of Abu Yahya Al-Libi

IntelCenter

The words of Abu Yahya al-Libi provide important insights into al-Qaeda. They are essential in understanding its

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Intentions, shifts in focus, difficulties, current and long-term objectives, targeting preferences and more. This volume is designed to provide the intelligence, military and law enforcement communities, as well as researchers, scholars and others, a professional-level reference work bringing all of Abu Yahya al-Libi's primary statements together in one place.

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