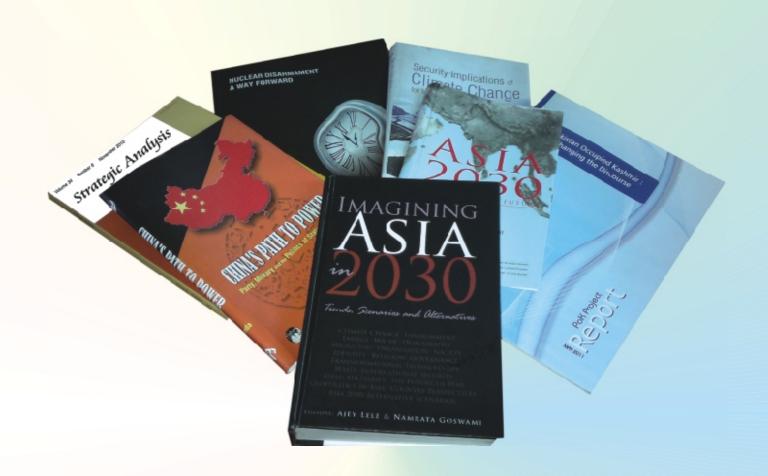
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#### **Periodicals**

#### Strategic Analysis

Strategic Analysis is the bimontly journal of the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (IDSA), New Delhi. It is a forum for independent research, analyses and commentaries on international and regional security issues that have policy relevance. The journal seeks to promote a better understanding on contemporary national and international themes.



#### **Strategic Digest**

Strategic Digest is a monthly compendium of security and foreign policy related information from open sources. It lists bilateral visits, MoUs, signed and statements/speeches made by officials.



#### **CBW Magazine**

The CBW magazine is an online biannual journal on chemical and biological weapons, covering news and analyses.



#### **Journal of Defence Studies**

The Journal of Defence Studies represents a modest attempt to encourage research on the core issues of defence. The journal serves as a platform for sharing research findings and opinions of scholars working on defence related issues, both within and outside IDSA. The journal endeavours to give priority to issues concerning defence policy, reforms in defence and defence economics.



#### **PoK News Digest**

PoK News Digest is a monthly newsletter comprising news summaries, press releases and important statements related to Pakistan occupied Kashmir (PoK), referred to as 'Azad' Kashmir and Gilgit-Baltistan by the Government of Pakistan.



### **Task Force Reports**

#### **Space Security: Need for a Proactive Approach**

Arvind Gupta, Amitav Malik, Ranjana Kaul, Rajaram Nagappa Manpreet Sethi, P.K. Sundaram, Ajey Lele

The existing space regime is facing new challenges as a result of the recent advances in space techno-logy and the emergence of space security is a critical dimension in national security calculus. This necessitates a proactive approach and a comprehensive space policy.

This volume is an attempt in this direction to sensitise experts, policy makers and interested general audiences about the developments and debates in this area and their implications for India. The objective of this report, prepared by a Working Group comprising leading experts in the field is to provide a multi-disciplinary analysis including the technological, legal, political, diplomatic, and security dimensions.



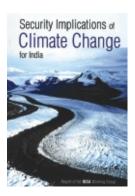
2009 \* Rs. 595 \* ISBN: 978-8-1718-8762-0

#### **Security Implications of Climate Change for India**

Arvind Gupta, Sujit Dutta, Murari Lal, Sunil Chauhan, P. K. Gautam, Shebonti Ray Dadwal, Purnamita Dasgupta, Uttam Kumar Sinha, Sreeradha Datta, Ajey Lele

This Working Group Report identifies India's key vulnerabilities. Future projections of surface warming over India indicate that the annual mean area averaged surface warming is likely to be between 2 degrees and 3 degrees celcius and 3.5 and 5.5 degrees celcius by the middle and end of 21st century respectively. Trends in sea level rise indicate a possible rise between 1.06 to 2.75 mm per year. Every 1.0 degree rise in temperature would reduce wheat production by 4 to 5 million tonnes. Water scarcity will threaten food supplies in India. A quarter of our biodiversity could be lost.

The Working Group felt that climate change cannot be delinked from the overall energy security and economic growth.



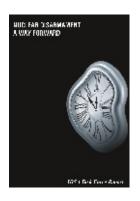
2009 \* Rs. 695 \* ISBN: 978-81-7188-763-7

### **Task Force Reports**

#### **Nuclear Disarmament A Way Forward**

Satish Chandra, N.S. Sisodia, Arvind Gupta, G. Balachandran, Rajiv Nayan A. Vinod Kumar, Reshmi Kazi, S. Samuel C. Rajiv, Priyanka Singh, Saba Joshi

This Report seeks to examine the obstacles to nuclear disarmament and the manner in which they can be removed. It reiterates the dangers of the nuclear weapon states persisting with their current policies of privileging nuclear weapons in their security postures and neglecting their obligations under Article VI of the nuclear non-proliferation treaty (NPT). While noting the difficulties in realizing the vision of a world free of nuclear weapons in incremental steps, this report calls for renewed efforts to bring about a Nuclear Weapons Convention (NWC) as the best way of achieving the objective in a time-bound, verifiable and equitable manner.



2010 \* ISBN: 81-86019-69-3

## Whither Pakistan? Growing Instability and Implications for India

Arvind Gupta, Alok Bansal, Ashok K Behuria, C.V. Sastry, Harinder Singh, P. K. Upadhayay, Smruti S Pattanaik, Sumita Kumar, Sushant Sarin, Kartik Bommakanti, Medha Bisht, Shamshad Khan, Imtiyaz Majid

The Report deals with Pakistan's future. The basic argument that is made in the report is that Pakistan is likely to remain unstable because of inherent weaknesses in its political, economic and security policies. The absence of any long-term shared vision of Pakistan, the over-securitization of the state apparatus because of its obsession with India as a threat and an enemy, and the state's ambivalence towards the phenomenon of Islamic radicalism will keep Pakistan in a state of chronic turmoil. The report suggests a set of policy alternatives for India to deal with the consequences of an unstable Pakistan, on a long term basis.



2010 \* Rs. 299 \* ISBN: 81-86019-70-7

### **Task Force Reports**

#### Water Security for India: The External Dynamics

Narendra Sisodia, Arvind Gupta, Uttam Kumar Sinha, Sreeradha Datta, Nihar Nayak, Medha Bisht, P K Gautam, M Mahtab Alam Rizvi, Satish Chandra, Rajiv Sikri, K Warikoo Maj Gen Vijay Aga, D K Mehta, D V Thareja, S K Chaudhari, C S Mathur, Cdr Sunil Chauhan

India is facing a serious water resource problem and as trends suggest, it is expected to become 'water stressed' by 2025 and 'water scarce' by 2050. Premised on this, this IDSA Report raises fundamental questions about the forces driving water demand and the political dynamics of riparian relations, both in terms of hindrances and opportunities, amongst states in the subcontinent.



2010 \* Rs. 350 \* ISBN: 81-86019-83-9

#### **Development of Nuclear Energy Sector in India**

Thomas Mathew, G. Balachandran, V. G. Hegde, Rajiv Nayan, Reshmi Kazi, Nandakumar Janardhanan, Kapil Patil, Prashant Hosur

The vision for the development of nuclear energy in India is not new. It dates back to pre-independence days. The nation had embarked on the development of large-scale infrastructure for nuclear power generation and building a scientific-technological base for it. The process of the development of nuclear energy was, however, not smooth. It had to overcome enormous difficulties to reach the present stage. The obstacles it had to face were primarily due to the technology denial regimes adopted by various nations that either had the expertise or had harnessed nuclear energy.



2010 \* Rs. 200

#### Pakistan Occupied Kashmir: Changing the Discourse

Arvind Gupta, Ashok Behuria, Priyanka Singh, Anwesha Ray Chaudhuri

As part of the ongoing IDSA research project on Pakistan occupied Kashmir (PoK), a Round Table was organised at IDSA on August 19, 2010. The project report is based on the proceedings of this Round Table and, it also has significant inputs from the *PoK News Digest*, IDSA's monthly newsletter on developments in PoK. The report brings out key facts relating to the history of PoK and analyses the prevailing political situation in the region. It aims to disseminate information on PoK, inform public opinion and create awareness on a crucial issue which has been largely ignored.

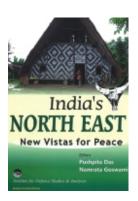


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#### India's North East: New Vistas for Peace (Ed)

Pushpita Das and Namrata Goswami

This book is an attempt to suggest a way towards peace and development in the North East. The authors, mostly belonging to the region, have provided valuable insights on the issues of insurgency, development and security and have also suggested concrete measures to tackle the myriad problems afflicting the region. They assert that local participatory initiatives are extremely important not only to counter the exclusive narratives of rebel groups but also to lead the region on its path to peace and prosperity. They also emphasize that the media and the security forces should contribute positively towards this effort.



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#### **Changing Security Dynamics in Southeast Asia (Ed)**

N. S. Sisodia and Sreeradha Datta

This book contains the proceeding of the 9th Asian Security Conference held in 2007. The conference deliberated on Southeast Asian perspectives on security, the role of external powers—both current and also those that were rising, the problems of religious fundamentalism and terrorism, the challenges of maritime cooperation among countries abutting crucial world energy transit routes, the advantages of regional, multilateral organizations in fostering cooperative behaviours, and India's growing role and stakes in this region.

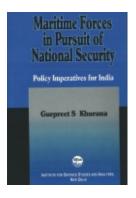


2008 \* Rs. 795 \* ISBN: 81-87363-94-0

## Maritime Forces in Pursuit of National Security: Policy Imperatives for India

Gurpreet S Khurana

The growing interest of nations in the ocean-realm has become discernable in recent years, leading to an increased significance of maritime security. This is particularly relevant to India, whose vital stakes are expanding beyond its terrestrial confines. How has this increased the responsibility of Indian maritime forces? Can we expect these forces to satiate national-security interests beyond maritime affairs? What approach and capabilities are needed for this? As an attempt to answer these questions, this book is intended for a 'wide-spectrum' readership; ranging from a layman but a keen observer of national/ global events that affect him, to the academics and Indian policy makers.

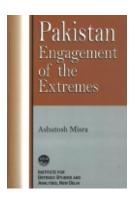


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#### Pakistan: Engagement of the Extremes

Ashutosh Misra

The book traces the relationship between the Military and Islamists, herein referred to as the two extremes and examines various measures and acts that resulted since it evolved in 2002. It explains the dynamics of Military-Islamists partnership under Musharraf and how it differed in substance and intent from what featured under Gen. Zia ul Haq. This book is not only about their mutual trust but mistrust as well and illustrates the perils of such an engagement for Pakistan's own stability and security that Musharraf overlooked in his blind pursuit for power. It is a study that helps understand many events and developments that have rocked Pakistan recently.

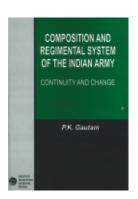


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## Composition and Regimental System of the Indian Army: Continuity and Change

P. K. Gautam

The book traces the historic evolution of the Indian Armed Forces and then relates it to the extant composition and regimental system of the Indian Army. This sociological study of the military includes insights into the inherent strengths of the army. It explores and explains the central ideas and motivations for a battle-tested military and combat effectiveness. It shows that 'class' based units have an important role to play. This book will add an important perspective to the limited literature on core issues of democratisation, citizenship and military effectiveness.

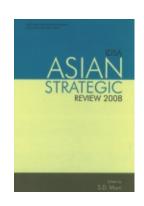


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#### **IDSA Asian Strategic Review 2008 (Ed)**

S. D. Muni

IDSA Asian Strategic Review 2008, the second volume in the series of Annual Surveys revived by the Institute in the previous year, takes up the following themes: international security, significant developments in the Asian security landscape, space security in the aftermath of China's antisatellite test of 11 January 2007, energy security in the face of galloping oil prices, the growing concern regarding climate change, an evaluation of the current state of the global war on terror, and the evolving situation in Iraq, the safety of Pakistan's strategic assets, and an assessment of the Sixth Biological and Toxic Weapons Convention, among others.

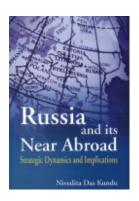


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#### Russia and its Near Abroad

Nivedita Das Kundu

This book examines the concerns and issues related to Russia and its Near Abroad States, i.e., the states of the former Soviet Union. The dual semantic Near Abroad implies recognition of the independence of the new successor states while emphasising the special strategic, economic, and political interests that Russia continues to maintain with all these states. The endeavour here is to provide a useful framework to understand the politico-security, economic as well as social dimensions of these states.



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N. S. Sisodia, Robin, Peter R. Lavoy, and Cherian Samuel

The contributions in this volume are the outcome of a dialogue between experts from India and the United States, brought together under the aegis of the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, New Delhi, and the Center for Contemporary Conflict, Monterey. The entire spectrum of the relationship, from trade to key geo-political areas is covered, the intent being to both flesh out the Partnership and to take note of the challenges and the opportunities that lie ahead. Crucial policy inputs are also provided by a number of key interlocutors, including the Indian Foreign and Defence Secretaries.



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#### India and its Neighbours: Towards A New Partnership (Ed)

Ashok K. Behuria

The book has grown out of an attempt to study the political developments in India's neighbourhood during the year 2007-2008. The papers in this volume are based on the analyses of IDSA scholars who are engaged in studying the political and strategic developments in South Asia on a regular basis. The book seeks to present an Indian perspective and identify the challenges that India and its neighbouring countries are facing today. It also makes an attempt to explore the prospects of regional cooperation, in the backdrop of the changing political context in South Asia in recent times.

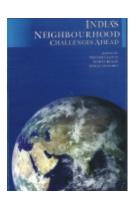


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#### India's Neighbourhood: Challenges Ahead (Ed)

Virendra Gupta, Sumita Kumar, and Vishal Chandra

The book offers a comprehensive and insightful view of developments in India's neighbourhood. As such these constitute a fairly broad-based Indian perspective on the prevailing security and political situation in South Asia. The broad trends and concerns discussed in these contributions, particularly with regard to increased violence and radicalism, as well as the fragility of democratic institutions, continue to draw attention.



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#### **Space Security and Global Cooperation (Ed)**

Ajey Lele and Gunjan Singh

This book is a collection of papers that were presented at the Space Security Conference organised by the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, New Delhi and the Centre for Defence and International Security Studies, London. The book covers a wide spectrum of issues related to the field of space security, emerging technologies, regional perspectives, space tourism, space law and global cooperation. It is an attempt to contextualise the debates in a more cogent form.

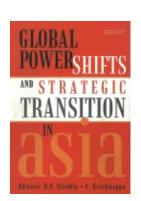


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#### Global Power Shifts and Strategic Transition in Asia (Ed)

N. S. Sisodia and V. Krishnappa

The contemporary strategic context is increasingly defined by the rapid growth of major Asian economies and the rapidly increasing interest the major powers are evincing in the region. It has also resulted in a perceptible shift in power to the Asian continent. An assessment of how each of the major Asian powers and important external actors are responding to these developments is necessary for understanding the underlying concerns about peace and security in Asia in the 21st century. What is the character of the emerging strategic context in Asia? How are the processes of globalisation, economic interdependence and diffusion of technologies shaping the Asian strategic context? What does the 'Rise of Asia' mean for global peace? How do regional perspectives inform the debate? What are the common threats and challenges? What are the prospects of fostering cooperative state behaviour in confronting the transnational threats? These are some of the issues that expert contributors discuss in this volume.

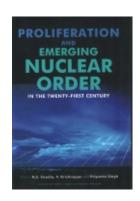


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## Proliferation and Emerging Nuclear Order in the Twenty-First Century (Ed)

N. S. Sisodia, V. Krishnappa, and Priyanka Singh

This book provides some important perspectives on the emerging nuclear order including: What are the challenges to the global nuclear regime? What are the consequences of a nuclear Iran for West Asian peace and stability? Will it give rise to a nuclear quest among the important West Asian states? How would the West respond in such an eventuality? What would be the response of major Asian powers to nuclear Iran? What are the consequences of changes in the East Asian nuclear order for stability and peace in the region and beyond? How would major regional players respond? What are the implications of non-state actors acquiring nuclear weapon technology and capabilities? What did the international community learn from the discovery of the A.Q. Khan network? What are the possibilities for international cooperation against nuclear proliferation?



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#### Saving Afghanistan (Ed)

V. Krishnappa, Shanthie Mariet D'Souza, and Priyanka Singh

This book is about the future of Afghanistan which seems to be rapidly slipping into chaos. It contains perspectives on counter-insurgency and nation-building in Afghanistan. The expert contributors in this book focus on some key issues like the character of the conflict in Afghanistan; the role of regional actors; the nature of engagement of the US and its allies; the assessment of the future course of action by major actors and the role played by INGOs and the international community at large.

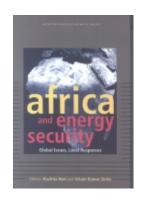


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## Africa and Energy Security: Global Issues, Local Responses (Ed)

Ruchita Beri and Uttam Kumar Sinha

In current debates on the geopolitics of energy security, the spotlight has fallen on Africa as a key source of oil and gas outside the volatile West Asia. The American, European and Asian oil companies are rushing to acquire a stake in Africa's oil wealth. This book represents an effort to go beyond statecentred views of energy security, bridging local perspectives on energy resources and global framing of energy as a security concern.

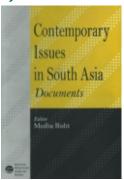


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#### **Contemporary Issues in South Asia - Documents (Ed)**

Medha Bisht

The volume highlights various contemporary issues confronting the SAARC countries in the 21st century. The book is an indispensable compendium of primary documents collated by scholars of the South Asia Cluster at the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses. It seeks to provide substantive reference material for policy-makers, researchers, diplomats and students of South Asian Studies.

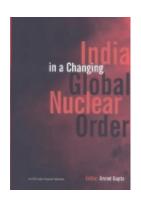


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#### India in a Changing Global Nuclear Order (Ed)

Arvind Gupta

As the world witnesses a flux in the nuclear world order—in terms of civilian nuclear energy as well as the non-proliferation regime and legitimacy of nuclear weapons, India has a cautious path to tread to achieve its energy security, nuclear security and make its disarmament calls more plausible and practical. The challenges before the global nuclear order have vindicated India's position and bestowed it with an opportunity to play a more confident and active role in reshaping the world—towards a more reliable, democratic and universal non-proliferation regime, preventing nuclear terrorism, forming a better architecture for civilian nuclear trade, and finally to evolve practical and universal steps towards comprehensive disarmament.



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### International and Regional Security Dynamics: Indian and Iranian Perspectives (Ed)

Meena Singh Roy

This book projects Iranian and Indian perspectives on issues of mutual interests, and attempts to enhance understanding of the emerging international and regional security challenges and discuss options to address these challenges through mutual cooperation. The book draws attention towards the entire spectrum of the India-Iran relations covering cooperative endeavours in the energy sector to common concerns in Afghanistan, Pakistan and developments in Central and West Asia. Crucial policy options are also provided by Indian and Iranian experts to take the relationship between India and Iran forward.

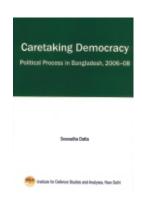


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## Caretaking Democracy: Political Process in Bangladesh, 2006-08

#### Sreeradha Datta

Until elections to the ninth Jatiya Sangsad were held on 29 December 2008, Bangladesh remained under a caretaker arrangement post the completion of BNP coalition government's term in October 2006. The ten weeks of President lajuddin Ahmed headed Caretaker Government was followed by the Second Caretaker Government led by Fakhruddin Ahmed. This government, functioning like an interim government, navigated Bangladesh through its worst political crisis since 1991 and held free and fair elections in December 2008. Despite several drawbacks, this government introduced a number of political reforms, far reaching anti-corruption measures and strengthened key institutions in the country.

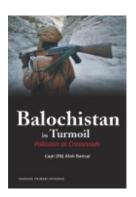


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#### **Balochistan in Turmoil: Pakistan at Crossroads**

#### Alok Bansal

The book is about Balochistan, the largest province in Pakistan. The Baloch never wanted to join Pakistan and since its creation have challenged the Pakistani authority in almost every decade of Pakistan's existence as an independent entity. The region continues to be in the throes of violence. Baloch alienation with Pakistan is almost complete and external players are fishing in troubled waters. The book covers the developments in post-colonial Balochistan, its geo-political significance, and the underlying grievances of the Baloch.

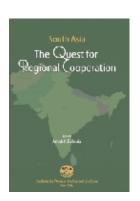


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#### South Asia: The Quest For Regional Cooperation (Ed)

#### Ashok K. Behuria

This book is a collection of papers presented at the second annual conference on India's neighbourhood titled - Changing Political Context in India's Neighbourhood and Prospects of Security and Regional Cooperation, organised by Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (IDSA) in November 2008. The contributors to this volume argue that the states of South Asia should refashion their policies towards each other and towards the region, and take initiatives to deal with common challenges facing them collectively, which would lay the foundation for a better tomorrow for the people of South Asia.

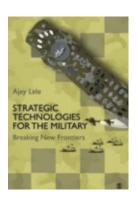


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#### Strategic Technologies for the Military: Breaking New Frontiers

Ajey Lele

This book provides a holistic view of the key technologies that are expected to revolutionise military affairs in the near future and change the nature of warfare tactics and the very concept of the 'battlefield'. It addresses five key technologies—near-space technology, robotics, directed energy weapons, nanotechnology and biotechnology—and explains why they are being considered for military applicability worldwide. It highlights how they would contribute to the future warfare tactics and defence mechanisms of various countries. In addition, it also discusses the possible military utility of two other technologies—ambient intelligence and cognitive technology.

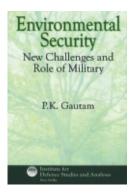


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## Environmental Security: New Challenges and Role of Military

P. K. Gautam

The book gives an overview of the Ecological Task Forces and institutions of the army. The Thar desert, Kumaon hills, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab and the Northeast have been used as case studies. The aim of this work has been to study and assess the activities being undertaken by the military in ecological conservation.



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#### The Future of War and Peace in Asia (Ed)

N. S. Sisodia and S. Kalyanaraman

This book is an insightful analysis of inter- and intra-state conflicts and tensions in the countries of Asia even as the centre of gravity of economic, political and technological power is shifting from the Trans-Atlantic zone to Asia, particularly to East, South and Southeast Asia. The investigation ranges widely over conventional and asymmetric wars, terrorism as an instrument of policy in inter- and intra-state conflicts, suicidal Jihadism as a form of war by religious extremists to realise their manifest destiny, security problems arising out of failing states and problems inherent in the simultaneous rise of the two most populous, nuclear armed, developing, and neighbouring countries in Asia

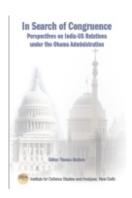


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## In Search of Congruence: Perspectives on India-US Relations under the Obama Administration (Ed)

#### Thomas Mathew

This collection of essays attempts to assess the complexities and prospective direction of India-US relations under the Obama administration. Each chapter in this volume, examines his pronouncements on major security and foreign policy issues from his election campaign days, and traces the current course of his policies in those areas and their possible implications for India. Being an early assessment of how the relationship is likely to evolve, this book should be of interest to policy makers, the business community and discerning scholars.

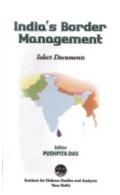


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#### India's Border Management: Select Documents (Ed)

#### Pushpita Das

This book is an attempt to bring together documents and reports published by the government on border management. The aim is to provide a comprehensive overview of the problems India faces in managing its borders and its approach towards the challenge. The documents are arranged in chronological order according to their year of publication.

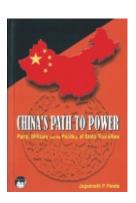


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## China's Path To Power: Party, Military and the Politics of State Transition

Jagannath P. Panda

This book portrays how China's state transformation is taking place or moving without much notice through trial and error, which seems awfully cautious, balanced and systematic. Specially, it addresses the discourse of State transformation in China, contextualizing its progress and timely transformation in the military, civil-military, political and socio-economic terms. Scholars have tried to examine this discourse time and again. But again they have neglected to do that through "institutional" parameters. That means; literature is still lacking in identifying the changes in China's systemic regime politics, particularly in military, civil-military ties, and economic terms at one place. Not many in India have tried to judge or identify China's progress through its systemic transformation in institutional terms.

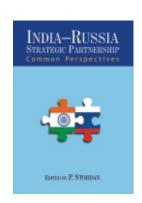


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#### **India-Russia Strategic Partnership: Common Perspectives (Ed)**

P Stobdan

The book contains an indispensable compendium of views of experts on a variety of security-related issues that have considerable bearing on the Indo-Russian partnership. This volume also symbolizes a continuing interest for interactions and linkages between the strategic communities of both the countries. The issues covered in the book are thematic in nature and perspectives from both Russia and India, written by individual authors. The book should be of particular interest to those tracking the dynamic changes in India-Russia relations and the issues that dominate them.



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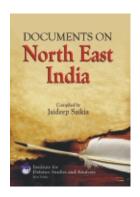


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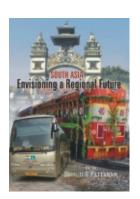


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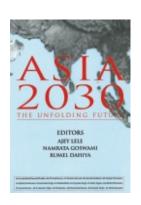


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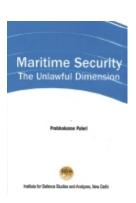
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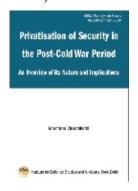
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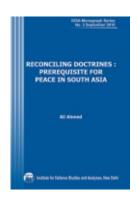


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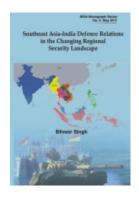


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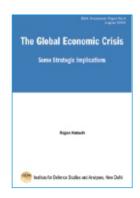


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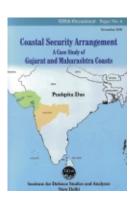


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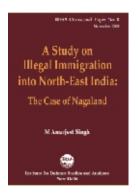


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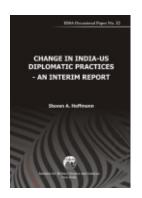
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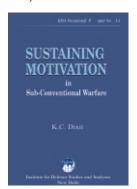


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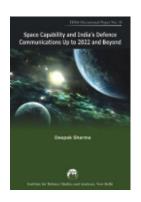


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On an average we have been having about 100 suicide cases a year in the past four to five years, so this year has been the same. Mainly it is in insurgency-hit areas, but suicides among troops are also happening in areas where there is no insurgency. Deployment in such environments has resulted in a number of stress-related incidents and cases of suicides and fratricides, which is definitely a cause of serious concern. While measures initiated to arrest such trends have yielded some positive results, a holistic approach to arrest this trend is definitely required. In general, causative issues of counterinsurgency stress are occupational factors like increased workload, lack of adequate sleep and rest and non-grant of timely leave which were highlighted before pressure from family coupled with host of personal factors in order of priority.

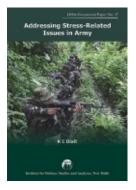


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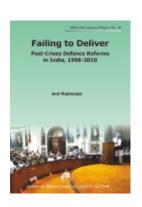


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