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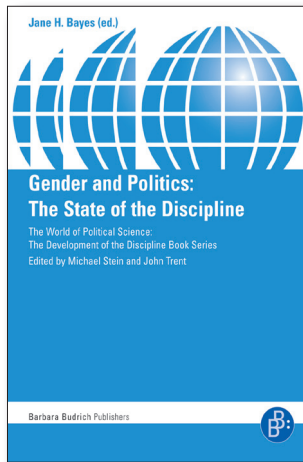
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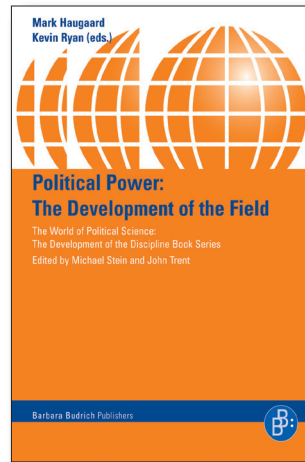
The World of Political Science



Jane H. Bayes (ed.)
**Gender and Politics:
 The State of the Discipline**

2012. 237 pp. Pb.
 29,90 € (D), US\$45.95
 ISBN 978-3-86649-104-5

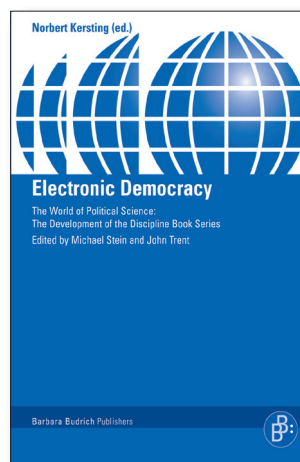
This timely collection reviews the field of gender and politics and its relationship to the discipline of political science at the beginning of the twenty-first century. The authors recognize and document the Eurocentric focus that has characterized both fields and suggest viable alternatives for the future.



Mark Haugaard
 Kevin Ryan (eds.)
**Political Power:
 The Development of the Field**

2012. 230 pp. Pb.
 26,00 € (D), US\$39.95
 ISBN 978-3-86649-105-2

Although the concept of power is central to the study of politics, there is no agreement as to what exactly power is. Power is often viewed negatively, as domination, though it is also the case that power is created by people acting in concert, in which case it can have positive effects. Making sense of this puzzle is one of the aims of this book, which provides the reader with a clear and coherent way of understanding the various forms and manifestations of power.



Norbert Kersting (ed.)
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2012. 203 pp. Pb.
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This book takes stock of the state of the art and future of electronic democracy, exploring the history and potential of e-democracy in global perspective. Analysing the digital divide, the role of the Internet as a tool for political mobilization and communication, social media, Internet Voting and Voting Advice Applications, and other phenomena, this volume critically engages with the challenge for more transparency and political participation through e-democracy.

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Edited by Michael Stein
 and John Trent

If you are a political scientist or practitioner you will be interested in the World of Political Science Book Series which was designed to satisfy each of these needs. Research Committee 33 of the International Political Science Association (IPSA), dedicated to the Study of the Discipline, prepared a comparative, analytical model of the development of sub-fields of political science. It was then offered to the IPSA research committees to guide them in preparing up-to-date overviews of their field.

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How well is the field of political studies doing and where is it headed? These questions are answered by this broad world overview of political science, its advances and shortcomings, along with prescriptions for the future in the first decades of the 20th century. The volume includes three



world regional assessments of the discipline by senior scholars along with an in-depth survey of various sub-disciplinary fields and a concluding critical essay on the future of political studies.



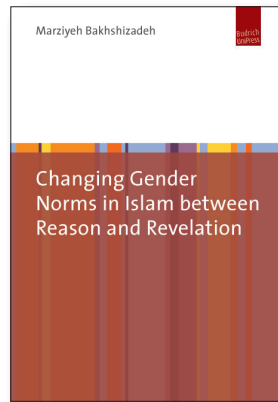
Gabriele Abels
Heather MacRae (eds.)
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Integration Theory**
Engaging New Dialogues
2016. 304 pp. Hc.
54,90 € (D), US\$79.95
ISBN 978-3-8474-0640-2

The authors engage a dialogue between European integration theories and gender studies. The contributions illustrate where and how gender scholarship has made creative use of integration theories and thus contributes to a vivid theoretical debate. The chapters are designed to make gender scholarship more visible to integration theory and, in this way stimulates the broader theoretical debates.



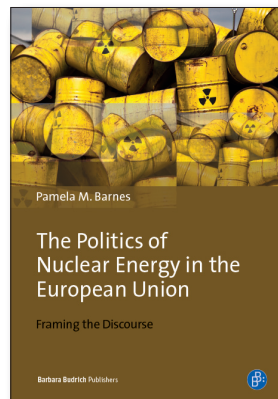
Anton Bebler (ed.)
**„Frozen conflicts“
in Europe**
2015. 215 pp. Hc. A5.
49,90 € (D), US\$75.95
ISBN 978-3-8474-0133-9

Oft forgotten but simmering “frozen conflicts” continuously mark the political map of Europe. All located in South Eastern Europe, the Black Sea area and Transcaucasia, these conflicts run along ethnic, national, cultural and linguistic lines, separating communities.



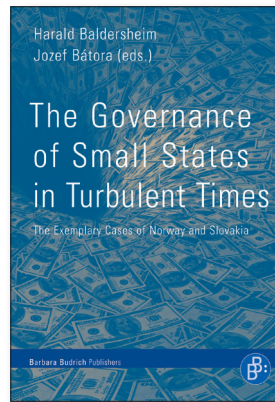
Marziyeh Bakhshizadeh
**Changing Gender Norms in
Islam between Reason and
Revelation**
2017. Approx. 270 pp. Hc.
Approx. 59,90 € (D), US\$79.00
ISBN 978-3-86388-735-3

Women’s movements in Islamic countries have had a long and arduous journey in their quest for the realization of human rights and genuine equality. The author examines whether discriminatory laws against women do in fact originate from Islam and, ultimately, if there is any interpretation of Islam compatible with gender equality.



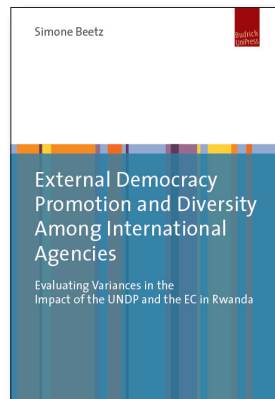
Pamela M. Barnes
**The Politics of Nuclear Energy in
the European Union**
Framing the Discourse
2017. Approx. 200 pp. Hc.
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ISBN 978-3-8474-0687-7

For the foreseeable future the overall use of nuclear electricity in the European Union is unlikely to change significantly despite the controversies surrounding its use amongst the EU’s nation states. The author questions the role that nuclear electricity plays in meeting the challenges of providing secure, competitive and sustainable energy to support the development of the low carbon economy in the EU.



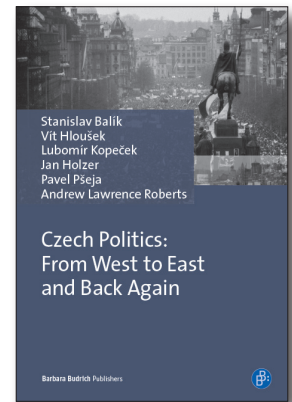
Harald Baldersheim
Jozef Bátora (eds.)
**The Governance of Small
States in Turbulent Times**
The Exemplary Cases of Norway and Slovakia
2012. 269 pp. Pb.
29,90 € (D), US\$45.95
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What is special about small states? How do they adapt their policies and patterns of governance to meet turbulent times such as a new security environment and the international financial crisis? Answers to these and further questions are provided by experts.



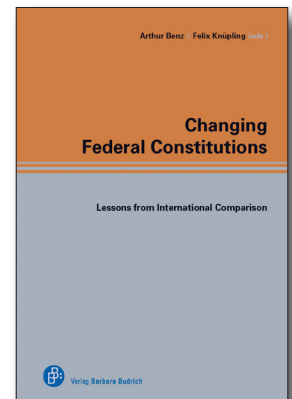
Simone Beetz
**External Democracy
Promotion and Diversity
Among International
Agencies**
Evaluating Variances in the
Impact of the UNDP and the
EC in Rwanda
2017. Approx. 360 pp. Pb.
Approx. 44,00 € (D), US\$55.00
ISBN 978-3-86388-757-5

This research considers the mixed results of international agencies in democracy promotion despite their attempt to shape a common policy emphasized in various international agreements.



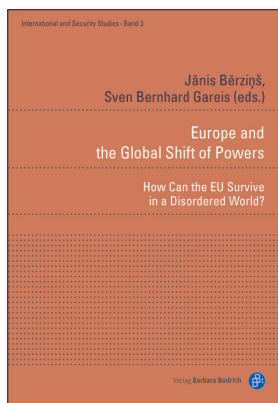
Balík | Hloušek | Kopeček |
Holzer | Pšeja | Roberts
**Czech Politics: From West
to East and Back Again**
2017. 278 pp. Pb.
38,00 € (D), US\$48.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0585-6

This volume provides a comprehensive overview of Czech politics, past and present. The authors not only cover the main political developments of the past two centuries, they also situate the current political system in the context of communist and pre-communist legacies.



Arthur Benz
Felix Knüpling (eds.)
**Changing Federal
Constitutions**
Lessons from International
Comparison
2012. 420 pp. Pb.
48,00 € (D), US\$69.00
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This book analyses constitutional change in federal and decentralizing countries from a comparative perspective. The authors identify structures, processes and strategies which have proven to favour successful constitutional amendment.



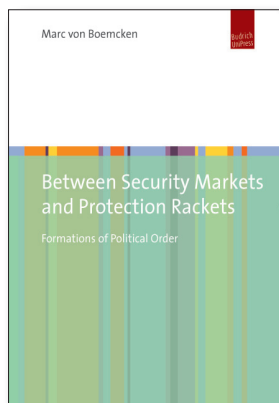
Jānis Bērziņš
Sven Bernhard Gareis (eds.)
Europe and the Global Shift of Powers
How Can the EU Survive in a Disordered World?
International and Security Studies, vol. 3
2017. Approx. 220 pp. Hc.
Approx. 46,00 € (D), US\$60.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0552-8

Currently, the EU is at the crossroads of its existence as a political union: The war in and around Syria, the main cause of the refugee question, calls for coherent European positions and actions. The book aims at analyzing the risks the EU is facing as well as at searching for political and institutional responses and ways out of the crisis.



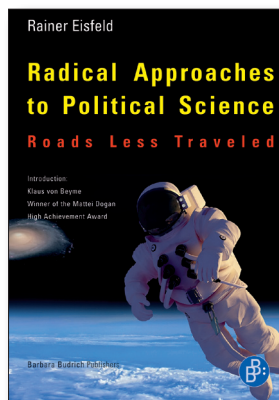
Rainer Eisfeld
Political Science: Reflecting on Concepts, Demystifying Legends
With an Introduction by J. Trent
2016. 133 pp. Pb.
24,90 € (D), US\$36.95
ISBN 978-3-8474-0506-1

The book highlights the merits of socio-historical research into topics infrequently covered by mainstream political science and directs attention to the need for carefully scrutinizing the convenient “truths” of established – post-Nazi, post-Communist – political narratives.



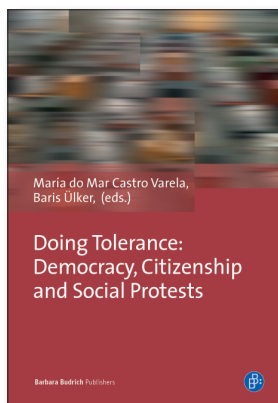
Marc von Boemcken
Between Security Markets and Protection Rackets
Formations of Political Order
2013. 323 pp. Pb.
36,00 € (D), US\$52.00
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Security is a social practice, which constitutes different formations of political order. Developing a political economy of security practice, the author distinguishes these formations with a view to the actual exchanges between various providers and receivers of security services.



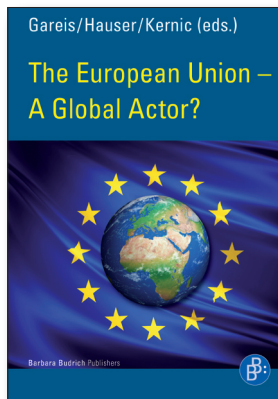
Rainer Eisfeld
Radical Approaches to Political Science: Roads Less Traveled
With an Introduction by Klaus von Beyme
2012. 267 pp. Pb.
28,00 € (D), US\$41.95
ISBN 978-3-8474-0028-8

This ground breaking volume offers a range of alternative approaches to political science, highlighting problems too rarely confronted by “mainstream” political scientists. Ranging from Gunfighter Sagas to the changing faces of an imaginary Mars, the innovative chapters introduce whole new ways of rethinking politics.



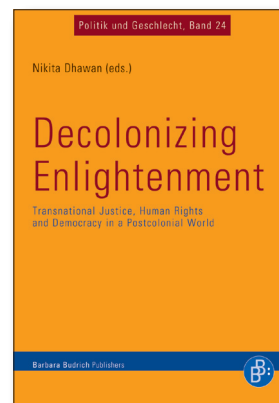
Maria do Mar Castro Varela, Barış Ülker, (eds.)
Doing Tolerance: Democracy, Citizenship and Social Protests
2017. Approx. 250 pp. Pb.
Approx. 33,00 € (D), US\$43.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-2024-8

Tolerance and urban in- and exclusion, participatory citizenship and the production of social space – taking urban protests on gentrification and urban restructuring in Berlin and Istanbul as points of departure, the authors discuss different forms of protest movements and struggles.



Sven Bernhard Gareis
Gunther Hauser
Franz Kernic (eds.)
The European Union – A Global Actor?
2013. 450 pp. Pb.
48,00 € (D), US\$69.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0040-0

Is the European Union a unified actor in world politics? The world’s leading economic power is still struggling to find its role in shaping and maintaining global peace, free trade and commerce. How successful are the EU’s Common Foreign and Security Policy and its institutions really? Renowned experts propose answers to these key questions.



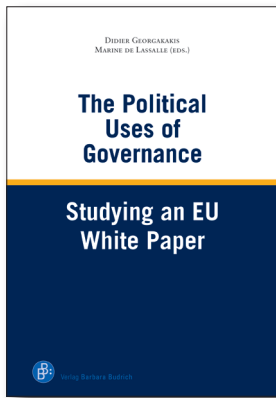
Nikita Dhawan (ed.)
Decolonizing Enlightenment
Transnational Justice, Human Rights and Democracy in a Postcolonial World
Politik und Geschlecht, vol. 24
2014. 335 pp. Pb.
38,00 € (D), US\$57.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0056-1

Do norms of justice, human rights and democracy enable disenfranchised communities? Or do they simply reinforce relations of domination between those who are constituted as dispensers of justice, rights and aid, and those who are coded as receivers? Critical race theorists, feminists and queer and postcolonial theorists confront these questions and offer critical perspectives.



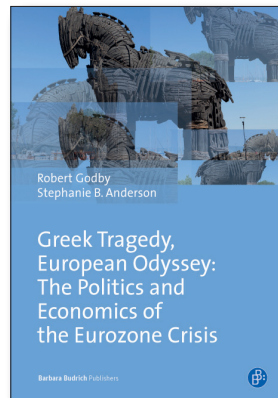
Brigitte Geißel
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Participatory Democratic Innovations in Europe
Improving the Quality of Democracy?
2013. 327 pp. Pb.
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The authors analyse and evaluate the various effects of Participatory Democratic Innovations in Europe, providing a bigger picture of the benefits and disadvantages different democratic innovations can result in.



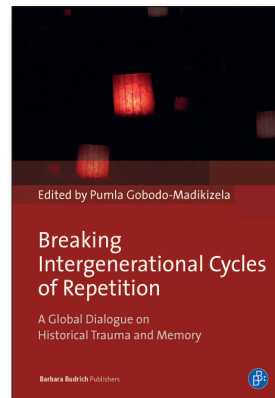
Didier Georgakakis
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The Political Uses of Governance
Studying an EU white paper
2012. 193 pp. Pb.
26,00 € (D), US\$39.95
ISBN 978-3-86649-483-1

The term of governance and the way it has been used by European institutions have elicited much interest in the academic world. However, the notion and its uses have often been studied only in terms of intellectual development or network analysis. Such researches leave us in the dark on a key question.



Robert Godby
Stephanie B. Anderson
Greek Tragedy, European Odyssey: The Politics and Economics of the Eurozone Crisis
An Introduction
2016. 209 pp. Pb.
28,00 € (D), US\$40.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0618-1

Debate among politicians and academics alike vacillates as to whether the euro is the crowning achievement of a half-century of European integration efforts, or now constitutes a force that threatens to drive European Union member states apart.



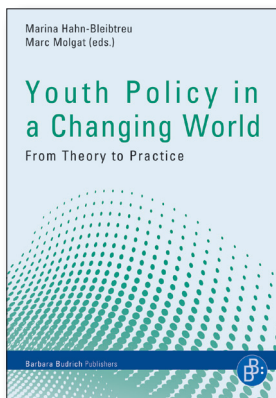
Pumla Gobodo-Madikizela (ed.)
Breaking Intergenerational Cycles of Repetition
A Global Dialogue on Historical Trauma and Memory
2016. 365 pp. Pb.
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The authors in this volume explore the interconnected issues of intergenerational trauma and traumatic memory in societies with a history of collective violence across the globe. Each chapter's discussion offers a critical reflection on historical trauma and its repercussions, and how memory can be used as a basis for dialogue and transformation.



Petra Guasti
Zdenka Mansfeldová (eds.)
Safe or Free?
Comparative Analysis of Media Discourses on Security
2017. Approx. 250 pp. Pb.
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One of the biggest dilemmas of our times is how much safety and security we desire and what price we are prepared to pay for it. By applying and advancing the methods of social research this book fills the gap in the study of security and security risks by analyzing unique data (media, survey, macro data) of transnational security issues.



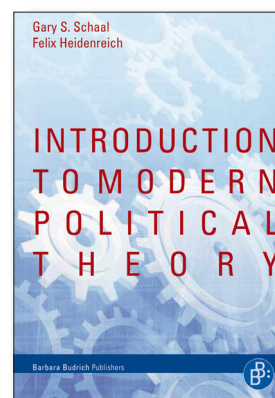
Marina Hahn-Bleibtreu
Marc Molgat (eds.)
Youth Policy in a Changing World
From Theory to Practice
2012. 327 pp. Pb.
36,00 € (D), US\$52.00
ISBN 978-3-86649-459-6

International in scope, this book presents an in-depth and cross-sector reflection on youth policy, in terms of theory, practice and emerging trends and issues affecting young people's lives in Latin America, Europe, Asia and North America.



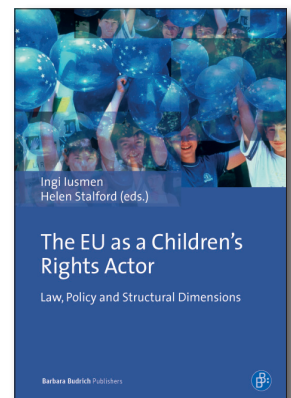
Vlastimil Havlík | Vít Hloušek | Petr Kaniok
Europeanised Defiance – Czech Euroscepticism since 2004
2017. 199 pp. Pb.
38,00 € (D), US\$48.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-2092-7

Why is there so much reservation and scepticism among the Czech public as well as politicians towards the European Union? How the experience of the Czech Republic as a member of the EU changed Czech Euroscepticism since 2004? The authors provide a detailed analysis of the dynamics of Euroscepticism using the concept of Europeanisation.



Gary S. Schaal
Felix Heidenreich
INTRODUCTION TO MODERN POLITICAL THEORY
2017. Approx. 250 pp. Pb.
Approx. 19,90 € (D), US\$29.95
ISBN 978-3-86649-095-6

If you need a systematic introduction to modern political thought, this is your book. Outlining four dominant paradigms, the authors help beginners to understand fundamental differences between liberal, communitarian, deliberative and postmodern theories. For students, scholars and anyone who needs an introduction or a refresher.



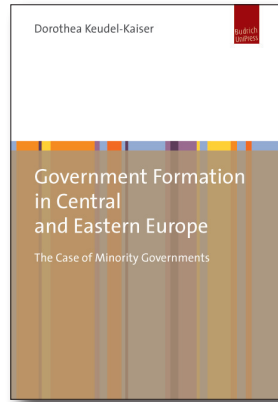
Ingi Iusmen
Helen Stalford (eds.)
The EU as a Children's Rights Actor
Law, Policy and Structural Dimensions
2016. 331 pp. Pb.
42,00 € (D), US\$58.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0193-3

This edited collection critiques, from an interdisciplinary perspective, the growing body of EU children's rights activities in the light of broader global political, economic and legal processes.



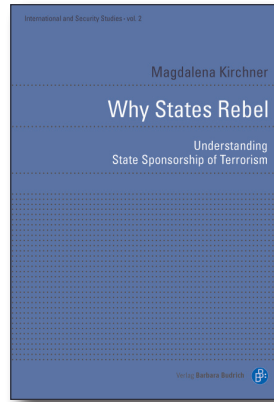
Anne Jenichen
Ulrike Liebert (eds.)
Europeanisation and Renationalisation
Learning from Crises for Innovation and Development
2017. Approx. 250 pp. Pb.
Approx. 36,00 € (D), US\$45.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-2097-2

The book explores how the European Union and its members have been renegotiating Europeanisation and renationalisation in response to the multiple crises they faced in recent years. The authors highlight varying understandings of 'crises' in different national and supranational policy and institutional contexts.



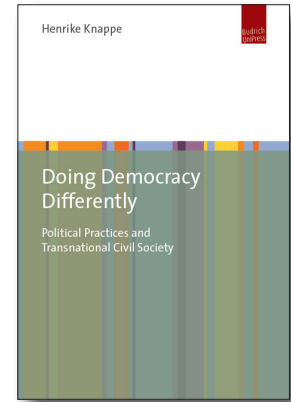
Dorothea Keudel-Kaiser
Government Formation in Central and Eastern Europe
The Case of Minority Governments
2014. 291 pp. Pb.
39,90 € (D), US\$58.00
ISBN 978-3-86388-081-1

The author offers an analysis of the conditions leading to the formation of minority governments in Central and Eastern Europe and provides the reader with a detailed overview of the processes underlying the formation of governments from the early 1990s up to 2010



Magdalena Kirchner
Why States Rebel
Understanding State Sponsorship of Terrorism
International and Security Studies, vol. 2
2016. 281 pp. Pb.
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ISBN 978-3-8474-0641-9

State sponsorship of terrorism connects major contemporary issues of international relations such as intra- and interstate conflict as well as third-party intervention. The author examines Syria's relations with Palestinian Fatah, Turkish-Kurdish PKK, and Lebanese Hizballah, between 1964 and 2006.



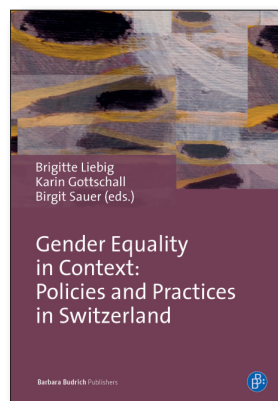
Henrike Knappe
Doing Democracy Differently
Political Practices and Transnational Civil Society
2017. 220 pp. Pb.
54,00 € (D), US\$71.50
ISBN 978-3-86388-720-9

Transnational civil society networks have become increasingly important democratizing actors in global politics. Still, the exploration of democracy in such networks remains conceptually and methodologically challenging. The author attempts to understand how new forms of democratic practice emerge in the interaction between political actors and their structural environments.



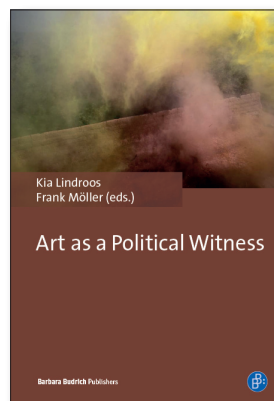
Guy Lachapelle
Pablo Onate (eds.)
Borders and Margins
Federalism, Devolution and Multi-Level Governance
2017. Approx. 230 pp. Hc.
Approx. 49,90 € (D), US\$66.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-2025-5

The theory and concept of multi-level governance (MLG) is a fairly recent one, emerging from the deepening integration of the European Union in the early 1990s and the development of free trade agreements around the world. The book analyses the changes that have taken place as well as those that might take place in the future.



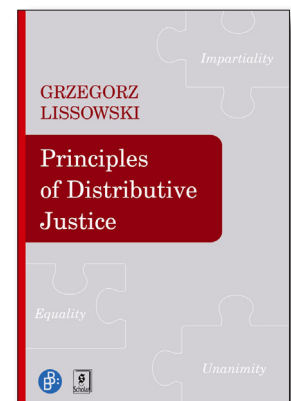
Brigitte Liebig | Karin Gottschall |
Birgit Sauer (eds.)
Gender Equality in Context: Policies and Practices in Switzerland
2016. 264 pp. Pb.
29,90 € (D), US\$45.95
ISBN 978-3-8474-0727-0

Gender Equality has not yet been achieved in many western countries. Switzerland in particular has failed as a forerunner in integrating women in politics and economy. Taking Switzerland as a case study, the authors critically reflect the state of gender equality in different policy areas such as education, family and labour.



Kia Lindroos
Frank Möller (eds.)
Art as a Political Witness
2017. 239 pp. Pb.
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ISBN 978-3-8474-0580-1

The book explores the concept of artistic witnessing as political activity. In which ways may art and artists bear witness to political events? The Contributors engage with dance, film, photography, performance, poetry and theatre and explore artistic witnessing as political activity in a wide variety of case studies.



Grzegorz Lissowski
Principles of Distributive Justice
2013. 382 pp. Hc.
59,90 € (D), US\$89.95
ISBN 978-3-8474-0092-9

There is constant debate around the questions of what constitutes the 'just' distribution of goods and how we can assess existing distribution patterns. In this book Grzegorz Lissowski argues that three types of principles need to be distinguished according to three requirements of justice: equality, impartiality, and unanimity.



Michał Lubina
Russia and China
 A political marriage of convenience – stable and successful
 2017. Approx. 250 pages. Hc.
 Approx. 48,00 € (D), US\$63.00
 ISBN 978-3-8474-2045-3

This book depicts the sophisticated relationship between Russia and China as a pragmatic one, a political “marriage of convenience”. Yet at the same time the relationship is stable, and will remain so. After all, bilateral relations are usually based on pragmatic interests and the pursuit of these interests is the very essence of foreign policy.



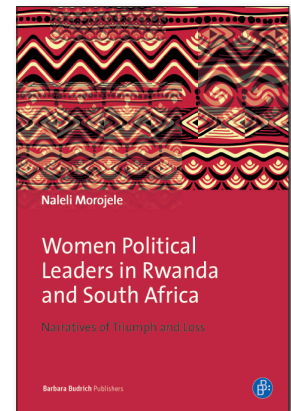
Sethulego Matebesi
Civil strife against local governance
 Dynamics of community protests in contemporary South Africa
 2017. 184 pp. Pb.
 33,00 € (D), US\$48.00
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Hardly a day goes by without South Africans going on a rampage over the provision of basic municipal services such as water, electricity, sanitation and other municipal obligations. This book connects the critical issue of community protests to the equally precarious issue of political trust in local governance in South Africa.



Michailidou | Trenz | Wilde
The Internet and European Integration
 Pro- and Anti-EU debates in Online News Media
 2014. 250 pp. Hc.
 49,90 € (D), US\$75.95
 ISBN 978-3-8474-0153-7

This book offers a wealth of original empirical data on how online media shape EU contestation. Taking a public sphere perspective, the authors highlight the myths and truths about the nature of audience-driven online media content and show how public demands for legitimacy are at the heart of the much-analyzed politicization of European integration.



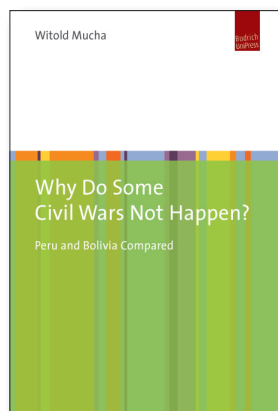
Naleli Mpho Soledad Morojele
Women Political Leaders in Rwanda and South Africa
 Narratives of Triumph and Loss
 2016. 161 pp. Pb.
 24,00 € (D), US\$33.00
 ISBN 978-3-8474-0745-4

Narratives of Triumph and Loss explores the successes, challenges and controversies of women’s post-conflict political leadership. Through interviews with women who have held significant leadership positions, the book explores the relationships between their educational, professional, activist and personal backgrounds.



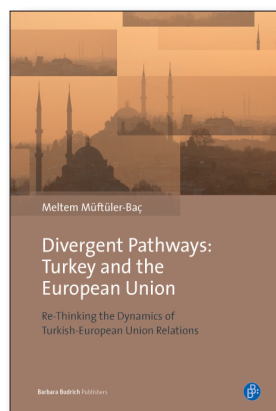
Claudia Morsut
 Daniela Irrera (eds.)
Security Beyond the State
 The EU in an Age of Transformation
 2017. Approx. 200 pp. Hc.
 Approx. 39,90 € (D), US\$49.00
 ISBN 978-3-8474-2098-9

The authors assess the main challenge for the EU: the need to operate in a multidimensional setting where with a wide range of actors, such as member states, national and international NGOs, international organizations (NATO and the UN in primis), as well as a wide range of activities, rules and norms are generated for these diversified crises.



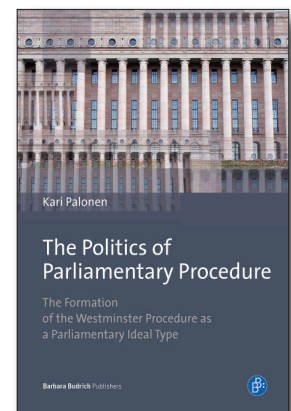
Witold Mucha
Why Do Some Civil Wars Not Happen?
 Peru and Bolivia Compared
 2017. 245 pp. Pb.
 36,00 € (D), US\$52.00
 ISBN 978-3-86388-736-0

Since its early beginnings peace and conflict research has focused on causes of phenomena such as civil war, terrorism, and state failure. The author merges this approach with a peace causes perspective and asks why civil war happened in Peru (1980-1995) though not in Bolivia, which is striking given the structural similarities with Peru.



Meltem Müftüler-Baç
Divergent Pathways: Turkey and the European Union
 Re-Thinking the Dynamics of Turkish-European Union Relations
 2016. 159 pp. Hc. B5.
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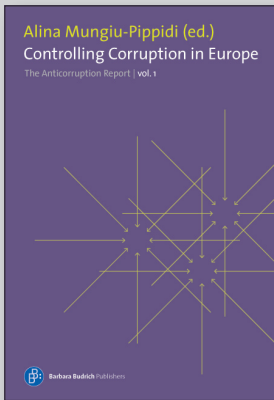
Should Turkey become a part of the European Union? This heated debate has been going on for many years now. The book’s main argument is precisely that the Turkish accession needs to be analyzed not only by looking at the EU’s impact on Turkish transformation but also from an angle that captures the Turkish role in recasting Europe.



Kari Palonen
The Politics of Parliamentary Procedure
 The formation of the Westminster procedure as a parliamentary ideal type
 2014. 274 pp. Hc.
 56,00 € (D), US\$85.95
 ISBN 978-3-8474-0610-5

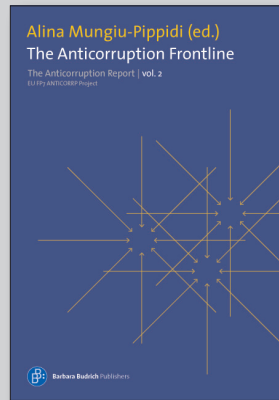
Currently, parliament as a political institution does not enjoy the best reputation. This book aims to recover less known political resources of the parliamentary mode of proceeding.

The ANTICORRP Project: The Anticorruption Report



Alina Mungiu-Pippidi (ed.)
Controlling Corruption in Europe
vol. 1. 2013. 128 pp. Pb.
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Corruption has an impact. It is about time that anticorruption starts having an impact, too. This is the first annual policy report of the European Seventh Framework Research Project ANTICORRP, which has started in 2012 and will continue until 2018.



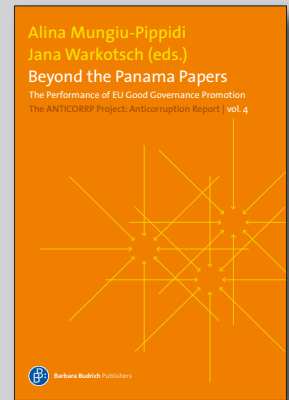
Alina Mungiu-Pippidi (ed.)
The Anticorruption Frontline
vol. 2. 2014. 128 pp. Pb.
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From Turkey to Egypt, Bulgaria to Ukraine, and Brazil to India, we witness the rise of an angry urban middle class protesting against what they see as fundamental corruption of their political regimes, perceived as predatory and inefficient.



Alina Mungiu-Pippidi (ed.)
Government Favouritism in Europe
vol. 3. 2015. 128 pp. Pb.
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This volume on Government Favouritism in Europe reunites the fieldwork of 2014-2015 in the ANTICORRP project.



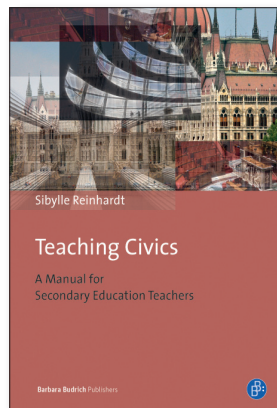
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Jana Warkotsch (eds.)
Beyond the Panama Papers. The Performance of EU Good Governance Promotion
vol. 4. 2017. 128 pp. Pb.
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This last title in the series covers the most important findings of the five years EU sponsored ANTICORRP project dealing with corruption and organized crime.



Kari Palonen
José María Rosales (eds.)
Parliamentarism and Democracy Theory
Historical and Contemporary Perspectives
2015. 324 pp. Pb.
42,00 € (D), US\$58.00
ISBN 978-3-8474-0158-2

The authors deal with the place of parliamentary politics in democracy. Apparently a truism, parliamentarism is in fact a missing research object in democratic theory, and a devalued institutional reference in democratic politics. Yet the parliamentary culture of politics historically explains the rise and fall of modern democracies.



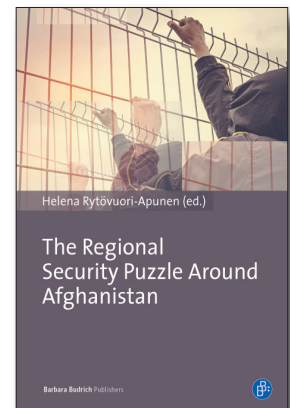
Sibylle Reinhardt
Teaching Civics
A Manual for Secondary Education Teachers
2015. 244 pp. Pb.
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Around the world, teaching civics is our most practical tool for learning about democracy. In Germany, the art of civics education is constantly being reconsidered and revised. The aim of this book is to provide educators with a varied and theoretically robust repertoire of professional strategies that are grounded in the social sciences.



Ilze Ruse
(Why) Do Neighbours Cooperate?
Institutionalised Coalitions and Bargaining Power in EU Council Negotiations
2013. 196 pp. Pb.
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Negotiations in the European Union Council of Ministers are not only taking place within formal decision-making structures. Member states strive to find allies and coordinate their positions prior to formal negotiation meetings.



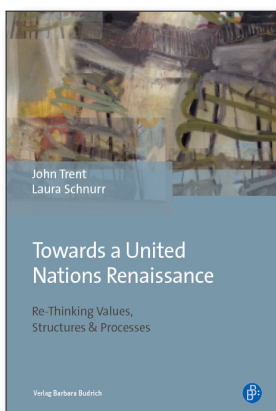
Helena Rytövuori-Apunen (ed.)
The Regional Security Puzzle Around Afghanistan
Bordering Practices in Central Asia and Beyond
2016. 340 pp. Hc.
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Western military presence wanes in Afghanistan and a transformed security environment challenges borders and stability in Central Asia. This book examines how the tensions relating to the reorganization of external military presence interact with regional states' ambitions and challenge the borders already contested by numerous dividing lines.



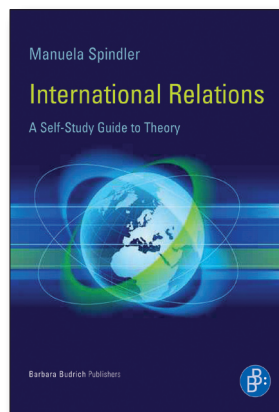
Romana Sălăgeanu
Regional Participation within European Multi-Level Governance
 Saxony-Anhalt: Regional Parliament, Regional Government, Stakeholders
 2017. 222 pp. Pb.
 33,00 € (D), US\$42.00
 ISBN 978-3-86388-741-4

Why is there a regional participation of Saxony-Anhalt within the European Multi-Level Governance system? The author provides an account of the characteristics of European Multi-Level Governance (EMLG) and regional participation therein, by describing the EMLG and identifying its topics and categories of meaning for regional participation.



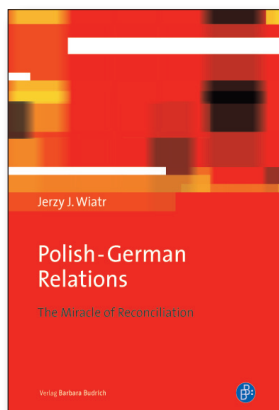
John Trent | Laura Schnurr
Towards a United Nations Renaissance
 Re-Thinking Values, Structures & Processes
 2017. Approx. 140 pp. Pb.
 Approx. 19,90 € (D), US\$26.00
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This is the first basic introduction to the United Nations to specifically present both a description of the UN as it is along with an analysis of the institution as it could and should be.



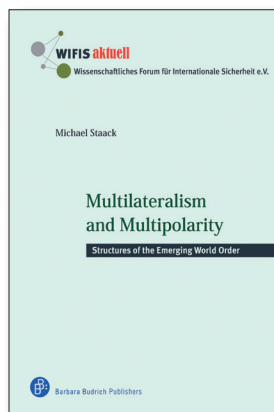
Manuela Spindler
International Relations
 A Self-Study Guide to Theory
 2013. 232 pp. Pb.
 24,90 € (D), US\$36.95
 ISBN 978-3-8474-0005-9

The book is written for active learners – those keen on cutting their own path through the complex and at times hardly comprehensible world of the THEORY in International Relations. To aid this process as much as possible, this book employs the didactical and methodical concept of integrating teaching and self-study.



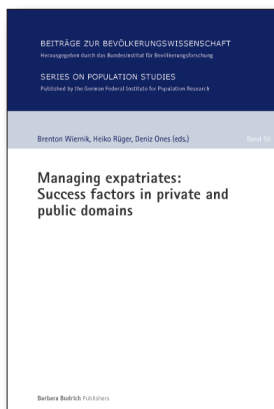
Jerzy J. Wiatr
Polish-German Relations
 The Miracle of Reconciliation
 2014. 110 pp. Hc.
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The book constitutes a sociological analysis of the origins of the Polish-German antagonism in the nineteenth and twentieth century and of the process of overcoming it. The author discusses the role played by the religious and political leaders as well as intellectuals of both nations and presents survey research data showing the marked improvement in mutual relations.



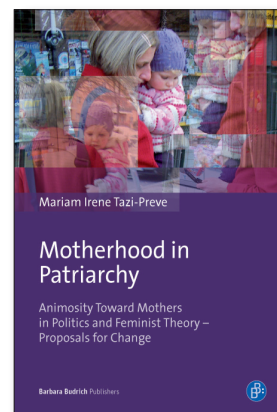
Michael Staack (ed.)
Multilateralism and Multipolarity
 Structures of the Emerging World Order
 WIFIS-aktuell, vol. 47
 2013. 44 pp. Pb.
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The international system is undergoing a fundamental change from unipolarity to multipolarity and is facing a growing importance of Asia in world politics. In order to build Global Governance for the 21st century the multipolar state-system must be complemented.



Wiernik | Rüger | Ones (eds.)
Managing expatriates
 Success factors in private and public domains
 Beiträge zur Bevölkerungswissenschaft, Band 50
 2017. Approx. 300 pp. Hc. B5.
 Approx. 45,00 € (D), US\$60.00
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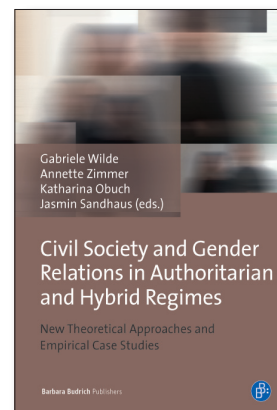
This volume provides in-depth examinations of a variety of individual, social, and environmental factors that contribute to the success of expatriate employees. Using data from numerous large-scale studies it provides valuable insights into expatriate success with implications for both theoretical understanding and practical management.



Mariam Irene Tazi-Preve
Motherhood in Patriarchy
 Animosity Toward Mothers in Politics and Feminist Theory – Proposals for Change
 2013. 304 pp. Pb.
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[...] the book argues, that the experience of motherhood is determined and structured by patriarchal values, and that it can be used to see ways in which women, despite apparent advances in equality, continue to have their roles defined and constrained by male interests.

Reference & Research Book News October 2013



Gabriele Wilde
 Annette Zimmer
 Katharina Obuch
 Jasmin Sandhaus (eds.)
Civil Society and Gender Relations in Authoritarian and Hybrid Regimes
 New Theoretical Approaches and Empirical Case Studies
 2017. Approx. 270 pp. Pb.
 Approx. 33,00 € (D), US\$47.95
 ISBN 978-3-8474-0729-4

Is civil society's influence favourable to the evolution of democratic structures and democratic gender relations? While traditional approaches would answer in the affirmative, the authors highlight the ambivalences.

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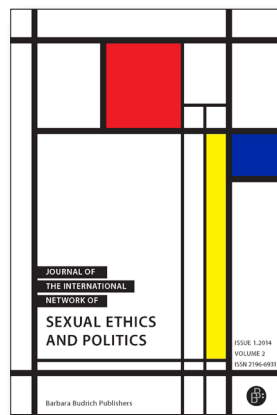
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