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Abstract: IBPP announcements pertaining to reader requests, editor nominations, and relevant conferences, as well as online and print publications.

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----Conferences

3rd Annual Aleksanteri Conference, Discovering the Concepts of Nature in Russia: Means for Understanding Russian Culture and Environmental Policies, University of Helsinki, November 7-8, 2003

URL: <http://www.helsinki.fi/aleksanteri/english/indexengl.htm>

2nd Global Conference, Transformations in Politics, Culture, and Society, Vienna Austria, December 8-10, 2003

URL: <http://www.inter-disciplinary.net/transform/transform03cfp.htm>

Middle East/North Africa Regional Conference on Psychology, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, December 13-18, 2003

Email: info@menarcp.org

34th Annual Conference of the Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, 1750-1850, High Point University, North Carolina, USA, February 19-22, 2004

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State Violence and Humanitarian Response Conference, Centre for the Cultural History of Modern War (University of Manchester) April 15-17, 2004

URL: <http://www.art.man.ac.uk/HISTORY/research/war/stateviolence/call.htm>

Seventeenth Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, August 2-6, 2004

<http://www.iaccp.org>

Twenty-Eight International Congress of Psychology, Beijing, China, August 8-13, 2004

URL: <http://www.icp2004.psych.ac.cn>

Sixth Delphi International Psychoanalytic Symposium, Patras, Greece, October 27-31, 2004

Email: Delphi@med.upatras.gr

---Online Journals/Courses

Kritika Kultura

This product is billed as “a pioneering refereed Philippine electronic journal committed to the promotion of scholarship.” Access at <http://www.ateneo.edu/kritikakultura>.

Eras

Eras is an on-line journal edited and produced by postgraduate students from the School of Historical Studies at Monash University, Melbourne, Australia. Papers are accepted from the disciplines of history, archaeology, ancient history, religion, theology, and Jewish civilization. Eras is a fully refereed journal intended as an international forum for current or recently completed Masters and PhD students to publish original research, commentary, and reviews. Access the journal at <http://www.arts.monash.edu.au/eras>. Email: Eras@arts.monash.edu.au.

Athenea Digital

An online journal on social thought and research. Access the journal at <http://www.blues.uab.es/athenea>.

Qualitative Methods in Various Disciplines II: Cultural Sciences

Available at <http://www.qualitative-research.net/fqs/fqs-eng.htm>.

Transcend Peace University, Cluj, Romania

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Representative Courses: Conflict Transformation by Peaceful Means//Global Conflicts and Nonviolence//Peacebuilding and Empowerment //Peace Journalism//Peace and the Arts//Nonmilitary Aspects of Security

URL: <http://www.transcend.org/tpu>

---Contemporary Books/Journals/Articles

Baer, R. (2002). *See No Evil: The True Story of a Ground Soldier in the CIA's War on Terrorism*. Crown. (This text highlights and entertainingly describes common intelligence issues such as the human versus the technical, careerism, headquarters versus field personnel dynamics, and the roles of covert action and espionage.)

Belli, G. (2002). *The Country Under My Skin: A Memory of Love and War*. Knopf. (A narrative of the nonrevolutionary treatment of women within political revolutionary movements.)

Grondin, J. (2003). *Hans-Georg Gadamer: A Biography*. (J. Weinsheimer, Trans.). Yale University Press. (An intellectual biography of the 20th century German philosopher who contributed so significantly to hermeneutics and clear philosophical writing.)

Hart, J. L. (2003). *The CIA's Russians*. A career intelligence officer with access to case files and to psychologists provides vignettes and commentary on the psychology of treason—specifically, Soviet citizens who worked against their country for the United States.

Helms, R. (2003). *A Look Over My Shoulder: A Life in the CIA*. Random House. (An autobiography most valuable for its casual asides on the practice of intelligence and the characters of political and intelligence figures.)

Norton, M.B. (2002). *In the Devil's Snare: The Salem Witchcraft Crisis of 1692*. Knopf. (An alternative approach to causal analysis of a well-known historical event and an example of the import of socio-historical analysis of stigma and socio-pathology.)

Pipes, R. (2003). *The Degaev Affair*. Yale University Press. (The nexus of academic and terrorist is one with historical precedent. The author (and noted historian) provides an entertaining and insightful analysis of one such case.)

Post, J.M. (2003). *The Psychological Assessment of Political Leaders*. University of Michigan Press. (This text describes the history and contemporary status of employing the scientific and clinical behavioral sciences to assess national leaders "at a distance." Applications for profiling of Saddam Hussein and Bill Clinton are featured.)

Rustmann, F.W., Jr. (2002). *CIA, Inc.: Espionage and the Craft of Business Intelligence*. Brassey's, Inc. (A professional exposition of business intelligence based on generalization from governmental intelligence activities.)

Shulsky, A.N., & Schmitt, G.J. (2002). *Silent Warfare: Understanding the World of Intelligence*. (3rd ed.). Brassey's, Inc. (Probably the best English language introductory textbook on intelligence matters.)

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