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Naval Power in the Conquest of Mexico Aug 31 2020 In this account of the naval aspect of Hernando Cortés's invasion of the Aztec Empire, C. Harvey Gardiner has added another dimension to the drama of Spanish conquest of the New World and to Cortés himself as a military strategist. The use of ships, in the climactic moment of the Spanish-Aztec clash, which brought about the fall of Tenochtitlán and consequently of all of Mexico, though discussed briefly in former English-language accounts of the struggle, had never before been detailed and brought into a perspective that reveals its true significance. Gardiner, on the basis of previously unexploited sixteenth-century source materials, has written a historical revision that is as colorful as it is authoritative. Four centuries before the term was coined, Cortés, in the key years of 1520–1521, used the technique of "total war." He was able to do so victoriously primarily because of his courage in taking a gamble and his brilliance in tactical planning, but these qualities might well have signified nothing without the fortunate presence in his forces of a master shipwright, Martín López. As the exciting story unrolls, Cortés, López, and the many other participants in the venture of creating and using a navy in the midst of the New World mountains and forests are seen as real personalities, not embalmed historical stereotypes, and the indigenous defenders are revealed as complex human beings facing huge odds. Much of the tale is told in the actual words of the protagonists; Gardiner has probed letters, court records, and other contemporary documents. He has also compared this naval feat of the Spaniards with other maritime events from ancient times to the present. *Naval Power in the Conquest of Mexico* as a book was itself the result of an interesting combination of circumstances. C. Harvey Gardiner, as teacher, scholar, and writer, had long been interested in Latin American history generally and Mexican history in particular. During World War II, from 1942 to 1946, he served with the U.S. Navy. As he relates: "One day in early autumn 1945, while loafing on the bow of a naval vessel knifing its way southward in the Pacific a few degrees north of the Equator, my thoughts turned to the naval side of the just-ended conflict, and in time the question emerged, 'I wonder how the little ships and the little men will fare in the eventual record?' Then, because I was eager to return to my civilian life of pursuit of

Latin American themes, the concomitant question came: 'I wonder what little fighting ships and minor men of early Latin America have been consigned to the oblivion of historical neglect?' As I began later to rummage my way from Columbus toward modern times, I seized upon the Mexican Conquest as the prime period with pay dirt for the researcher in quest of the answer to that latter question."

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The Power and Politics of Art in Postrevolutionary Mexico Jun 21 2022 Stephanie J. Smith brings Mexican politics and art together, chronicling the turbulent relations between radical artists and the postrevolutionary Mexican state. The revolution opened space for new political ideas, but by the late 1920s many government officials argued that consolidating the nation required coercive measures toward dissenters. While artists and intellectuals, some of them professed Communists, sought free expression in matters both artistic and political, Smith reveals how they simultaneously learned the fine art of negotiation with the increasingly authoritarian government in order to secure clout and financial patronage. But the government, Smith shows, also had reason to accommodate artists, and a surprising and volatile interdependence grew between the artists and the politicians. Involving well-known artists such as Frida Kahlo, Diego Rivera, and David Alfaro Siqueiros, as well as some less well known, including Tina Modotti, Leopoldo Mendez, and Aurora Reyes, politicians began to appropriate the artists' nationalistic visual images as weapons in a national propaganda war. High-stakes negotiating and co-opting took place between the two camps as they sparred over the production of generally accepted notions and representations of the revolution's legacy—and what it meant to be authentically Mexican.

University of Florida Monographs Sep 19 2019

Mexico's Mandarins May 28 2020 This study marks the culmination of over 20 years of research by the author. It provides a detailed, comprehensive examination of Mexico's power elite - their political power, societal influence, and the crucial yet often overlooked role mentoring plays in their rise to the top.

Energy Humanities Oct 21 2019 "... these fields of scholarship are ones that demonstrate how the scale and complexity of the issues being explored demand insights and approaches that transcend old school disciplinary boundaries. This book offers a selection of the most influential work in energy humanities that has appeared over the past decade. Selections range from anthropology and geography to philosophy, history, and cultural studies to recent energy-focused interventions in art and literature..."--Provided by publisher.

Álvaro Obregón Jun 09 2021 Analisis pormenorizado de los acontecimientos que posibilitaron el ascenso del

general Alvaro Obregon a la cima del poder, en una epoca en la cual la legitimacion total era casi imposible de lograr en el Mexico posrevolucionario.

The Investor's Four Shilling Year Book Mar 06 2021

Should Mexico Hold Veto Power Over U.S. Border Security Decisions? Apr 19 2022

Fueling Mexico Dec 15 2021 Germán Vergara explains how, when, and why fossil fuels (oil, coal, and natural gas) became the basis of Mexican society.

U.S. Electricity Trade with Canada and Mexico Jan 16 2022

World Energy Outlook Jun 28 2020 The IEA's Economic Analysis Division (EAD), with input from other Divisions, produces the World Energy Outlook, the IEA's flagship publication. In even-numbered years, the EAD publishes a global energy survey, including detailed long-term projections of energy demand, energy supply and CO2 emissions. The "WEO" looks from 20 to 30 years into the future, and its projections are based on the World Energy Model. The "World Energy Outlook: Insights" series cover a single aspect of energy, like subsidies in 1999 and global supply in 2001. The WEO Insights series are published in odd-numbered years.

Power in the International Investment Framework Apr 26 2020 This book offers a unique analysis of bilateral investment treaties (BITs). By developing a new, power-focused paradigm for understanding the international investment framework, the author illustrates why there was no paradoxical behaviour when developing countries agreed to the BIT regime, and what has spurred their reaction against it now. She also examines how attempts to regulate investment at a multilateral level have failed, and why the rules of the framework are evolving. Inspired by the work of Susan Strange, Gwynn fills a significant lacuna in our understanding of these issues by demonstrating how power determines the actions of all those involved. This holistic reinterpretation of international investment focuses in particular on Latin America, but has wider implications for the negotiation of new treaties, including such controversial provisions as the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership. It will appeal to lawyers, economists, political scientists and scholars of Latin America.

Mexico in Verse Jul 30 2020 "This edited volume examines the history of modern Mexico through poetry and music. It seeks to examine the cultural venues where ordinary people articulated their understandings of the social, political, and economic change they witnessed taking place during moments of tremendous upheaval, such as the U.S.-Mexican War, the Porfiriato, the Mexican Revolution, among others"--Provided by publisher.

Agrarian Structure and Political Power in Mexico Aug 23 2022

Judicial Power and Strategic Communication in Mexico Jul 22 2022 Although they are not directly accountable to voters, constitutional court judges communicate with the general public through the media. In *Judicial Power and Strategic Communication in Mexico*, Jeffrey K. Staton argues that constitutional courts develop public relations strategies in order to increase the transparency of judicial behavior and promote judicial legitimacy. Yet, in some political contexts there can be a tension between transparency and legitimacy, and for this reason, courts cannot necessarily advance both conditions simultaneously. The argument is tested via an analysis of the Mexican Supreme Court during Mexico's recent transition to democracy, and also through a cross-national analysis of public perceptions of judicial legitimacy. The results demonstrate that judges can be active participants in the construction of their own power. More broadly, the study develops a positive political theory of institutions, which highlights the connections between democratization and the rule of law.

The Mexican Year Book May 08 2021

Free Trade with Mexico Feb 23 2020

Mexico in Transition from the Power of Political Romanism to Civil and Religious Liberty Mar 26 2020

Mexico Dec 27 2022 The concentration of power in the caudillo (leader) is as much a formative element of Mexican culture and politics as the historical legacy of the Aztec emperors, Cortez, the Spanish Crown, the Mother Church and the mixing of the Spanish and Indian population into a mestizo culture. Krauze shows how history becomes biography during the century of caudillos from the insurgent priests in 1810 to Porfirio and the Revolution in 1910. The Revolutionary era, ending in 1940, was dominated by the lives of seven presidents -- Madero, Zapata, Villa, Carranza, Obregon, Calles and Cardenas. Since 1940, the dominant power of the presidency has continued through years of boom and bust and crisis. A major question for the modern state, with today's president Zedillo, is whether that power can be decentralized, to end the cycles of history as biographies of power.

The Power and the Money Apr 07 2021 Facing financial chaos, Porfirio Diaz's strategy in the 1880s was to create a bank with a legal monopoly over lending to the government and to enforce elites' property rights in order to get their support. This book shows how Mexican leaders, even after the Mexican Revolution, failed to alter these basic economic and political policies, resulting in a continuing high level of financial and industrial concentration.

The Complete Twin Plant Guide Nov 14 2021

Power Oct 25 2022 Leilani Grajeda-Higley became a nurse and a healer; a writer and a teller of stories that light a path through the labyrinth of life and death. As a child her own path emerged from an old Army surplus tent her parents had bolted down to the scorched earth of California's Mojave Desert where range cows roamed free. There, in the solitude, wind, and clouds the path led her to discover that power is all that is and all that ever was--that the lack of power is the cause of all suffering. Torn from her Mexican roots and punished for them; An American viewed as alien in a segregated Anglo school--she had a vantage point on society's edges to question the assumptions and magical thinking those around her embraced as true. She saw that every relationship, both small and large, fleeting or enduring, is about power. In the smoothest, all agree who is in charge, in which areas, and for how long. In the bitterest, there is no agreement--only struggle and strife. Her path led her to prehistoric Mexico and the cosmic event that made humanity possible. She traced the path of the genetic mother of all her mothers, who left Africa, wandered the face of the earth, trailing DNA in the daughters she left behind, and eventually settled in a garden of eternal spring in her native Mexico. Curious about the brain's role in memory, fear, dominance, and submission, her path took her through years of brain exploration and the electro-chemical impulses of thought and movement. In vignettes she shows families and strangers acting out struggles for power. Leilani's path led her to understand how we become who we are, and the value of our behavior. She observed the enduring gender conflicts of patriarchy, power and dominance. She saw how the lack of power causes us to suffer when ill, helpless, or oppressed; how it manifests in grief, depression, and dysphoria--or in seizing a mantle of power to compensate for perceived deficiencies. Paradoxically, the path through death, though sad, was also up-lifting. Indeed, her path led her to wonder at, to laugh at, to question, and ultimately to celebrate the human condition and view it with optimism that we can turn away from grasping for power--that there is enough power for all of life's creatures. The stories in *Power: A Memoir, Mexico and More*, light the reader's path through the labyrinth of life. Leilani Grajeda-Higley, R.N., M.F.A., Ph.D., Emerita of San Diego State University

Michigan Journal of Political Science Aug 11 2021

Decentralization, Democratization, and Informal Power in Mexico Jan 24 2020 "Explores the democratization and decentralization of governance in Mexico and finds that informal political networks continue to mediate citizens' relationships with their elected authorities. Analyzes the linkages between informal and formal power by comparing how they worked in three Mexican cities: Tijuana, Ciudad Nezahualcôyotl, and Chilpancingo"--Provided by publisher.

Mexico Unconquered Feb 17 2022 A young journalist's chronicles of Mexican social movements and the powers attempting to repress them.

Geothermal Power Plants of Mexico and Central America Sep 24 2022

Conference on Nuclear Power and Applications in Latin America, September 28-October 1, 1975, Mexico City Feb 05 2021

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The Oxford Handbook of Mexican Politics Dec 03 2020 Since achieving independence from Spain and establishing its first constitution in 1824, Mexico has experienced numerous political upheavals. The country's long and turbulent journey toward democratic, representative government has been marked by a tension between centralized, autocratic governments (historically depicted as a legacy of colonial institutions) and federalist structures. The years since Mexico's independence have seen a major violent social revolution, years of authoritarian rule, and, finally, in the past two decades, the introduction of a fair and democratic electoral process. Over the course of the thirty-one essays in *The Oxford Handbook of Mexican Politics* some of the world's leading scholars of Mexico will provide a comprehensive view of the remarkable transformation of the nation's political system to a democratic model. In turn they will assess the most influential institutions, actors, policies and issues in its current evolution toward democratic consolidation. Following an introduction by Roderic Ai Camp, sections will explore the current state of Mexico's political development; transformative political institutions; the changing roles of the military, big business, organized labor, and the national political elite; new political actors including the news media, indigenous movements, women, and drug traffickers; electoral politics; demographics and political attitudes; and policy issues.

Honorable Treachery Nov 21 2019 A "splendidly written, impeccably researched, and perfectly fascinating"

look at clandestine operations from colonial times to the Cuban Missile Crisis (*The Washington Post Book World*). We've always depended on intelligence gathering to drive foreign policy in peacetime and command decision in war—but that work has often taken place in the shadows. *Honorable Treachery* fills in these details in our national history, dramatically recounting every important intelligence operation from our nation's birth into the early 1960s. Among numerous other stories, the book recounts how in 1795, President Washington mounted a covert operation to ransom American hostages in the Middle East; how in 1897, Kaiser Wilhelm II's plans for an invasion of the United States were stopped by the director of the US Office of Naval Intelligence; and how President Woodrow Wilson created a secret agency called the Inquiry to compile intelligence for the peace negotiations at the end of World War I. From a Pulitzer Prize finalist who himself worked for the CIA, *Honorable Treachery* puts America's use of covert intelligence into a broader historical context, providing a unique insight into the secret workings of our country. "O'Toole offers fascinating information generally unrecorded in traditional diplomatic and military histories." —Library Journal

Project and Policy Analysis of Build-operate-transfer Infrastructure Development Sep 12 2021

Beyond the Drug War in Mexico Oct 01 2020 This volume aims to go beyond the study of developments within Mexico's criminal world and their relationship with the state and law enforcement. It focuses instead on the nature and consequences of what we call the 'totalization of the drug war', and its projection on other domains which are key to understanding the nature of Mexican democracy. The volume brings together chapters written by distinguished scholars from Mexico and elsewhere who deal with three major questions: what are the main features of and forces behind the persistent militarization of the drug war in Mexico, and what are the main consequences for human rights and the rule of law; what are the consequences of these developments on the public sphere and, more specifically, on the functioning of the press and freedom of expression; and how do ordinary people engage with the effects of violence and insecurity within their communities, and which initiatives and practices of 'justice from below' do they develop to counter an increased sense of vulnerability, suffering and impunity?

College of Commerce Conference Series Nov 02 2020

Mexico Oct 13 2021 Summary: This text offers an analysis of Mexico's struggle for democratic development. Linking Mexico's state to Mexico-US and other international considerations, the authors, collaborating with Emilio Zebadua, offer perspectives from all sides of the border.

Update, United States-Canadian/Mexican Relations Aug 19 2019

Transactions of the Third Circum-Pacific Energy and Mineral Resources Conference Jan 04 2021

Mexico Dec 23 2019

United States Congressional Serial Set Mar 18 2022 Reports, Documents, and Journals of the U.S. Senate and House of Representatives.

Power and Persuasion Jul 10 2021 At the same time, fiestas themselves affirm and validate the system that gave rise to them. Not only do they solidify authority relations, both official and unofficial, but they also clarify and reinforce the norms by which orderly social life may be conducted.