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***Foreign
Policy
Analysis And
Rational
Choice
Models***

This book examines the strategic interactions among China, the United

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States, Japan, and
Southeast Asian
States in the context
of China's rise
and globalization
after the cold war.
Engaging the
mainstream
theoretical debates
in international
relations, the author
introduces a new
theoretical framework
"institutional

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realismâ€”to explain
the

institutionalization
of world politics in
the Asia-Pacific after
the cold war.

Institutional realism
suggests that
deepening
economic
interdependence
creates a condition
under which states
are more likely to

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conduct a new
balancing strategyâ

€"institutional

balancing, i.e.,

countering

pressures or threats

through initiating,

utilizing, and

dominating

multilateral

institutionsâ€"to

pursue security

under anarchy. To

test the validity of

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institutional realism,
Kai He examines the

foreign policies of

the U.S., Japan, the

ASEAN states, and

China toward four

major multilateral

institutions, Asia-

Pacific Economic

Cooperation (APEC),

the Association of

Southeast Asian

Nations (ASEAN)

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(ARF), ASEAN Plus
Three (APT), and
East Asian Summit

(EAS). Challenging
the popular
pessimistic view
regarding China's
rise, the book
concludes that
economic
interdependence
and structural
constraints may well
soften the

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"dragon's teeth."
China's rise does

not mean a dark

future for the region.

Institutional

Balancing in the

Asia Pacific will be of

great interest to

policy makers and

scholars of Asian

security,

international

relations, Chinese

foreign policy, and

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U.S. foreign policy.
Trust is a core

concept in

International

Relations (IR),

representing a key

ingredient in state

relations. It was only

relatively recently

that IR scholars

began to probe what

trust really is, how it

can be studied, and

how it affects state

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relations. In the process three distinct ways of theorising trust in IR have emerged: trust as a rational choice calculation, as a social phenomenon or as a psychological dimension. Trust in International Relations explores trust through these

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different lenses
using case studies

to analyse the

relative strengths
and weaknesses of
different

approaches. The
case studies cover
relations between:
United States and
India ASEAN and
Southeast Asian
countries Finland
and Sweden USA

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and Egypt The
European Union and

Russia Turkey's

relations with the

West This book

provides insights

with real-world

relevance in the

fields of crisis and

conflict

management, and

will be of great

interest for students

and scholars of IR,

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security studies and
development

studies who are
looking to develop a
more sophisticated
understanding of
how different
theories of trust can
be used in different
situations.

Seminar paper from
the year 2016 in the
subject Politics -
International Politics

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- Region: Africa,
grade: 2,0,

University Models

Witten/Herdecke (Wirtschaftswissenschaften), course:

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Analysis of Foreign

Policies, language:

English, abstract:

This essay analyses

and interprets

changes in foreign

relations between

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Ethiopia and its
neighbor states

dependent on

Ethiopia's strong
economic growth in

recent years. The

author bases his

analysis on the

rational-actor model

of foreign policy

analysis. Ethiopia's

economic growth is

strongly tied to its

investments in

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agriculture and electricity from hydropower, which not only creates opportunities for the region but also causes some negative externalities. The treat of water deficiency is particularly high for Egypt, which largely depends on the

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waters of the Nile, with its supply being threatened by the completion of the Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam (GERD) in 2017.

Water politics with regards to foreign policy in addition to domestic conflict potentials are the most significant political challenges

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for Ethiopia today.

The rational-choice

model will help to

identify these

challenges in

greater detail and

country-specifically

and will help to

provide solutions

for informed

decision-making.

This dissertation is

an analysis of how

presidents make

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foreign policy decisions. Rather than explaining foreign policy decisions by focusing on individuals or institutions, I stress the role of political pressures and context faced by presidents. It shows that foreign policy decisions are not

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merely a reaction to stimulus from the international or domestic arenas but involve political considerations that affect policy choice. The dynamic elements in the argument are political resources and risk. The relationship between the risk

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propensity of the president and presidential political resources provides an important link to understanding foreign policy decisions. Within the realm of good public policy, a politically rational president can choose to act or respond to foreign

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policy disputes in various ways, including

diplomacy, political coercion, economic coercion, covert action, or military intervention, based on his assessment of the political context and his willingness to accept the associated risks.

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The level of presidential political resources

determines the risk propensity of the president.

Presidential foreign policy decisions will vary depending on the quantity of available political resources. Thus, understanding the risk propensity of

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the president
increases our ability
to explain foreign
policy decisions.

The contribution of
this research is the
identification of a
mechanism for
understanding how
the interaction
between the
domestic and
international
political

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environments, and individual decision-makers influence foreign policy decisions. My research bridges the gap between structural theories, "theories that make predictions about foreign policy outcomes without reference to the cognition and

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actions of the actors themselves" and decision-making theories that stress the role of the actors (Ikenberry 2002, 5). Although the component parts of the foreign policy decision making system are widely known, we lack theories that tie the pieces together.

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The Foreign Policy
Systems Approach

The Making of
Global Models

Foreign Policy

The Psychology of
Foreign Policy

Confucianism,
Leadership and War

The Cognitive-
rational Debate

Decisionmaking on
War and Peace

Chinese Strategic
Culture and Foreign

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The second edition of this introductory textbook on foreign policy analysis focuses on the key explanatory factors that underlie the foreign

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*policies of
states and
other actors to
show how theory
can illuminate
practice.*

*Genuinely
international
in scope and
drawing on a
wide range of
examples, it
provides an*

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*accessible
introduction to
the key
elements of
foreign policy
analysis to
explain,
predict and
evaluate what
states and
other
collective
actors want,*

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*how they make
decisions, and
key*

*determinants of
state security,
diplomatic, and
economic
foreign
policies.*

*Providing a
broad set of
theoretical
tools for*

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*analysing
foreign policy,
and including*

increased

coverage of

methodology,

this new

edition

provides

students with

the skills to

undertake their

own foreign

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policy
And Rational
analysis.
Choice Models.

*Rivalries are a
fundamental
aspect of all
international
interactions.
The concept of
rivalry
suggests that
historic
animosity may
be the most*

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*fundamental
variable in
explaining and
understanding
why states
commit
international
violence
against each
other. By
understanding
the historic
factors behind*

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*the emergence
of rivalry, the
strategies*

*employed by
states to deal
with potential
threats, and
the issues
endemic to
enemies, this
book seeks to
understand and
predict why*

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states become rivals. The recent increase in the quantitative study of rivalry has largely identified who the rivals are, but not how they form and escalate.

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Questions about the escalation of rivalry are important if we are to understand the nature of conflictual interactions. This book addresses an important research gap in

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*the field by
directly
tackling the
question of
rivalry
formation. In
addition to
making new
contributions
to the
literature,
this book will
summarize a*

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*cohesive model
of how all
interstate
rivalries form
by using both
quantitative
and qualitative
methods and
sources.*

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version has
been made
available under*

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license. This

book reviews a

variety of

approaches to

the study of

the European

Union's foreign

policy. Much

analysis of EU

foreign policy

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contains
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theoretical
assumptions

about the
nature of the
EU and its
member states,
their inter-
relationships,
the
international
system in which
they operate

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*and the nature
of European
integration.*

Such

assumptions,

when not

discussed

openly, often

curtail debate.

This book opens

up this field

of enquiry so

students,

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observers and analysts of EU foreign policy can review a range of tools and theoretical templates from which the development and the trajectory of the EU's foreign policy can be studied.

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*Situated at the
interface*

between

European

studies and

international

relations, the

book outlines

how the EU

relates to the

rest of the

world,

explaining its

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*effort towards
creating a
credible,
effective and
principled
foreign,
security and
defence policy.
The inside
story of the
Cuban Missile
Crisis.*

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Trust in

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Vietnam*

The Rationality

Of Political

Protest

Diplomacy in

the 21st

Century

This book

presents the

evolution of the

field of foreign

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policy analysis
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and explains the
theories that

have structured

research in this

area over the

last 50 years. It

provides the

essentials of

emerging

theoretical

trends, data and

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studies and is

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undergraduates

and scholars

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volume features
an eclectic

panorama of
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approaches to
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focusing on

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different models
of analysis such
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bureaucratic

politics,

strategic

culture,

cybernetics,

poliheuristic

analysis,

cognitive

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mapping,
gender studies,
groupthink and

the systemic

sources of

foreign policy.

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conceptual

notions such as

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ideologies and

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erratically in
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nuclear weapons
program? Why
did the United

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alliances to
multilateral ones
in Asia after
World War II?
Why did China
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coercion—in
dealing with the

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President Chen
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2000? Why did
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compromise in
the negotiation
of the Chunxiao
gas exploration
in 2008 while

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Japan became
provocative
later in the Sino-
Japanese
disputes in the
East China Sea?
North Korea's
nuclear
behavior, U.S.
alliance
strategy, China's
Taiwan policy,

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Japanese

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that have

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regional stability

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examining major

events in Asian

security, this

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investigates why

and how leaders

make risky and

seemingly

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decisions in

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authors take the

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of integrating

the neoclassical

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framework in

political science

and prospect

theory in

psychology.

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Their analysis suggests that political leaders are more likely to take risky actions when their vital interests and political legitimacy are seriously threatened. For

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each case, the authors first discuss the weaknesses of some of the prevailing arguments, mainly from rationalist and constructivist theorizing, and then offer an

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based on their

political legitima

cy-prospect

theory model.

This pioneering

book tests and

expands

prospect theory

to the study of

Asian security

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traditional, expected-utility-

based,

rationalist

theories of

foreign policy

behavior.

A rising China,
climate change,
terrorism, a
nuclear Iran, a

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turbulent Middle
East, and a

reckless North

Korea all

present serious

challenges to

America's

national

security. But it

depends even

more on the

United States

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addressing its
burgeoning

deficit and debt,

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infrastructure,

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schools, and

outdated

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system. While

there is

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power

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America

directly, how

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ability to lead
the world and
advocates for a
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Restoration that
would require
the US to limit
its involvement
in both wars of

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multiple levels

of analysis,

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which the next

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contributions.

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growth in

Ethiopia on its
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(Revisited)

This classic work
has helped shape
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international
relations and
especially
influenced scholars
interested in how

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foreign policy is
made. At a time

when conventional

wisdom and

traditional

approaches are

being questioned,

and when there is

increased interest in

the importance of

process, the insights

of Snyder, Bruck

and Sapin have

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continuing and
increased
relevance. Prescient
in its focus on the
effects on foreign
policy of individuals
and their
preconceptions,
organizations and
their procedures,
and cultures and
their values,

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generations of
scholars, the current
state of the field,
and areas for future
research.

There are two
dominant
approaches to
political decision
making in general
and foreign policy
decision making in
particular: rational

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choice and cognitive
psychology. The
essays here

introduce and test
the poliheuristic
theory of decision
making that

integrates elements
of both schools. The
poliheuristic theory
is able to account
for the outcome and
the process of

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decisions, and integrates across levels of analysis (individual, dyad, and group). The collection focuses on both elements of the theory itself and also looks at how the theory can be used to better understand political decisions that were

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made in the past.

Since its original publication in 1976, Perception and Misperception in International Politics has become a landmark book in its field, hailed by the New York Times as "the seminal statement of principles underlying

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political

psychology." This

new edition includes

an extensive

preface by the

author reflecting on

the book's lasting

impact and legacy,

particularly in the

application of

cognitive

psychology to

political decision

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making, and brings

that analysis up to

date by discussing

the relevant

psychological

research over the

past forty years.

Jervis describes the

process of

perception (for

example, how

decision makers

learn from history)

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and then explores common forms of misperception (such as overestimating one's influence). He then tests his ideas through a number of important events in international relations from nineteenth- and twentieth-century European history.

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Perception and
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is essential for

understanding

international

relations today.

Understanding

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Decision Making

presents a

psychological

approach to foreign

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policy decision
making. This

approach focuses

on the decision

process, dynamics,

and outcome. The

book includes a

wealth of extended

real-world case

studies and

examples that are

woven into the text.

The cases and

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examples, which are written in an accessible style, include decisions made by leaders of the United States, Israel, New Zealand, Cuba, Iceland, United Kingdom, and others. In addition to coverage of the rational model of

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decision making,
And Rational
Choice Models
levels of analysis of
foreign policy

decision making,

and types of

decisions, the book

includes extensive

material on

alternatives to the

rational choice

model, the

marketing and

framing of

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decisions, cognitive
biases, and

domestic, cultural,

and international

influences on

decision making in

international affairs.

Existing textbooks

do not present such

an approach to

foreign policy

decision making,

international

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relations, American
foreign policy, and
comparative foreign
policy.

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Planning -- Pearson
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Theory of Decision

The Far Right

Today

Rational Theory of

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European Union

foreign policy

New approaches

The Process of

Interstate Rivalry

Development

Drawing on

Chinese cultural

and philosophical

traditions, this

book offers a

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***ground breaking
reinterpretation
of world politics
from Yaqing Qin,
one of China's
leading scholars
of international
relations. Qin
has pioneered
the study of
constructivism in
China and
developed a
variant of this***

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approach,
arguing that

culture defined

in terms of

background

knowledge

nurtures social

theory and

enables

theoretical

innovation.

Building upon

this argument,

this book

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***presents the
concept of
'relationality',
shifting the focus
from individual
actors to the
relations
amongst actors.
This ontology of
relations
examines the
unfolding
processes
whereby***

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***relations create
the identities of***

actors and

provide

***motivations for
their actions.***

***Appealing to
scholars of***

international

relations theory,

social theory and

Chinese political

thought, this

exciting new

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***concept will be
of particular
interest to those
who are seeking
to bridge Eastern
and Western
approaches for a
truly global
international
relations project.
Examines the
political
decisions made
during the***

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Stephen G.

Walker, Akan

Malici, and Mark

Schafer present

a definitive, soci

al-psychological

approach to

integrating

theories of

foreign policy

analysis and

international rela

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***g the agent-
centered, micro-
political study of
decisions by
leaders and the s
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oriented, macro-
political study of
state
interactions as a
complex
adaptive system.
The links
between the***

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internal world of beliefs and the external world of events provide the strategic setting in which states collide and leaders decide. The first part of this ground-breaking book establishes the theoretical framework of

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**neobehavioral IR,
setting the stage**

for the Models

remainder of the

work to apply

the framework to

pressing issues

in world politics.

Through these

applications

students can see

how a game-

theoretic logic

can combine with

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***the operational
code research
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innovatively
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systemic level or
an individual-***

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***decision making
level of analysis***

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incomplete

picture of how

leaders steer

their ships of

state through

the hazards of

international

crises to

establish stable

relations of

cooperation or

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conflict.

Moderne

Diplomatie wirkt

heute in viele

Bereiche des

modernen

Lebens hinein.

Sie ist zugleich

selbst neuen

Einflüssen

ausgesetzt.

Faktoren, die

unsere

Gesellschaften

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**verändern,
verändern auch
unser Regierung
shandeln, auch
in der
Außenpolitik,
seien es
Digitalisierung,
emotionalisierte
Sensibilitäten
unserer
Öffentlichkeiten
oder nicht-
staatliche**

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**internationale
Akteure.**

**Derartige
Entwicklungen
müssen von der
Diplomatie
aufgenommen
werden, damit
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