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Transnational Feminist Movements

Bananas, Beaches and Bases 2014-05-16

in this brand new radical analysis of globalization cynthia enloe examines recent events bangladeshi garment factory deaths domestic workers in the persian gulf chinese global tourists and the un gender politics of guns to reveal the crucial role of women in international politics today with all new and updated chapters enloe describes how many women s seemingly personal strategies in their marriages in their housework in their coping with ideals of beauty are in reality the stuff of global politics enloe offers a feminist gender analysis of the global politics of both masculinities and femininities dismantles an apparently overwhelming world system and reveals that system to be much more fragile and open to change than we think

Bananas, Beaches & Bases 1990

this radical new analysis of international politics reveals the crucial role of women in implementing governmental foreign policies be it soviet glasnost britain s dealings in the eec or the nato alliance cynthia enloe pulls back the curtain on the familiar scenes governments restricting imported goods bankers negotiating foreign loans soldiers serving overseas and shows that the real landscape is less exclusively male bananas beaches and bases shows

how thousands of women tailor their marriages to fit the demands of state secrecy how foreign policy would grind to a halt without secretaries to handle money transfers or arms shipments and how women are working in hotels and factories around the world in order to service their governments debts enloe also challenges common assumptions about what constitutes international politics she explains for example how turning tacos and sushi into bland fast foods affects relations between affluent and developing countries and why a multinational banana company needs the brothel outside its gates and she argues that shopping at benetton wearing levis working as a nanny or employing one or planning a vacation are all examples of foreign policy in action bananas beaches and bases does not ignore our curiosity about arms dealers the president s men or official secrets but it shows why these conventional clues are not sufficient for understanding how the international political system works in exposing policymakers reliance on false notions of femininity and masculinity enloe dismantles a seemingly overwhelming world system exposing it to be much more fragile and open to change than we are usually led to believe

Making Feminist Sense of the Global Justice

Movement 2010-01-16

challenging the neglect of feminism in accounts of the global justice movement this book explores the origins ideas and practices of what catherine eschle and bice maiguashca term feminist antiglobalization activism drawing on fieldwork undertaken at the world social forum the authors argue that feminists constitute a distinct if diverse sector of the global justice movement taking feminism seriously the authors conclude points us toward a richer and more theoretically nuanced understanding of the global justice movement and its struggle to create other possible worlds their book thus offers vital insights not only for feminists but also for all those interested in contemporary social movements and in global governance and resistance

Nimo's War, Emma's War 2010

nimo s war emma s war is unique in examining the gendered dimension of the iraq war particularly its impact on ordinary iraqi and american women thereby revealing an important long term cost of the conflict cynthia enloe s approach and analysis are extremely original and innovative nadje al ali author of what kind of liberation women and the occupation of iraq nimo s war

emma s war is cynthia enloe s darkest and most strikingly conceived text to date war is not in iraq and afghanistan where foreign militaries confront local people rather it is everywhere most particularly in peacetime domestic spaces civilian employment marital bedrooms and high schools terrell carver author of politics language and metaphor cynthia enloe has pioneered the subject of women militarism and war in a series of revelatory books including bananas beaches and bases the morning after sexual politics at the end of the cold war and maneuvers the international politics of militarizing women s lives nimo s war emma s war is her best one yet chalmers johnson author of the blowback trilogy brilliantly researched vividly written cynthia enloe has gifted us with a new and different story of modern warfare entirely gripping and profoundly humane every page raises new issues to factor in nimo and emma all the women and families touched by the carnage and agony of war is to see the bitter range of tragedy community by community to read this book is to ask what are we doing to our children all our children combatants and civilians how do women cope with post war wounds and violence agony wreckage displacement cynthia enloe s book is essential reading for all students and journalists public citizens and peace activists who seek women s dignity healthy societies humane alternatives to the insanity of careless military destruction blanche wiesen cook author of the declassified eisenhower eleanor roosevelt vols i ii iii forthcoming

Making Sense of Women's Lives 2000-08-01

making sense of women s lives presents a wide range of writings about women s lives in the united states michele plott and lauri umansky have drawn on their experiences as both students and professors to assemble the collection seeking to provide as full a sampling from a diverse and intellectually vibrant field as one volume permits the editors have also chosen writing that makes an enjoyable read a few of the selections here represent the undisputed classics of the field more of them constitute simply the works drawn from academic and nonacademic sources alike that could make a difference in understanding what it means to be female in america

The Curious Feminist 2004-12-15

this brings together much of enloe s recent work including her famous pieces on sneakers and feminism as well as showcasing some new unpublished pieces

Globalization and Militarism 2007-02-09

written by one of the world s leading feminist scholars this masterful and provocative book considers the ways women s desires to be patriotic yet

feminine and men s fears of being feminized explain how militarism is being globalized and thus what it will take to roll back militarization anywhere through explorations of how governments think so narrowly about national security of how postwar reconstruction efforts have marginalized women of how ideas about feminization were used to humiliate male prisoners in abu ghraib and of why camo has become a fashion statement cynthia enloe unravels militarism s both blatant and subtle workings focusing her lens on the big picture of international politics and on the small picture of women s and men s complex everyday lives enloe challenges us to recognize militarism in all its forms

Imagining Russia 2012-02-15

co winner of the 2009 suny press dissertation first book prize in women s and gender studies imagining russia uses u s russian relations between the fall of the soviet union in 1991 and the u s led invasion of iraq in 2003 as a case study to examine the deployment of gendered racialized and heteronormative visual and narrative depictions of russia and russians in contemporary narratives of american nationalism and u s foreign policy through analyses of several key post soviet american popular and political texts including the hit television series the west wing washington d c s international spy museum and the legislative hearings of the freedom support

act and the trafficking victims protection act williams calls attention to the production and operation of five types of gendered russian imaginaries that were explicitly used to bolster support for and legitimize u s geopolitical unilateralism after the dissolution of the soviet union demonstrating the ways that the masculinization of u s military political and financial power after 1991 paved the way for the invasion of iraq in 2003

The Morning After 1993-10-10

cynthia enloe s riveting new book looks at the end of the cold war and places women at the center of international politics focusing on the relationship between the politics of sexuality and the politics of militarism enloe charts the changing definitions of gender roles sexuality and militarism at the end of the twentieth century in the gray dawn of this new era enloe finds that the politics of sexuality have already shifted irrevocably women glimpse the possibilities of democratization and demilitarization within what is still a largely patriarchal world new opportunities for greater freedom are seen in emerging social movements gays fighting for their place in the american military filipina servants rallying for their rights in saudi arabia danish women organizing against the european community s maastricht treaty enloe also documents the ongoing assaults against women as newly emerging nationalist movements serve to reestablish the privileges of masculinity the

voices of real women are heard in this book they reach across cultures showing the interconnections between military networks jobs domestic life and international politics the morning after will spark new ways of thinking about the complexities of the post cold war period and it will bring contemporary sexual politics into the clear light of day as no other book has done

Material Girls 1995-06

on feminist cultural theory

Making Sense of Men's Magazines 2001-10-08

the last decade has witnessed the phenomenal growth of the men s magazine market raising important questions of a more general kind what is the significance of the rise of men s lifestyle magazines for gender politics are we witnessing a backlash against feminism or are they merely harmless fun why did lsquo new man give way to the lsquo new lad what political issues do these questions raise within the context of the information society making sense of men s magazines is an original study which enables us to understand the appeal of men s magazines the ways in which they are constructed and understood and many of the complex questions they raise for both men and

women through interviews with editors and key production staff an analysis of the content of men s magazines and focus group interviews this work seeks to lsquo make sense of this cultural phenomenon the authors give particular attention to the gendered and commercial character of men s magazines and the implications they have for the way we understand capitalism masculinity and consumption in the modern world this book makes a major contribution to understanding the role of magazines in contemporary culture and will be essential reading for students of sociology media and cultural studies and gender studies

Putting Women in Place 2001-05-30

why do women and men tend to work in different jobs in different ways and in different spaces which is more masculine the city or the suburbs why is nature often represented in feminine form this thought provoking book uses the lens of gender to provide an illuminating new perspective on the geography of everyday life domosh and seager show how notions of maleness and femaleness have influenced our built environment the locations in which we invest meaning and the ways we live work travel and explore from the arrangement of furniture in victorian homes to the movements of refugees over contemporary borders the book explores gender patterns and roles across cultures and historical periods it is lavishly illustrated with line drawings

photographs and maps

Twelve Feminist Lessons of War 2023-09-19

renowned scholar activist cynthia enloe lays out the lessons that women activists have drawn from their immediate experiences of war twelve feminist lessons of war draws on firsthand experiences of war from women in places as diverse as ukraine myanmar somalia vietnam rwanda algeria syria and northern ireland to show how women s wars are not men s wars with her engaging trademark style cynthia enloe demonstrates how patriarchy and militarism have embedded themselves in our institutions and our personal lives enloe reveals how the social and political influences that shape war from military recruitment and economic collapse to sexual assault and reproductive rights and their denial are deeply gendered and pervade women s lives before during and in the aftermath of war her razor sharp analysis at once accessible and provocative highlights how women s emotional and physical labor is used to support government policies and how women s rights activists against all odds remain committed in the midst of armed violence twelve feminist lessons of war is the gritty and grounded book we need to understand what is happening to our world

Seriously! 2013-09-16

in seriously cynthia enloe author of the groundbreaking analysis of globalization bananas beaches and bases addresses two deeply gendered and contested questions who is taken seriously and who gets to bestow the label serious on others with a strategy of taking both women and gender dynamics seriously cynthia enloe investigates the dominique strauss kahn affair and the banking crash of 2008 the subsequent recession as well as un peacekeeping and the ongoing egyptian revolution each case study highlights the gritty experiences of women in diverse circumstances in banks on the job market in war zones and in revolutions the results of taking women seriously are fresh insights into what fuels the cultures of hyper risk taking of sexual harassment and the denial of women s post war security

Maneuvers 2000-02

enloe outlines the dilemmas feminists around the globe face in trying to craft theories and strategies that support militarized women locally and internationally without unwittingly being militarized themselves

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The Invention of Women *1997*

the author traces the misapplication of western body oriented concepts of gender through the history of gender discourses in yoruba studies the invention of women demonstrates that biology as a rationale for organizing the social world is a western construction not applicable in yoruban culture where social organization was determined by relative age

Imagining Russia *2014-05-14*

a bold work of feminist international relations that contributes to our understanding of the gendered racialized and heteronormative dynamics of u s foreign policy both in relations with russia and in the invasion of iraq

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Mapping Women, Making Politics 2013-03-07

mapping women making politics demonstrates the multiple ways in which gender influences political processes and the politics of space the book begins by addressing feminism s theoretical and conceptual challenges to traditional political geography and than applies these perspectives to a range of settings and topics including nationalism migration development international relations elections social movements governance and the environment in the global north and south

Feminist Fandom 2023-11-16

examines how fannish and feminist modes of cultural consumption production and critique are converging and opening up informal spaces for young people to engage with feminism adopting an interdisciplinary theoretical framework and bringing together media and communications feminist cultural studies sociology internet studies and fan studies hannell locates media fandom at the intersection of the multi directional and co constitutive relationship between popular feminisms popular culture and participatory networked digital cultures feminist fandom functions as an ethnographic account of how feminist identities are constructed lived and felt through digital fannish spaces on

the micro blogging and social networking platform tumblr

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Gender and Global Restructuring 2010

a new edition from marchand and runyan is cause for celebration they and their smart contributors show us here so graphically that the surprising twists and turns of today s globalizing trends cannot be realistically tracked without taking women s working lives and political resistances seriously cynthia enloe author of nimo s war emma s war making feminist sense of the iraq war bringing together leading scholars in international political economy gender and global restructuring illuminates the changing effects of neoliberal economic policies on the governance of intimacy family formation and the production of raced gendered sexualized identities sweeping in scope the volume provides new insights into the complex dynamics of nationstates international institutions and transnational social movements as they grapple with increasing inequalities in the twenty first century mary hawkesworth rutgers university editor signs journal of women in culture and society an important and timely reconsideration of the ways in which global

restructuring includes the restructuring of the intimate as the cases in this volume remind us reconfigurations of neoliberalism involve not only structural level phenomena but processes that both impact and depend upon subjects and subjectivities race gender and sexuality this is particularly important not only in thinking through global restructuring in the post 9 11 era of economic dislocation and collapse but as is demonstrated throughout this collection it is central as well in locating sites of resistance sandra whitworth editor international feminist journal of politics professor of political science york university canada the second edition of gender and global restructuring offers a sharp updated and compelling case for the centrality of transnational feminist frameworks in understanding and confronting the capitalist heteronormative racist patriarchies that constitute neoliberal imperial cultures at the current time contributors map the complex relationalities of the intimate the local and the global utilizing new feminist ethnographies and theoretical paradigms to foreground questions of women s agency and the political economy of militarized imperial capitalist global processes an illuminating indispensable book for anyone interested in making feminist sense of global power relations and the complex and varied genealogies of women s resistance to it chandra talpade mohanty author of feminism without borders decolonizing theory practicing solidarity 2003

Sex and Gender 1989

this book shows how different a focus on gender is from one on sex whether in scholarly thinking professional activity or public policy making it indicates how incorrect contemporary renditions of the difference between them is provides an explanation of this tension and difference based on the critical analysis of key institutions and shows the serious consequences of this confusion for women in particular across a wide range of institutional processes and practices in north america and western europe this confusion out of the failure to understand adequately the historical origins of sex as a civil designation in a political economy and in state taxation and census concerns and the corollary determination of spokesmen for the emerging capitalist and industrial nation state to extirpate the last vestiges of gender given its tie to a pre industrial kinship system found in towns and local communities this is a forcefully written study which integrates material from a vast range of disciplines and professional practices it also seeks to integrate salient work in women s and feminist studies into a critique of key institutions and practices if advacned industrial societies it uses critical theory and makes this available to students and practitioners as well as scholars and academics

Twelve Feminist Lessons of War 2023-09-07

cynthia enloe is a force to be reckoned with and utterly tireless her work has long spanned intersectional analyses of gender race and class she repeatedly questions which things society pays attention to and which we consider insignificant she is an inspiration laura bates a triumph chatham house twelve feminist lessons of war draws on sharp insights of women as survivors activists and scholars from ukraine to sudan and myanmar to show how diverse women s experiences of war must be taken seriously if we are to prevent and shorten wars and make gender justice central to recovering from wars women s wars are not men s wars wartime shapes the gendered politics of marriage prostitution journalism economics childcare domestic violence and rape enloe s razor sharp analysis highlights how understanding this can prevent wars and even end them with fresh fierce and vital thinking she shows that by paying more attention to the wounded and the women who care for them we will be more realistic about the long post war and that by listening to feminists on the ground in ukraine and elsewhere we will better understand what is happening to our world cynthia is one of only 100 women named on the gender justice wall in the hague

Feminist Identity Development and Activism in Revolutionary Movements 2013-10-24

this book examines how many women active in revolutionary movements develop feminist identities and how this identity simultaneously contributes to and conflicts with the struggle for women s emancipation

***Global Gender Issues in the New Millennium* 2013-11-12**

global gender issues in the new millennium argues that the power of gender works to help keep gender race class sexual and national divisions in place despite increasing attention to gender issues in the study and practice of world politics accessible and student friendly for both undergraduate and graduate courses authors anne sisson runyan and v spike peterson analyze gendered divisions of power and resources that contribute to the worldwide crises of representation violence and sustainability they emphasize how hard won attention to gender equality in world affairs can be co opted when gender is used to justify or mystify unjust forms of global governance international security and global political economy in the new and updated fourth edition

runyan and peterson examine the challenges of forging transnational solidarities to de gender world politics scholarship and practice through renewed politics for greater representation and redistribution yet they see promise in coalitional struggles to re radicalize feminist world political demands to change the downward conditions of women men children and the planet updated to include framing questions at the opening of each chapter discussion questions and exercises at the end of each chapter and updated data on gender statistics and policymaking chapters one and two have also been revised to provide more support to readers with less of a background in gender politics case studies and web resources are now also provided

Feminist International Relations 2002

publisher description

Globalization and Feminist Activism 2018-06-15

this thoroughly updated edition provides a comprehensive overview of two centuries of transnational feminist efforts to produce a more just global order mary hawkesworth explores how social economic and political inequalities between men and women of different races classes ethnicities and nationalities have been transformed over two centuries of globalization

drawing on historical and contemporary examples she demonstrates how women have forged international networks and alliances to address specific women s issues beyond the borders of the nation state crafting policies to mitigate pressing abuses and devising alternatives to liberal and neo liberal agendas the book considers innovative feminist tactics to produce global change carefully tracing the structural forces that constrain transnational feminist activism hawkesworth illuminates the complexity of feminist strategies to influence international agencies and foundations national governments and transnational ngos by providing critical new insights into the gendered nature of the global system and the gendered dynamics of international institutions and nation states this work will be invaluable for all those engaged in the interdisciplinary fields of globalization studies and feminist studies

“**Gendering Global Conflict**” **2020-10**

Gendering Global Conflict 2020-10

Gendering Global Conflict 2013-08-06

laura sjoberg positions gender and gender subordination as key factors in the making and fighting of global conflict through the lens of gender she examines

the meaning causes practices and experiences of war building a more inclusive approach to the analysis of violent conflict between states considering war at the international state substate and individual levels sjoberg s feminist perspective elevates a number of causal variables in war decision making these include structural gender inequality cycles of gendered violence state masculine posturing the often overlooked role of emotion in political interactions gendered understandings of power and states mistaken perception of their own autonomy and unitary nature gendering global conflict also calls attention to understudied spaces that can be sites of war such as the workplace the household and even the bedroom her findings show gender to be a linchpin of even the most tedious and seemingly bland tactical and logistical decisions in violent conflict armed with that information sjoberg undertakes the task of redefining and reintroducing critical readings of war s political economic and humanitarian dimensions developing the beginnings of a feminist theory of war

Feminist Perspectives on Terrorism 2020-04-01

this book explores terrorism and security issues from feminist perspectives putting gender and androcentrism at the heart of its analysis it argues against traditional research approaches to political violence and terrorism in particular that are dominated by the male gaze and individual stereotypes

and perspectives and that feminist approaches offer a fresh perspective on security research our current understanding of political violence is primarily based on the experiences of men and as such the challenge in terrorism and radicalization research is to demonstrate that women s studies on security and terrorism satisfy certain universal criteria the author shows how a post positivist approach can be useful in gaining insights into terrorism and violent extremism and how to address these phenomena the book presents theoretical foundations based on various feminist assumptions and exposes the essence of feminism its conceptual grid gender variabilities and the developments in feminist thinking and theory furthermore it discusses the trends in feminist epistemology and explains female radicalization to terrorist activity the specificity of female terrorism and the roles of women in deradicalization processes as well as their impact on counterterrorism policy the book concludes that gender difference as a constitutive variable of social reality is of key importance in studies on terrorism and counterterrorism

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shame and the anti feminist backlash examines how women opposed to the feminist campaign for the vote in early twentieth century britain ireland and australia used shame as a political tool it demonstrates just how proficient

women were in employing a diverse vocabulary of emotions drawing on concepts like embarrassment humiliation honour courage and chivalry in the attempt to achieve their political goals it looks at how far nationalist contexts informed each gendered emotional community at a time when british imperial networks were under extreme duress the book presents a unique history of gender and shame which demonstrates just how versatile and ever present this social emotion was in the feminist politics of the british empire in the early decades of the twentieth century it employs a fascinating new thematic lens to histories of anti feminist feminist entanglements by tracing national and transnational uses of emotions by women to police their own political communities it also challenges the common notion that shame had little place in a modernizing world by revealing how far groups of patriotic womanhood globally deployed shame to combat the effects of feminist activism

Shame and the Anti-Feminist Backlash 2017-11-28

who in a society can speak and under what circumstances these questions are at the heart of both native american literature and feminist literary and cultural theory despite the recent explosion of publication in each of these fields almost nothing has been written to date that explores the links between the two with feminist readings of native american literature kathleen donovan takes an important first step in examining how studies in these two

fields inform and influence one another focusing on the works of n scott momaday joy harjo paula gunn allen and others donovan analyzes the texts of these well known writers weaving a supporting web of feminist criticism throughout with careful and gracefully offered insights the book explores the reciprocally illuminating nature of culture and gender issues the author demonstrates how canadian women of mixed blood ancestry achieve a voice through autobiographies and autobiographical novels using a framework of feminist reader response theory she considers an underlying misogyny in the writings of n scott momaday and in examining commonalities between specific cultures she discusses how two women of color paula gunn allen and toni morrison explore representations of femaleness in their respective cultures by synthesizing a broad spectrum of critical writing that overlaps women s voices and native american literature donovan expands on the frame of dialogue within feminist literary and cultural theory drawing on the related fields of ethnography ethnopoetics ecofeminism and post colonialism feminist readings of native american literature offers the first systematic study of the intersection between two dynamic arenas in literary studies today

Feminist Readings of Native American Literature

1998-02

this book offers a transnational feminist response to the gender politics of torture and terror from the viewpoint of populations of color who have come to be associated with acts of terror using the war on terror in afghanistan and iraq this book revisits other such racialized wars in palestine guatemala india algeria and south africa it draws widely on postcolonial literature photography films music interdisciplinary arts media new media and activism joining the larger conversation about human rights by addressing the problem of a pervasive public misunderstanding of terrorism conditioned by a foreign and domestic policy perspective deb provides an alternative understanding of terrorism as revolutionary dissent against injustice through a postcolonial transnational lens the volume brings counter terror narratives into dialogue with ideologies of gender race ethnicity nationality class and religion addressing the situation of women as both perpetrators and targets of torture and the possibilities of a dialogue between feminist and queer politics to confront securitized regimes of torture this book explores the relationship in which social and cultural texts stand with respect to legacies of colonialism and neo imperialism in a world of transnational feminist solidarities against postcolonial wars on terror

Transnational Feminist Perspectives on Terror in Literature and Culture 2014-11-13

epub and epdf available open access under cc by nc nd licence what is feminist peace how can we advocate for peace from patriarchy what do women globally advocate for when they use the term peace this edited collection brings together conversations across borders and boundaries to explore plural intersectional and interdisciplinary concepts of feminist peace the book includes contributions from a geographically diverse range of scholars judges practitioners and activists and the chapters cut across themes of movement building and resistance and explore the limits of institutionalized peacebuilding the chapters deal with a range of issues such as environmental degradation militarization online violence and arms spending offering a resource to advance theoretical development and to advocate for policy change this book transcends traditional approaches to the study of peace and security and embraces diverse voices and perspectives which are absent in both academic and policy spaces

Feminist Conversations on Peace 2022-07-26

in this book militarization nationalism and globalization are scrutinized at sites of violent conflict from a range of feminist perspectives

Sites of Violence 2004-06-28

the oxford handbook of transnational feminist movements explores the historical political economic and social contexts in which transnational feminist movements have emerged and spread and the contributions they have made to global knowledge power and social change over the past half century the publication of the handbook in 2015 marks the fortieth anniversary of the united nations international women s year the thirtieth anniversary of the third world conference on women held in nairobi the twentieth anniversary of the beijing declaration and platform for action and the fifteenth anniversaries of the millennium development goals and of un security council resolution 1325 on women peace and security the editors and contributors critically interrogate transnational feminist movements from a broad spectrum of locations in the global south and north feminist organizations and networks at all levels local national regional global and glocal wider civil society organizations and networks governmental and multilateral agencies and

academic and research institutions among others the handbook reflects candidly on what we have learned about transnational feminist movements what are the different spaces from which transnational feminisms have operated and in what ways how have they contributed to our understanding of the myriad formal and informal ways in which gendered power relations define and inform everyday life to what extent have they destabilized or transformed the global hegemonic systems that constitute patriarchy from a position of fifty years of knowledge production activism working with institutions and critical reflection the handbook recognizes that transnational feminist movements form a key epistemic community that can inspire and provide leadership in shaping political spaces and institutions at all levels and transforming international political economy development and peace processes the handbook is organized into ten sections each beginning with an introduction by the editors the sections explore the main themes that have emerged from transnational feminist movements knowledge theory and praxis organizing for change body politics health and well being human rights and human security economic and social justice citizenship and statebuilding militarism and religious fundamentalisms peace movements unscr 1325 and postconflict rebuilding feminist political ecology and digital age transformations and future trajectories

The Oxford Handbook of Transnational Feminist Movements 2015-03-25

the american welfare state has long been a source of political contention and academic debate this oxford handbook pulls together much of our current knowledge about the origins development functions and challenges of american social policy after the introduction the first substantive part of the handbook offers an historical overview of u s social policy from the colonial era to the present this is followed by a set of chapters on different theoretical perspectives available for understanding and explaining the development of u s social policy the three following parts of the volume focus on concrete social programs for the elderly the poor and near poor the disabled and workers and families policy areas covered include health care pensions food assistance housing unemployment benefits disability benefits workers compensation family support and programs for soldiers and veterans the final part of the book focuses on some of the consequences of the u s welfare state for poverty inequality and citizenship many of the chapters comprising this handbook emphasize the disjointed patterns of policy making inherent to u s policymaking and the public private mix of social provision in which the government helps certain groups of citizens directly e g social insurance or indirectly e g tax expenditures regulations the contributing

authors are experts from political science sociology history economics and other social sciences

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