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Is European Strategic Autonomy Over?

Russia's war in Ukraine has highlighted Europe's dependence on the United States for security. While strategic autonomy may be out of reach, the EU must work to strengthen the European pillar of NATO.

Judy Dempsey

January 19, 2023

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Strategic Perspectives 40

Priorities for NATO Partnerships in an Era of Strategic Competition

By Lisa Aronsson and Brett Swaney

Institute for National Strategic Studies

Dec. 21, 2022

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New Atlanticist

Is the US military becoming a hollow force, and is it time for a strategic course correction?

To take on the challenges of an unaffordable, unsustainable military, the US needs to rethink its global posture.

By Harlan Ullman

Jan 11, 2023

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/is-the-us-military-becoming-a-hollow-force-and-is-it-time-for-a-strategic-course-correction/>

Report | CSIS

The First Battle of the Next War: Wargaming a Chinese Invasion of Taiwan

CSIS wargamed a Chinese invasion of Taiwan 24 times and found that Taiwan would endure as a democratic and independent entity in most scenarios. However, the costs were enormous. Victory is not enough. The United States needs to strengthen deterrence to avoid war.

January 9, 2023

Mark F. Cancian, Matthew Cancian, Eric Heginbotham
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American Institute for Economic Research

When Federal Interest Payments Come To Exceed the Military Budget: Time to Stop Defending the Rest of the World

The US economy no longer can sustain a policy of endless war.

By Doug Bandow

January 6, 2023

<https://www.cato.org/commentary/when-federal-interest-payments-come-exceed-military-budget-time-stop-defending-rest#>

Military Balance Blog

The land war in Ukraine as winter takes hold

Ben Barry

Senior Fellow for Land Warfare

6th January 2023

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Chinese Lessons From the Pacific War: Implications for PLA Warfighting

Toshi Yoshihara

January 5, 2023

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Applying Lessons of the Naval War in Ukraine for a Potential War with China

Brent Sadler

January 5, 2023

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Deter Conventional Wars to Avoid Nuclear Precipice

Rebecca L. Heinrichs

Jan 5, 2023

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Commentary

Japan's Defense Plans Benefit South Korea

Patrick M. Cronin

Jan 4, 2023

<https://www.hudson.org/security-alliances/japan-defense-plans-benefit-south-korea>

Responsible Statecraft

China: For Some, Where Restraint Ends and Hawkishness Begins

Is it 'realism' to build up a case for US military primacy in East Asia, or just intellectual inconsistency?

By Ted Galen Carpenter

January 3, 2023

<https://www.cato.org/commentary/china-some-where-restraint-ends-hawkishness-begins>

Report | CSIS

U.S.-ROK Ties: Enhancing Collaboration on Maritime Security in Africa

Emilia Columbo Close coordination between African States, the United States, and South Korea on maritime security issues has the potential to alleviate the major maritime security threats facing Africa today.

January 3, 2023

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Commentary

Does Size Matter in Nuclear Affairs?

More specifically, are two-to-three hundred warheads enough for deterrence?

Peter Huessy

Jan 2, 2023

<https://www.hudson.org/arms-control-nonproliferation/does-size-matter-nuclear-affairs>

Research Report

Deepfakes and international conflict

Daniel L. Byman, Chongyang Gao, Chris Meserole, and V.S. Subrahmanian

January 2023

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Articles

Deterrence, Air Defense, and Munitions Production in a New Missile Age

The war in Ukraine has decisively confirmed the arrival of a new missile age. This era is characterized by a surge in the global supply and demand signals for both missile-based delivery systems and the means to counter them. In addition to the morale of the Ukrainian people and intelligence for targeting support, it is a conflict defined by the mass use of precision fires.

By: Thomas Karako

December 23, 2022

<https://www.hoover.org/research/deterrence-air-defense-and-munitions-production-new-missile-age>

Articles

Thinking About the Unlikely but Thinkable

The odds of Russia using nuclear weapons in Ukraine remain low despite Putin brandishing the threat as he has done frequently in the past. Tactical nuclear strikes on Ukrainian military units or

logistical centers will not suffice for Russia to prevail against an adversary as capable and determined as Ukraine, absent the collapse of NATO support. Nor are Russian units trained to operate in a nuclear environment.

By: Robert G. Kaufman

Friday, December 23, 2022

<https://www.hoover.org/research/thinking-about-unlikely-thinkable>

Report

China's Strategy and Activities in the Arctic: Implications for North American and Transatlantic Security

This report assesses China's strategy and diplomacy in the Arctic and the potential implications of Chinese investments and activities there for the rules-based order and for regional and transatlantic security.

Stephanie Pezard, Stephen J. Flanagan, Scott W. Harold, Irina A. Chindea, Benjamin J. Sacks, Abbie Tingstad, Tristan Finazzo, Soo Kim

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Commentary

Deterring the Big One: Who Must the U.S. Fight in the Pacific?

Washington policymakers appear to be inexorably moving toward a military confrontation with China. That would be a disaster for all.

By Doug Bandow

December 22, 2022

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Commentary

The Defense Budget in Perspective

The US annual budget deficit now approaches \$1.5 trillion.

Peter Huessy

Dec 22, 2022

<https://www.hudson.org/defense-strategy/defense-budget-perspective>

Issue Brief

Taiwan's engagement with the world: Evaluating past hurdles, present complications, and future prospects

Since Taiwan's President Tsai Ing-wen (蔡英文) took office in May 2016, relations across the Taiwan Strait have grown increasingly tense—and even more so following the visit of US House Speaker Nancy Pelosi in August 2022.

By Jessica Drun
Dec 20, 2022

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/in-depth-research-reports/issue-brief/taiwans-engagement-with-the-world/>

Issue Brief

Arms racing under nuclear tripolarity: Evidence for an action-reaction cycle?

Matthew Kroenig argues that there has not been a nuclear arms race since the Cold War—but that China's nuclear buildup might start one.

By Matthew Kroenig
Dec 20, 2022

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Rapidly Depleting Munitions Stockpiles Point to Necessary Changes in Policy

Maiya Clark

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Report

Responding to a Limited Russian Attack on NATO During the Ukraine War

This Perspective outlines key considerations for U.S. policymakers charged with planning responses to a potential limited Russian attack on U.S. allies or U.S. forces in Europe.

Bryan Frederick, Samuel Charap, Karl P. Mueller

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Report

New Directions for Projecting Land Power in the Indo-Pacific: Contexts, Constraints, and Concepts

This report seeks to address how the U.S. Army can most effectively project and employ land power in the Indo-Pacific, during competition and conflict, with a focus on scenarios involving China.

Jonathan P. Wong, Michael J. Mazarr, Nathan Beauchamp-Mustafaga, Michael Bohnert, Scott Boston, Christian Curriden, Derek Eaton, Gregory Weider Fauerbach, Joslyn Fleming, Katheryn Giglio, Dah-

lia Anne Goldfeld, Derek Grossman, Timothy R. Heath, John C. Jackson, Michael E. Linick, Eric Robinson, Lisa Saum-Manning, Ryan A. Schwankhart, Michael Schwille, Stephan B. Seabrook, Alice Shih, Jonathan Welch
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Research Papers

Military Expenditure: Transparency, Defence Inflation and Purchasing Power Parity

Fenella McGerty

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Report

A new age for deterrence and the Australia-US alliance

Ashley Townshend, Tom Corben, David Santoro

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Northern Europe, The Arctic and The Baltic: The ISR Gap

Douglas Barrie, Nick Childs, Yohann Michel, Ester Sabatino, and Ben Schreer

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Report

Arms Control after Ukraine: Integrated Arms Control and Deterring Two Peer Competitors

Heather Williams As the United States tailors its deterrence strategy to two peer adversaries, future arms control efforts will likewise need to be designed to manage competition with both Russia and China.

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Critical Questions

Patriot to Ukraine: What Does It Mean?

The United States' plans to send Patriot air and missile defenses to Ukraine demonstrates a strong political commitment to defend Ukraine and modestly improves Ukrainian air defense, but incurs costs on U.S. air defense capacity and readiness.

Mark F. Cancian, Tom Karako

December 16, 2022

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Article | via Brookings

Examining US-Japan Cooperation in the Economic Security Era

The increasingly fraught US-China relationship presented Japan with a difficult challenge even before being exacerbated by the pandemic and Ukraine conflict. Two leading specialists in Japanese economic and security policy discuss what the country must consider as it manages its relationship with Washington in these difficult days.

Saori N. Katada; Mireya Solís

Dec 15, 2022

<https://www.nippon.com/en/in-depth/d00864/>

Report | CSIS

Building a U.S.-Australia-Philippines Triad

The United States and Australia should shore up the strategic foundations of their partnerships with the Philippines, highlight the mutual benefits of working together, and assess the role that tri-lateral cooperation should play in regional security.

Gregory B. Poling, Andreyka Natalegawa

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Report

South Korea's Policy Options in Asia: Summary of a Webinar Hosted by the RAND Center for Asia Pacific Policy

South Korea faces uncertainty over the roles it might play in Asia, especially South and Southeast Asia. An October 2022 webinar examined the strategies and policies available to South Korea.

Erik Mobernd

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Integrated Deterrence with Allies and Partners

By Stacie Pettyjohn and Becca Wasser

December 14, 2022

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Policy memo | Hudson Institute

Preparing for the Final Collapse of the Soviet Union and the Dissolution of the Russian Federation

Luke Coffey

Dec 14, 2022

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European Security Architecture: Against Russia, or With It?

Peter Jones CMG

14 December 2022

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National Security

Report

The Science of Gun Policy: A Critical Synthesis of Research Evidence on the Effects of Gun Policies in the United States, Third Edition

This report, now in its third edition, synthesizes the available scientific evidence for the effects of various firearm policies on firearm deaths, violent crime, the gun industry, defensive gun use, and other outcomes.

Rosanna Smart, Andrew R. Morral, Rajeev Ramchand, Amanda Charbonneau, Jhacova Williams, Sierra Smucker, Samantha Cherney, Lea Xenakis

Jan 10, 2023

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Counterterrorism Lecture
A Survey of the 2023 Terrorism Threat Landscape

by Christine Abizaid

Jan 10, 2023

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Article

Hacked Russian Files Reveal Propaganda Agreement With China

In 2021, government officials and media executives from Russia and China discussed the exchange of news and social content.

Mara Hvistendahl, Alexey Kovalev

December 30 2022

<https://theintercept.com/2022/12/30/russia-china-news-media-agreement/>

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2022: U.S. Operations on Jihadi Leaders

A timeline of U.S. operations targeting ISIS and al Qaeda leaders in 2022.

December 20, 2022

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Japan-U.S. Relations: Issues for Congress

Emma Chanlett-Avery, Mark E. Manyin, Caitlin Campbell, Cathleen D. Cimino-Isaacs

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What to Watch in 2023

GMF Experts

January 06, 2023

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Council of Councils Thirteenth Regional Conference

Insights From a Council of Councils Conference

Sessions were held on the future of international cooperation, managing geopolitics and emerging health threats in the post-COVID-19 era, supply chain resilience and regional economic initiatives, preventing conflict in the Indo-Pacific, pursuing a negotiated end to the war in Ukraine, and the future of energy, climate, and geopolitics.

January 05, 2023

<https://www.cfr.org/report/council-councils-thirteenth-regional-conference>

On the Horizon | What to Watch in 2023

January 05, 2023

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Order from Chaos

A roadmap for US-China relations in 2023

Ryan Hass

January 4, 2023

<https://www.brookings.edu/blog/order-from-chaos/2023/01/04/a-roadmap-for-us-china-relations-in-2023/>

Blog Post

The Consequences of Divided Government for U.S. Foreign Policy

Here are three things to watch for on the foreign policy front in the 118th U.S. Congress.

by James M. Lindsay

January 4, 2023

<https://www.cfr.org/blog/consequences-divided-government-us-foreign-policy>

Report

The Strategic Importance of the Middle East

The CSIS Emeritus Chair in Strategy has developed a three-part briefing on the key data and trends shaping the strategic importance of the Middle East and North Africa through 2050.

Anthony H. Cordesman January 4, 2023

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/strategic-importance-middle-east>

Report

Creating a better environment for development as an objective of US policy

David Dollar, Patricia M. Kim, Louison Sall, and Jonathan Stromseth

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The 2002 Iraq AUMF: Interpretation and Possible Repeal

Session 25 of the Congressional Study Group

December 29, 2022

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Report

State Sponsor of Terrorism Designations

Session 23 of the Congressional Study Group

December 29, 2022

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Research Report

Sanctions on Russia Over Ukraine

Session 20 of the Congressional Study Group

December 29, 2022

<https://www.brookings.edu/research/sanctions-on-russia-over-ukraine/>

New Atlanticist

Congress just passed a big change to war crimes law. Here's what it means for Ukraine and beyond.

Now, the US can prosecute war crimes whenever the alleged perpetrator is on US soil, regardless of the perpetrator's nationality or where the crime was committed.

By Gissou Nia

Dec 23, 2022

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/congress-just-passed-a-big-change-to-war-crimes-law-heres-what-it-means-for-ukraine-and-beyond/>

Policy Analysis

Assessing Xi Jinping's Middle East Trip

by Grant Rumley, Carol Silber, Eric Feely, Sarah Cahn, Sude Akgundogdu, Lauren von Thaden, Faris Almaari

Dec 22, 2022

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<https://www.washingtoninstitute.org/pdf/view/17847/en>

Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft

Ending the Syria War, Getting Us Troops Out, and Lifting Sanctions

The status quo is doing more harm than good. Let's admit failure before more people are hurt and put in harm's way.

By Doug Bandow

December 21, 2022

<https://www.cato.org/commentary/ending-syria-war-getting-us-troops-out-lifting-sanctions#>

Issue Brief

A next-generation agenda for US-ROK-Japan cooperation

By Lauren D. Gilbert, Kyoko Imai

Dec 20, 2022

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A window of opportunity to upgrade US-Vietnam relations

Jonathan Stromseth

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A Shaky Foundation

Middle East autocracies' own policies produce and reinforce many of the region's most important problems, tensions, and grievances.

By Jon Hoffman

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U.S. Sanctions: Legislation in the 117th Congress

Edward J. Collins-Chase

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Five Foreign Policy Stories to Watch in 2023

by James M. Lindsay
December 20, 2022

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The Myth of Authoritarian Stability in the Middle East

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Policy paper

Governing the Global Commons: Challenges and Opportunities for US-Japan Cooperation

Edited by Kristi Govella

December 19, 2022

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Special Resources

Assessing International Asset Recovery Mechanisms and the 'Freeze to Seize' Dilemma

Maria Nizzero

19 December 2022

<https://rusi.org/explore-our-research/publications/conference-reports/assessing-international-asset-recovery-mechanisms/interactive-summary>

FixGov

Americans can still agree on some things

Jordan Muchnick and Elaine Kamarck

December 16, 2022

<https://www.brookings.edu/blog/fixgov/2022/12/16/americans-can-still-agree-on-some-things/>

Policy Analysis

Iran's Nuclear Proliferation Strategy: U.S. Policy Options

by Michael Eisenstadt, Mahsa Rouhi, Suzanne Maloney

Dec 16, 2022

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Issue Brief

Road to the tenth North American Leaders' Summit: Spotlight on competitiveness and supply chains

North American competitiveness and supply chains are at an inflection point. The three leaders must take the momentum of the last meeting and continue to advance key priorities. In an increasingly complicated global context, close collaboration and partnership on all fronts is key.

By María Fernanda Bozmoski, Jacob Kaufhold, and Isabel Chiriboga

Dec 15, 2022

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/in-depth-research-reports/issue-brief/road-to-the-tenth-north-american-leaders-summit-spotlight-on-competitiveness-and-supply-chains/>

Policy Analysis

Reexamining U.S. Aid to the Middle East: Ideas for Advancing Both Governance and Democracy

by Ben Fishman

Dec 14, 2022

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Euro SIFMANet: European Sanctions and Illicit Finance Monitoring and Analysis Network Berlin Report

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Economics, Trade and Finance

Paper

**The Future of the Monetary System
Leading perspectives to navigate the future**

Credit Suisse Research Institute

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<https://www.credit-suisse.com/media/assets/corporate/docs/about-us/research/publications/csri-future-of-the-monetary-system.pdf>

opinion

The WTO's national security 'thin ice' moment could shatter reform talks

by Bruce Hirsh

01/07/23

<https://thehill.com/opinion/national-security/3802530-the-wtos-thin-ice-moment-shatters-its-national-security-credibility/>

CRS Report

Federal Reserve: Policy Issues in the 118th Congress

Marc Labonte

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Commentary

Don't Expect Beijing to Comply with Trade Rules

John Lee

Jan 4, 2023

<https://www.hudson.org/economics/dont-expect-beijing-comply-trade-rules>

New Atlanticist

Five trends to watch in 2023 as the global economy tries a dangerous reboot

By Josh Lipsky

Jan 3, 2023

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/five-trends-to-watch-in-2023-as-the-global-economy-tries-a-dangerous-reboot/>

Backgrounder

What Happens When Foreign Investment Becomes a Security Risk?

The United States and other Western countries are reevaluating their foreign investment regulations amid an uptick in Chinese interest in strategic sectors.

By Jonathan Masters, James McBride, and Noah Berman

Last updated January 3, 2023

<https://www.cfr.org/backgrounder/what-happens-when-foreign-investment-becomes-security-risk#chapter-title-0-7>

Article

Biden admin bows slightly to European pressure in trade clash

The new electric vehicle tax credit provision in the Inflation Reduction Act has heightened trade tensions between the U.S. and other auto-producing countries.

By Doug Palmer

12/29/2022

<https://www.politico.com/news/2022/12/29/u-s-treasury-signals-some-flexibility-on-ev-tax-credit-00075783>

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Book Review of "Trade Links: New Rules for a New World" by James Bacchus

via Cambridge University Press

Alan Wm. Wolff (PIIE)

December 29, 2022

<https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/world-trade-review/article/abs/trade-links-new-rules-for-a-new-world-by-james-bacchus-cambridge-university-press-2022/43BA1E1F20413622F6597C9E5A854B44>

Special Report

'A sea change': Biden reverses decades of Chinese trade policy

Forget tariffs. Biden's actions to crack down on Beijing's tech development will do more to hinder the Chinese economy — and divide the two nations — than Trump ever did.

By Gavin Bade

12/26/2022

<https://www.politico.com/news/2022/12/26/china-trade-tech-00072232>

Publication

Why Resilient Design is Critical to Fixing Our Supply Chains and Ending Disruption

By Bob Rogers, David Evans & Trevor Miles

December 23, 2022

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Up Front

Key economic policy developments in 2022 and what to expect in 2023

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