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PART I. The Cold War Come and Gone

Chapter 1. Strange New World: Power and Systems in Transformation

IR105 **The Clash of Civilizations?** Samuel P. Huntington 28pp.

Description - In this classic article, Huntington argued that culture was likely to be a major dividing line in the post-Cold War international system.

IR112 **The Unipolar Moment** Charles Krauthammer 12pp.

Description - This article is a 1990 declaration that the post-Cold War era would be unipolar with the United States at the helm.

Chapter 2. America's Changing National Interests

IR102 **Foreign Affairs and the Constitution** Louis Henkin 29pp.

Description - Henkin describes the constitutional responsibilities of the president and Congress in American foreign policy and discusses how their roles have changed over time.

IR155 **Democracy and the National Interest** Strobe Talbott 17pp.

Description - Clinton's deputy secretary of state argues for the importance of democracy promotion in American foreign policy.

Chapter 3. "Wrong, Terribly Wrong:" The United States and Vietnam

IR026 **The Pretty Prudent Public: Post Post-Vietnam
American Opinion on the Use of Military Force** Bruce W. Jentleson 40pp.

Description - Examining how American public opinion on the use of force has changed since Vietnam, Jentleson argues that public opinion shifts reasonably depending on the "principal policy objective" behind the use of force.

Chapter 4. Can the United States Lead the World?

IR107 **America's Imperial Ambition** G. John Ikenberry 17pp.

Description - Ikenberry criticizes what he considers the "neoimperial" post-9/11 grand strategy of the George W. Bush administration and argues that the United States should draw more on its post-World War II traditions of balance-of-power politics and multilateral coalitions.

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IR158	Poll Positions: What Americans Really Think About U.S. Foreign Policy	Daniel Yankelovich	15pp.
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Description - Yankelovich surveys attitudes on U.S. foreign policy and finds substantial polarization between Republicans and Democrats and between churchgoers and non-churchgoers, along with dissatisfaction on Iraq.

Chapter 5. From Russia to the Soviet Union

IR109	The Sources of Soviet Conduct	George F. Kennan ("Mr. X")	18pp.
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Description - The landmark article that set out the United States' Cold War grand strategy of containment.

Chapter 6. From the Soviet Union Back to Russia

IR018	International Relations Theory and the End of the Cold War	John Lewis Gaddis	74pp.
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Description - Reviewing the extensive theoretical literature in international relations, John Lewis Gaddis concludes that none of the major approaches in the field adequately forecast how and when the Cold War would end.

IR043	What Was the Cold War About?: Evidence from Its Ending	John Mueller	30pp.
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Description - Mueller argues that the Cold War was due to the Soviet Union's expansionary ideology, since the West believed it had ended after Mikhail Gorbachev renounced Soviet expansionism in 1988-89 but before the collapse of Soviet power or Soviet control over Eastern Europe.

PART II. The Global South

Chapter 7. From Colonization to Decolonization

IR090	How to Rebuild Africa	Stephen Ellis	14pp.
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Description - The international community has compiled a poor record in helping failed and failing states in Africa; future interventions must be open to different approaches.

Chapter 8. Eternal Warfare in the Holy Land

IR123	Taking Arabs Seriously	Marc Lynch	14pp.
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Description - Lynch critiques U.S. public diplomacy in the Middle East, and calls for a more honest and extensive dialogue with Arab political elites and intellectuals.

IR124	Middle East Peace Through Partition	David Makovsky	18pp.
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Description - This article is a post-mortem of the Oslo peace process between Israel and the Palestinians and a preview of Israel's fall-back strategy of disengagement.

Chapter 9. Oil and Turmoil: The Persian Gulf

IR032	Threat Inflation and the Failure of the Marketplace of Ideas: The Selling of the Iraq War	Chaim Kaufmann	51pp.
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Description - Kaufmann argues that the George W. Bush administration's deliberate exaggeration of the Iraqi threat, along with the help of complicit experts, swayed the U.S. public to support the war.

IR083	What Went Wrong in Iraq	Larry Diamond	23pp.
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Description - Diamond, a democratization scholar who served as an advisor to the Coalition Provisional Authority in Iraq, describes how the United States mishandled the postwar occupation there.

Chapter 10. The Troubled Americas: Our Neglected South

IR078	The Forgotten Relationship	Jorge G. Castañeda	15pp.
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Description - Instead of ignoring Latin America or focusing only on security matters, as the United States has done since 9/11, Washington should engage the region more actively on issues such as democratization and economic reform.

Chapter 11. Economic Development: The Rich and the Poor

IR070	How to Help Poor Countries	Nancy Birdsall, Dani Rodrik, and Arvind Subramanian	17pp.
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Description - The authors argue that trade and aid have limits as tools for spurring economic development in poor countries, and that more can be accomplished by tailoring economic policies to local circumstances, discouraging corruption, facilitating the development of appropriate technology, and permitting greater international labor mobility.

PART III. The Eternal Threats

Chapter 12. Why Wars?

IR323	War and Misperception	Robert Jervis	28pp.
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Description - Jervis analyzes the role of misperceived intentions as a cause of war.

IR317	The Theory of Hegemonic War	Robert Gilpin	24pp.
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Description - Gilpin explains the theory of hegemonic war and its application to major conflicts from ancient Greece through the 20th century.

IR241	Offense, Defense, and the Causes of War	Stephen van Evera	45pp.
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Description - Van Evera identifies the causes of offense and defense dominance and examines how the former can lead to war.

Chapter 13. National Security: How States Protect Themselves

IR227	Power and Weakness	Robert Kagan	33pp.
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Description - Kagan argues that Europeans have less interest in international threats and military solutions than do Americans, due to Europe's military weakness, its bitter memories of the World Wars, and the experience of supranational integration.

Chapter 14. Nuclear Politics: The Bomb Is Here to Stay

IR042	The Essential Irrelevance of Nuclear Weapons: Stability in the Postwar World	John Mueller	27pp.
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Description - Mueller argues that nuclear weapons and deterrence have not significantly affected world politics.

IR054	The Causes of Nuclear Proliferation	Scott D. Sagan	12pp.
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Description - Sagan lays out three different models of why states go nuclear and analyzes their various implications.

Chapter 15. The Challenge of Terrorism

IR085	Somebody Else's Civil War	Michael Scott Doran	21pp.
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Description - Doran explains what motivated the 9/11 attacks and explores the radical Islamist worldview of the hijackers.

IR153	The Protean Enemy	Jessica Stern	14pp.
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Description - After the destruction of its haven in Afghanistan, al Qaeda evolved and decentralized and still poses a major threat to U.S. interests.

PART IV. The Economic Blocs

Chapter 16. Europe Divorces America

IR056	Alliance Formation and the Balance of World Power	Stephen M. Walt	46pp.
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Description - Walt argues that alliances form primarily as a result of balancing against threats.

IR127	A Perfect Failure: NATO's War Against Yugoslavia	Michael Mandelbaum	10pp.
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Description - Mandelbaum offers a scathing top-to-bottom critique of the Kosovo intervention. This selection can be paired with James B. Steinberg's article, # IR151.

Chapter 17. Asia: China as Number One

IR136	China's Governance Crisis	Minxin Pei	14pp.
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Description - Rapid social and economic changes, the author argues, have produced an emerging governance crisis that threatens the stability of China's autocratic political system.

IR060	Does the future Belong to China?	Fareed Zakaria	11pp.
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Description - Zakaria analyzes the rise of China and its implications for the United States and the world at large.

Chapter 18. The United States and Globalization

IR103 **Clash of Globalizations** Stanley Hoffmann 11pp.

Description - Globalization is having complex effects on the prospects for world order, Hoffmann argues, as increased integration has unleashed tensions and contradictions for states that are still autonomous but increasingly encumbered.

IR115 **Competitiveness: A Dangerous Obsession** Paul Krugman 17pp.

Description - Krugman argues that the notion that the economic well-being of a nation's people depends upon the country's level of international competitiveness is a myth, and a dangerous one because it can lead to counterproductive policies.

PART V. The Politics of a New World

Chapter 19. Diplomacy

IR044 **Soft Power and American Foreign Policy** Joseph S. Nye, Jr. 22pp.

Description - Nye argues that leading U.S. foreign policy goals would be better served by a greater emphasis on persuasion and attraction.

Chapter 20. International Law

IR328 **The Institutional Dynamics of International Political Orders** James March and Johan Olsen 38pp.

Description - While realist and liberal theories of international politics are based upon a logic of consequences, an institutional approach relies instead upon a logic of appropriateness.

IR149 **The Real New World Order** Anne-Marie Slaughter 15pp.

Description - Slaughter discusses the growth of transgovernmental networks in the post-Cold War era and assesses their prospects for promoting international cooperation.

Chapter 21. The United Nations

IR097 **Why the Security Council Failed** Michael J. Glennon 20pp.

Description - Glennon argues that the UN was unable to handle the challenge of Iraq because it no longer accurately reflected the international power structure.

Chapter 22. Finite F.E.W. (Food/Energy/Water)

IR306 **How Biofuels Could Starve the Poor** C. Ford Runge and Benjamin Senauer 14pp.

Description - Biofuels have been touted as crucial element U.S. energy independence, but the diversion of corn to feed ethanol production promises instead to produce a food crisis of global proportions.

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