

Free Sch Timothy Garton Ash Atlantic

24 years after the fall of the Berlin Wall, Europe is as divided as ever. The passengers of the low-budget airlines go east for stag

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parties, and they go West for work; but the East stays East, and West stays West. Caricatures abound - the Polish plumber in the tabloids, the New Cold War in the broadsheets and the endless search for 'the new Berlin' for hipsters. Against the

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stereotypes, Agata Pyzik peers behind the curtain to take a look at the secret histories of Eastern Europe (and its tortured relations with the 'West'). Neoliberalism and mass migration, post-punk and the Bowiephile obsession with the

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Eastern Bloc,
Orientalism and 'self-
colonization', the
emancipatory
potentials of
Socialist Realism,
the possibility of a
non-Western idea of
modernity and
futurism, and the
place of Eastern
Europe in any
current revival of

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'the idea of
communism' – all
are much more
complex and
surprising than they
appear. Poor But
Sexy refuses both a
dewy-eyed Ostalgia
for the 'good old
days' and the
equally desperate
desire to become a
'normal part of

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Europe', reclaiming
instead the idea an
Other Europe.

Free speech is
guaranteed under
the First
Amendment.

Although it may hurt
and offend, hate
speech is still free,
under most
circumstances. But
what happens when

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institutions like
universities adopt
policies prohibiting
offensive speech?
Do such policies
cause more harm
than good? Should
measures be taken
to curb threatening
or insulting
comments? Or does
that amount to little
more than

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censorship? Is our quest to be polite and politically correct curtailing opportunities to express, learn, and grow? When does free speech become criminally threatening? These questions and more are thoughtfully examined in this

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important resource.
Written by one of
the world's foremost
authorities on East
Central Europe,
Return to Diversity
has proven to be an
invaluable guide for
readers of modern
European history
and politics. This
third edition
introduces a new co-

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author, Nancy M. Wingfield, and has been fully updated to take into account recent and ongoing developments in the region.

For too long Egypt's system of government was beholden to the interests of the elite in power, aided by

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the massive
apparatus of the
security state.
Breaking point came
on 25 January 2011.
But several years
after popular revolt
enthralled a global
audience, the
struggle for
democracy and
basic freedoms are
far from being won.

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Media, Revolution,
and Politics in
Egypt: The Story of
an Uprising
examines the
political and media
dynamic in pre-and
post-revolution
Egypt and what it
could mean for the
country's
democratic
transition. We follow

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events through the period leading up to the 2011 revolution, eighteen days of uprising, military rule, an elected president's year in office, and his ouster by the military. Activism has expanded freedoms of expression only to

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see those spaces
contract with the
resurrection of the
police state. And
with sharpening
political divisions,
the facts have
become amorphous
as ideological trends
cling to their own
narratives of truth.
Studies in the
Presence of the

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Past
Bloodlands
A Personal History
Orwell and Politics
Britain, France,
Germany and the
Long History of
European
Integration
Solidarity
A History in
Documents
Can free speech

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coexist with an
inclusive campus
environment?

Hardly a week goes
by without another
controversy over free
speech on college
campuses. On one
side, there are
increased demands
to censor hateful,
disrespectful, and

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bullying expression
and to ensure an
inclusive and
nondiscriminatory
learning
environment. On the
other side are
traditional free
speech advocates
who charge that
recent demands for
censorship coddle

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students and threaten free inquiry. In this clear and carefully reasoned book, a university chancellor and a law school dean—both constitutional scholars who teach a course in free speech to undergraduates—

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argue that campuses must provide supportive learning environments for an increasingly diverse student body but can never restrict the expression of ideas. This book provides the background necessary to understanding the

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importance of free
speech on campus
and offers clear
prescriptions for
what colleges can
and can ' t do when
dealing with free
speech controversies.
Timothy Garton Ash
is well known as an
astute and
penetrating observer

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of a dazzling array of subjects, not least through his many contributions to the New York Review of Books. This collection of his essays from the last decade reveals his knack for ferreting out exceptional insights into a

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troubled world, often
on the basis of
firsthand experience.
Whether he is
writing about how
“ liberalism ” has
become a dirty word
in American political
discourse, the
problems of Muslim
assimilation in
Europe, Ukraine ’ s

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Orange Revolution,
Günter Grass ' s
membership in the
Waffen-SS, or the
angry youth of Iran,
Garton Ash
combines a gimlet
eye for detail with
deep knowledge of
the history of his
chosen subjects.

Running through

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this book is the author ' s insistence that, whatever some postmodernists might claim, there are indeed facts—and we have both a political and a moral duty to establish them. By practicing what it preaches, Facts Are

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Subversive shows
why Timothy
Garton Ash is one of
the world ' s leading
political writers.

“ The best and most
perceptive political
writer of our time . .
. This book shines
the clearest of lights
on an entire
decade. ” —John

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Simpson “ One of the most reliable and acute observers of the past present, able to report on events as a witness and, simultaneously, assess them with a coolness of judgment that almost always holds up over time. ” —George

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Packer, New York
Times Book Review

“ One of the most
enjoyable political
books you ’ ll read
this year. ” —GQ

This beautifully
written history
recenters the West
and rekindles the
past in a vivid
narrative crafted for

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beginning students. Grafton and Bell tell the epic story of a West engaged in a continuing search for order across politics, society, and culture, driven by internal tensions and global influences. They deliver the past not as a path to the

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present but as it was
lived at the time,
grounded in a
balanced,
comprehensive,
chronological
narrative. Combined
with rich digital
resources to instill
practical history
skills, The West
establishes a

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dynamic NEW
foundation for
teaching the
Western
Civilizations course.
A sweeping history
of twentieth-century
Europe that
examines its
unprecedented
destruction—and
abiding promise A

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sweeping history of
twentieth-century
Europe, *Out of
Ashes* tells the story
of an era of
unparalleled
violence and
barbarity yet also of
humanity,
prosperity, and
promise. Konrad
Jarausch describes

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how the European nations emerged from the nineteenth century with high hopes for continued material progress and proud of their imperial command over the globe, only to become embroiled in the bloodshed of World War I, which

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brought an end to
their optimism and
gave rise to
competing
democratic,
communist, and
fascist ideologies. He
shows how the 1920s
witnessed renewed
hope and a
flourishing of
modernist art and

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literature, but how
the decade ended in
economic collapse
and gave rise to a
second, more
devastating world
war and genocide on
an unprecedented
scale. Jarausch
further explores how
Western Europe
surprisingly

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recovered due to American help and political integration. Finally, he examines how the Cold War pushed the divided continent to the brink of nuclear annihilation, and how the unforeseen triumph of liberal capitalism came to

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be threatened by
Islamic
fundamentalism,
global economic
crisis, and an
uncertain future. A
stunning
achievement, *Out of
Ashes* explores the
paradox of the
European encounter
with modernity in

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the twentieth
century, shedding
new light on why it
led to cataclysm,
inhumanity, and self-
destruction, but also
social justice,
democracy, and
peace.

I Am No One
Europe Between
Hitler and Stalin

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Britain's Future in
Europe

Rethinking Open
society

Project Censored's
State of the Free
Press 2022

The Magic Lantern
The Global Struggle
to Govern the
Internet

The key values

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of the Open
Society -
freedom,
justice,
tolerance,
democracy and
respect for
knowledge -
are
increasingly
under threat
in today's

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world. As an effort to uphold those values, this volume brings together some of the key political, social and economic thinkers of our time to re-

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examine the
Open Society
closely in
terms of its
history, its
achievements
and failures,
and its future
prospects.

Based on the
lecture series
Rethinking

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Open Society,
which took
place between
2017 and 2018
at the Central
European
University,
the volume is
deeply
embedded in
the history
and purpose of

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CEU, its Open
Society
mission, and
its belief in
educating
sceptical but
passionate
citizens. This
volume aims to
inspire
students,
researchers

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and citizens
around the
world to
critically
engage with
Open Society
values and to
defend them
wherever they
are at risk.
The volume
features

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contributions
from, among
others:

Dorothee

Bohle, Timothy

Garton Ash,

Jacques

Rupnik, Steven

Walt, Erica

Benner, Robert

Kaplan, Andras

Sajo, Roger

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Scruton, Alina
Mungiu-
Pippidi, and
Pierre
Rosanvallon.
"David Kaye's
book is
crucial to
understanding
the tactics,
rhetoric and
stakes in one

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of the most
consequential
free speech
debates in
human
history." --
Cory Doctorow,
author of
Radicalized,
Walkaway and
Little Brother
The internet

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was designed
to be a kind
of free-speech
paradise, but
a lot of the
material on it
turned out to
incite
violence,
spread
untruth, and
promote hate.

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Over the
years, three
American behem
oths--Facebook
, YouTube and
Twitter--becam
e the way most
of the world
experiences
the internet,
and therefore
the conveyors

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of much of its
disturbing
material. What
should be done
about this
enormous
problem?
Should the
giant social
media
platforms
police the

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content
themselves, as
is the norm in
the U.S., or
should
governments
and
international
organizations
regulate the
internet, as
many are

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demanding in
Europe? How do
we keep from
helping
authoritarian
regimes to
censor all
criticisms of
themselves?
David Kaye,
who serves as
the United

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Nations' special rapporteur on free expression, has been at the center of the discussions of these issues for years. He takes us

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behind the
scenes, from
Facebook's "mi
ni-
legislative"
meetings, to
the European
Commission's
closed-door
negotiations,
and introduces
us to

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journalists,
activists, and
content
moderators
whose stories
bring clarity
and urgency to
the topic of
censorship.
Speech Police
is the most
comprehensive

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and insightful
treatment of
the subject
thus far, and
reminds us of
the importance
of maintaining
the internet's
original
commitment to
free speech,
free of any

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company's or
government's
absolute
control, while
finding ways
to modulate
its worst
aspects.

For forty-five
years Europe
was divided,
and at the

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center of that
divided
continent lay
a divided
Germany. In
this
brilliantly
nuanced book,
one of our
most respected
authorities on
Central Europe

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tells the
story of
German
reunification.
Garton Ash has
produced a
panoramic,
dramatic, and
definitive
account of
events that
are continuing

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to transform
the map of
Europe.

HATE dispels m
isunderstandin
gs plaguing
our perennial
debates about
"hate speech
vs. free
speech,"
showing that

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the First
Amendment
approach
promotes free
speech and
democracy,
equality, and
societal
harmony. We
hear too many
incorrect
assertions

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that "hate
speech" --
which has no
generally
accepted
definition --
is either
absolutely
unprotected or
absolutely
protected from
censorship.

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Rather, U.S.
law allows
government to
punish hateful
or
discriminatory
speech in
specific
contexts when
it directly
causes
imminent

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serious harm.
Yet,
government may
not punish
such speech
solely because
its message is
disfavored,
disturbing, or
vaguely feared
to possibly
contribute to

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some future
harm. When
U.S. officials
formerly
wielded such
broad
censorship
power, they
suppressed
dissident
speech,
including

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equal rights
advocacy.
Likewise,
current
politicians
have attacked
Black Lives
Matter
protests as
"hate speech."
"Hate speech"
censorship

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proponents
stress the
potential
harms such
speech might
further: discr
imination,
violence, and
psychic
injuries.
However, there
has been

little
analysis of
whether
censorship
effectively
counters the
feared
injuries.
Citing
evidence from
many
countries,

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this book
shows that
"hate speech"
laws are at
best
ineffective
and at worst c
ounterproducti
ve. Their
inevitably
vague terms
invest

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enforcing
officials with
broad
discretion,
and
predictably,
regular
targets are
minority views
and speakers.
Therefore,
prominent

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social justice
advocates in
the U.S. and
beyond
maintain that
the best way
to resist hate
and promote
equality is
not
censorship,
but rather,

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vigorous "counterspeech" and activism.

Rebuilding

Leviathan

Seeing Through

the Eyes of

the Polish

Revolution

30 Years After

the Convention

on the Rights

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of the Child
Return to
Diversity
The China
Model
Polish
Revolution
Essays,
Sketches, and
Dispatches
from Europe in
the 1990s

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The 1990s. An extraordinary decade in Europe. At its beginning, the old order collapsed along with the Berlin Wall. Everything seemed possible. Everyone hailed a brave new

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Europe. But no one knew what this new Europe would look like. Now we know. Most of Western Europe has launched into the unprecedented gamble of monetary union, though Britain

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stands aside.
Germany,
peacefully
united, with its
capital in Berlin,
is again the most
powerful country
in Europe. The
Central
Europeans—Poles
, Czechs,
Hungarians—have

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made successful transitions from communism to capitalism and have joined NATO. But farther east and south, in the territories of the former Soviet Union and the former

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Yugoslavia, the
continent has
descended into a
bloody swamp of
poverty,
corruption,
criminality, war,
and bestial
atrocities such
as we never
thought would be
seen again in

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Europe. Timothy
Garton Ash
chronicles this
formative decade
through a
glittering
collection of
essays,
sketches, and
dispatches
written as
history was

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being made. He joins the East Germans for their decisive vote for unification and visits their former leader in prison. He accompanies the Poles on their roller-coaster

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ride from
dictatorship to
democracy. He
uncovers the
motives for
monetary union
in Paris and
Bonn. He walks
in mass
demonstrations
in Belgrade and
travels through

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the killing fields
of Kosovo.

Occasionally, he
even becomes an
actor in a drama
he describes:

debating

Germany with

Margaret

Thatcher or the

role of the

intellectual with

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V á clav Havel in
Prague. Ranging
from Vienna to
Saint Petersburg,
from Britain to
Ruthenia, Garton
Ash reflects on
how "the single
great conflict" of
the cold war has
been replaced by
many smaller

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ones. And he asks what part the United States still has to play. Sometimes he takes an eagle's-eye view, considering the present attempt to unite Europe against the background of a

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thousand years
of such efforts.
But often he
swoops to seize
one telling
human story:
that of a wiry old
farmer in
Croatia, a
newspaper editor
in Warsaw, or a
bitter, beautiful

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survivor from
Sarajevo. His
eye is sharp and
ironic but always
compassionate.
History of the
Present
continues the
work that Garton
Ash began with
his trilogy of
books about

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Central Europe
in the 1980s,
combining the
crafts of
journalism and
history. In his
Introduction, he
argues that we
should not wait
until the archives
are opened
before starting

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to write the
history of our
own times. Then
he shows how it
can be done.

At the start of
the 21st century,
the world
plunged into
crisis. What
began as an
attack on the

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West by Osama bin Laden soon became a dramatic confrontation between Europe and America. Britain has found itself painfully split, because it stands with one foot across the

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Atlantic and the other across the Channel. The English, in particular, are hopelessly divided between a Right that argues our place is with America, not Europe, and a Left that claims

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the opposite.
This is today's
English civil war.
Both sides tell us
we must choose.
In this powerful
new work
Timothy Garton
Ash, one of our
leading political
writers, explains
why we cannot,

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need not and
must not choose
between Europe
and America.
This volume
presents the
story of the
Hungarian
Revolution in
120 original
documents,
ranging from the

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minutes of
Khrushchev's
first meeting
with Hungarian
leaders after
Stalin's death in
1953, to
Yeltsin's
declaration on
Hungary in 1992.
The great
majority of the

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material comes from archives that were inaccessible until the 1990s, and appears here in English for the first time. Book jacket.

'At times,' writes Golo Mann, 'the Germans seem a

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philosophical
people, at others
the most
practical and
most
materialistic at
times the most
peaceful, at
others the most
domineering and
brutal. Time
after time they

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have surprised
the world by
things least
expected of
them.' It is this
quality of
paradox, even of
mystery, in the
German nation
that the
distinguished
historian renders

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with such
subtlety and
penetration in
this celebrated
study. It traces
the whole sweep
of intellectual
development in
Germany since
the French
Revolution. As
well as

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chronicling
historic events,
the book deals in
detail with the
contributions of
philosophers,
poets and
novelists
alongside those
of
parliamentarians
and generals.

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Global
Reflections on
Children ' s
Rights and the
Law
Free World
What Next?
Absent Minds
Political Writing
from a Decade
Without a Name
In Europe's

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Name
New Adversaries
and new
Opportunities
A brilliant eyewitness
and analyst, Timothy
Garton Ash in this
book offers a
gripping account of
the Polish shipyard
workers who defied
their communist

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rulers in 1980. He describes the emergence of the improbable leader Lech Walesa, the ensuing tumult that culminated in martial law, and -- for this updated edition -- the fate of the Solidarity movement in subsequent years.

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Book jacket.
From the author of
the international
bestseller *On
Tyranny*, the
definitive history of
Hitler ' s and
Stalin ' s politics of
mass killing,
explaining why
Ukraine has been at
the center of Western

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history for the last century. Americans call the Second World War “ the Good War. ” But before it even began, America ’ s ally Stalin had killed millions of his own citizens—and kept killing them during and after the war.

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Before Hitler was defeated, he had murdered six million Jews and nearly as many other Europeans. At war ' s end, German and Soviet killing sites fell behind the Iron Curtain, leaving the history of mass killing in darkness.

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Assiduously researched, deeply humane, and utterly definitive, Bloodlands is a new kind of European history, presenting the mass murders committed by the Nazi and Stalinist regimes as two aspects of a single story. With a new

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afterword addressing
the relevance of these
events to the
contemporary
decline of
democracy,
Bloodlands is
required reading for
anyone seeking to
understand the
central tragedy of
modern history and

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its meaning today.
In an assessment of
the current state of
global affairs, the
author examines the
frequent conflict
between Europe and
America, the
implications of a
unified Europe, and
the need for nations
to work together to

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solve important problems.

The Magic Lantern is one of those rare books that define a historic moment, written by a brilliant witness who was also a participant in epochal events.

Whether covering Poland ' s first free

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parliamentary
elections—in which
Solidarity found itself
in the position of
trying to limit the
scope of its
victory—or sitting in
at the meetings of an
unlikely coalition of
bohemian
intellectuals and
Catholic clerics

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orchestrating the
liberation of
Czechoslovakia,
Garton Ash writes
with enormous
sympathy and power.
This book is a
stunningly evocative
portrait of the
revolutions that swept
Communism from
Eastern Europe in

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1989 and whose
aftereffects are still
being felt today. As
Garton Ash writes in
an incisive new
afterword, from the
perspective of three
decades later:

“ Freedom ’ s battle
is never finally won. It
must be fought anew
in every

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generation. ”
Triumphs and
Disasters
When Is Free Speech
Hate Speech?
Out of Ashes
America, Europe,
and the Surprising
Future of the West
Germany and the
Divided Continent
The Story of an

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Uprising Free Speech

“ Splendid. . . .
[Darnton gives] us vivid,
hard-won detail,
illuminating narrative,
and subtle, original
insight. ” —Timothy
Garton Ash, New York
Review of Books With
his uncanny ability to
spark life in the past,
Robert Darnton re-

creates three historical worlds in which censorship shaped literary expression in distinctive ways. In eighteenth-century France, censors, authors, and booksellers collaborated in making literature by navigating the intricate culture of royal privilege. Even as the king's censors outlawed works by

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Voltaire, Rousseau, and other celebrated Enlightenment writers, the head censor himself incubated Diderot ' s great Encyclopedie by hiding the banned project ' s papers in his Paris townhouse.

Relationships at court trumped principle in the Old Regime. Shaken by the Sepoy uprising in 1857, the British Raj

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undertook a vast surveillance of every aspect of Indian life, including its literary output. Years later the outrage stirred by the British partition of Bengal led the Raj to put this knowledge to use.

Seeking to suppress Indian publications that it deemed seditious, the British held hearings in which literary criticism

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led to prison sentences.
Their efforts to meld
imperial power and
liberal principle fed a
growing Indian
opposition. In
Communist East
Germany, censorship was
a component of the party
program to engineer
society. Behind the
unmarked office doors of
Ninety Clara-Zetkin
Street in East Berlin,

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censors developed annual plans for literature in negotiation with high party officials and prominent writers. A system so pervasive that it lodged inside the authors ' heads as self-censorship, it left visible scars in the nation ' s literature. By rooting censorship in the particulars of history, Darnton's revealing

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study enables us to think more clearly about efforts to control expression past and present.

Why do some governing parties limit their opportunistic behaviour and constrain the extraction of private gains from the state? This analysis of post-communist state reconstruction provides surprising answers to this

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fundamental question of party politics. Across the post-communist democracies, governing parties have opportunistically reconstructed the state - simultaneously exploiting it by extracting state resources and building new institutions that further such extraction. They enfeebled or delayed formal state

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institutions of monitoring and oversight, established new discretionary structures of state administration, and extracted enormous informal profits from the privatization of the communist economy. By examining how post-communist political parties rebuilt the state in Bulgaria, the Czech

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Republic, Estonia,
Hungary, Latvia,
Lithuania, Poland,
Slovakia, and Slovenia,
Grzymala-Busse explains
how even opportunistic
political parties will limit
their corrupt behaviour
and abuse of state
resources when faced
with strong political
competition.

A richly textured work of
history and a powerful

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contribution to contemporary cultural debate, *Absent Minds* provides the first full-length account of 'the question of intellectuals' in twentieth-century Britain - have such figures ever existed, have they always been more prominent or influential elsewhere, and are they on the point of becoming extinct today?

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Recovering neglected or misunderstood traditions of reflection and debate from the late nineteenth century through to the present, Stefan Collini challenges the familiar cliché that there are no 'real' intellectuals in Britain. The book offers a persuasive analysis of the concept of 'the intellectual' and an extensive comparative

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account of how this question has been seen in the USA, France, and elsewhere in Europe. There are detailed discussions of influential or revealing figures such as Julien Benda, T. S. Eliot, George Orwell, and Edward Said, as well as trenchant critiques of current assumptions about the impact of specialization and

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celebrity. Throughout, attention is paid to the multiple senses of the term 'intellectuals' and to the great diversity of relevant genres and media through which they have communicated their ideas, from pamphlets and periodical essays to public lectures and radio talks. Elegantly written and rigorously argued, *Absent Minds* is

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a major, long-awaited work by a leading intellectual historian and cultural commentator, ranging across the conventional divides between academic disciplines and combining insightful portraits of individuals with sharp-edged cultural analysis.

Peter Wilding offers an arresting answer, plotting

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out a new course for Britain's troubled relationship with Europe. He channels the pride Britain draws from its heritage through the prejudice Britain has historically had against Europe, and proposes a new popular-based platform for British influence in Europe: 'smart power'. Wilding identifies how British

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leaders from Pitt to Cameron have attempted to use exactly this 'smart power' in their approach to Europe. He tells the story of their shared experiences in forging Churchill's strategy - a long-term plan which put Britain at the heart of Europe and the Commonwealth and alongside the United States - and applies it to

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Britain today. Outlining a new approach for Britain's leaders, Wilding proposes a new, positive vision to position Britain in a fast-changing and fractured world. His book will provide valuable new perspectives on the debate about what Britain does next after the EU referendum.

First Edition, Volume 2
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The Harm in Hate
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Facts are Subversive
Civil Resistance and
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Arab Spring
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How China's political
model could prove to be
a viable alternative to
Western democracy
Westerners tend to
divide the political world

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into "good" democracies
and " bad " authoritarian regimes.
But the Chinese political model does not fit neatly in either category. Over the past three decades, China has evolved a political system that can best be described as " political meritocracy. " The China Model seeks to understand the ideals and

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the reality of this unique political system. How do the ideals of political meritocracy set the standard for evaluating political progress (and regress) in China? How can China avoid the disadvantages of political meritocracy? And how can political meritocracy best be combined with democracy? Daniel Bell answers these questions

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and more. Opening with a critique of “ one person, one vote ” as a way of choosing top leaders, Bell argues that Chinese-style political meritocracy can help to remedy the key flaws of electoral democracy. He discusses the advantages and pitfalls of political meritocracy, distinguishes between different ways of

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combining meritocracy and democracy, and argues that China has evolved a model of democratic meritocracy that is morally desirable and politically stable. Bell summarizes and evaluates the “ China model ” —meritocracy at the top, experimentation in the middle, and democracy at the bottom—and its

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implications for the rest of the world. A timely and original book that will stir up interest and debate, *The China Model* looks at a political system that not only has had a long history in China, but could prove to be the most important political development of the twenty-first century. How has memory - collective and individual

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- influenced European politics after the Second World War and after 1989 in particular? How has the past been used in domestic struggles for power, and how have 'historical lessons' been applied in foreign policy? While there is now a burgeoning field of social and cultural memory studies, mostly focused on commemorations and

monuments, this volume is the first to examine the connection between memory and politics directly. It investigates how memory is officially recast, personally reworked and often violently re-instilled after wars, and, above all, the ways memory shapes present power constellations. The chapters combine

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theoretical innovation in their approach to the study of memory with deeply historical, empirically based case studies of major European countries. The volume concludes with reflections on the ethics of memory, and the politics of truth, justice and forgetting after 1945 and 1989.

Thirty years after the

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adoption of the UN Convention of the Rights of the Child, this book provides diverse perspectives from countries and regions across the globe on its implementation, critique and potential for reform. The book revolves around key issues including progress in implementing the CRC worldwide; how to

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include children in legal proceedings; how to uphold children ' s various civil rights; how to best assist children at risk; and discussions surrounding children ' s identity rights in a changing familial order. Discussion of the CRC is both compelling and polarizing and the book portrays the enthusiasm around these topics

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through contrasting and comparative opinions on a range of topics. The work provides varying perspectives from many different countries and regions, offering a wealth of insight on topics that will be of significant interest to scholars and practitioners working in the areas of children ' s rights and justice.

Timothy Garton Ash was

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with the strikers in the Lenin Shipyard in Gdansk in August 1980 when the trade union Solidarity was born, in opposition to the Communist government. He witnessed their bravery and defiance and the emergence of an improbable leader and hero in the country's future president, Lech Walesa. This text

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recreates the ideals and terrors of that time, and exposes the mechanics of oppression of the communist regime.

Ten Principles for a Connected World

Censors at Work: How States Shaped Literature
A Novel

The Experience of Non-violent Action from Gandhi to the Present
Media, Revolution and

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Politics in Egypt
A New History of
Europe in the Twentieth
Century

Poor but Sexy

The new edition of this
market-leading text
brings together specially
commissioned chapters
by a team of top
international scholars on
the changing politics of
this diverse region
negotiating the

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competing pulls of the European Union and post-communist Russia. This title brings George Orwell's classic satire Animal Farm together with the author's other works exploring the nature of politics and the Second World War. His topics include: corrupt political language, the oppressive British Empire, and a wry review

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of Mein Kampf .
Civil resistance, especially
in the form of massive
peaceful demonstrations,
was at the heart of the
Arab Spring-the chain of
events in the Middle East
and North Africa that
erupted in December
2010. It won some
notable victories: popular
movements helped to
bring about the fall of
authoritarian

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governments in Tunisia, Egypt, Libya and Yemen. Yet these apparent triumphs of non-violent action were followed by disasters—wars in Syria, anarchy in Libya and Yemen, reversion to authoritarian rule in Egypt, and counter-revolution backed by external intervention in Bahrain. Looming over these events was the

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enduring divide between the Sunni and Shi'a branches of Islam. Why did so much go wrong? Was the problem the methods, leadership and aims of the popular movements, or the conditions of their societies? In this book, experts on these countries, and on the techniques of civil resistance, set the events

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in their historical, social and political contexts. They describe how governments and outside powers—including the US and EU—responded, how Arab monarchies in Jordan and Morocco undertook to introduce reforms to avert revolution, and why the Arab Spring failed to spark a Palestinian one. They indicate how and

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why Tunisia remained, precariously, the country that experienced the most political change for the lowest cost in bloodshed. This book provides a vivid illustrated account and rigorous scholarly analysis of the course and fate, the strengths and the weaknesses, of the Arab Spring. The authors draw clear and challenging

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conclusions from these tumultuous events.

Above all, they show how civil resistance aiming at regime change is not enough: building the institutions and the trust necessary for reforms to be implemented and democracy to develop is a more difficult but equally crucial task.

Id learn from the divided city about freedom and

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despotism. As he moved from west to east, the East German secret police--the so-called Stasi--were compiling a secret file of his activities. Fifteen years later, Garton Ash went to the Stasi headquarters to request his file, whose contents are the basis for this real-life thriller.

Memory and Power in
Post-War Europe

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Culture Clashes in
Europe East and West
Developments in Central
and East European
Politics 5

Political Meritocracy and
the Limits of Democracy
Speech Police

The Revolution of '89
Witnessed in Warsaw,
Budapest, Berlin, and
Prague

Intellectuals in Britain
This widely-praised book

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identified peaceful struggle as a key phenomenon in international politics a year before the revolutions in Tunisia and Egypt confirmed its central argument. Civil resistance - non-violent action against such challenges as dictatorial rule, racial discrimination and foreign military occupation - is a

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significant but inadequately understood feature of world politics. Especially through the peaceful revolutions of 1989, and the developments in the Arab world since December 2010, it has helped to shape the world we live in. Civil Resistance and Power Politics covers most of the leading cases,

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including the actions
master-minded by
Gandhi, the US civil
rights struggle in the
1960s, the Islamic
revolution in Iran in
1979, the 'people power'
revolt in the Philippines
in the 1980s, the
campaigns against
apartheid in South
Africa, the various
movements contributing
to the collapse of the

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Soviet Bloc in 1989-91,
and, in this century, the
'colour revolutions' in
Georgia and Ukraine.
The chapters, written by
leading experts, are richly
descriptive and
analytically rigorous.
This book addresses the
complex
interrelationship between
civil resistance and other
dimensions of power. It
explores the question of

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whether civil resistance should be seen as potentially replacing violence completely, or as a phenomenon that operates in conjunction with, and modification of, power politics. It looks at cases where campaigns were repressed, including China in 1989 and Burma in 2007. It notes that in several instances,

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including Northern Ireland, Kosovo and, Georgia, civil resistance movements were followed by the outbreak of armed conflict. It also includes a chapter with new material from Russian archives showing how the Soviet leadership responded to civil resistance, and a comprehensive bibliographical essay.

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Illustrated throughout with a remarkable selection of photographs, this uniquely wide-ranging and path-breaking study is written in an accessible style and is intended for the general reader as well as for students of Modern History, Politics, Sociology, and International Relations. Jack M. Bloom presents a

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moving account of how an opposition developed and triumphed in communist Poland, showing the perspectives and experiences of the participants, while often letting them recount their own stories and explain their thinking.

As the United States grapples with the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the nation ' s

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living legacy of systemic racism, and partisan threats to the foundations of democracy, the integrity of news and Project Censored's survey of underreported news stories has never been more important. This 2022 edition of Project Censored's State of the Free Press offers a comprehensive survey of the most important but

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underreported news stories of 2021 and a comparative analysis of the current state of corporate and independent news media, and its effect on democracy. The establishment media sustains a decrepit post-truth era, as examined the lowlight features: "Junk Food News"-frivolous stories

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that distract the public
from actual news-
and-"News
Abuse"-important stories
covered in ways that
undermine public
understanding. The
alternative media
provokes a burgeoning
critical media literacy age,
as evaluated in the
highlight feature: "Media
Democracy in
Action"-relevant stories

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responsibly reported on
by independent
organizations. Finally, in
an homage to the history
of the annual report, the
editors reinstate the
"D é j à vu News"
feature-revisited stories
from previous editions.
State of the Free Press
2022 endows readers
with the critical thinking
and media literacy skills
required to hold the

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corporate media to account for distorting or censoring news coverage, and thus, to revitalize our democracy.

A tense, mesmerizing novel about memory, privacy, fear, and what happens when our past catches up with us. After a decade living in England, Jeremy O'Keefe returns to New York, where he has been hired

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as a professor of German history at New York University. Though comfortable in his new life, and happy to be near his daughter once again, Jeremy continues to feel the quiet pangs of loneliness. Walking through the city at night, it's as though he could disappear and no one would even notice. But soon, Jeremy's life begins

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taking strange turns:
boxes containing records
of his online activity are
delivered to his
apartment, a young man
seems to be following
him, and his elderly
mother receives
anonymous phone calls
slandering her son. Why,
he wonders, would
anyone want to watch
him so closely, and, even
more upsetting, why

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would they alert him to the fact that he was being watched? As Jeremy takes stock of the entanglements that marked his years abroad, he wonders if he has unwittingly committed a crime so serious as to make him an enemy of the state. Moving towards a shattering reassessment of what it means to be free in a time

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of ever more intrusive surveillance, Jeremy is forced to ask himself whether he is "no one," as he believes, or a traitor not just to his country but to everyone around him. — Included in NPR's Best of 2016 Book

Concierge
History of the Present
The File
A Political History of
East Central Europe

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Since World War II
The 1956 Hungarian
Revolution
Solidarity and the
Struggle Against
Communism in Poland
The West: A New
History
Party Competition and
State Exploitation in Post-
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Democracies
Every liberal

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democracy has laws or codes against hate speech, except the United States. For constitutionalists, regulation of hate speech violates the First Amendment and damages a free society. Against this absolutist view, the author argues that

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hate speech should be regulated as part of our commitment to human dignity and to inclusion and respect for members of vulnerable minorities. Causing offense, by depicting a religious leader as a terrorist in a newspaper cartoon, for example, is not

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the same as launching a libelous attack on a group's dignity, according to the author, and it lies outside the reach of law. But defamation of a minority group, through hate speech, undermines a public good that can and should be protected:

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the basic assurance of inclusion in society for all members. A social environment polluted by anti-gay leaflets, Nazi banners, and burning crosses sends an implicit message to the targets of such hatred: your security is uncertain and you can expect to

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face humiliation and
discrimination when
you leave your home.
Free-speech
advocates boast of
despising what racists
say but defending to
the death their right
to say it. The author
finds this emphasis
on intellectual
resilience misguided

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and points instead to
the threat hate speech
poses to the lives,
dignity, and
reputations of
minority members.
Finding support for
his view among
philosophers of the
Enlightenment, he
asks us to move
beyond knee-jerk

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American
exceptionalism in our
debates over the
serious consequences
of hateful speech.

“ We, the free, face a
daunting
opportunity.

Previous generations
could only dream of a
free world. Now we
can begin to make

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it. ” In his welcome alternative to the rampant pessimism about Euro-American relations, award-winning historian Timothy Garton Ash shares an inspiring vision for how the United States and Europe can collaborate to

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promote a free world. At the start of the twenty-first century, the West has plunged into crisis. Europe tries to define itself in opposition to America, and America increasingly regards Europe as troublesome and irrelevant. What is to

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become of what we
used to call “ the free
world ” ? Part
history, part
manifesto, Free
World offers both a
scintillating
assessment of our
current geopolitical
quandary and a
vitaly important
argument for the

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future of liberty and the shared values of the West.

Leonardo da Vinci (1452 – 1519) was one of the pre-eminent figures of the Italian Renaissance – he was also one of the most paradoxical. He spent an incredible amount of

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time writing
notebooks, perhaps
even more time than
he ever held a brush,
yet at the same time
Leonardo was
Renaissance
culture ' s most
fanatical critic of the
word. When
Leonardo criticized
writing he criticized it

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as an expert on words; when he was painting, writing remained in the back of his mind. In this book, Joost Keizer argues that the comparison between word and image fuelled Leonardo 's thought. The paradoxes at the heart

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of Leonardo ' s ideas
and practice also
defined some of
Renaissance
culture ' s central
assumptions about
culture and nature:
that there is a look to
script, that painting
offered a path out of
culture and back to
nature, that the

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meaning of images
emerged in
comparison with
words, and that the
difference between
image-making and
writing also
amounted to a
difference in the
experience of time.
One of the great
political writers of our

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time offers a
manifesto for global
free speech in the
digital age Never in
human history was
there such a chance
for freedom of
expression. If we have
Internet access, any
one of us can publish
almost anything we
like and potentially

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reach an audience of millions. Never was there a time when the evils of unlimited speech flowed so easily across frontiers: violent intimidation, gross violations of privacy, tidal waves of abuse. A pastor burns a Koran in Florida and UN officials die

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in Afghanistan.
Drawing on a lifetime
of writing about
dictatorships and
dissidents, Timothy
Garton Ash argues
that in this connected
world that he calls
cosmopolis, the way
to combine freedom
and diversity is to
have more but also

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better free speech.
Across all cultural
divides we must strive
to agree on how we
disagree. He draws
on a thirteen-
language global
online project--freesp
eechdebate.com--co
nducted out of
Oxford University
and devoted to doing

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just that. With vivid examples, from his personal experience of China's Orwellian censorship apparatus to the controversy around Charlie Hebdo to a very English court case involving food writer Nigella Lawson, he proposes a

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framework for
civilized conflict in a
world where we are
all becoming
neighbors.

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Des 19. und 20
Jahrhunderts. Anglais
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Resist It with Free Speech, Not Censorship