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READING LIST

Course Title: A Delicate Balance: Intelligence, Espionage and International Security in WWII
Location: Ewert House, Oxford
Term Dates: 26 Sep 2023 to 28 Nov 2023
Tutor: Sarah-Louise Miller

The reading list below was supplied by the course tutor.

If you have enrolled on a course starting in the autumn, you can become a borrowing member of the Rewley House library from 1st September. If you are enrolled on a course starting in other terms, you can become a borrowing member once the previous term has ended. For example, students starting in January can join the Library in early December and those starting in April can join in early March.

If you are planning to purchase any books, please keep in mind that courses with insufficient students enrolled will be cancelled. The Department accepts no responsibility for books bought in anticipation of a course running.

Preparatory Reading List

The items on this list are to give you some background to the materials and ideas that we will be covering on the course.

Author	Title
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Christopher Andrew	<i>The Defence of the Realm: The Authorised History of MI5</i>
Christopher Andrew	<i>The Secret World</i>
John Hughes-Wilson	<i>On Intelligence</i>
Sarah-Louise Miller	<i>The Women Behind the Few</i>

Course Reading List

The items on this list are to support your learning while you are taking the course.

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Alan H. Bath	<i>Tracking the Axis Enemy: The Triumph of Anglo-American Naval Intelligence</i>
Andrew Boyd	<i>British Naval Intelligence Through the Twentieth Century</i>

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Christine Halsall	<i>Women of Intelligence</i>
Christopher Andrew and David Dilks	<i>The Missing Dimension</i>
Christopher Andrew and Jeremy Noakes	<i>Intelligence and International Relations 1900-1945</i>
Christopher Grey	<i>Decoding Organisation</i>
David Alvarez	<i>Allied and Axis Signals Intelligence in World War II</i>
Dermot Turing	<i>X, Y & Z: The Real Story of How Enigma Was Broken</i>
Douglas Ford	<i>Britain's Secret War Against Japan 1937 – 1945</i>
Dover, Goodman and Hillebrand	<i>Routledge Companion to Intelligence Studies</i>
Elphick	<i>Far Eastern File: The Intelligence War in the Far East, 1930-45</i>
F.H. Hinsley	<i>British Intelligence in the Second World War (6 volumes)</i>
John Bryden	<i>Fighting to Lose: How the German Secret Intelligence Service Helped the Allies Win the Second World War</i>
John Ferris	<i>Behind the Enigma: The Authorised History of GCHQ</i>
Keith Jeffery	<i>MI6: The History of the Secret Intelligence Service</i>
Liza Mundy	<i>Code Girls: The Untold Story of the American Women Code Breakers of World War II</i>
Mark Phythian	<i>Understanding the Intelligence Cycle</i>
Nigel West	<i>GCHQ: The Secret Wireless War 1900-1986</i>
Patrick Beesly	<i>Ultra and the Battle of the Atlantic</i>
Peter Hore	<i>Bletchley's Secret Source: The Wrens and the Y-Service in World War II</i>
Peter Kornicki	<i>Eavesdropping on the Emperor</i>
Peter Matthews	<i>SIGINT: The Secret History of Signals Intelligence in the World Wars</i>
R.J. Aldrich	<i>Intelligence and the War against Japan: Britain, America and the Politics of Secret Service</i>
Ralph Bennett	<i>Behind the Battle: Intelligence in the War with Germany 1939-1945</i>
Ralph Erskine and Michael Smith	<i>The Bletchley Park Codebreakers</i>

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Robert Hutchinson	<i>German Foreign Intelligence from Hitler's War to the Cold War: Flawed Assumptions and Faulty Analysis</i>
Stephen Budiansky	<i>Battle of Wits: The Complete Story of Codebreaking in World War II</i>
Twigge, Hampshire, Jacklin	<i>British Intelligence</i>