

# Reading list 2009–10

## 114 Democratic politics and the State

The current edition of the subject guide is the 2009 edition. This reading list was last updated in June 2009. Any queries about this reading list should be directed to [externalstudy@lse.ac.uk](mailto:externalstudy@lse.ac.uk).

### Essential reading

Pierson, Christopher *The Modern State*. (London: Routledge, 2004) second edition [ISBN 9780415329330].

If you are studying Chapter 10, then you also need to read sections of a short book:

Held, David and Anthony McGrew *Globalization/Anti Globalization*. (Cambridge: Polity Press, 2007) second edition [ISBN 9780745639116].

### Recommended reading

Dryzek, John and Patrick Dunleavy *Theories of the Democratic State*. (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2009) [ISBN 9780230542877]. This book provides a useful overview and update of the main theories and themes covered in the subject guide. It is up to date and provides contemporary examples of many of the themes in the guide.

King, Roger and Gavin Kendall *The State, Democracy and Globalization*. (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2004) [ISBN 9780333969120]. This book gives a useful review of similar themes to those covered in the subject guide and is up to date.

### Further reading

For some chapters we also recommend sections of the following texts for further reading on specific topics. You are given guidance about this reading at the start of each chapter. This is a full listing of all these sections for ease of reference.

Allen, J. 'Does feminism need a theory of "the state"?', in S. Watson (ed.) *Playing the State*. (Sydney: Allen and Unwin, 1990) [ISBN 9780860919704].

Auster, Richard D. and Morris Silver *The State as a Firm*. (New York: Kluwer, 1979) [ISBN 9780898380002].

Bryson, Valerie *Feminist Political Theory: An Introduction*. (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2003) second revised edition [ISBN 9780333945681].

Carter, Neil *The Politics of the Environment: Ideas, Activism, Policy*. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2001) [ISBN 9780521469944].

Dobson, A. *Green Political Thought*. (London: Routledge, 2007) fourth edition [ISBN 9780415403528].

Dryzek, John *The Politics of the Earth: Environmental Discourses*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1997). [ISBN 9780198781592]

Dunleavy, Patrick 'Electoral representation and accountability: the legacy of Empire', in Gamble, A., I. Holliday and G. Parry (eds) *Fundamentals in British Politics*. (Basingstoke: Macmillan, 1999) [ISBN 9780312226503] pp.204–30.

Eckersley, R. *Environmentalism and Political Theory: Towards an Ecocentric Approach*. (Albany: State University of New York Press, 1992) [ISBN 9780791410141].

Eckersley, R. *The Green State: Rethinking Democracy and Sovereignty*. (Cambridge, Mass.; MIT Press, 2004) [ISBN 9780262550567].

Frum, David and Richard Perle *An End to Evil: How to Win the War on Terror*. (New York: Random House, 2003) [ISBN 9781400061945].

- Fukuyama, F. *The End of History and the Last Man*. (New York: Perennial, 1993) [ISBN 9780380720026].
- Goodin, R. *Green Political Theory*. (Cambridge: Polity Press, 1992) [ISBN 9780745610276].
- Gray, John *Beyond the New Right: Markets, Government and the Common Environment*. (New York: Routledge, 1993). [ISBN 9780415092975]
- Hardt, Michael and Antonio Negri *Empire*. (Cambridge, Mass: Harvard University Press, 2001) [ISBN 9780674006713].
- Hayek, F.A. von *The Road to Serfdom*. (London: Routledge, 1944).
- Hoffman, J. *Beyond the State*. (Cambridge: Polity Press, 1995) [ISBN 9780745611815] Chapter 10 only, pp.145–62.
- Horn, M. *The Political Economy of Public Administration*. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1995) [ISBN 9780521484367].
- Krasner, S.D. *Defending the National Interest: Raw Materials Investment and US Foreign Policy*. (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1978) [ISBN 9780691021829].
- MacKinnon, Catherine *Towards a Feminist Theory of the State*. (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 1989)[ISBN 9780674896468] Chapter 8 only.
- March, James G. and Johan P. Olsen *Rediscovering Institutions: The Organizational Basis of Politics*. (New York: Free Press, 1989) [ISBN 9780029201152].
- Miliband, Ralph *Capitalist Democracy in Britain*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1984). [ISBN 9780192851376]
- Laumann, Edward and David Knokke *The Organizational State: Social Choice in National Policy Domains*. (Ann Arbor: University of Wisconsin Press, 1987) [ISBN 9780299111946].
- Page, Benjamin I. and Robert Y. Schapiro *The Rational Public: Fifty Years of Trends in Americans' Policy Preferences*. (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1992) [ISBN 9780226644783].
- Pierre, Jon and B. Guy Peters *Politics, Governance and the State*. (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2000) [ISBN 9780333718483].
- Poulantzas, Nicos *State, Power, Socialism*. (London: New Left Books, 1978) [ISBN 9780805270785].
- Rees, John *The Algebra of Revolution: The Dialectic and the Classical Marxist Tradition*. (London: Routledge, 1998) [ISBN 9780415198769].
- Wallerstein, Immanuel *The Decline of American Power*. (New York: Norton, 2003) [ISBN 9781565847996].
- Wright, Erik Olin *Class Counts*. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2000) [ISBN 9780521663946].