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contemporary political and social contexts the entries also shed light on the current position of this interdisciplinary field of study which sits at the interface between political science and sociology and consider its aims in addressing those aspects that pertain to the critical interplay between factors relating to both fields a timely and stimulating reference work this encyclopedia will be a key resource for researchers and students in the field of political sociology political science and theory social policy social theory and public policy providing both an excellent entry point for study as well as an essential reference tool for more experienced academics key features discusses major approaches and theories summarising key topics in over 160 entries includes entries on key historical thinkers and concepts presents frontier areas across the discipline for future research work this is an essential disciplinary update for all political sociologists and an exciting guide for all 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alan scott university of innsbruck this accessible book addresses one of the twenty first century s most important issues the increasing lack of connection between political institutions and the social reality of our everyday lives a gulf between popular expectations and formal politics has widened continually since the revolts against authority of 1968 the eastern european revolutions of 1989 and the growth of new social movements today popular disillusion with politics is ubiquitous enormous social transformations on a global scale since the 1970s have produced no fundamental change in what are considered normal political
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discipline and highlighting emerging topics in the field global in focus offering up to date topics from an interdisciplinary international set of scholars addressing key issues concerning globalization social movements and citizenship the majority of chapters are new including those on environmental politics international terrorism security corruption and human rights revises and updates all previously published chapters to include new themes and topics in political sociology provides an overview of scholarship in the field with chapters working independently and collectively to examine the full range of contributions to political sociology offers a challenging yet accessible and complete reference guide for students and scholars a new fully revised and updated edition of the leading introduction to social movements and collective action covers a broad range of approaches in the social sciences now in its third edition social movements is the market leading introductory text on collective action in contemporary society the text draws from theory driven systematic empirical research from across the social sciences to address central questions and concepts in the field sophisticated yet reader friendly chapters offer critical analyses of relevant literature whilst exploring important issues and debates the global political landscape has undergone significant changes in the years since this book s initial publication such as the spread of online protests the resurgence of nationalist and right wing activity global revolts and increased social and economic polarization this thoroughly updated edition offers fresh
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is an essential course text and a must read for students and scholars of sociology political sociology political science and social movement studies introduction to politics and society draws on examples from popular political culture in order to convey how politics operates in the contemporary world examples illustrate the meaning of theories and show the relevance of central theoretical debates planned and developed with an eye to the needs of students the book is an extraordinary resource for undergraduate teaching and study needs it will be required reading for undergraduate students in sociology politics and social policy the handbook of social capital offers an important contribution to the study of bonding and bridging social capital networks balancing the troika of sociology political science and economics eminent contributors including nobel prize winner elinor ostrom explore the different scientific approaches required if international research is to embrace both the bright and the more shadowy aspects of social capital the handbook stresses the importance of trust for economies all over the world and contains a strong advocacy for cross disciplinary work within the social sciences the latest volume of the political and military sociology annual review features empirical research on topics that focus on security military training culture and the challenges of bureaucracy law and violence in democracies the articles cover an impressive geographic range from europe to africa and to the middle east two essays address threats to democratic polities by corrupt governmental and legal institutions and by electoral violence and intimidation the first argues that a culture of dualism in greece helps produce problems the second analyzes the power of military student fraternities in nigeria arguing that democracy is threatened by these organizations two contributors then address the security and military challenges in iraq the first argues that successful military advisors must play dual roles as both peacekeeper diplomats and warriors the second argues that iraqi government policies privileging the shia population have alienated other groups and helped support for groups such as isis the final essay analyzes the acculturation of new soldiers to zimbabwean military life through the training experiences of recruits the volume also includes reviews of recent books on military and security matters this volume introduces the key conceptual debates and approaches in contemporary political sociology it explores the relationship between the state and civil society globalization new social movements and citizenship this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a 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collection reveals tilly's complex compelling and distinctive vision and helps place the contentious politics approach tilly pioneered with sidney tarrow and doug mcadam into broader context the editors abridge key texts and in their introductory essay situate them within tilly's larger opus and contemporary intellectual debates the chapters serve as guideposts for those who wish to study his work in greater depth or use his methodology to examine the pressing issues of our time read together they provide a road map of tilly's work and his contribution to the fields of sociology political science history and international studies this book belongs in the classroom and in the library of social scientists political analysts cultural critics and activists

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**The Handbook of Political Sociology**

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monograph comprising comparisons and interdisciplinary research readings on the evolution of modern states and societys covers the historical rise of western european nationalism colonialism and the role of europe centralization of government political ideologies the political aspects of modernization in developing countries etc annotated bibliography pp 641 to 648 and references

**State and Society**

1973

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**Power, Politics, and Society**

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**First Lectures in Political Sociology**

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research work

Politics and Society

1970

this is an essential disciplinary update for all political sociologists and an exciting guide for all lay observers of politics drake offers a fresh look at the world of 
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introduction to this core perspective on social life

**Political Sociology for a Globalizing World**

2010-11-08

this book thoroughly reviews recent work in political sociology expanding the field to deal with globalization social movements and citizenship in terms of the postmodern turn this makes it very useful as a textbook it is also a contribution to political sociology effectively redefining the field it argues that an understanding of cultural politics is necessary to appreciate both how the nation state has been displaced as the center of political activity and how it is now being reformed as the internationalized state an understanding of cultural politics enables political sociology to grasp existing potential for the democratization of contemporary social practices

**Sociology and Political Theory**

2021

political sociology readings in research and theory deals with the major theoretical conceptual and empirical issues in the field of political sociology the readings explore a number of old and new concepts issues and developments both within and across political systems and societies this anthology is based on articles published in the journal of political and military sociology political sociology is organized around five major dimensions conceptual and pedagogical perspectives political participation collective protest and radicalism violence and coercion and national and cross national studies in the first section the editors provide a concise critical and integrated overview of the field in both the teaching and research aspects of political sociology especially during the last ten years part ii explores some theoretical and empirical issues by offering models of the interrelationships between politics and society political participation within a stratification framework is examined in part iii while some of the major issues and developments on collective protest and radicalism are discussed in part iv violence and coercion are age old problems of political and social systems part v attempts to evaluate and integrate the most important theories types and causes of violence part vi examines a number of pertinent concepts of political sociology in various countries this includes discussions on the legitimacy of protest in the u s and sweden the impact of stratification on the german party infrastructure efficacy and support for the mexican political system a generational model of the soviet elite and the role of the cia in chile
Political Sociology; Selected Essays

1967

taking a multidimensional approach this book emphasizes the interplay between power inequality multiple oppressions and the state this framework provides students with a unique focus on the structure of power and inequality in society today

Civil Society and Class Politics

2004

this reader presents the best published writings of prominent sociologists and political theorists currently working in the field

Political Sociology

1993

this monograph explores the interplay between ideas of the political and the way that we as sociologists look at the phenomena that we study shows what empirical sociological enquiries into the political reveal on theoretical and conceptual levels discusses how sociologists should study and understand a political environment evaluates how the political intersects with current social identities and divisions includes empirical and theoretical cases

Talcott Parsons and the Capitalist Nation-state

1985

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unable to account for organizations like Hamas, Hezbollah and the African National Congress, which exhibit characteristics of parties, states, and social movements simultaneously. In this timely book, Cedric de Leon examines the ways in which social scientists and other observers have imagined the relationship between parties and society. He introduces and critiques the full range of approaches using enlivening comparative examples from across the globe. Cutting through a vast body of research, de Leon offers a succinct and lively analysis that outlines the key thinking in the field, placing it in historical and contemporary context. The resulting book will appeal to students of sociology, political science, social psychology, and related fields.

**New Critical Writings in Political Sociology**

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Political sociology in a global era provides a critical analysis of the origins, nature, development, and transformation of the state and society historically and today. Examining the class nature and social basis of politics and the state in different societal settings, the book emphasizes the centrality of class relations in explaining political power and the role of the state in class-divided societies. By providing powerful theoretical and empirical analyses of themes in political sociology, it examines in detail the major political issues and events of our time and makes them relevant to the study of power and politics today. Some of the features of this text include: introduces a global political sociology; emphasizing the dynamics of power relations; provides a critical analysis of the role of politics and the state within the world historical process; describes classical and contemporary theories of politics and the state; explains the origins and development of the state; discusses the nature of the state, its class basis, and contradictions in different types of societies; considers the dynamics of the capitalist state and traces its development in Europe and the United States from the 18th century to the present; details the role of the advanced capitalist state in the global political economy at the current advanced stage of late capitalism; discusses the social movements that have been actively struggling against the capitalist state from earlier times to the present, including the Arab Spring; focusing on recent developments in both advanced capitalist and less developed capitalist societies; where mobilization of the masses has led to struggles against the capitalist state on a global scale; offers an original analysis of global capitalism and places it in the context of the current crisis of the global capitalist system.

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2024-07-22

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human rights revises and updates all previously published chapters to include new themes and topics in political sociology provides an overview of scholarship in the field with chapters working independently and collectively to examine the full range of contributions to political sociology offers a challenging yet accessible and complete reference guide for students and scholars

Contemporary Political Sociology

2007-12-04

a new fully revised and updated edition of the leading introduction to social movements and collective action covers a broad range of approaches in the social sciences now in its third edition social movements is the market leading introductory text on collective action in contemporary society the text draws from theory driven systematic empirical research from across the social sciences to address central questions and concepts in the field sophisticated yet reader friendly chapters offer critical analyses of relevant literature whilst exploring important issues and debates the global political landscape has undergone significant changes in the years since this book s initial publication such as the spread of online protests the resurgence of nationalist and right wing activity global revolts and increased social and economic polarization this thoroughly updated edition offers fresh discussions of recent social movements against austerity from around the world new empirical examples references to recent episodes of contention an expanded comparative approach to social movement theory in the scientific literature and more positioned at the intersection of sociology and political science this book presents an empirical and engaging exploration of contemporary social movements discusses topics such as organizing within social movements eventful protests political opportunities symbolism and identity in collective action and social change highlights how core mechanisms of collective action operate in different movements past and present provides a conceptual methodology useful for social science students and researchers alike highlights how core mechanisms of collective action operate in different movements in the past and present written by two internationally recognized experts in sociology and political science the third edition of social movements an introduction is an essential course text and a must read for students and scholars of sociology political sociology political science and social movement studies

Political Sociology

1980

introduction to politics and society draws on examples from popular political culture in order to convey how politics operates in the contemporary world examples illustrate the meaning of theories and show the relevance of central theoretical debates planned and developed with an eye to the needs of students the book is an extraordinary resource for undergraduate teaching and study needs it will be required reading for undergraduate students in sociology politics and social policy
Political Sociology

2010-11-16

the handbook of social capital offers an important contribution to the study of bonding and bridging social capital networks balancing the troika of sociology political science and economics eminent contributors including nobel prize winner elinor ostrom explore the different scientific approaches required if international research is to embrace both the bright and the more shadowy aspects of social capital the handbook stresses the importance of trust for economies all over the world and contains a strong advocacy for cross disciplinary work within the social sciences

Perspectives in Political Sociology

1973

the latest volume of the political and military sociology annual review features empirical research on topics that focus on security military training culture and the challenges of bureaucracy law and violence in democracies the articles cover an impressive geographic range from europe to africa and to the middle east two essays address threats to democratic polities by corrupt governmental and legal institutions and by electoral violence and intimidation the first argues that a culture of dualism in greece helps produce problems the second analyzes the power of military student fraternities in nigeria arguing that democracy is threatened by these organizations two contributors then address the security and military challenges in iraq the first argues that successful military advisors must play dual roles as both peacekeeper diplomats and warriors the second poses that iraqi government policies privileging the shia population have alienated other groups and helped support for groups such as isis the final essay analyzes the acculturation of new soldiers to zimbabwean military life through the training experiences of recruits the volume also includes reviews of recent books on military and security matters

Politics and Society

1970

this volume introduces the key conceptual debates and approaches in contemporary political sociology it explores the relationship between the state and civil society globalization new social movements and citizenship
Readings in Contemporary Political Sociology

2000-02-21

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Sociological Routes and Political Roots

2011-07-12

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in one comprehensive reader this manageable and readable volume brings together many highlights of tilly s large and important oeuvre covering his
contribution to the following areas revolutions and social change war state making and organized crime democratization durable inequality political violence
migration race and ethnicity narratives and explanations the book connects tilly s work on large scale social processes such as nation building and war to his
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including the vendée coercion capital and european states the classic war making and state making as organized crime and his more recent and lesser known
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abridge key texts and in their introductory essay situate them within tilly s larger opus and contemporary intellectual debates the chapters serve as guideposts for
those who wish to study his work in greater depth or use his methodology to examine the pressing issues of our time read together they provide a road map of
tilly s work and his contribution to the fields of sociology political science history and international studies this book belongs in the classroom and in the library
of social scientists political analysts cultural critics and activists

Party and Society
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Introduction to Politics and Society
2002-02-15

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