

Government 139G

Intelligence & Espionage

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Texts

Frederick Hitz, *The Great Game: Myth & Reality of Espionage* (Vintage, 2005)

Patrick Keefe, *Chatter: Secret World of Global Eavesdropping* (Random House, 2005)

Mark Lowenthal, *Intelligence: From Secrets to Policy*, 3rd edition (CQ Press, 2005)

David Wise, *Spy: Inside Story of Robert Hanssen* (Random House, 2002)

Readings

1. Human Intelligence: From Sleepers to Walk-ins (5 Sep, 12 Sep, and 19 Sep)

Hitz: Chapters - Introduction, 1, 5, 6, 7, 13, Epilogue

Lowenthal: Chapter 5 (Themes and Humint only)

Wise: Chapters 1-10

2. Counterintelligence: Moles and Their Hunters (26 Sep, 3 Oct, 10 Oct)

Lowenthal: Chapter 7

Hitz: Chapters 2, 4, 9, 11, 12

Keefe: Chapters 2 and 4

Wise: Chapters 11-31

3. Technical Intelligence: Big Eyes and Big Ears

Keefe: Chapters - Introduction, 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9

Lowenthal: Chapter 5 (Techint only)

Hitz: Chapter 10

4. U.S. Intelligence: Agencies, Missions, and Reorganization

Lowenthal: Chapters 1, 3, 4, 9, 14

5. Intelligence Analysis: Searching for Meaning & Sometimes Failing

Lowenthal: Chapters 2, 6, 11, 12

Keefe: page 212

6. Covert Action: Questions of Efficacy and Ethics

Lowenthal: Chapter 8

Hitz: Chapters 3 and 8

Secrecy and Democracy: Are Real Accountability & Oversight Possible?

Lowenthal: Chapters 10 and 13

Keefe: Chapter 6 Hitz: Chapter 14

Foreign Intelligence Services: Global Rivalries

Lowenthal: Chapter 15

Evaluation

1. First mixed-format exam (closed book; no notes) — 50% of grade (24 Oct)
2. Second mixed-format exam (closed book; no notes) — 50% of grade

Student participation in classroom discussions is strongly encouraged. In the event of a borderline average on all written work, the quality and the frequency of a student's comments in class will determine the overall grade in the course.