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Hannah Arendt 2015 hannah arendt one of the most gifted and provocative voices of her era was a polarizing cultural theorist extolled by her peers as a visionary and denounced by others as a fraud born in prussia to assimilated jewish parents she escaped from hitler s germany in 1933 and became best known for her critique of the world s response to the evils of world war ii a woman of many contradictions arendt learned to write in english only at the age of thirty six and yet her first book the origins of totalitarianism single handedly altered the way generations of americans and europeans viewed fascism and genocide her most famous and most divisive work eichmann in jerusalem a report on the banality of evil brought fierce controversy that continues to this day exacerbated by the posthumous discovery that she had been the lover of the great romantic philosopher and nazi sympathizer martin heidegger in this fast paced comprehensive biography anne heller tracks the source of arendt s apparent contradictions and her greatest achievements from a tumultuous childhood to her arrival as what she called a conscious pariah one of those few people in every time and place who don t lose confidence in ourselves if society does not approve us and will not pay any price to win acceptance

Thinking in Dark Times 2010 hannah arendt is one of the most important political theorists of the 20th century this book focuses on how against the professionalized discourses of theory arendt insists on the greater political importance of the ordinary activity of thinking

Politics in Dark Times 2010-10-25 this outstanding collection of essays explores hannah arendt s thought against the background of recent world political events unfolding since september 11 2001 and engages in a contentious dialogue with one of the greatest political thinkers of the past century with the conviction that she remains one of our contemporaries themes such as moral and political equality action judgment and freedom are re evaluated with fresh insights by a group of thinkers who are themselves well known for their original contributions to political thought other essays focus on novel and little discussed themes in the literature by highlighting arendt s views of sovereignty international law and genocide nuclear weapons and revolutions imperialism and eurocentrism and her contrasting images of europe and america each essay displays not only superb arendt scholarship but also stylistic flair and analytical tenacity

Hannah Arendt 2022-03-01 the acclaimed biographer presents a perceptive life of the controversial political philosopher and author of eichmann in jerusalem kirkus reviews hannah arendt was a polarizing cultural theorist extolled by her peers as a visionary and berated by her critics as a poseur and a fraud born in prussia to assimilated jewish parents she escaped from hitler s germany in 1933 arendt is now best remembered for the storm of controversy that surrounded her 1963 new yorker series on the trial of adolf eichmann a kidnapped nazi war criminal arendt s first book the origins of totalitarianism single handedly altered the way generations around the world viewed fascism and genocide her most famous work eichmann in jerusalem created fierce debate that continues to this day exacerbated by the posthumous discovery that she had been the lover of the philosopher and nazi sympathizer martin heidegger in this comprehensive biography anne c heller tracks the source of arendt s contradictions and achievements to her sense of being a conscious pariah one of those rare people who doesn t lose confidence in ourselves if society does not approve us and will not pay any price to gain the acceptance of others

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Communication Ethics in Dark Times 2012-12-11 renowned in the disciplines of political theory and philosophy hannah arendt s searing critiques of modernity continue to resonate in other fields of thought decades after she wrote them in communication ethics in dark times hannah arendt s rhetoric of warning and hope author ronald c arnett offers a groundbreaking examination of fifteen of arendt s major scholarly works considering the german writer s contributions to the areas of rhetoric and communication ethics for the first time arnett focuses on arendt s use of the phrase dark times to describe the mistakes of modernity defined by arendt as the post enlightenment social conditions discourses and processes ruled by principles of efficiency progress and individual autonomy these principles arendt argues have led humanity down a path of folly banality and hubris throughout his interpretive evaluation arnett illuminates the implications of arendt s persistent metaphor of dark times and engages the question how might communication ethics counter the tenets of dark times and their consequences a compelling study of hannah arendt s most noteworthy works and their connections to the fields of rhetoric and communication ethics communication ethics in dark times provides an illuminating introduction for students and scholars of communication ethics and rhetoric and a tool with which experts may discover new insights connections and applications to these fields top book award for philosophy of communication ethics by communication ethics division of the national communication association 2013

Three Women in Dark Times 2000 three women all philosophers all of jewish descent provide a human face for a decade of crisis in this powerful and moving book the dark years when the nazis rose to power are here seen through the lives of edith stein a disciple of husserl and author of *la science et la croix* who died in auschwitz in 1942 hannah arendt pupil of heidegger and jaspers and author of *eichmann in jerusalem* who unhesitatingly responded to hitler by making a personal commitment to zionism and simone weil a student of alain and author of *la pesanteur et la grâce* following her subjects from 1933 to 1943 sylvie courtine denamy recounts how these three great philosophers of the twentieth century endeavored with profound moral commitment to address the issues confronting them condemned to exile they not only sought to understand a horrible reality but also attempted to make peace with it to do so edith stein and simone weil encouraged a stoic acceptance of necessity while hannah arendt argued for the capacity for renewal and the need to fight against the banality of evil courtine denamy also describes how as a student each woman caught the eye of her famous male teacher yet dared to criticize and go beyond him she explores each one's sense of her femininity her position on the woman question and her relation to her jewishness all three the author writes are compelling figures who move us with their fierce desire to understand a world out of joint reconcile it with itself and despite everything love it

Light in Dark Times 2020 at once historical and allegorical light in dark times is an illustrated ride crossing time space and place as the characters walk a difficult path while grasping a lifeline of hope on a journey through knowledge

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A Light in Dark Times 2019-02-05 the new school for social research opened in 1919 as an act of protest founded in the name of academic freedom it quickly emerged as a pioneer in adult education providing what its first president alvin johnson liked to call the continuing education of the educated by the mid 1920s the new school had become the place to go to hear leading figures lecture on politics and the arts and recent developments in new fields of inquiry such as anthropology and psychoanalysis then in 1933 after hitler rose to power johnson created the university in exile within the new school welcoming nearly two hundred refugees johnson together with these exiled scholars defiantly maintained the great traditions of europe's imperiled universities judith friedlander reconstructs the history of the new school in the context of ongoing debates over academic freedom and the role of education in liberal democracies against the backdrop of world war i and the first red scare the rise of fascism and mccarthyism the student uprisings during the vietnam war and the downfall of communism in eastern europe friedlander tells a dramatic story of intellectual political and financial struggle through illuminating sketches of internationally renowned scholars and artists these include among others charles a beard john dewey josé clemente orozco robert heilbroner hannah arendt and Ágnes heller featured prominently as well are new school students trustees and academic leaders as the new school prepares to celebrate its one hundredth anniversary a light in dark times offers a timely reflection on the legacy of this unique institution which has boldly defended dissident intellectuals and artists in the united states and overseas

Democracy in Dark Times 1998 viewing contemporary democratic practice through the lens of hannah arendt's political theory and thoroughly exploring the difficulties of democratic citizenship and civil society that concerned arendt jeffrey isaac deals with issues of pressing contemporary relevance he looks at the eastern and central european revolutions of 1989 the future of democracy in america and the ethical significance of bosnian genocide

Designing in Dark Times 2020-11-12 the architectural historian and critic kenneth frampton never recovered from the force of hannah arendt's teaching at the new school in new york the philosopher richard j bernstein considers her the most perceptive political theorist and observer of dark times a concept which drawing from brecht she made her own building on the revival of interest in hannah arendt and on the increasing turn in design towards the expanded field of the social this unique book uses insights and quotations drawn from arendt's major writings the human condition the origins of totalitarianism men in dark times to assemble a new kind of lexicon for politics designing and acting today taking 56 terms from action beginnings and creativity through mortality natality and play to superfluity technology and violence and inviting designers and scholars of design world wide to contribute designing in dark times an arendtian lexicon offers up an extraordinary range of short essays that use moments and quotations from arendt's thought as the starting points for reflection on how these terms can be conceived for contemporary design and political praxis neither simply dictionary nor glossary the lexicon brings together designing and

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Governance in Dark Times 2008-03-06 with the rush of calamitous events in recent years the september 11 terror attacks the iraq imbroglio and hurricanes katrina and rita americans feel themselves to be living in dark times trust in one another and in the government is at low ebb people in public service face profound challenges to the meaning and efficacy of their work where can a public servant turn for a public philosophy to sustain practice inspired by hannah arendt and several other philosophers governance in dark times is the first book to explore the philosophical and value underpinnings needed to guide public servants in these times featuring down to earth discussions of such issues as terrorism torture and homeland security it suggests ways for people in government to think more deeply judge more wisely and act more meaningfully camilla stivers argues that the most urgent requirement in dark times is re kindling what arendt called the light of the public and offers practical steps for public servants to create spaces for citizen dialogue and engagement in public life ideas like governance of the common ground and public service as social hope will spark discussion and encourage renewed dedication to the work of governing grounded in the author s more than thirty years of teaching and administrative practice governance in dark times urges public servants in clear jargon free prose to reflect to understand the world we live in and to act responsibly both individually and with fellow citizens

Dreaming in Dark Times 2017-03-28 what do dreams manage to say or indeed show about human experience that is not legible otherwise can the disclosure of our dream life be understood as a form of political avowal to what does a dream attest and to whom blending psychoanalytic theory with the work of such political thinkers as hannah arendt and michel foucault sharon sliwinski explores how the disclosure of dream life represents a special kind of communicative gesture a form of unconscious thinking that can serve as a potent brand of political intervention and a means for resisting sovereign power each chapter centers on a specific dream plucked from the historical record slowly unwinding the significance of this extraordinary disclosure from wilfred owen and lee miller to frantz fanon and nelson mandela sliwinski shows how each of these figures grappled with dream life as a means to conjure up the courage to speak about dark times here dreaming is defined as an integral political exercise a vehicle for otherwise unthinkable thoughts and a wellspring for the freedom of expression dreaming in dark times defends the idea that dream life matters that attending to this thought landscape is vital to the life of the individual but also vital to our shared social and political worlds

Hannah Arendt, Politics, Conscience, Evil 1984 hannah arendt was born in germany in 1906 and lived in america from 1941 until her death in 1975 thus her life spanned the tumultuous years of the twentieth century as did her thought she did not consider herself a philosopher though she studied and maintained close relationships with two great philosophers karl jaspers and martin heidegger throughout their lives she was a thinker in search not of metaphysical truth but of the meaning of appearances and events she was a questioner rather than an answerer and she wrote what she thought principally to encourage others to think for themselves fearless of the consequences of thinking arendt found courage woven in each and every strand of human freedom in 1951 she published the origins of totalitarianism in 1958 the human condition in 1961 between past and future in 1963 on revolution and eichmann in jerusalem in 1968 men in dark times in 1970 on violence in 1972 crises of the republic and in 1978 posthumously the life of the mind starting at the turn of the twenty first century schocken books has published a series of collections of arendt s unpublished and uncollected writings of which thinking without a banister is the fifth volume the title refers to arendt s description of her experience of thinking an activity she indulged without any of the traditional religious moral political or philosophic pillars of support the book s contents are varied the essays lectures reviews interviews speeches and editorials taken together manifest the relentless activity of her mind as well as her character acquainting the reader with the person arendt was and who has hardly yet been appreciated or understood edited and with an introduction by jerome kohn

Thinking Without a Banister 2018-03-06 the architectural historian and critic kenneth frampton never recovered from the force of hannah arendt s teaching at the new school in new york the philosopher richard j bernstein considers her the most perceptive political theorist and observer of dark times a concept which drawing from brecht she made her own building on the revival of interest in hannah arendt and on the increasing turn in design towards the expanded field of the social this unique book uses insights and quotations drawn from arendt s major writings the human condition the origins of totalitarianism men in dark times to assemble a new kind of lexicon for politics designing and acting today taking 56 terms from action beginnings and creativity through mortality natality and play to superfluity technology and violence and inviting designers and scholars of design world wide to contribute designing in dark times an arendtian lexicon offers up an extraordinary range of short essays that use moments and quotations from arendt s thought as the starting points for reflection on how these terms can be conceived for contemporary design and political praxis neither simply dictionary nor glossary the lexicon brings together designing and political philosophy to begin to create a new language for acting and designing against dark times

Designing in Dark Times 2020-11-12 a timely defense of liberalism that draws vital lessons from its greatest midcentury proponents today liberalism faces threats from across the

political spectrum while right wing populists and leftist purists righteously violate liberal norms theorists of liberalism seem to have little to say in liberalism in dark times joshua cherniss issues a rousing defense of the liberal tradition drawing on a neglected strand of liberal thought assaults on liberalism a political order characterized by limits on political power and respect for individual rights are nothing new early in the twentieth century democracy was under attack around the world with one country after another succumbing to dictatorship while many intellectuals dismissed liberalism as outdated unrealistic or unworthy a handful of writers defended and reinvigorated the liberal ideal including max weber raymond aron albert camus reinhold niebuhr and isaiah berlin each of whom is given a compelling new assessment here building on the work of these thinkers cherniss urges us to imagine liberalism not as a set of policies but as a temperament or disposition one marked by openness to complexity willingness to acknowledge uncertainty tolerance for difference and resistance to ruthlessness in the face of rising political fanaticism he persuasively argues for the continuing importance of this liberal ethos

Liberalism in Dark Times 2023-02-21 jacqueline rose s new book begins with three remarkable women revolutionary socialist rosa luxemburg german jewish painter charlotte salomon persecuted by family tragedy and nazism film icon and consummate performer marilyn monroe together these women have a shared story to tell as they blaze a trail across some of the most dramatic events of the last century revolution totalitarianism the american dream enraged by injustice they are each in touch with what is most painful about being human bound together by their willingness to bring the unspeakable to light taking the argument into the present are today s women courageous individuals involved in some of the cruellest realities of our times grappling with the reality of honour killing notably through the stories of shafiea ahmed fadime sahindal and heshu yones rose argues that the work of feminism is far from done in the final three chapters she celebrates the work of three brilliant contemporary artists esther shalev gerz yael bartana and thérèse oulton whose work grows out of an unflinching engagement with all that is darkest in the modern world women in dark times shows us how these visionary women offer a new template for feminism taking their stand against the iniquities of our times they tread a path between public and private pain confronting us with what we need most urgently but also often cannot bear to see

Women in Dark Times 2014-09-11 through a series of penetrating conversations originally published in the new york times and the los angeles review of books brad evans and natasha lennard talk with a wide range of cutting edge thinkers including oliver stone simon critchley and elaine scarry to explore the problem of violence in everyday life politics culture media language memory and the environment to bring out the best of us writes evans we have to confront the worst of what humans are capable of doing to one another in short there is a need to confront the intolerable realities of violence in this world these lively in depth exchanges among historians theorists and artists offer a timely and bracing look at how the increasing expression and acceptance of violence in all strata of society has become a defining feature of our times many of us live today with a pervasive sense of unease worried that our own safety is at risk or that of our loved ones or that of people whose bad circumstances appear to us through networked media violence feels ever present natasha lennard and brad evans help us to analyze those feelings talking with a wide range of thinkers in order to gain insight into the worst of what humans do and challenging us to imagine a world in which violence is no longer a given their book is full of surprising insights and intelligent compassion sarah leonard co editor of the future we want radical ideas for the new century in violence brad evans and natasha lennard have created alongside their interview subjects a kaleidoscopic exploration of the concept of violence in terrains expected and not in prose taut and unexpectedly gorgeous their philosophical rigor provides the reader with an intellectual arsenal against the violence of the current moment molly crabapple author of drawing blood we would be wise to read this collection with a similar eye toward service and in so doing open ourselves up to the rare mercy of no longer having to stand on our own alana massey author of all the lives i want the range of interviews with leading academics to filmmakers and artists is impressive at once immediate and relevant but also profoundly philosophical more essentially though the conversations underline the need and suggest ways to resist and organize in a visionary way in the extraordinary times we live in razia iqbal bbc news notable contemporary thinkers and creators give their individual perspectives in this compelling look at violence a provocative volume that challenges humanity to correct its runaway course toward an increasingly violent future by learning from its violent past kirkus reviews the purpose of the work is to challenge humanity to create more meaningful solutions when it comes to these kinds of violence or at least to name violence without inadvertently inciting even more anger passion roars through every chapter this book delivers on what it promises which is an achievement alison gately the los angeles review of books if you wish to read the intellectualization of violence violence is a phenomenal anthology brad evans and natasha lennard the interviewers and the authors of the anthology have done a remarkable job in bringing together perceptive and intelligent contributors from various fields to scout the reaches of violence their piercing questions brought out brilliant responses from the interviewees l ali khan new york journal of books violence humans in dark times is an intriguing beginning to a much needed sustained intellectual and aesthetic response to the horrors of modern times zoe vorsino

Violence 2018-12-04 hannah arendt is one of the most renowned political thinkers of the twentieth century and her work has never been more relevant than it is today born in germany in 1906 arendt published her first book at the age of twenty three before turning away from the world of academic philosophy to reckon with the rise of the third reich after world war ii arendt became one of the most prominent and controversial public intellectuals of her time publishing influential works such as the origins of totalitarianism the human condition and eichmann in jerusalem samantha rose hill weaves together new biographical detail archival documents poems and correspondence to reveal a woman whose passion for the life of the mind was nourished by her love of the world

Hannah Arendt 2021-08-16 in her renowned and provocative essay the crisis in education hannah arendt observed that a crisis becomes a disaster only when we respond to it with preformed judgements that is with prejudices taken as a whole arendt s work provides an enduring provocation to think and to make judgements about education and the issues that impact on it such as political economic and cultural disruption and uncertainty drawing together the leading thinkers on arendtian ideas and education this collection explores the role and promise education can have in preparing the future generation to understand to think about and to act within the world concluding the same essay on the crisis in education arendt declared education to be the point at which love for the world meets love for those who are newcomers to it the authors respond to arendt s call for responsibility and authority in education providing a leading edge thinking analysis and agenda setting for public education systems and the world in dark times

Hannah Arendt on Educational Thinking and Practice in Dark Times 2020-02-20 the controversial journalistic analysis of the mentality that fostered the holocaust from the author of the origins of totalitarianism sparking a flurry of heated debate hannah arendt s authoritative and stunning report on the trial of german nazi leader adolf eichmann first appeared as a series of articles in the new yorker in 1963 this revised edition includes material that came to light after the trial as well as arendt s postscript directly addressing the controversy that arose over her account a major journalistic triumph by an intellectual of singular influence eichmann in jerusalem is as shocking as it is informative an unflinching look at one of the most unsettling and unsettled issues of the twentieth century

Eichmann in Jerusalem 2006-09-22 edgework brings together seven of wendy brown s most provocative recent essays in political and cultural theory they range from explorations of politics post 9 11 to critical reflections on the academic norms governing feminist studies and political theory edgework is also concerned with the intellectual and political value of critique itself it renders contemporary the ancient jurisprudential meaning of critique as krisis in which a tear in the fabric of justice becomes the occasion of a public sifting or thoughtfulness the development of criteria for judgment and the inauguration of political renewal or restoration each essay probes a contemporary problem the charge of being unpatriotic for dissenting from u s foreign policy the erosion of liberal democracy by neoliberal political rationality feminism s loss of a revolutionary horizon and seeks to grasp the intellectual impasse the problem signals as well as the political incitement it may harbor

Edgework 2009-01-10 an urban neighborhood remakes itself every day and unmakes itself too houses and stores and streets define it in one way but it s also people the people who make it their home some eagerly others grudgingly a neighborhood can thrive or it can decline and neighbors move in and move out sometimes they stay but withdraw behind fences and burglar alarms if a neighborhood becomes no longer a place of sociability and street life but of privacy indoors and fearful distrust outdoors is it still a neighborhood in the late 1960s and 1970s carlo rotella grew up in chicago s south shore neighborhood a place of neat bungalow blocks and desolate commercial strips and sharp sometimes painful social contrasts in the decades since the hollowing out of the middle class has left residents confronting or avoiding each other across an expanding gap that makes it ever harder for them to recognize each other as neighbors rotella tells the stories that reveal how that happened stories of deindustrialization and street life stories of gorgeous apartments with vistas onto lake michigan and of section 8 housing vouchers held by the poor at every turn south shore is a study in contrasts shaped and reshaped over the past half century by individual stories and larger waves of change that make it an exemplar of many american urban neighborhoods talking with current and former residents and looking carefully at the interactions of race and class persistence and change rotella explores the tension between residents deep investment of feeling and resources in the physical landscape of south shore and their hesitation to make a similar commitment to the community of neighbors living there blending journalism memoir and archival research the world is always coming to an end uses the story of one american neighborhood to challenge our assumptions about what neighborhoods are and to think anew about what they might be if we can bridge gaps and commit anew to the people who share them with us tomorrow is another ending

The World Is Always Coming to an End 2019-04-26 today sees the rise of nationalism the return of totalitarian parties in europe to electoral success and the rise of the alt right and white supremacists in the us psychoanalyst jonathan sklar brings his understanding of cruelty sadomasochism perversion and other mental mechanisms to shine a light on what has led to this unlike most current news outlets sklar goes against the grain of brief sound bites which are an aid to pass quickly over painful knowledge instead he goes into detail to give

extremely dark occurrences and the human beings affected respect and understanding this gives the reader the ability to make unconscious things more conscious highlighting the quality of humanity in human beings listening to these stories enables us to become more aware by ridding ourselves of the illusions of our political times we can find greater freedom to think develop challenge and create hope for the future of our children and our grandchildren as well as for ourselves dark times is a timely thought provoking and at times upsetting work that is a must read for all those looking for a deeper understanding of today's world

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Hannah Arendt on Educational Thinking and Practice in Dark Times 2020-02-20 anna rowlands offers a guide to the main time periods key figures documents and themes of thinking developed as catholic social teaching cst a wealth of material has been produced by the catholic church during its long history which considers the implications of scripture doctrine and natural law for the way these elements live together in community most particularly in the tradition of social encyclicals dating from 1891 rowlands takes a fresh approach in weaving overviews of the central principles with the development of thinking on political community and democracy migration and integral ecology and by considering the increasingly critical questions concerning the role of cst in a pluralist and post secular context as such this book offers both an incisive overview of this distinctive body of catholic political theology and a new and challenging contribution to the debate about the transformative potential of cst in contemporary society

Towards a Politics of Communion 2021-12-02 the bestselling hardcover novel of the year publishers weekly from the number one bestselling author of the nightingale and the great alone comes a powerful american epic about love and heroism and hope set during the great depression a time when the country was in crisis and at war with itself when millions were out of work and even the land seemed to have turned against them my land tells its story if you listen the story of our family texas 1921 a time of abundance the great war is over the bounty of the land is plentiful and america is on the brink of a new and optimistic era but for elsa wolcott deemed too old to marry in a time when marriage is a woman's only option the future seems bleak until the night she meets rafe martinelli and decides to change the direction of her life with her reputation in ruin there is only one respectable choice marriage to a man she barely knows by 1934 the world has changed millions are out of work and drought has devastated the great plains farmers are fighting to keep their land and their livelihoods as crops fail and water dries up and the earth cracks open dust storms roll relentlessly across the plains everything on the martinelli farm is dying including elsa's tenuous marriage each day is a desperate battle against nature and a fight to keep her children alive in this uncertain and perilous time elsa like so many of her neighbors must make an agonizing choice fight for the land she loves or leave it behind and go west to california in search of a better life for her family the four winds is a rich sweeping novel that stunningly brings to life the great depression and the people who lived through it the harsh realities that divided us as a nation and the enduring battle between the haves and the have nots a testament to hope resilience and the strength of the human spirit to survive adversity the four winds is an indelible portrait of america and the american dream as seen through the eyes of one indomitable woman whose courage and sacrifice will come to define a generation

The Four Winds 2021-02-02 a genre breaking insight into one of the greatest thinkers of the 20th century stylist's emerald street incredible deborah levy a hero of political thought the largely unsung and often misunderstood hannah arendt is perhaps best known for her landmark book the origins of totalitarianism arendt led an extraordinary life having endured nazi persecution firsthand she fled across europe coming to live in a world inhabited by such luminaries as marc chagall marlene dietrich albert einstein and sigmund freud she ultimately sacrificed her unique genius for philosophy and her love of a much compromised man the philosopher and nazi sympathiser martin heidegger for what she called love of the world strikingly illustrated this compassionate and timely biography illuminates the life of a complex controversial deeply flawed yet irrefutably courageous woman whose experiences and writings shine a light on how to live as an individual and a public citizen in troubled times

The Three Escapes of Hannah Arendt 2018-10-18 political change doesn't always begin with a bang it often starts with just a whisper from the discussions around kitchen tables that led to the dismantling of the soviet bloc to the more recent emergence of internet initiatives like moveon.org and redeem the vote that are revolutionizing the american political landscape consequential political life develops in small spaces where dialogue generates political power in the politics of small things jeffrey goldfarb provides an innovative way for

understanding politics a way of appreciating the significance of politics at the micro level by comparatively analyzing key turning points and institutions in recent history he presents a sociology of human interactions that lead from small to large dissent around the old soviet bloc life on the streets in warsaw prague and bucharest in 1989 the network of terror that spawned 9 11 and the religious and internet mobilizations that transformed the 2004 presidential election to name a few in such pivotal moments he masterfully shows political autonomy can be generated presenting alternatives to the big politics of the global stage and the dominant narratives of terrorism antiterrorism and globalization

The Politics of Small Things 2008-11-15 two titans of twentieth century thought their lives loves ideas and politics shaking up the content and method by which generations of students had studied western philosophy martin heidegger sought to ennoble man s existence in relation to death yet in a time of crisis he sought personal advancement becoming the most prominent german intellectual to join the nazis hannah arendt his brilliant beautiful student and young lover sought to enable a decent society of human beings in relation to one other she was courageous in the time of crisis years later she was even able to meet heidegger once again on common ground and to find in his past behavior an insight into nazism that would influence her reflections on the banality of evil a concept that remains bitterly controversial and profoundly influential to this day but how could arendt have renewed her friendship with heidegger and how has this relationship affected her reputation as a cultural critic in stranger from abroad daniel maier katkin offers a compassionate portrait that provides much needed insight into this relationship maier katkin creates a detailed and riveting portrait of arendt s rich intellectual and emotional life shedding light on the unique bond she shared with her second husband heinrich blücher and on her friendships with mary mccarthy w h auden karl jaspers and randall jarrell all fascinating figures in their own right an elegant accessible introduction to arendt s life and work stranger from abroad makes a powerful and hopeful case for the lasting relevance of arendt s thought

Stranger from Abroad: Hannah Arendt, Martin Heidegger, Friendship and Forgiveness 2010-03-22 this book brings together the most important figures in the evolution of critical pedagogy to provide comprehensive analyses of issues related to the struggle against the forces of neoliberalism and the imperial induced privatization not just in education but in all of social life through the radical democratizing forces of critical pedagogy

Critical Pedagogy in Uncertain Times 2012-02-07 four thought provoking political essays by the author of the origins of totalitarianism taking an in depth look at the tumult of the 1960s and 70s one of the great political philosophers of our era examines how these crises challenged the american form of government lying in politics is a penetrating analysis of the pentagon papers that deals with the role of image making and public relations civil disobedience examines various opposition movements from the freedom riders to the war resisters to the segregationists and in two additional essays hannah arendt delves into issues of revolution and violence wise and insightful these pieces offer historical perspective on problems and controversies that still plague the united states in the twenty first century

Crises of the Republic 1972-05-10 danny callaghan is just out of jail and enjoying a quiet drink in a dublin pub when two men walk in with guns on impulse he intervenes to rescue the intended victim petty criminal walter bennett and finds himself dragged into dublin s murky underworld as the police grope for answers and danny struggles to protect those he loves the rising tensions between the gangs threaten to erupt into a bloody showdown dark times in the city portrays a society stumbling from prosperity to uncertainty where cocaine and easy money have fuelled a ruthless gang culture and a man s impulsive decency may cost him the lives of those who matter most

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