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New Books



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Reference

Cohen-Tanugi, Laurent PS 327 Coh
**An Alliance at Risk:
The United States and Europe
since September 11**
Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press,
2003. 141 p.

Cohen-Tanugi begins by placing global anti-Americanism in historical perspective and tracing the evolution and progressive alteration of European-American relations from the postwar period to the Iraqi crisis.

DeParle, Jason PS 362.5 DeP
**American Dream: Three Women,
Ten Kids and a Nation's Drive
to End Welfare**
New York, NY: Viking, 2004. 422 p.

With clear eyes and an open mind, DeParle travels between the politicians who wrote the bill and the poor people who lived it. He spent seven years tracking an unforgettable set of characters caught in its wake.

**Dictionary of Military Terms:
A Guide to the Language of
Warfare and Military Institutions** R 355.033 Dic
New York, NY: H. W. Wilson, 2003. 271 p.

In this new edition some new entries were added as well as new terms, mostly to encompass developments since the mid-1980s, including the war on terrorism, and to expand coverage of terms relating to the air force, surface navy, submarines, and intelligence.

Encyclopedia of Associations, R 060 Enc
42nd ed.
Farmington Hills, MI: Thomson Gale, 2005. 3 v.

The *Encyclopedia of Associations* is a comprehensive guide to more than 22,000 non-profit American membership organizations of national scope.

**The European Union:
Encyclopedia and Directory** R 940 Eur
New York, NY: Europa Publications, 2004. 650 p.

This encyclopedia provides information about the institutions of the EU and other operations, acronyms, terms, treaties, Member States, policies, and people who have played an important role in the EU's formation, and the countries and international organizations of relevance to the Union.

Gordon, Philip H. PS 956.704 Gor
**Allies at War: America, Europe,
and The Crisis over Iraq**
New York, NY: McGraw-Hill, 2004. 266 p.

In *Allies at War*, Philip Gordon and Jeremy Shapiro provide answers to critical questions about the current crisis in US-European relations and its implications for the future, demonstrating that a new transatlantic compact is both possible and necessary for our common security.

Historic Documents of 2004 R 973 His
Washington, DC: CQ Press, 2005. 1084 p.

Historic Documents of 2004 chronicles and explains the important events of the year through more than eighty carefully selected documents from around the world. Includes cumulative index, 2000-2004.

**International Motion Picture
Almanac** R 791.45 Int
Groton, MA: Quigley, 2004. 1090 p.

This almanac includes sections on features films, producers and distributors, production services, professional organizations and government offices, as well as a section on entertainment industry biographies.

**International Television &
Video Almanac** R 791.45 Int
Groton, MA: Quigley, 2005. 961 p.

This almanac includes sections on television series and movies, stations and media sales, networks, producers, distributors and programs, video producers and distributors, professional organizations and government offices.

Kaplan, Lawrence S. R 355.031 Kap
**NATO Divided, NATO United:
The Evolution of an Alliance**
Westport, CT: Praeger, 2004. 165 p.

This book is a history of NATO that concentrates on the differences within the alliance, particularly between the United States and its European partners.

**McGraw-Hill Yearbook of
Science & Technology** R 505 McG
New York, NY: McGraw-Hill, 2005. 426 p.

The *2005 McGraw-Hill Yearbook of Science and Technology* provides a broad overview of important recent developments in science, technology and engineering as selected by the board of consulting editors.

