Abraham Lincoln: In His Own Words.
Teaching Co. (1999)
Presents an analysis of the speeches of Abraham Lincoln.
pt. 1.
lecture 1. Lincoln and rhetoric
lecture 2. The Lyceum speech, 1838
lecture 3. The temperance speech, 1842
lecture 4. Lincoln as a young Whig
lecture 5. Lincoln returns to politics
lecture 6. The Peoria speech, 1854
lecture 7. Lincoln's rhetoric and politics, 1854-1857
lecture 8. The Springfield speech, 1857
lecture 9. The House divided speech, 1858
lecture 10. The Chicago speech, July 1858
lecture 11. The Springfield speech, July 1858
lecture 12. The debate about the debates
pt. 2.
lecture 13. The Lincoln-Douglas debates I
lecture 14. The Lincoln-Douglas debates II
lecture 15. The Lincoln-Douglas debates III
lecture 16. The aftermath of the debates
lecture 17. Lincoln's 1859 speeches
lecture 18. The Cooper Union speech, 1860
lecture 19. The campaign of 1860
lecture 20. The first inaugural address
lecture 21. Justifying the war
lecture 22. Moving toward emancipation
lecture 23. Lincoln at Gettysburg
lecture 24. Lincoln's last speeches
12 sound cassettes + 2 course guides
E457.92 1999 pt 1 & 2

Abu Gharib: A Torturer's Tale.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
“Javal Davis was imprisoned for assaulting inmates at Abu Ghraib, but insists he is not a torturer. His fellow MP Ken Davis was never implicated, having reported the abuse to superiors. This program presents in-depth interviews with both men, detailing their side of the story and conveying their disillusionment with Pentagon officials who wanted interrogations pushed "up a notch." Featuring nightmarish descriptions and images from inside the prison--highlighting deplorable conditions endured by inmates and guards alike--the program also includes insight into the mentality of reservist Charles Graner, currently serving a 10-year sentence for Abu Ghraib torture. Some content may be objectionable”—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min.)
DS79.76 .T665 2006

Adam Smith: The Wealth of Nations.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
“This program details Smith's life and traces the impact of his work as Europe began the arduous transition from mercantilism to the laissez-faire philosophy of the Physiocrats. After Smith, labor was seen as the source of a country's wealth, not its stores of gold or silver”—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min)
HB103.S6 A45 2006

An Act of Conscience.
Turning Tide Productions (1997)
Randy Kehler and Betsy Corner of Colrain, Massachusetts publicly refused to pay federal taxes as a protest against war and military spending. As a consequence, their home was seized by U.S. marshals and IRS agents. This documentary chronicles the couple's political and moral five-year struggle to nonviolently resist the seizure of their home, the conflict between them and the young couple that bought the home at government auction for $5,400, and the actions and opinions of the supporters of both couples.
Video Cassette (90 min)
JZ 5584 U6 A37
Address to Congress, Republican Response.
CBS News (1993)
President Bill Clinton's presentation of his economic plan, followed by the Republican response, delivered by House Minority Leader Bob Michel.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 29 min.)
HC 106.8 A33

Films for the Humanities (1996)
Explores the historical roots of affirmative action and the current debate over its usefulness. Looks at several different affirmative action programs today.
Video Cassette (56 min.)
HF 5549.5 A34 A44

Afghanistan: The Great Game.
Cassette
DS 356 A43

Aftershock: Beyond the Civil War.
A&E Television Networks (2007)
In 1866, the year immediately following the end of the war, America was supposed to be reuniting, healing its wounds, and moving past years of civil unrest. However, a closer look into this historic time reveals a sinister snapshot of a discordant nation caught in the midst of deadly race riots and angry insurgencies. Examines the disturbing reality behind the murder, terrorism, and chaos that marked the uncertain period of Reconstruction in America.
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)
E185.2 .A37 2007

The Age of AIDS.
PBS Home Video (2006)
Part one follows the trail of a medical mystery which began in 1981 when five gay men in Los Angeles were diagnosed with a deadly new disease. Traces the international response in the first years of the epidemic, contrasting moments of inspirational leadership with the tragedy of missed opportunities. Reveals the astounding spread of the infection to over 70 million infections in 2006. Part two explores the chasm that emerged between rich and poor following the development of the miraculous "triple cocktail" HIV treatment. While the discovery seemed to signal a new era in which AIDS was no longer a fatal disease, the high price of the drugs meant they were unaffordable to patients in developing nations. Also examines the next wave of the AIDS epidemic in some of the most populous and strategically important nations in the world, including Russia, India and China, and tracks the same pattern of official denial and political indifference that characterized the epidemic in so many other countries.
1 videodisc (240 min.)
RA643.8 .A27 2006

The Age of Terror.
Films for the Humanities and Sciences (2003)
"Who are the men and women who bring bloody death to innocent civilians? Why do they do it? What are their methods? And how do they justify it? This emotionally charged four-part series provides unprecedented interviews with dozens of bombers, gunmen, hijackers, kidnappers, and radical leaders as it scrutinizes key terror campaigns that changed the course of modern history, right up to the destruction of the World Trade Center"—Container
[pt. 1] In the name of liberation (49:00)
[pt. 2] In the name of revolution (48:00)
[pt. 3] In the name of God (49:00)
[pt. 4] In the name of the state (48:00)
4 videodiscs (194 min.)
HV6431 .A34 2003 pts.1 – 4

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AIDS Warriors: Confronting Africa’s Health Crisis.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
Details the struggle against AIDS in Angola, with particular emphasis on the role of the armed forces in AIDS prevention.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
RA643.86.A5 A33 2006

Al Qaeda’s New Front.
PBS Video (2005)
As Al Qaeda terrorist cells are uncovered in the U.K., Germany, Italy and Spain, Frontline investigates the new front in the war on terror: Europe. It discusses the challenges of intelligence services on both sides of the Atlantic, which has been exacerbated by political division over the Iraq war.
1 videodisc (56 min.)
HV6433.M52 Q32 2005

Albanian Journey: End of an Era.
Cinema Guild (1991)
Explores the rise and fall of socialism in Albania. Contrasts life as it appeared before and after the July, 1990, events when five thousand people stormed foreign embassies and left the country. Visits refugee camps in Brindisi and follows the elections of March, 1991.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DR 977 A43

Alexander Hamilton.
WGBH Educational Foundation (2007)
One of the most controversial men of his age, Alexander Hamilton was a gifted statesman brought down by the fatal flaws of stubbornness, extreme candor, and arrogance. His life and career were marked by power, scandal, and tragedy.
pt. 1. An obsession with honor
pt. 2. An odd destiny
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)
E302.6.H2 A124 2007

Ambush in Mogadishu.
WGBH Educational Foundation
Discusses what went wrong with the peacekeeping mission in Mogadishu. On Oct. 3, 1993, elite units of the U.S. Army's Rangers and Delta Force were pinned down on the streets of Mogadishu by forces of Somali warlord, Mohammed Farah Aidid. Eighteen American soldiers died and seventy-five were wounded. The incident caused the U.S. to rethink its response to the world’s humanitarian crises.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 30 min.)
DT407.42 .A43 1998

America Held Hostage: The Iran Crisis.
MPI Home Video
In November, 1979, fanatical supporters of the Ayatollah Khomeini stormed the U.S. embassy in Tehran, taking everyone captive and holding 52 of them hostage for 444 days. ABC News.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 183.8 I55 A44

America, Love It or Leave It.
PBS Video (1990)
Chronicles the exodus of American draft resisters and deserters to Canada during the Vietnam War.
1 videocassette (57 min.)
DS559.8.D7 A42

America, Love it or Leave It.
Getaway Films, [200-?]
During the Vietnam War the largest ever exodus of political refugees took place. 125,000 Americans fled to Canada as draft resisters and deserters. Now twenty years later this documentary examines the impact of this migration on both Canada and the United States.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
DS559.8.D7 A42 2000z

America, 200 Years and Counting.
PBS (1995)
Explores the current state of democracy and the changing relationship between citizens and their government. Discusses welfare, guns, land disputes, affirmative action and immigration.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 1726 A44

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An American Ism: Joe McCarthy.
First Run Icarus Films (1978)
Examines one of the most feared and powerful politicians of the 20th century. Reveals much about the nature and fragility of American democracy.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 24 min.)
E 748 M143 A44

American National Government.
Annenberg CPB Project (1988)
Designed to give you an accurate understanding of our American system of government, its principles, processes, relationships, and institutions. Explains how policy is made, the role of the three branches of government in that process, and the various influences of political parties, the mass media, social movements, and interest groups on public policy.
6 Cassettes
Study Guide (129 p.)
Faculty Guide (62 p.)
JK 421 A54

American Outrage.
First Run Features, 2008
Documents the Dann sisters heroic fight for their land rights, and their human rights after the government sued them for trespassing and their dispute went to the Supreme Court, and then eventually the United Nations.
1 videodisc (56 min.)
HD1251 A44 2008

The American President.
PBS Home Video/Warner Home Video
Ten one-hour documentaries that focus on different aspects of character and governing style of the men who have served as President of the United States.
Family ties (J.Q. Adams, B. Harrison, F. Roosevelt, Kennedy) ; episode 2.
Happenstance (Tyler, Fillmore, A. Johnson, Arthur, Truman)
The professional politician (Van Buren, Buchanan, Lincoln, L. Johnson)
The American way (Jefferson, Coolidge, Hoover, Reagan) ; episode 6. The world stage (Monroe, McKinley, Wilson, Bush)
Compromise choices (Pierce, Garfield, Harding, Ford)
Vol. 5: An office and its powers: episode 9. Expanding power (Jackson, Cleveland, T. Roosevelt, Nixon) ; episode 10. The balance of power (Madison, Polk, Taft, Clinton)
5 Video Cassettes (2 hrs. ea)
E176.1 A656 2000

American Presidents’ Life Portraits Series.
C-SPAN
44 Video Cassettes
See American Presidents Bibliography for individual running times and Call Numbers

Bullfrog Films, 2007
Is there an American ruling class, and if so, how do you join? Two hapless Yale grads embark on a star-studded journey of meetings with America’s establishment to unearth some uncomfortable answers and find out the truth about what the future really holds for them. A dramatic, musical, documentary satire on class in America that attempts to answer the question “Who rules America?”
1 videodisc (89 min.) + 1 leaflet
HN90.E4 A44 2007

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
America's Immigration Debate.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2005)
Examines the pro and con views of the American immigration debate. Studies the isolation of ethnic communities, the shifting of racial definitions, and America's lack of an infrastructure to support immigrant integration.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
JV6483 .A44 2005

America's Leading Dissenter: Noam Chomsky.
Films for the Humanities (1994)
Chomsky shares his thoughts about the meaning of protest today. He discusses the decline of political democracy and his admiration for the common sense and creativity of ordinary people.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
P 85 C47 N58

AIMS Media
Shows the terms of Kennedy and Johnson and their efforts toward civil rights, "The Great Society, and the volatility of society in the 60's and the 70's. Jimmy Carter's troubled administration resulted in lost confidence. In 1992 voters found a happy medium in Bill Clinton and his mix of moderate and liberal ideas.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
JK 2316 A44

AIMS Media
Opening with Goldwater's 1960 convention speech, shows how the conservatives gained control of the Republican party. While moderates like Nixon and Ford served in office, conservatives readied themselves to take control.
Video Cassette (52 min.)
JK 2356 A44

Americas.
Annenberg/CPB Collection (1993)
1: The Garden of Forking Paths (Argentina) F 2849.2 G37
2: Capital Sins: Authoritarianism and Democratization (Brazil) F 2510 C36
3: Continent on the Move: Migration and Urbanization (Mexico) HC 135 C65
4: Mirrors of the Heart: Race and Identity (Bolivia, Haiti, Dominican Republic) F 3359 A1 M57
5: In Women's Hands: The Changing Roles of Women (Chile) F 3100 I52
6: Miracles are Not Enough: Continuity and Change in Religion (Brazil, Nicaragua) BR 600 M57
7: Builders of Images: Latin American Cultural Identity (Puerto Rico, Brazil, Mexico, Argentina) F 1408.3 B83
8: Get Up, Stand Up: Problems of Sovereignty (Colombia, Jamaica, Panama) F 1887 G47
9: Fire in the Mind: Revolutions and Revolutionaries (El Salvador, Peru, Mexico, Cuba, Nicaragua) F 1488.3 F55
10. The Latin American & Caribbean Presence in the U.S. (Southern California, Miami, New York City) E 184 S75 A45
10 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
America’s War on Poverty.
PBS (1995)
1. In This Affluent Society: in January 1964, President Johnson declared "unconditional war on poverty", launching a series of initiatives designed to end poverty by creating opportunities.
2. Given a Chance: poverty takes its greatest toll on children. No state in America had poverty as pervasive as Mississippi. In early 1965, the first Head Start program was started, providing poor children with adequate nutrition, healthcare, and education.
3. City of Promise: in Newark, New Jersey, political, business and community leaders formed the UCC and attempted to reclaim the inner city through community action. Newarks’ poor used the support of the government to secure compromises from city administrators.
4. In Service to America: from the coal mines of Appalachia to the farmlands of California, the poor forged partnerships with middle-class students that opened doors for both groups. Students and young people were drawn to programs such as Legal Services and VISTA.
5. My Brother’s Keeper: while the War on Poverty stressed education and training, it had not addressed the growing welfare crisis. Critical issues challenged and divided the nation. What would work? Who deserved a hand?

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And the Pursuit of Happiness.
Criteron Collection (2007)
"In 1986, Louis Malle, himself a transplant to the United States, set out to investigate the ever widening range of immigrant experience in America. Interviewing a variety of newcomers (from teachers to astronauts to doctors) in middle- and working-class communities from coast to coast, Malle paints a generous, humane portrait of their individual struggles in an increasingly polyglot nation"—Container.
1 videodisc (81 min.)
JV6455 .A53 2007

Andrew Jackson: Good, Evil & the Presidency.
PBS Home Video, c2007
This biography explores whether Americans should celebrate Jackson or apologize for him. The program reveals the world of America’s 7th president, who founded the Democratic Party, yet was viewed by his enemies as an American Napoleon. The film contains reenactments, lithographs, letters and the insights of distinguished scholars.
1 videodisc (ca 120 min.)
E382 .A535 2007

Animated Soviet Propaganda: From the October Revolution to Perestroika.
Jove Film Distribution, c2006
From the 1920s to the 1980s, the Soviet regime ordered the production of dozens of animated propaganda films. Their target audience was the Soviet Union itself, and their goal was to win the hearts and minds of the Soviet people. Commentary by leading Soviet film scholars
pt. 1. American imperialists
pt. 2. Fascist barbarians
pt. 3. Capitalist sharks
pt. 4. Onward to the shining future: communism
4 videodiscs (430 min.) + 1 pamphlet
DK278 .A54 2006

Antonio Negri: A Revolt that Never Ends.
First Run/Icarus Films (2004)
Documentary that profiles the life of university professor, Antonio Negri, a leading spokesperson for the international anti-globalization movement.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
CT3990.N45 A58 2004

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Apartheid Part V.
PBS (1987)
For eight days in July 1987, dissident white Afrikaners and black leaders from the outlawed African National Congress met face-to-face to discuss changes in South Africa. They talked about racial violence, the armed struggle, the role of communists in the ANC, and future economic and political structures for a new South Africa.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DT 1056 A63

Arabs and Israel Since 1947.
Films Inc. (1987)
Explains the political, religious, and economic forces that underlie the tensions in the Middle East.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DS 119.7 A73

Arab & Jew: Return to the Promised Land.
PBS Home Video (2002)
Combining new material with interviews that appeared in the original program, "Arab & Jew : wounded spirits in a promised land" this documentary examines the tension between Arabs and Jews living within lands under jurisdiction of the Israeli state, including the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, and explores their prejudices, stereotypes, and interactions.
Distributed by PBS Home Video (2002)
DS119.76 .A65 2002

Area 51: Beyond Top Secret.
A&E Television Network (2005)
The bastion of some of the most top-secret activities in the world is literally impenetrable. It was the original testing site for the atomic bomb and then a high-security aero-engineering cluster. Here its public history ends and after 1968, it simply does not exist. Known by insiders as "Dreamland", Area 51 invokes conjectural theories like no other place. What happens in this zone of the Nevada desert? Through declassified documents and interviews with tenacious researchers and former worker, view the mystery that envelops the Area.
1 videodisc (42 min.)
UG634.5.A74 A74 2005

Arguing the World: A Film.
First Run/Icarus Films (1997)
Traces the lives of Daniel Bell, Nathan Glazer, Irving Howe and Irving Kristol as young idealists at City College in the 1940s, their controversial role in the McCarthy era, their battle with the New Left in the sixties, and their vastly differing political views today.
1 Video Cassette (107 min.)
E184.37 .A134 1997

Arid Lands.
Bullfrog Films, c2007
"A documentary feature about the land and people of the Columbia River Basin in southeastern Washington state. Sixty years ago, the Hanford nuclear site produced plutonium for the atomic bomb dropped on Nagasaki, and today the area is the focus of the largest environmental cleanup in history. It is a landscape of incredible contradictions. Coyotes roam among decommissioned nuclear reactors, salmon spawn in the middle of golf courses, wine grapes grow in the sagebrush, and federal cleanup dollars spur rapid urban expansion. Arid lands takes us into a world of sports fishermen, tattoo artists, housing developers, ecologists, and radiation scientists living and working in the area. It tells the story of how people changed the landscape over time, and how the landscape affected their lives”—Container.
1 videodisc (98 min.)
TD898.12.W2 A75 2007

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Ariel Sharon.  
A&E Television Networks (2002)  
As one of the architects of Israel's West Bank settlement policy, Sharon continuously walks a political tightrope, trying to maintain security, while simultaneously offering Palestinians limited self-determination.  
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)  
DS126.6.S42 A74 2002

The Arming of Iraq.  
Films Inc. (1990)  
Examines how Saddam Hussein built Iraq's massive arsenal of tanks, planes, missiles, and chemical weapons during the 1980s. Investigates the complicity of the U.S., European governments, and western corporations in creating the Iraqi military machine.  
Video Cassette (58 min.)  
DS 79.65 A75

Arms Bazaar.  
Looks at the economics of the conventional arms trade, the political realities that keep it going, and the moral argument that cannot seem to slow it down.  
Cassette (30 min.)  
HD 9743 A2 A74

As Our Friends See Us.  
Presenting European views of America as a partner in political affairs, examines the NATO alliance and the general direction of American foreign policy in the 80s.  
Cassette  
JX 1416 A86

Assassinations that Changed the World.  
A&E Home Video (1996)  
This program looks at history's most notorious public murders.  
2 videocassettes (ca. 200 min.)  
HV6278 .A86 1996

The Atomic Café.  
Docurama 2008  
Recounts a defining period of 20th century history. This is a reminder of cold-war era paranoia in the United States. Presented through a collage of newsreel footage, government archives, military training films, and fifties music. Craftily captures a panicked nation, when fall-out shelter, duck-and-cover drills, and government propaganda were all part of our social.  
2 videodiscs (88 min.)  
D843 .A86 2008

The Atomic Filmmakers: Behind the Scenes.  
Goldhil Video(1998)  
Chronicles the top secret film studio that for over 20 years photographed over 300 nuclear weapons tests.  
Video Cassette (50 min.)  
U 264.3 A88

Avoiding Armageddon: Our Future, Our Choice.  
PBS DVD Video (2003)  
Examines the threats posed by nuclear, chemical and biological weapons. Looks at the connection between terrorism and these weapons. Discusses whether the world has the ability and will to control these weapons.  
4 videodiscs (ca. 480 min.)  
U793 .A86 2003

Baked Alaska.  
Documentary about how rising temperatures and the battle over the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) are impacting life in Alaska.  
1 videodisc (ca. 26 min.)  
QC984.A4 B33 2003

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**Bandits & backhanders**  
Centre for Science and Environment (2005)  
Explores some of the ways corruption is systematically destroying India’s environment. When there is large scale corruption in the nature management sector, people lose respect for nature over a long time. Takes viewers to look at irrational policies (not based on scientific understanding, but on vested interests) in management of rivers, floods, forests, and urban planning; and demonstrates the results of such distorted practices.  
1 videodisc (23 min.)  
HC440.E5 B36 2005

**Barack Obama.**  
A&E Television Networks (2005)  
The democratic political star during the Democratic National Convention in 2004, and now a possible front runner for the candidacy for the President of the United States, in many ways, his story is a unique American tale of the 21st century. Biography travels from Obama’s childhood in Honolulu and Indonesia, to his formative years at Columbia University and Harvard Law School, all the way to his current status as a leading political figure.  
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)  
E901.1.O23 B37 2005

**Barbara Bush: First Mom.**  
Distributed by New Video, (2002)  
Originally broadcast as an episode of the television program Biography in 2001.  
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)  
E883.B87 B37 2002

**La Batalla de Chile: La Lucha de un Pueblo Sin Armas = The Struggle of an Unarmed People.**  
First Run/Icarus Films (199-?)  
A two-part documentary on the fate of Salvador Allende’s Popular Unity government filmed throughout Chile From February to September 1973. Part one examines the escalation of rightist opposition following the left’s victory in congressional elections in March. Part two examines the attempted military coup of June, 1973, and the subsequent successful military assault on the presidential palace that resulted in the installation of Augusto Pinochet.  
2 Video Cassettes (183 min.)  
F3100 .B37 1990z pt.1 – 2

**The Battle For Islam.**  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)  
"The program exposes the tension between pluralistic and hard-liner mentalities growing within the Muslim world, and concludes that moderation and tolerance, rather than zealotry and terror, will ensure the continued strength of the faith"—Container.  
1 videodisc (63 min.)  
BP161.3 .B38 2006

**Battle For the Holy Land.**  
PBS Video (2002)  
Highlights the strategies and violence related to the war between the Israelis and Palestinians.  
1 Video Cassette (60 min.)  
DS119.76 .B37 2002

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The Battle History of the United States Military.
A&E Home Video (2005)
Tells the story of all five branches of the United States military by means of government documents, combat footage and interviews.
[pt.1] The battle history of the United States Marines
[pt.2] The battle history of the United States Navy
[pt.3] The battle history of the United States Army
[pt.5] The battle history of the United States Coast Guard
5 videodiscs (ca. 766 min.)

The Bay of Pigs.
PBS Video
Using documentary footage and eyewitness interviews, this video explores the Bay of Pigs invasion.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
F1788 .B38 1997

Behind the Hatred: Mortal Enemies.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)
Assesses the conflict in the Middle East by profiling the lives of the two men at its center, Israel's Prime Minister Ariel Sharon and the Palestinian Authority's chairman, Yasir Arafat.
1 Video Cassette
DS119.76 .B43 2002

Belgian Congo Independence.
Describes Zaire's progress from colony to democratic republic and its complex problems typical of many new African nations.
Filmstrip
Cassette
Program Guide (12 p.)
DT 652 B44

Ben-Gurion: One Place, One People.
Learning Corp. of America (1986)
The creation of an independent Jewish state in Palestine was the vision and goal of Ben-Gurion. He forged the state of Israel from the Jews' worst crises.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
DS 125.3 B37 B46

Benjamin Franklin.
PBS Home Video (2002)
"Traces Franklin's life from humble beginnings to fame as a scientist, founding father, and America's first diplomat to France."--Container
2 Video Cassettes (ca. 210 min.)
E302.6.F8 B445 2002

Berlin Babylon: Ein Film.
University of California Extension Center for Absolut Medien (2002)
Presented as the opening film of the 2001 Internationalen Filmfestspielen Berlin, this documentary shows the razing of structures damaged during wartime and explains the planning, design, and building of the new city center including the German Historical Museum, Potsdamer Platz, the Jewish Museum, Lehrter Central Station, the Reichstag Dome, and the Academy of Arts. Conversations with architects, politicians, city planners, and construction workers give a detailed definition of the entire scope of the project.
1 videodisc (88 min.)
HT178.G42 B473 2002

Berlin's Hidden History.
A historian leads the viewer through the new Berlin, revealing the many traces of history in a city that served as Frederick the Great's, Bismarck's, and Hitler's capital before it became the front line of the Cold War and the place where the Berlin Wall was built and destroyed."--Container
1 Video Cassette (112 min.)
DD860 .B48 2002

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The Best Campaign Commercials: The Year of the Woman.

London International Advertising Awards (1993)
Video Cassette (40 min.)
Index (2 p.)
JF 2112 A4 B47

The Best Campaign Money Can Buy.
WGBH (1992)
Discusses who the big money contributors to Presidential campaigns are.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 1991 B47 copies 1-2

The Betrayal of Democracy.
PBS (1992)
Examines the divide between the governed and the governing. Examines how the institutions of democracy, including the two political parties and the press, fail the public. Profiles citizens who work for change.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 1764 B48

Beyond Black and White: Affirmative Action in America.
Films for the Humanities (2000)
All sides in the affirmative action debate say that they believe in the Constitutional right to equality regarding race, creed and sex, but they bring very different interpretations to what that means. A distinguished panel of experts discuss this issue.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
HF5549.5.A34 B48 2000

Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2007
Topping the list of issues include Saddam Hussein in Iraq and questions of terrorism and weapons of mass destruction. Then the restructuring of Medicare and Social Security, campaign finance reform, gay rights, a flat income tax and a national sales tax and a fast-track trade authority are discussed.
1 videodisc (39 min.)
E885 .B525 2007

Bill of Rights, Bill of Responsibilities.
Cambridge Educational (1995)
Commentary on historical and modern implications of the Bill of Rights provokes students to consider the responsibilities which accompany those rights. Utilizes today's headlines and pop culture to demonstrate that news is history hot off the press.
Video Cassette (26 min.)
KF 4749 B52

Bill of Rights, Bill of Responsibility.
Cambridge Educational, 2004
Bill Maher of television's "Politically Incorrect" hosts this inquiry into the meaning of the Constitution today. Drawing examples from current events and pop culture, Maher reveals the Constitution as "a living document."
1 videodisc (26 min.)
KF4750 .B54 2004

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A Biography of America.
WGBH Educational Foundation
Explores the human side of American history using first-person narratives, photos, film footage, and documents.
1. New world encounters: The beginnings of America
2. English settlement: New England and Virginia
3. Growth and empire: The best poor man's country in the world
4. The coming of independence—pt. 5. A new system of government
5. Westward expansion: The empire of liberty
6. The rise of capitalism: The unseen hand
7. The reform impulse: Religion and individualism
8. Slavery: The South and slave culture
9. The coming of the Civil War
10. The Civil War: Vicksburg
11. Reconstruction
12. America at its Centennial: The revolution betrayed
13. Industrial supremacy
14. The new city: Planned order and messy vitality
15. The West
16. Capital and labor
17. TR and Wilson: Two faces of power
18. The twenties: The tensions of prosperity
19. FDR and the depression
20. World War II: Total war
21. The fifties: From war to normalcy
22. The sixties: Vietnam and civil rights
24. The redemptive imagination

Bioterror.
WGBH Boston Video (2002)
Judith Miller, Stephen Engelberg, and William Broad, authors of the book Germs: biological weapons and America's secret war, trace the history of "black biology" and investigate U.S. involvement in the development of biological weapons.

Bioterror: The Invisible Enemy.
In the wake of the 2001 anthrax attacks, the U.S. became aware of the real threat of bioterrorism. But which threats are real, which are exaggerated? Discussion focuses on various deadly pathogens, the history of their use, the danger to America's food supply, and lessons of Dark Winter, a simulated bio-attack.

Black Money.
PBS Home Video, c2009
Examines the shady world of international bribery, revealing how multinational companies create slush funds, set up front companies, and make secret payments, all to get billions in business. At the center of this is a controversial, ongoing investigation into the British-based multinational BAE Systems and allegations about billion dollar bribes.

The Blair Decade.
PBS Home Video, c2007
Through eyewitness and insider accounts, this program tells the story of the Prime Minister Tony Blair. This program provides the first authoritative television analysis of Blair's decade in office and the legacy he leaves to his successor Chancellor Gordon Brown.

Blair's War.
PBS Video (2003)
Caught in the center of a high-stakes political storm, British Prime Minister Tony Blair tried to personally bridge the gap between the United States and its European allies - particularly France and Germany - over the war in Iraq. Frontline examines the perilous role Blair has played and the stakes for him and the West should this old alliance fall apart.

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Bloody Sunday.
Recreation of the events of "Bloody Sunday", Jan. 30, 1972, when British troops fired on unarmed protesters in Derry, Northern Ireland. By the end of the day, 13 civilians were dead and 14 more wounded in the tumult and tragedy of Northern Ireland's darkest day.
1 videodisc (110 min.)

Blue Gold: World Water Wars.
Purple Turtle Films 2010
"Wars of the future will be fought over water, as they are today over oil, as the source of all life enters the global marketplace and political arena. Corporate giants, private investors, and corrupt governments vie for control of our dwindling fresh water supply, prompting protests, lawsuits, and revolutions from citizens fighting for the right to survive. Past civilizations have collapsed from poor water management. Will ours too?"—Container
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)
HD1691 .B58 2010

The Blue X Conspiracy.
Video Publishing House (1990)
Highlights an 8 1/2 hour crisis simulation played out by American and Soviet officials. Illustrates basic concepts in crisis management: assessment, leadership, decision making, communication, and crisis resolution.
Video Cassette (48 min.)
Guide
HD 49 K66

Body of War.
Docurama 2008
Directed by Phil Donahue and Ellen Spiro and set to the haunting vocals of Eddie Vedder, this documentary splits its time between Tomas' arduous daily life in Kansas City and the heated Senate debates that led up to the invasion of Iraq in 2002.
1 videodisc (ca. 87 min.)
DS79.76 .B63 2008

Breaking the Bank.
Deep Dish Television (2000)
Documentary on the issues surrounding the protests against the World Trade Organization meeting in Seattle and against the International Monetary Fund and World Bank meetings in Washington D.C.
1 videocassette (74 min.)
HF1385 .B74 2000

Breaking the Trade: The Abolition of Slavery in the British Empire.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, [2005]
Uses dramatic reenactments, readings of Parliamentary minutes, and expert commentary to tell the story of the three men largely responsible for slavery's abolition: William Wilberforce, Granville Sharp, and Thomas Clarkson.
1 videodisc (30 min.)
HT1162 .B725 2005

Bringing Down a Dictator.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)
In 2000, Slobodan Milosevic fought to hold power in Yugoslavia. His opponents were led by a student movement called Otpor! (Serbian for "resistance"), who attacked the regime with ridicule, rock music, and a willingness to be arrested. Their courage and audacity inspired others to overcome their fear and join the fight, leading to Milosevic's fall from power, arrest, and extradition to the Hague to stand trial for crimes against humanity.
Video Cassette (56 min.)
DR1318 .B75 2001

Bringing the Troops Home.
Center for Defense Information (1990)
With the Warsaw Pact crumbling, can most American troops return from Europe? Bush administration supporters advocate keeping sizeable forces overseas, while other experts believe it is time to dramatically reduce the U.S. military presence around the world.
Video Cassette (29 min.)
U 162.6 B75

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**Broken Government: Campaign Killers.**  
CNN Productions (2008)  
As the 2008 presidential campaign heats up, CNN anchor Campbell Brown reports on the rising temperatures -- and the pugilistic punches -- that come with the territory of running for the nation's highest political office. Although Americans say they are turned off by negative political campaigning, attack ads can have an enormous impact on elections. In her first documentary for CNN, Brown examines negative ads, past and present.  
1 videodisc (43 min.)  
JK528 .B76 2008

**The Brooklyn Connection: How to Build a Guerrilla Army.**  
New Video Group (2005)  
Looks at the world of 'gun running' through the story of Albanian immigrant and owner of a Brooklyn roofing company Florin Krasniqi and the guerrilla army he built by transporting weapons from the United States to Kosovo.  
1 videodisc (ca. 53 min.)  
F128.9.A3 S852 2005

**Budrus.**  
Typecast Releasing, [2011]  
They not only save the village, but the Barrier is pushed back behind the Green Line into No Man's Land. In the process, Ayed and Iltezam unleash an inspiring, yet little-known, movement in the Occupied Palestinian Territories that is still gaining ground today. In an action-filled documentary featuring archival footage of this movement from its infancy, Budrus will inspire and challenge audiences worldwide.  
1 videodisc (ca. 82 min.)  
DS119.76 .B83 2011

**Building 2040.**  
METRO  
Metro is the directly elected regional government that serves the residents in Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington counties and the Portland metropolitan area. Examines how the region could grow in the next 50 years and the growth concept adopted by Metro to encourage a more compact urban form.  
Video Cassette (29 min.)  
HT 394 P8 B83

**Buying the War.**  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2007)  
"The Bush administration marketed and sold the war in Iraq to the American people. How and why did the press buy it, and what does that say about the role of journalists in helping the public sort fact from propaganda? In this program, veteran journalist Bill Moyers, award-winning producer Kathleen Hughes, and their investigative team piece together the reporting and political spin that shaped the public mind prior to, during, and following the 2003 invasion. Exposing the disappearance of a watchdog mentality in mainstream newspaper and TV journalism, the documentary also highlights the work of intrepid Knight Ridder reporters who dug beneath the surface of administration claims, only to be drowned out by the drums of war. Further insight comes from journalists Dan Rather, former anchor of CBS evening news; Tim Russert of NBC's Meet the press; Bob Simon of 60 minutes; and Walter Isaacson, former chairman of CNN"—Container.  
1 videodisc (87 min.)  
DS79.76 .B88 2007

**By the People.**  
PBS Home Video, c2006  
A behind-the-scenes documentary on what it takes to put on an American election. Filmed in Indianapolis, Indiana, a blue city in a traditionally red state, shows how a small crew of government employees and a dedicated but aging band of volunteers struggle to make the election possible.  
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)  

**Calcutta.**  
A profile of a city that is the center of the most wide-spread abject urban poverty in the world, yet remains the intellectual, commercial, and cultural center of India.  
Cassette (1 hr.)  
DS 486 C2 C24

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The California Reich.
Paramount Home Video (1986)
Deals with the rebirth of the Nazi movement in America. Filmed inside a Nazi household.
Video Cassette (55 min.)
JK 2391 N372 C35

Cambodia.
Films for the Humanities (1990)
Shows the effects of the Khmer Rouge policy of turning Cambodia into an Iron Age rural economy, the cost of the mass murder and mass starvation and disease, the role of Communist Vietnam as invader and savior of Cambodia, and the likely outcome of the Vietnamese army's departure.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
DS 554.842 C34

Cambodia's Killing Fields.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2003)
"This program scrutinizes U.S. violence against technically neutral Cambodia during the Vietnam War, attacks carried out in an effort to deny a haven for communist forces. The decade of upheaval that followed what has been called the low point in American diplomacy is also addressed, as an allegedly U.S.-backed coup drove Norodom Sihanouk into the arms of China and opened the door to the ruthless Khmer Rouge. Commentary by Emory "Coby" Swank and Noel Deschamps, former U.S. and Australian ambassadors to Cambodia; David Whipple, CIA station head in Cambodia; Lao Mong Hay, of the Khmer Institute of Democracy; and historian Stephen Heder is featured"--.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
DS554.842 .C365 2003

The Camden 28.
First Run Features, 2007
"Camden, New Jersey, summer, 1971. Protests against the Vietnam war are spreading across America. A group of 28 non-violent activists plan to break into a local draft board office and destroy records in an attempt to strike a blow against the system. But a mole has infiltrated their operation and within hours of beginning their mission they are rounded up and arrested by the FBI, under the personal authority of J. Edgar Hoover"—Container.
1 videodisc (83 min.)
DS559.62.N4 C35 2007

Campaign Against Terror.
PBS Video (2002)
Shows the world's response to the September 11th terrorist attacks and discusses the formation of an international coalition against Al Qaeda and the Taliban. Also discusses how this first war of the 21st century was fought.
1 Video Cassette (120 min.)
HV6432.7 .C34 2002

Campaign '88: Speeches From the Conventions.
Educational Video Group (2005)
Presents speeches from the 1988 Democratic and Republican conventions.
2 videodiscs (267 min.)
E880 .C36 2005

Campaign '92.
Baker/Losco Educational Video (1992)
Discusses the '92 presidential campaign. Includes excerpts from speeches and panel discussions of the three candidates, George Bush, Bill Clinton, and Ross Perot.
Video Cassette (30 min.)
JK 526 1992d

Campaign Spending: Money and Media.
Media & Society Seminars (1984)
Examines the role of money in political campaigns and recent Supreme Court rulings in this area. Discusses limits to contributions, the financial demands of political campaigns, political action committees, and public financing.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 1991 C353

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Campaigns, Candidates, and the Presidency.
NewMedia (1995)
Explores the issues and events that shaped the campaigns of America's 42 presidents.
CD ROM
JK 524 C32

Capitalism: A Love Story.
Anchor Bay Entertainment, c2010
Filmmaker Moore examines the history of free-market capitalism in post-Reagan America and questions its efficacy as the basis for the nation's economy.
1 videodisc (127 min.)
HB501 .C242258 2010

Carrier.
PBS Home Video, c2008
Documentary following a core group of subjects from the Admiral of the strike group to the elite fighter pilots to the junior enlisted as they navigate personal conflicts around their jobs, family, faith, patriotism aboard the USS Nimitz deployed to the Persian Gulf in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.
3 videodiscs (ca. 600 min.)
V874.3 .C37 2008

Central America: A 25-Year Retrospective on U.S. Policy.
The shock of the 1959 Cuban Revolution set the tone for U.S. policy in Central America for the next 25 years. Through interviews with Latin American experts, historians, State Dept. personnel, and former officials of Central American countries, offers an understanding of conditions and events in the area, and the impact of U.S. policies on the quality of life there.
Cassette (1 hr.)
F 1436.7 C44

Ceremonial Speaking.
Educational Video Group, c2005
This DVD documents the ceremonial speeches of Madeleine Albright, Betty Siegel, Rose Jensen, Ronald Reagan, Frank R. Mays and George Green.
1 videodisc (89 min.)
PS668 .C47 2005

Challenge of Change: Portraits From Eastern Europe.
Beacon Films (1992)
Discusses what it is like to live in Eastern Europe in times of profound change. Covers the changing economic conditions, the transition to a western style economy, privatization, and foreign investment.
Video Cassette (27 min.)
HC 244 C43

Character Above All.
PBS (1996)
Examines the impact of character on the leadership of 20th century American presidents. Discusses character attributes which contribute to and detract from presidential leadership, and the creation of trust between president and people.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 176.1 C4852

Charlie Rose. [2008-01-10]
Charlie Rose, Inc., [2008]
Dennis Ross, Special Middle East Coordinator under President Clinton, and Ghaith al-Omari, Senior Research Fellow at the New American Foundation, discuss President Bush's trip to the Middle East to try to further the peace initiative. Nobel Peace Prize winner and founder of Grameen Bank Muhammad Yunus discusses his ideas about reducing poverty by means of microfinance and microcredit. He also discusses his idea about social business.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
DS119.76 .C43 2008

El Che.
White Star (1997)
Discusses the life of the Latin American revolutionary Che Guevara including his meeting with Fidel Castro, his travels around the world as Cuba's ambassador, and his leading of guerilla warfare.
Video Cassette (1 hr 37 min.)
F 2849.22 G85 C44
Cheney's Law.
PBS Home Video, c2007

“For three decades, Vice President Dick Cheney has waged a secretive and often bitter battle to expand the power of the presidency. Now in a direct confrontation with Congress, as the administration asserts executive privilege to head off investigations into domestic wiretapping and the firing of U.S. attorneys, Frontline meticulously traces the behind-closed-doors battle within the administration over the power of the presidency and the rule of law”—Container.

1 videodisc (60 min.)
E902 .C44 2007

A Child's Century of War.
First Run/Icarus Films (2001)

From the perspective of children, this documentary takes the viewer on a journey through the past century, examining the way in which modern wars have increasingly threatened and targeted children. Two orphans of the two recent Chechen wars, children growing up on a dangerous street in the West Bank, and abducted, raped, and amputated children of Sierra Leon all tell their stories. This films makes parallel connections with past and present conflicts, with an eye to the future.

1 videocassette (90 min.)
HQ784.W3 C54 2001

Children of the Left: A Story About Family & Politics in America.
New Day Films (1990)

Interviews with "red diaper babies" reveal what it was like growing up on the Left in the 1950s. Shows how children of American Communist Party members responded to their parents associates and the hostility they faced in school and their neighborhoods.

Video Cassette (57 min.)
Guide (15 p.)
HQ 535 C45

Chile: Obstinate Memory.
First Run/Icarus Films (1997)

Patricio Guzman returns to Chile 23 years later and shows his film The Battle of Chile about the military coup of September 11, 1973, when Salvador Allende's democratically-elected government was overthrown by General Augusto Pinochet's army, and the violent counter-revolution that followed, to his old friends and to a student group.

1 Video Cassette (58 min.)
F3100 .C476 1997

China in the Red.
PBS Video (2003)

"The economic reforms that have brought China economic prosperity now threaten the livelihood of many Chinese workers. The Chinese Communist Party can no longer afford to subsidize the factories, and millions of workers are being laid off, with no social safety net to catch them."—Container. Filmed over the course of three years, Frontline tells the stories of 10 Chinese individuals-- factory workers, rural villagers, and a millionaire entrepreneur, caught up in China's effort to modernize its economy.

1 Video Cassette (118 min.)
HC427.95 .C442 2003

China in Transition.
PBS (1994)

China is a complex, closed society in the midst of economic, political and cultural changes. Goes behind the Bamboo Curtain to find out how the changes will affect that country and its relationship with the U.S.

Video Cassette (2 hr. 10 min.)
DS 779.26 C473524

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The Choice 2004
PBS Video (2004)
"As Americans prepare to choose their next president, Frontline offers viewers a special, two-hour dual biography of the two candidates who hope to lead the nation for the next four years ... By eschewing political pundits in favor of insightful comments from friends, families, colleagues, and political adversaries. The Choice 2004 offers viewers - and voters - a chance to see the candidates in a fresh light before the campaign reaches its climax on Election Day"—Container.
1 videodisc (120 min.)
E905 .C56 2004

PBS Home Video, c2008
"The choice 2008 draws on in-depth interviews with the advisers, family and friends closest to these unlikely candidates, as well as with seasoned observers of American politics, who together tell the definitive story of these men and their ascent to their party's nominations"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)

The Civilian Conservation Corps.
WGBH Educational Foundation 2010
Started in 1933 by President Franklin Roosevelt as part of the New Deal, the CCC was used as a way to not only help unemployed Americans, but to help conserve some of the country's forests and parks. Over the next ten years it would employ over 3 million men who planted trees, fought fires, and helped their families financially. Features interviews and archived footage.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
S930 .C56 2010

Clinton at UNLV.
KTNV- TV (1992)
Governor Bill Clinton makes a Presidential campaign speech on the campus of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. He talks about the economy, education, government, health care, environment, etc.
Video Cassette (8 min.)
E 884 C54

Clinton Impeachment Trial.
CNN (1999)
Three days of the impeachment trial of President Bill Clinton held in the Senate. The charges had to do with Clinton's sexual relationship with White House intern Monica Lewinsky and the subsequent cover-up. Includes comments by C-SPAN reporters and comments from viewers.
[pt.1.] 1/15/99 (ca. 5 hrs., 20 min.)
[pt.2.] 1/20/99 (ca. 4 hrs., 51 min.)
[pt.3.] 1/21/99 (ca. 5 hrs., 28 min.)
3 Video Cassettes (ca. 1039 min.)
KF5076.C57 C55 1999 pts. 1 - 3

(Clinton) President Clinton's Speech.
(Grand Jury Testimony)
(1998)
President Bill Clinton discusses his testimony before the grand jury on his relationship with White House intern Monica Lewinsky. Includes comments from reporters before and after the speech and comments after the speech from a political scientist.
Video Cassette (12 min.)
E886.2 .O34 1998

The Clinton Years
PBS Video
Follows Bill Clinton's campaign for the presidency and his 8 years in office. Includes interviews with George Stephanopolous, Dee Dee Myers, and other key administration officials.
Video Cassette (2 hrs.)
E886 .C58 2001
The Clinton Years.  
PBS DVD Video 2001  
Follows Bill Clinton’s campaign for the presidency and his 8 years in office.  
Includes interviews with George Stephanopoulos, Dee Dee Myers, and other key administration officials.  
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)  
E885 .C5585 2001

Cold War.  
CNN Prod. (1998)  
V. 1: Comrades, Iron Curtain, Marshall Plan  
V. 2: Berlin, Korea, Reds  
V. 3: After Stalin, Sputnik, The Wall  
V. 4: Cuba, Vietnam, MAD  
V. 5: Make Love not War, The Sixties, Red Spring, China  
V. 6: Détente, Good Guys Bad Guys, Backyard  
V. 7: Freeze, Soldiers of God, Spies,  
V. 8: Star Wars, The Wall Comes Down, Conclusions  
8 Video Cassettes (2 hr. 20 min. ea)  
E 744 D63 v. 1-8

Colin Powell.  
Tells Powell’s full story and examines his promising future.  
Video Cassette (50 min.)  
E 840.5 P68 C62

Commanding Heights: The Battle for the World Economy  
WGBH Boston Video (2002)  
This series explores our changing world: the new rules of the game, the winners and losers in the clash between government and the marketplace, the great debate over the impact of globalization, and the powerful forces shaping our economy and the future of society.  
1. Battle for ideas  
2. Agony of reform  
3. New rules of the game  
3 Video Cassettes (6 hrs)  
HD87 .Y472 2002

The Commitment to Human Rights.  
Radio Free Maine (1996)  
Discusses the idea that the U.S. punishes countries that it considers its enemies for human rights violations, but does not punish countries it considers it allies for the same type of violations.  
Video Cassette (2 hr.)  
JC 571 C638

The Committee: Taxation With Representation.  
PBS (1990)  
Features critical issues considered by the House Ways and Means Committee.  
The history of the modern committee begins in the early 1800s and continues to the income tax. Examines the effects of the committee's use of taxes and tariffs as they relate to historical events.  
Video Cassette (58 min.)  
JK 1430 W32 C64

Common Sense.  
Knowledge Products (1985)  
Thomas Paine.  
Cassette  
JC 178 B7 1776 C65

Communist Manifesto.  
Knowledge Products (1986)  
Examines the theory and goals expounded by Marx in the Communist Manifesto. The influence of Hegel, Feuerbach, and other philosophers on Marxism examined, as well as, his friendship and collaboration with Engels.  
Cassette  
HX 39.5 C66

Communities and Environmental Laws.  
Environmental Protection Agency, 2004  
Communities and environmental laws (video) -- A citizen's guide to using federal environmental laws to secure environmental justice (text).  
1 videodisc 4 3/4 in. + 1 text (113 p.)  
KF3775 .C665 2004 + text

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Communism: The Fall of the Romanovs and the Berlin Wall.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2004)  
Video dramatizes the execution of the Romanovs, in 1918, which marked Russia's shift from a monarchy to a communist state, and the destruction of the Berlin Wall, in 1989, which signified the collapse of that state and its Marxist ideology. Original BBCW broadcast title: The murder of the Romanovs and the fall of the Berlin Wall.  
1 videodisc (51 min.)  
DK266 .C64 2004

A Company of Soldiers.  
PBS Video (2005)  
"Frontline reports from inside the U.S. Army's 8th Cavalry Regiment stationed in Baghdad for an up-close, intimate look at the dangers facing an American military unit in Iraq. Shot in the weeks following the U.S. presidential election, the film tracks the day-to-day challenges facing the 8th Cavalry's Dog Company as it suddenly has to cope with a dramatic increase in attacks by the insurgents"—Container.  
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)  
DS79.764.U6 C64 2005

Condoleezza Rice.  
A&E Television Networks (2005)  
As National Security Advisor, she has one of the most demanding and important jobs on earth. As one of the few African Americans to hold a high position in the Bush administration, she is both an inspiration and a lightning rod for controversy. Condoleezza is the first woman to hold the post of National Security Advisor, she is an accomplished pianist and hopes one day to be commissioner of the National Football League. For now, however, her time is devoted to the evolving fight against terror and sifting the many conflicting views on the issue in order to present them clearly and concisely to President Bush.  
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)  
E840.8.R48 C66 2005

The Conflict in Northern Ireland.  
Probes the many tangled threads of religion, nationalism, politics, and economics behind the latest outbreaks. Presents a balanced look at Britain's role caught between the opposing sides. British and Irish commentators examine some current prospects for a solution.  
2 Filmstrips  
2 Cassettes  
Program Guide (23 p.)  
DA 990 U46 C66

The Congress.  
PBS Video (2000?)  
Explores the personalities, events and issues of the first 200 years of Congress.  
1 Video Cassette (90 min.) + 1 index (5 p.)  
JK1021 .C552 2000

The Congress. The Power Game.  
PBS (1989)  
Following the 1974 elections reform-minded members of Congress were elected to office with a mandate to change the way the government worked. Documents this "new-breed" of legislators including their use of PAC funds, 30-second political advertising, and a 3 day work week.  
Video Cassette (1 hr.)  
JK 1001 C65

The Conservatives.  
Films for the Humanities (1993)  
Follows the rise of the Conservative movement in America from the 1940s to the height of the Reagan era.  
Video Cassette (1 hr. 28 min.)  
E 743 C63

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Conspiracy.
HBO Home Video, c2001
On January 20, 1942, 15 German officials attended a conference at Wannsee - on the outskirts of Berlin. The meeting comprised of mid-ranking SS commanders and a variety of government ministers. The meeting was organized by SS Major Adolf Eichmann under the direction of Chief of Security Reinhard Heydrich. It was a polite conference, but under this thin veneer of manners lay an evil intent. By the end of the meeting, the fate of six million lives would be decided and the shape of the world would be altered forever.
1 videodisc (96 min.)
D804.348 .C66 2001

Constant Combatants: The President and the Congress.
PBS (1997)
Focuses on the tensions between the President and Congress during a foreign policy crisis, incorporating issues such as the power to wage war, to conduct diplomacy, to operate in secrecy, to exercise the power of the purse, and to hold government branches accountable to each other.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 305 C65

Library Distributors of America (1993)
A guide to the articles and amendments of the Constitution and some historical background of those provisions.
2 Video Cassettes (2 hr.)
KF 4528 C65 pt. 1-2

Round-table debates expose the conflicting rights at the heart of public policy issues and the conflicting professional roles within the systems that carry the policies out.
1. Executive Privilege & Delegation of Powers.   JK 585 E88
2. War Powers and Covert Action
KF 5060 W37
JK 528 N64
4. Criminal Justice and a Defendant's
Right to a Fair Trial.   KF 4765 C75
5. Crime and Insanity.   KF 9242 C75
KF 9225 C75
7. Campaign Spending JK 1991 C353
9. School Prayer, Gun Control, and the Right to Assemble.   KF 4162 S36
10. Right to Live, Right to Die.
KF 3771 R54
11. Immigration Reform.   KF 4819 I48
12. Affirmative Action Versus Reverse Discrimination.   KF 4755.5 A34
13. Federalism.   KF 4119 F43
13 Video Cassettes (1 hr.)
Manual (60 p.)

The Corporation.
Zeitgeist Films (2004)
Documentary examines the nature, evolution, impact and possible futures of the modern business corporation.
1 videodisc (145 min.)
HD2731 .B232 2004

Counting on Democracy.
Bullfrog Films (2002)
Investigates the disenfranchisement of voters in the 2000 Presidential election and claims that Florida governor Jeb Bush's office tried to bury evidence of the exclusion of tens of thousands of legal voters from the voter rolls.
1 videodisc (57 min)
E889 .C68 2002

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The Courts in a Democratic Society.
American Judicature Society
Summary in Criminal Justice section.
13 Cassettes
Discussion Questions
KF 8700 C68 Pt . 1-13

Cover-up at Ground Zero.
ABC News (1994)
Examines the story of the
"Downwinders", who are people in Nevada
and Utah who were exposed to the fallout of
more than 100 above ground nuclear tests
at the Nevada Test Site. They are currently
trying to prove their increased cancer and
death rates are due to these tests.
Video Cassette (48 min)
U264.4.N3 C68 1994

Cover-up: Behind the Iran Contra Affair.
Educational Film & Video (1988)
Raises questions about U.S. policy,
the value of covert operations in carrying out
U.S. policy, and the values of the people
who carry out covert operations. Argues
that the Iran-Contra affair was the logical
result of continuing U. S. policy that has the
overthrow of the Nicaraguan government as
its aim.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 16 min.)
E 876 C68

A Cowhand’s Song.
Direct Cinema Ltd., 1991
A documentary which examines the
plight of the ranchers of Nevada and
California, who find their grazing areas
increasingly threatened by the many groups
competing for use of the public lands on
which they depend. The program focuses
on the seasonal activities of the ranchers.
Video Cassette (29 min.)

Crime Control in Urban Environments
Through Physical Planning and Design.
University of Wisconsin (1994)
Summary in Architecture section.
Video Cassette (2 hr. 30 min.)
HV 7431 C72

Crisis : Behind a Presidential
Commitment.
DocuRama ; New York, NY : (1963)
In June 1963, President John F.
Kennedy and his brother, U.S. Attorney
General, Robert Kennedy, faced one of the
gravest racial confrontations of the 20th
century. Despite a federal court order,
Alabama Governor George Wallace vowed
he would prevent 2 black students from
entering the all-white University of Alabama.
1 videodisc (53 min.)
E841 .C74 2003

Crisis in Central America.
PBS (1985)
Proceeds from the position that to
understand the complexities of Central
America, you must understand the region's
violent history of dictatorships, revolutions,
class struggles, human rights abuses, and
foreign intervention.
I. The Yankee Years
II. Castro's Challenge
III. Revolution in Nicaragua
IV. Battle for El Salvador
4 Video Cassettes (1 hr. ea.)
F 1436. 7 C74 pt . 1-4

Crisis in the Congo.
The first 30 days of the Congo's
independence from Belgium were
tumultuous. As the UN representative, Ralph
Bunche dealt with all factions of a nation on
the brink of civil war. Part 2 goes on to show
what happened over the next 2 years as
Bunche and Dag Hammarskjöld worked
feverishly to maintain the viability of the
Congo and prevent an outbreak of major
war on the African continent.
1 videodisc (56 min., 55 sec.)
DT658 .C75 2003

Crisis: Missiles in Cuba.
Zenger Media (1989)
Using documentary footage,
reconstructs the events which brought the
U.S. and the Soviet Union to the brink of
nuclear war in October, 1962.
Video Cassette
Guide (12 p.)
E 841 C75
A Crude Awakening: The Oil Crash.
Docurama (2006)
A documentary film that "debunk[s] the conventional wisdom that oil production will continue to climb, and instead stare[s] bleakly at a planet facing economic meltdown and conflict over its most valuable resource"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 85 min.)
TN870 .C885 2006

Cuba and Cocaine.
WGBH (1991)
Discusses Cuba's trading drugs for weapons to support Communist insurgents in Latin America.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
F 1788 C8252

The Crumbling of America.
A&E Television Networks, c2009
Takes a look at America's aging infrastructure and illustrates possible disasters that could be just around the bend.
1 videodisc (91 min.)
HD3885 .C78 2009

Cyberterrorism
A&E Television Networks (2003)
Explores the possibility of cyber attacks against the United States as potential weapons of mass destruction. Discusses the use of the Internet by Al Qaida in planning their September 11th attacks as well as ongoing use of email and the Internet by Al Qaida and other countries for information warfare purposes.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
HV6773 .C935 2003

Daily Baghdad = Quotidien Bagdad Quotidien.
"What is daily life in Baghdad like for one Iraqi family, a year after the beginning of the war that ousted the oppressive regime of Saddam Hussein but replaced it with an occupation by U.S. troops? Acclaimed French filmmaker Romain Goupil chronicles the daily life of the family of Abbas ad Roubay, a former member of Saddam's Republican Guard who now struggles to make a living as a deliveryman, and his wife Yasmine and their children"—Container.
1 videodisc (101 min.)
DS79.76 .D35 2004

Daley: The Last Boss.
Public Media Video (1996)
Surviving five terms as Mayor of Chicago (1955-1976), Richard J. Daley built an almost indestructible power base. Discusses how he revived the Democratic machine, made Chicago work, and became an advisor to Presidents.
1 videodisc (ca. 53 min.)
F548.54.D34 D34 1996

The Dark Art of Interrogation.
A&E Television Networks 2005
Enter the shadowy world of the age-old art of interrogation with a former CIA agent, meet an Israeli interrogator who uses theatrical tactics to get results, learn how battlefield interrogations in Vietnam saved lives, and much more.
1 videodisc (ca. 100 min.)
UB265 .D37 2005

The Deadly Deception.
WGBH Educational Foundation (1993)
Investigates the Tuskegee Study of Untreated Syphilis in the Negro Male, a medical experiment conducted in Alabama from 1932-1972. Men believed they were receiving free treatment for syphilis, but were given worthless medicines by government physicians.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
R 853 H8 D42

Deadly Enemies.
First Run/Icarus Films (2004)
"... documents the secret history of biological warfare. Using archival footage from the 1950s, filmmaker Susan Lambert demonstrates how science and politics colluded to play a game of one-upmanship"—Container.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
UG447.8 .D42 2004

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D.F. Cusack (1977)
The story of the fate of a peaceful revolution launched in Chile in 1970. The freely elected government of Salvador Allende promised a peaceful transition to socialism within the confines of democracy. In 1973, a violent military coup overthrew this government and set out to destroy the revolution and democracy. This is the smuggled-out view of a Chilean artist imprisoned for 3 years after the coup.
140 Slides
Cassette
Script
F 3100 C872 pt. 1-2

Death of a Nation: The Timor Conspiracy.
Bullfrog Films (2006)
"On December 7, 1975 Indonesia secretly -- but with the complicity of the Western powers including the US, the UK, and Australia -- invaded the small nation of East Timor. Two Australian television crews attempting to document the invasion were murdered. In 1993, with the Indonesian army still occupying the country, John Pilger and his crew including director David Munro, slipped into East Timor and made this film. In the intervening 18 years, an estimated 200,000 East Timorese -- 1/3 of the population -- had been slaughtered by the Indonesian military. The CIA has described it as one of the worst mass-murders of the 20th century. Pilger tells the story using clandestine footage of the countryside, internment camps and even Fretlin guerrillas, as well as interviews with Timorese exiles, including Jose Ramos Horta and Jose Gusmao, and Australian, British, and Indonesian diplomats. Nixon had called Indonesia the "greatest prize in southeast Asia" because of its oil reserves and other natural resources. Even though Indonesia had no historic or legal claim to East Timor, it was convenient for diplomats to declare that East Timor, just gaining its independence from Portugal, would not be a viable state. However the lie was given to this argument when Australia and Indonesia signed the Timor Gap Oil Treaty and carved up the huge oil and gas reserves in the seabed off East Timor. None of the politicians from that period -- President Ford, Henry Kissinger, Daniel Moynihan, Margaret Thatcher, John Major, Gough Whitlam -- has clean hands. The Indonesian military used US and British planes to bombard the island, while the defense ministers proclaimed ignorance. As Pilger gets an Australian diplomat to admit, East Timor was considered "expendable." But no one watching the massacre in the Dili cemetery can excuse the geopolitical machinations that led to this genocide"—Container.
1 videodisc (76 min.)
DS646.57 .D43 2006

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Debate 92.
Fox Broadcasting Inc. (1992)
Speakers Bill Clinton, George Bush, Ross Perot. During the first half of the debate, Jim Lehar asks questions of the candidates and follow-ups are allowed. During the second half of the debate, three reporters ask questions, but follow-ups are not allowed. Held Oct. 19, 1992, at Michigan State University.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 38 min.)
JK 526 1992h

Debating our Destiny.
PBS Video
Footage highlights 40 years of televised presidential debates and post-debate interviews with presidential candidates since 1960.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 19 min.)
JK524 .D42 2000

Debris of War.
FilmWest (1994)
Looks at the shattered lives of some of the refugees of the War in Yugoslavia and at some of the first programs set up to deal with the trauma of war.
Video Cassette (53 min.)
DR 1313.7 P75 D42

The Debt of Dictators.
California Newsreel (2005)
"Exposes the irresponsible lending to brutal dictators by multinational financial institutions. Revealing the widespread impoverishment resulting from these debts, the film transports viewers to Argentina, South Africa, and the Philippines, where essential services have been sacrificed in order to repay these illegitimate loans. In each of the cases, the government pays more in servicing the foreign debts than it does on all essential social services combined... Makes a compelling case for the forgiveness of foreign loans accrued by some of history's worst dictators, debts that exacerbate the suffering of the victims of both the dictators and the institutions that profited from their rule"—Container.
Argentina (10 min.)
South Africa (18 min.)
The Philippines (17 min.)
1 videodisc (46 min.)
HG3891.5 .D417 2005

Declaration of Independence.
Knowledge Products (1985)
Thomas Jefferson.
Cassette
JC 178 B7 1776 C65

First Run Features, [2010]
Israeli director Yoav Shamir embarks on a provocative and at times irreverent quest to answer the question: What is anti-Semitism today? Does it remain a dangerous and immediate threat? Or is it a scare tactic used by right-wing Zionists to discredit their critics? Speaking with an array of people from across the political spectrum and traveling to places like Auschwitz and Brooklyn, Shamir discovers the realities of anti-Semitism today.
1 videodisc (Not rated)(91 min.)
DS145 .D45 2010

Defcon-2: Cuban Missile Crisis.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2002
In October 1962 the U.S. Strategic Air Command was placed on DEFCON-2 (Defense Condition 2), the highest level of military readiness short of actual war. This program looks at the events of the Cuban Missile Crisis and includes eyewitness testimony as well as analysis by key participants and includes recently declassified audio tapes and previously secret film and photos.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
E841 .D44 2002

The Defense of Europe.
PBS (1988)
Analyzes the impact of the INF nuclear arms treaty on NATO's strategy for the defense of Western Europe. Examines the $150 billion annual price tag for the U.S. commitment to NATO. Compares the actual strength of NATO and Warsaw Pact forces.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
UA 646.3 D44

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Democracy in a Different Voice with Lani Guinier.
Media Education Foundation (1994)
Outlines her views on race and diversity, and invites dialogue on the meaning of democracy in a diverse society. Asks us to consider, in the tradition of James Madison, how to make democracy work for all by avoiding the “tyranny of the majority.” Illustrated lecture in 6 parts:
1. Silenced
2. The tyranny of the majority
3. Taking turns
4. Districts of the mind
5. Democracy in a different voice
6. Speaking out
Video Cassette (54 min.)
JF 1075 U6 D44

Democracy in America.
Knowledge Products (1987)
Alexis de Tocqueville.
2 Cassettes
JK 216 T712 1987

Democracy on Deadline: The Global Struggle for an Independent Press.
First Run/Icarus Films (2006)
This documentary profiles journalists in the U.S. and throughout the world as they struggle with government censorship, commercial pressures, and dangerous conditions in covering international events.
1 videodisc (114 min.)
PN4736 .D45 2006

Democratic National Convention.
NBC News & PBS (1992)
Includes keynote speeches, discussion of who the Democrats are, nomination speeches of Bill Clinton and Al Gore, analysis of speeches, and discussion by party strategists on how the Democratic party can win the Presidential election. July 13-16, 1992.
3 Video Cassettes (.10 hr.)
JK 2313 1992 D44 tapes 1-3

Denial Stops Here: From 9-11 to Peak Oil and Beyond.
From the Wilderness Publications, c2005
Describes how the effort to seize control of the world’s remaining oil reserves led to the 9/11 attack and the war in Iraq. Ruppert believes that the crisis of "peak oil" will lead to an inevitable collapse of the world economy. Michael C. Ruppert is the author of Crossing the Rubicon: the decline of the American empire at the end of the age of oil.
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)
HD9560.5 .D46 2005

Los Desaparecidos = The Disappeared Ones.
In the 1970s a military dictatorship murdered over 30,000 young people in Argentina. Mothers of some of those people tell their stories. The mothers marched until the public joined them and the government was doomed.
1 Video Cassette (33 min., 40 sec.)
JC599.A7 D47 2003

Desert Triumph.
Fox Video (1991)
From the invasion of Kuwait on August 2, 1990, to its liberation six months later, these tapes offer the complete visual chronicle of the Persian Gulf War.
Video Cassettes (3 hr. 37 min.)
DS 79.72 D48 pt. 1-3

The Devil Came on Horseback.
Docurama (2007)
This powerful and original film exposes the tragedy taking place in Darfur as seen through the eyes of an American witness, former U.S. Marine Captain Brian Steidle, who has since returned to the U.S. to take action to stop it.
1 videodisc (ca. 85 min.)
DT159.6.D27 D48 2007

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Discordia.
"It's September 9, 2002, and a scheduled appearance by Benjamin Netanyahu, the former Israeli prime minister, has sparked heated debate at Montreal's Concordia University. By the end of the day, the "Concordia riot" has made international news, from CNN to Al-Jazeera. Discordia documents the fallout from that eventful day—following three young campus activists as they negotiate the most formative year of their lives"—Container.
1 videodisc (69 min.)
LB3610 .D57 2004

Discourse on Voluntary Servitude.
Knowledge Products (1986)
Boltie examines the psychology of political obedience, the structure and specific mechanisms of state authority, the motives of those who obey and those who command, and the phenomenon of obedience in the absence of force.
Cassette
JC 143 P74

Do You Remember Vietnam?
Bullfrog Films, [2006]
"In 1978, three years after the fall of Saigon, John Pilger went back to Vietnam to find out what had happened under the new regime. He talks with a young tour guide at a war crimes museum, who had been imprisoned in the infamous US tiger cages. He follows a former North Vietnamese soldier into the underground base where he spent 20 years crawling through tunnels undetected. He visits the street in Hanoi that was the target of the largest single aerial bombardment in history. And he shows us the re-education camps where former drug addicts, prostitutes, South Vietnam soldiers, and others are being taught what to think. An he reminds us of the long history of Vietnam's wars for independence. 44% of Vietnam's forests have been decimated, poisonous chemicals have produced babies with deformations, 58,000 Americans and 2-5 million Vietnamese lost their lives. And all of this suffering was for what? "To stop the spread of Chinese communism" was the rationale. And yet, Pilger argues, if we had let them form their own independent state in the late 1940s, what probably would have emerged is what is emerging now -- a kind of Asian Yugoslavia"—Container.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
DS557.73 .D6 2006

Does the Cactus Have a Soul?
Cinema Guild (1987)
Discusses the issues of the Israeli destruction of Palestinian villages and the confiscation of Arab owned land during and following the Arab-Israeli war.
Video Cassette (56 min.)
DS 126.9 D64

Domestic Terrorism.
Films for the Humanities (1995)
Looks at what makes educated men and women take up arms in an ideological bid to overthrow their democratic governments. Shows why some fail and some succeed, and why motivated, intelligent terrorists are so difficult for the police to catch.
Video Cassette (52 min.)
HV 6275 D64

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Donald Rumsfeld.
A&E Television Networks 2002
Gerald Ford, Henry Kissinger, and Dick Cheney are among the many politicians featured in this look at one of the most powerful men in politics, the Secretary Of Defense.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
E840.8.R84 D66 2005

Kino International Corp., [2006] Charts the stealthy rise of the Nazi Party in the wake of World War I, as witnessed from the perspective of a neutral bystander. Rather than offering a contemporary interpretation of history, the film allows the disturbing saga to unfold on its own terms using footage from newsreels, home movies and extracts from musicals and documentaries from 1918-1933 to illustrate the end of the Weimar and the rise of Adolf Hitler and national socialism in Germany.
1 videodisc (86 min.)
DD256.5 .D68 2006

A&E Television Networks 2005
General Douglas MacArthur was one of America's greatest and most complex commanders, a warrior so tough and determined that he helped win World War II with one simple promise: I shall return.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
E745.M3 D68 2005

The Dragon Ascends?
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2004)
Using the experiences of entrepreneur Guo Guanchang, this film explores China's progress during the past two decades towards a modern, industrialized and economically prosperous nation. It explores the possibilities of future political and social developments.
1 videodisc (53 min.)
DS779.23 .D73 2004

Drawing Conclusions.
First Run/Icarus Films (1998)
Addresses how cartoonists approach their work and the role of stereotypes in cartoon messages.
Video Cassette (27 min.)
NC 1763 P66 D73

A Dream of Peace.
The Video Project (1989)
Discusses the establishment of a nuclear free zone.
Video Cassette (12 min.)
JX 1974.74 N48 D74

A DVD History of the U.S. Constitution.
Ambrose Video Publishing, 2005
This 8-part series explores how The U.S. Constitution came to be.
v. 1. program 1. The seeds of the Constitution (1619-1739) ; program 2. Founding the Constitution (1750-1774) 
v. 2. program 3. Writing the Constitution and the Bill of Rights (1774-1791) ; program 4. Testing the Constitution (1793-1803)
4 videodiscs (224 min.)
KF4541 .D83 2005 v.1 – 4

Dying to Leave: The Dark Business of Human Trafficking.
Films for the Humanities & Science (2006)
Explores the current worldwide boom in illicit migration and human trafficking and looks at the dire circumstances that drive desperate people from their homes.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
JV6201 .D85 2006

The Dynasty: The Nehru-Gandhi Story.
PBS (1997)
Documents the Nehru family's ties of blood, sacrifice and power, and chronicles the life work of Mahatma Gandhi.
2 Video Cassettes (3 hr.)
DS 481 A1 D85 pt. 1-2
Eastern Europe.
Films for the Humanities (1998)
1900-1939: traces the history of Eastern Europe from the reign of Franz Josef to the rise of Hitler.
1939-1953: traces how Hitler's and Stalin's quests for power left this area of the world permanently destabilized.
1953-1991: begins with the death of Stalin and ends with the fall of communism.
3 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
DJK 38 E25 vol. 1-3

Echelon: The Most Secret Spy System.
Examines the information-sharing surveillance system developed by the United States, England, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
UB270 .E24 2003

The Education of Shelby Knox.
InCite Pictures, [2005]
Documentary which presents the political activism of high school student Shelby Knox. The film begins in 2001 when Shelby Knox, a 15-year-old high school sophomore, joins the Lubbock Youth Commission, a group of high school students empowered by the mayor to give Lubbock's youth a voice in city government. Knowing that Lubbock, Tex. had one of the highest rates of teen pregnancy and sexually transmitted disease in the nation, the Youth Commission questioned Lubbock's abstinence-only sex education policy. Shelby, a politically conservative Southern Baptist who had pledged abstinence until marriage, became the group's most vocal proponent of comprehensive sex education. The documentary explores other issues beyond the debate over abstinence-only versus comprehensive sex education. It portrays Shelby's family's struggle with teen independence; Shelby's struggle with her Christian faith; Shelby's widening activism into other issues, such as the creation of a Gay/Straight Alliance at her high school; issues of tolerance; and the power of political activism.
1 videodisc (76 min.) + 1 discussion guide (17 p)
HQ35 .E38 2005

Edward Said: The Last Interview.
First Run/Icarus Films (2004)
Edward Said was a professor of English and comparative literature at Columbia University, an important literary critic of the late twentieth century, and a prominent spokesperson for the Palestinian cause in the United States. "Less than a year before his death in September 2003, he ... spoke at length ... about his illness, his work, Palestine and politics, his life and education, and his continuing preoccupations"—Container.
1 videocassette (115 min.)

8 (Eight): The Mormon Proposition.
Distributed by Wolfe Video, c2010
A searing indictment of the Mormon Church's historic involvement in the promotion and passage of California's Proposition 8, and the Mormon religion's secretive, decades-long campaign against gay rights.
1 videodisc (80 min.)
BX8615.C2 E34 2010

18th Century Turning Points in U.S. History.
"As the 18th century dawned on the North American continent, four powers - the French, the Spanish, the British and the Native Americans were competing to see who would control this remarkable land. However after half a century of almost continuous wars, a new entity emerged: The Americans. It would be the Americans, and not the other four powers, who would control what would become the United States. By the end of the 18th century the Americans had created the greatest experiment in self-government the world has ever seen"—Container.
See online catalog for contents.
4 videodiscs (ca. 200 min.)
E188 .E34 2003 1-4

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Energy War.
First Run/Icarus Films (2007)
Profiles newly emergent 'superpowers' such as Iran and Venezuela. Thomas Friedman analyzes the political concept of 'petro authoritarianism' and Kenneth Deffeyes explains the 'Peak Oil' phenomenon, the point at which the earth's supply of oil begins its terminal decline. Concludes by investigating the search for alternatives to our dependency on oil, featuring interviews with economists, stock market traders, and new energy entrepreneurs, who discuss the pros and cons of such possible substitutes as biofuels, hydropower, nuclear and solar energy.
1 videodisc (78 min.)
HD9560.5 .E54 2007

The Environment: Scientific Spin
Doctors.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences Discusses the consequences of exploiting science to shape public policy. The issue used as an example is global warming.
Video Cassette (29 min.)
Q175 .E488 2000

Equality and the Individual.
PBS (1994)
Explores the problems of racial imbalances in public institutions, the constitutionality of all-black-male public schools, and other issues straight from the current political debate.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF 4749 E68

The E.R.A. in America.
Traces the development of this controversial legislation, addresses some of the major arguments surrounding the amendment, and identifies the key individuals who have helped shape it.
Cassette
HQ 1426 E72

Ethical Dilemmas in Planning.
AICP
Helps planners examine the issues, values, problems and decisions of their daily work from the perspective of ethics.
Video Cassette
5 Booklets
HD 87.55 E74

Europe on the Brink.
Turner Educational Svs. (1991)
Examines the political and economic challenges and opportunities facing Europe and the U.S.S.R. after the fall of Communism.
The East reveals the fears, hopes, and lives of eastern Europe's newly freed people as they search for direction and new solutions. DK 4449 E87
The New Germany reviews the basic differences in political philosophy, work ethics and national identity within a new Germany that remains culturally divided despite new political unity. DD 290.25 E87
The U.S.S.R. visits Russia amid social upheaval and revolutionary change. Reports on ways people respond to new ideas on economic and political freedom after 74 years of socialism and centuries of totalitarian rule. DK 286 E87
The West travels through Western Europe to examines the political beliefs, nationalistic sentiment, economic competition and social challenges that lay ahead for the European community.
HC 240 E816
4 Video Cassettes (25 min. ea)
Notebook

Every Vote Counts.
Karol Media (1978)
Relates the events following Election Day, 1978, in Adams County Pennsylvania, when the voting for a seat in the State House of Representatives resulted in a tie.
Video Cassette (15 min.)
JK 3693 1978 E84

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Human enthusiasm for progress--particularly when shortsighted, misguided, or tainted by self-interest--can ricochet, marring the global environment and the lives of millions. "Looking back in the light of present knowledge, it is impossible not to feel that opportunities for discovery and prevention of asbestos disease were badly missed." So wrote the England's ex-Chief Medical Inspector of Factories, Thomas Legge, in 1934. Although England began to regulate asbestos use in the 1930s, in the US the industry only began to acknowledge the dangers in the late 1970s, when corporate documents uncovered in lawsuits proved that industry officials knew of and tried to conceal the dangers of the material.

1 videodisc (30 min.)
RC965.A7 E84 2006

PBS (1987)
Shows the period of 1954-1965, a time during which the struggle for social justice in America became a mass movement. Depicts southern race relations at mid-century, desegregation in education, the rise of the mass movement, and the struggle for voting rights. The programs:
1. Awakenings (1954-56)
2. Fighting Back (1957-62)
3. Ain't Scared of your Jails (1960-61)
4. No Easy Walk (1962-63)
5. Mississippi: is this America? (1962-64)
6. Bridge to Freedom (1965)
6 Video Cassettes (1 hr. ea.)
E 185.615 E93

Eyes on the Prize II: 1965-1985.
PBS (1989)

Explores the southern civil rights movement's first attempt at organizing in the North, in Chicago. Looks at the 1967 uprising in Detroit. Witnesses a president who turns his attention away from civil rights.
E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.2

Explores the political path to power for Carl Stokes. Describes the founding of the Black Panther Party. Examines the education experiment in New York's Ocean Hill-Brownsville section.
E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.3

Illustrates the connections between the war in Vietnam and the problem of poverty in the U.S. Analyzes the positions taken by Martin Luther King on the issues of Vietnam and economic justice. Describes the days leading up to his assassination.
E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.4

Chronicles Muhammad Ali's challenge to America to accept him as a minister of Islam. Describes the student movement at Howard University. Explores the "coming of age" of black politicians and political activists.
E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.5

A Nation of Law? (1968-1971)
Examines the government's response to dissent from the Black Panther party in Chicago and rebelling inmates at Attica. Chronicles the FBI's covert program to disrupt and neutralize black organizations.
E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.6

The Keys to the Kingdom (1974-1980).
Describes the Boston black community's efforts to achieve high quality education and the desegregation of Boston public schools. Examines the effects of the controversial Supreme Court ruling in the case of Alan Bakke.
E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.7

Back to the Movement (1979 mid-1980s).
Explores the themes of power and powerlessness. Describes the grassroots organizing effort leading up to Harold Washington's election. E185.615 .E932 1989 pt.8
8 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
1 viewer's guide (22 p)

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The Faces of Arafat.
Films Inc. (1990)
Profiles the man who has been terrorist, statesman, charlatan, and peace maker.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
DS 61.52 A73 F33

Faecal Attraction.
Centre for Science and Environment (2006)
This program is about the link between sewage disposal and river water pollution in India. The River Yamuna is a part of the massive Indo-Gangetic river system which is highlighted in this documentary.
1 videodisc (32 min.)
TD603.A1 F34 2006

The Fall of an Asian Tiger.
Filmwest Associates (1999)
"Documentary explores the stories of three Koreans trying to come to terms with their country's political and economic failures as well as their own personal struggles"--Container
1 videocassette (48 min.)
DS917.8 .F34 1999

The Fall of Communism.
ABC News (1990)
Helps the viewer understand the depth of what happened, from the tearing down of the Berlin Wall to independence movements in Poland, Lithuania, and Mother Russia.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 20 min.)
HX 73 F34

The Fall of the Berlin Wall.
Warner Home Video (1990)
Offers a factual and comprehensive insight into the history of the wall, covering its construction, the human tragedies played out at its foot, and its final demise.
Video Cassette (49 min.)
DD 881 F35

Farming The Seas.
Bullfrog Films, c2004
This is the sequel to the award-winning PBS special Empty oceans, empty nets. "As the aquaculture industry explodes across the globe, a growing number of communities and fisheries experts are engaged in and intense debate over its environmental, socio-economic, and health and food safety consequences"--Container
1 videodisc (56 min.)
HD9450.5 .F37 2004

The Fate of the Jewel.
Water Education Foundation (2001)
"Whether it was about protection or exploitation, the various interest groups at Lake Tahoe have spent more than a century arguing. The conflicts have involved a lot of issues: gaming, forest practices, cattle grazing, development and property rights, environmental protection, recreation and a lot more. But now most of the arguing has stopped because stakeholders understand one issue is more important that all the others: the jewel of the high Sierra must be saved."--Container
1 Video Cassette (46 min., 50 sec.)
1 Guide ([9] p.)
F868.T2 F37 2001
F868.T2 F37 2001 guide

The FBI.
Enter the inner sanctum of today's FBI, with unprecedented access granted to National Geographic. Witness the Bureau's top-secret Strategic Initiative Operations Center at work. Explore the history of the FBI, from the days of J. Edgar Hoover till now.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
HV8144.F43 F285 2003

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FDR. PBS (1994)
Pt. 1: explores Roosevelt's family background and education and looks for clues to how he managed to climb the ladder of political success. Examines his bout with polio and follows his struggle to rehabilitate his body and his political career.
Pt. 2: focuses on the first two terms of Roosevelt's presidency and explores the central paradox of his presidency: that a man of privilege came to be a hero to ordinary Americans. Examines the wartime years when FDR maneuvered support for England before he led his country through WWII.
2 Video Cassettes (4 hr. 30 min.)
E 806 F27 tapes 1-2

FDR. PBS DVD (2000)
A documentary on the life and times of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. Part one covers Roosevelt's early years and early political successes, his bout with polio at age 39, and ends with his election as President. Part two explores FDR's response to the Great Depression, and his leadership of the American people during World War II until his death in 1945.
2 videodiscs (ca. 257 min.)
E807 .A6 2000 pt.1
E807 .A6 2000 pt.2

Story of Franklin Delano Roosevelt's presidency that includes interviews, audio recordings, home movies, and diary entries.
\textbf{v.1} FDR, a presidency revealed pt. 1-2 (approx. 200 min.)
\textbf{v. 2} (bonus disc). FDR, years of crisis ; FDR, the war years (approx. 100 min. + extras)
2 videodiscs (300 min.)
E807 .F32 2005

Fear of Involvement: The Legacy of the 50's. Pacifica Tape Library (1970)
Panel discussion which deals mainly with the situation in the U.S. during the 1950s.
Cassette (1 hr.)
E 835 F42

Fidel. Cinema Guild
Fidel Castro talks about his revolution, his relationship with the people of Cuba, his school years, and the Bay of Pigs incident.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 36 min.)
F 1788.22 C3 F53

Fidel. First Run Features (2001)
Look at one of the most influential and controversial figures of our time through interviews with Castro himself, historians, public figures and close friends, with footage from the Cuban State archives.
1 videodisc (91 min.)
F1788.22.C3 F533 2001

The Cuban dictator is profiled through interviews with relatives, loyalists, and enemies in Cuba and abroad.
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)
F1788.22.C3 F535 2005

The 50 Years War: Israel and the Arabs. PBS Home Video
Begins with the 1947 UN decision to partition Palestine and continues to current day (1998). The film includes interviews and news clips of heads of state and other military and intelligence leaders. Traces history of Palestinian Liberation Organization.
pt. 1. Land divided, 1947-56 –
pt. 2. The six day war, 1967 –
pt. 3. Palestinian exiles, 1970-82
pt. 4. Peacemaking, 1970-79
pt. 5. Banging heads, 1987-91
2 Video Cassettes (294 min.)
DS126.5 .A15 1999

Fighting Terrorism: Inside the National Security Council. PBS (1987)
Provides an in-depth look at the complicated web of political, diplomatic and military power in the U.S., as well as, an examination of the workings of the NSC.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JX 5420 F54

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Finest hour: the Battle of Britain.
PBS Home Video
Discusses personal experiences of men and women who were on the front lines during the air bombardment of London by the Nazis during World War II and the politics behind the scenes such as Churchill's relations with US President Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Video Cassettes (1 hr.)
D756.5.B7 F55 2000

The First World War: The Complete Series.
Image Entertainment, c2004
This definitive ten-part series offers insight and analysis to provide a coherent and strategic military narrative from acclaimed documentary filmmaker Jonathan Lewis.
Disc 1. To arms; Under the eagle;
Global war; Jihad
Disc 2. Shackled to a corpse;
Breaking the deadlock
Disc 3. Blockade; Revolution
Disc 4. Germany's last gamble; War without end
4 videodiscs (ca. 503 min.) + 1 booklet (31 p)
D521 .F57 2005 + Booklet

The story of America as seen through the eyes of the former Secretary of Defense, under President Kennedy and President Johnson, Robert S. McNamara. He offers insights into the 1945 bombing of Tokyo, the Cuban Missile Crisis, and the effects of the Vietnam War.
1 videodisc (ca. 107 min.)
E840.4 .F63 2004

The Fourth World War.
Big Noise Films (2004)
"While our airwaves are crowded with talk of a new world war ... the human face of war is rarely seen. This documentary weaves together the images and voices of the war on the ground - from the front lines of struggles in Mexico, Argentina, South Africa, Palestine, Korea, 'the North' from Seattle to Genova, and the 'War on Terror' in New York and Iraq"--Container.
Documents the story of how men and women are working to resist getting annihilated in the current global conflict.
1 videodisc (76 min.)
U22 .F643 2004

For additions to this section please see the Media Resources Desk.
For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
Franco: Caudillo of Spain.
Learning Corp. of America. (19??)
A brilliant general, Franco comes into his own during the Spanish Civil War. Emerging the victor, he takes complete control, but unlike other European dictators, he survives leading Spain for almost 40 years.
Video Cassette (25 min.)
DP 264 F7 F72

Free to Believe.
Films for the Humanities (1987)
The key issue in this program involves the Constitutional guarantees of freedom of expression and religion. Illustrates how the Constitution, by granting the rights of speech, assembly, and religion has permitted an astonishing and often conflicting variety of opinions to flourish in this country.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF 4558 1st F74

Free Zone: Democracy Breaks the Nuclear Cycle.
The Video Project (1989)
Discusses the worldwide movement to set up Nuclear Free Zones which ban any activities involving nuclear weapons testing, nuclear storage & transfer, nuclear waste, and nuclear mining & manufacturing. Addresses the rights of local governments to adapt NFZS, the effectiveness of NFZS as peacekeeping tools and the issue of possible job loss.
Video Cassette (44 min.)
JX 1974.735 F74

Legal Studies Simulations (1983)
By playing various roles, participants will become aware of their own values and those of other participants, and will gain insights into decision making, negotiation and compromise.
Game kit
PN 4738 K37

A & E Home Video (2005)
Discusses the French Revolution using dramatic reenactments, paintings form the era, and accounts from journals and historians.
1 videodisc (100 min.)
DC148 .F717 2005

From Harmony to Revolution: The Birth and Growth of Socialism.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
This program "explores the origins of socialist principles and how they evolved into military revolution in Russia and political strife in the United States. Recounting Robert Owen's New Harmony experiment, the program details the intellectualization of socialism by Marx, Engels, and Bernstein, followed by the rise of Lenin and the creation of the U.S.S.R. The video also dissects Marx's predictions about when and where revolution could be expected, studying the careers of Samuel Gompers and Eugene Debs and the successes and failures of American socialism"—Container.
1 videodisc (58 min.)
HX40 .F76 2006

PBS Video (2006)
"Zimbabwe : shadows and lies" reports on the crisis in Zimbabwe. "Mexico : a death in the desert" tells the story of the death Matias Juan Garcia Zavaleta, who died trying to illegally enter the United States, and the effects of his death on his family. "China : the women's kingdom" looks at the culture of the Mosuo, a people in China who do not have conventional marriages.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
D862 .F76 2006

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Frontline World: Stories From a Small Planet.
  PBS Video (2002)
  The first segment, Gunrunners, investigates illegal arms trafficking that brings weapons into Sierra Leone and the effects of the resulting injuries and devastation on the civilian population. The second segment, Living with terror, examines life in Sri Lanka amid continuing acts of terrorism. The third segment, The last place, looks at Bhutan, the last country on Earth to bring in television.
  1 Video Cassette (57 min.)
  DT516.826 .F76 2002

Frontline World: Stories From a Small Planet.
  PBS Home Video (2003)
  In section 1, Philippines: islands under siege, early this year, amidst military preparations for a war in Iraq, the United States announced it was sending 3,000 soldiers to Mindanao, the southernmost region of the Philippines. Frontline/world correspondent Orlando de Guzman, a Filipino reporter from the north, journeyed to Mindanao, where Muslim rebels are fighting a guerrilla war against the Philippine government -- a war in which the United States may soon be embroiled. Section 2, Israel/Palestinian territories: in the line of fire - when journalists become targets, reviews the dilemmas and dangers reporters have faced covering the violence in the West Bank and Gaza over the past several years. Canadian TV producer Patricia Naylor interviews Palestinian cameramen and other journalists who say they have been shot by Israeli soldiers. [This story was originally broadcast in March of 2003]. In section 3, Bhutan: the last place, television arrives in a Buddhist kingdom.
  1 Video Cassette (60 min.)
  E183.8.P6 F76 2003

Frontline World: Stories From a Small Planet.
  PBS Video (2003)
  "In 'The road to Kirkuk,' reporter Sam Kiley joins Kurdish soldiers and Green Berets as they fight their way into Kirkuk in northern Iraq--the Kurds' 'Jerusalem'--and begin to reclaim and rebuild the city that Saddam Hussein had 'ethnically cleansed.' Correspondent Nguyen Qui Duc, meanwhile, returns to his native Vietnam, where he confronts his own war-shattered past and discovers a country rushing into the future in 'Looking for home.' Also featured: ['Play it again, Maurice']: a nostalgic portrait from France where world music reporter Marco Werman meets up with pianist Maurice el Medioni, an Algerian Jew who pioneered melodies mixing Arab music with American jazz and French pop songs."--Container.
  1 Videocassette (60 min.)
  S79.76 .F76 2003

Frontline World: Stories From a Small Planet.
  PBS Video (2003)
  The first segment is about a controversial president of Venezuela, Hugo Chávez Frías, and the political crisis there. The second segment is about a street theater performance in India about Osama bin Laden and 9/11 and its aftermath. The third segment discusses scientist David Ho and his work in trying to find a cure for SARS.
  1 videocassette (60 min.)
  JL3881 .F76 2003

Frontrunners.
  Oscilloscope Pictures, c2009.
  "Follows the student council presidential campaign at one of the country's most prestigious public high schools, Stuyvesant High School in New York City"—Container.
  1 videodisc (82 min.)
  JK1976 .F76 2009
Frost Nixon: The Original Watergate Interviews.
   Liberation Entertainment, c2008
   Includes in-depth interviews of U.S. President Richard Nixon by Sir David Frost in May, 1977 regarding the infamous Watergate scandal, followed by a segment, "Behind the scenes." That final segment features footage from 2007 of Frost discussing "clinching the interviews, Nixon's advisors, ground rules, on location, Nixon's reaction, and the final meeting" he had with Nixon at San Clemente.
   1 videodisc (88 min.)
   E860 .F76 2008

Fundamentalist Fervor.
   Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2009
   "Religious fundamentalism underpins some of the world's most intractable political problems as members of fundamentalist groups seek to influence both domestic and international policy. After identifying general hallmarks of fundamentalist belief, this program places fundamentalist movements within the Christian, Jewish, Islamic, and Hindu religions into their cultural and historical contexts. Movements that are examined include the dispensationalist organization Christians United for Israel, the Jewish haredim, the Jewish settler group Gush Emunim, Hamas, and Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh, a key component of the Hindu "Saffron Brigade"—Container.
   1 videodisc (26 min.)
   BL238 .F84 2010

The Future of War.
   PBS Video
   Discusses the debate inside the U.S. Army on how to pay for the new weapons and force needed to fight the next war.
   Video Cassette (60 min.)
   UA25.5 .F87 2000

Gandhi.
   National Public Radio (1978)
   Panelists explore Gandhi's philosophy, political decisions, and effect on the Indian people.
   Cassette (1 hr.)
   B 5134 G3 G36

Gandhi.
   Sony Pictures Home Entertainment, [2007]
   Chronicles the life of Gandhi beginning with his political activities in South Africa during the late 1890's and ending with his assassination at the hands of a Hindu extremist in 1948. Shows the development of his philosophy of non-violence as he leads the people of India to independence from the British.
   2 videodiscs (191 min.)

   Learning Corp. of America (1986)
   Looks at his life, leadership, and his quest for Indian independence.
   Video Cassette (24 min.)
   DS 481 G3 M33

The Garden.
   Oscilloscope Pictures, 2009
   The fourteen-acre community garden at 41st and Alameda in South Central Los Angeles is the largest of its kind in the United States. Started as a form of healing after the devastating L.A. riots in 1992, the South Central Farmers have since created a miracle in one of the country's most blighted neighborhoods. Growing their own food. Feeding their families. Creating a community. But now, bulldozers are poised to level their 14-acre oasis.
   1 videodisc (80 min.)
   SB457.3 .G37 2009

A Gathering of Governors.
   KNPB (1993)
   Five former Nevada governors and Governor Bob Miller discuss experiences from their administrations, the development of gaming control mechanisms, the advent of corporate ownership in gaming and the current proliferation of gambling.
   Video Cassette (1 hr. 34 min.)
   F 845 G372 (short version - 1 hr.)

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New Day Films (1994)
Follows the daily routine of one Palestinian family confined to the Jabalia refugee camp in Gaza, showing their living quarters, the local school, and hospital in order to personalize the Arab-Israeli conflict.
Video Cassette (1 hr 22 min.)
DS153.55.P34 G38 1998

Gaza Strip.
Arab Film Distribution (2006)
American filmmaker James Longley follows a range of Palestinian Arabs living in the Gaza Strip and events following the election of Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon, including the first major armed incursion by the Israeli Army (IDF) forces in spring 2001. Filmed almost entirely in the vérité style without narration and with little explanation. This documentary focuses on ordinary Palestinians rather than politicians presenting a rare look inside the stark realities of Palestinian life and death under Israeli military.
1 videodisc (74 min.)
DS113.7 .G39 2006

Genocide in the First Half of the 20th Century.
Films for the Humanities and Sciences (2002)
State-sanctioned violence has always existed, but technological advances have facilitated its use as a viable means of exerting political power. This program focuses on the 1921 Tulsa Race Riot, the 1923 Rosewood Massacre, Stalin’s forced Ukrainian famine, the Japanese Rape of Nanking, and the Holocaust. A host of survivors, experts, and scholars are interviewed.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
HV6322.7 .G4548 2002

The Geopolitics of Arctic Melt.
UNLV Greenspun School of Communication, c2009.
While the world’s attention remains riveted on Iran, Afghanistan, and Pakistan, accelerated melting of the Arctic polar icecap presages the northern polar region emerging as a new area of geopolitical, commercial, and strategic contention, as nations rush to reinforce their sovereignty claims over the region’s energy, mineral, and fish resources. The melting of the polar ice cap is having a deleterious impact on the native peoples of the region and threatens to destroy the major mammal resources there. In his presentation, Dr. Ebinger addresses these series of events and highlight what the implications are for U.S. national policy.
1 videodisc (67 min.)
QC981.8.G56 G46 2009

George H.W. Bush.
PBS Home Video, c2008
"Presents the first in-depth assessment of the forty-first president of the United States, drawing upon new scholarship and unparalleled access to figures in Bush's private and public life. This film reveals Bush as a pivotal player during a critical moment in American and world history and in a powerful political dynasty... Features interviews with First Lady Barbara Bush, Condoleezza Rice, Colin Powell, Mikhail Gorbachev, and more"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 190 min.)
E882 .G465 2008

Films for the Humanities & Sciences, [2008]
George W. Bush stands on his record as Governor of Texas and answers questions from moderator Tim Russert about what he would do if elected President. Discussion points range from Social Security and health care system reform, to his resolve to stand by Taiwan in the face of Chinese aggression and his plans for world security, to the promotion of abstinence among unwed couples.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
E902 .G455 2008

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A & E Television Network (2000)
Depicts the life of George Washington, Revolutionary War hero and first President of the United States.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
E312 .G453 2000

Gerald R. Ford: Healing the Presidency.
A&E Television Networks (2006)
Sometimes called the 'accidental president', Ford's refreshing honesty and integrity helped restore the nation's confidence in the White House following the scandalous Nixon years. Get a close up on the man behind one of the most notable presidencies.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
E866 .G472 2006

The Germans: Portrait of a New Nation.
Films for the Humanities (1995)
Profiles individuals and families from both former East and West Germany.
Features interviews with leading public officials, experts, and German Chancellor Helmut Kohl.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
HC 286.8 G478

Ghosts of Rwanda.
PBS Home Video (2005)
Through interviews with key government officials, diplomats, soldiers, and survivors, this documentary examines the state-sponsored genocide in Rwanda in 1994. Explores the reasons why the international community and the United States did not intervene as Hutu extremists killed some 800,000 Tutsis.
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)
DT450.435 .G56 2005

The G.I. Bill : The Law that Changed America.
PBS Video, c1997
During World War II Congress passed the "G.I. Bill", legislation that guaranteed education, housing and business loans to the 16 million Americans serving in the armed forces. "They had grown up in the Depression and then went off to war; they were destined to come home to an uncertain future. This single act of Congress made the future different for American GI's.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF7739.E3 G4 1997

Gibbons vs. Ogden.
Films for the Humanities (1993)
In 1818, the Marshall court ruled that Congress, not the states, had the authority to regulate commerce. Dramatizes that Supreme Court decision.
Video Cassette (30 min.)
KF 8742 A4 G52

Gideon's Trumpet.
Worldvision Home Video (1985)
Stars Henry Fonda, Jose Ferrer and John Houseman. A true story about an obscure, small-town man who helped change one of America's most important civil rights laws.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 45 min.)
PN 1995.9 D6 G53

Gitmo.
Docurama(2007)
Film attempts to document what really goes on at America's detention center in the war on terror - Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.
1 videodisc (ca. 76 min.)
HV6432 .G57 2007

Give 'Em Hell, Harry!
Worldvision Home Video (1985)
James Whitmore's one-man stage performance as President Harry S. Truman. Includes Truman's opinions on his castigation of labor unions, his upset election victory over Dewey, Joe McCarthy, warnings about the KKK, his reasons for the bombing of Hiroshima, and his firing of General MacArthur.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 43 min.)
PS 3557 A416 G52

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Giving Up the Canal.
PBS (1990)
Chronicles the history of the Panama Canal and outlines the consequences of the Carter Administration's 1977 treaty. Shows how critical policy decisions related to the war in Nicaragua and drugs have had ramifications on U.S./Panamanian relations.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
F 1569 C2 G58

God's Country.
Criterion Collection (2007)
"In 1979, Louis Malle traveled into the heart of Minnesota to capture the everyday lives of the men and women of a prosperous farming community. He returned six years later, during Ronald Reagan's second term, to find drastic economic decline. Free of stereotypes about America's heartland, God's Country, commissioned for American public television, is a stunning work of emotional and political clarity"—Container.
1 videodisc (89 min.)
F610 .G63 2007

Golden Venture.
Hillcrest Films (2006)
The film raises important questions about America's policy toward those who come in search of freedom and a better life. A case study in the politics of immigration, the multi-layered narrative also explores the culture of China's Fujian province, cross-ideological coalition building and the role art can play in the struggle for human rights.
1 videodisc (70 min.)
JV6483 .C64 2006

Gorbachev and the Fall of the Soviet Union.
Films for the Humanities (1996)
Profiles Gorbachev's life, from his rise within the Communist Party to his role in the fall of the Soviet Union.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
DK 290.3 G67 G67

[Grant] Ulysses S. Grant.
PBS Home Video, c2002
This biography of Ulysses S. Grant paints a portrait of one of America's most paradoxical leaders. The greatest hero of the Civil War, Grant was a brilliant military strategist who rose from obscurity to a rank held previously only by George Washington. However, the strength of the Confederate resistance forced Grant into a hard war that destroyed the South and led to his being labeled "a butcher." Propelled into the White House by his battlefield success, Grant lacked the political skills to deal with the issues of the era: reconstructing the South and managing the nation's rapidly expanding economy. His two terms were rocked by bitter racial conflict and corruption scandals. Seven years after leaving office, Grant was financially ruined by the collapse of an investment house in which he had placed his assets. He spent his final days in a race against time as he battled cancer while finishing his epic war memoirs.
2 Video Cassettes (ca. 240 min.)
E672 .U482 2002

The Great American Bailout.
Frontline (1989)
Investigates governmental mismanagement and political coverup in the savings and loan bailout.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
HG 2152 G74
**Great American Speeches: Eighty Years of Political Oratory.**
Films for the Humanities (1997)
Program 1: features FDR's first inaugural address & "Grilled Millionaire" speech, Huey Long's "Everyman is a king", Senator Robert LaFollette, Father Charles Coughlin, Gerald L.K. Smith's eulogy for Huey Long, Smith's keynote speech, and Georgia Governor Eugene Talmadge. (48 min.)
Program 2: FDR's declaration of war, MacArthur's "Old Soldiers Never Die" retirement speech, FDR's response to allegations of budgetary waste, Patton's speech in support of WW II, excerpts from John Lewis' five hour pro-union filibuster. (39 min.)
Program 3: Kruschchev & Nixon Kitchen Debate, Nixon's Checkers speech, Senator Humphrey's 1960 campaign address, verbal showdown between Senator McCarthy and attorney Welch at the Army-McCarthy hearings. (51 min.)
Program 4: JFK's inaugural address, the American University speech, the "Ich bin ein Berliner" address. Martin Luther King's "I Have a Dream" speech, and part of his "When a Man has Already Died" speech. (45 min.)
Program 5: Malcolm X, Rockefeller's condemnation of Barry Goldwater, Goldwater's rebuttal, Reagan's speech in support of Goldwater, Robert Kennedy's eulogy for Martin Luther King. (37 min.)
Program 6: Barbara Jordan's appeal for nonpartisan judgment at the Nixon impeachment hearings, Reagan's 1981 inaugural address, Mario Cuomo's keynote speech, Jesse Jackson's 1984 campaign speech. (55 min.)
6 Video Cassettes
PS 668 G72 prog. 1-6

**The Great Health Care Debate.**
Films for the Humanities (1994)
Examines the role of the media and special interest groups in the recent demise of national health care reform. Did the news media affect and kill the health care debate? How truthful is the information disseminated about health care reform? How do the special interests of an advocacy group shape its message?
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
RA 395 A3 G74

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Great Minds of the Western Intellectual Tradition.
Teaching Co (2000)
Presents lectures by Darren Staloff. These lectures are based on the seminar course at Columbia University on Western intellectual history augmented by additional lectures by selected "guest" lecturers. Gives a guided tour through 3,000 years of Western thought.

Lectures 1-6. Introduction ; The Pre-Socratics, physics and metaphysics ; The Sophists and social science ; Plato, metaphysics ; Plato, politics ; Plato, psychology -- Disc 2. Lectures 7-12. Aristotle, metaphysics ; Aristotle, politics ; Aristotle, ethics ; Stoicism and Epicureanism ; Roman eclecticism, Cicero and Polybius ; Roman skepticism, Sextus Empiricus.

Lectures 13-18. Introduction ; Job and the problem of suffering ; The Hebrew Bible and covenantal history ; The Synoptic Gospels, the historical Jesus and the Kingdom of God ; Paul, justification by faith ; Plotinus and Neo-Platonism -- Disc 4. Lectures 19-24. Augustine, grace and free will ; Aquinas and Christian Aristotelianism ; Universals in medieval thought ; Mysticism and Meister ; Luther, law and gospel ; Calvin and Protestantism.

pt. 3. From the Renaissance to the age of reason. Disc 5. Lectures 25-30. Introduction ; Machiavelli and the origins of political science ; More's Utopianism ; Erasmus against enthusiasm ; Galileo and the new astronomy ; Bacon's new organon and the new science -- Disc 6. Lectures 31-36. Descartes, the method of modern philosophy ; Hobbes, politics and the state of nature ; Spinoza, Rationalism and the reverence of being ; Pascal, Skepticism and Jansenism ; Bayle, Skepticism and Calvinism ; Newton and enlightened science.


Lectures 49-54. Introduction ; Kant's "Copernican Revolution" ; Kant's moral theory ; Burke, the origins of conservatism ; Hegel, history and historicism ; Marx, historical materialism -- Disc 10. Lectures 55-60. Marx, on alienation ; Mill's Utilitarianism ; Kierkegaard and the leap of faith ; Schopenhauer, the world as will and idea ; Nietzsche, perspectivism and the will to power ; Nietzsche, the death of God, morality, and self-creation.


Lectures 73-78. Introduction ; Hayek and the critique of central planning ; Popper, the open society and the philosophy of science ; Kuhn's paradigm paradigm ; Quine, ontological relativism ; Habermas, critical theory and communicative action -- Disc 14. Lectures 79-84. Rawls's theory of justice ; Derrida and deconstruction ; Rorty's neo- pragmatism ; Gouldner, ideology and the "new" class ; MacIntyre, the rationality of traditions ; Nozick's defense of libertarianism.

14 videodiscs (42 hr.) + 7 course guidebooks

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Great Presidents.
Teaching Co. (2000)
American University professor Allan J. Lichtman delivers forty-eight lectures on twelve of America's presidents.

pt. 1.
disc 1. lecture 1. The American Presidency
lecture 2. George Washington-the rise of a patriot
lecture 3. George Washington American liberator
lecture 4. George Washington-the first president
lecture 5. George Washington American icon
lecture 6. Thomas Jefferson-the pen of freedom
disc 2. lecture 7. Thomas Jefferson-party leader
lecture 8. Thomas Jefferson expansionist president
lecture 9. Thomas Jefferson-the agonies of a second term
lecture 10. Andrew Jackson-hero of the New Republic
lecture 11. Andrew Jackson-the conqueror returns
lecture 12. Andrew Jackson-the warrior president
pt. 2.
disc 3. lecture 13. Andrew Jackson-a president defiant
lecture 14. James K. Polk-party loyalist
lecture 15. James K. Polk-the first dark horse
lecture 16. James K. Polk-.apostle of manifest destiny
lecture 17. Abraham Lincoln-frontier politician
lecture 18. Abraham Lincoln-the first Republican president
disc 4. lecture 19. Abraham Lincoln-wartime leader
lecture 20. Abraham Lincoln-the martyred president
lecture 21. Theodore Roosevelt-patrician reformer
Great Presidents.(continued)
lecture 22. Theodore Roosevelt-the cowboy as president
lecture 23. Theodore Roosevelt progressive dynamo
lecture 24. Theodore Roosevelt-third-party crusader
pt. 3.
disc 5. lecture 25. Woodrow Wilson-American visionary
lecture 26. Woodrow Wilson-the professor as politician
lecture 27. Woodrow Wilson-the world stage
lecture 28. Woodrow Wilson-the fight for postwar peace
lecture 29. Franklin D. Roosevelt-provocative politician
lecture 30. Franklin D. Roosevelt-New Dealer
disc 6. lecture 31. Franklin D. Roosevelt-into the storm
lecture 32. Franklin D. Roosevelt-president in a world at war
lecture 33. Harry S Truman-a struggle for success
lecture 34. Harry S Truman-needling America's prayers
lecture 35. Harry S Truman-winning the peace
lecture 36. Harry S Truman-no accidental president
pt. 4.
disc 7. lecture 37. John F. Kennedy-the construction of a politician
lecture 38. John F. Kennedy-the emergence of a president
lecture 39. John F. Kennedy-a president in crisis
lecture 40. John F. Kennedy-his final challenges
lecture 41. Lyndon Johnson-politician in the rough
lecture 42. Lyndon Johnson-professional politician
disc 8. lecture 43. Lyndon Johnson-building the Great Society
lecture 44. Lyndon Johnson-acrimony at home and abroad
lecture 45. Ronald Reagan-“The Gipper”
lecture 46. Ronald Reagan-a conservative in the White House
lecture 47. Ronald Reagan-the acting president
lecture 48. Ronald Reagan-the teflon president
8 videodiscs + 4 course guidebooks
(73 p. each ; 22 cm.)
E176.1 .L53 2000

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
   Educational Video Group, c2004
   Presents famous speeches, each with an introduction detailing the time, place and events surrounding it.
   Nobel Peace Prize acceptance / Jimmy Carter
   Eulogy of Columbia astronauts / George W. Bush
   Speech at Johns Hopkins / Lyndon B. Johnson
   "The power of nonviolence" / Cesar Chavez
   "What is good journalism?" / Geneva Overholser
   1 videodisc (160 min.)
   PS668 .G748 2004

Greek Fire: Politics.
   Mystic Fire Video (1990)
   The Greeks invented the word and the ideal, democracy. But a mass democracy never inspired the ancient Greek thinkers.
   Video Cassette (52 min.)
   JC 75 D36 P64

   Fox Lorber Home Video (1998)
   Documentary based on Guevara's diary of his futile 11-month attempt to spark a revolution in Bolivia in 1967
   1 Video Cassette (94 min.)
   F2849.22.G85 E75 1998

The Gulf War.
   PBS (1997)
   Presents a history and behind the scenes investigation of the Persian Gulf crisis.
   Interviews with key political and military leaders, pilots, and soldiers.
   2 Video Cassettes (4 hr.)
   DS 79.72 G77 pt. 1-2

Gunning For Saddam.
   PBS Video (2001)
   "As Americans are confronted by acts of bioterrorism, powerful forces in the nation's capitol believe Iraqi President Saddam Hussein is to blame, for this and many other terrorist acts during the last decade. Many are lobbying to mobilize a military operation to oust Hussein when the next phase of the war on terrorism kicks in." -Container. This program also looks at Saddam Hussein's taste for revenge during his two decades as Iraq's leader, and at the failure of U.S. policy on Iraq since 1991, including the failure to support uprisings against Saddam in the northern and southern parts of Iraq.
   1 Video Cassette (57 min.)
   DS79.736 .G85 2001

Guns, Drugs, and the CIA.
   PBS (1989)
   Discusses the CIA and its role in international drug dealings.
   Video Cassette (58 min.)
   JK 468 I6 G85

Hacking Democracy.
   Docurama (2006)
   This documentary exposes gaping holes in the security of America's electronic voting system. Takes a nonpartisan, clear-eyed look at the secrecy, cronyism, and incompetence of elections in present-day America as it captures a citizen's movement intent on taking back elections and democracy itself.
   1 videodisc (ca. 81 min.)

Haiti: Killing the Dream.
   Crowing Rooster Prod. (1992)
   An overview of the political history of the Haitian people and their struggle for self rule. Includes a discussion of the Haitian refugees in the U.S.
   Video Cassette
   Fact Sheet (4 p.)
   F 1928.2 H32

Haiti's Black Boat People.
   Cassette
   HV 640.5 H3 H34

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Harvest of Fear. 
PBS Vide (2001) 
Frontline and Nova explore the intensifying debate over genetically-modified (GM) food crops. Interviewing scientists, farmers, biotech and food industry representatives, government regulators, and critics of biotechnology, this two-hour report presents both sides of the debate, exploring the risks and benefits, the hopes and fears, of this new technology. 
1 videodisc (120 min.) 
TP248.65.F66 H375 2001

The Hate Conspiracy: The Rise and Fall of The Order. 
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2000) 
Hugh Downs and Meredith Vieira document the history of the white supremacist group The Order, led by Robert J. Matthews. The Order was allegedly responsible for the assassination of Alan Berg, for killing Jewish children at a day care center, among other crimes. Disaffected members, federal agents, and others are interviewed. 
Video Cassette (40 min.) 
HS2330.O73 H37 2000

Healing the Water. 
Water Education Foundation (2001?) 
Pyramid Lake has long been the focal point of a tug-of-war between water stakeholders. There is competition for water in this arid land among Native Americans, farmers, urban users, environmentalists and the people of Nevada and California. New agreements to allocate the water have been made and, if terms can be worked out, the solutions found in Nevada could provide answer for the rest of the West. 
Video Cassette (56 min.) 
HD1695.T7 H42 2001

Hearts and Hands. 
New Day Films, 2008 
A film in which the primary materials of women's lives - diaries, letters, photographs, and quilts - are pieced together to tell a story of nineteenth century women from New England, the South, the Midwest, and the West. 
1 videodisc (60 min.) 
HQ1418 .H435 2008

Heat. 
PBS Home Video, c2008 
Under pressure from governments, green groups, and investors, big businesses, such as the oil and coal companies, electric utilities, and automobile manufacturers, are promising to reshape their approach to the environment, climate change, and carbon emissions. Shows how some corporations around the world are fighting to fend off new regulations while others are repositioning themselves to meet these challenges. Visits the melting glaciers of the Himalayas, Chinese coal companies, Indian SUV makers, and American oil giants, among other locations. 
1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.) 
TD195.E49 H43 2008

Hell of a Nation: Pulling Afghani Democracy From the Fire. 
Films for the Humanities and Sciences (2006) 
As Afghanistan struggled to adopt a new constitution, Wide Angle filmed behind the scenes at the December 2003 Loya Jirga. The documentary profiles two aspiring Afghan delegates who face political opposition and physical intimidation as they literally risk their lives to participate in the future of their country. Hell of a Nation also examines the frantic preparations of the international and Afghan logistics team as it scrambles to register potential delegates, distribute copies of the newly drafted constitution, and hold elections for delegates. 
1 videodisc (60 min.) 
DS371.4 .H45 2006

Help Wanted: Dynamics of the EU Labor Market. 
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2007 
Examines proposed and existing guest worker programs designed to address the results of globalization, low birth rate and an aging labor force. Looks at immigrant education, ambition and self-employment, worker job security and the growth of sex industries. 
1 videodisc (26 min.) 
HD8378.5.A2 H45 2007

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Hirohito: The Chrysanthemum Throne.
Learning Corp. of America (1986)
After the bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Hirohito surrendered to the Allies. He settled into his new role as a constitutional monarch and Japan began to change from militant authoritarianism to the form of democracy it is today.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
DS 889.8 H57

History of Women's Achievement in America.
Ambrose Video Publishing (2006)
"The unique and independent American woman: adventurer... pioneer... poet... mother... educator... artist... freedom fighter. 'A history of women's achievement in America' examines the 400-year history of American women's inspiring accomplishments and victories. Without the American woman's pioneering fortitude, the early colonies at Jamestown and Plymouth Plantation, would not have survived. Since then, millions of America's pioneering women have continued to push the frontier ever forward. Destined to play an essential role in the shaping of the USA, the American woman forged an identity unlike any before her. That identity found a voice as she contributed to America's wealth of talent in the arts and sciences. American women led the fight to end slavery, limit corporate power and provide education for all, as well as protect the poor, disenfranchised and mentally unstable. All the while, these unique American women fought tirelessly for their own equal rights in education, employment and politics including their right to vote"--Container cover
Disc 1. The making of a new world, 1621-1835 -- The ears of women's firsts, 1836-1851
disc 2. Women speak out, 1852-1888 -- America enters the world of nations, 1889-1915
4 videodiscs (232 min.) + 1 guide
CT3260 .H57 2006 1-4 +guide

History and Functions of the United Nations.
Library Distributors of America
Explains all the functions and activities of the U.N.
2 Video Cassettes (1 hr.)
JX 1997 H57
Holy Terror.
Cinema Guild (1991)
Examines the emerging political activism of the religious New Right.
Focuses on their anti-abortion efforts and their impact on American political life.
Explains that the growing coalition of the religious New Right and the political New Right has a long range political agenda that extends far beyond the abortion issue.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
HQ 767.15 H64

Hoover Dam.
PBS Video
Story of the building of Hoover Dam.
Video Cassette (60 min.)
TC557.5.H6 H66 1999

The Horror Continues.
Films for the Humanities and Sciences (2002)
The late 20th century produced a sinister euphemism: 'ethnic cleansing.' This program concludes a comprehensive survey of genocide by looking at the most recent examples in Iraq, Iran, and Turkey; Burundi and Rwanda; the former Yugoslavia; Indonesia and East Timor; and Chechnya. The role and efforts of the United Nations are discussed as well as what the future holds in trying to prevent genocide.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
HV6322.7 .H67 2002

Hot Politics.
PBS Video, c2007
Film going "behind the scenes to explore how bi-partisan political and economic forces prevented the U.S. government from confronting the issues surrounding global warming. Also examines some of the key moments shaping the politics surrounding global warming. Additionally, the film shows how local and state governments, and the private sector are now taking steps to deal with these issues in the absence of federal leadership"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
QC981.8.G56 H6715 2007

House of Saud.
PBS Video (2005)
"...explores how the Al Saud family maintains its hold on power in the face of growing tensions between Islam and modernity. Through interviews with members of the royal family, government officials, and other experts from Saudi Arabia and the U.S., the two-hour documentary also traces America's relations with the Saudi royal family from their first alliance in the 1930s through September 11 and beyond to the present day"—Container.
1 videodisc (120 min.)
DS244.52 .H68 2005

How a Bill Becomes a Law.
Cambridge Educational (1992)
Explains how a bill is conceived, moved through or killed in committee, amended, prepared for a vote, and sent for the President's or Governor's signature.
Video Cassette
KF 4945 H68

How Nice to See You Alive.
Women Make Movies (1989)
Interviews with 8 women who were political prisoners during the military dictatorship of the Brazilian government are framed by the fantasies of an anonymous character. Records personal memories, political repressions, and the will to survive.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 40 min.)
F 2538.2 Q42

How to Get Fat Without Really Trying.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2005)
In this ABC News special, Peter Jennings reveals how government policies and food industry practices are helping to make Americans fat. Mr. Jennings' report begins in the farmlands of America and includes government agencies and representatives from the food industry. He examines how the type of government subsidies provided to farmers influences which food are marketed or emphasized as part of healthy eating standards.
1 videodisc (44 min.)
RA645.O23 H68 2005

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
In this program, William Antholis, managing director of the Brookings Institution, explains that they have five research programs at Brookings: foreign policy, government studies, economic studies, metro studies, and global economy and development. He also talks about the financial crisis of the last fall, presidential election, common defense, general welfare, and blessing of liberty. Mark Muro and Robert Lang explain how places like Las Vegas respond to crises.

- How We’re Doing: A Composite Index of Global and National Trends.
  - UNLV Greenspun School of Communication, c2009
  - Presents a reassessment of Dwight D. Eisenhower’s legacy and tells the personal story of the man who played a key role in world events through two of the most critical decades in this century.
    - 1 videodisc (144 min.)
    - E836 .I34 2000

- Ike Eisenhower.
  - Shanachie, c1993
  - The story of Dwight D. Eisenhower’s life, with comments by contemporaries and historians.
    - 2 videocassettes (ca. 150 min.)
    - E835 .I44 1993

- Human Rights in China.
  - Films for the Humanities & Sciences (1998)
  - Examines the potentials of China’s newly emerged economic power and looks at the problems associated with China’s economic reform.
    - Video Cassette (49 min.)
    - JC 599 C6 H857

- I Nastupil den Vosmoi = Here Comes the Eighth Day.
  - Artistic License (2001)
  - A documentary that takes an offbeat look at the chaos that exists in Russia today after the fall of Communism as a viable social system
    - 1 videocassette (50 min.)

- If Walls Could Talk: Secrets, Scandals and Revelations of the American Presidency.
  - A&E (1993)
  - The executive power of the White House has not always been used properly. Many presidencies have been touched by scandal. Looks at the scandals that have made headlines, from Presidents Washington to Bush.
    - Video Cassette (50 min.)
    - JK 2249 I32

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In Anita's Wake: The Irrational War on Florida's Gay Families.
Vicki Nantz Films, 2010
Florida is the only state in America to explicitly ban gay and lesbian people from adopting children, even as the state foster care system is overwhelmed with neglected kids who need safe, forever homes and legal protections. And even though the ban has been ruled unconstitutional and having no rational basis, the state continues to defend it at enormous cost to the state and to our families. The film features appearances by Martin Gill, Cynthia Nixon, Stuart Milk, Vanessa & Melanie Alenier, Nadine Smith, Fmr. Rep. Elaine Bloom, Sen. Nan Rich, Rep. Mary Brandenburg, Rep. Kelly Skidmore, Sen. Dan Gelber, Rep. Scott Randolph, Robert Rosenwald, Dr. Kathryn Norsworthy, Jack Rutland, Shelbi Day, Alan Mishael, Elizabeth Schwartz, Brandon K. Thorp and Penn Bullock
1 videodisc (70 min.)
HV875.72.U6 I5 2010

In Debt We Trust: America Before the Bubble Bursts.
Media Education Foundation, (2007)
This documentary, examining the increasing debt burden carried by millions of Americans, argues that corrupt practices by financial and government institutions are fostering citizens' dependence on credit while creating a ballooning national debt that is leading the country towards fiscal disaster.
Introduction (4:46)
The credit card crusader (4:40)
How the companies operate (3:19)
The marketing machine (5:36)
How did we get into this mess? (2:37)
A nation transformed (1:00)
The crunch is coming (2:26)
Bankruptcy blues (5:33)
The politics of credit (5:23)
Predators at work (10:22)
What must be done? (6:21)
1 videodisc (52 min.)
HG3711.U6 I5 2007

In Search of Stability.
PBS (1987)
Studies several means of governing.
New social orders are examined to illustrate an Africa in search of a viable form of government during the post-independence period.
Video Cassette (3/4", 1 hr.)
DT 14 A57 Pt. 6

In Search of the Constitution.
Public Affairs Television (1987)
Bill Moyers interviews Supreme Court Justices, historians, scholars, and citizens whose lives have been directly involved with constitutional issues.
1. In The Beginning
2. Mr. Justice Blackmun
3. Mr. Justice Brennan
4. Ronald Dworkin: The Changing Story
5. God And The Constitution
7. For The People
8. 1987 vs. The Constitution
9. Mortimer Adler: Teaching The Constitution
10. Justice Sandra Day O'Connor
11. Justice Greylord Style
10 Programs on 4 videos
(58 min. each)
JK 39 I5 pt. 1-10

In the Name of God.
First Run/Icarus Films (1992)
Documents the attempt by Hindu militants to forcibly construct the Ram temple as a symbol of Hindu resurgence and the efforts of secular Indians to prevent the spreading of religious intolerance and hatred in the name of God. As the temple-mosque controversy takes center stage, the religious riots claim thousands of lives. Fundamentalism has become a short cut to political power and the middle class is fed on "pop" religion.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 35 min.)
DS 430 R34
Independent Intervention: Breaking Silence.
Bullfrog Films, c2006
Norwegian filmmaker Tonje Hessen Schei questions the American press' coverage of the war in Iraq, focusing especially on the negative influence of corporate media conglomerates and embedded war correspondents. Also explores the outsider-led media democracy movement.
1 videodisc (75 min.)
PN4784.W37 I53 2006

Indigeni: Native Women: Politics.
Motion Visual (1995)
Discusses the repression of First Nations women in Canada under European dominance. Native women from British Columbia talk about what self-government means to them and how they hope to see it implemented. Highlights the Sechelt Band, the first to receive self-government in B.C., and its accomplishments.
1 videocassette (24 min.)
E92 .I53 1995

Inaugural Ceremony: 1/20/93.
Purdue Research Foundation (1993)
Live coverage of the inauguration of Bill Clinton and Albert Gore. Includes the inaugural address of the new president, remarks by Reverend Billy Graham and recitation of poem by Maya Angelou.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 885 I53

Inside Burma.
Bullfrog Films, 1998
Investigates the history and brutality of the military dictatorship in Burma.
1 videodisc (51 min.)
DS530.65 .I57 1998

Inside Pinochet's Prisons.
Filmakers Library, (1999)
Secretly filmed by East German journalists who penetrated the concentration camps in Chile 1973. scenes of life there and the truth of Pinochet's brutal regime are laid bare.
1 videocassette (30 min.)
F3100 .I57 1999

Inside the CIA: On Company Business.
MPI Home Video (1987)
Pt. 1 - The History (58 min.)
Pt. 2 - Assassination (47 min.)
Pt. 3 - Subversion (67 min.)
3 Video Cassettes
JK 468 I6 O52 pt. 1-3

Inside the Cold War.
Films for the Humanities (1998)
Superpowers Collide
(48 min.) D 842 S87
Powerplay: End of an Empire
(50 min.) D 842 I54
2 Video Cassettes

Inside the U.S. Secret Service.
Discusses the measures the Secret Service uses to protect the President, the day-to-day challenges faced by agents protecting presidents as far back as Truman, and the training agents receive. Also shows the preparations required for a presidential speaking event.
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)
HV7961 .I57 2004

The Insurgency.
PBS Video (2006)
The Iraqi insurgency continues to challenge the most highly trained and best-equipped military in the world. This investigation includes access to insurgent leaders, commanders of Iraqi and U.S. military units, and journalists who have risked their lives to meet insurgent leaders. Frontline explores the battle for one Iraqi town and presents testimony from civilians whose families were targets.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
DS79.76 .I57 2006

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Intelligent Infrastructure -- The Movie.
Automation Newsletter Co. (1990)
Presents GIS facts and features interviews with active North American GIS project leaders. Produced for state and local government leaders and the consultants, service organizations, and specialists who serve them from emergency vehicle routing to city planning/zoning to water distribution plant analysis.
   Video Cassette (15 min.)
   G 70.2 I57

International Terrorism.
Films for the Humanities (1995)
Describes the origins, growth and effects of the major players in international terrorism: the Palestinians and the Shiite fundamentalists. Explains the motivations of terrorists. Examines the moral dilemmas which governments, that respect human rights, must face when acts of terrorism occur.
   Video Cassette (52 min.)
   HV 6431 I5567

Investigating the President: Impeachment Hearings.
(1998)
Hearings held in the House of Representatives to decide whether to impeach President Bill Clinton because of his sexual relationship with White House intern Monica Lewinsky and because of the subsequent cover-up. Includes comments by CNN reporters.
   1 Video Cassette (368 min.)
   KF5076.C57 I58 1998

The Invisible Wall.
Pace News Ltd. (1993)
Presents issues of the power in food politics, roles of multinational corporations, Third World debt, and trade barriers in fueling poverty and environmental destruction in the world's poorest countries.
   Video Cassette
   HD 9018 D44 I58

I.O.U.S.A. Roadside Attractions.
Distributed by PBS Home Video, 2009
"I.O.U.S.A. tells the story of America in debt. Faced with key deficits in budget, savings, trade and leadership, increased foreign competition and ballooning financial obligations, the federal government is critically overextended. With the economy already in shambles, 78 million baby boomers are now expecting retirement benefits from their indebted federal government. Weaving together archival footage, economic data and candid interviews with Warren Buffett, Alan Greenspan, Paul O'Neill, Robert Rubin, Alice Rivlin and Paul Volcker, along with David Walker of the Peter G. Peterson Foundation and Robert Bixby of the Concord Coalition, the film offers a vivid and alarming profile of America's financial status"—Container.
   1 videodisc (ca. 85 min.)
   HJ7537 .I56 2009

Iraq For Sale.
Brave New Films, c2006
"Uncovers the connections between private corporations making a killing in Iraq and the decision makers who allow them to do so"--Publisher's website.
   1 videodisc (75 min.)
   DS79.76 .I7257 2006

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Iraq in Fragments.
Typecast Releasing, c2007
Documentary in three parts. Offers a series of intimate, passionately-felt portraits: A fatherless 11-year-old is apprenticed to the domineering owner of a Baghdad garage; Sadr followers in two Shiite cities rally for regional elections while enforcing Islamic law at the point of a gun; a family of Kurdish farmers welcomes the U.S. presence, which has allowed them a measure of freedom previously denied. American director James Longley spent more than two years filming in Iraq to create this stunningly photographed, poetically rendered documentary of the war-torn country as seen through the eyes of Sunnis, Shiites and Kurds.

Disc 1. Iraq in Fragments (94 min.)
Disc 2. Sari's Mother (21 min.)
Iraq before the War (14 min.)
An Interview with James Longley (20 min.)
Independent Film & Television College (IFTC) shorts: Hiwar (12 min.)
Let the Show Begin (15 min.)
Omar is My Friend (15 min.)
Baghdad Days (34 min.)
2 videodiscs (94 min.)
DS 79.769 .I73 2007

Irish Civil War: The Madness From Within.
Films for the Humanities and Sciences, (2004)
"In 1922, the people of Ireland turned against each other in one of the bloodiest civil wars in history. In the aftermath, the country descended into a subversive, fratricidal conflict that lasted for decades. This program features interviews with participants in the Civil War, some in their 90s, whose passionate defense of the side they took remains as strong and vivid as ever. Contributions from surviving relatives of participants in the war, including three sons and daughters of members of the 1922 Provisional Government headed by Eamon de Valera and Michael Collins, provide insights into the infighting that led to Collins' assassination. The political roles of the parties Sinn Fein and Fianna Fail are examined, as well as the military role of the Irish Republican Army. Interviews are interwoven throughout with archival footage and photographs from the period.—Container

1 videodisc (59 min.)
DA 965 .C6 175 2004

Iran: A Revolution Betrayed.
Films Inc.
Uses clandestinely shot film to chronicle the events that led to the Shah's overthrow, Khomeini's return from exile, the bloody purges that replaced one tyranny with another, and the fanaticism, torture, repression, and mass execution that govern Iran.

Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DS 318.825 I75

Is This Any Way to Run a Government?
WGBH (1994)
Focuses on excesses, abuse, and mismanagement in one government agency. Examines how the attempts to reorganize or downsize three sacred cows at the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture -- the commodity subsidy programs, the Forest Service, and the Rural Electrification Administration, have made no progress in the era of "reinventing government."

Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 469 1994

Islam vs. Islam.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2003)
Bill Moyers interviews journalists and scholars about the history and motives of the states grouped under the heading "Islamic nations". Panelists examine the fulcrum of the conflict in the Middle East: the tension between the growth of religious expression in the region and the pressures of modernity from the West.

1 Video Cassette (58 min.)
BP 163 .I775 2003

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Isolating America.
Center for Defense Information (2000)
Against the tide of globalization, America is becoming increasingly isolationist. This program reviews the question of whether major increases in military spending are a better investment than fostering regional peace initiatives, using diplomacy and helping former enemies become democratic friends.
1 videocassette (30 min.)
E744 .I693 2000

Israel.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2004)
“...This jarring program chiefly uses the ideological battle between ultra-orthodox Jews and Zionists to examine the division between religion and politics in Israel. Leaders of religious parties attack the thinking of Tommy Lapid, minister of justice and leader of Shinui, the main party advocating secularism. In addition, candid firsthand accounts illustrate the identity crises faced by many Israeli Arabs. Also featured are perspectives of neutral Jews from Poland to Morocco, Ethiopia to Russia, who have emigrated to the progressive city of Ashdod to escape the otherwise dominant religious and secular debate”—Container.
1 videodisc (37 min.)
BM390 .I77 2004

Israel: the Covert Connection.
PBS (1989)
Investigates America's strategic relationship with Israel since the 1950s and our covert and overt ties to Israeli arms deals and intelligence operations.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
UA 12 I87

Israel's Next War?
PBS Video (2005)
A look at the small group of Israelis who have vowed to derail any peace settlement between Ariel Sharon's government and the Palestinian Authority. Israel is concerned that extremists among Jewish settlers could start a civil war or a wider conflict with the Muslim world, once the Gaza Strip falls under Palestinian jurisdiction.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
DS119.76 .I88 2005

The Ister.
In 1942 Martin Heidegger delivered as series of lectures on Friedrich Hölderlin's poem The Ister, lectures in which he addressed the political, cultural and military chaos facing Germany at that time. In this film, on a journey from the mouth of the Danube in Romania to its source in the Black Forest, three French philosophers, Bernard Stiegler, Jean-Luc Nancy, Philippe Lacoue-Labarthe, and the German filmmaker Hans-Jürgen Syberberg, ponder Heidegger's philosophical ideas about technology, time, mortality, memory and history, and consider how they relate to today's Europe.
2 videodiscs (189 min.)
B3279.H49 I88 2004

Jefferson's Blood.
PBS Video, c2000
Examines Thomas Jefferson's life and follows the descendents of Jefferson and his slave Sally Hemings as they undergo DNA testing and search out their family history.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E332.2 .J52 2000

Jesus Camp.
Magnolia Home Entertainment (2006)
A first-ever look into an intense training ground that recruits born-again Christian children to become an active part of America's political future. Follow these children at summer camp in Devil's Lake, North Dakota as they hone their 'prophetic gifts'
1 videodisc (ca. 84 min.)
BR1641.A1 J47 2007

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The Jesus Factor.
WGBH Educational Foundation (2004)
"As an evangelical Christian, President Bush has something in common with 46 percent of Americans who describe themselves as being 'born again' or having personal relationships with Jesus Christ. To what extent do the President's spiritual beliefs impact or influence his political decision-making? And how closely do Bush's religious views mirror those of the country's burgeoning, and politically influential, evangelical movement?"—
Container
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)

JFK.
Director Oliver Stone blends archival film with acted sequences in his version of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, which alleges that there was a massive plot and cover-up surrounding JFK's death.
2 DVDs (3 hrs 41 min)
E842.9 .G352 2000

JFK, Hoffa, and the Mob.
Frontline (1992)
Discusses the theory that Jimmy Hoffa and the Mafia conspired to assassinate President Kennedy.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 842.9 J43

JFK: A Presidency Revealed.
Story of America's 35th president John F. Kennedy. Includes never-before-released material including White House audiotapes and Soviet footage from Kennedy's sole superpower summit. Also includes home videos of the Kennedy family and the story of his father, Joseph Kennedy, v. 1: JFK : a presidency revealed / produced by David Taylor ; hosted by Frank Sesno v. 2: Biography. JFK : a personal story ; Joseph Kennedy, Sr. :father of an American dynasty 2 videodiscs (300 min.) 1 text (160 p.)
E842.9 .J2 2003 1 and 2

Jihad in America.
PBS (1994)
Features videos of militants' meetings in the U.S., interviews with leading law enforcement and government officials, and discussion about the civil liberties issues our society faces with the threat of terrorism.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
BP 182 J54

Jimmy Carter.
PBS Home Video (2002)
..."Examines the failings of Carter's political leadership in the context of the turbulent 1970’s and explores the role religion played in his career." Also discusses the Camp David Accords, and Carter's role as a moral leader after he left the White House.
2 videocassettes (180 min.)
E873 .J542 2002

Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2007
Jimmy Carter makes his case for a second term in the White House. The President also talks about the ongoing Iran hostage crisis and the Olympic boycott against the Soviet Union.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
E872 .J56 2007

This program describes the role of John and Abigail Adams in shaping the destiny of the new American nation.
1 videocassette (45 min.)
E322 .J645 2002
GPN Educational Media, c2001
Chronicles the career of John Gardner, an "establishment" man who took on the establishment to build a better America. Called the "ultimate builder of ideas, people and causes," Gardner founded Common Cause and played an instrumental role in a vast array of enterprises: campaign finance reform, education reform, civil rights enforcement, Medicare, public television, volunteer action and community renewal. The film also tells the story of the unique relationship between President Lyndon Johnson, a practical politician, and Gardner, an idea man, after his appointment in 1965 as Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
E748.G22 J64 2001

John McCain: American Maverick.
A&E (1999)
Biography examines his past and his prospects.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
E 840.8 M26 J64

John Locke.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"This program chronicles the life and work of John Locke, the 17th-century English philosopher and political theorist considered by many to be the first notable thinker of the Enlightenment"—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min)
B1297 .J618 2006

Journeys with George.
HBO Video, c2004
"In 1999, network television producer Alexandra Pelosi, daughter of California Democratic congresswoman Nancy Pelosi, was asked to cover the Bush campaign for NBC"—Container.
1 videodisc (76 min.)
E889 .J68 2004

The Judicial Branch of Government.
Cambridge Educational
Focuses on the Judicial Branch and its role in government. Shows how its decisions affect our daily lives, how it resolves disputes without bloodshed, interprets our laws, and prevents the Legislative and Executive Branches from abusing their power.
Video Cassette
KF 8700 J83

Justice and the Generals.
On December 2, 1980, three nuns (Ita Ford, Maura Clarke, and Dorothy Kazel) and one lay worker (Jean Donovan) were abducted, raped, and murdered by El Salvadoran National Guardsmen. This documentary covers the initial investigation, the trial of the Guardsmen, and later attempts to bring to justice the military leaders (Carlos Eugenio Vides Casanova, director of the National Guard, and Jose Guillermo Garcia, head of the ministry of defense) who ordered the murders.
1 Video Cassette (ca. 86 min.)
HV6322.3.S2 J87 2002

Justice and Jihad.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2003)
Bill Moyers interviews journalists and scholars about the conflicts between Israelis and Palestinians. Their dialogue explores the religious and political roots of these chronic troubles and presents an outline of a viable future accord.
1 Video Cassette (58 min.)
BP182 .J87 2003

Karl Marx: Architect of the 20th Century.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"This program chronicles Marx's life and intellectual development, including the publication and impact of his major writings"—Container.
1 videodisc (21 min.)
HX39.5 .K283 2006

Karl Marx and Marxism.
Films for the Humanities (1993)
Video Cassette (52 min.)
HX 39.5 K282

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PBS Home Video (2005)
Traces the political history and career of Karl Rove—a man who has been on the inside of every political and policy decision of George W. Bush's administration, including the battles on Social Security, taxes, and tort reform.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
E840.8.R68 K37 2005

Kathleen Hall Jamieson on Political Advertising.
Political and media analyst Kathleen Hall Jamieson shares her analyses of American political ads, including "issue" and "attack" ads, to show their actual agendas. Moyers and Jamieson discuss how these ads affect future elections and American politics in general.
1 videodisc (71 min.)
JF2112.A4 K37 2003

Kennedy: Years of Charisma.
Learning Corp. of America (198?)
The assassination of J.F.K. brought an end to a vibrant period in the American political system. The brevity of his years in office makes an objective evaluation of his accomplishments difficult.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
E 842 K45

The Kennedys.
PBS DVD Video (2000)
Uses extensive interviews, still photographs and archival footage to explore the building of the Kennedy legend. Documents the political ascendency of the family headed by Joseph P. Kennedy, Sr., examines the presidency of John F. Kennedy, and discusses the influence of Joseph P. Kennedy, Sr., on the careers of his sons.
1 videodisc (ca. 229 min.)
E842 .K46 2000

Kennedy's Cold War.
MPI (1988)
A declassified 1963 Pentagon Report. Details the efforts of the U.S. to combat communism worldwide, both covertly and militarily.
Video Cassette (32 min.)
UA 23 K45

Kent State.
AIMS Media
Summary in History section.
Video Cassette (23 min.)
LD 4191 O72 K46

Key Constitutional Concepts.
Annenberg Foundation Trust, (2006)
"These three 20- minute videos examine key constitutional concepts. The first explains why the nation's framers created the Constitution. The second describes the protection of individual rights by highlighting the Supreme Court case of Gideon v. Wainwright, affirming the right to an attorney. The last explores the separation of powers by examining the Supreme Court case of Youngstown v. Sawyer, a challenge to President Truman's decision to take over steel mills during the Korean War"—
Container.
  pt. 1. Creating a constitution
  pt. 2. One man changes the Constitution, Gideon v. Wainwright
  pt. 3. Checks and balances, Youngstown v. Sawyer
1 videodisc (60 min.)
KF5130 K49 2006

Kilometer 0: WTO Shipwrecks in Cancun.
AIRE (2003)
Protest against the World Trade Organization meeting held in Cancun in September 2003.
1 videocassette (58 min.)
HF1385 .K54 2003

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Kim's Nuclear Gamble.
PBS Home Video (2003)
Documentary tracing the events that have brought the world to the brink of a nuclear showdown in East Asia. Through interviews with key insiders, including former cabinet secretaries, U.S. ambassadors, diplomats, and negotiators, it examines the highly unstable relationship between America and North Korea and the question of what to do about North Korea's determination to develop nuclear weapons.
1 Video Cassette (60 min.)
U264.5.K7 K54 2003

Kings and Pirates.
Films Inc. (1986)
Explores the history of ups and downs in the Persian Gulf---a story replete with conquering nations, pirates, and times of wealth and poverty.
Video Cassette (59 min.)
DS 247 A13 K55

The Korean War: Fire & Ice.
History Channel (1999)
Explores the origins, conduct, military strategies and political implications of this pivotal Cold War struggle. Presents rare archival film footage, combined with interviews of American veterans of the Korean War.
4 videocassettes (ca. 50 min. each)
DS918 .K5647 1999 v.1 -4

Kuwait: A Changing Nation.
Filmmakers Library (2002)
"Examines how Kuwait has progressed in the last decade.
1 Video Cassette (36 min.)
DS247.K88 K88 2002

Lake of Fire.
Thinkfilm 2006
A look at the subject of abortion where there can be no absolutes, no "right" or "wrong." Equal time is given to both sides, covering arguments from either extremes of the spectrum, as well as those at the center, who acknowledge that, in the end, everyone is "right" or "wrong."
1 videodisc (152 min.)
HQ767 .L35 2006

The Land of the Demons.
MPI Home Video (1993)
Peter Jennings hosts this documentary which focuses on the bloody wars erupting within the former republic of Yugoslavia, why other European powers are reluctant to intervene, and the pros and cons of American intervention.
Video Cassette (45 min.)
DR 1313 L35

The Language of War.
Center for Defense Information (1990)
Does the military use language to clarify or camouflage the reality of war and preparations for war? Analyzes the Pentagon's brand of English and raises questions about the critical impact of language on public debate and public policy.
Video Cassette (29 min.)
U 26 L25

The Last Abortion Clinic.
PBS Video (2005)
"The headlines today are filled with speculation about changes in the U.S. Supreme Court and what those changes might mean for abortion--an issue that has divided the country for more than 30 years. Heated rhetoric from both sides continues to be heard in courtrooms and on the campaign trail. But while attention is often focused on the arguments, there is another story playing out in local communities. Pro-life advocates have waged a successful campaign to reduce abortions in many places throughout the country. By using state laws to regulate and limit abortion and by creating their own clinics to offer alternatives to women, they have changed the facts on the ground. FRONTLINE investigates the steady decline in the number of physicians and clinics performing abortions, and focuses on local political battles in states like Mississippi, where only a single clinic performs the controversial procedure"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
HQ767.5.U5 L36 2005

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The Last Angry Man.
  University of Oregon (1999)
  A documentary film on the life of
  Oregon's outspoken senator, featuring
  interviews with a variety of colleagues, rivals
  and friends.
  Video Cassette (57 min.)
  Guide (32 p.)
  E748.M76 L37 1999

The Last Revolutionary: Complete Portrait of Fidel Castro.
  CBS News (1996)
  Dan Rather interviews Fidel Castro
  and visits scenes from his revolutionary
  days.
  Video Cassette (1 hr.)
  F 1788 C3 L37

Law and Order.
  Films for the Humanities (1987)
  Examines the nature of the
  constitutional safeguards against
  unwarranted government intrusions into
  citizens' privacy and whether individual
  rights to privacy should be restricted to
  achieve the goals of public safety and
  security.
  Video Cassette (55 min.)
  KF 9630 L39

LBJ.
  PBS Home Video 2006
  LBJ, Lyndon Baines Johnson --
  Texan, Democrat, political virtuoso. He rises
  up out of the 1960s like a Colossus, like
  something from Shakespeare, filling the
  stage -- 10, 12 characters in one. He is
  admired and he is detested. But the real
  measure of a leader is what he gets done,
  the size of the problems he faces. Before
  Lyndon Johnson, we were essentially a
  segregated society. Inequality among black
  Americans in the South was set in law.
  Before Lyndon Johnson, there was no Head
  Start program, no Medicare -- so much that
  we take for granted -- and before Lyndon
  Johnson, very few Americans had even
  heard of Vietnam. He is a story, a very
  American story and, in all, a tragedy in the
  real sense. He is the central character in a
  struggle of moral importance ending in ruin.
  1 videodisc (ca. 235 min.)
  E847 .L38 2006

LBJ vs. the Kennedys.
  A&E Television Networks (2004)
  With the assassination of President
  John F. Kennedy on November 22, 1963,
  Lyndon Johnson was thrust into the nation's
  highest office, starting a new chapter in his
  increasingly bitter feud with the dead
  president's brother, Robert Kennedy. These
  two men, who openly despised one another,
  were now expected to work together to
  guide the nation through a turbulent time.
  This documentary goes inside the Oval
  Office to tell the complete story of this
  strained relationship, using reenactments,
  never-before-heard oral histories, and LBJ's
  White House telephone recordings.
  1 videodisc (ca. 100 min.)
  E846 .L35 2004

Lead for Life.
  Films for the Humanities & Sciences
  (2006)
  Presents the history of leaded
  gasoline and its impact on human health
  and intelligence.
  1 videodisc (30 min.)
  GE140 .L43 2006

Legacy of the Hollywood Blacklist.
  Direct Cinema Limited (1988)
  An examination of the long lasting
  effects of the hearings conducted by The
  House Committee on un-American Activities
  which investigated the movie industry.
  Video Cassette (1 hr.)
  PN 1993.5 U65 L44

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Letters From the Other Side.
New Day Films, [2006]
"Interweaves video letters carried across the U.S./Mexico border by [filmmaker Heather Courtney] with the personal stories of women left behind in post-NAFTA Mexico, giving voice to 4 amazing women who feel the effects of failed immigration and trade policies on a daily basis. Focusing on a side of the immigration story rarely told by the media or touched upon in our national debate, LETTERS offers a fresh perspective, painting a complex portrait of families torn apart by economics, communities dying at the hands of globalization, and governments incapable or unwilling to do anything about it"—Container
1 videodisc (73 min.)
CT3295 .L48 2006

Leviathan.
Knowledge Products (1987)
Explores the social and political philosophies spawned by opposition to the Stuart monarchy in England. Pays special attention to Hobbe's theory of the "state of nature", the social contract, governmental sovereignty, right of resistance against unjust laws, and the right to liberty of conscience.
2 Cassettes
JC 153 L48

Liberia: America's Stepchild.
PBS Home Video (2002)
From Haitian slave revolts and the American Colonization Society to the 1997 election of Charles Taylor to the presidency and his corrupt administration, this program looks at events leading up the founding of Liberia and its history up through the twentieth century.
1 Video Cassette (approx. 90 min.)
DT631 .L42 2002

Liberty and Limits.
PBS (1997)
Constant Combatants: The President & Congress. JK 305 C65
Privacy & Security on the Eve of the Millennium. JC 596.2 U5 P75
Whose Law, Whose Order?
HV 8141 W46
3 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)

Life, Liberty & the Pursuit of Happiness.
Video Project, c2002
"Playfully updating the 1950's school documentary, Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness uses political and social satire to explore the issue of reproductive rights for women. Found-footage, animation, and original images are masterfully woven together to tell the fictional stories of a conservative politician, a fundamentalist and a young couple in love. The film celebrates the landmark Roe v. Wade Supreme Court decision, highlights the ongoing political and social battle for reproductive freedom in the United States, and urges viewers to consider the possibilities should choice be taken away"—Container.
1 videodisc (14 min.)
HQ767 .L54 2002

Lifting the Fog: The Bombing of Hiroshima.
MPI Home Video (2002)
Investigates the historical motives that led to the building and dropping of the atomic bomb on the Japanese cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki in August, 1946. Discusses whether the bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki was necessary.
1 videodisc (ca. 58 min.)
D767.25.H6 L37 2002

Lincoln.
A&E Home Video (2005)
Filmed as if through the president's own eyes, Lincoln goes deeper than any documentary has before to reveal the troubled depths behind the man known as the Great Emancipator.
1 videodisc (ca. 140 min.)
E457.2 .L56 2005

A Line in the Sand.
ABC News (1990)
Takes an in-depth look at the events leading up to the Iraqi invasion of Kuwait. Reports on the long standing relationship of Hussein's Iraq with the U.S. and other Western nations, and the impact of their support of Iraq's military build-up during the past decade.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
DS 79.72 L55

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Lines of Fire.
First Run Films (1990)
Filmed entirely in Burma's jungles, looks at the 40 year war between eleven ethnic groups and the despotic regime of General Ne Win. Explores the mercenary politics of the area.
Video Cassette (62 min.)
DS 530.4 L55

Living Atlanta: KKK.
National Public Radio (1979)
The history of the Ku Klux Klan in Atlanta in the 20s and 30s is retold. Supporters and opponents of the Klan relate personal experiences and Klan philosophy is explored.
Cassette (30 min.)
F 294 A85 L58

Livable Landscapes By Chance or by Choice?
"Explores the connection between landscape and community in northern New England, focusing on how growth and sprawl affect quality of life. By examining the history of land use and the changes that have hit working forests, farms, village centers and urban downtowns, the video looks at how communities have tried to preserve the qualities that make them unique."--Container.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
HC107.A11 L58 2002

Living Broke in Boom Times.
Skylight Pictures, c2007
A condensation of three documentaries on poor Americans organizing to end poverty: Takeover, Poverty outlaw, and Outriders. The films were produced between 1989-1999. This condensation includes commentaries from activists Willie Baptist, Liz Theoharis, and Cheri Honkala, who were involved in the movement.
1 videodisc (ca. 114 min.)
HC110.P6 L58 2007

Living Old: The Modern Realities of Aging in America.
PBS Home Video (2006)
For the first time in American history, "the old old"--Those over 85 -- are now the fastest growing segment of the U.S. population. Medical advances have enabled an unprecedented number of Americans to live longer, healthier lives. But for millions of elderly, living longer can also mean a debilitating physical decline that often requires an immense amount of care. And just as more care is needed, fewer caregivers are available to provide it. In "Living Old," FRONTLINE investigates this national crisis and explores the new realities of aging in America.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
HQ1064.U5 L58 2006

The Living Weapon.
WGBH Educational Foundation (2007)
Soon after the United States entered World War II, President Roosevelt received information that Germany and Japan were developing biological weapons. In response, the U.S. and its allies rushed to develop their own germ warfare program.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
UG447.8 .L58 2007

The Long March of Newt Gingrich.
PBS (1996)
Presents an investigative biography of Newt Gingrich, covering his childhood to the GOP takeover of Congress.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
E 840.8 G55 L65

Long Live Pakistan.
Arte Video, 2008
Produced for the 60th anniversary of the creation of Pakistan, this compelling documentary explores the country's brief but turbulent past in order to understand its volatile present.
1 videodisc (108 min.)
DS382 .L66 2008

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
The Long Road to War.
PBS Video (2003)

Once again, the U.S. finds itself about to battle Iraq. How did the nation come to the brink of another war with Saddam Hussein? Frontline draws on more than 12 years of reporting in Iraq to tell the history of the U.S. confrontation with Saddam.

1 videocassette (120 min.) + 1 index
(6 p.)
DS79.755 .L66 2003

The Long Way Home.

This documentary traces the stories of courage in the years between the end of World War II and the formation of the state of Israel. Includes archival footage, original broadcasts and personal testimonies from survivors of the Holocaust.

1 videodisc (120 min.)
DS126.4 .L65 2003

Looking for Answers.
PBS Home Video (2001)


1 Video Cassette (60 min.)
HV6432.7 .L65 2001

Loose Nukes.
PBS (1992)

Examines the new nuclear threat that has risen in the post-Cold War era. Hundreds of tons of nuclear material have disappeared inside the former Soviet Union to create a new menace. Explores the perilous state of nuclear security in an area rife with political upheaval.

Video Cassette (57 min.)
HD 9698 F67 L66

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1 videodisc (120 min.)
DS126.4 .L65 2003

MacArthur.
PBS Home Video

No soldier has ever captured the American imagination like Douglas MacArthur. He led Americans into battle for a half-century, through glorious victories and soul-numbing defeats. Courageous and supremely egotistical, he battled anyone who dared question his military judgment, even the President of the United States.

pt. 1-2. Destiny
pt. 3-4. Politics of war
4 Video Cassettes (4 hrs.)
E745.M3 M23 1999

Machiavelli: The Prince
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)

"In this program, the treatise that gave birth to modern political theory is examined in depth, both from a historical perspective and in the context of Machiavelli's own turbulent life. As a diplomat and city official, Machiavelli witnessed firsthand and was eventually caught up in the power struggles and intrigues of 16th-century Florence. From these observations and experiences, The prince--acknowledged by many as western history's most important text on politics--was born. Includes numerous excerpts from the text"—Container.

1 videodisc (25 min)
JC143.M4 G37 2006

Madame Chiang Kai-Shek
Film for the Humanities and Sciences (2004)

Portrait of Soong Mei-ling, who married the man who became president of Nationalist China, and was herself one of the most powerful women of the twentieth century. Uses recently declassified historical documents, rare archival footage and interviews with historians, former aides and family members.

1 videodisc
DS778.C56 M33 2004

Making a Difference: Nevada Women in Politics.
KNPB (1995)

Features the contributions of eleven Nevada women in politics.

Video Cassette (30 min.)
HQ 1236.5 U6 M33
Making a Difference: Women in Politics
Reno, NV : KNPB, 2009

"Nevada's history is rich with bold, innovative and brave women who have shaped the silver state over the past century. Pioneers such as Maya Miller, Bertha Mullins and Sue Wagner paved the way for the opportunities that await women in politics today. This is the story of the obstacles they faced and the determination and dedication that overcame them"—Container.
1 videodisc (28 min.)
HQ1236.5.U6 M33 2009

Malawi: A Nation Going Hungry.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
Documents economic and social conditions in Malawi, where 3 million of a 12 million population live in abject poverty. During the 1990s, non-governmental organizations such as the World Food Program distributed seeds and farm tools to the poor, and the government allowed them to live and farm on public land. The program's subsidies supported the farmers during poor growing seasons. The World Trade Organization and the International Monetary Fund have forced the Malawi government to stop the subsidies, starving millions. AIDS is so pervasive in Malawi that many widows prefer starvation for themselves and their families to seeking a new mate. Due to AIDS and food shortages, there are more than one million orphans in Malawi.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
HC935.Z9 M35 2006

Mama Awethu!
First Run/Icarus Films (1993)
Follows the day to day lives of five black South African women in the townships around Cape Town, revealing the inhuman legacy of the apartheid system. Reveals how township life has necessitated their involvement in politics, and a struggle for equal rights.
Video Cassette (53 min.)
DT 1757 M354

The Man Who Knew.
WGBH Educational Foundation (2004)
Examines the career of FBI agent John O'Neill, focusing on the time when he was in charge of counter-terrorism. His study of the issues convinced him that something like the September 11 attacks was likely to occur. After leaving the FBI, he became head of security at the World Trade Center, where he was among the victims killed in the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
HV6432.M35 2004

Mandate: The President and the People.
Annenberg Foundation Trust (2006)
From George Washington to Franklin Delano Roosevelt, examines the relationship between the presidency, mass media, and public opinion.
1 videodisc (ca. 35 min.)
JK516.M36 2006

Mandela.
Palm Pictures (1998)
A portrait of Nelson Mandela.
DVD (2 hr.)
DT 1974 M35

PBS Home Video, c1999
Story of Nelson Mandela, who brought about the end of apartheid in South Africa.
Video Cassette (2 hr.)
DT 1949.M35 L65 1999

Mao's Last Battle.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2004)
History of the Cultural Revolution, its background, and its aftermath. Includes "documentary footage with discussion by Chinese contemporaries, diplomats, and scholars, including Roxanne Witke, the only Westerner to interview Mao's wife, Jiang Qing"—Container.
[pt.1] No rest for the weary : the Cultural Revolution and its origins --
[pt.2] The unfortunate generation : the Cultural Revolution and beyond
2 videodiscs (106 min.)
DS778.7.M35 2004 1-2

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Mr. Lincoln: The Life of Abraham.  
Teaching Co. (2005)  
A tour of Lincoln's life, from his forebears' arrival in America through an evaluation of how his legacy lives on for us today.  
lecture 1. Young man Lincoln  
lecture 2. Whig meteor  
lecture 3. Lincoln, law, and politics  
lecture 4. The mind of Abraham Lincoln  
lecture 5. Lincoln and slavery  
lecture 6. The great debates  
lecture 7. Lincoln and liberty, too  
lecture 8. The uncertain president  
lecture 9. The emancipation moment  
lecture 10. Lincoln's triumph  
lecture 11. The president's sword  
lecture 12. The dream of Lincoln  
2 videodiscs (ca. 360 min.) + 1 course guidebook (49 p.)  
E457.2 .G84 2005

Marbury vs. Madison.  
Films for the Humanities (1993)  
This 1803 case established the Supreme Court's authority to interpret the constitutionality of acts of Congress.  
Video Cassette (30 min.)  
KF 4575 Z9 M37

The Marshall Plan.  
Educational Film Center and Christenson Associates  
This one-hour documentary marks the 50th anniversary of the speech delivered by Secretary of State George C. Marshall, in which the retired general outlined his vision of the controversial economic rescue plan that was to bear his name. This program includes archival photographs, films, newsreels, and contemporary interviews  
Video Cassette (1 hr.)  
Guide (16 p.)  
HC240 .M27 1997

May it Please the Court: Arguments on Abortion.  
Live recordings and transcripts of Supreme Court oral arguments on reproductive rights.  
2 Cassettes  
Book (214 p.)  
KF 3771 M38 1995

May it Please the Court: The First Amendment.  
Sixteen live recordings of oral arguments and questioning involving the First Amendment.  
4 Cassettes  
Book (262 p.)  
KF 4770 M35 1997 tapes 1-4

McCulloch vs. Maryland.  
Films for the Humanities (1993)  
Dramatizes the landmark Supreme Court case in which the Court struck down Maryland's attempt to tax a federally chartered bank.  
Video Cassette (30 min.)  
Guide (23 p.)  
KF 8742 A4 M33

Media War in El Salvador.  
Summary in Communications section.  
Video Cassette (22 min.)  
HE 8700.76 S2 M43

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Meet the Presidents.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2007

Topping the list of issues include Saddam Hussein in Iraq and questions of terrorism and weapons of mass destruction. Then the restructuring of Medicare and Social Security, campaign finance reform, gay rights, a flat income tax and a national sales tax and a fast-track trade authority are discussed.
1 videodisc (39 min.)
E885 .B525 2007

New CIA director George H. W. Bush discusses his plans for leading the CIA in wake of disclosures of domestic spying, leaked information about covert operations in Angola, and Nixon's post-resignation visit to China.
1 videodisc (27 min.)
E881 .G46 2007

George W. Bush stands on his record as Governor of Texas and answers questions from moderator Tim Russert about what he would do if elected President. Discussion points range from Social Security and health care system reform, to his resolve to stand by Taiwan in the face of Chinese aggression and his plans for world security, to the promotion of abstinence among unwed couples.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
E902 .G455 2008

Becoming the first sitting president to appear on the program, President Ford speaks candidly about issues facing his administration. Topics of discussion include his major accomplishments; the nation's mood at the outset of the post-Watergate/post-Vietnam era; the state of détente between the U.S. and the U.S.S.R.; budgetary and economic challenges; his views on George H.W. Bush, Donald Rumsfeld, and Ronald Reagan.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
E865 .G475 2007

(Meet the Presidents continued)
Herbert Hoover. December 11, 1955
Largely dismissed as a President, Herbert Hoover is remembered today as a humanitarian with progressive views and a deep belief in the necessity of efficient government. Here the 81-year old president smoothly handles the give-and-take with a panel of journalists as he discusses the work of the Hoover Commission and promotes his idea for a new Executive Branch office: the Administrative Vice-President.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
E801 .H475 2007

Jimmy Carter makes his case for a second term in the White House. The President also talks about the ongoing Iran hostage crisis and the Olympic boycott against the Soviet Union.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
E872 .J56 2007

Kennedy addresses government corruption, the likelihood of General Eisenhower running for President, and his own aspiration to a seat in the Senate. He also comments on U.S. relations with the Middle East and Southeast Asia.
1 videodisc (27 min.)
E841 .J575 2007

John F. Kennedy talks politics and his campaign for the presidency.
1 videodisc (27 min.)
E841 .J577 2007

Lyndon B. Johnson. October 9, 1960.
Lyndon B. Johnson talks about politics and his campaign for vice-presidency.
1 videodisc (28 min.)
E846 .L94 2007

Richard Nixon discusses his political career, the candidates for the 1988 election and the politics of the Soviet Union and Middle East, United States economy, and the Iran-Contra affair.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
E855 .R525 2007

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Meet the Presidents continued

In this edition of Meet the Press, Richard Nixon talks about his vice presidential campaign as Eisenhower's running mate. Immediately after the broadcast, a story broke about a supposed campaign slush fund, leading Eisenhower to nearly drop Nixon from the ticket, and to Nixon's famous "Checkers" speech nine days later.
1 videodisc (25 min.)
E855 .R53 2007

Former actor Ronald Reagan, candidate for Governor of California, faces tough questions about his qualifications while displaying his familiar ease and confidence in front of the camera.
1 videodisc (28 min.)
E876 .R655 2007

Two days before the Florida primary, former California Governor Ronald Reagan, who was challenging President Gerald Ford for the nomination, provides circumspect answers to questions on the race and how, if President, he would deal with the U.S. economy, the process of détente with the Soviet Union, and relations with Cuba.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
E876 .R657 2007

Messengers from Moscow.
Pacem Distribution Int. (1995)

1. The Struggle for Europe.
Recounts the story of Stalin's attempt to take control of Germany and Western Europe in the aftermath of WWII. Soviet agents and communist officials tell of their efforts to seize political power in the war-torn European states. (52 min.)

2. The East is Red.
Officials in Moscow and Beijing recount how the dream of a growing communist power bloc turned into Moscow's biggest nightmare. Points to Stalin as the key to the outbreak of the Korean War. (53 min.)

3. Fires in the Third World.
Top administrators of Soviet policy, KGB agents and military leaders reveal the Kremlin's hand in Cuba and Vietnam. Insights into events like the Cuban Missile Crisis. (53 min.)

4. The Center Collapses.
Figures from the last decade of Soviet power recount the collapse of the Soviet empire. (1 hr.)
4 Video Cassettes
DK 266.45 M47 no. 1-4

Mexico: The Frozen Revolution.
Facets Video, 2007

In "Mexico, the frozen revolution", the director uses newsreel footage of Pancho Villa and Emiliano Zapata to connect the betrayal of the 1910 Mexican Revolution with the failure of revolution in his own time. He exposes the PRI, the party that governed Mexico for almost seventy years, as corrupt. In "The land burns", Raymundo Gleyzer exposes the inequities of land ownership in Brazil. "It happened in Hualfin" is a trilogy of shorts that examine the generational cycle of poverty in Catamarca, Argentina.

Mexico, the frozen revolution = Mexico, la revolucion congelada (65 min.)
The land burns = La tierra quema (12 min.)
It happened in Hualfin = Ocurrido en Hualfin (50 min.)
1 videodisc (ca. 127 min.)
HC135 .M5483 2007
Michael Collins.
Warner Home Video (1997)
Presents the life of an Irish statesman who negotiated Ireland's break with England and who was a political martyr.
1 videodisc (184 min.)

Michael Straight.
Michael Straight--economist, editorialist, speech writer, publisher, and Communist--is the interviewee. In the 1960s he decided to report his Communist activities to the FBI.
Cassette
CT 275 S8779 A32 1983c

Mikhail Gorbachev : A Man Who Changed the World.
A & E Home Video : Distributed by New Video Group, (1997)
Profiles the former Soviet leader, covering his early life and career, his rise in the Party, and major events during his tenure as president.
1 Video Cassette (50 min.)
DK290.3.G67 M53 1997

The Mind of Hussein.
Films Inc. (1991)
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DS 79.7 M55

Mississippi, America: Legal Battles of the Freedom Summer.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, [2008]
This documentary presents a look at the work of local and out-of-state lawyers who answered the call for assistance to defend imprisoned civil rights activists. Features archival footage and eyewitness accounts of the struggle to win African Americans' right to vote.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
E185.93.M6 M57 2008

Mobutu, King of Zaire : An African Tragedy.
First Run/Icarus Films
Discusses the rise and fall of Joseph Désiré Mobutu, ruler of Zaire (the Congo) for over 30 years.
pt. 1. The quest for power
pt. 2. The upper hand
pt. 3. The end of a reign
3 Video Cassettes (52 min ea)
DT658.25 .M63 1999

Mohammed Reza Pahlavi: Politics of Oil.
Learning Corp. of America (198?)
Looks at Mohammed Reza and the many challenges to his rule: the 1945 Azerbaijan crisis, Prime Minister Mohammed Mossedegh, and finally the Ayatollah Khomeini. The Shah's Security Service SAVAK, Iran's extraordinary oil revenues and the Shah's dream of a modern westernized state are also discussed.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
DS 318 M58

Money-driven Medicine.
California Newsreel, 2009
"Money Driven Medicine reveals why comprehensive healthcare reform remains the challenge of the years ahead and points to paths for the future. Doctors and health researchers show how the movement for patient-centered, accountable care can be carried into classrooms, hospitals, doctors' offices and community forums across the country"—Container.
1 videodisc (86 min.)
RA410 .M56 2009

Money Talks: The Influence of Money in American Politics.
Films for the Humanities (1994)
Examines what many people consider to be the scandal of American democracy -- the influence of money on our political system. Examines the roles that financial contributions, corporate influence, and special interests have played at the start of the Clinton administration and in other political contests across the country.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK1991 M74

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Monumental: David Brower's Fight for Wild America.
Tells the story of conservationist David Brower, first executive director of the Sierra Club and founder of Friends of the Earth and the Earth Island Institute, who worked to save the natural environment and to protect and establish some of America's national parks. Includes 16-mm archival footage (much shot by Brower himself), photographic images from well-known artists, and interviews with leading conservationists, photographers, historians, curators, and politicians, as well as Brower's family, friends, and colleagues.
1 videodisc (74 min.)
QH31.B859 M65 2004

Moshe Dayan: A Warrior's Story.
A&E (1996)
The complete story of the warrior-statesman.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
DS 126.6 D3 M67

(The) Most Dangerous Man in America: Daniel Ellsberg and the Pentagon Papers.
New Day Films, c2009
"In 1971, Daniel Ellsberg, a high-level Pentagon official and Vietnam War strategist, concludes that the war is based on decades of lies and leaks 7,000 pages of top secret documents to the New York Times, making headlines around the world. [The film tells how] one man's profound change of heart created a landmark struggle involving America's newspapers, president and Supreme Court -- a political thriller whose events led directly to Watergate, Nixon's resignation and the end of the Vietnam War." -- www.newday.com.
1 videodisc (ca. 94 min.)
E855 .M67 2009

Murder, Money and Mexico.
PBS (1997)
Frontline explores the charges of corruption in the Salinas government and examines the repercussions for America and the world.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JL 1229 C6 M67

Murder on the Rio San Juan.
PBS (1988)
In May 1984, twenty journalists rode up the Rio San Juan to attend a press conference by Contra leader, Eden Pastora, in a remote outpost. A bomb planted in a camera case exploded. Uncovers the details surrounding the bombing and weaves through the tangle of Central American governments, guerilla forces, intelligence operatives, and U.S. foreign policy.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F 1528 M89

Muslims.
Mystic Fire Video (2002)
Looks at what it means to be a Muslim in the 21st century. Explores the influence of culture and politics on religion. Emphasizes Islam's kinship with Christianity and Judaism and looks at diverse interpretations of Islam among the Muslim people.
1 Video Cassette (118 min.)
DS35.62 .M87 2002

Nancy Reagan: President's Leading Lady.
A&E Television Networks (2002)
Originally broadcast as an episode of the television program Biography in 1997.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
E878.R43 N36 2002

Nanjing = Nanking.
Thinkfilm, LLC 2007
Tells the story of the Japanese invasion of Nanking, China in the early days of World War II and focuses on the efforts of a small group of unarmed Westerners who established a Safety Zone where over 200,000 Chinese found refuge. Told through deeply moving interviews with Chinese survivors, archival footage, and chilling testimonies of Japanese soldiers, interwoven with staged readings of the Westerners' letters and diaries.
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)
DS777.5314 .N36 2007

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The National Parks: America's Best Idea.
PBS Distribution, c2009
Traces the birth of the national park idea in the mid-1800s and follows its evolution for nearly 150 years. Using archival photographs, first-person accounts of historical characters, personal memories and analysis from more than 40 interviews, and what Burns believes is the most stunning cinematography in Florentine Films’ history, the series chronicles the steady addition of new parks through the stories of the people who helped create them and save them from destruction.
Episode one. The scripture of nature (1851-1890)
Episode two. The last refuge (1890-1915)
Episode three. The empire of grandeur (1915-1919)
Episode four. Going home (1920-1933)
Episode five. Great nature (1933-1945)
Episode six. The morning of creation (1946-1980)
6 videodiscs (ca. 750 min.)
E160 .N37 2009

Nationalism: Blood and Belonging.
Films for the Humanities (1994)
Lifting the Yoke: Ukraine.
Examines the emotional effects of the establishment of an independent Ukraine, the looming ghost of Stalin, the fear of clashes between the Church and independence-minded nationalists, opinions on the imposition of the Ukrainian language.
DK 508.84 L53

A Nation Returns: Germany.
Looks at Germany reunified: while there was an East/West, communist/capitalist split, Germans could forget about nationalism. The liberals don't like the Germany they have, while the neo-Nazis love a Germany that doesn't exist. After 45 years of longing for reunification, the two Germanys hardly recognize one another.
DD 257.25 N37

The Road to Nowhere: Yugoslavia.
Examines the current crop of warlords who constitute the big figures of the new world order. The story of Yugoslavia is the story of Brotherhood and Unity; today it is a symbol of everything that has gone wrong in the country.
DR 1313 R63

3 Video Cassettes (58 min. ea)

The Net @ Risk.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
“A boon to computer users, broadband has meant fast Internet services for millions. But as the phone and cable giants that operate these networks consider the profits to be made by controlling the content and delivery of the Internet, Net Neutrality - and the easy sharing of ideas and opinions that goes with it - may soon become a thinking of the past in America. In this program, Bill Moyers and journalist Rick Karr report on the struggle for the soul of the Internet as lobbyists and legislators reshape the telecom laws for the broadband era. Will democracy's high-tech forum for the exchange of ideas be destroyed by regulations that favor online entities with deep pockets?”—Container
1 videodisc (90 min.)
TK5105.875.I57 N47 2006

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KNPB Channel 5 Reno (1991)  
Takes a look at democracy at work and at the relationship between the people and their government using the Nevada Legislature as an example. Discusses the origins of the legislative branch in English and U.S. law and discusses the daily activities of the Nevada legislature.  
Video Cassette (30 min.)  
JK 8566 N48

The Nevada State Constitution: Battle Born.  
Nevada Bell (1993)  
Tells how Nevada became a state and of the writing of its constitution. Includes a tour of the Nevada State Library and Archives, State Veterans Memorial, Nevada State Museum, and Nevada State Railroad Museum.  
Video Cassette (16 min.)  
F 841 N498

Nevada's Prevailing Wage Law.  
KNPB Reno (1990)  
Discusses the dispute over wages paid to construction workers by the state of Nevada and opportunities for non-union apprentices to work on public works projects.  
Video Cassette (29 min.)  
HD 4965.3 R3152 U66

Never Again?: Genocide Since the Holocaust.  
Films for the Humanities and Sciences (2002)  
The chronicle of genocide continues with a look at Mao's purges in China, Cambodia under Pol Pot's Khmer Rouge, the Arab/Israeli conflict, border wars in Pakistan and Bangladesh, and killing in Central America.  
Video Cassette (57 min.)  
HV6322.7 .N48 2002

The New Left.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, (2002)  
"The New Left sprang from an affluent America torn by racial conflict and dissent over the Vietnam War. This program assesses the course of New Left politics up to 1967 by combining newsreel footage with interviews of leaders across the movement's range, including Tom Hayden, Carl Oglesby, Stokely Carmichael and Fannie Lou Hamer"--Container.  
1 videodisc (55 min.)  
HN90.R3 N453 2002

Bullfrog Films (2001)  
John Pilger looks at how globalization has increased the gap between the very rich and the very poor. In particular he looks at Indonesia as an example of how globalization and corrupt government has thrown millions of people into poverty and how multinational corporations support the abuse of poor workers in sweatshops.  
1 Video Cassette (53 min.)  
JZ1318 .N493 2001

The New Russian Revolution.  
CNN Video (1991)  
From the hard-line coup that imprisoned Gorbachev, to the show of defiance outside the Russian White House by forces loyal to Boris Yeltsin, to the return of Gorbachev and the collapse of Communist rule, this video takes the viewer through the dramatic events as they unfold.  
Video Cassette (47 min.)  
DK 286 N49

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
News War.
WGBH Educational Foundation (2007)
Secrets, sources, and spin (pt. 1) examines the political and legal forces challenging the mainstream news media today and press reactions. The film looks at the debates over the role of journalism; the relationship between the Bush administration and the press; the controversies surrounding the use of anonymous sources in reporting; and the unintended consequences of the Valerie Plame investigation -- a confusing, ugly affair that ultimately damaged the legal protections reporters' thought they enjoyed under the First Amendment. (Pt. 2) continues with the legal jeopardy faced by a number of reporters across the country, and the complications generated by the war on terror. Many reporters face jail for refusing to reveal sources in the context of leak investigations, while editors of the nation's leading newspapers now confront the question of how much can the press reveal about secret government programs in that war without jeopardizing national security? In What's happening to the news (pt. 3), network executives, journalists, Wall Street analysts, bloggers, and key players at Google and Yahoo! explain the battle for survival in a rapidly changing world. The embattled Los Angeles Times, one of the last remaining papers in the country still covering major national stories, is profiled. The Frontline/World (pt. 4) segment focuses on two stories. The first is on new Arab media and its role in both mitigating and exacerbating the clash between the West and Islam. Al Jazeera has changed the face of a parochial and tightly controlled Arab media, and this hour explores Al Jazeera's growing influence around the world. The second is a video essay on journalists worldwide, which details how in many countries the press has been suppressed, and journalists have been jailed, exiled, and murdered.
2 videodiscs (257 min.) + guide
PN4735 .N48 2007

The Nicotine War.
PBS (1992)
Tells the story of Food and Drug Administration Chief David Kessler's attempt to regulate tobacco.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
HV 5740 N52

A&E Television Network (2006)
A comprehensive and objective look into the repercussions of the 9/11 Commission Reports controversial release, and the revealing findings described in the report itself.
1 videodisc (ca. 100 min.)
HV6432.7 .N563 2006

1968 with Tom Brokaw.
A&E Television Networks (2008)
1968: in that single year, MLK and RFK were assassinated, Chicago rioted, Nixon triumphed, and Tet exploded. The top music acts were the Beatles, the Doors, Otis Redding and Marvin Gaye. Man circled the Moon. From Civil Rights to Vietnam, from rock & roll to rocket science, 1968 stands out as a concentrated dose of everything we think of as the Sixties.
1 videodisc (94 min.)
E847.2 .N56 2008

1997 Inaugural Special.
Purdue Research Foundation (1997)
Compiled highlights of the ceremonies surrounding the swearing-in of William J. Clinton as the 42nd President of the U.S. Includes the complete ceremony, luncheon remarks, review of the troops, and statements at two inaugural balls.
Video Cassette (2 hr. 38 min.)
E 886.2 A62

Nixon.
PBS (1990)
Covers the span of Richard Nixon's political life from his early political career to his resignation from the presidency.
3 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
E 856 N59 pt. 1-3
Nixon.  
PBS DVD Video (2000)  
Covers the span of Richard M. Nixon’s political life  
1 videodisc (ca. 173 min.)  
E856 .N592 2000

Nixon.  
Buena Vista Home Entertainment (2000)  
A look at a complex man, Richard Nixon, whose chance at greatness was ultimately destroyed by his passion for power—when his involvement in conspiracy jeopardized the nation’s security and the presidency of the United States.  
Video Cassette (3 hrs 30 min)  

Nixon’s China Game.  
PBS Home Video  
In February 1972, the world watched in awe as Richard Nixon began an historic visit to China. It was the first high-level political contact between the two nations since the Communist takeover in 1949. Nixon’s China game takes us behind the scenes of one of the boldest diplomatic maneuvers in history.  
Video Cassette (1 hr.)  
E183.8.C5 N58 2000

No Colors: Racism and Prejudice in Modern Europe.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2007  
Program looks at racism and xenophobia brought to the surface by the massive influx of foreign workers and job-seekers into Western Europe. Describes the search for equitable solutions by moderate European Union leaders and citizens. Examines Islamophobia, religious fundamentalism, the radicalization of young Muslim men, and racism in football or soccer.  
1 videodisc (26 min.)  
D1056.2.M87 N6 2007

No Place to Hide.  
FilmWest Asso.  
Reveals the intricate web of information that police, government agencies and private corporations have collected on individuals.  
Pt. 1: Big Brother: shows how governments and law enforcement agencies capture and catalog details of our lives.  
Pt. 2: Little Brother: details how we are no longer in control of our privacy.  
2 Video Cassettes (48 min. ea)  
K 3264 C65 N62 pt. 1-2

No Secret Anymore: The Times of Del Martin & Phyllis Lyon.  
Frameline, c2003  
Chronicles the lives of two women who have been partners in love and political struggle for half a century. San Francisco icons, Del Martin and Phyllis Lyon are known as the founders of the modern lesbian civil rights movement. No Secret Anymore follows them through six decades, tracing the emergence of lesbians from the fear of discovery to the expectation of equality.  
1 videodisc (57 min.)  
HQ75.3 .N6 2003

Not For Ourselves Alone: The Story of Elizabeth Cady Stanton & Susan B. Anthony.  
Paramount Home Entertainment, [2004]  
Presents the history of women’s suffrage in the United States through the dramatic, often turbulent friendship of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan Anthony. Part 1 covers the years from their youth up to the establishment of the National Woman Suffrage Association in 1868. Part 2 spans the period from 1868 to the passage in 1919 of the 19th amendment to the Constitution which gave women the vote.  
pt. 1. Revolution  
pt. 2. Failure is impossible  
1 videodisc (ca. 180 min.)  
HQ1412 .N675 2004

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Not So Wild a Dream.
PBS (1989)
Compared Eric Sevareid's personal experiences during WW II with the political evolution of millions of Americans. As European correspondent for CBS Radio in Paris, Sevareid watched the rise of Hitler and the Third Reich.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
PN 4874 S43 E75

Oil, Smoke & Mirrors
www.OilSmokeandMirrors.com, c2006
Heinberg, Darley, and Meacher discuss the current state of oil resources, humanity's dependence on them, the impact of decreasing supplies, and the urgent need for governments to act in dealing with this problem. Also includes a discussion of 9/11, its ramifications, the investigation of the attack, and the need for the American public to be informed. Information is imparted through a series of questions.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
HD9560.5 .O3685 2006

A Nuclear Free Pacific.
Wombat Film & Videocassette (198?)
Reveals the experiences and concerns of activists, radiation victims, community and religious leaders, political figures, and citizens of the South Pacific. These people have been working for 2 decades toward a ban on all nuclear activity in their region. Reveals how far they have come in their fight and the distance they still have to go.
Video Cassette (56 min.)
JX 1974.74 O24 N83

On Our Watch.
PBS Home Video, c2007
"The world invoked its vow 'Never Again!' after the genocide in Rwanda and atrocities in Srebrenica. Then came Darfur. Over the past four years at least 200,000 people have been killed, 2.5 million driven from their homes, and mass rapes have once more been used as a weapon of war in a brutal campaign by Janjaweed militias and the Sudanese government against civilians in Darfur. FRONTLINE asks why the international community and the United Nations have once again failed to stop the slaughter"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
DT159.6.D27 O5 2007

Old Warrior: Frank Manning and the Senior Power Movement.
WGBH (1994)
Profiles elderly activist Frank Manning, who organized an extraordinary demonstration of elderly people in East Boston in 1970.
Video Cassette (28 min.)
HQ 1064 U5 O387

Nuclear Weapons Film Declassification Project Film Overview.
Video Cassette (65 min.)
Fact Sheets (78 p.)
U 264.3 N84

102 minutes that changed America
A&E Television Networks, c2008
A chronological record of the World Trade Center attacks on September 11, 2001, assembled from video and audio footage recorded by more than 100 eyewitnesses.
1 videodisc (98 min.)
HV6432.7 .O64 2008

Obama : All Access : Barack Obama’s Road to the White House.
Paramount Pictures, c2009
60 Minutes tracks the rise of Barack Obama from Senator to President with behind-the-scenes access over a two-year period. Contains material from six separate broadcast segments, and includes major public appearances and speeches.
1 videodisc (ca. 240 min.)
E908 .O23 2009

Occupied Japan: An Experiment in Democracy.
PBS (1996)
Until now, this topic has been examined largely from the U.S. perspective. This program augments that analysis, arguing for a distinctively Japanese evolution that occurred in tandem with American objectives.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DS 889 O23

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On the Brink
Screenscope (2003)
This film "explores a growing national security threat throughout the world: how environmental pressures can lead to violence, terrorism and regional conflict. Travel to areas where environmental degradation and unsustainable development practices have had negative impacts on the quality of life for millions of people"—Container. Journeys to Bangladesh, South Africa, Peru, Haiti, Mexican/U.S. border.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
HC79.E5 O5 2003

One Woman, One Vote.
PBS (1995)
Documents the 70 year struggle which culminated in the ratification of the Nineteenth Amendment in 1920. Illuminates the alliances, infighting, betrayals and defeats that paved the way for the women's right to vote.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 49 min.)
Guide (16 p.)
JK 1896 O54

Operation Babylift.
Against The Grain Productions, c2010
"Operation Babylift" was a $2 million U.S. initiative that airlifted over 2,500 Vietnamese orphans out of a war-torn country in 1975 to protect them from the impending threat of the Communist Regime. Coined by some as "one of the most humanitarian efforts in history," it was also plagued by lawsuits and political turmoil. Facing enormous prejudice and stigmatized by an unpopular war, the Vietnamese Babylift Adoptees had a cultural identity crisis unlike any other immigrant or adoptee community”—Container.
1 videodisc (72 min.)
DS559.8.C53 O64 2010

Osama Bin Laden: In the Name of Allah.
A&E Home Video 2001
The personal journey of the world's most wanted terrorist, Osama Bin Laden.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
HV6430.B55 O83 2001

Our Constitution: A Conversation.
Annenberg Foundation Trust, (2005)
United States Supreme Court Justices Sandra Day O'Connor and Stephen Breyer talk about the Constitution with high school students and discuss why we have and need a constitution, what federalism is, how implicit and explicit rights are defined and how separation of powers ensures that no one branch of government obtains too much power.
1 videodisc (30 min.)
KF4550 .O87 2005

Our Forgotten War.
PBS (1988 )
Examines the struggle in El Salvador and raises questions about the effectiveness of U.S. efforts in that country. Journeys behind guerrilla lines to interview people whose villages are frequently attacked by government forces and focuses on the guerrillas themselves.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
F 1488. 3 097

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The Pacific Century.
Annenberg/CPB Collection (1992)
Contemporary images from 10 countries, rare American and Asian film footage and witnesses to pivotal events highlight this look at a century and a half of life in the Pacific.
1. The Two Coasts of China: Asia and the Challenge of the West DS 735 T86
2. Meiji: Asia's Response to the West DS 881.9 M43
3. From the Barrel of a Gun DS 525 F76
4. Writers & Revolutionaries DS 885 W75
5. Reinventing Japan E 183.8 J3 R42
6. Inside Japan, Inc. DS 889 I57
7. Big Business and Ghost of Confucius HC 460.5 B53
8. The Fight for Democracy DS 907.18 F53
9. Sentimental Imperialists: America in Asia E 183.8 C6 S45
10. The Pacific Century: The Future of the Pacific Basin DS 518.8 P32

10 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)

PACs: The Untold Story.
Public Affairs Video Enterprise Inc.
Exposes the truth about political action committees and the role they play in the policy making process. Explores the reasons behind the "PAC bashing" we hear. Explains what they are, who they are, what role they play, and why they are under attack.
Video Cassette (15 min.)
JK 1118 P32

Palestine: 1890s-1990s.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2003)
Details a historical perspective of Palestine with interviews from various individuals, including political officials.
1 videocassette (35 min.)
DS125 .P28 2003

Panama Deception.
Rhino Home Video (1993)
Offers a view of the invasion of Panama that was not given by the American media. Presents evidence of mass burials of civilian casualties and interment of homeless civilians which was concealed by the U.S. military or went unreported. Also claims to reveal Pres. Bush's "secret agenda" behind the invasion: to keep U.S. military bases in Panama after the year 2000 in defiance of canal treaties.
Video Cassette (91 min.)
F 1567 P35

Paranoia.
University of California Berkley (1996)
Discusses paranoia and conspiracy theories in the U.S.
Video Cassette (23 min.)
JA 74.5 P37

Paul Jacobs and the Nuclear Gang.
Distributed by the Cinema Guild (2005)
Reporter Paul Jacobs investigated the health effects of exposure to low-level radiation on soldiers and civilians who participated in atomic bomb tests in the Nevada desert.
1 videodisc (68 min.)
PN4874.J33 P28 2005

Paying the Price: Killing the Children of Iraq.
Bullfrog Films (2000)
John Pilger "investigates the effects of sanctions on the people of Iraq." Contends that ten years of extraordinary isolation, imposed by the U.N. and enforced by the United States and Great Britain, have killed thousands of people. Also discusses illegal bombing campaigns conducted by the U.S. and Great Britain in "no-fly zones."
1 Video Cassette (ca. 75 min.)
HF1586.3 .P38 2000

The Peacekeepers = Le Prix De la Paix.
NFB/ONF (2005)
Documents the United Nations peacekeeping efforts in the Democratic Republic of Congo. Contains footage from meetings at UN headquarters, as well as footage gathered while with UN troops in northeast Congo.
1 videodisc (ca. 84 min.)
DT658.25 .P43 2005

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Peggy Noonan: A Portrait in the First Person.
Films for the Humanities (1994)
The writer of President Reagan’s and President Bush’s speeches defines and describes what she thinks a political speech should be. Draws sympathetic portraits of those presidents and provides insight into what male media gurus think is appropriate for the majority of Americans.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
PN 4193 P6 P44

The Pentagon. (The Power Game).
PBS (1989)
Shows how spending decisions are often made less for national security reasons than for economic and political interests. Highlights the dilemma of certain congressional leaders who choose to serve defense jobs in their districts and the career military officers who have a personal interest in maintaining expensive defense projects.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
UA 23 P43

People Power.
First Run Films (1989)
Examines the powerful mechanisms of nonviolence. Covers three case studies: the opposition to Pinochet in Chile, the Palestinian Intifada, and the challenges faced by Filipinos since Aquino’s revolution of 1986.
Video Cassette (53 min.)
HM 278 P46

The Petrodollar Coast.
Films Inc. (1986)
How has immense wealth changed the desert society of the Persian Gulf? The contrast between traditional and modern is clear in the existence of camel races and luxury cars, women newscasters and veiled wives.
Video Cassette (59 min.)
DS 247 A13 P47

Outcast Films (2005)
A documentary about the global activist movement to improve access to AIDS treatment. This program examines the national and international grassroots responses to the AIDS epidemic, depicting activists’ successes in bringing affordable treatment to the poor.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
RA643.8 .P55 2005

Please Vote For Me.
First Run Features, 2007
Two males and a female vie for office. They indulge in low blows, character assassination and gestures of goodwill, all while gauging their standing with voters. The setting is a third-grade class at an elementary school in the city of Wuhan in central China. Chronicles a public school’s first open elections.
1 videodisc (58 min.)
HQ784.P5 P54 2007

Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"In this program, Plutarch himself is held up for scrutiny, and he gives an extraordinary accounting of himself. Philosopher, priest of the Temple of Apollo, benefactor, and early advocate for the education of women”—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min)
PA4382 .P58 2006

Poisoned Winds of War.
Coronet (1991)
Investigates past and present uses of chemical weapons. Outlines the major types and explains why they are considered inhumane. Explains the purpose of the 1925 Geneva Protocol.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
Teacher’s Guide
UG 447 P63

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Poland: We’ve caught God by the Arm.
Films for the Humanities
In August, 1980, workers at the Gdansk shipyard went on strike. Lech Walesa was the chief negotiator for the workers, who avoided the mistakes of earlier strikes by maintaining strict nonviolent discipline—and by occupying their shipyard, to deter a violent crackdown by authorities.
Video Cassette (31 min.)
HD8537.N783 P64 2000

Poletown Lives.
Information Factory
Summary in Sociology section.
Video Cassette (52 min.)
Packet (18 p.)
HD 9710 U63 D65

Political Advertisement.
Electronic Arts Intermix (2004)
This anthology documents the selling of the American presidency since the 1950's. It reveals the American process of television campaigns as a historical development of the TV "spot" as a political strategy and manipulative marketing technique. Included in the compilation of profiles are: Dwight Eisenhower, Richard Nixon, John F. Kennedy, Eleanor Roosevelt, Jackie Kennedy, Barry Goldwater, George Wallace, Jimmy Carter, Edward Kennedy, George Bush, Ronald Reagan, Walter Mondale, John Glenn, Gary Hart, Michael Dukakis, Pat Buchanan, Dick Lugar, Steve Forbes, Elizabeth Dole, Bob Dole, Gary Bauer, Steve Forbes, John McCain, Michael Jordan, Bill Bradley, Al Gore, Bill Clinton, George W. Bush and others. This is part of an ongoing twenty-year project.
1 videodisc (75 min.)
JF2112.A4 P63 2004

Political Advertising of the 60's.
London International Advertising Awards, [200-?]
Presents award winning advertisements from television and cinema.
1 videodisc (53 min.)
HF5816 .P65 2000z + leaflet

Political Campaign Ads: 1952-1988--
Longer Ads.
Presidential Campaign Television Ads.
Video Cassette
HE 8700.76 U6 N55

Negative Ads.
Video Cassette
HE 8700.76 U6 P64

Presidential Campaign Television Ads.
Video Cassette
HE 8700.76 U6 H58

Political Organization.
Coast Telecourses (1984)
Two types of political systems are examined: decentralized (single band tribe) and centralized (chieftain over a number of tribes). Focuses on some cultures using these variations (North American Indians, Hawaii, and the Swazi of Africa) and the techniques that are used to obtain and hold the loyalty of the political organization's members.
Video Cassette (3/4", 30 min.)
GN 492 P66

Politics and Warriors: Women in the Military.
PBS Home Video (1999)
Laura Ingraham visits with active and retired members of the military, politicians, educators, authors and others in this program. This segment offers some surprising views of the effect that the increased numbers and growing presence of women in the military is having on their male counterparts, on the military culture as a whole and on the nation's military readiness.
Video Cassette (57 min)
UB 418 W65 P64

Politics, Privacy, and the Press. Ethics in America.
PBS (1989)
The ethical concept of privacy is being tested in the public forum to an unprecedented degree.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JC 596.2 U6 P66

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Politics: The New Black Power.
PBS (1990)
Black politicians are taking leadership roles throughout the country. How have they achieved their political status and how is it maintained? Are they coping with the needs of society? What personal characteristics and talents have helped them succeed?
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 185.615 P64

Portraits of the American Presidents.
Questar Video (1992)
Presidents of a New Nation: George Washington, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe John Quincy Adams. (70 min.)
Presidents of a National Struggle: 1829-1902. These 72 years of presidential history witnessed a national struggle between men who favored the right to own slaves and those who opposed it. America went from adolescence to maturity. It was an era of substantial accomplishments and strife. (80 min.)
Presidents of a World Power: 1901-1992. The U.S. became the principle force behind the most important issue of the time, maintaining world peace and preservation of the human race. At home, presidents faced issues arising from a volatile society: racial tensions, political unrest, protests, special interests, the ups and downs of a free economy. (70 min.)
3 Video Cassettes
E 178 P833 1992 vol. 1-3

Potomac Fever.
PBS (1985)
Follows 2 newly elected representatives from their homes to Washington, where they experience the rewards and frustrations of making the transition from citizen to Congressman.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
JK 1323 1985 P68

The Power of Nightmares.
BBC (2004)
Explores the nature and origins of terrorism. Argues that the idea of a global network of organized terrorism has been greatly exaggerated and the resulting climate of fear exploited by Western governments.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
HV6431 .P6695 2004

Power Without Purpose.
PBS (1991)
Reveals the incredible amount of American property owned by Japan and examines the possible causes of tensions between the U.S. and Japan.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
HC 462.9 P68

Prelude to Kosovo: War and Peace in Bosnia and Croatia.
Cinema Guild (1999)
Depicts the bitter civil war in the former Yugoslavia during the 1990s against the background of Yugoslavia’s creation and development as a country during the 20th century. Combines graphic footage and interviews with religious and political figures. Examines the ideology of "ethnic cleansing" and the massacres resulting from a nationalist quest for political, cultural, and religious domination. The Serbian Orthodox, Bosnian Muslim, and Croatian Catholic perspectives are all represented.
1 Video Cassette (53 min.)
DR1313 .P74 1999

The Presidency. (The Power Game).
PBS (1989)
Reveals that the selection of appropriate photo opportunities and other broadcasting details has become almost as important as state negotiations. The establishment of a short, clear agenda that plays on the nightly news overshadows the creation of working coalitions. This combination of factors is shown as a stumbling block in the creation of substantive legislation and policies.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 516 P63

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The Presidency, The Press and The People.
PBS (1990)
The unique role of the press secretary in American politics is the focus of this program. Ten former press secretaries consider the pressures and the practical and ethical dilemmas of this position.
Video Cassette (2 hr.)
PN 4738 P74

President Barack Obama: The Man and His Journey.
Vivendi Visual Entertainment, c2008
Share the incredible, inspirational story of President Barack Obama, the 44th President of the United States. See how this one man inspired us. In this defining moment, America has proven once again that her story is constantly evolving towards greater freedom and justice for all.
1 videodisc (89 min.)
E908 .P74 2008

President Richard M. Nixon: Talking with David Frost.
David Paradine Television (1994)
Highlights from the original broadcasts of "The Nixon Interviews with David Frost", and interviews taped after Nixon retired in 1977.
Video Cassette
E 855 P75

Presidential Address on Haiti.
CNN (1994)
President Clinton explains why U.S. lives should be risked in the invasion of Haiti. Reaction from Republican Senator Richard Luger.
Video Cassette (33 min.)
F 1928.2 P74

Presidential Address/President Bill Clinton.
ABC News (1993)
President Clinton discusses his budget proposals, which include a tax increase.
Video Cassette (30 min.)
HC 106.8 P74

Presidential Candidates Debate.
Purdue Research Foundation (1997)
The final presidential debate between President Clinton and Senator Dole.
Recorded Oct. 16, 1996.
Video Cassette (2 hr. 5 min.)
E 888 P74

Presidential Debate.
CNN (1992)
The first of three debates between candidate Ross Perot, Governor Bill Clinton, and incumbent President George Bush.
Held October 11, 1992, at George Washington University in St. Louis.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 30 min.)
JK 526 1992f

Presidential Debate.
CNN (1992)
Speakers Bill Clinton, George Bush, Ross Perot. Debate was held at the University of Richmond. The audience is a group of uncommitted voters who ask questions of the candidates. Followed by closing statements and then reporters discuss the debate.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 35 min.)
JK 526 1992g

Presidential Debates Bush vs. Gore.
(2000)
The first part, which is the second Presidential debate between Gov. George W. Bush and Vice-President Al Gore, is a conversation with the candidates limited to responses of no more than 2 minutes and no participation from the audience. Topics covered include the economy, gun laws, and education. (2 hrs)
The second part, which is the third and final debate, includes questions from the audience. There is analysis of the debates after each part. (1 hr 46 min)
2 Video Cassettes
JK526 2000p
Presidents & Politics.
PBS Video (1988)
Journalist Richard Strout reminisces about his career as a reporter covering Washington and the White House. Beginning with the administration of Warren G. Harding up to the Reagan administration, Strout has seen Washington grow from an unhurried southern town into a bustling international seat of government.
1 Video Cassette (58 min.)
E176.1 .P88 1988

The President's State of the Union Address to Congress and the Republican Response.
ABC News (1994)
President Bill Clinton tells the legislative branch what he wants it to do in 1994. Discusses economic conditions and policies, national security, the crime bill, and values. His speech is followed by a rebuttal by Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole. Reporters analysis and statements on the crime bill by judges and police officers complete the program.
Video Cassette (2 hr.)
HC 106.8 P75

The Presidents: The Lives and Legacies of the 43 Leaders of the United States.
A&E Television Networks (2005)
Features insights into the lives and legacies of U.S. Presidents from journalists, scholars, and politicians, as well as rare and unseen photographs and footage.
v.2. Andrew Johnson to Arthur, 1865-1885 -- Cleveland to Taft, 1885-1913 -- Wilson to FDR, 1913-1945
3 videodiscs (364 min.)
E176.1 .P742 2005

The Price of Politics: Electing Our Leaders.
PBS (1997)
This debate centers around such topics as the influence of special interest monies, America’s party system, adherence to campaign platforms, reform initiatives, and the media’s role in shaping the current system.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 1976 P75

Primary.
Docurama (2003)
A political documentary of the 1960 Wisconsin Democratic presidential.
1 videodisc (53 min.)
E841 .P75 2003

The Primary: The 90s Election Special.
PBS (1992)
Discusses television coverage of the 1992 Democratic primary in Illinois and what candidates need to do to win elections in the 90s.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 884 P75

The Prince.
Knowledge Products (1986)
Machiavelli wrote the Prince for his ruler as a guide for gaining and keeping power. Central themes of his essay are the relation between politics and ethics, what the best form of government consists of, the importance of the Church, and the growth of Italy as a nation-state.
Cassette
JC 143 P74

Private Warriors.
WGBH Educational Foundation (2005)
"Frontline returns to Iraq, this time to embed with Halliburton/KBR, and to take a hard look at private contractors who play a critical role in running U.S. military supply lines, providing armed protection and operating U.S. military bases. Their dramatic story illuminates the Pentagon's new reliance on corporate outsourcing and raises questions about where they fit in the chain of command and the price we are paying for their role in the war"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
DS79.764.U6 P74 2005

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PBS (1997)
This dialogue addresses government actions, such as background checks and fingerprinting, Megan’s law, regulation of the Internet, the encryption of privileged information, and whether these actions are advisable, effective or constitutional.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JC 596.2 U5 P75

Project Censored: Is the Press Really Free?
Off the Couch Films (1999)
Describes five news stories from Project Censored files. Project Censored is a California State University research project that compiles an annual list of censored news stories. Includes excerpts from interviews with media censorship experts Ben Bagdikian, Peter Phillips, and Carl Jensen.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
PN 4888 P6 P76

Public Lands, Private Profits.
Frontline (1994)
An investigation of the impact of the mining laws that pertain to public lands, which have not been changed since the late 1800s. Discusses pending legislation which would require companies to pay royalties on gold extracted from public lands. Cites the increase in heap leach mining as a major problem.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF 1819 P82 (2 copies)

Public Trust, Private Interests.
PBS (1989)
Explores the concept of trust within government between one official and another and trust between government and the people it serves.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 468 E7 P83

Punitive Damage.
First Run/Icarus Films (1999)
Tells the story of Helen Todd, a New Zealander who sought justice through the U.S. Courts, by bringing suit against the Indonesian government and Lt. Gen. Sintong Panjaitan for the violation of human rights in the wrongful death of her son, Kamal Bamadhaj. Bamadhaj, a college student, was gunned down during a peaceful protest in East Timor on November 12, 1991, by the occupying Indonesian military.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 17 min.)
DS646.59.T55 P85 1999

First Run/Icarus Films (1990)
Focuses on the November 16, 1989 murder of 6 Jesuit priests in El Salvador by uniformed soldiers and its consequences. Looks at their personal histories, the history of El Salvador during their time and the role and attitude of the church and university in Salvadoran society.
Video Cassette (48 min.)
F 1488.3 Q48

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The Quiet Mutiny.
Bullfrog Films, [2006]
"In this, the first of his 58 documentary films, John Pilger combines candid interviews and amazing frontline footage of Vietnam to portray a growing rift between the US military bureaucrats -- "lifers" -- and the soldiers who physically and mentally fight the war on the ground, the "grunts." By 1970, it is an internal sense of disillusionment and frustration born from this rift that is triggering the withdrawal of US forces from Vietnam. As the US employs psychological warfare against its enemy, Pilger finds himself unable to glean significant information from the military; a press conference he attends is nicknamed "the 5 'clock follies" for the evasive nature of the proceedings. And so it is with the grunts, the "wheels of the green machine," that Pilger finds a very human side to the US presence in Vietnam -- soldiers who are at once ready to serve their country and doubtful of their purpose there. Plied with visits from Miss America and ignored by Vice President Spiro Agnew, they experience the war in a way many of their superiors do not. Filmed at Camp Snuffy in 1970, The Quiet Mutiny presents a character study of the common soldier during the Vietnam War, revealing for the first time the shifting morale and open rebellion of Western troops"—Container.
1 videodisc (26 min.)
DS557.73 .Q84 2006

The Rage for Democracy.
PBS (1992)
Examines reality versus the ideal of democracy in American society through four stories: 1) politics in the urban black 24th ward of Chicago, 2) action against a local airport expansion project by the wealthy white community of Lexington, Ma., 3) single issue politics on a religiously inspired basis in Texas, 4) the poor organizing themselves in the Piedmont Peace Project in rural North Carolina.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
JK 1764 R33

Reagan.
PBS (1998)
The story of Ronald Reagan's life, with comments by contemporaries and historians.
Pt. 1: Lifeguard (120 min.)
Pt. 2: An American crusade (150 min.)
2 Video Cassettes (4 hr. 30 min.)
E 877 R42

Reagan.
PBS DVD (2000)
The story of former President Ronald Reagan's life, with comments by contemporaries and historians.
2 videodiscs (263 min.)
E877 .R422 2000 pt.1
E877 .R422 2000 pt.2

PBS (1989)
Makes an in-depth assessment of the Reagan administration through interviews with Ronald Reagan and his top aides, media correspondents and leading politicians. His 50 year history of involvement with the media, his style and decision-making are highlighted.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 876 R43

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MPI Home Video (2004)
Ronald Reagan is credited by many with the greatest peace-time expansion in U.S. history. This DVD set looks at Reagan's presidency through clips of more than 100 presidential appearances, rare newsreels and Hollywood footage.
The military and the Soviet Union (1999, 76 min.)
Reagan on government and the American dream (1999, 74 min.).
Disc 2. The man (1999, 74 min.)
Bonus material: legacy of a leader
2 videodiscs (ca. 420 min.)
E877 .R653 2004

Rebels: A Journey Underground.
Carson City, NV: Distributed by Filmwest Associates (1998)
Discusses social change, social movements, and subcultures in our society.
pt. 1. Society's shadow: the origins of cultural rebellion
pt. 2. A new kind of Bohemian: the Beat Generation gets "hip"
pt. 3. Turn on the revolution: counterculture and the psychedelic revolution
pt. 4. A riot of my own: the punk rebellion of the 1970s
pt. 5. Earth trauma: radical environmentalism of the New Age
pt. 6. Welcome to Cyberia: Cyberpunk and the "new edge" underground
6 videocassettes (47 min. each)
HM831 .R42 1998 pts. 1 – 6

Red State.
Consolidated Hierarchies (2005)
In the aftermath of the 2004 Presidential election, Michael Shea looks at why George Bush was reelected to a second term.
1 videodisc (81 min.)
E902 .R43 2005

Rediscovering George Washington.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2003)
Documentary explores the character and accomplishments of George Washington as a warrior, a politician, and a charismatic leader. Also gives views of Washington through modern people and events.
1 videodisc (87 min.)
E312 .R43 2003

Reflections on the Revolution in France.
Knowledge Products (1986)
A slashing attack on the French Revolution. In this work Burke sought to preserve the tradition of monarchy against the upheaval of revolution.
Cassette
DC 150 R43

Republican National Convention.
PBS (1992)
Examines the 1992 Republican political convention. Includes speeches by Barbara Bush and Marilyn Quayle, interviews with Dan Quayle and George Bush, and a response by Bill Clinton.
2 Video Cassettes (8 hr.)

Restructuring Global Priorities.
University of Nevada, Las Vegas (2004)
Mikhail Gorbachev, former president of the Soviet Union who played a large part in the ending of the Cold War and the bringing of democracy to the Soviet Union, discusses such topics as the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, the conflict between man and the environment, the gap between the rich and poor which has been made worse by globalization, the Middle East crisis, and conflicts between national and international interests. At the end of the talk, he answers questions sent by email by ticket holders for the speech. He also received an honorary doctorate.
1 videocassette (ca. 90 min.)
D860 .R47 2004

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The Resurgence of the Ku Klux Klan.
Klan leaders, defectors, and members of the Anti-Defamation League examine reasons for renewed interest in the Klan, and the KKK's efforts to project a new public interest.
Cassette (30 min.)
HS 2330 K63 R47

Return of the Czar.
WGBH Educational Foundation
Discusses what Russia has become almost a decade after the fall of the Soviet Union. Also discusses former President Boris Yeltsin and career KGB officer Vladimir Putin -- Yeltsin's anointed successor -- who is set to ascend to Russia's presidency.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
DK510.763 .R47 2000

Rights of Man.
Knowledge Products (1986)
Paine defends the principles of the French Revolution. He believed the French Revolution was based upon the same principles as the American Revolution.
Cassette
DC 150 R43

River of Steel.
Direct Cinema Ltd. (1992)
Tells the story of a crucial period of growth in America and charts the dramatic effect of technology on the shape of human lives. Demonstrates how an ambitious public work, changed the physical and social fabric of one of the world's great cities.
Video Cassette (27 min.)
TF 847 N5 R38

The Road to Jenin.
Landmark Media (2003)
Did a massacre at Jenin take place?
This documentary explores the tumultuous events of April, 2002 during the Israel Operation Defensive Shield. Interweaves candid Palestinian and Israeli interviews with archival footage to recount in detail the key events of the Jenin battle. Addressing Palestinian accusations and Israeli explanations head on, this documentary establishes the details of this highly charged incident.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
DS119.765 .R62 2003

Road To 9/11.
PBS Home Video (2006)
"This dramatic documentary chronicles the deep historical roots of Al-Qáida, examining the years of political oppression, economic stagnation, religious fanaticism, and violence that gave rise to the attacks of September 11. 2002. It features rare footage, and insightful commentary by leading scholars and journalists including Bernard Lewis, Fareed Zakaria, Thomas Friedman, Irshad Manji, Azar Nafisis, Kanan Makiya, Fawaz Gerges, and David Fromkin"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
HV6432.7 .R63 2006

Road to the Presidency: Inside the Clinton Campaign.
Facets Video, c2004
View of the 1992 Presidential election including President Bill Clinton's road through the primaries, the Democratic convention, and the televised debates with President George H.W. Bush.
1 videodisc (164 min.)
E884 .R62 2004

Robben Island: Our University.
A film about the reunion of former South African political prisoners Kiliile Bam, Neville Alexander, and Kwedi Mkalipi. They recall their long prison experiences. Documents the tragedy and the hope of events in South Africa.
Video Cassette (55 min.)
DT 1948 R63

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The Rockefellers.
Explores the lives of the Rockefeller dynasty. Uses home movies, archival footage and photographs, and interviews with eight Rockefellers, their colleagues and friends to paint a portrait of four generations of the family.
2 Video Cassettes (ca. 210 min.)
CT274.R59 R622 2000

The Role of Nuclear Weapons in the 1980s.
Provides a look at political implications of nuclear weapons and how to control them.
Cassette
JX 1974.7 R6

Romeo and Juliet in Sarajevo.
WGBH Educational Foundation [200-?]
Story of a Muslim girl and a Serbian boy who fell in love. They were killed trying to escape from Sarajevo.
1 videodisc (84 min.)
DR1313.32.S27 R65 2000z

Romero.
Vidmark Entertainment (1997)
Chronicles the transformation of Archbishop Oscar Romero of El Salvador from an apolitical complacent priest to a committed leader of the Salvadoran people.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 45 min.)
PN 1995.9 D6 R55

Roosevelt: Hail to the Chief.
Learning Corp. of America (19??)
Roosevelt is elected President while the country is in the depths of the Great Depression. His promise of a New Deal is eagerly embraced by Americans. His leadership, vigor, and courage restore a sense of purpose to the nation.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
E 807 R6565

Roosevelt: Manipulator in Chief.
Learning Corp. of America (19??)
The dilemma of a leader who waged war on many fronts—the grand alliances, rivalries between generals, politicians, and heads of state. Often portrayed as given to bold actions, particularly in foreign affairs, Roosevelt moves cautiously and is sensitive to the flow of public opinion.
Video Cassette (30 min.)
E 807 R75

Running Mate: Gender & Politics in the Editorial Cartoons.
First Run/Icarus Films (1993)
Examines editorial cartoonists’ portrayals of Geraldine Ferraro during her vice presidential campaign. Reveals the gender stereotypes which hounded the Mondale/Ferraro ticket. Drawn from a study of 172 cartoons in 12 U.S. newspapers.
Video Cassette (47 min.)
HQ 1236.5 U6 R85

Rushing to Sunshine: Seoul Diaries.
Cinema Guild (2001)
South Korea's "Sunshine Policy" under President Kim Dae-Jung's presidency has opened unprecedented business and cultural contact with the communist North. From March 1998 to October 2000, this film follows the process and its many paradoxes, such as the anachronistic National Security Law, which still defines North Korea as "an enemy country" while South Koreans flock there on tourist cruises.
1 videocassette (73 min.)
DS917.444 .R87 2001

Russia and America: Where do we go from here?
Cinema Guild (1995)
Discusses Russia's difficult transition from state socialism to capitalist democracy. Compares the economics, housing, education, politics and crime of Ekaterinburg, Russia to that of its sister city, San Jose, California.
Video Cassette (59 min.)
DK 510.76 R863

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Russia on the Run.
Video Project (1996)
Captures the heart and soul of present day Russians and their attitudes toward the massive changes in their lives under the new capitalism.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 26 min.)
DJK 293 R87

Russia's War: Blood upon the Snow
PBS Video
Discusses Stalin's rise to power, his war against the Soviet people, Russia's part in World War II, Stalin's continued persecution of his people after the war, the Cold War, and his death in 1953.
1. Darkness descends/Hour before midnight
2. Goths ride east/Between life and death
3. Fight from within/Cauldron boils
4. Citadel/False dawn
5. Fall of the Swastika/Cult of personality
5 Video Cassettes (105 min. ea)
DK267 .R87 1997

The Russian Revolution. (1981)
The Russian Revolution was a major turning point in both Russian and world history. Lenin and the Bolsheviks succeeded in gaining power; they set about creating a new totalitarian government, based on the tenets of Marx. How they accomplished this and turned Imperial Russia into the U.S.S.R. and the first Communist state is the subject of this filmstrip.
Filmstrip/Cassette
Program Guide (13 p.)
DK 265 R87

Rwandan Nightmare.
First Run/Icarus Films (1994)
Presents eyewitness accounts of the massacres in Rwanda in 1994. Provides historical roots of the conflict between the minority Tutsi and the majority Hutu.
Video Cassette (41 min.)
DT 450.435 R83

First Run Features, c2003
This program chronicles the human rights abuses of the Khmer Rouge after they seized power in Cambodia in 1975.
1 videodisc (101 min.)
DS554.842 .S78 2003

Sacrifice.
Ho-Ho-Kus, New Jersey : Film Library (1998)
"Each year thousands of girls are recruited from rural Burmese villages to work in brothels in Thailand where they are held for years in debt bondage. The trafficking of Burmese girls is a direct result of political repression in Burma. Human rights abuses, war, and ethnic discrimination have displaced thousands of families leaving them with no means of livelihood. This film, through interviews with the girls, examines the social, cultural and economic forces at work in the trafficking of these Burmese girls."
1 Video Cassette (48 min.)
HQ242.55.A5 S22 1998

Saddam Hussein: Defying the World.
Independent TV News (1990)
Charts Hussein's bloody rise to power, his penchant for calculated atrocities, and the shrewd opportunism that made him such a menace to world stability. Includes footage taken of the invasion of Kuwait.
Video Cassette (35 min.)
DS 79.66 H87 S23

Saddam's Killing Fields.
PBS (1993)
Exposes the untold story of Hussein's program to exterminate the Kurdish people of Iraq. Evidence of mass executions conducted by Saddam and his lieutenants, secret files, audio tapes, and video footage detail the scale of the Iraqi state's surveillance, torture, and murder.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DS 70.8 K8 S23

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A&E Television Networks (2006)
This documentary "recounts the story of kings who once led caravans of 30,000 people across the desert, bearing riches beyond imagination. It tells of Roman death squads that exterminated the citizens of the Empire's most bitter rival and how the Foreign Legion crafted a legend out of last stands and lost causes... Also included is a bonus disc that examines the lives of two men -- T.E. Lawrence and Erwin Rommel -- who shaped the desert's modern history and were themselves forever changed by the Sahara"—Container.
2 videodiscs (180 min.)
DT333 .S22 2006

Salman Rushdie.
PBS Video (1993)
Rushdie shares his perspective on the events in the Middle East and other parts of the Muslim World.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
PR 6068 U757 Z477

Sandra Day O'Connor.
A&E Television Networks (2004)
Trace the groundbreaking career of the first woman appointed to the Supreme Court.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
KF8745.O25 S26 2004

Salt of the Earth.
Pioneer (1999)
Salt of the earth is a feature film based on the 1950s strike by zinc miners in New Mexico. Hollywood ten is a documentary chronicling the lives and work of ten filmmakers blacklisted by The House Un-American Activities Committee in 1947.
1 videodisc (94 min.)
PN1995.9. M54 S35 1999

Satya: A Prayer for the Enemy.
Film Library, [200-7]
*Since the Chinese invasion of Tibet in 1950, more than one million people have been tortured, executed or starved to death for their role in demonstrations against the Chinese occupation. This film focuses on personal testimonies of Tibetan Buddhist nuns who have taken the lead in this resistance by fearlessly staging courageous demonstrations for religious freedom and independence"—Container.
1 videodisc (28 min.)
DS786 .S33 2000z

Saudi Arabia.
Provides a political, economic, historical and cultural look at Saudi Arabia.
1. The Kingdom   2. Race with Time
3. Oil, Money & Politics.
3 Video Cassettes (59 min. ea)
DS 204 S28 vol. 1-3

Saudi Time Bomb?
PBS Home Video, c2001
Looks at the delicate alliance between the United States and Saudi Arabia, considering the vast difference in the culture of the two countries, and in light of the September 11th terrorist attack on the United States.
1 Video Cassette (60 min.)
E183.8.S25 S38 2001

Save Our Land, Save Our Towns.
Bullfrog Films (2000)
Explores how America can save its cities, towns, and countryside and enhance the quality of life for all. Filmed in Pennsylvania, England, Oregon and North Carolina, this program shows how America's towns can be rebuilt and its countryside preserved from strip malls and subdivisions.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
HT392 .S28 2000

The Scandal of Secrecy.
Van Heusen Co. (1973)
Includes mimeographed transcript, "Secrecy in Government."
Tape (22 min.)
JK 468 S4 G3

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Scandalous Mayor.  
PBS (1991)  
James Michael Curley fought his way up from poverty to four terms as Boston's mayor, four terms as congressman, one as alderman, and one as governor. Even when investigated for corruption, Curley was ennobled as "mayor of the poor". He ran a campaign from jail and won. He interrupted a mayoral term to do time at a federal penitentiary.  
Video Cassette (1 hr.)  
Worksheet  
F 70 C85 S32

School of the Americas: At War with Democracy?  
Center for Defense Information (1994)  
Describes the military assistance and training that the U.S. provided to Latin American countries during the Cold War. Examines the School of the Americas located at an Army base in the U.S.  
Video Cassette (29 min.)  
F 1418 S36

School prayer: A Community at War.  
Log In Productions (1999)  
A Mississippi mother of six sues her local school district to remove intercom prayer and Bible classes from the public schools. Christian community members rally against her to protect their time-honored tradition of religious practices in the schools. Both sides claim they are fighting for religious freedom.  
1 videodisc (ca. 55 min.)  
LC112.M7 S36 1999

Schoolhouse Rock!  
Buena Vista Home Entertainment (2002?)  
Collection of all 46 Schoolhouse rock! songs on the topics of science, multiplication, money, American history and English grammar. Plus, the new song "I'm gonna send your vote to college" about the American electoral college.  
2 videodiscs (221 min.)  
LB1555 .S35 2002

Sea of Conflict.  
Films Inc. (1986)  
Examines the position Persian Gulf countries occupy in world politics, economics, and military strategy.  
Video Cassette (59 min.)  
DS 247 A13 S42

Second Amendment Warriors: Militias and American Society.  
The Video Project (1995)  
The modern paramilitary movement is compared to the early American militias of the late 1700s.  
Video Cassette  
HN 90 R3 S43

Secrecy.  
Bullfrog Films, c2008  
An examination of secrecy in the United States government, exploring the tensions between freedom of information and national security.  
1 videodisc (80 min.)  
JK468.S4 S43 2008

The Secret File on J. Edgar Hoover.  
PBS (1992)  
Reveals how Hoover's own secret life left him open to blackmail by the Mafia. Offers a new explanation for why the FBI allowed the mob to operate unchallenged for over two decades.  
Video Cassette (57 min.)  
HV 7911 H6 S42

Secret Files: Washington, Israel and the Gulf.  
PBS (1992)  
Reveals how Presidents Roosevelt, Truman, Eisenhower and Kennedy used secret agreements and personal contacts with Saudi Arabia and Israel to shape America's national policy that culminated in the Gulf War.  
Video Cassette (1 hr.)  
DS 79.72 S42

The Secret Government: The Constitution in Crisis  
Public Affairs Television (1987)  
Video Cassette (1 hr. 30 min.)  
JK 468 I6 S42

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Secret Intelligence.
PBS (1989)
Pt. 1 The Only Rule Is Win. Looks at the origins of the FBI and the OSS, the forerunner of the CIA. Considers critical events that shaped the operating style of the agency. Viewers follow the intelligence reports and events that led to the attack at Pearl Harbor.
Pt. 2 Intervention. In 1947, the National Security Act created the CIA. Following the policy decisions of Truman, the CIA became a secret army of intervention. Also looks at the CIA under Eisenhower and Kennedy.
Pt. 3 Learning to Say No. Documents the broadened political consciousness within the agency during the Vietnam War. In 1970, Congress began an extensive investigation into the intelligence community in an effort to redefine its goals.
Pt. 4 The Enterprise. Uncover information concerning the bombing of the marine barracks in Beirut that killed 241 U.S. soldiers. In addition, viewers follow the progression that led to William Casey's new "enterprise".
4 Video Cassettes (1 hr.)
JK 468 I6 S43

The Secret to Change by Millie Jeffrey.
Filmmakers Library (2000)
Story of Mildred McWilliams Jeffrey, who for seven decades has empowered victims of exploitation and discrimination to fight for equality and opportunity.
Video Cassette (38 min.)
HD8073.J43 S42 2000

Secrets, Lies & Atomic Spies.
WGBH Boston Video (2002)
In the late 1940s the FBI nabbed Klaus Fuchs and Julius Rosenberg for giving atomic secrets to the Soviets. But only recently historians have discovered that as many as 300 Americans may have spied for the Soviets during WW II. Discusses why so few were prosecuted, how the U.S. cracked a Soviet coding technique, and why the truth about high-level Soviet espionage was kept from the American public.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DK266.3 .S43 2002

Secularism: The Turkish Experience.
Omer Baristiran (2004)
Explores the history of secularism in Turkey.
1 videodisc (110 min.)
BL2747.8 S43 2004

See Jane Run: How Women Get Elected.
Banner Prod. (1996)
An overview of an Ivy League university program which has created a school to train women in the fundamental skills of successful political campaigners.
Video Cassette (56 min.)
HQ 1391 U5 S43

The history of the American Communist Party from the thirties onward.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 40 min.)
JK 2391 C5 S44

Senator Obama goes to Africa.
First Run Features, 2007
Senator Barack Obama travels to the land of his ancestry. From South Africa to Kenya to a Darfur refugee camp in Chad, Obama explores the vast continent that is gaining increasing importance in this age of globalization.
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
E901.1.O23 S46 2007

Seneca: Moral Epistles.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
"This program examines Seneca’s particular brand of stoic philosophy and chronicles an extraordinary life that spanned the tumultuous reigns of Caligula, Claudius, and finally Nero--whom Seneca served as both tutor and counselor. Included are a number of excerpts from Seneca’s Epistles, among them passages in which he deplores capital punishment and encourages unity, brotherhood, and equality among all people--including slaves"—Container.
1 videodisc (25 min)
PA6675 .S46 2006

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Sentenced Home.
Distributed by Center for Asian American Media (2007)
The video portrays 3 immigrant men who arrived in the United States as refugees from Cambodia in the '80s. After fleeing the Khmer Rouge and settling in Seattle as children, each was drawn into gang life, and ultimately jail. According to U.S. law they should have been deported, but Cambodia did not accept deportees at the time of their sentences. After September 2001, the U.S. pressured Cambodia into changing its policy. As a result, thousands of individuals were separated from their families and returned to a land that many barely knew. Many deportees faced the prospect of paying a double penalty: having already served their original prison sentences and moved on with their lives, they now faced deportation.
1 videodisc (76 min.)
E184.K45 S46 2007

Seoul Train.
New Day Films, c2008
"Today, there are an estimated 250,000 North Korean refugees living underground in China. They escaped a food crisis and other persecutions at home that have claimed the lives of approximately 3 million in the past 10 years. The Chinese Government -- in direct violation of international laws to which it's a party -- systematically arrests and forcibly repatriates hundreds of these refugees each month. Defecting from North Korea is a capital offense, and repatriated refugees face human rights abuses ranging from concentration camps and torture to forced abortion and summary executions. For a lucky few refugees, however, there is hope. A group of multinational activists has taken it upon themselves to create an Underground Railroad. Via a network of safe houses and escape routes, the activists -- at great personal risk -- help the refugees on daring escapes to freedom over hundreds (and sometimes thousands) of miles of Chinese territory"—Producers.
1 videodisc (ca. 54 min.)
HV640.5.K67 S46 2008

The Shape of Water.
Kum-Kum Bhavnani, c2006
Follows the efforts of women political activists in four developing countries (Brazil, India, Israel & Senegal) to effect positive change.
1 videodisc (70 min.)
HQ1236.5.D44 S534 2006

The Shores of Africa
Films Media Group (2007)
"This two-part series provides an economic, political, and cultural portrait of African life, focusing on the countries located along the eastern and western shores of the continent. Each program analyzes the dynamics of trade, language, religion, geography and history that have given Africa its present and evolving shape"—Containers.
[disc 1] Africa's east coast (53 min.)
[disc 2] Africa's west coast (ca. 53 min.)
2 videodiscs (ca. 106 min.)

A Short Summer in Gaza.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2005)
"The precarious hopes and daily struggles of Gaza strip residents are documented in this compelling program, which focuses on the 2003 summer ceasefire - a chapter of Israeli-Palestinian history filled with American ambivalence, disappointing prisoner releases, and the eventual disintegration of the ceasefire itself. A pacifist Gazan artist, his militant-minded son, and the pragmatic widow of a Hamas extremist all contribute to this street-level exploration of the summer's event - shedding light on the human and political consequences of the Israeli occupation, and clearly illustrating why Palestinian despair surpasses optimism"—Container.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
DS119.76 .S55 2005

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Should the Economic Crisis Change Our Assessment of Markets and Government?
  UNLV Greenspun School of Communication, c2009
  Winston assesses the efficacy of government policy in correcting market inefficiencies. The assessment draws on historical evidence and reconsider its initial conclusions in light of the current economic crisis. Winston concludes with a discussion of what the interested layperson should take away from recent events.
  1 videodisc (80 min.)
  HB3722 .W56 2009

Shouting Fire: Stories From the Edge of Free Speech.
  HBO Home Entertainment, c2009
  Examines the balancing act between protecting both civil liberties and national security. First Amendment attorney, Martin Garbus is interviewed at length along with other well-known people associated with these issues.
  1 videodisc (74 min.)
  KF4772 .S55 2009

Showdown in the Gulf.
  CBS News (1991)
  Live coverage of the war in the Persian Gulf in 1991.
  Video Cassette (6 hr. 10 min.)
  DS 79.72 S56

Sicko.
  Filmmaker Michael Moore critiques the American health care system, focusing especially on the HMOs, drug companies, and congressmen who profit from the status quo. Also includes an analysis of the health care systems in Canada, England, France, and Cuba, where free universal health care is the norm.
  1 videodisc (123 min.)
  RA395.A3 S515 2007

Sir! No sir!
  Bullfrog Films, c2005
  Recalls the unprecedented movement by American GI's against the Vietnam War, staged through demonstrations, underground newspapers, combat refusals and more, rocking the foundations of the American military. Includes archival material and interviews with key participants.
  1 videodisc (84 min.)
  DS559.62.U6 S57 2005

Sisters of '77.
  Media Projects (2005)
  Uses interviews and archival footage to examine the first National Women's Conference, held in Houston, Texas, in 1977, and the debates held there over issues including reproductive freedom, sexual preferences, and minority rights.
  1 videodisc (54 min.) + 1 discussion guide (28 p.)
  HQ1403 .S67 2005 + guide

Sissela Bok.
  PBS Video (1988)
  Sissela Bok discusses honesty, ethical behavior, and secrecy in government, the contributions of moral principles to solving political and international conflicts and how the individual can contribute to peace through ethical behavior.
  Video Cassette (29 min.)
  JA 79 S58
Six Days in June: The War That Redefined the Middle East.

WGBH Boston Video, c2007

Although the fighting lasted for only six days in June of 1967, the effects of the Six Day War are still apparent today. On its 40th anniversary, the region remains trapped in conflict and is every bit as explosive as it was then. For Israel, the 1967 war was a military success. But it also redrew the map of the Middle East and mired the region in a never-ending cycle of occupation, terrorism and reprisal. The Six Day War forever changed the politics of the Middle East by helping to destroy the secular basis of Pan-Arab nationalism and transform secular Zionism. It gave rise to a Palestinian nationalist movement and helped unleash the fury of fundamentalism. Shot on location in Israel, Palestine, Egypt, Syria, Jordan, Moscow and Washington, this powerful film takes us through the weeks that preceded the war, its six days of fighting and its aftermath that still lingers today.

1 videodisc (ca. 108 min.)
DS127 .S585 2007

The Sixties: The Years that Shaped a Generation.

Paramount Home Entertainment (2005)

Discusses the turbulent period of the 60s in the United States and includes interviews with prominent figures of the era including: Barbara Ehrenreich, Daniel Ellsberg, Jesse Jackson, Tom Hayden, Arlo Guthrie, Henry Kissinger, Norman Mailer, Robert McNamara, Ed Messe III and Bobby Seale.

1 videodisc (ca. 120 min.)
E841 .S545 2005

Slacker Uprising

Brave New Films, 2007

"Traces Michael Moore's 62-city tour of the swing states during the 2004 Presidential election ... Moore's goal was to convince millions of non-voting 'slackers' - mostly between the ages of 18-29 - to give voting a try"—Container.

1 videodisc (97 min.)
JK1764 .S5444 2007

So You Want to Buy a President?

PBS Video (1992)

Investigates the expected $500 million flowing into the 1995 presidential campaign. Explores what big financial donors want for their campaign contributions.

Video Cassette (1 hr. 27 min.)
JK 526 1996

Social Contract.

Knowledge Products (1986)

Explores Rousseau's concept of social order and its implications for individual freedom and the good of society

Cassette
HX 39.5 C66

Solidarity.

Films for the Humanities (1991)

Documents the drastic changes in Poland's political and economical development over the past ten years and the growth of the labor union solidarity.

Video Cassette (15 min.)
DK 4442 S64

Some Call It Greed.

Learning Corp. of America.

A filmed perspective of how American capitalism was born and how it grew. Covers the 6 decade development of America's power and wealth. Filmed accounts of W.W. I, the Robber Barons, the Great Depression, W.W. II, and the era of modern technology.

Video Cassette (52 min.)
HC 106 S68

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South Africa: Building Democracy.
University of California Extension Center for Media and Independent Learning (1998)
Depicts the struggle to forge a working democracy in post-apartheid South Africa as seen through the eyes of six key players.
Video Cassette
DT 1974 S68 pt.3

South Africa: Freedom in our Lifetime.
Films for the Humanities
A black "uprising" against the injustice of apartheid began in 1984. Many young blacks knew they could not win by violent force. Instead they organized at the grassroots, taking control of their own townships and making their grievances known to the white population.
Video Cassette (33 min.)
DT1757 .S68 2000

South Central Farm: Oasis In A Concrete Desert.
Enviro Films, [2007]
"The true story of the high profile controversy involving poor farmers and their supporters, celebrity tree sitters, the developer and the city of Los Angeles over the South Central Farm, the largest and most bio-diverse urban farm in the U.S."—Container.
1 videodisc (24 min)
SB457.3 .S68 2007

Soviet Disunion: Ten Years that Shook the World.
Films for the Humanities (1997)
This history of contemporary Russia presents a dismal picture of a nation in disarray, battling insurmountable economic, social and political problems.
Video Cassette (57 min.)
DK 286 S68

The Speeches of Dwight D. Eisenhower.
MPI Home Video, c1990
Program focuses on Dwight Eisenhower as a public orator using excerpts from speeches made during World War II and later during his presidency.
1 videocassette (60 min.)
J82 .D8 1990

The Speeches of Franklin D. Roosevelt.
MPI Home Video (1990)
Program focuses on Franklin Roosevelt as a public orator using excerpts from his campaign speeches, fireside chats, and state addresses covering such topics as the Depression of 1929 and World War II.
1 videocassette (60 min)
J82 .D6 1990

Speeches of General Douglas MacArthur.
MPI Home Video (1990)
World War II General, Douglas MacArthur speaks about the arms race, the future of communist China and the rise of Japan's affluence, and we hear again his "I shall return" speech.
1 videocassette (55 min.)
E745.M3 S64 1990

The Speeches of Gerald Ford.
MPI Home Video (1995)
Includes President Gerald Ford's speeches for his swearing into office, pardoning Nixon, honoring Queen Elizabeth, accepting the Republican nomination to run for a full term, and delivering his farewell address.
1 videocassette (55min)
J82 .E3 1995

The Speeches of Harry Truman.
MPI Home Video (1990)
Speeches by the "Give 'em hell" President, Harry S. Truman, bring back the Cold War era. Includes his speeches about the decision to drop the first atomic bomb; the spread of Communism in Asia; the unionization of industry; his firing of General Douglas MacArthur; and more.
1 videocassette (47 min.)
J82 .D7 1990

The Speeches of Jimmy Carter.
MPI Home Video (1995)
Shows President Jimmy Carter's oratorical style during public addresses on human rights, the Head Start program, international peace issues, and the energy crisis of the 1970s.
1 videocassette (55 min.)
J82 .E4 1995

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The Speeches of John F. Kennedy.
MPI Home Video (1990)
Includes all the major addresses from his 1960 Presidential campaign through his three years in office.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 841 S65

The Speeches of Lyndon B. Johnson.
MPI Home Video, c1995
Traces Lyndon Johnson's administration from Kennedy's legacy, through the Civil Rights Act, Vietnam, the Detroit race riots and his announcement that he would not seek the nomination for another term as president.
1 videocassette (57 min.)
J82 .E1 1995

The Speeches of Nelson Mandela.
MPI Home Video (1995)
The speeches of Nelson Mandela, who has fought against apartheid and been president of the African National Congress and President of South Africa, offer a demonstration of his oratory prowess.
1 videocassette (70 min.)
DT1974 .S74 1995

The Speeches of Our Founding fathers & the American Revolution.
MPI Home Video (1997)
Sample of writing and addresses from a number of the great thinkers and doers from the time of America's fight for independence from England.
1 videocassette (ca. 40 min)
E188.5 .S64 1997

The Speeches of Robert F. Kennedy.
MPI Home Video (1990)
Includes his eulogy at the funeral of John F. Kennedy, Columbia University speeches, 1964 Democratic Convention address, his proposals on Vietnam policies, his reflections on the assassination of Martin Luther King, and more.
Video Cassette (55 min.)
E 839.4 S64

The Speeches of Ronald Reagan.
MPI Home Video (1995)
Gives a sample of President Reagan's speeches, including his 1964 televised speech in support of Barry Goldwater for President, economic debate with George Bush, the famous "Evil Empire" and "Star Wars" Presidential addresses, and his farewell address.
1 videocassette (69 min)
J82 .E5 1995

Speeches of Winston Churchill.
MPI Home Video (1990)
Program focuses on Winston Churchill as a public orator using excerpts from his addresses to the public, to the House of Commons, and to the United States Congress. Many of his speeches were to encourage the British people during World War II.
1 videocassette (30 min.)
DA566.9.C5 S54 1990

Spying on Saddam.
PBS Video
Discusses UNSCOM, the special UN commission created to find and destroy Saddam Hussein's weapons of mass destruction, which disintegrated amid charges it actually was a spy agency. Examines the charges by Scott Ritter, former U.S. Marine and UNSCOM inspector, that U.S. Intelligence destroyed UNSCOM's credibility when American spies penetrated and compromised UN arms inspection teams.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
UA12.5 .S68 1999

Spying on the Home Front
PBS Video (2007)
"Frontline addresses an issue of major consequence for all Americans: Is the Bush administration's domestic war on terrorism jeopardizing our civil liberties? Reporter Hedrick Smith presents new material on how the National Security Agency's domestic surveillance program works and examines clashing viewpoints on whether the president has violated the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act (FISA) and infringed on constitutional protections"—Website.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
KF4748 .S69 2007

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Stalin: Man and Image.
Learning Corp. of America (1986)
Stalin used the power of the media to control a whole people. The first decades of his rule were marked by despotic control over the media, the army, and the secret police.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
DK 267 S692

The Stakes of Islam.
Filmakers Library (2001)
Documents how life, especially religious life for Muslims, has changed in Central Asia's Fergana Valley since the breakup of the Soviet Union. Also discusses the Islamic fundamentalist threat in this region.
1 Video Cassette (52 min.)
DK859.5 .S73 2001

Star Wars Dreams.
Filmakers Library (2003)
"Reveals the hopes and illusions of America's continuing search for invulnerability through a missile defense system. It traces the fifty-year history of America's multi-billion dollar Star Wars system from President Eisenhower's Cold War commitment to a defense against the Soviet Union, through President Reagan's obsession with Star Wars, to President George W. Bush's imminent deployment of a "Son of Star" Wars defense against rogue states."—Container.
1 videodisc (50 min.)
UG743 .S73 2003

State of the Union.
ABC News (1993)
President Clinton's State of the Union message, delivered January 23, 1996, with the Republican response.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 33 min.)
HC 106.8 S73

State of the Union Address.- 1998.
(1998)
President Clinton's State of the union address from 1998. He discusses taxation, the budget surplus, Social Security, etc. Followed by the Republican response by Rep. Jennifer Dunn, comments from other legislators, and comments called in by viewers.
Video Cassette (2 hrs. 5 min)
HC106.82 .S73 1999

(1999)
President Clinton's State of the union address for 1999. He discusses taxation, the budget surplus, Social Security, etc. Followed by the Republican response by Rep. Jennifer Dunn, comments from other legislators, and comments called in by viewers.
Video Cassette (2 hrs. 5 min)
HC106.82 .S73 1999

States of Unbelonging.
New Day Films 2006
Blending experimental and documentary styles, this film offers a portrait of Israeli filmmaker Revital Ohayon, murdered in a terrorist attack with her two children while on a West Bank kibbutz. Director Lynne Sachs accompanies images and symbols with a running spoken narrative of Sachs’ own efforts to capture and understand Ohayon's story.
1 videodisc (63 min.)

Stealing a Nation: A Special Report.
Film about the people of the Chagos Islands in the Indian Ocean who were expelled from their island by the British government so that the United States could build a military base on the main island of Diego Garcia. The base was used as a launch pad to invade Afghanistan and Iraq.
1 videodisc (56 min.)
DS349.9.D53 S74 2004

Stealing Lincoln's Body.
A&E Home Video (2009)
A band of Chicago counterfeiters hatched a plot to steal the President's body from its tomb outside Springfield, Illinois, and hold it for a ransom of $200,000. The story shows how important this beloved President remained to public so unprepared for his violent death in 1865.
1 videodisc (ca. 94 min.)
E457.52 .S74 2009
**Stealing the Fire.**
Filmmakers Library, c2002

Follows an unbroken chain of events and today's personalities connecting Hitler's atomic bomb program and today's nuclear weapons black market. It follows the trail of Karl-Heinz Schaab, a German technician who sold Saddam Hussein top secret documents stolen from Germany and traveled to Baghdad numerous times to help Iraq in its nuclear quest.

- 1 videodisc (58 min.)
  JX1974.73 .S73 2002

**Still Waiting: Life After Katrina.**
Ginny Martin & Kate Browne, c2007

Explores the lack of U.S. government action, the reality of cramped living quarters, and the racial pressures for those attempting a return to their bayou homes after Hurricane Katrina.

- 1 videodisc (58 min.)
  HV636 2005 S6 S85 2007

**Stop the Flow: Analyzing the Causes of EU Immigration.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2007

This program reports on initiatives taken by the European Union to improve conditions in Africa and the Middle East thereby reducing the number of job seekers entering the European Union. Spotlights human rights, fair trade, global war on poverty, role of the private sector and frustrations of the young unemployed foreigners, uses Morocco as a case study.

- 1 videodisc (26 min.)
  JV7590 .S76 2007

**Stopping the Money: an Economic Approach to Counterterrorism.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)

Discusses efforts by President Bush to freeze the assets of terrorist organizations such as Osama bin Laden's al Qaeda.

- Video Cassette (22 min.)
  HV6431 .S76 2002

**Stopwatch.**
Kikin Media, (1999)

Gives a detailed description of Frederick Winslow Taylor's time-study approach to efficient work/production and how this approach has influenced modern work practices and other aspects of our lives.

- 1 Video Cassette (57 min.)
  T55.9 .K372 1999

**The Story of America.**
Distributed by Questar, c2008

Combines historical footage, period artwork, dramatic re-enactments, and historical commentary to present the story of America.

- pt. 1. Presidents of a new nation (70 min.) / produced by NBC News
- pt. 2. Presidents of a national struggle (80 min.)
- pt. 3. Presidents of a world power (85 min.)
- pt. 4. Headline stories of the 20th century (105 min.)
- pt. 5. The century that made American great (180 min.)
- pt. 6. Great Indian leaders and nations (110 min.)
  E178 .S8652 2008 pt.1-6

**Suicide Bombers: Inside the Minds of Failed Martyrs.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, (2006)

"In a series of powerful and revealing interviews from inside Israeli prisons, this Wide Angle documentary examines the motives of Palestinian suicide bombers. A recruiter, a bomb builder, and three failed suicide bombers captured by Israeli security forces speak openly of their training, motivation, operational methodology, and profound belief in the idea of entering paradise as a shahid - a martyr for Islam. They discuss their hatred of Jews and Israel, their determination to die, and the personal motivations that have influenced them - including a failed love, a sense of personal revenge, the frustration of living under the Israeli occupation, and envy for the prosperous Israeli lifestyle. In addition, Sari Nusseibeh, president of Al-Quds University, speaks with anchor Mishal Husain"—Container.

- 1 videodisc (60 min.)
  HV6433 I75 S84 2006

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Summer of Judgment.
PBS (1985)

The Watergate Hearings. Provides a clear outline of specific events of the Watergate Scandal and a vivid picture of what happened. (2 hr.) E 860 W37 pt. 1-2

The Impeachment Hearings. Tells the story of the deliberation on the articles of impeachment drafted by the House Judiciary Committee against President Nixon. Contains footage of the original committee debates. (1 hr.) E 861 I46
3 Video Cassettes

Direct Cinema Limited (1990)
Gives historical and social background of the major issues in which he was involved. Examines major events faced by Warren as a district attorney, governor, state attorney general, and Supreme Court justice.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 28 min.)
KF 8745 W3 S96

Survival of a Small City.
Filmakers Library (1987)
A study on the decline and rebirth of a deteriorated urban neighborhood in Connecticut. The first half of the film shows the city in decay. The second part of the film shows the gentrification of South Norwalk. Raises the question of whether urban renewal left to private economic interests will benefit society as a whole.
Video Cassette (65 min.)
HT 177 S727 S87

Susan B. Anthony: Rebel for the Cause.
A&E Television Networks (2005)
Looks at the life of Susan B. Anthony who fought for women's rights, especially the right to vote. Combining archival photographs with dramatic recreations and interviews, shows how Anthony endured threats and ridicule for her efforts to reform unfair laws that governed women.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
HQ1413.A55 S87 2005

Taken for a Ride.
New Day Films
Follows a long buried trail of auto/oil industry schemes to expose the dummy companies, secret stock transactions and propaganda campaigns that motorized one third of the nation's streetcars. Scores of American cities lost their streetcars. The same players, organized as "the highway lobby" then campaigned for a network of urban freeways that destroyed America's downtowns.
Video Cassette (55 min.)
HE 208 T33

Taking on the Kennedys.
PBS (1996)
Goes behind the scenes of the 1994 U.S. Congressional race in Rhode Island between Patrick Kennedy and Kevin Vigilante. A look at modern campaign politics replete with mudslinging and personal attacks.
Video Cassettes (57 min.)
JK 2281 T33

The Tank Man.
PBS Home Video (2006)
"On June 5, 1989, one day after Chinese troops expelled thousands of demonstrators from Tiananmen Square, a solitary, unarmed protester stood his ground before a column of tanks advancing down the Avenue of Eternal Peace. Captured by Western photographers, this extraordinary confrontation became an icon of the fight for freedom around the world. Filmmaker Antony Thomas investigates the identity, fate, and his significance for the Chinese leadership"—Container.
1 videodisc (ca. 90 min.)
DS779.32 .T35 2006
**Tapped.**  
Disinformation Co., 2010  
Is access to clean drinking water a basic human right, or a commodity that should be bought and sold like any other article of commerce? Stephanie Soechtig examines the big business of bottled water. Viewers get a behind-the-scenes look into the unregulated and unseen world of an industry that aims to privatize and sell back the one resource that ought never to become a commodity: our water. Here is a powerful portrait of the lives affected by the bottled water industry.  
1 videodisc (76 min.)  
HD9349.M542 T36 2010

**Target America.**  
PBS Video (2001)  
Examines the history of terrorist attacks against the United States by Islamic fundamentalists, beginning with the American Embassy workers taken hostage in Iran during Jimmy Carter’s presidency. Looks at other incidents—the bombing of the U.S. Marine barracks in Beirut, the killing of American soldiers in a Berlin nightclub.  
1 Video Cassette (60 min.)  
HV6432 .T37 2001

**Taxi To the Dark Side.**  
Image Entertainment, c2007  
An investigation into the introduction of torture as an interrogation technique in U.S. facilities, and the role played by key figures of the Bush Administration in the process. Takes an in-depth look at the case of Afghan taxi driver Dilawar, who was suddenly detained by the U.S. military one afternoon and died in his Bagram prison cell five days later.  
1 videodisc (ca. 106 min.)  
HV8599.U6 T39 2007

**Teaching Ethics: An Introduction to American and Canadian Ethics.**  
APA (1996)  
Helps planners and students understand the foundation for planning ethics and how to engage in ethical reasoning. Suggests the different kinds of issues that arise in different contexts.  
Video Cassette (10 min.)  
Workbook (31 p.)  
Booklet (9 p.)  
HT 166 T42

**Tearing Down the Wall: The Decline of Socialism.**  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)  
This program describes “the political, cultural, and economic factors behind the fall of the iron curtain regimes. Outlining the Cultural Revolution and its consequences, the emergence of the Reagan and Thatcher administrations, and the backfiring of the Soviet coup in 1991, the program demonstrates in detail how governments across the world abandoned socialism—some entirely, while others have maintained a tenuous façade”—Container.  
1 videodisc (58 min.)  
HX40 .T42 2006

**Teddy Roosevelt: The Right Man at the Right Time.**  
Learning Corp. of America (1983?)  
Traces key events of the Roosevelt Administration (1901-1912). Demonstrates the role of leadership in effecting political, social, economic reform; stimulates analysis of the political crisis of early l900s and its resolution in favor of progressive change; heightens awareness of the nature of politics in America as a clash of interest groups.  
Video Cassette (28 min.)  
E 757 T42

**Tee-ing Off the Taxpayer.**  
Center for Defense Information (1996)  
Tells taxpayers how Congress and the Pentagon have wasted tax dollars on brown tree snakes, volcanoes, rusty ships, corporate mergers and a golf course.  
Video Cassette (29 min.)  
Guide (7 p.)  
HJ 7537 T43

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Television and the Presidency.
Zenger
Summary in Communications section.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 38 min.)
HE 8700.76 U6 T44

The 10,000 Year Question: Should Nevada be a Nuclear Dump Site?
Take One, Inc., 1989
This program explains why nuclear waste is a national problem and it should be solved by scientists. Department of Energy (D.O.E.) follows the study of potential sites like Yucca Mountain. The eventual repository must be able to isolate radiation from the air and water for 10,000 years.
1 videocassette (11 min.)

Ten trillion and counting.
PBS Video, c2009
"All of the federal government's efforts to stem the tide in the financial meltdown that began with the subprime mortgage crisis have added hundreds of billions of dollars to the national debt. FRONTLINE reports on how this debt will constrain and challenge the new Obama administration, and on the growing chorus on both sides of the aisle that without fiscal reform, the United States government may face a debt crisis of its own, which makes the current financial situation pale in comparison. Through interviews with leading experts and insiders in government finance, the film investigates the causes and potential outcomes of - and possible solutions to - America's $10 trillion debt"—Container.
1. What Obama inherited
2. Bush's economic agenda
3. Politics and the mounting debt
4. Partisan politics in a time of crisis
5. 'The greatest threat is health care"
6. Obama's budget
1 videodisc (ca. 60 min.)
HJ2051 .T46 2009

Terror and Counter-Terror: Can Democracy Survive?
Films for the Humanities (1995)
Looks at the economic, political, and military pressures on a government menaced by terrorism. The government is Peru's and the terrorists are the Sendero Luminoso.
Video Cassette (52 min.)
HV 6433 P42 S45

Terror and Tehran.
University of California Extension Center for PBS Video (2002)
Looks at the always uneasy relations between the United States and Iran since 1979. Talks about the various reform and moderate elements in Iranian society and the problems they have with the elitist Islamic leadership in Iran. Discusses Iran's support for terrorist activists in the Middle East and how this fits in with the Islamic Republic.
1 Video Cassette (60 min.)
DS318.9 .T47 2002

Terrorism: Instrument of Fear.
Lucerne Media, (2001?)
Questions raised about terrorism by a panel of high school students are answered by a clinical psychologist, an Islamic cleric, and a terrorism expert. Includes historical background for the events leading up to and including the September 11, 2001 attack on the World Trade Center and Pentagon.
1 Video Cassette (20 min.)
HV6432 .T4485 2001

Terrorism/ Rudy Giuliani.
UN-TV, 2001]
Video Cassette (23 min)
HV6432 .T43 2001

Terror: The New World War.
ABC New (1989)
The reality of terrorist activities is revealed through original news broadcasts.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
K 5256 T47

For additions to this section please see the Media Resources Desk.
For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
The Terrorist and the Superpower.
PBS (1998)
Frontline investigates Osama bin Laden, his followers, and the bombing of U.S. embassies in Africa.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
HV 6433 M5 T47

Testifying With Impact.
LVN (1994)
A summary of the dos and don'ts of effectively delivering testimony. Helpful to anyone who might have the opportunity to testify before a congressional committee, local school board, or at any level of government.
Video Cassette (41 min.)
Guide (57 p.)
PN 4193 B8 L87

Texas Majority Minority.
Anne Lewis, 2004
"Despite years of disenfranchisement, the Latino and African American communities in Lockhart, Texas, are fighting back -- registering voters, running for local office, organizing the first ever MLK day march in their community. Texas majority minority shows how important voting is -- not only in determining elections but also in preventing political apartheid in Texas"—Container.
1 videodisc (20 min.) + 1 leaflet
JK4890 .T49 2004

That Delicate Balance II: Our Bill of Rights. The First Amendment and Hate Speech.
PBS Video (1992)
A discussion that brings to the forefront the ongoing debate over the interpretations of the right to free speech, including offensive speech and conduct, attempts to silence controversial speech, and protection of symbolic speech.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF 4749 T43

The Third World War: Al Qaeda.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2005)
Looks at the unparalleled international cooperation and, critically the sharing of intelligence between governments and counter-terrorism agencies after 9/11. This series focuses on the response of the United States, Western Europe and South East Asia with unprecedented access to British and American intelligence agencies across the world and to the terrorists themselves, including an exclusive interview with the four Bali bombers.
[pt.1] Europe : revealing the hidden enemy
[pt.2] America : hunting for sleeper cells
[pt.3] Asia : staking out terror's breeding grounds
3 videodiscs (123 min.)
HV6431 .T57 2005 pts. 1 – 3

Thirst.
The survival of communities is threatened when big business buys the water supply.
1 videodisc (62 min.)
HD1691 .T45 2004

This Honorable Court.
WETA (1987)
Pt. 1 A History of the Court:
Surveys the court's evolution and growth from its modest beginnings in 1789. Examines the process of nomination and confirming supreme court justices. Examines the role of the Supreme Court in shaping U.S. history. Analyzes the effects of political and societal influences on the Supreme Court.
Pt. 2 Inside the Supreme Court:
Takes the viewer inside the Supreme Court. Shows the justices and their law clerks at work. Surveys the step-by-step process of cases. Examines the role of the Court's support staff. Discusses the considerations involved when justices decide a case.
2 Video Cassettes (1 hr. ea.)
KF 8742 T56 pt. 1-2

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
This is Our Moment: Election Night 2008.  
Chicago Sun-Times, c2008  
Relive the excitement and watch the historic moment as media across the country announced that Senator Barack Obama was elected the new President of the United States. Be moved again by Barack Obama’s speech, presented in its entirety.  
1 videodisc (42 min.)  

This is What Democracy Looks Like.  
Big Noise Films (2000)  
1 videodisc (68 min.)  
HF1385 .T45 2000

30 Second Democracy.  
Provides a comparative history of political television advertising in the United States, Britain and Canada. Looks at how each of these countries has taken widely differing approaches to regulating political advertising on television  
1 Video Cassette (51 min. 24 sec.)  
HE8700.76.U6 A2 1996

Thomas Jefferson.  
PBS Video (1996)  
Pt. 1: A young Jefferson is transformed into his country's most articulate voice for human liberty. He suffers heartrending personal loss, as he gives voice to a new era of democracy. (90 min.)  
Pt. 2: Returning from France, he strives to preserve the new American government. Helps create the first political party. Doubles the size of the country as the third President. In his final years founds the University of Virginia. (90 min.)  
2 Video Cassettes  
E 332 T39 pt. 1-2

Thomas More: Utopia.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)  
“This program follows the progress of More’s intellectual development, from his early friendship with the influential humanist Erasmus of Rotterdam, to his rise to power as a member of Parliament and later Chancellor of England, through his tempestuous relationship with King Henry VIII—who would eventually break away from the Catholic Church and set into motion More's execution. In this program, quotations from Utopia serve as a dramatic counterpoint to More’s own life story, bringing into stark relief the contrast between his idealized state and the real world in which he lived and died”—Container.  
1 videodisc (25 min)  
DA334.M8 T45 2006

Thunder on the Right.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, (2002)  
Discusses the resurgence of American conservatism in the 1960's. Includes segments on the civil rights movement, Vietnam and the persistent fear of communism. Also includes interviews with Texas oil tycoon H.L. Hunt, Senator Barry Goldwater, and Dr. Fred Schwarz, lecturer and head of the Christian Anti-Communist Crusade.  
1 videodisc (60 min.)  
E839.5 .T48 2002

Threads of Hope.  
Films for the Humanities (1996)  
The story of a group of Chilean women who banded together in silent protest to defy a dictatorship.  
Video Cassette (51 min.)  
HQ 1236.5 C5 T47

For additions to this section please see the Media Resources Desk.  
For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
Tien-an-men Shang t’ai Yang Sheng = Sunrise over Tiananmen Square.
First Run/Icarus Films (1998)
A blend of autobiography, cultural and political history by artist and filmmaker Shui-Bo Wang. It traces his roots and life journey -- his past as a Red Guard during the Cultural Revolution, his service in the military as a propaganda poster artist, and his teaching experiences in the 1980's. A committed member of the Communist Party throughout, it was not until he was exposed to rural poverty that he began to question the effectiveness of Communism.
Video Cassette (30 min.)
PN1998.3.W343 A3 1998

The Times of a Sign: A Folk History of the Iran-Contra Scandal.
New Day Films (1994)
Addresses the Iran-Contra scandal. Speaks about critical issues concerning our democratic government. Exposes weaknesses within the federal system of "checks and balances", the lack of real public accountability by our elected officials, and illustrates the dominance of national security interests in this country.
Video Cassette (39 min.)
Guide (23 p.)
E 876 J625

The Times of Harvey Milk.
Cinecom (1986)
A documentary about the first openly gay man elected to political office in California. Follows Milk from his days as a Castro Street businessman to his assassination in 1978.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 28 min.)
HQ 75.8 M55 T55

To Live With Terror : The Unsolved Attacks in Buenos Aires.
University of California Extension Center for Filmmakers Library (2002)
In the 1990s there were two terrorist attacks against the Jewish community in Buenos Aires, both of which faded quickly from the memory of the international community. This film uncovers the lackluster investigations conducted by the Argentine government and exposes the layers of official corruption as well as the pervasive anti-Semitism in Argentina.
1 Video Cassette (57 min.)
F2849.2 .T6 2002

To See if I'm Smiling.
Women Make Movies, 2007
"Explores the darker side of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict through the testimonies of six female soldiers [in the Israel Defense Forces] about their compulsory military service [in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip]. At a time when women in the military are increasingly on the frontlines, this film explores the ways that gender, ethics and moral responsibility intersect during war"—Container.
1 videodisc (59 min.)
UB419.I75 T6 2007

To the Brink of War.
WGBH (1991)
Discusses the causes of the Persian Gulf War.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
DS 79.72 T62

Toward a More Perfect Union: An Invitation to Conversation.
Transit Media Communications (1996)
Features American popular culture, and Americans from a variety of cultural, socioeconomic, religious, and ethnic backgrounds discuss what it means to be an American, what it is like to live in a cultural "melting pot," and how the United States could become a better nation.
Video Cassette (23 min)
E 169.12 T342
TR.  
PBS Home Video (2006)  
Documentary about Theodore Roosevelt. Explores the influence of Roosevelt's childhood, his rise to the U.S. Presidency, and the years after he left office.  
1 videodisc (ca. 225 min.)  
E757 .T68 2006

PBS (1996)  
2 Video Cassettes (4 hrs.)  
E 757 T58 pt. 1-2

Tracking Foreign Aid.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2004)  
"Do food shipments reach the people who so desperately need them? In this program, ABC News correspondent Martin Seemungal follows one such shipment of American grain as it makes its way to the African country of Malawi, a nation teetering on the edge of disaster. Seemungal explores the political and logistical difficulties as well as the outright danger of distributing the food"—Container.  
1 videodisc (22 min.)  
HC935.Z9 T73 2004

Trading Democracy  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)  
While the benefits of the North American Free Trade Agreement are still being argued, corporate investors are using the obscure NAFTA provision to challenge laws designed to protect the public health, environmental regulations and even jury verdicts... This program details a system of private justice that is enabling companies to obtain what they have failed to achieve publicly in America's legislatures or courts.  
Video Cassette (1 hr.)  
HF1756 .T73 2002

Traveling Tocqueville's America.  
C-SPAN (1998)  
Describes the 17 states of the United States and 1 province of Canada that were toured by Alexis de Tocqueville in 1831-32 and written about in his political classic Democracy in America.  
Video Cassette (1 hr 36 min.)  
JK 216 T7193 T73

The Trials of Henry Kissinger.  
First Run/Icarus Films (2002)  
Film focuses on Henry Kissinger and his role in America's secret bombing of Cambodia in 1969, the approval of Indonesia's genocidal assault on East Timor in 1975, the assassination of a Chilean general in 1970, and his involvement in the 1969 Paris peace talks concerning the Vietnam Conflict.  
1 Video Cassette (80 min.)  
E840.8.K58 T75 2002

Triple Cross: Bin Laden's Spy in America.  
NGHT, Inc. c2006  
A documentary that plays like a thriller as it takes you through twists and turns about Ali A. Mohamed—a radical ex-Egyptian Army sergeant who convinced the CIA to hire him, was an FBI informant, and a mole for Al-Qaida.  
1 videodisc (91 min.)  
HV6432 .T758 2006

Truman.  
PBS Home Video (2006)  
The story of Harry S. Truman's life, with comments by contemporaries and historians.  
2 videodiscs (ca. 260 min.)  
E814 .T68 2006

Truman: Years of Decision.  
Learning Corp. of America (198?)  
Few people had great expectations of the man from Missouri when he took over after FDR's death, but his term in office was a remarkable period: the A-bomb, the Truman Doctrine, the Marshall Plan, NATO, The Berlin Airlift, and the Korean War.  
Video Cassette (24 min.)  
E 814 T82

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Tug of War: The Story of Taiwan.  
WGBH Boston Video (1998)
Is Taiwan an independent nation, or is it a breakaway province that still belongs to China? Drawing on rare archival film and photographs, this film explains why control over this bustling island 90 miles off the mainland is so pivotal to both sides and to the world.
1 Video Cassette (87 min.)
DS799.844 .T83 1998

Tupamaros.  
First Run/Icarus Films, [200-?]  
Pepe Mujica, now a member of the Uruguayan parliament, and others of the Tupamaros recount the history of this urban guerrilla group: their use of armed intervention and illegal acts--even kidnapping and murder, their imprisonment and escapes, and their transition to a legal political party.
1 videodisc (93 min.)
F2728 .T86 2000z

Two Days in October.  
PBS Home Video (2005)
Examines the critical events of the Vietnam War that took place in the fall of 1967, from the ambush of an American battalion by the Viet Cong that led to skepticism of whether the Vietnamese conflict was winnable, to the first violent anti-war demonstration on a campus in Wisconsin.
1 videodisc (90 min.)
DS558 .M352 2005

2000 Republican Convention.  
(2000)  
2 Video Cassettes (5 hrs. 38 min)
JK2353 2000

Unconstitutional: The War on Our Civil Liberties.  
Public Interest Pictures (2004)  
Discusses how the USA PATRIOT Act has taken away checks on law enforcement and continues to endanger the civil liberties of all Americans under the guise of being part of the war on terrorism, and how paranoia, fear and racial profiling have led to gross infringements on freedom and democracy without strengthening national security.
1 videocassette (60 min.)
JC599.U5 U53 2004

Uncovering America: Race, Gender & Politics.  
CNN 2008  
In this program, Anderson Cooper discusses about race and gender issues on the campaigns of senators Clinton and Obama.
1 videodisc (120 min.)

Under Orders, Under Fire.  
PBS (1989)  
Explores questions of loyalty and confidentiality in the military and discusses the soldier's duty and the interests of military justice.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
U 22 U532

(The) Unelected: The Lobbies.  
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, [2004]
"In America, a shadow government wields incredible influence over what gets done inside the Beltway-- and who reaps the benefits. In this program, correspondent Hedrick Smith spotlights the powerful influence of the nation's special interest lobbies during the Clinton years"—
Container.
1 videodisc (42 min.)
JK1118 .U542 2004

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
(The) Unelected: The Media.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, [2004]
In an environment increasingly dominated by network ratings and tabloid-driven stories, the line between journalism and entertainment is blurred. In this program, correspondent Hedrick Smith goes behind the hype and the headlines to show how the media affect the national agenda and the standards of political debate.
1 videodisc (40 min.)
P95.82.U6 U54 2004

The Unelected. (The Power Game).
PBS (1989)
Viewers consider the influence of the news media and two of the powerful lobbies in Washington, the AARP and the AIPAC. Considers the key staff that have recently become the focus of congressional investigations into the abuse of power.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
JK 1118 U54

The Unforeseen.
Cinema Guild 2008
"The American dream of owning a house with white picket fence goes head-to-head with environmental sustainability... When an ambitious real estate developer sets out to transform thousands of acres of pristine hill country in Austin, Texas into a suburban development - threatening a nearby natural spring - the community fights back. In the conflict that ensues, we see in miniature a struggle that is playing out in cities and towns across the country"—Container.
1 videodisc (93 min.) + 1 leaflet
GE198.T4 U54 2008

The United States and the Middle East: 1914 to 9/11.
Teaching Co. (2003)
Presents lectures concerning foreign relations between the United States and the Middle East, from 1914 to September 11, 2001.
pt. I (discs 1-2):
lecture 1. A meeting of two worlds
lecture 2. Wilson & the breakup of the Ottoman Empire
lecture 3. The interwar period
lecture 4. United States & the Middle East during World War II
lecture 5. Origins of the Cold War in the Middle East
lecture 6. Truman and the creation of Israel
lecture 7. Eisenhower, the Cold War and the Middle East
lecture 8. The Suez crisis and Arab nationalism
lecture 9. Kennedy--engaging Middle eastern nationalism
lecture 10. Johnson--taking sides
lecture 11. The Six-day War
lecture 12. The Nixon doctrine and the Middle East
pt. II (discs 3-4):
lecture 13. The Yom Kippur War and Kissinger's diplomacy
lecture 14. Carter and Camp David
lecture 15. The Iranian Revolution and the hostage crisis
lecture 16. Era of limits--energy crises of the 1970's
lecture 17. The Soviet invasion of Afghanistan
lecture 18. Reagan and the Middle East
lecture 19. The first Palestinian Intifada
lecture 20. The Gulf War
lecture 21. The rise and fall of the Oslo Peace Process
lecture 22. The United States and the Kurds
lecture 23. The United States and Osama bin Laden
lecture 24. September 11 and its aftermath
4 videodiscs + 2 course guidebooks
DS63.2.U5 Y372 2003 1-4 + guides

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The UN's Blue Helmets.
Center for Defense Information (1990)
The United Nations peacekeeping forces have played a quiet, but important role in many parts of the world. Describes what the blue-helmeted soldiers do to contain armed conflicts around the globe.
Video Cassette (29 min.)
JX 1981 P7 U52

Unstable Utopias.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2006)
This program "describes the expansion of socialist and communist rule into Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and western Europe- showing the weaknesses that developed in the practice of socialism even as it reached the apex of its popularity. Documenting the ascendency of Clement Atlee in Britain and the challenges of democratic socialism, the program also surveys Mao's brutal reign in China, Julius Nyerere's slide into dictatorship in Tanzania, and a problematic socialist experiment in Israel "—Container.
1 videodisc (58 min.)
HX40 .U57 2006

Urbanism, Suburbanism, and the Good Life.
PBS Video
Examines the 'new urbanists' and the push to use government at all levels to restore an urban landscape that quite possibly only exists in nostalgic memories. It also questions the role of government in deciding how families should organize their lives.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
HT123 .U77 2000

U.S.-Afghanistan Relations: Gaining Perspective.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)
Includes reports by Chris Bury, Frank Anderson, Charles Wilson, Ben Rooney, and Tom Carew on America's relationship to Afghanistan since the Cold War and the background to the Afghan-Soviet Union war.
Video Cassette (42 min.)
DS357.6 .U22 2002

The US in Latin America: Yankee Go Home.
A&E Home Video (1997)
Looks at the relationship between the US and Latin America. Turns a critical eye toward the invasions of Grenada and Panama and the occupation of Haiti. Respectively, these operations were ordered by Presidents Reagan, Bush and Clinton. Extensive footage shows American forces in action, and foreign policy experts examine the stated goals and results. Interviews Dr. Robert A. Pastor, who personally negotiated with Panamanian strongman Manuel Noriega and Haitian dictator Raoul Cedras.
1 Video Cassette (50 min.)
F1418 .U2 1998

ABC News (1989)
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
E 183.8 P2 U22

U.S. - Mexican War.
PBS (1998)
1. Neighbors & Strangers
2. War for the Borderlands
3. The Hour of Sacrifice
4. The Battle for Mexico City
4 Video Cassettes (1 hr. each)
Index
Poster & Map
Curriculum Pkg.
E 404 U72 vol. 1-4

Values Matter Most.
Films for the Humanities (1995)
Examines the values issue in American politics. Host Ben Wattenberg believes that whichever party and candidates best understand the social concerns of a restless electorate, and act upon those issues, will be rewarded on the national, state, and local levels.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
HN 59.2 V35

A Very Russian Coup.
Films for the Humanities (1999)
Documents the attempt of Soviet military leaders to seize control of the government in August of 1991.
Video Cassette (48 min.)
DK 292 V47

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Vice Presidential Candidates Debate.
Purdue University (1996)
Vice President Gore and Republican candidate Kemp discussed differences between the Dole and Clinton presidential campaigns on tax policy, the economy, Medicare and foreign policy.
Video Cassette
E 888 V52

Vice Presidential Debate.
CBS News (1992)
A campaign debate between vice-presidential candidates Dan Quayle, Al Gore, and James Stockdale at Georgia Tech University. Issues debated include taxes, economic policies, abortion, and other moral issues. Includes commentary by reporter Dan Rather.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 30 min.)
E 884 V52

Vice-Presidential Debate.
(2000)
First and only vice-Presidential debate of the 2000 election. Senator Joe Lieberman of Connecticut debates former Defense Secretary Dick Cheney from Wyoming. Topics covered include government surpluses, abortion, the military, and Social Security. Each candidate must limit his answers to two minutes. Commentary follows the 90 minute debate.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 48 min.)
JK526 2000q

Vietnam: The Last Battle.
First Run/Icarus Films (1995)
The Australian journalist John Pilger discusses the new invasion by Vietnam by multinational corporations attracted by cheap labor. He also takes a critical view of the reporting of the Vietnam War by the media and investigates the role of Hollywood motion pictures in shaping the public perception of the American involvement in the conflict.
Video Cassette (52 min)
HC444 .V53 1995

Vietnam: A Television History.
WGBH (1985)
Analyzes the costs and consequences of the war. Provides a detailed visual and oral account of the war.
7 Video Cassettes (13 hr.)
DS 557.7 V53

Vietnam: A Television History.
Roots of war
America's Mandarin
LBJ goes to war
America takes charge
America's enemy
Tet 1968
Vietnamizing the war
Cambodia and Laos
Peace is at hand
Homefront USA
The end of the tunnel
4 videodiscs (11 hr.)
DS557.7 .V53 2004

Vietnam Under Communism.
PBS (1989)
Frontline gains a rare 35 day visa to tour Vietnam, traveling from the tiniest villages to the large cities.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
DS 559.912 V54

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The Vietnam War

A&E Television Networks c2007

At a total cost of more than 3.1 million lives, the Vietnam conflict is, to date, America's longest and most controversial war. It also marked the first time TV journalists ventured out to the frontlines to bring the spectacle of combat into American living rooms. Across the nation, Americans watched, captivated by the surprise Tet Offensive, the slow-motion tragedy of the Battle of Khe Sanh, and the courage and skill of the American soldiers. Profiles the decision makers and chronicles the key events in the Vietnam War, from the advisor's arrival in 1959 to the airlift from the roof of the American Embassy in 1975.

disc 1. America enters the war ; Tet in Saigon and Hue war ; Ringing down the curtain ; The End game
disc 2. LBJ and Vietnam: in the eye of the storm ; Command decisions: Tet offensive ; Unsung heroes: the battle of Khe Sanh

2 videodiscs (346 min.)
DS557.7 .V56615 2007

The Voice of Yellow Ribbon Patriotism.

University of California Extension Center for Media and Independent Learning (1997)
Patriotic parades, speeches and songs demonstrate American patriotism.
1 videocassette (34 min.)
JK1759 .V65 1997

Voices From Northern Ireland.

PBS (1987)

Viewers tour the ghettos of Belfast and Londonderry as they see into the hearts and minds of Catholics and Protestants in Northern Ireland.

Video Cassette (30 min.)
DA 990 U46 V65

Voices in Exile.

New Day Films (1998)

Examines the question of to what extent aliens are protected by First Amendments rights. Follows the immigration case of seven Palestinian immigrants and one Kenyan in Los Angeles who were arrested for distributing PLO literature and have faced deportation for over 10 years. The case involved the FBI, the INS, and the ACLU.

Video Cassette (30 min.)
KF4772.Z9 V63 1998

The Voice of Yellow Ribbon Patriotism.

U of CA Extension Center for Media and Independent Learning (1997)
Patriotic parades, speeches and songs demonstrate American patriotism.
Video Cassette (34 min.)
JK 1759 V65

Votes for Women?!?

Jocelyn Riley (1991)

Includes verbatim testimony from the 1913 U.S. Senate hearings, along with pro and anti suffrage buttons, banners, and cartoons from the time.

Video Cassette (17 min.)
HQ 1419 V67

Waiting for Fidel.

Facets Video, [2004]

An unlikely trio - filmmaker Michael Rubbo, Geoff Stirling, a millionaire Canadian broadcaster and higher consciousness seeker - and Joey Smallwood, a former Premier of Newfoundland, travel to Cuba in a private jet. Their goal is to meet with Fidel Castro and create a dialogue between him and the United States. But Fidel never shows up. Michael Rubbo records each step of this wayward quest to meet the leader of Cuba, Fidel Castro.

1 videodisc (ca. 58 min.)
F1788.2 .W35 2004

Walking the Line.

Filmmakers Library, c2005

Explores the chaos of the border crisis along the Southern Arizona region as experienced by Mexican migrants, private citizens, vigilantes, and humanitarians.

1 videodisc (58 min.)
E184.M5 W35 2005

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Wall = Mur
Life Size Entertainment (2005)
Simone Bitton etches a haunting portrait of one of the most profound geographical markers of our time -- the wall of separation constructed by Israel that shields it from adjacent, conflicted Palestinian territories. This documentary shows how the Wall is destroying one of the most historically significant landscapes in the world, while imprisoning one people and enclosing the other.
1 videodisc (97 min.)
DS119.76 .W35 2005

Wal-town
ONF/NFB (2006)
"A group of six university students, calling themselves 'Wal-Town', take to the Canadian highway over two summers. Armed with thousands of pamphlets and fliers, and with one gonzo journalist along for the ride, they visit 36 of Canada's more than 200 Wal-Mart stores with one formidable goal: to raise public awareness about Wal-Mart's business practices and the effects of the company's policies on cities and towns across Canada... Interspersing frank exchanges between activists and Wal-Mart shoppers with interviews with a range of characters from either side of the issue, [the film] takes us to the frontlines of the ongoing debate over the company's dominance in the Canadian retail market. The film also creates an intimate portrait of six young activists as they experience the highs and lows of their first cross-country campaign" – Container.
1 videodisc (67 min.)

Wannsee Conference: 11 Million Sentenced to Death.
Vision Video, [2003?]
Examines the political and social forces that fueled anti-Semitism in Germany in the 1930s and led to the Wannsee Conference in 1942 where Nazi leaders formulated their plans for the world-wide eradication of the Jewish people. Includes interviews with scholars Eberhard Jäckel and Yehuda Bauer.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
DS135.G3315 W36 2003

The War.
PBS Home Video (2007)
Tells the story of ordinary people in four quintessentially American towns - Waterbury, Connecticut; Mobile, Alabama; Sacramento, California; and Luverne, Minnesota - and examines the ways in which the Second World War touched the lives of every family on every street in every town in America.
  disc 1. episode 1. A necessary war
  disc 2. episode 2. When things get tough ; episode 3. A deadly calling
  disc 3. episode 4. Pride of our nation
  disc 4. episode 5. Fubar –
  disc 5. episode 6. The ghost front
  disc 6. episode 7. A world without war
6 videodiscs (ca. 897 min.)
D811.5 .W37 2007

War and Peace in Ireland.
First Run/Icarus Films (1998)
Retraces the conflict in Northern Ireland from 1968 to the present day peace process.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 30 min.)
DA 990 U46 P84

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For availability check the Library catalog http://webpac.library.unlv.edu.
War and Peace in the Nuclear Age.  
Annenberg/CPB Collection (1989)  

1. Dawn. Development of the bomb is traced against the backdrop of W.W. II.  
UG 1282 A8 D38  

2. The Weapon of Choice. Against the backdrop of the Cold War and the development of the hydrogen bomb, the growing reliance of superpowers on nuclear weapons is explored. The Korean War and its impact on U.S. nuclear weapons decisions is examined.  
U 264 W43  

3. A Bigger Bang for the Buck. The successful Soviet launch of Sputnik led to U.S. fears of a "bomber gap" and later a "missile gap."  
U 264 B54  

4. Europe Goes Nuclear. The motivations of Great Britain and France to pursue independent nuclear forces and to rearm West Germany are examined.  
U 264 E87  

5. At the Brink. The events that led to the Cuban missile crisis and the tense cat-and-mouse confrontation between Kennedy and Khrushchev are explored.  
E 841 A82  

6. The Education of Robert McNamara. Chronicles the evolution in strategy and the changes in McNamara's own views from 1961-1968.  
SU 263 E33  

JX 1974.75 O54  

8. Haves and Have-Not's. The relationship between nuclear power and nuclear weapons proliferation is the focus of this program. Considers the motivation of Third World countries to develop nuclear weapons.  
U 264 H38  

9. Carter's New World. Analyzes domestic and international events that contributed to the failure of President Carter's vision.  
E 872 C37  

U 263 A47  

11. Missile Experimental. The strategy, technology, and politics behind the creation of the MX and Midgetman missiles are explored.  
UG 1312 I2 M47  

War and Peace in the Nuclear Age. (con't)  
Annenberg/CPB Collection (1989)  

UG 1530 R43  

13. Visions of War and Peace. Addresses five critical issues of the nuclear age: the super power relationship, nuclear deterrence in Europe, defenses against nuclear weapons, arms control, and proliferation.  
JX 1974.73 V57  

13 Video Cassettes (1 hr. ea.)  

The War at Home.  
First Run Features (1984)  

Chronicles the awakening and growth of the Vietnam protest movement in the U.S. Follows politically active students, the street confrontations in Chicago in 1968, the killings at Kent State, police and political figures of the time. Issues include: moral climate of the time, individual responsibility, citizen/government interaction on foreign policy.  
Video Cassette (1 hr. 40 min.)  
DS 559.62 U6 W37  

The War at Home.  
First Run Features, [2003?]  
The war at home chronicles the growth of the anti-war movement in the United States through a combination of archival footage and interviews with students, Vietnam veterans, and community leaders.  
1 videodisc (100 min.)  
DS559.62.U6 W37 2003  

The War Behind Closed Doors.  
PBS Video (2003)  
As the U.N. inspections process really begins to get underway, the Bush administration seems prepared to go to war. Frontline explores what's going on behind the scenes in the confrontation with Iraq.  
1 videocassette (57 min.)  
HV6431 .W355 2003  

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**War in Europe.**
PBS Video
Senior military leaders - including Supreme Allied Commander General Wesley Clark - tell the story of political constraints, internal divisions, and miscalculations that shaped the war in the Balkans.
Video Cassette (.2 hrs.)
DR2087 .W37 1999

**The War of Stones: Israel's Dilemma.**
Simon Wiesenthal Center (198?)
Presents the hopes and aspirations of the Jewish opponents for a Palestinian state. Explains the current state of unrest and anti-Semitism in Hebron, Jordan, Jerusalem, on the Gaza Strip, and on the West Bank.
Video Cassette (24 min.)
DS 119.7 W37

**The War Room.**
Vidmark Entertainment (1993)
Takes viewers behind the scenes of Bill Clinton's presidential campaign -- from the primary in New Hampshire to the victory party almost ten months later. At the center are the two men who guided the campaign, James Carville and George Stephanopoulos. A story of the effort and determination required to conduct and win a political campaign.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 36 min.)
JK 526 1992q

**The War Tapes.**
Docurama Films (2007)
A documentary film about the war in Iraq, assembled from footage shot by five U.S. National Guardsmen (members of Company C of the 3rd battalion of the 172nd Infantry "Mountain" Regiment) on hand-held digital cameras.
1 videodisc (96 min.)
DS79.76 .W37 2007

**The Warsaw Uprising.**
Poltel Home Video (1994)
Uses newsreel footage to chronicle the uprising of the Poles of Warsaw against the Nazis in 1944.
1 Video Cassette (52 min.)
D765.2.W3 W37 1994

**Washington Wives.**
"A piercing look at the personal side of the 2004 presidential campaign through the eyes of four women on the inside. Teresa Heinz Kerry, heiress and wife of Democratic presidential nominee John Kerry. Shot on the campaign trail, Teresa talks openly about lack of privacy and nasty press reports regarding her personality. And Elizabeth Edwards, wife of young Senator and presidential candidate John Edwards. Mrs. Edwards sets off full of hope, campaigning with the couple's three children, not yet battered by the process of the primary. Then there's Judy Steinberg Dean - the woman whose absence came to define the 2004 election season for women. Her refusal to leave her private practice and join husband Dr. Howard Dean on his campaign won her many admirers, but also brought speculation that her choice might have cost her husband his candidacy"—Website.
1 videodisc (89 min.)
E905 .W37 2006

**Water For the Cities.**
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2004)
"This program takes a hard look at the mounting challenge of providing millions of people in urban areas with potable water and adequate disposal of waste water. To highlight the difficulties, segments focus on the water problems of the megalopolis, cities with populations over 10 million people such as Lagos, Jakarta and Mexico City. The massive logistics that enable Las Vegas, Nevada to prosper in the middle of a desert are also explored"—Container.
1 videodisc (27 min.)
TD365 .W355 2004

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We Have Ways of Making You Talk.
Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2005

The program examines "the use of torture over the past half-century. It describes its horrific application in military and political settings and explores its profound human cost. Featuring interviews with confessed practitioners of the gruesome craft, the program exposes interrogation methods developed and carried out by French army officers against Algerian independence fighters, by British police against the IRA, by American troops against the Viet Cong, and other shocking occurrences in South America and South Africa. The employment of physical and psychological abuse as a weapon against guerilla and opposition groups parallels current dilemmas in Iraq and at Guantanamo Bay"—Container.
1 videodisc (53 min.)
HV8593 .W4 2005

We the People: The President and the Constitution.
Trust for the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution (1991)

President Nixon: Discusses the 1973 Arab-Israeli conflict, Vietnam War covert operations, Congress, presidential campaigning, and relations with the media. (55 min.) E 855 P74

President Ford: Discusses problems of Congress, the Nixon pardon, Mayaguez crisis, the summit meeting at Vladivostok, and other events in his presidency. (55 min.) E 865 P74

President Carter: Discusses the Iran hostage crisis, Camp David Accords, the Panama Canal Treaty, Congress, Imperial Presidency, and the energy crisis. (1 hr.) E 872 P74

President Reagan: Discusses the Grenada Invasion, gun control, Congress, the bombing of Libya, and presidential succession. (55 min.) E 876 P74


In the early '70s, the radically enraged, bomb-planting fringe group call Weathermen had the distinction of being as alienated from the anti-war counterculture as the counterculture movement was from the rest of America. The group planned to blow up an empty building, but on March 6, 1970, an explosive accidentally went off in the New York Greenwich Village area, killing three of its own members and turning the rest of its members into outlaws on the run.
1 videodisc (90 min.)
HN90.R3 W43 2004 1997

Well-Founded Fear: A Film.
Epidavros Project, (2000)

Discusses the American political asylum system--who deserves it, who gets it, and who decides. Shows political asylum proceedings.
1 videocassette (119 min) + 1 guide (11 p.)
KF4836 .W44 2000

What Happened to Bill Clinton?
WGBH (1995)

Was it White Water or the media? Was Clinton too liberal or too conservative? Was it Hillary or Rush Limbaugh? Seven of the country's sharpest political thinkers ask: What happened to Bill Clinton?
Video Cassette (57 min.)
E 886 W52

What Price Equality?
Films for the Humanities (1987)

Focuses on Yonkers, NY, where more than a century after the ratification of the Fourteenth Amendment, a federal court ruled that the city and school district violated the Constitution and denied equal protection of the laws by intentionally discriminating against minorities in housing and the schools.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF 4764 W43
**Whatever Happened to Marx?**  
Journal Films, Inc. (19??)  
Examines the development of Marx's ideas, and Marx's influence in the Russian Revolution and later. Archival films of pre-revolutionary Russia, the German revolution of 1918, China in the 1920s, and film actor Adolph Menjou denouncing communism during the 1948 Hollywood purge.  
Video Cassette (26 min.)  
HX 39.5 W48

**When the Levees Broke: A Requiem in Four Acts.**  
HBO Home Box Office (2006)  
The world watched in horror as Hurricane Katrina hit New Orleans on August 29, 2005. Many were shocked, not only by the scale of the disaster, but the slow, inept and disorganized response of the emergency and recovery efforts. Structured into four acts, each dealing with a different aspect of the events that preceded and followed Katrina's catastrophic passage through New Orleans. Tells the heartbreaking personal stories of those who endured this harrowing ordeal and survived to tell the tale.  
disc 1.  
Act I (65 min.) ; Act II (62 min.) ; disc 2.  
Act III (58 min.) ; Act IV (70 min.) ; disc 3. Next movement  
Act V (105 min.) ; Water is rising (8 min.)  
3 videodiscs (ca. 256 min.)  
HV636 2005.L8 W43 2006

**When the Water Tap Runs Dry.**  
Ambrose Video Publishing, c2009  
"The greatest impacts from climate change will not be warmer temperatures but water shortages. Learn how America's water infrastructure is incapable of handling these changes. There exist solutions that will make us rethink everything from how we use water, to where we live, to who owns water. Every drop of water that flows through America's rivers or is stored in our lakes and reservoirs is spoken for. Now, America is over-drafting its water supply. How did it come to this? The answers lie in America's outdated water infrastructure, an inflexible water storage system, greater demand from an increasing population and the impacts of global warming. In When the Water Tap Runs Dry, we will look at these issues and provide essential solutions based on a new vision of America's water infrastructure, and customized water rights agreements. If the water crisis is not addressed, the water tap will run dry for many Americans"--Container  
1 videodisc (40 min.)  
HD1694.A5 W44 2009

**The White House at War.**  
"Ranging from Woodrow Wilson to George Bush, this program paints a composite picture of how U.S. presidents have discharged their duties as commander-in-chief of the nation's armed forces"--Container.  
1 videodisc (51 min.)  
KF5060 .W52 2004

**The White House Tapes : Eavesdropping on the President.**  
Basic volume, 9 sound discs  
E176.1 .W48 2003 discs

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Who is David Duke?
Frontline (1992)
Probes the mystique and popularity of David Duke, a legislator from Louisiana who is a former KKK leader and Nazi sympathizer.
Video Cassette (58 min.)
E 840.8 D83 W46

Who’s in Charge.
Films for the Humanities (1987)
Explores the dispersal of power in a system devised 200 years ago. Filmed in Hillsboro, NH, where citizens are fighting to prevent the federal government from locating a nuclear waste dump in their backyard, and in Augusta, ME, and Washington, DC, where the focus is on former Governor Joseph Brennan, who once fought to prevent the federal government from sending his state’s National Guard troops to Honduras for training exercises.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
KF 4600 W46

Whose Law, Whose Order?
PBS (1997)
Using law enforcement as a model, focuses on the constitutional limits of the federal government on gun control issues; federal funding and its ability to influence state policies; the federalization of state crimes; and anti-federal paranoia that has led to the resurgence of organized militias.
Video Cassette (1 hr.)
HV 8141 W46

Why the Hate?
Films for the Humanities & Sciences (2002)
Discusses the mixed emotions felt by many Muslims toward the United States. Topics on the agenda include American culture and U.S. foreign policy.
Video Cassette (44 min.)
DS35.62 .W48 2002

Why Vietnam?
Zenger Video (1987)
Presents the official U.S. government rationale used in 1965 to justify our involvement in Vietnam. Opens with a speech by President Johnson; then shifts to a series of images equating the threat of Communism with that of the Third Reich.
Video Cassette (32 min.)
DS 558 W52

Why we fight.
Sony Pictures Home Entertainment, c2006
Explores a half-century of U.S. foreign policy from World War II to the Iraq War, revealing how, as Dwight Eisenhower had warned in his 1961 Farewell Address, political and corporate interests have become alarmingly entangled in the business of war. On a deeper level, what emerges is a portrait of a nation in transition—drifting dangerously far from her founding principles toward a more imperial and uncertain future.
1 videodisc (ca. 99 min.)
DS79.76 .W49 2006

The Wind of Change: The End of Colonialism in Africa.
Discusses nationalism in black Africa through the experiences of the Gold Coast, French Guinea, and the Belgian Congo, the first colonies to gain independence after World War II. Also considers the effects on Africa of the Cold War between the United States and the Soviet Union.
1 videodisc (57 min.)
DT352.8 .W56 2004

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Wild By Law.
Direct Cinema, 2008
"Wild by law is the story of the
Wilderness Act of 1964 and the three men
responsible for its passage:
forester/philosopher Aldo Leopold, author of
the bestselling A Sand County Almanac and
the first to bring the word ‘ecology’ into
standard usage; Bob Marshall, millionaire
socialist and founder of the Wilderness
Society; and Howard Zahniser, a tireless
bureaucrat with a profound love of the wild
places he seldom saw. Singly and together,
these three fought against the current of
American thought from the 1920s through
the 1950s to attain what had once seemed
an unfathomable victory. More than just the
story of an historic struggle to preserve the
natural world, Wild by law provides an
invaluable overview of the roots of the
environmental movement, offering a deeper
understanding of one of the most important
issues facing contemporary civilization”—
Container.
1 videodisc (60 min.)
QH76 .W53 2008

Wilderness Journal: An American
Adventure.
Stephen Fisher Productions, 1987
Explores the wilderness areas of the
West. Presents the forces working on both
sides of environmental issues--to preserve or
to develop the wilderness.
1 videocassette (58 min.)
QH76.5.W34 W552 1987

With us or Against Us : Afghan-
Americans Since 9/11.
Filmakers Library (2002)
When the Soviets invaded
Afghanistan in the late 1970’s, many
Afghans fled to the U.S. some settling in
Fremont, California which became the
center of a community of 15,000 exiled
Afghans. After the terrorist attacks of
September 11th, these Afghan-Americans
found themselves caught in a cultural
crossfire between their adoptive and native
land. Includes interviews with a variety of
individuals who tell what it means to be an
Afghan in America today and includes a
segment on the Fremont community who
fought to keep Taliban representatives from
taking over their mosque with their brand of
fundamentalism.
1 Video Cassette (27 min.)
E184.A23 W57 2002

The Wobblies.
First Run/Icarus Films (1979)
Summary in History section.
Video Cassette (1 hr. 29 min.)
HD 8055 I56 W62

Woodrow Wilson: Reluctant Warrior.
A&E Television Networks (2006)
He revolutionized American foreign
affairs with his leadership during WWI, but
his questionable domestic policies made him
one of the most talked about U.S. presidents
of the twentieth century.
1 videodisc (ca. 50 min.)
E767 .W665 2006

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**The World at War.**

_A & E Home Video (2004)_

An extraordinary collection of newsreel, propaganda, and home-movie footage drawn from the archives of 18 nations, including color close-ups of Adolf Hitler taken by his mistress, that present an unvarnished perspective of the war's pivotal events. Penetrating interviews with eyewitness participants - from Hitler's secretary to Alger Hiss to ordinary citizens who stood outside the battle lines - and spine-tingling, first-hand accounts to an already unforgettable experience.

**v. 1**
- A new Germany 1933-39
- Distant war: September 1939-May 1940
- France falls: May-June 1940
- The making of the series

**v. 2**
- Alone: May 1940-May 1941
- Barbarossa: June-December 1941
- Banzai!: Japan 1931-1942
- On our way: U.S.A. 1939-1942

**v. 3**
- Desert: North Africa 1940-1943
- Stalingrad: June 1942-February 1943
- Wolf pack: U-boats in the Atlantic 1939-1944
- Red star: the Soviet Union 1941-1943

**v. 4**
- Whirlwind: bombing Germany September 1939-April 1944
- Tough old gut: Italy November 1942-June 1944
- It's a lovely day tomorrow: Burma 1942-1944
- Home fires: Britain 1940-1944

**v. 5**
- Inside the Reich: Germany 1940-44
- Morning: June-August 1944
- Occupation: Holland 1940-1944
- Pincers: August 1944-March 1945

**v. 6**
- Genocide: 1941-1945
- Nemesis: Germany February-May 1945
- Japan: 1941-45
- Pacific: February 1942-July 1945

**v. 7**
- The bomb: February-September 1945
- Reckoning: 1945...and after

**v. 8**
- Hitler's Germany: the people's community 1933-1939
- Total war 1939-1945
- The two deaths of Adolf Hitler

**v. 9**
- Secretary to Hitler
- Warrior
- From war to peace

**v. 10**
- The final solution pt.1-pt.2

**v. 11**
- Making the series: a 30th anniversary retrospective
- Experiences of war
  - 11 videodiscs (ca. 1194 min.)
  - D743.23 . W66 2004

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**The World of Islam.**

_National Public Radio (1984)_

I. Islam-A Complete Way of Life
II. The Five Pillars of Islam
III. Muhammad and His Heirs
IV. The Rise and Fall of the Caliphate
V. The Magnificent Heritage-The Golden Age of Islamic Civilization
VI. Decay or Rebirth? The Plight of Islamic Art Today
VII. Islam and the West
VIII. Resurgent Islam Today
IX. Voices of the Resurgence
X. Islam in America-The Immigrant Experience
XI. Black Islam
XII. Women and Family in Muslim Societies
XIII. Whither Islam-The Future of Islam

7 Cassettes (1 hr. ea., #13 1/2 hr.)
Summaries in Religion Section.
BP 50 W67 pt. 1-7

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**World War II in Color.**

_A&E Television Networks (2000)_

Shows newly discovered color footage from World War 2: the events that led up to the outbreak of war in Europe, through the German Blitzkrieg and Pearl Harbor, the days before the D-Day invasion, the skies over Germany, the jungles of the Pacific and the seas of the North Atlantic, the D-Day invasion, V-E Day in London and ground zero in Japan.

- 2 videodiscs (171 min.)
  - vol. 1: A new world order
  - vol. 2: Triumph and despair

- 2 videodiscs (171 min.)
D743.22 .W67 2000

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Year Zero: The Silent Death of Cambodia.
Bullfrog Films, [2006]
*As the first complete report of the atrocities committed by the Khmer Rouge and the devastating affects of US bombing in Cambodia during the Vietnam War, Year Zero: The Silent Death of Cambodia is an important and historic document of the grim reign of Pol Pot and the world's response of indifference and inaction. Year Zero was 1975, the end of the secret US bombing campaign against the Viet Cong that saw 100,000 tons of bombs dropped over Cambodia, and the emergence of the Khmer Rouge party as a ruling force. That year saw the desertion of the capital of Phnom Penh and the displacement of some 2.5 million people, the majority of whom would soon go missing. Pilger explores the roots of the US bombing campaign that began in 1969, contrasting it sharply with powerful footage of sick and starving Cambodians and interviews with relief workers with UNICEF and the Red Cross as well as imprisoned members of Pol Pot's regime. At the time of its first broadcast in 1979, Year Zero was for many the first glimpse of a harrowing injustice that had been played out with little fanfare. John Pilger lays bare the entire chain of events, from the removal of King Norodom Sihanouk to ensuing famine and genocide under the Khmer Rouge. The film is both disturbing and poignant, a sobering portrait of Cambodia's recent history*—Container.
1 videodisc (52 min.)
DS554.8 .Y43 2006

Yitzhak Rabin.
Rare film footage and interviews with Rabin's friends and associates provide insight into his life and legacy.
Video Cassette (50 min.)
DS 126.6 R32 Y57

Yugoslavia: Death of a Nation.
Discovery Video (1995)
Vol. 1: President Milosevic of Serbia describes how he betrayed his political patron, took absolute power in Serbia, and unleashed nationalism. Serb leaders tell how in 1990, they launched their rebellion. (100 min.)
Vol. 2: Two of Serbia's paramilitary leaders describe the plan they used to stop the Croats from claiming independence. Evidence indicates that President Milosevic ordered the ethnic cleansers into Bosnia in 1992. (100 min.)
Vol. 3: In the summer of 1995, Bosnia and Croatia inflicted a series of defeats on Serb armies. (50 min.)
3 Video Cassettes
DR 1313 Y83 vol. 1-3

Zapatista.
Big Noise Films (1998)
Looks at the uprising in Chiapas, Mexico. Story of how a few thousand Mayan peasants have transformed the political culture of Mexico forever.
1 videodisc (55 min.)
F1256 .Z26 1998

(The) Yes Men Fix the World.
Bullfrog Films, c2009
The Yes Men again pull off one bold prank after another in an effort to raise political consciousness. Posing as top executives of giant corporations, they lie their way into big business conferences and pull off the world's most outrageous pranks
1 videodisc (87 min.)