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Intelligence Analysis in the Digital Age Stig Stenslie 2021-08-06 This book examines intelligence analysis in the digital age and demonstrates how intelligence has entered a new era. While intelligence is an ancient activity, the digital age is a relatively new phenomenon. This volume uses the concept of the "digital age" to highlight the increased change, complexity, and pace of information that is now circulated, as new technology has reduced the time it takes to spread news to almost nothing. These factors mean that decision-makers face an increasingly challenging threat environment, which in turn increases the demand for timely, relevant, and reliable intelligence to support policymaking.

In this context, the book demonstrates that intelligence places greater demands on analysis work, as the traditional intelligence cycle is no longer adequate as a process description. In the digital age, it is not enough to accumulate as much information as possible to gain a better understanding of the world. To meet customers' needs, the intelligence process must be centred around the analysis work – which in turn has increased the demand for analysts. Assessments, not least predictions, are now just as important as revealing someone else's secrets. This volume will be of much interest to students of intelligence studies, security studies, and international relations.

Professional Issues in Forensic Science Max M. Houck 2015-04-15 Professional Issues in Forensic Science will introduce students to various topics they will encounter within the field of Forensic Science. Legal implications within the field will focus on expert witness testimony and procedural rules defined by both legislative statute and court decisions. These decisions affect the collection, analysis, and court admissibility of scientific evidence, such as the Frye and Daubert standards and the Federal Rules of Evidence. Existing and pending Forensic Science legislation will be covered, including laws governing state and national DNA databases. Ethical concerns stemming from the day-to-day balancing of competing priorities encountered by the forensic student will be discussed. Such competing priorities may cause conflicts between good scientific practice and the need to expedite work, meet legal requirements, and satisfy client's wishes. The role of individual morality in Forensic Science and competing ethical standards between state and defense experts will be addressed. Examinations of ethical guidelines issued by various professional forensic organizations will be conducted. Students will be presented with examples of ethical dilemmas for comment and resolution. The management of crime laboratories will provide discussion on quality assurance/quality control practices and the standards required by the accreditation of laboratories and those proposed by Scientific Working Groups in Forensic Science. The national Academy of Sciences report on Strengthening Forensic Science will be examined to determine the impact of the field. Professional Issues in Forensic Science is a core topic taught in forensic science programs. This volume will be an essential advanced text for academics and an excellent reference for the newly practicing forensic scientist. It will also fit strategically and cluster well with our other forensic science titles addressing professional issues.

Agile Security Operations Hinne Hettema 2022-02-17 Get to grips with security operations through incident response, the ATT&CK framework, active defense, and agile threat intelligence Key FeaturesExplore robust and predictable security operations based on measurable service performanceLearn how to improve the security posture and work on security auditsDiscover ways to integrate agile security operations into development and operationsBook Description Agile security operations allow organizations to survive cybersecurity incidents, deliver key insights into the security posture of an organization, and operate security as an integral part of development and operations. It is, deep down, how security has always operated at its best. Agile Security Operations will teach you how to implement and operate an agile security operations model in your organization. The book focuses on the culture, staffing, technology, strategy, and tactical aspects of security operations. You'll learn how to establish and build a team and transform your existing team into one that can execute agile security operations. As you progress through the chapters, you'll be able to improve your understanding of some of the key concepts of security, align operations with the rest of the business, streamline your operations, learn how to report to senior levels in the organization, and acquire funding. By the end of this Agile book, you'll be ready to start implementing agile security operations, using the book as a handy reference. What you will learnGet acquainted with the changing landscape of security operationsUnderstand how to sense an attacker's motives and capabilitiesGrasp key concepts of the kill chain, the ATT&CK framework, and the Cynefin frameworkGet to grips with designing and developing a defensible security architectureExplore detection and response engineeringOvercome challenges in measuring the security postureDerive and communicate business values through security operationsDiscover ways to implement security as part of development and business operationsWho this book is for This book is for new and established CSOC managers as well as CISO, CDO, and CIO-level decision-makers. If you work as a cybersecurity engineer or analyst, you'll find this book useful. Intermediate-level knowledge of incident response, cybersecurity, and threat intelligence is necessary to get started with the book.

Oostwaarts Robert D. Kaplan 2021-07-12 Schrijver Robert Kaplan neemt je mee op reis naar de Balkan en voert je via het Midden-Oosten mee richting Centraal-Azië. Onderweg vertelt Kaplan over de landen waar velen eigenlijk verrassend weinig van weten. Zo bezoekt hij Bakoe, de nieuwe onderhoofdstad van de wereld, de woestijnen van Turkmenistan en de verschillende etniciteiten in de Balkan. Gaandeweg leer je verhalend over de tragische geschiedenis en politieke ontwikkelingen. Ook maakt hij parallellen tussen Oost en West. Wat kunnen wij van de landen in het oosten leren? Ontdek het in 'Oostwaarts' het boeiende reisverslag van Robert Kaplan. Robert D. Kaplan is een Amerikaanse schrijver en journalist. Hij schreef onder meer boeken over internationale politiek en reisverhalen en zijn artikelen verschenen in vooraanstaande kranten zoals The Washington Post, The New York Times en The Wall Street Journal. Naast schrijver was Kaplan van 2009 tot 2011 lid van de Defense Policy Board van het Pentagon en belandde hij in 2011 in de 'Top 100 Global Thinkers'.

Human Interface and the Management of Information. Information Presentation and Visualization Sakae Yamamoto 2021-07-03 The two-volume set LNCS 12765-12766 constitutes the refereed proceedings of the thematic area Human Interface and the Management of Information, HIMI 2021, which was held as part of HCI International 2021 and took place virtually during July 24-29, 2021. The total of 1276 papers and 241 posters included in the 39 HCII 2021 proceedings volumes was carefully reviewed and selected from 5222 submissions. The papers included in the HCII-HIMI volume set were organized in topical sections as follows: Part I: Information presentation; visualization and decision making support; information in VR and multimodal user interfaces; Part II: Learning in information-rich environments; supporting work, collaboration and design; intelligent information environments.

Alan Turing, het Enigma Andrew Hodges 2015-10-27 Er is niet veel overdeven aan de stelling dat de Britse wiskundige Alan Turing de geallieerden heeft gered in hun strijd tegen de Nazi's, dat hij de uitvinder was van de computer, de bedenker van kunstmatige intelligentie en een voorloper in de strijd om vrijheid voor homoseksuelen - en dat alles voordat hij, 41 jaar oud, zelfmoord pleegde. Deze schitterende biografie vertelt het definitieve verhaal van een uitzonderlijk genie en een even uitzonderlijk leven. Alan Turings grote kracht was zijn briljante analytische geest gecombineerd met zijn gave voor het ontwerpen van 'intelligente' machines. In 1940 wist hij met zijn vindingen de Duitse Enigma-code te kraken - de code waarmee de Duitse lucht- en zeemacht alle communicatie beveiligde. Hij bracht er het Duitse oorlogcommando een slag mee toe die de oorlog bekortte en vele mensenlevens reddde. Het was niet Turings enige wapenfeit. Al voor de oorlog werkte de briljante wiskundige aan het concept van een universele machine, een idee dat hij in 1945 uitwerkte tot de allereerste digitale computer. In 1952 kwam een abrupt einde aan de glansrijke carrière van Alan Turing, toen hij door de autoriteiten werd opgepakt wegens homoseksualiteit, een strafbaar feit dat in die tijd nog actief werd vervolgd. In het land dat hij zes jaar lang in het belang van de vrijheid had gediend, volgde een veroordeling en een mensonterende behandeling. In 1954 pleegde Alan Turing, 41 jaar oud, zelfmoord. Alan Turing, het Enigma-verscheen voor het eerst in 1983 en kreeg een glorieuze ontvangst. Enkele jaren geleden volgde een herziene editie, ingeleid door Douglas Hofstadter.

Critical Thinking for Strategic Intelligence Katherine Hibbs Pherson 2020-08-14 With Critical Thinking for Strategic Intelligence, Katherine Hibbs Pherson and Randolph H. Pherson have updated their highly regarded, easy-to-use handbook for developing core critical thinking skills and analytic techniques. This indispensable text is framed around 20 key questions that all analysts must ask themselves as they prepare to conduct research, generate hypotheses, evaluate sources of information, draft papers, and ultimately present analysis, including: How do I get started? Where is the information I need? What is my argument? How do I convey my message effectively? The Third Edition includes suggested best practices for dealing with digital disinformation, politicization, and AI. Drawing upon their years of teaching and analytic experience, Pherson and Pherson provide a useful introduction to skills that are essential within the intelligence community.

Freakonomics Steven D. Levitt 2011-06-14 'Als Indiana Jones economoou zou zijn, zou hij Steven Levitt heten. Freakonomics leest als een detective. Wall Street Journal Wat is gevaarlijker: een pistool of een zwmabod? Wat hebben samuworstelaars en schoolmeesters gemeen? En waarom wonen drugsdealers bij hun moeder? Het zijn vragen die je niet gauw van een econoom zou verwachten. Maar Steven Levitt is geen typische econoom. In Freakonomics onderzoekt hij met co-auteur Stephen Dubner de verborgen kant van de dingen om ons heen. De geheimen van de Klu Klux Klan, bijvoorbeeld. Of de waarheid over vastgoedmakelaars. En, stelt hij, heeft het dalen van de misdaadcijfers in plaats van met een goed draaiende economie niet eigenlijk alles te maken met de legalisering van abortus? Freakonomics is het leukste en verhelderendste boek over economie dat je nu kunt voorstellen. Een mix van essentiële feiten en een meeslepende vertelling, die onze blik op de moderne wereld zorgvold verduidelijkt. Een fascinerend en heerlijk boek, leesbaar, compact en barstend vol informatie over de wereld om ons heen. Wie dit boek over de raadsels van het alledaagse leven heeft gelezen moet wel concluderen: economie is belangrijk, interessant en erg leuk. de Volkskrant 'Levitt stelt ongewone vragen en geeft provocatieve antwoorden. Slim, precies en tot in detail. New York Times

Structured Analytic Techniques for Intelligence Analysis Heuer J Richards 2010-03-16 Richards J. Heuer Jr. and Randolph H. Pherson turn a lifetime of expertise into formalizing, adapting, and standardizing a set of 50 of the most robust analytic techniques in use in intelligence analysis today. This ready reference showcases current and cutting-edge best practices and represents a significant leap forward in depth, detail and utility from existing handbooks. Logically organized and richly illustrated, Structured Analytic Techniques makes it easy to navigate, reference, and put the tools to use right away. Each technique is clearly and systematically explained: when to use, value added, the method, potential pitfalls, examples of how it can be used, its relationship to other techniques, and its origins. THE TECHNIQUES * Getting Started Checklist * Customer Checklist * Issue Redefinition * Chronologies and Timelines * Sorting * Ranking, Scoring, Prioritized * Matrices * Network Analysis * Mind Maps and Concept Maps * Process Maps and Gantt Charts * Structured Brainstorming * Virtual Brainstorming * Nominal Group Technique * Starbursting * Cross-Impact Matrix * Morphological Analysis * Quadrant Crunching * Basic Scenario Analysis * Alternative Futures Analysis * Multiple Scenario Generation * Indicators * Indicators Validator * Simple Hypothesis * Multiple Hypotheses Generator * Quadrant Hypothesis Generation * Diagnostic Reasoning * Analysis of Competing Hypotheses * Argument Mapping * Deception Detection * Key Assumptions Check * Structured Analogies * Role Playing * Red Hat Analysis * Outside-In Thinking * Policy Outcomes Forecasting Model * Prediction Markets * Premortem Analysis * Structured Self-Critique * What If? Analysis * High Impact/Low Probability Analysis * Devil's Advocacy * Red Team Analysis * Delphi Method * Adversarial Collaboration * Structured Debate * Complexity Manager * Decision Matrix * Force Field Analysis * Pros-Cons-Faults-and-Fixes * SWOT Analysis

Homeland Security and Intelligence, 2nd Edition Keith Gregory Logan 2017-11-16 Now updated and expanded for its second edition, this book investigates the role intelligence plays in maintaining homeland security and emphasizes that effective intelligence collection and analysis are central to reliable homeland security. • Addresses the most recent changes in homeland security and intelligence, explains the dynamics and structure of the intelligence community, and assesses the effectiveness of new intelligence processes • Focuses on the evolving structure of the intelligence community and its processes in the age of ISIS and organized, widespread terrorist threats as witnessed by the events in Boston, San Bernardino, and Paris • Contains seven new chapters as well as revisions and updates throughout this second edition • Underscores how intelligence can work—and needs to function—across homeland security efforts at the federal, state, and local levels

De idioot Elif Batuman 2017-09-20 'De idioot' van Elif Batuman gaat over Selin, dochter van Turkse emigranten in Amerika. Het is 1995, e-mail is iets nieuws, en eerstejaarsstudente Selin is min of meer per ongeluk op Harvard beland. Ze geeft zich op voor cursussen waarvan ze het bestaan niet eerder vermoedde, raakt bevriend met een geheimzinnige Servische klasgenote, en begint een mailvriendschap met de in zichzelf gekeerde Ivan. Pas na een reis door Europa, deels Ivan achterna, begint ze de slag te pakken te krijgen van verliefd zijn, van volwassen worden - en daagt het besef dat ze goedom is om schrijfster te worden. 'De idioot' is een portret van de kunstenaar als buitengewoon innemende jonge vrouw, geschreven door een van de meest geestige, originele Amerikaanse schrijvers van dit moment. 'Een verslavend, breed opgezet epos. Ik heb het verslonden.' - Miranda July

Het beslissende moment Malcom Gladwell 2013-09-20 Er is meestal maar een klein zetje nodig om de bal aan het rollen te krijgen. Wie het beslissende moment herkent, heeft een recept voor succes in handen. Hoe wordt een onbekende debutant een bestsellerauteur? Waarom is een televisieprogramma als Sesamstraat zo goed om kinderen te leren lezen? Malcolm Gladwell onderzoekt waarom grote veranderingen vaak zo plotseling beginnen. Ideeën, gedrag, meningen en producten verspreiden zich als ziektes. Zoals één zieke een griep epidemie kan starten, zo kan één graffiti-maker de criminaliteit doen toenemen of één tevreden klant de lege tafels in een restaurant vullen. Het beslissende moment leest als een avonturenverhaal met aansprekelijk enthousiasme over de macht van nieuwe ideeën. Het is een kaart voor verandering, met een hoopvolle boodschap: één creatieve persoon kan de wereld veranderen.

Concurreren op kennis Erik Elgersma 2020-02-29 Erik Elgersma legt in 'Concurreren op kennis' uit waarom er vaak wordt geroepen: 'Data zijn het nieuwe goud' en waarom slechts enkele bedrijven weten dat goud daadwerkelijk te delven. Want hoe zorg je ervoor dat je de relevante data op het juiste moment tot je beschikking hebt? Hoe vertaal je data naar bruikbare kennis en die kennis weer naar betere beslissingen? In de praktijk blijkt werken met data nog niet zo eenvoudig. In 'Concurreren op kennis' zet Erik Elgersma, expert op het gebied van strategische data-analyse, uiteen hoe je data succesvol inzet om de strategie én tactiek van je bedrijf te verrijken en je concurrenten steeds weer een stap voor te blijven. Elgersma introduceert methoden uit de wereld van inlichtingendiensten en maakt die toepasbaar voor het bedrijfsleven. Aan de hand van dit boek leer je structureel de juiste onderzoeksvragen te stellen, een indrukwekkende database op te bouwen, data op waarde te schatten en het belang van timing nooit uit het oog te verliezen. Zo kun je altijd de slimste beslissingen nemen en laat je je bedrijf winnen door de opgebouwde kennisvoorsprong.

Structured Analytic Techniques for Intelligence Analysis + Cases in Intelligence Analysis, 2nd Ed 2020

Small Navies Michael Mulqueen 2016-04-01 Whilst maritime studies tend to reflect the dominance of large navies, history shows how relatively small naval forces can have a disproportionately large impact on global events. From Confederate commerce raiders in the nineteenth century, to Somali pirates today, even the most minor of maritime forces can become a key player on a global stage. Examining a broad range of examples, this volume addresses the roles and activities of small navies in the past and the present at the national, regional and international level. In particular, it focusses on the different ways in which such forces have been identified and addressed national and international security challenges and the way in which they interact with other navies and security agencies. In addition the collection also investigates the relationship of such navies with non-governmental organisations, institutions and bodies in pursuit of broader

maritime goals, be they political, financial or environmental. Adopting an interdisciplinary approach drawing on the best new research from the fields of international relations, security studies, strategic studies and maritime history, the book examines the diversity of experience amongst different smaller navies and also establishes areas of similarity. Divided into two sections, part one begins with a number of chapters that are theoretical in nature, whilst part two provides case studies that offer a more regional focus, including analysis of the challenges facing contemporary navies and historical case studies designed to reveal the experience of small navies over time. By adopting an approach that combines historical considerations with analysis of current events, the collection offers a unique perspective on the role that small navies have played in wider nautical affairs and their continued impact upon global maritime strategies.

HCI International 2020 - Late Breaking Papers: User Experience Design and Case Studies Constantine Stephanidis 2020-10-02 This book constitutes late breaking papers from the 22nd International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction, HCII 2020, which was held in July 2020. The conference was planned to take place in Copenhagen, Denmark, but had to change to a virtual conference mode due to the COVID-19 pandemic. From a total of 6326 submissions, a total of 1439 papers and 238 posters have been accepted for publication in the HCII 2020 proceedings before the conference took place. In addition, a total of 333 papers and 144 posters are included in the volumes of the proceedings papers published after the conference as "Late Breaking Work" (papers and posters). These contributions address the latest research and development efforts in the field and highlight the human aspects of design and use of computing systems. The 54 late breaking papers presented in this volume were organized in two topical sections named: User Experience Design and Evaluation Methods and Tools; Design Case Studies; User Experience Case Studies.

Cases in Intelligence Analysis Sarah Miller Beebe 2014-04-28 In their Second Edition of Cases in Intelligence Analysis: Structured Analytic Techniques in Action, accomplished instructors and intelligence practitioners Sarah Miller Beebe and Randolph H. Pherson offer robust, class-tested cases studies of events in foreign intelligence, counterintelligence, terrorism, homeland security, law enforcement, and decision-making support. Designed to give analysts-in-training an opportunity to apply structured analytic techniques and tackle real-life problems, each turnkey case delivers a captivating narrative, discussion questions, recommended readings, and a series of engaging analytic exercises.

Analyzing Intelligence Target Networks Robert M. Clark 2015-04-15 Students will learn how to perform the specific actions of problem definition and breakdown, target network modelling, and collaborative sharing in the service of creating a high-quality, actionable intelligence product. This book provides hands-on skill-building and application--moving from the "what" and the "why" to the "how". The first part of the book will introduce the analytic methodology, stressing the basics of model building. The second part of the book comprises case studies with exercises that span issues/topics covering terrorism, law enforcement, military operations, cyber-security, transnational crime, and homeland security. The authors will also provide an instructor's guide with possible solutions for the exercises (as no case has just one "right" answer).

A guide to the project management body of knowledge 2009 Handboek voor de uitvoering van ICT-projecten volgens een internationale, gezaghebbende standaard.

Intelligence Communication in the Digital Era: Transforming Security, Defence and Business R. Arcos 2015-06-02 This edited volume argues that producers of analysis need to shift from producing static, narrative products to much more dynamic, digitally-based platforms in order to remain competitive and relevant.

Studies in Intelligence 2010

Intelligence Engineering Adam D. M. Svendsen 2017-03-01 Intelligence continues to undergo significant changes at a remarkable pace, notably developments related to "Big Data," surveillance, and cyber. Intelligence today involves multiaGENCY, multinational, multidisciplinary, multidomain information sharing and sense-making, conducted by commerce, academic, government, civil society, media, law enforcement, military, and nongovernmental/nonprofit organizations. Increasingly complex systems, including interrelated technical dimensions, are central to modern defense systems.

Intelligence Engineering: Operating Beyond the Conventional provides a new framework for generating analysis, exploring how systems to system-of-systems can be harnessed both for and into the future. Intelligence engineering (IE) involves the use of scientific and technical knowledge to artfully create, operate, maintain, and dismantle complex devices, machines, structures, systems, and processes that support and/or disrupt human endeavor occurring in the intelligence context. Spanning both human and technical intelligence realms, IE includes the collection and analysis of information that is of military and/or political value, and that relates to international relations, defense, and national security. Strategic Futures, risk management across to resilience concerns, are similarly engaged.

Intelligence Leadership and Governance Patrick F. Walsh 2020-11-22 This book explores the challenges leaders in intelligence communities face in an increasingly complex security environment and how to develop future leaders to deal with these issues. As the security and policy-making environment becomes increasingly complicated for decision-makers, the focus on intelligence agencies 'to deliver' more value will increase. This book is the first extensive exploration of contemporary leadership in the context of intelligence agencies, principally in the "Five Eyes" nations (i.e. Australia, United States, United Kingdom, Canada, and New Zealand). It provides a grounded theoretical approach to building practitioner and researcher understanding of what individual and organisational factors result in better leadership. Using interviews from former senior intelligence leaders and a survey of 208 current and former intelligence leaders, the work explores the key challenges that leaders will likely face in the twenty-first century and how to address these. It also explores what principles are most likely to be important in developing future leaders of intelligence agencies in the future. This book will be of much interest to students of intelligence studies, strategic studies, leadership studies, security studies, and international relations.

Structured Analytic Techniques for Intelligence Analysis Richards J. Heuer Jr. 2014-05-28 In this Second Edition of Structured Analytic Techniques for Intelligence Analysis, authors Richards J. Heuer Jr. and Randolph H. Pherson showcase fifty-five structured analytic techniques--five new to this edition--that represent the most current best practices in intelligence, law enforcement, homeland security, and business analysis.

Wat is waanzin Darian Leader 2012-05-22 In de geschreven media, op tv, in soaps of films wordt waanzin altijd uitgebeeld als iets extreems: gewelddadige uitbarstingen, toevallen of hallucinaties. Maar als waanzin nu eens helemaal niet is wat wij denken dat het is? Als het eerder regel dan uitzondering is? Als de kenmerken van waanzin niet zichtbaar zijn en eigen aan de doorsneeburger? Psychoanalytic Darian Leader begint en eindigt zijn betoef met het geval van de Britse arts Harold Shipman, een massamoordenaar die kennelijk zo 'normaal' was dat sommige patiënten zelfs na zijn veroordeling nog door hem behandeld wilden worden. In een uiterst lucide en confronterend betoef onderzoekt Leader onopvallende krankzinnigheid en laat hij zien dat ons begrip van waanzin herziening behoeft.

Analyzing Intelligence, Second Edition Roger Z. George 2014-02-26 Analyzing Intelligence, now in a revised and extensively updated second edition, assesses the state of the profession of intelligence analysis from the practitioners point of view. The contributors--most of whom have held senior positions in the US intelligence community--review the evolution of the field, the rise of new challenges, pitfalls in analysis, and the lessons from new training and techniques designed to deal with 21st century national security problems. This second edition updates this indispensable book with new chapters that highlight advances in applying more analytic rigor to analysis, along with expertise--building, training, and professional development. New chapters by practitioners broaden the original volume's discussion of the analyst-policymaker relationship by addressing analytic support to the military customer as well as by demonstrating how structured analysis can benefit military commanders on the battlefield. Analyzing Intelligence is written for national security practitioners such as producers and users of intelligence, as well as for scholars and students seeking to understand the nature and role of intelligence analysis, its strengths and weaknesses, and steps that can improve it and lead it to a more recognizable profession. The most comprehensive and up-to-date volume on professional intelligence analysis as practiced in the US Government, Analyzing Intelligence is essential reading for practitioners and users of intelligence analysis, as well as for students and scholars in security studies and related fields.

Agent-based Modeling in Intelligence Analysis Aaron Benjamin Frank 2012 The United States Intelligence Community (IC) was born out of the experiences and organization of the Office of Strategic Services during World War II and became a permanent fixture of the national security establishment with the passage of the National Security Act of 1947. Since its inception, there has been a strong fascination with the secret aspects of its work, particularly with respect to the clandestine collection of information and covert efforts to influence foreign governments, and to undermine rival intelligence services. By comparison, intelligence analysis, specifically the ways in which intelligence professionals develop and present assessments about the international system to policy makers, has been relatively ignored. As a result, intelligence analysis has remained largely under-theorized within the study of international relations, despite its prominent role in strategic thinking--only receiving significant attention in the aftermath of perceived failures. Understanding intelligence analysis is made more complex as new technologies affect analysts' access to new sources and methods. The challenge of technological change in intelligence studies has often been approached in one of three ways. New technologies may be seen as the source of new threats and opportunities in the international system, thus falling within the general application of security studies or international relations through threat assessments and estimates. A related, secondary study of technological change is more confined to the IC, pertaining to how new technologies might be exploited for collecting information, deceiving adversaries, and processing data. A third consideration of technology within the IC is largely concerned with organizational structure and processes, particularly as they relate to the sharing and securing of information within and between the communities. This study considers a fourth perspective of technological change with in the IC by examining how new technologies affect the tradecraft of analysis itself. In doing so, several perspectives are considered in order to understand how Agent-Based Modeling (ABM) can transform the dominant analytic paradigms that guide how intelligence analysis is currently practiced. While the majority of intelligence studies are empirical in nature, this project develops and advances a normative theory of intelligence analysis that argues for the careful consideration, development, and implementation of a model-centric analytic tradecraft, particularly for the production of strategic intelligence. Rather than focus on prior cases of intelligence failures in order to demonstrate how intelligence analysts, collectors, managers, and policy makers have erred in the past, this project provides theoretical arguments in favor of establishing a new analytic tradecraft and demonstrates, if only in a rudimentary fashion, what this new approach may look like in practice. In this study, several persistent debates within intelligence studies, familiar to a small group of scholars and theoretically minded professionals, are reimaged in light of the challenges and opportunities that new modeling and simulation capabilities provide. At its simplest, most conservative application, ABM extends the ongoing development of Structured Analytic Techniques (SATs), the centerpiece of contemporary analytic tradecraft. At the maximum, ABMs can reframe analytic practice, synthesizing the longstanding and opposing views as to whether intelligence analysis is an art or a science, and in the process transform the most challenging and interesting aspect of the intelligence profession--the relationship between intelligence producers and consumers.

Praktijk als wetenschap P. J. van Strien 1986

Een zaak van liefde Lisa Appignanesi 2016-08-04 Aan het einde van de negentiende eeuw injecteert een oude vrijster in Brighton bonbons met strychnine, in Parijs achtervolgt een zangeres wekenlang haar overspelige minnaar en in New York schiet de echtgenoot van een steenrijke jongedame publiekelijk een architect dood. In Een zaak van liefde daalt Lisa Appignanesi aan de hand van drie rechtszaken af naar de lage driften van de mens, waar duistere passies en lusten kunnen leiden tot gruwelijke misdaden. Gebruikmakend van rechtbankverslagen, psychiatrische dossiers, brieven en krantenartikelen wekt de auteur in meeslepende proza de belle époque tot leven, een tijd waarin de pers het publiek op niet eerder vertoonde wijze liet meegenieten van scandaleuze intriges, woeste jaloelzie en verboden verlangens. Seksuele etiquette en maatschappelijke klasse, eer en een goede naam: dat alles staat op het spel in het theater van de rechtbank.

Structured Analytic Techniques for Intelligence Analysis Randolph H. Pherson 2020-01-14 The Third Edition of Structured Analytic Techniques for Intelligence Analysis by Randolph H. Pherson and Richards J. Heuer Jr showcases sixty-six structured analytic techniques--nine new to this edition--that represent the most current best practices in intelligence, law enforcement, homeland security, and business analysis. With more depth, detail, and utility than existing handbooks, each technique is clearly and systematically explained. Logically organized and richly illustrated, and with spiral binding and tabs that separate techniques into categories, this book is an easy-to-use, comprehensive reference.

More Stories from Langley Edward Mickolus 2020 A collection of personal essays detailing the adventures, advice, and experience of generations of CIA analysts, operational, support and technical officers and managers.

De menselijke conditie Hannah Arendt 2009 Hoofdwerk van de Duits-Amerikaanse filosofe (1906-1975) over het grote belang van vrijhandelen en de politiek voor een voldoende schenkend, betekenisvol leven.

Alledaagse waanzin Lisa Appignanesi 2018-10-11 Na het overlijden van haar echtgenoot komt Lisa Appignanesi terecht in een neerwaartse spiraal van rouw en woede. De emoties zijn zo overweldigend dat ze besluit de aard ervan te onderzoeken. Hoe reageer je als je geconfronteerd wordt met een onbegrijpelijk groot verlies? Appignanesi beschrijft drie generaties van gevoelens. Naast haar eigen rouw ontleedt ze de boosheid van haar vader, een Poolse migrant in Canada die zijn leven lang vernederingen doormaakt. Ze verbindt zijn woede aan de hedendaagse maatschappelijke boosheid opgewekt door de komst van vluchtelingen. Verder duikt ze in de wereld van haar tweejarige kleinzoon, een wereld die overhoop is gehaald door de komst van zijn jongere broertje. Subtiel, met humor en oog voor detail vertelt ze verhalen die zeer persoonlijk maar tegelijkertijd universeel geldig zijn. Shakespeare, Freud, Proust, Sylvia Plath en John Cleese helpen haar om rouw, woede, verlies en liefde in kaart te brengen.

Ethnografische onderzoeken Ludwig Josef Johann Wittgenstein 2006 Lezingen, colleges en gesprekken van de Oostenrijkse filosoof (1889-1951) over esthetica, ethiek en geloof.

Agent-based Modeling in Intelligence Analysis Aaron Benjamin Frank 2012 The United States Intelligence Community (IC) was born out of the experiences and organization of the Office of Strategic Services during World War II and became a permanent fixture of the national security establishment with the passage of the National Security Act of 1947. Since its inception, there has been a strong fascination with the secret aspects of its work, particularly with respect to the clandestine collection of information and covert efforts to influence foreign governments, and to undermine rival intelligence services. By comparison, intelligence analysis, specifically the ways in which intelligence professionals develop and present assessments about the international system to policy makers, has been relatively ignored. As a result, intelligence analysis has remained largely under-theorized within the study of international relations, despite its prominent role in strategic thinking--only receiving significant attention in the aftermath of perceived failures. Understanding intelligence analysis is made more complex as new technologies affect analysts' access to new sources and methods. The challenge of technological change in intelligence studies has often been approached in one of three ways. New technologies may be seen as the source of new threats and opportunities in the international system, thus falling within the general application of security studies or international relations through threat assessments and estimates. A related, secondary study of technological change is more confined to the IC, pertaining to how new technologies might be exploited for collecting information, deceiving adversaries, and processing data. A third consideration of technology within the IC is largely concerned with organizational structure and processes, particularly as they relate to the sharing and securing of information within and between the communities. This study considers a fourth perspective of technological change with in the IC by examining how new technologies affect the tradecraft of analysis itself. In doing so, several perspectives are considered in order to understand how Agent-Based Modeling (ABM) can transform the dominant

analytic paradigms that guide how intelligence analysis is currently practiced. While the majority of intelligence studies are empirical in nature, this project develops and advances a normative theory of intelligence analysis that argues for the careful consideration, development, and implementation of a model-centric analytic tradecraft, particularly for the production of strategic intelligence. Rather than focus on prior cases of intelligence failures in order to demonstrate how intelligence analysts, collectors, managers, and policy makers have erred in the past, this project provides theoretical arguments in favor of establishing a new analytic tradecraft and demonstrates, if only in a rudimentary fashion, what this new approach may look like in practice. In this study, several persistent debates within intelligence studies, familiar to a small group of scholars and theoretically minded professionals, are reimagined in light of the challenges and opportunities that new modeling and simulation capabilities provide. At its simplest, most conservative application, ABM extends the ongoing development of Structured Analytic Techniques (SATs), the centerpiece of contemporary analytic tradecraft. At the maximum, ABMs can reframe analytic practice, synthesizing the longstanding and opposing views as to whether intelligence analysis is an art or a science, and in the process transform the most challenging and interesting aspect of the intelligence profession--the relationship between intelligence producers and consumers.

Critical Thinking for Strategic Intelligence Katherine Hibbs Pherson 2016-10-14 With this second edition of Critical Thinking for Strategic Intelligence, Randolph H. Pherson and Katherine Hibbs Pherson update their highly regarded, easy-to-use handbook for developing core critical thinking skills and analytic techniques. This indispensable text is framed around 20 key questions that all analysts must ask themselves as they prepare to conduct research, generate hypotheses, evaluate sources of information, draft papers, and ultimately present analysis. New material includes a chapter on working with statistics and probabilities at an introductory level; discussions on how to work with social media; managing the "big data" phenomenon and what role analysis plays both at the front and back end of utilizing such information. Each of the book's chapters are consistently organized, enabling students and analysts alike to easily trace the key steps of: Setting the Stage; Looking More Deeply; Key Takeaways; Considering the Case Study, and the book's illustrations include useful graphics that diagram and display the processes and structured analytic techniques for arriving at the best possible analytical products. The "Analyst's Roadmap" provides an at-a-glance "map" for readers depicting the best practices involved in perfecting the analytical product. A set of carefully crafted case studies on national intelligence, homeland security, and law enforcement issues illustrate how to apply these critical thinking skills tie directly to end-of-chapter questions, providing valuable self-assessment opportunities.

Intelligence Collection Robert M. Clark 2013-09-13 Intelligence Collection by Robert M. Clark--one of the foremost authorities in the field--offers systematic and analytic coverage of the "how and why" of intelligence collection across its three major stages: the front end (planning), collection, and the back end (processing, exploitation, and dissemination). The book provides a fresh, logical, and easily understandable view of complex collection systems used worldwide. Its ground-breaking organizational approach facilitates understanding and cross-INT collaboration, highlighting the similarities and differences among the collection INTs. Part one explains how the literal INTs such as communications intelligence and cyber collection work. Part two focuses on nonliteral INTs including imagery, electronic

intelligence, and MASINT. All chapters use a common format based on systems analysis methodology, detailing function, process, and structure of the collection disciplines. Examples throughout the book highlight topics as diverse as battlespace situational awareness, terrorism, weapons proliferation, criminal networks, treaty monitoring, and identity intelligence.

National Defense Intelligence College Paper: Intelligence Analysis in Theater Joint Intelligence Centers: an Experiment in Applying Structured Methods Involving Various Scenarios and Two-Tailed Tests Department of Defense 2018-01-15 This unique and informative paper was produced by the National Intelligence University / National Defense Intelligence College. In clear, articulate, unmistakable language, Master Sergeant Folker's learned thesis sets forth the key opposing arguments in the long-standing controversy over the role of structuring in intelligence analysis. The controversy is largely one-sided, because proponents of intuitive analysis see no purpose in debating the issue, as they are completely satisfied with the status quo. It is only the structuring enthusiasts who see a need for drastic change in the way analysis is conducted. Because, as Folker points out, supporters of the status quo include not only most analysts but most commanders as well, the structuring enthusiasts have never made progress in reforming the other side. And they won't make any progress until the superiority of structured analysis over intuitive analysis is proved, which Folker has taken a first giant step in doing. And it is precisely on this point that Folker challenges the Intelligence Community-- indeed the entire U.S. government and the private sector as well--to design and conduct reliable tests to demonstrate which analytic approach is superior: structured or intuitive. Given the wide range of available structuring techniques, each one should be tested in competition with intuition. There are many myths prevalent in the analytic community, public and private, concerning structured analysis: It is time-consuming and overly complicated; it eliminates the indispensable role of intuition; it involves numbers and arcane formulae that render analysis mechanical and devoid of creative solutions; and so on. Tests like Folker's will surely dispose of these myths and demonstrate the immense value and power of structuring. His thesis, moreover, should encourage students to undertake research experiments that challenge long-held beliefs and test new theories of military interest. JMIC students are especially well placed to conduct thoughtful, creative research because they bring to this scholarly environment a rich mixture of background and viewpoints, and because they remain vitally involved in the business of wringing meaning from a great variety of intelligence information. Topics and subjects include: qualitative analysis, structured methodologies, case studies, scenarios, two-tailed tests.

Objectgeorinteerde software engineering Stiller 2002

US Intelligence and Al Qaeda de Werd Peter de Werd 2020-09-21 This book sets out a new analytic methodology: analysis by contrasting narratives (ACN), which states that defining an enemy and attempting to counter threats can contribute to the manifestation of that threat. Peter de Werd applies ACN to the problem the US faced in understanding and responding to the phenomenon of Al Qaeda in the 1990s. He demonstrates how this approach can fill a gap in intelligence studies by enhancing the understanding of complex intelligence problems and strengthening the practice of intelligence analysis. Adopting a reflexivist theoretical stance, the book underlines the importance of an integrated approach to interpretation and action, and of a continuous dialogue between intelligence and policy.