PUBLICATIONS

A. Books


B. Monographs/Reports


Full reports authored at the International Crisis group (principal author):

- *Taiwan Strait: What’s Left of ‘One China’* June 2003
- *Taiwan Strait: The Risk of War* June 2003
- *Taiwan Strait: The Path to Peace* June 2003

*China-Japan Relations 1995-2005*, co-authored with Professor Stuart Harris, Andrew Mack and Pauline Kerr, Consultancy Report, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, April, 1995, 100pp. (Personal contribution was for first draft of six of seven chapters)

C. Articles and Book Chapters 1997-2005
‘Political Change in Russia: Implications for Britain’, Foreign Policy Centre, November 2004.

With Ben Koppelman, ‘Darfur and Genocide’, Foreign Policy Centre, July 2004, 45 pp plus appendices.


‘Japan, China and Regional Order’, co-authored with Stuart Harris, in Peter Drysdale and Dong Dong Zhang (eds), *Japan and China: Rivalry or Cooperation in East Asia?*, Asia Pacific Press, Canberra, 2000, pp. 137-161.


D. Newspaper Commentaries


‘La China que cabe esperar’, *Cinco dias*, 23 February 1998, p. 2

‘Brave New World for the ADF’, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 14 April 1997, p. 15


‘We Need a Peacetime Strategy for our Forces’, *The Australian*, 9 January 1997, p. 11

‘Stakes are High in the Biggest Political Experiment in History’, *The Sydney Morning Herald*, 1 July 1996 (co-authored with members of the Hong Kong News Analysis Group)


SELECTED PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Managed a Cabinet Office review of HMG conflict prevention policy; and led the 12-person team of international consultants over six months reviewing FCO, MOD and DFID performance

- Member of the international organising committee of a major international environment conference in China, including management of VIP relations with Ministers and senior executives and coordination of publications

- Regular briefing of Cabinet Ministers and military commanders

- Acted as Director of the Washington Office of the International Crisis Group for four months

- Appointed by the Vice Chancellor’s Endowment for Excellence to ANU

- Led five-person specialist inspection team to Central Asia to report to the Board of the International Crisis Group on the need for and research directions for a new project in Central Asia, May 2000

- High level advocacy of the work of the International Crisis Group in Asia (Tokyo, Beijing, Moscow, Washington, Brussels)

- Convenor of several international conferences on China bringing together leading international scholars from China, Japan, Taiwan, USA and Australia (supported by external funding)

- Consultations in various international institutes in Tokyo, Washington, Beijing, Moscow, London, Brussels, Jakarta, Kuala Lumpur, Abu Dhabi

- Participated in ministerial Visits to Indonesia, PNG, Fiji, Nauru, Marshall Islands, New Caledonia, Solomon Islands

- First Western Visiting Researcher, Institute of Military History, Ministry of Defence, Moscow for two months working inside the Institute, with access to previously classified documents

- Working Visit to Cyprus to interview heads of government

- Working visit to Abu Dhabi
PEER REVIEWS

Journal Review of Book: Japan and Greater China

this book will stand for some time as the definitive work on Sino–Japanese relations.... This book provides a comprehensive, even-handed and incisive analysis of Japan–China relations. It assimilates and builds on the work of earlier scholars, Chinese and non-Chinese alike, but supersedes the earlier work in its scope. Professor John Garver, The China Journal, Issue 51, 2004

Journal Review of Book: Japan and Greater China

This is a very comprehensive book ...a major contribution to a very complex field. Dr Reinhardt Drifte, SOAS Review, 2002, pp. 465-67

Publisher’s review comments on Book Manuscript: Japan and Greater China

The book is very good and clearly of publishable quality...a significant contribution to our understanding of East Asia’s key bilateral relationship. Austin and Harris have written a comprehensive and insightful study which takes a nuanced view of the relationship. Dr Phil Deans, School of African and Oriental Studies, University of London (8 October 1999)

H-DIPLO Review of Book: Japan and Greater China

the two authors focus on areas of traditional interest to people interested in international affairs, but there is a bit more to this study. Austin and Harris examine social and economic factors and this is a strength of the book ... the strengths of this study vastly outweigh its shortcomings. Austin and Harris have produced a useful, innovative study that many, including policymakers, can profit from reading. Assistant Professor Nicholas Santakes, Dept of History, Texas A&M University.

Journal Review of Book: China’s Ocean Frontier

This very impressive volume examines in great detail China’s views and behaviour regarding its ocean frontiers... Austin’s assessments are based on detailed analyses of relevant international, law, elite Beijing politics, evolving Chinese military capabilities and China’s national development goals... Austin offers a different perspective from much of the existing literature... Dr Michael Swaine, then the Director of the Asia Pacific Research Centre, Rand Corporation (China Journal January 2000)

Publisher’s review comments on Book Manuscript: China’s Ocean Frontier

It is a most impressive achievement, eminently suitable for publication, representing a significant contribution to the analysis of the subject matter, presented in a clear, elegantly written and convincingly argued manner, and supported by an exhaustive and appropriately utilised array of authorities. Professor J.-P. Fonteyne, Professor of International Law (December 1996)
I have acquired much information for the first time. I think your work is among the best and it is well documented. Professor Peter Kien-hong Yu, a leading Taiwanese expert on Law of the Sea (July 1996)

**Journal Review of Book: The Armed Forces of Russia in Asia**

The publication of this well-researched and up to date account ... is well-timed to check generalizations by Western media about the end of Russian military power...this excellent and accessible analysis ... should be of great interest to scholars, military experts and to the general public. Victor Zatsepine, University of British Columbia (Pacific Affairs, Fall 2001, pp. 409-410)

**Journal Review of Book: Power and Responsibility in Chinese Foreign Policy**

This volume offers a refreshingly original, detached, non-American perspective and analysis of China’s rising might... it is an ideal text book for courses on Chinese foreign policy...It should also be required reading for those concerned about the shape of China’s future international role’. Samuel S. Kim, Columbia University, (The China Journal, Issue No. 50, pp. 140-142)

**Examiners’ Reports: Ph D dissertation**

Greg Austin has submitted an academic thesis of great originality, depth of research and accuracy of judgement. Mr Malcom Mackintosh, former British Cabinet Adviser on the USSR Mr Malcom Mackintosh, former British Cabinet Adviser on the USSR

I was favorably impressed with the author’s diligence and success in canvassing and locating the full range of available sources, including many that only recently became available to scholars owing to declassification in the United States and Russia.... The framework for analysis is original ... the prodigious research and the analysis deserve a public. Dr Raymond Garthoff, Soviet and Russian military specialist, Brookings Institution

More remarkable is his excellent knowledge of Soviet open sources and his clever analysis of them. ... The use in the dissertation of a vast Western and Soviet literature (many of the sources were appearing for the first time in a Western scholarly work) testifies to the independent character of the dissertation. ... the dissertation in many ways contradicts the scholarly conclusions of Sovietologists in the West and has no parallel in Soviet or Russian sources. Captain Valery Vartanov, Institute of Military History, Moscow