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"The Terror Threat to Texas"

Our speaker suggests:

Texas Border Security: A Strategic Military Assessment, Barry R. McCaffrey and Robert H. Scales, Colgen LP, Texas, 20 September 2011

Our speaker has written:

Ghost: Confessions of a Counter-Terrorism Agent, Fred Burton, Random House, NYC, 2008, 288 pgs

Chasing Shadows: A Special Agent's Lifelong Hunt to Bring a Cold War Assassin to Justice, Fred Burton, Palgrave Macmillan, NYC, 2011, 272 pgs

The information presented today and the information in *Texas Border Security* comes from a mix of open and covert intelligence.

For OPEN intelligence we suggest you look at:

The bibliography to Steve Zaveloff's talk, "Open Source Intelligence," in the UT Forum Series, which is found on the TFSG website under "Other Events."

<http://tfsg.org/EIS/EIS%20Zaveloff101511.pdf>

Books

**Worm: The First Digital World War*, Mark Bowden, Atlantic Monthly, NYC, 2011, 245 pgs

**The Ideal Man*, Joshua Kurlantzick, Wiley, NYC, 2011, 264 pgs

**Gossip: The Untrivial Pursuit*, Joseph Epstein, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, NYC, 2011, 256 pgs

**Terrorizing Ourselves: Why U. S. Counterterrorism Policy is Failing and How to Fix It*, Benjamin H. Friedman, Jim Harper, Christopher A. Preble, eds., Cato Institute, NYC, 2010, 324 pgs

**Engineering Communism*, Steven T. Usdin, Yale University Press, Connecticut, 2005, 352 pgs

Red Spies in America, Katherine Sibley, University of Kansas Press, 2004, 370 pgs

**Spies: The Rise and Fall of the KGB in America*, John Earl Haynes, Harvey Kiehr and Alexander Vassiliev, Yale University Press, Connecticut, 2009, 704 pgs

The Rosenberg File, Ronald Radosh, Joyce Milton, Yale University Press, Connecticut 1997, 606 pgs

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**The Shadow World: Inside the Global Arms Trade*, Andrew Feinstein, Farrar Straus Giroux, NYC, 2011, 704 pgs

**The Prague Cemetery*, Umberto Eco, translated by Richard Dixon, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, NYC, 2011, 444 pgs

**The Craft We Chose: My Life in the CIA*, Richard L. Holm, Mountain Lake Press, Maryland, 2011, 568 pgs

**The Craft of Intelligence: America's Legendary Spy Master on the Fundamentals of Intelligence Gathering for a Free World*, Allen W. Dulles, Lyons Press, NYC, 2006, 304 pgs

The New Craft of Intelligence: Personal, Public, & Political -- Citizen's Action Handbook for Fighting Terrorism, Genocide, Disease, Toxic Bombs, & Corruption, Robert David Steele, Oss Press, 2002, 438 pgs

**The Art of Intelligence: Lessons from a Life in the CIA's Clandestine Service*, Harry A. Crumpton, Penguin Press, NYC, 2012, 352 pgs

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South Korea's Citizen Spies, The Week, 14 October 2011

The Antisocial Network, John Lloyd, Financial Times, 01 October 2011

Cyber Security Work Crucial to Our Economy, Financial Safety, Gregory B. White, San Antonio Express News, 26 October 2011

Taking Down a Digital Den of Sin, Evgeny Morozov, Wall Street Journal, 01 October 2011

Mind-goggling, The Economist, 29 October 2011, p 93

Software That Listens For Lies, Anne Eisenberg, New York Times, 04 December 2011

Threats Pile up in War that Never Ends, Joseph Menn, Financial Times, 02 June 2011

Scent of a Spy, Tobias Grey, Financial Times, 17 September 2011

Israel Hurts Its Cause When It is Seen As a Rogue State, David Gardner, Financial Times, 26 February 2010

War in the Fifth Domain, The Economist, 03 July 2010

Briefing WikiLeaks, The Economist, 04 December 2010

The Terrible Truth, The Economist, 29 October 2011

Books That Are Never Done Being Written, Nicholas Carr, Wall Street Journal, 31 December 2011

Long Shadows, The Economist, 10 September 2011

Swept Up and Away, The Economist, 10 September 2011

Michael T. Flynn, Elaine M. Grossman, The Atlantic, 2010, p 103

Norwegian Carrier in \$21bn Boeing and Airbus Jet Deals, Financial Times, 26 January 2012

Foreign Hackers Attack Illinois Water Plant, Ellen Nakashima, San Antonio Express News, 19 November, 2011

Go Online, Beat a Puzzle, And Become a British Spy, John F. Burns, New York Times, 02 December 2011

Spycraft Dispensed With Appropriate, Deliberate Speed, Mike Hale, New York Times, 23 October 2011

Behind The Scenes from Abbottabad, Post Politics, Washington Post, 03 May 2011

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The Deadliest Hoax, Rebecca Newberger Goldstein, The New York Times Book Review, 20 November 2011

Ten Critical Trends for Cybersecurity, Marvin J. Cetron and Owen Davies, The Futurist, September-October 2009, p 40-49

The Business of Intelligence, Mark Lisher, Austin American-Statesman

Vanishing Acts: How Car Companies Hide Prototypes from Spying Eyes, Cliff Kuang, Wired, April 2010, p 61

Listen to the Village Voices, Jessica Shepherd, The Guardian, 27 July 2007, p 43

For COVERT intelligence we suggest the following:

Non-Fiction

**Open Secret: The Autobiography of the Former Director-General of MI5*, Stella Rimington, Random House, UK, 2002, 320 pgs

**The West End Front: The Wartime Secrets of London's Grand Hotels*, Mathew Sweet, Faber, UK, 2011, 384 pgs

Fiction

Stella Rimington, former Director General of MI5, listed her six best spy stories in The Week, 27 July 2010, p 26. <http://theweek.com/article/index/204980/stella-rimingtons-6-favorite-secret-agent-novels>

**Dead Line*, Stella Rimington, Vintage, NYC, 2011, 320 pgs

**Rip Tide: A Novel*, Stella Rimington, Bloomsbury, NYC, 2011, 384 pgs

**Illegal Action*, Stella Rimington, Vintage, NYC, 2009, 336 pgs

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The Spy Who Emerged From the Fog: Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy, 2011

Our Man in Havana, 2009

Charlie Wilson's War, 2007

The Good Shepherd, 2006

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The State of the Craft: Is Intelligence Reform Working?, Michael V. Hayden, World Affairs, September/October 2010

Museum

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