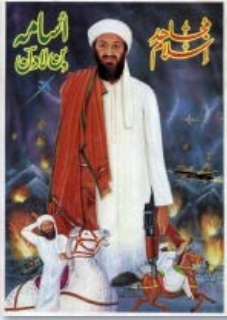


SUGGESTIONS FOR FURTHER READING



What do the jihadists want?

There are a great many recent works examining the wars in Afghanistan and Iraq, the threat of al-Qaeda, and the dangers of Islamic fundamentalism. In response to this issue's specific question ("What do the jihadists want?"), the editorial board has identified the following works for their discussion of jihadism:

- Daniel Benjamin and Steven Simon, [*The Age of Sacred Terror: Radical Islam's War Against America*](#) (Random House, 2002).
- David Cook, [*Understanding Jihad*](#) (University of California Press, 2005).
- Bruce Hoffman, [*Inside Terrorism*](#) [rev. ed.] (Columbia University Press, 2006).
- Bernard Lewis, [*The Political Language of Islam*](#) (University of Chicago Press, 1988).
- Peter Bergen compiled "The Ultimate AfPak Reading List" for *Foreign Policy Magazine* (June 27, 2013), which can be accessed at the following web address: http://www.foreignpolicy.com/articles/2009/09/08/the_ultimate_afghan_reading_list

This comprehensive reading list is subdivided into 13 different categories, ranging from country (i.e., Afghanistan, Pakistan), to al-Qaeda, to more general topics (e.g., Islamist Terrorism and Its Intellectual Influences, Counterterrorism, etc.).

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