

America's Deadliest Export: "Democracy"

The Truth About US Foreign Policy and Everything Else

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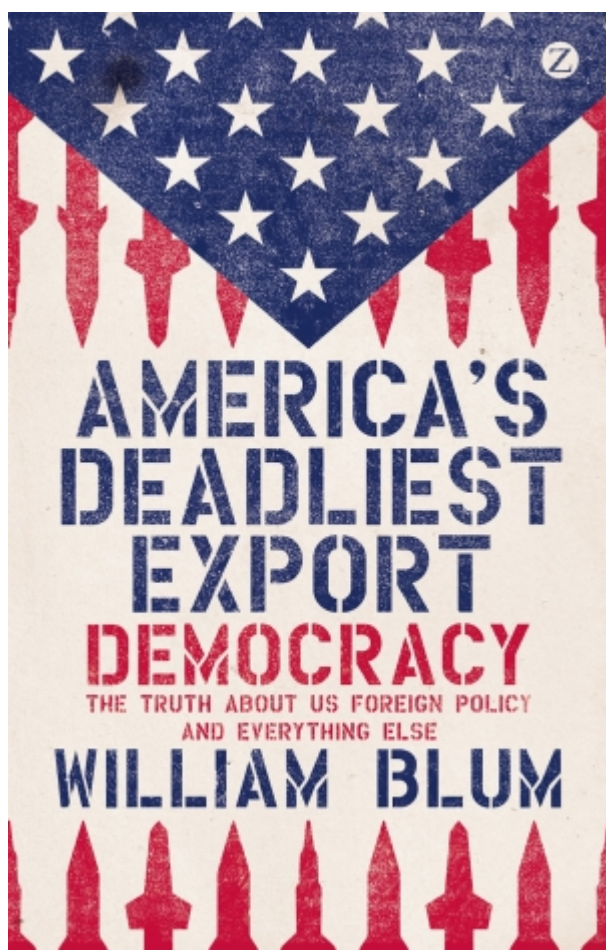
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For over 65 years, the United States war machine has been on auto pilot. Since World War II, the world has believed that US foreign policy means well, and that America's motives in spreading democracy are honorable, even noble.



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