

Week 1: Power, Sovereignty & Truth

Day 1

POWER OR ILLUSION?

QUESTION: Is national sovereignty still meaningful in a globalised world—or just an illusion?

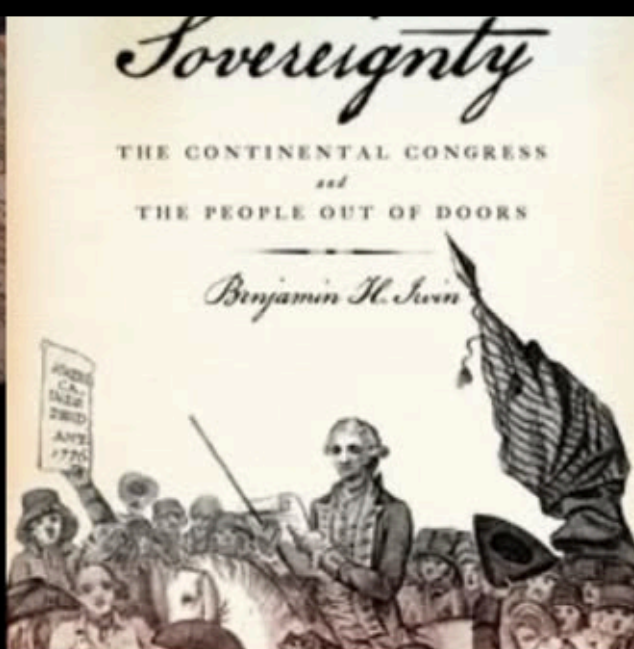
TASK: Agree or disagree? Please summarise



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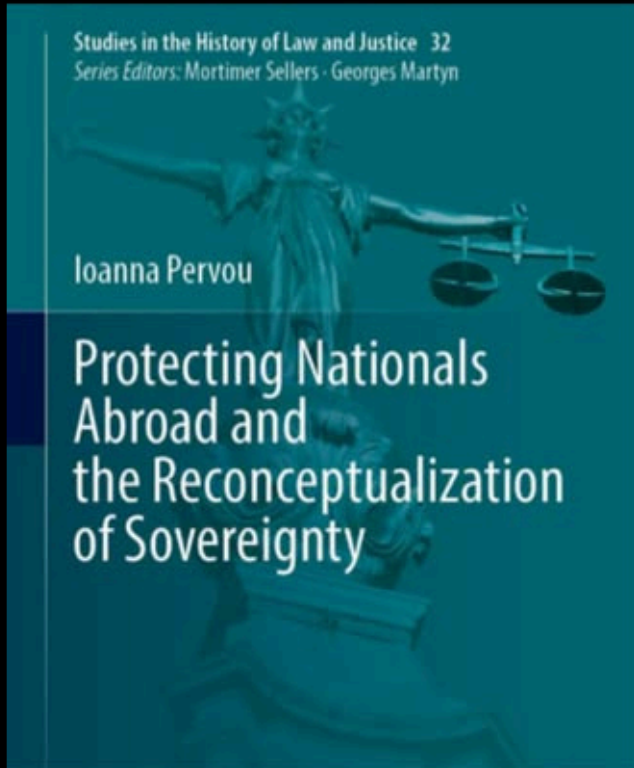
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Who Rules?

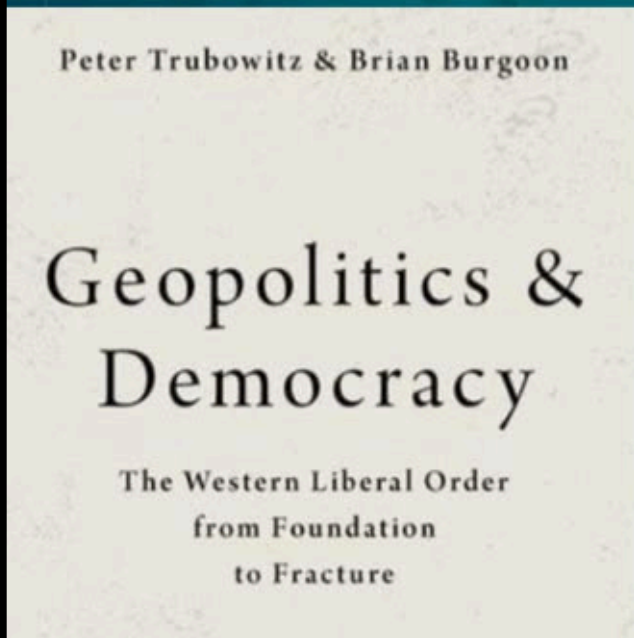
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NATIONALISM,
and the
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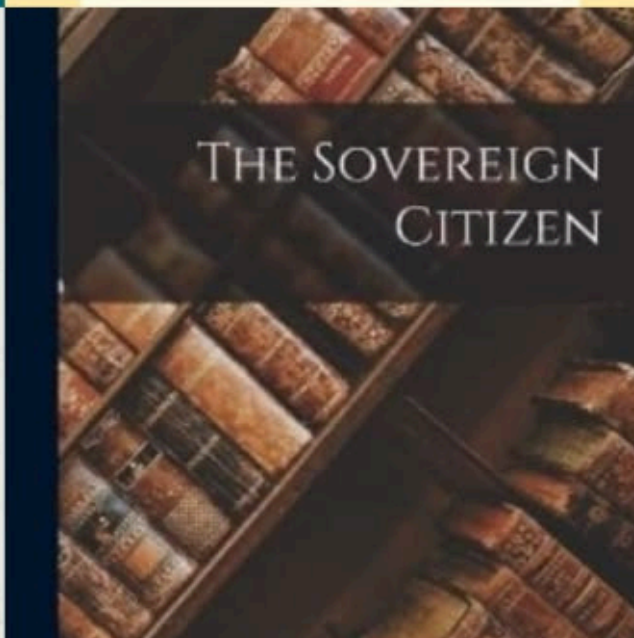
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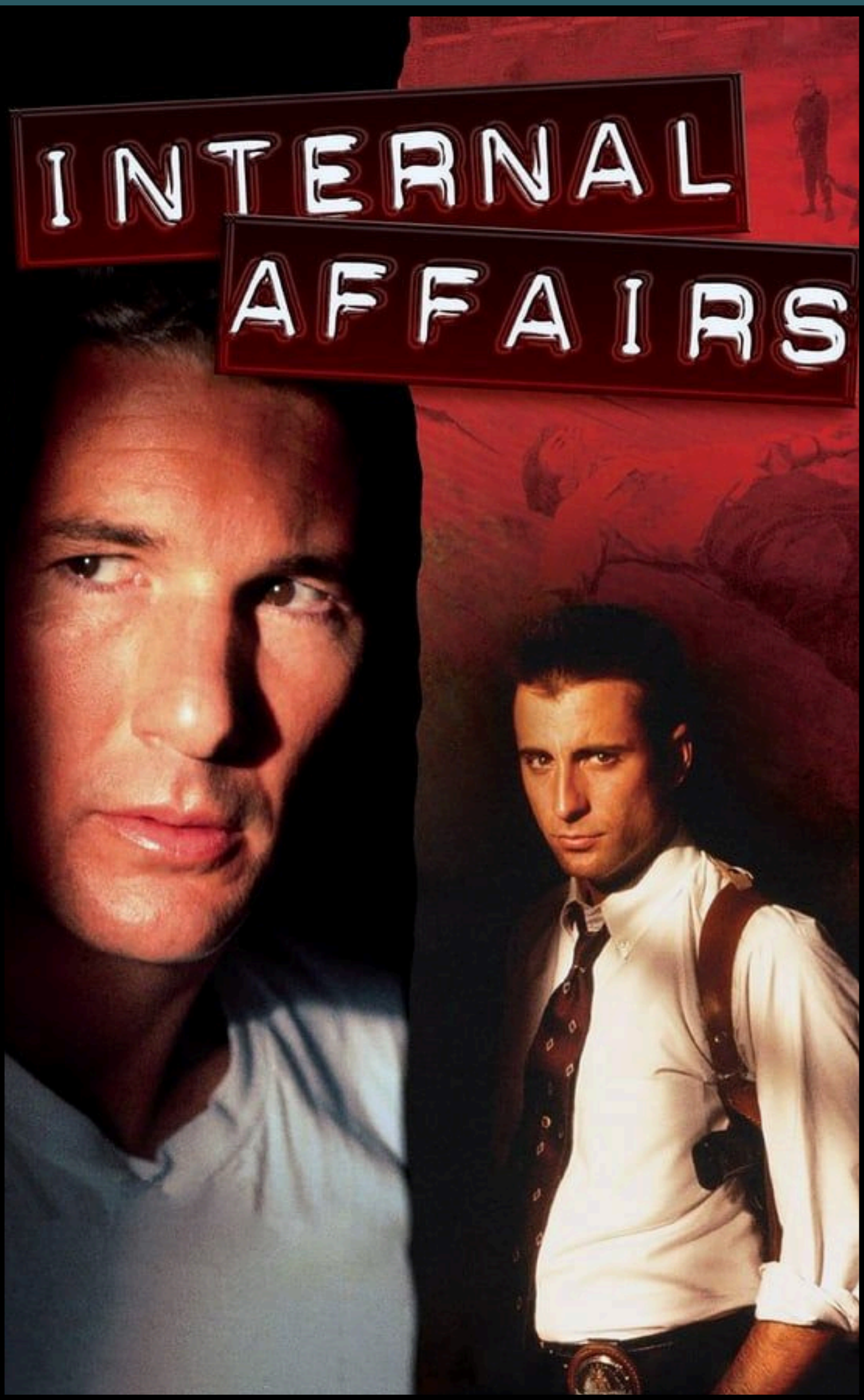
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DOUBLE STANDARDS?

QUESTION: Should powerful countries be held to a higher moral standard than weaker ones?

TASK: Why or why not? Please summarise





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Day 3

CROSSING THE LINE

QUESTION: Is it ever justified for one nation to interfere in another's internal affairs?

TASK: Where's the line? Please summarise

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Day 4

WHO REALLY RULES?

QUESTION: Who really controls global decisions: governments, corporations, or unseen networks?

TASK: Name one and summarise



Tactics is knowing what to do when there is something to do; strategy is knowing what to do when there is nothing to do.



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Day 5

TRUTH OR STRATEGY?

QUESTION: Can diplomacy ever be truly honest—or is it always strategic?

TASK: Be honest - Summarise

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Day 6

PEACE OR FEAR?

QUESTION: Is peace maintained through
trust... or through fear?

TASK: Choose one- Summarise

A black and white photograph of a rectangular sign with a double-line border. The sign is mounted on a post and has four bolts visible at the corners. The background of the sign is white, and the text is in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The text is arranged in four lines: 'PLEASE', 'DO NOT', 'FEED THE', and 'FEARS' on the first three lines, and 'THANK YOU!' on the fourth line. The sign is set against a background of a rocky, uneven terrain.

**PLEASE
DO NOT
FEED THE
FEARS
THANK YOU!**



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Day 7

BOARDERS

QUESTION: Do borders protect people, or
divide humanity unnecessarily?

TASK: One word answer- Summarise