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This past year, the Council published or co-published eleven books, which are marketed through the Brookings Institution to bookstores and for use in university classrooms. In addition, the Council published six independent task force reports—on India-Pakistan, Cuba, Northeastern Europe, strengthening Palestinian public institutions, nonlethal weapons, and transatlantic relations—as well as a Council Policy Initiative on the International Criminal Court, the report of an independent commission on the future international financial architecture, and the annual report.

Council publications frequently make a substantial impact on U.S. policy. For example, when the Clinton administration announced significant changes in policy toward Cuba in early 1999, the *Washington Post* noted that the changes mirrored in part the “sensible direction taken by a more ambitious new report from the Council on Foreign Relations.” The report, *U.S.-Cuban Relations in the 21st Century*, was the product of an independent task force co-chaired by Bernard W. Aronson and William D. Rogers.

In June, an independent task force chaired by former French Prime Minister Michel Rocard released its report, *Strengthening Palestinian Public Institutions*, at a high-profile press conference on the West Bank. The policy recommen-

dations of the report received broad coverage in the United States, the region, and elsewhere.

For example, the *New York Times* reported that “the Task Force report suggested that it was a matter of great urgency for the Palestinian Authority to ‘acknowledge its own shortcomings’ and change. ‘Not to reform is not an option,’ Henry Siegman, the project director, said.”

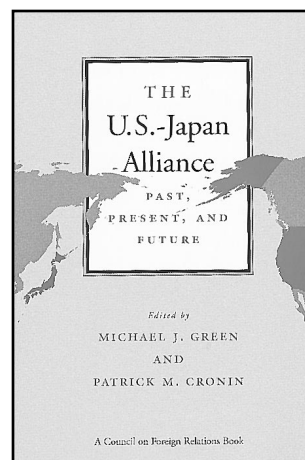
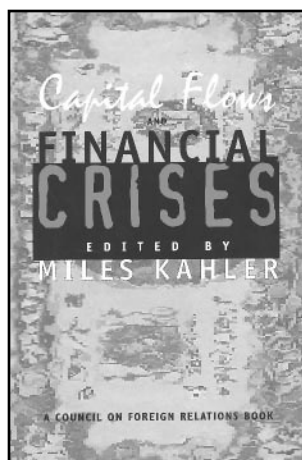
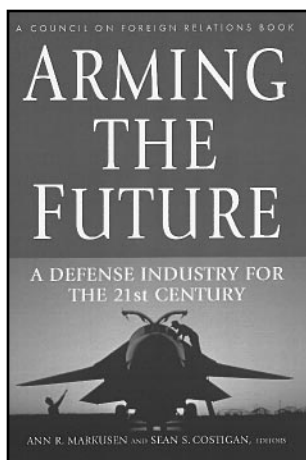
The *Jerusalem Post* noted that “The report, sponsored by the New York-based Council on Foreign Relations with the participation of five European former prime ministers, said the PA needs to make extensive changes, including developing a participatory political system. But it also credited the PA for providing services under difficult conditions.”

And *Reuters* reported that “Nabil Shaath, Palestinian minister of planning and international cooperation, said the report was ‘professional and objective’ and promised it would be reviewed seriously.”

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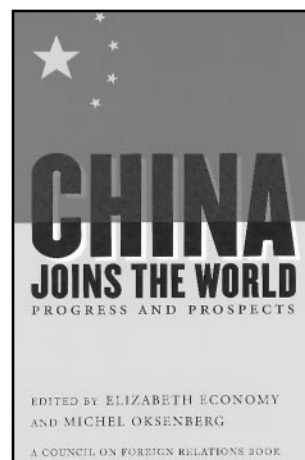
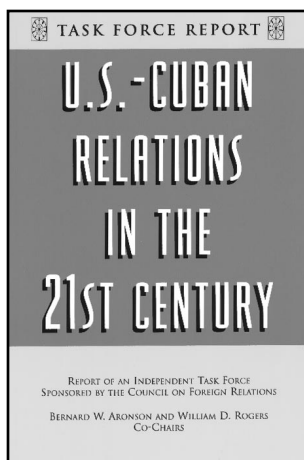
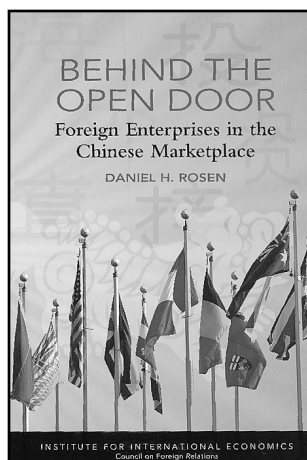
Non-Lethal Technologies: Progress and Prospects, Report of an Independent Task Force. Richard L. Garwin, Chair (1999).

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