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Inna Kotchetkova, Cardiff University, UK

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Tomas Balkelis, University of Manchester, UK

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Stephen Hutchings, University of Manchester, UK and **Natalia Rulyova**, University of Birmingham, UK



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Cameron Ross, University of Dundee, UK

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The Post-Soviet Russian Media

Conflicting Signals

Edited by **Birgit Beumers**, University of Bristol, UK, **Stephen Hutchings**, University of Manchester, UK and **Natalia Rulyova**, University of Birmingham, UK

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Suvi Salmenniemi, University of Helsinki, Finland

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Economic and Political Transformation and Evolving National Identity

Edited by **Martin Myant**, University of the West of Scotland, UK and **Terry Cox**, University of Glasgow, UK

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The Russian Revolution in Retreat, 1920-24

Soviet Workers and the New Communist Elite

Simon Pirani, Freelance Journalist / Consultant

This book examines the relationship between the Russian Communist Party and working class in the years after the revolution and civil war. It shows that the working class was politically expropriated by the Bolshevik party, as democratic bodies such as soviets and factory committees were deprived of decision-making power.

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Edited by **Paul B. Rich**

This timely collection of essays by a series of academic specialists examines the crisis stemming from the Russian invasion of Georgia in August 2008 from a range of standpoints. The chapters probe the geopolitical and strategic dimensions of the crisis as well as the longer term military and diplomatic implications for Europe and the central Asian region. The collection will be of major importance to students of Russia and Eastern Europe, military analysts as well as journalists and politicians concerned with what some observers have termed a 'new cold war' between Russia and the West.

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Alex Marshall, King's College London, UK

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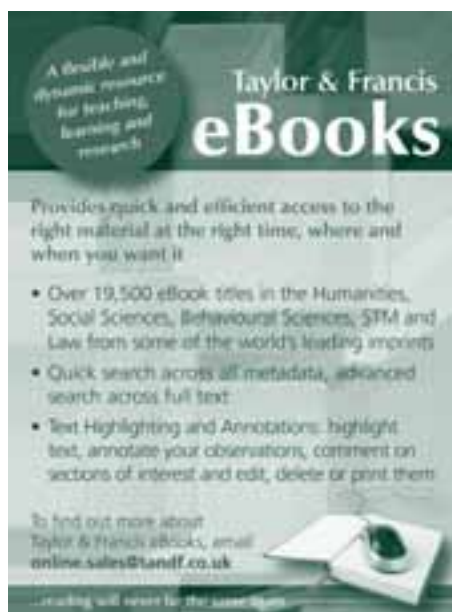
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