

Web Resources

September 11, 2001

Annotated Bibliography of Government Documents Related to the Threat of Terrorism and the Attacks of September 11, 2001

<http://www.odl.state.ok.us/usinfo/terrorism/911.htm>

A compilation by the Oklahoma Department of Libraries of U.S. government documents concerning a broad range of issues surrounding the terrorist attacks of September 11 and the international war on terrorism.

Ground One: Voices from Post-911 Chinatown

<http://911digitalarchive.org/chinatown/>

Twenty-six people from Manhattan's Chinatown, a neighborhood 10 blocks from the World Trade Center, discuss the changes wrought on their community since September 11, 2001. In-depth interviews with these individuals are supplemented by video excerpts from selected interviews. The site is also available in Chinese.

September 11: Bearing Witness to History

<http://americanhistory.si.edu/september11/>

The National Museum of American History's commemorative exhibition offers a selection of objects, images, and personal stories about the aftermath of the attacks in the United States on September 11, 2001.

The September 11, 2001, Documentary Project

http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/collections/911_archive/

Offered by the Library of Congress, this online presentation of almost 200 audio and video interviews, graphic items, and written narratives captures the diverse opinions of Americans and others in the months that followed the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center, the Pentagon, and United Airlines Flight 93. For curriculum ideas see *<http://memory.loc.gov/learn/collections/sept11/>*.

September 11 Digital Archive

<http://911digitalarchive.org/>

A collection of first-hand accounts of the events and the aftermath of 9/11, including interviews, personal stories (also available in Spanish), photographs, e-mail messages, documents (reports, articles, memos), and annotated links to other significant Web sites. Includes extensive audio and video files.

September 11 Web Archive

<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/cocoon/minerva/html/sept11/sept11-about.html>

Preserves the Web expressions of individuals, groups, the press, and institutions in the United States and around the world in the aftermath of 9/11. Of more than 30,000 selected Web sites archived from September 11, 2001, through December 1, 2001, approximately 2,300 are catalogued and available to search or browse.

September 11 and Beyond

<http://www.ii.org/pub/topic/September11>

From the Librarian's Internet Index, a comprehensive directory of resources arranged by subtopics, including resources for children and educators, timelines, maps, articles, and oral histories. A separate list links to newly added material, including a profile of Abu Musab al-Zarqawi and terrorists' use of technology.

September 11 Resources

<http://www.ibiblio.org/slancnews/internet/911/>

A selection of documents on the events of September 11, 2001, and their aftermath and links to other resources.

World Trade Center Attack: The Official Documents

<http://www.columbia.edu/cu/lweb/indiv/usgd/wtc.html>

From Columbia University Libraries, this site is a selective guide to official U.S. government documents related to the terrorist attack on the World Trade Center in New York City on September 11, 2001.

Terrorism

U.S. Department of State Office of Counterterrorism

<http://www.state.gov/s/ct/>

The mission of the Office of the Coordinator for Counterterrorism is to forge partnerships with nonstate actors, multilateral organizations, and foreign governments to advance the counterterrorism objectives and national security of the United States. This Web site contains links to speeches, documents, and official reports.

U.S. Counterterrorism Team

<http://www.state.gov/s/ct/team/index.htm>

This Web site contains links to the various U.S. government agencies that work to ensure integrated and effective counterterrorism efforts.

Country Reports on Terrorism

<http://www.state.gov/s/ct/rls/crt/>

This annual report, previously published as *Patterns of Global Terrorism*, “covers developments in countries in which acts of terrorism occurred, countries that are state sponsors of terrorism, and countries . . . to be of particular interest in the global war on terror.” Read background about these reports at <http://www.state.gov/s/ct/rls/fs/2006/63453.htm>

International Organizations

<http://www.state.gov/s/ct/intl/iol>

A list of links to important partners in the global fight against international terrorism.

International Terrorism Resolutions

<http://www.state.gov/s/ct/intl/c4353.htm>

Anti-terrorism resolutions from the United Nations, Organization of American States, North Atlantic Treaty Organization, European Union, and other international organizations.

America's War Against Terrorism

<http://www.lib.umich.edu/govdocs/usterror.html>

From the University of Michigan's Documents Center, this

site includes information about terrorist attacks worldwide, national security issues, counterterrorism initiatives, and historical background.

National Memorial Institute for the Prevention of Terrorism (MIPT)

<http://www.mipt.org/>

MIPT is a nonpartisan, nonprofit corporation founded in Oklahoma City in response to the 1995 bombing there and dedicated to helping prevent terrorism and mitigate its effects. The Web site includes a listing of training courses offered nationwide on terrorism and emergency preparedness, a bibliography on terrorism-related topics, and a place for first responders—police officers, firefighters, and medical personnel—to share information.

The National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Upon the United States

<http://www.9-11commission.gov/>

Also known as the 9/11 Commission, this independent, bipartisan commission issued its final report about the circumstances surrounding the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks on July 22, 2004. The report, available in PDF and HTML, either in part or in its entirety (7.4mb), and related commission materials are available for downloading.

National Counterterrorism Center (NCTC)

<http://www.nctc.gov>

Established by statute in December 2004, NCTC serves as the primary organization within the U.S. government for integrating and analyzing all intelligence pertaining to terrorism and counterterrorism. The NCTC maintains a searchable terrorism incident database and related reports.

Understanding Terror Networks

<http://www.fpri.org/enotes/20041101.middleeast.sageman.understandingterrornetworks.html>

An essay by Marc Sageman published on the Web site of the Foreign Policy Research Institute on November 1, 2004. Sageman has written a book with the same title, published in 2004 by the University of Pennsylvania Press; information about the book is available at <http://www.upenn.edu/pennpress/book/14036.html>.

Terrorism Knowledge Base

<http://www.tkb.org>

Developed by the National Memorial Institute for the Prevention of Terrorism (MIPT), this database is a “resource for comprehensive research and analysis on global terrorist incidents, terrorism-related court cases, and terrorist groups and leaders.”

Moving Forward

Build the Memorial

<http://buildthememorial.org>

Background information, personal stories, photos, audio, and video about the proposed World Trade Center Memorial, Reflecting Absence, and the Memorial Museum scheduled to open in September 2009.

Lower Manhattan Development Corporation (LMDC)

<http://renewnyc.com>

Created in the aftermath of September 11, the LMDC is charged with coordinating the rebuilding and revitalization of Lower Manhattan, including the development of the World Trade Center Memorial, the Memorial Museum, and Freedom Tower.

Pentagon Memorial Fund

<http://www.pentagonmemorial.net/home.aspx>

In remembrance of those who lost their lives at the Pentagon and aboard Flight 77 on September 11, 2001, this Web site provides news and video about the Pentagon Memorial, scheduled to be completed in September 2008.

Pluralism Project

<http://www.pluralism.org/>

The Pluralism Project: World Religions in America is a decade-long research project, “to engage students in studying the new religious diversity in the United States,” with particular emphasis on “the communities and religious traditions of Asia and the Middle East.” Materials on the site include scholarly articles and research reports, publications, and a searchable database of religious diversity news.

See You in the U.S.A.

eJournal USA: An Electronic Journal of the U.S. Department of State, September 2005

<http://usinfo.state.gov/journals/itps/0905/ijpe/ijpe0905.htm>

Published by the Bureau of International Information Programs of the Department of State, this issue of the electronic journal series, *eJournalUSA*, focuses on traveling to the United States.

Sonic Memorial Project

<http://sonicmemorial.org/public/stories.html>

Hundreds of voicemail messages, oral histories, home movies, and tourist videos about the World Trade Center before and after 9/11.

Understanding America after 9/11

<http://understandingamerica.publicradio.org/>

Stories and programs from a week of special coverage that aired on public radio stations across the United States one year after September 11, 2001.

U.S. Department of State Bureau of Consular Affairs

http://travel.state.gov/visa/temp/temp_1305.html

This State Department site offers information to temporary visitors to the United States, including details about visas.

Voice of America News: Visiting the USA

<http://www.voanews.com/english/travelusa.cfm/>

VOA's thorough travel planner takes the tourist step-by-step through the process of visiting the United States, beginning with planning a visit, what to expect on arrival, and information on parks, recreation, and scenic routes. A drop-down menu or clickable map of the 50 states links to the official visitors center of each state.

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