



## U.S. Foreign Policy



**What is a Foreign Policy?**

- How one country interacts with another country or group
- Interventionist v. Noninterventionist


**Goals of U.S. Foreign Policy:**

- "To create a more secure, democratic, and prosperous world for the benefit of the American people and the international community." - U.S. State Department




USS Chesapeake


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Map indicating states and territories with which the U.S. has no official diplomatic relations.




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**Four Schools of U.S. Policy:**

- Hamiltonian
- Wilsonian
- Jeffersonian
- Jacksonian



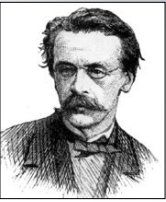
Woodrow Wilson

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**Historical Evolution:**

- Olive Branch Policy (post-Revolution)
  - Isolationist
- Monroe Doctrine (1823)
  - A policy of keeping European powers out of the Americas
- Manifest Destiny (1845)
  - Belief that the U.S. was destined to expand from the Atlantic to the Pacific
  - Mexican-American War (1846)



John L. O'Sullivan

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**"American Progress" (1872)**



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### U.S. Territorial Expansion (1783 – 1853):



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### American Enters the World Stage:

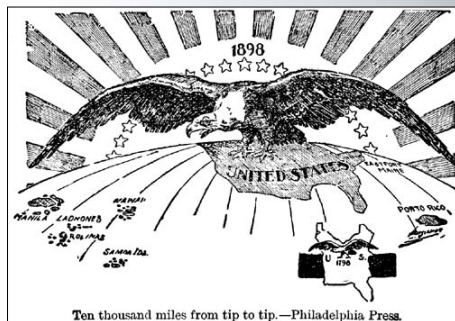
- Gunboat Diplomacy
  - Alfred Thayer Mahan
- The Spanish-American War (1898)
  - Grabbing an Empire
    - Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Guam, Philippines, and Hawaii
- Roosevelt Corollary to the Monroe Doctrine (1904)
  - Interventions in Latin America



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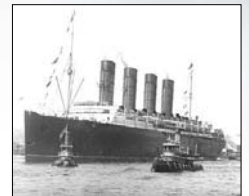
### “Ten Thousand Miles From Tip to Tip”:



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### World War I and the Interwar Period:

- World War I (1914-1918)
  - American neutrality
  - Wilson's Fourteen Points
    - Self-Determination
    - League of Nations
    - Collective security
- Interwar Period and Isolation
  - Kellogg-Briand Pact (1928)



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### World War II and the Cold War:

- World War II (1939-45)
  - Atlantic Charter
  - Lend Lease
- The Cold War (1945-1991)
  - Containment (1947)
    - George Kennan's "X" Article
  - Truman Doctrine (1947)
  - European Recovery Plan (1949)
  - Cuban Missile Crisis (1962)
    - Brinkmanship and Détente



George Kennan

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### Europe during the Cold War:



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### **The New World Order:**

- First Gulf War
- Humanitarian Interventions
  - Somalia
  - Bosnia and Kosovo
- War on Terror
  - Al-Qaeda attacks
  - Invasions of Iraq and Afghanistan
- Democratic Peace Theory



George H.W. Bush