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This groundbreaking book examines the overlooked topic of the influence of anti-Bolshevik, anti-Semitic Russian exiles on Nazism. White émigrés contributed politically, financially, militarily, and ideologically to National Socialism. This work refutes the notion that Nazism developed as a peculiarly German phenomenon. National Socialism arose primarily from the cooperation between *völkisch* (nationalist/racist) Germans and vengeful White émigrés.

From 1920 to 1923, Adolf Hitler collaborated with a conspiratorial far right German-White émigré organization, Aufbau (Reconstruction). Aufbau allied with Nazis to overthrow the German government and Bolshevik rule through terrorism and military/paramilitary schemes. This organization's warnings of the monstrous "Jewish Bolshevik" peril helped to inspire Hitler to launch an invasion of the Soviet Union and to initiate the mass murder of European Jews. This book uses extensive archival materials from Germany and Russia, including recently declassified documents, and it will prove invaluable reading for anyone interested in the international roots of National Socialism.

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ARCHIVES

BAB	Bundesarchiv (Federal Archives in Berlin).
BAK	Bundesarchiv Koblenz (Federal Archives in Koblenz).
BA/MF	Bundesarchiv, Militärarchiv Freiburg (Federal Archives, Military Archives in Freiburg).
BHSAM	Bayerisches Hauptstaatsarchiv München (Bavarian State Archives in Munich).
BHSAM/AK	Bayerisches Hauptstaatsarchiv München, Abteilung Kriegsarchiv (Bavarian State Archives in Munich, Military Archives Department).
BSAM	Bayerisches Staatsarchiv München (Bavarian Regional Archives in Munich).
GARF	Gosudarstvennyi arkhiv Rossiiskoi Federatsii (State Archives of the Russian Federation, Moscow).
GSAPKB	Geheimes Staatsarchiv Preussischer Kulturbesitz (Secret State Archives of Prussian Cultural Property, Berlin).
IZG	Institut für Zeitgeschichte (Institute for Modern History, Munich).
PAAA	Politisches Archiv des Auswärtigen Amtes (Political Archives of the Foreign Office, Berlin).
RGASPI	Rossiiskii gosudarstvennyi arkhiv sotsialno-politicheskoi istorii (Russian State Archives of Socio-Political History, Moscow).
RGVA	Rossiiskii gosudarstvennyi voennyi arkhiv (Russian State Military Archives, Moscow).

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RGVA (TsKhIDK) Former Tsentr khraneniia istoriko-dokumental'nykh kolleksi (Center for the Preservation of Historical-Documentary Collections, now part of RGVA, Moscow).

GERMAN AGENCIES

AA Auswärtiges Amt (Foreign Office).
 AGM Amtsgericht München (Munich District Court).
 A9N Amt für den 9. November (Office for November 9th).
 APA Aussenpolitisches Amt (Foreign Policy Office, specifically for the National Socialist Party).
 APA/AO Aussenpolitisches Amt, Abteilung Osten (Foreign Policy Office, Eastern Department).
 BSMÄ Bayerisches Staatsministerium des Äussern (Bavarian Foreign Ministry).
 BSMI Bayerisches Staatsministerium des Innern (Bavarian Interior Ministry).
 DDVL Deutsche Diplomatische Vertretung für Lettland (German Diplomatic Representation for Latvia).
 DGBel Deutsche Gesandtschaft in Belgrad (German Legation in Belgrade).
 DGBer Deutsche Gesandtschaft in Bern (German Legation in Bern).
 DGBud Deutsche Gesandtschaft in Budapest (German Legation in Budapest).
 DGR Deutsche Gesandtschaft in Riga (German Legation in Riga).
 FA/AFK Fremdenamt, Abteilung für Fremdenkontrolle (Alien Office, Department for Alien Supervision).
 FZO Flüchtlingszentrale Ost (Refugee Head Office East).
 HGE/Ia Heeresgruppe Eichhorn, Ia (Army Group Eichhorn, Ia).
 HSKPA Hauptstelle Kulturpolitisches Archiv (Main Office of the Politico-Cultural Archives).
 JM Justizministerium (Department of Justice).
 KR Kanzlei Rosenberg (Rosenberg Chancellery).
 LGMI Landgericht München I (Munich District Court I).

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LGPO	Landesgrenzpolizei Ost (National Border Police East).
LGPOP	Landesgrenzpolizei Ostpreussen (National Border Police East Prussia).
MR	Ministerialrat ([Bavarian] Assistant Head of Government Department).
NSDAPHA	NSDAP Hauptarchiv (NSDAP Main Archives).
OHLHGE	Oberste Heeresleitung Heeresgruppe Eichhorn (Army High Command Army Group Eichhorn).
OKO	Oberkommando Ost (Army High Command East).
PBH/AII	Polizeibehörde Hamburg, Abteilung II (Hamburg Police Authorities, Department II).
PDB	Polizeidirektion Bremen (Bremen Police Headquarters).
PDM	Polizeidirektion München (Munich Police Headquarters).
PKAH	Privatkanzlei Adolf Hitler (Adolf Hitler Private Office).
PP/AIA	Polizeipräsidium, Abteilung IA (Police Headquarters, Department IA).
PPS	Polizeipräsidium Stuttgart (Stuttgart Police Headquarters).
PVE	Polizeiverwaltung Elberfeld (Elberfeld Police Administration).
RA/ZSS	Reichsarchiv, Zweigstelle Spandau (State Archives, Spandau Branch).
RK	Reichskanzlei (State Chancellery).
RKÜöO	Reichskommissar für die Überwachung der öffentlichen Ordnung (State Commissioner for the Supervision of Public Order).
RMbO	Reichsministerium für die besetzten Ostgebiete (State Ministry for the Occupied Eastern Territories).
RMI	Reichsministerium des Innern (State Ministry of the Interior).
RP	Regierungs-Präsident ([Bavarian] Chairman of the Regional Council).
RSHA	Reichssicherheitshauptamt (State Security Main Office).

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RWM	Reichswehrministerium (Army Ministry).
SALM	Staatsanwalt bei dem Landgerichte München (Prosecuting Attorney at the Munich District Court).
SAM	Staatsanwaltschaften München (Munich Prosecuting Attorneys' Office).
SAUV	Sitzung des Ausschusses zur Untersuchung der Vorgänge vom 1. Mai 1923 und der gegen Reichs- und Landesverfassung gerichteten Bestrebungen vom 26. September bis 9. November 1923 (Sitting of the Committee for the Investigation of the Events of May 1, 1923 and of the Efforts from September 26 up to November 9, 1923 that Were Directed Against the National/State Constitution).
SKöO	Staatskommissar für öffentliche Ordnung (State Commissioner for Public Order).

FRENCH AGENCIES

DB	Deuxième Bureau (Second Section, primary intelligence agency).
ÉMG	État-Major Général (General Staff Headquarters).
ÉMMF	État-Major du Maréchal Foch (Staff Headquarters of Marshall Foch).
IIA	International Information Agency, Paris.
MAÉ	Ministère des Affaires Étrangères (Ministry of Foreign Affairs).
MG	Ministère de la Guerre (Ministry of War).
MMFH	Mission Militaire Française en Hongrie (French Military Mission in Hungary).
MMFP	Mission Militaire Française en Pologne (French Military Mission in Poland).
MMFT	Mission Militaire Française en Tchécoslovaquie (French Military Mission in Czechoslovakia).
QB/SO	Quatrième Bureau, Section d'Orient (Fourth Section, Eastern Department).

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SG	Sûreté Générale (General Security).
SN	Sûreté Nationale (National Security).
VNCCP	Ville de Nancy Commissariat Central de Police (Nancy Central Police Station).

RUSSIAN AGENCIES

ATsVO	Administrativnyi Tsentr vnepartinnogo obedineniia (Administrative Center of the Non-Party Association, a Russian émigré organization in Prague).
KI	Komintern (Communist International, Comintern).
OKL	O. K. London (military organization).
ROVS	Russkii Obshchii-voinskii soiuz (Russian Universal Military Union).

POLISH AGENCY

SGOD	Sztab Główny Oddział drugi (Main Headquarters Second Section, primary intelligence agency).
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