



THE FCoE COMMANDER'S

BOOKSHELF

I view these pillars in leadership development efforts. The titles provided will provoke critical thinking about Professional Soldiering and the unique role of the land power; analysis and reflection on the past and the future; and a deep understanding of the Army and the future of the profession of arms in the 21st Century.

I CHARGE YOU TO READ OFTEN, BROADLY AND THOUGHTFULLY!

MG SHOFFNER

THE ARMY PROFESSIONAL: Your character, competence and commitment to your brothers and sisters in arms and to the Greatest Army in the world are the attributes of the Army Professional.

PARTNERS IN COMMAND

MARK PERRY

MONEYBALL:
THE ART OF WINNING AN UNFAIR GAME

MICHAEL LEWIS

LEADERS EAT LAST

SIMON SINEK

THIS KIND OF WAR:
THE CLASSIC KOREAN WAR HISTORY

T.R. FEHRENBACH

MILESTONES

SAYYID QUTH

THE EMPIRE OF THE
SUMMER MOON

S.C. GWYNE

THE STARFISH AND THE SPIDER:
THE UNSTOPPABLE POWER OF
LEADERLESS ORGANIZATIONS

OFI BRAFMAN & ROD BECKSTORM

ONCE AN EAGLE

ANTON MYRER

THINKING LIKE A LEADER: I picked these books to get you thinking as an innovative, out-of-the-box leader. Making you more of an adaptive and flexible leader in this ever-changing environment.

START WITH WHY:
HOW GREAT LEADERS INSPIRE
EVERYONE TO TAKE ACTION

WILLIAM H. MCNEILL

RADICAL INCLUSION
GEN(R) MARTIN DEMPSEY

LEADERSHIP SECRETS OF
COLIN POWELL

OREN HARAI

ADAPT: WHY SUCCESS
ALWAYS STARTS WITH FAILURE

TIM HARFORD

NO BETTER FRIEND,
NO WORSE ENEMY:
THE LIFE OF GENERAL MATTIS

WILLIAM H. MCNEILL

THINKING, FAST & SLOW

DANIEL KAHNEMAN

WINNING
JACK WELCH

THE CAROLINA WAY
DEAN SMITH

LEADING UP: HOW TO LEAD YOUR
BOSS SO YOU BOTH WIN

MICHAEL USEEM



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THE MILITARY ART: This is the theory and practice of preparing and conducting military actions on land, at sea and within the global aerospace. It is also theorized that its primary function was to attain victory of one's adversary with the least expenditure of forces, resources and time.

THE ART OF WAR
SUN TZU

BEFORE THE FIRST SHOTS ARE FIRED:HOW
AMERICA CAN WIN OR LOSE OFF THE
BATTLEFIELD
TONY ZINNI & TONY KOLTZ

THE PURSUIT OF POWER:
TECHNOLOGY,
ARMED FORCES AND
SOCIETY SINCE A.D. 1000
WILLIAM H. MCNEILL

A MESSAGE TO GARCIA
ELBERT HUBBARD

HOW I CARRIED
THE MESSAGE TO GARCIA
COL ANDREW SUMMERS ROWAN

THE ART OF WAR
BARON DE JOMINI

ON WAR
CARL VON CLAUSEWITZ

THE EVOLUTION OF WAR: War is a violent, yet experimental environment. Read how Soldiers of the past and present fit into this concept and adapted along the way.

STRATEGIC VISION: AMERICA AND THE CRISIS
OF GLOBAL POWER
ZBIGIEW BRZEZINSKI

THE FUTURE OF LAND WARFARE
MICHAEL E. O'HANLON

JUST WAR RECONSIDERED:
STRATEGY, ETHICS & THEORY
SAYYID QUTH

THE UNFORGIVING MINUTE
GRAIG MULLANEY

AN EMPIRE WILDERNESS:
TRAVELS INTO AMERICA'S FUTURE
ROBERT D. KAPLAN

OUT OF THE MOUNTAINS:
THE COMING OF AGE OF URBAN GUERILLA
DAVID KILCULLEN

GUNS, GERMS & STEEL:
THE FATES OF HUMAN SOCIETIES
JARED DIAMOND

THE LESSONS OF TRAGEDY
HALL BRANDS & CHARLES EDEL

GHOST FLEET:
A NOVEL OF THE NEXT WORLD WAR
P.W. SINGER & AUGUST COLE

KAIGUN: STRATEGY, TACTICS &
TECHNOLOGY IN THE IMPERIAL JAPANESE NAVY, 1887-1941
DAVID C. EVANS & MARK R. PEATTIE