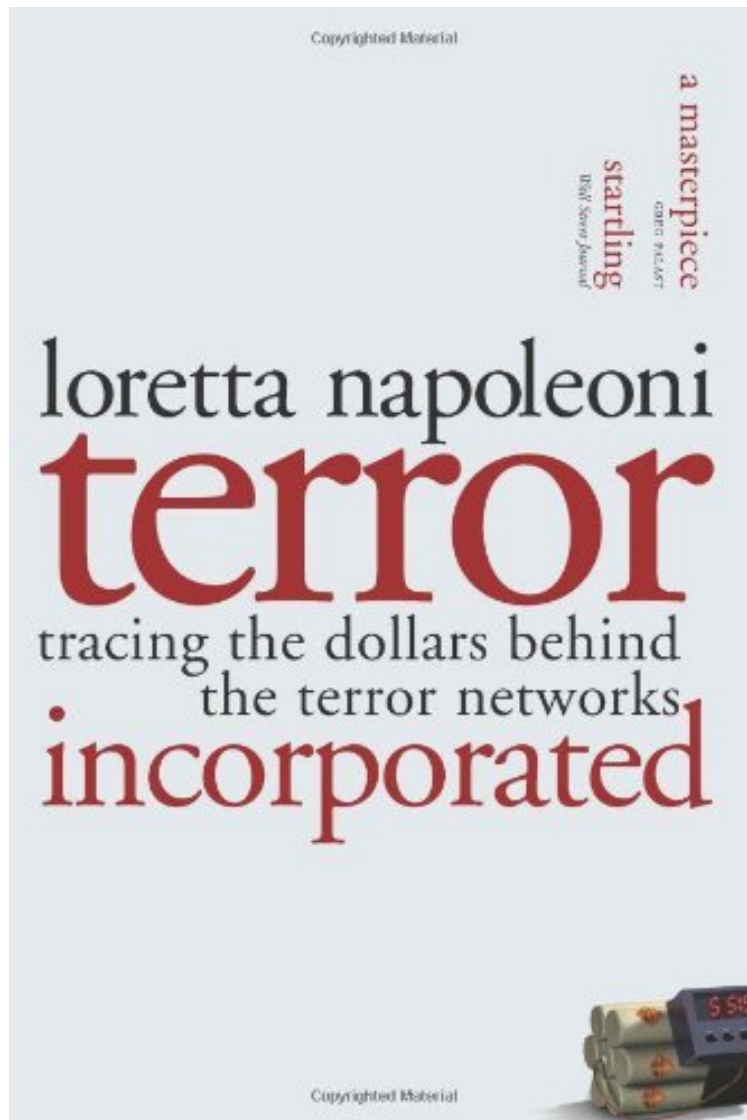


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Published two years ago as *Modern Jihad* in a British edition from Pluto Press, this first full U.S. release adds a chapter on globalization and a new preface to what is perhaps the most systematic treatment in print of how terror is financed. Journalist Napoleoni has a doctorate from the London School of Economics, and she traces 50 years of Western economic and political dominance in developing Muslim countries: backing repressive, corrupt regimes, fighting the Cold War by proxy and blocking the legitimate economic ascendancy of millions of people. In sometimes riveting, sometimes pedantic prose, Napoleoni weaves interviews and first-person accounts of her encounters with terrorists with a fascinating close analysis of the connections among drug cartels, gunrunners and major Western economies in the network of financing for terror organizations: "billions of dollars generated by narcotics are laundered in the United States; between 30 and 40 percent enter the US economy, while the rest is pumped into the international illegal economy"mdash;to the tune of \$1.5 trillion a year. Avoiding the sometimes inflammatory political and religious rhetoric that characterizes many of the debates about terrorism, Napoleoni offers a sobering look at its economic roots. Agents, Roberta Oliva and Daniela Ogliari. (Apr. 20) Copyright copy; Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. "Penetrating, lucid and essential."mdash;Harry Porter, author of *Empire State*"Napoleoni has accomplished an extraordinary task of research in tracking, finding, and graphically describing the financiers and the institutions supporting global terrorism, including al Qaeda and Osama bin Laden."mdash;John K. Cooley, author of *Unholy Wars*"This thoughtful and incisive inquiry yields much insight into some of the most important issues of today, and tomorrow."mdash;Noam Chomsky"A masterpiece hellip; This book should be required reading for everyone in the White House, State Department, and Pentagon."mdash;Greg Palast, author of the New York Times bestseller *The Best Democracy Money Can Buy* and *The Jokers Wild: Dubyas Trick Deck* playing cardsAbout the AuthorA woman of the Left who garners praise from Noam Chomsky and Greg Palast at the same time as she is quoted respectfully in *Forbes* and the *Wall Street Journal*, LORETTA NAPOLEONI was born in 1955 in Rome. In the mid 1970s she became an active member of the feminist movement in Italy, and later studied as a Fulbright Scholar at Johns Hopkins University's Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies in Washington, D.C. She began her career as an economist, and went on to work as London correspondent and columnist for *La Stampa*, *La Repubblica* and *La Paicirc;s*. Napoleoni is the author of the international bestsellers *Rogue Economics: Capitalism's New Reality* and *Terror Incorporated: Tracing the Money Behind Global Terrorism*. She has served as the Chairman of the countering terrorism financing group for the Club de Madrid, and lectures regularly around the world on economics, money laundering and terrorism. Napoleoni lives in London and Montana. nbsp;