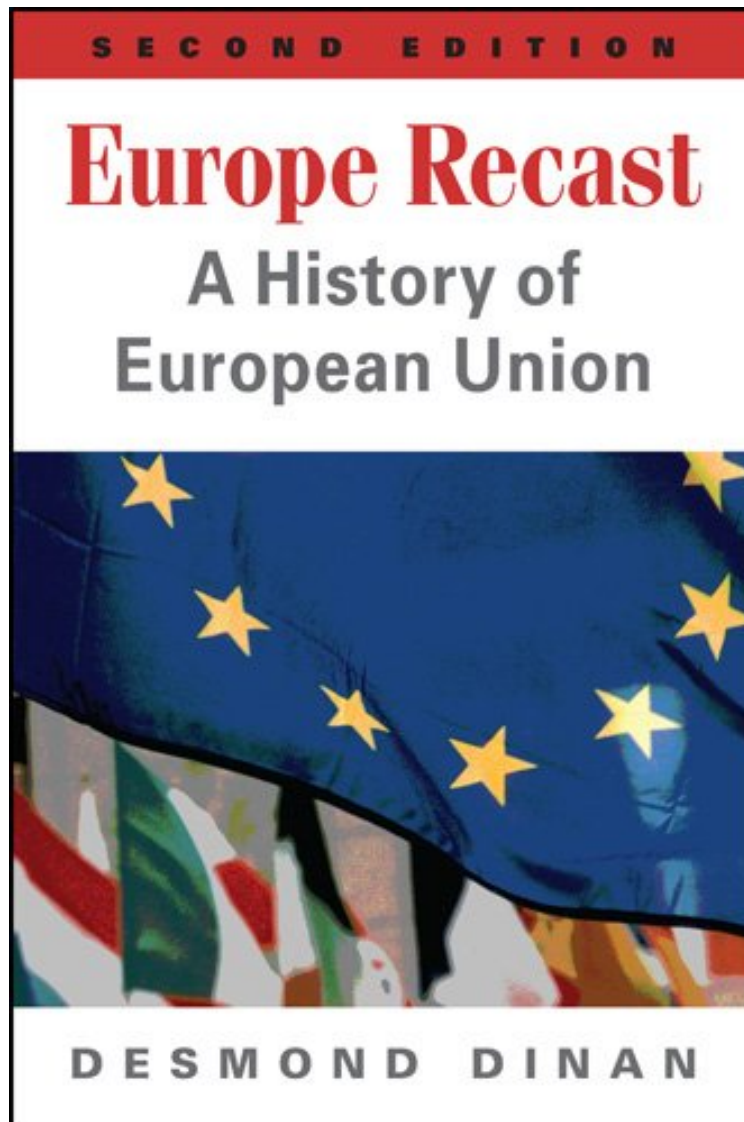


Europe Recast: A History of European Union

Desmond Dinan

*audiobook / *ebooks / Download PDF / ePub / DOC*



DOWNLOAD



READ ONLINE

#1194229 in Books 2014-07-18Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 8.75 x 6.00 x 1.00l, #File Name: 1626370710411 pages | File size: 15.Mb

Desmond Dinan : Europe Recast: A History of European Union before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Europe Recast: A History of European Union:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Good readBy Karl KrotkeA thorough exploration of the founding of the European Union.1 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Horrible waste of moneyBy N. BrockI bought this, as a teacher, to enlighten myself. The book is boring, complex, redundant and a waste of money. Others on the topic are much better. There is no attempt to engage the reader at all and the information is presented in a choppy way

with no order. 7 of 7 people found the following review helpful. A straightforward, scholarly history By Midwest Book Review Europe Recast: A History Of European Union is the true saga of people's attempts to bring together the will of Europe as a whole, from the first struggling attempts at economic integration to the formation of the European Union. The writing style is scholarly without being overly pedantic, and detailed without losing its central themes in a morass of trivia. A straightforward, scholarly history, examining events, motives, philosophies, and results, Europe Recast is highly recommended for students, scholars, researchers, and government policy makers.

Thoroughly revised to reflect a decade of recent history?and incorporating newly available archival material and the latest scholarship?Europe Recast tells the story of European integration from its modern origins in the 1940s to the challenges of today. The book is an essential guide to unraveling the complexity of the EU system in the context of modern European history.

A superb, eminently readable history of the European Union.... The book is a gem.... a good read for those of us who know the story, and an even better one for students who do not. (Steven B. Wolinetz, International) Highly recommended. (Library Bookwatch) A fascinating account that is not dull and dry, but rather full of idealism, bureaucratic intrigue, personalities and political entrepreneurs, ideological struggles, and fluctuating international complexities and environments. Dinan masterfully brings these all together to provide an excellent treatment of the European Community's and later the European Union's institutional and policy development. (Peter H. Loedel, EUSA) This is a very good book.... Dinan's comprehensive and readable history of European integration draws on a rich array of sources, including his own extensive EU experience. Students and scholars alike will find a new insight on every page. (Brent Nelsen, Furman University) This lively book is the best general text on the formation of the EU that I have seen. Students will gain an understanding of both the institutional formation of the Union and the developments in European politics, society, and history that are at its foundation. (Jennifer Jenkins, Washington University in St. Louis) s of the first edition: 'A fascinating account that is not dull and dry, but rather full of idealism, bureaucratic intrigue, personalities and political entrepreneurs, ideological struggles, and fluctuating international complexities and environments. Dinan masterfully brings these all together to provide an excellent treatment of the European Community's and later the European Union's institutional and policy development.' - Peter H. Loedel, EUSA 'Useful as a set text for any chronologically structured course.' - Michelle Cini, Times Higher Education Supplement 'The book is a gem...a good read for those of us who know the story, and an even better one for students who do not.' - Steven B. Wolinetz, International Journal 'Dinan's comprehensive and readable history of European integration draws on a rich array of sources, including his own extensive EU experience. Students and scholars alike will find a new insight on every page!' - Brent Nelsen, Furman University About the Author Desmond Dinan is professor of public policy at George Mason University. His numerous publications include Ever Closer Union: An Introduction to European Integration, and he is editor of Encyclopedia of the European Union.