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# The International Politics of Fashion

Being fab in a dangerous world

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This book seeks to address and fill a puzzling omission in contemporary critical IR scholarship. Yet tales about the political function of fashion abound in the news media. In comparison, the proponents of the aesthetic turn have overlooked style as a source of knowledge about global politics. Pursuing on from the aesthetic turn in IR, critical and 'postmodern' IR offers produced an impressive array of studies into films, literature, music and artwork and just how these media produce, mediate, and represent worldwide politics. Margaret Thatcher utilized outfit to define her political picture, and recently the desire for Michelle Obama, Carla Bruni and other women in similar positions, and the discussions about the appropriateness of their wardrobes, regularly makes the news headlines. In response, the contributors to the publication investigate the politics of style from a variety of perspectives, addressing theoretical and also empirical problems, establishing the critical research of fashion and its protagonists as a central contribution to the aesthetic submit international politics. In Sudan, a female writer and activist effectively challenged the federal government over her right to wear trousers in public areas and in Europe, the debate on females's headscarves offers politicised a garment item and turned it right into a symbol of fundamentalism and oppression. The politics of style go beyond these examples of the uses and abuses of textiles and materials for political reasons, extending into its very 'grammar' and vocabulary. This book is a unique contribution to the field and you will be of interest to learners and scholars of worldwide relations, vital IR theory and popular culture and globe politics.



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