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COERCION, CAPITAL, AND EUROPEAN STATES, AD 990-1992



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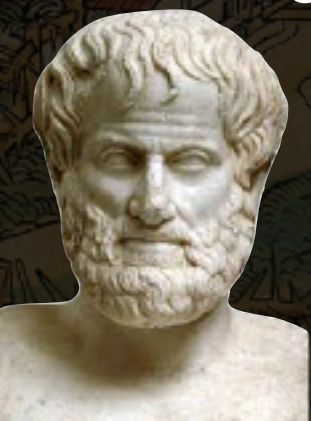
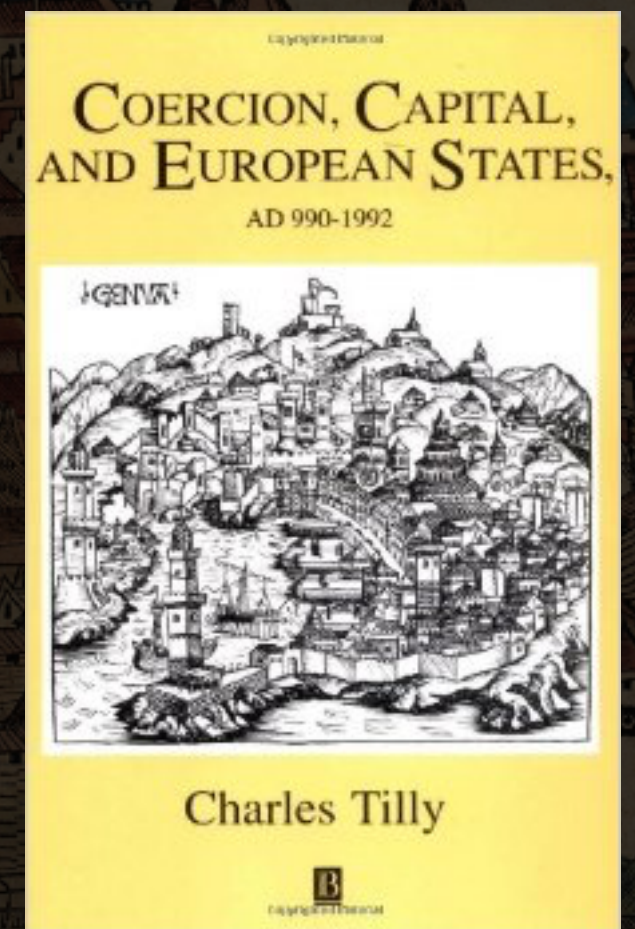


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Why Is the Nation-State Everywhere?

- Tilly's central paradox: "Wars made states, and states make war."
- "[T]he pursuit of war and military capacity, (after having created national states as a sort of by-product) led to a *civilianization* of government and domestic politics."
- Ultimately, Tilly insists that war and preparation for war has produced the major characteristics of the European state over the centuries.



WHY THE NATION-STATE? CAPITALISM

