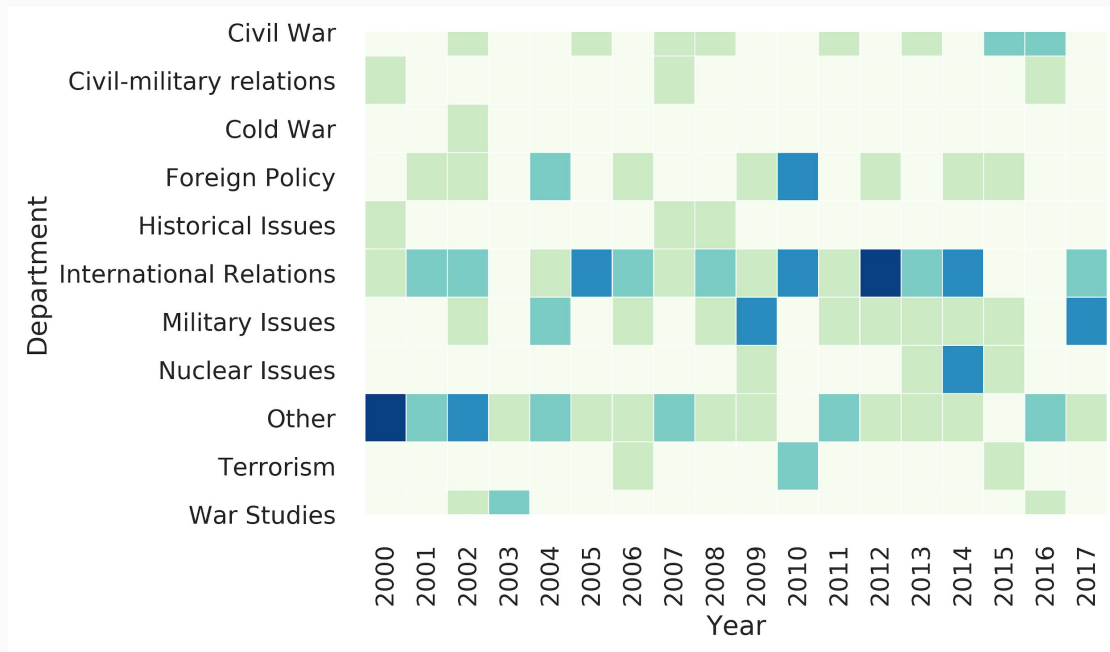


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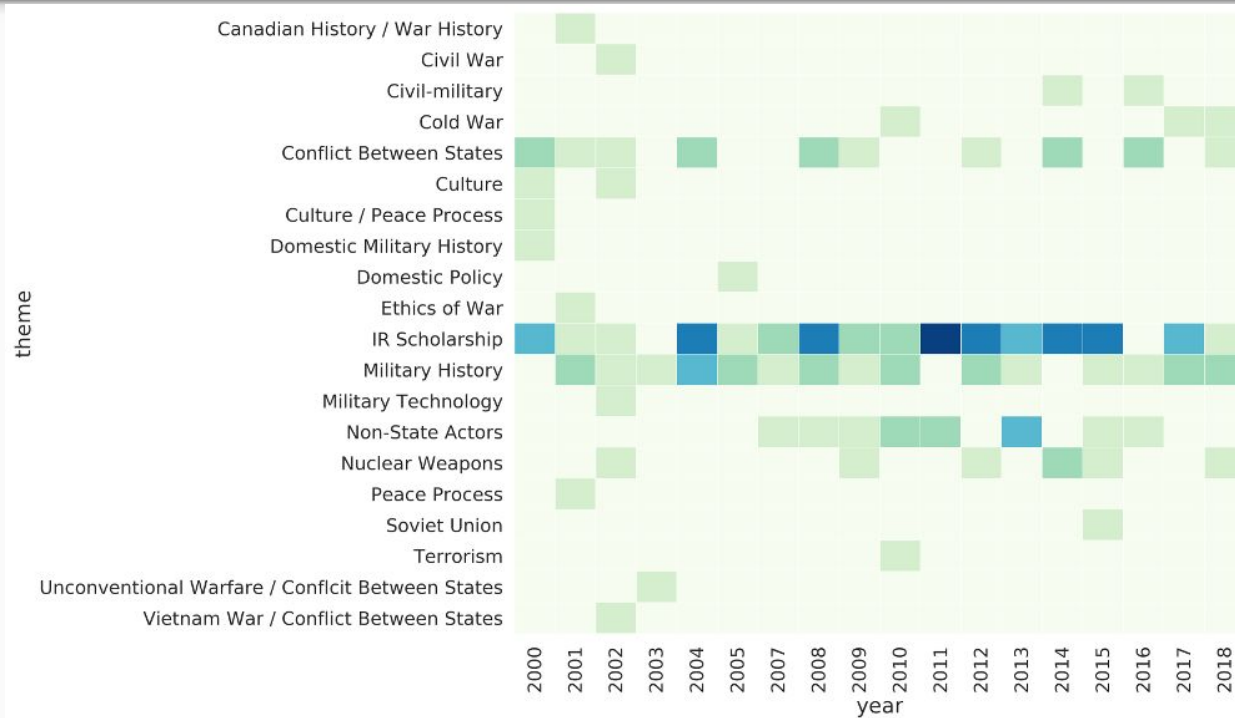
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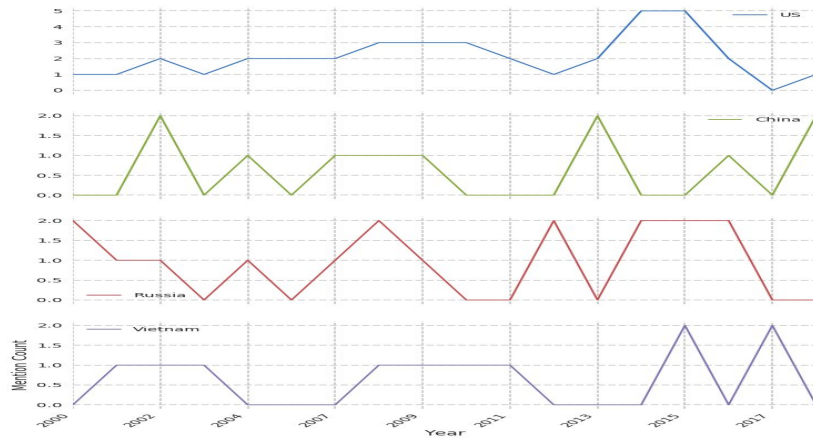
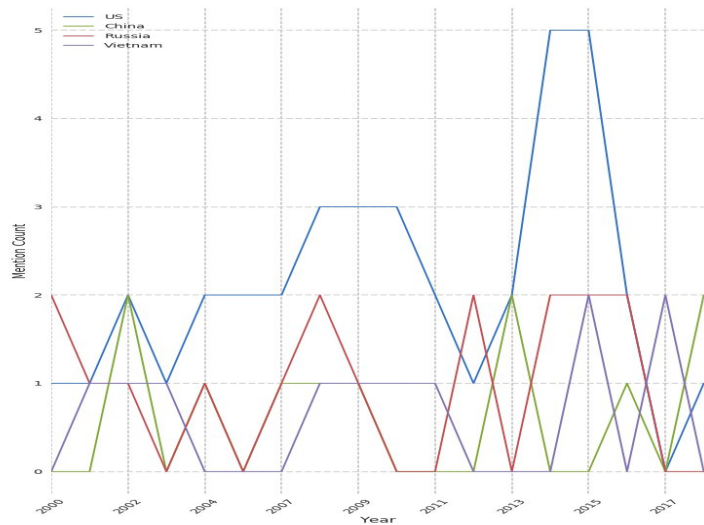
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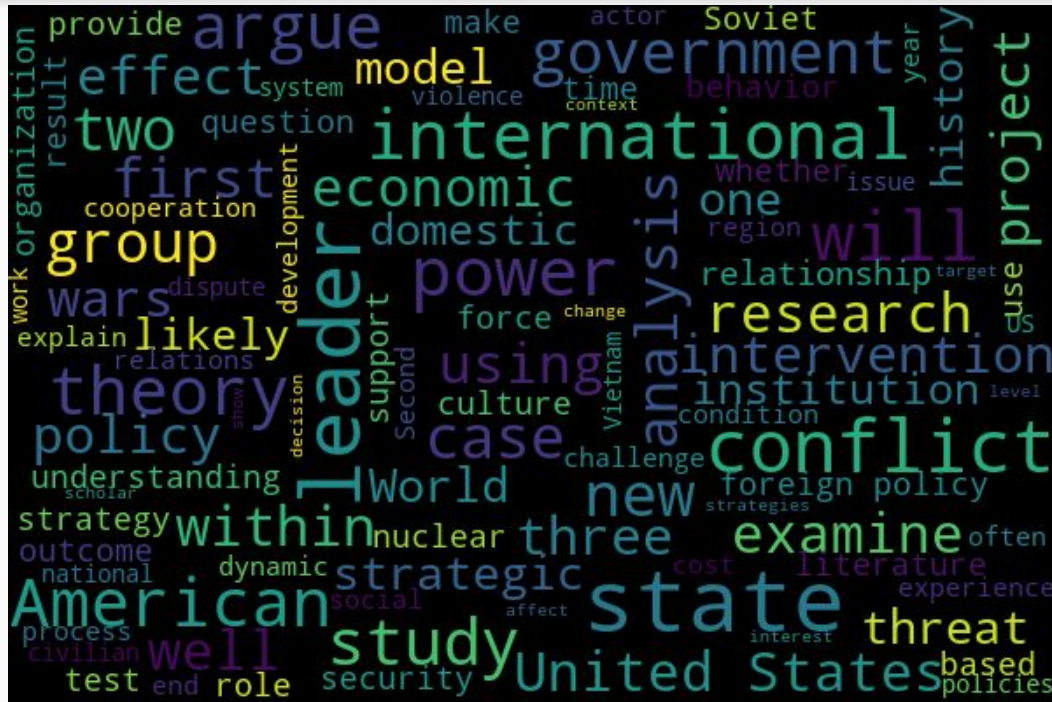
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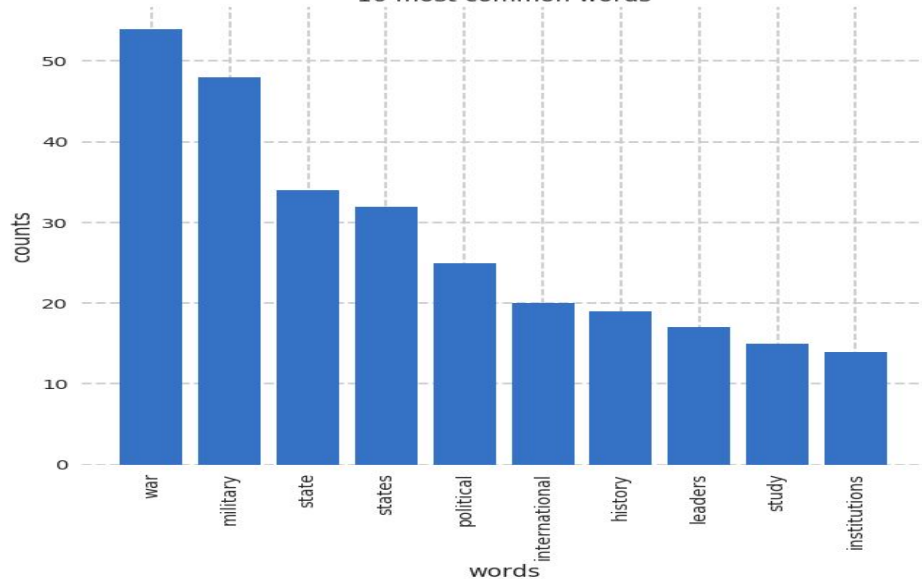


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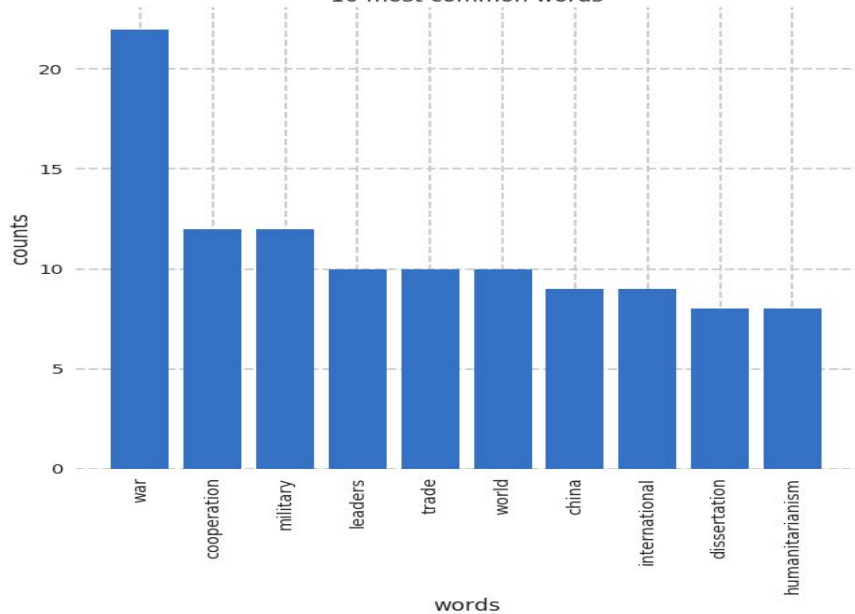


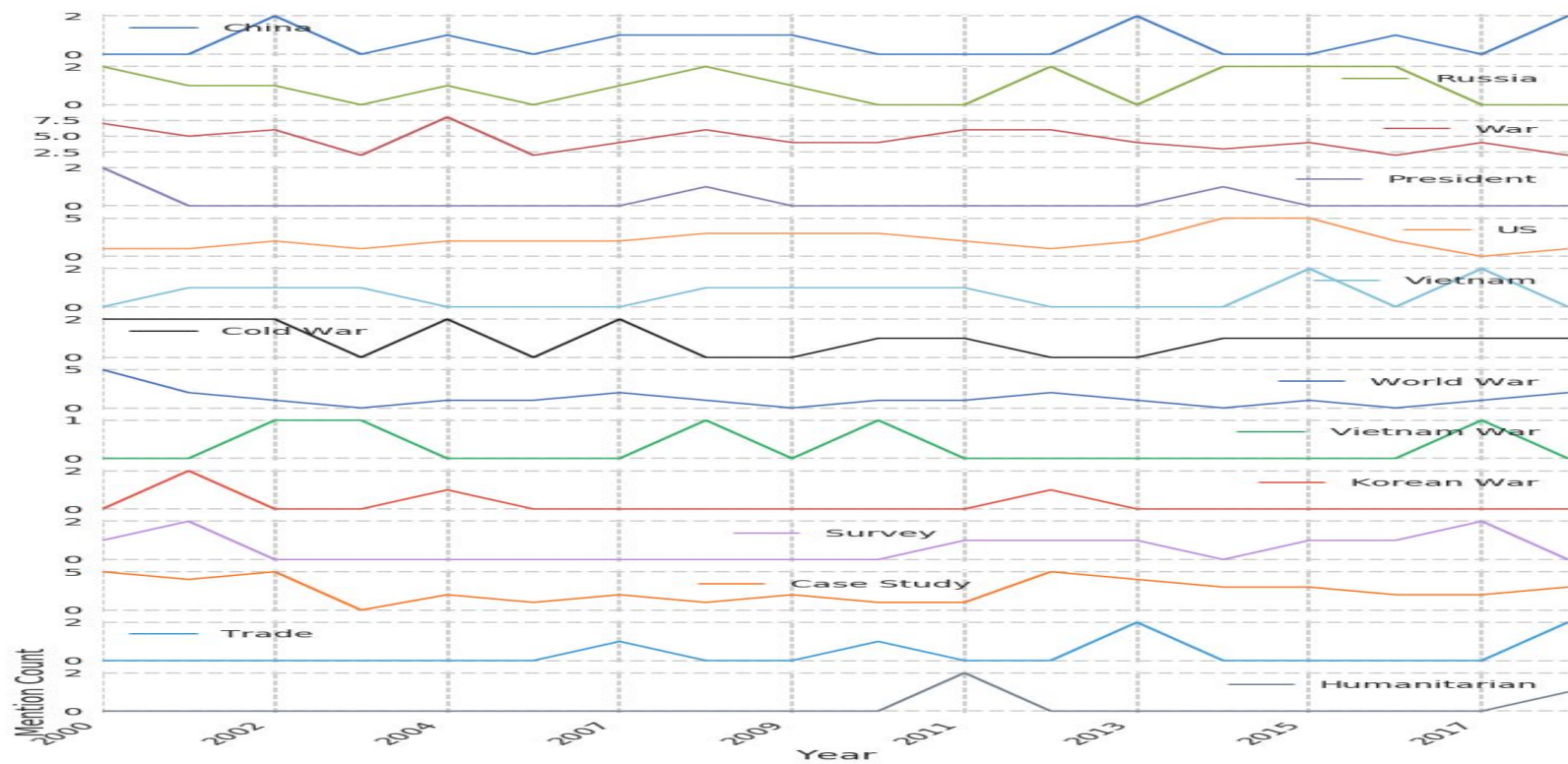
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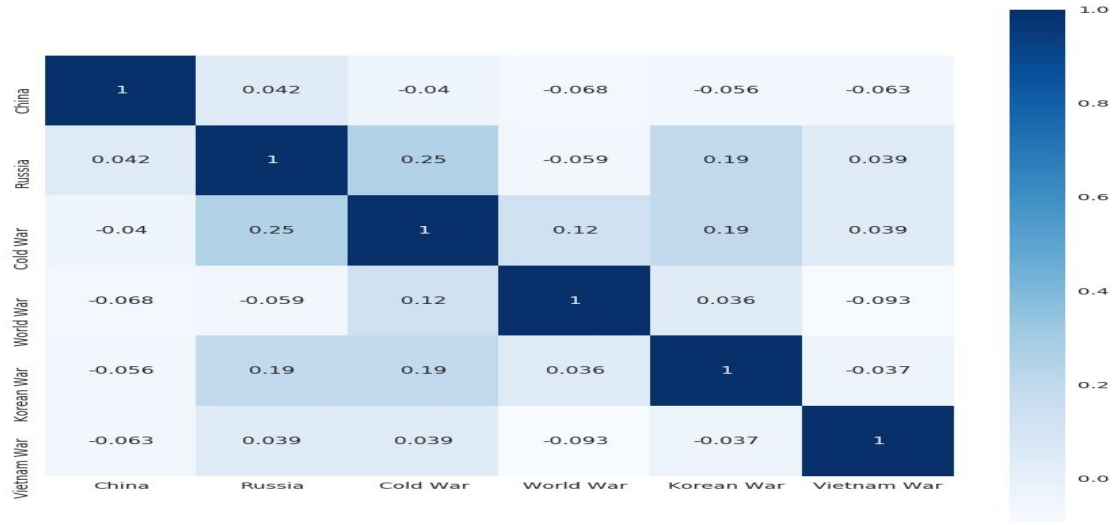


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Correlation Matrix



latent Dirichlet allocation (LDA) Topic Model

- The use of military force, and the cessation of that use
- The Cold War and the struggle between Democracy and Communism
- State-to-State Relations/Sovereignty and its limits
- The US and Security Peace and Conflict
- Nuclear Weapons and International Security

Three takeaways:

1. A growth of some topics and a decline in others.
2. An evolution in themes of interest over time.
3. LDA helps us understand the topics that are most important among new faces scholars and in the field in general.