

AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY



Diplomacy

State
Department



Military

Defense
Department



*Develop
options*

National
Security Council

- Vice President
- Secretary of State
- Secretary of Defense
- Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff
- CIA Director
- National Security Advisor

INFLUENTIAL WORLDVIEWS

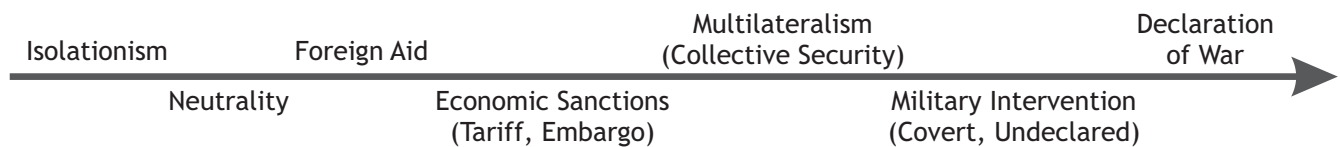
1. Isolationism
→ World War I
2. Containment (anti-appeasement)
→ Korean War
3. Disengagement
→ Vietnam, SALT treaties
4. Human Rights
→ Serbia, Somalia
- ??5. Preemption
→ 9-11, Iraq, Unilateralism

CONGRESSIONAL CHECKS

- Declaration of War
- Approval of Treaties
- Power of the Purse
- Oversight (CIA)
- War Powers Act (1973)

ECONOMIC FOREIGN POLICY: Free Trade v. Protectionism
 WTO, NAFTA v. Protective Tariffs
 Access to Resources

RANGE OF FOREIGN POLICY OPTIONS



Rallying (or Rally Around the Flag) Effect Mass v. Elite Opinion

Executive Agreements (most pre-approved by Congress)
Not required