

The EU and the Question of Sovereignty: further reading

There are two EU textbooks I use. The first is [institutional](#). The second is more [historical](#).

Here is a website that can help keep you informed on EU [affairs](#).

This is a good general [history](#) of Europe in the first half of 20th century.

For Greater Rhineland geopolitics over the centuries I recommend [this](#).

Two core books on Decadence, Nihilism, Absurdism, and Existentialism in twentieth century Europe: [One](#). [Two](#).

On the dialogue that arose between existentialism and Catholic social teaching, this [book](#) is excellent.

Existentialism is solipsistic, but the dialogue with Church scholars gave rise to a political philosophy called [Personalism](#).

The question arose, where are all these persons? Here's a small part of the archive. [Document 1](#): Camus rethought his commitment to absurdism during the war in a village that was at the heart of the Jewish resistance.

[Document 2](#) is the story of that village.

[Document 3](#) retraces the path of Personalists from sympathy for Vichy to the Resistance.

[Document 4](#) tells the story of the White Rose, a small band of college students who try to organize resistance in Germany.

On Post-war [Christian Democracy](#) and European Unification

The evolution of Vatican politics and its embrace of counter-sovereigntist reforms at Vatican Two. Three documents: [1](#) [2](#) and [3](#)

And finally a book on [Nihilism](#) in our day by a friend of mine from grad school