

Nuclear War Book List

Kai Bird and Martin J. Sherwin, *American Prometheus: The Triumph and Tragedy of J. Robert Oppenheimer* (Random House, 2005)

Michael Dobbs, *One Minute to Midnight: Kennedy, Khrushchev, and Castro on the Brink of Nuclear War* (Vintage, 2008)

Daniel Ellsberg, *The Doomsday Machine: Confessions of a Nuclear War Planner* (Bloomsbury, 2017)

Robert Peter Gale and Eric Lax, *Radiation: What It Is, What You Need to Know* (Knopf, 2013)

Garrett M. Graff, *Raven Rock: The Story of the U.S. Government's Secret Plan to Save Itself--While the Rest of Us Die* (Simon & Schuster, 2017)

Paul Ham, *Hiroshima Nagasaki: The Real Story of the Atomic Bombings and Their Aftermath* (Thomas Dunne Books, 2014)

Adam Higginbotham, *Midnight in Chernobyl: The Untold Story of the World's Greatest Nuclear Disaster* (Simon & Schuster, 2019)

David Hoffman, *The Dead Hand: The Untold Story of the Cold War Arms Race and Its Dangerous Legacy* (Anchor, 2010)

Feroz Khan, *Eating Grass: The Making of the Pakistani Bomb* (Stanford Security Studies, 2012)

Denise Kiernan, *The Girls of Atomic City: The Untold Story of the Women Who Helped Win World War II* (Atria, 2013)

Jeffrey Lewis, *The 2020 Commission Report on the North Korean Nuclear Attacks Against the United States: A Speculative Novel* (Mariner Books, 2018)

Kate Moore, *The Radium Girls: The Dark Story of America's Shining Women* (Sourcebooks, 2017)

John Mueller, *Atomic Obsession: Nuclear Alarmism From Hiroshima To Al-Qaeda* (Oxford University Press, 2009)

Jim Mahaffey, *Atomic Accidents: A History of Nuclear Meltdowns and Disasters: From the Ozark Mountains to Fukushima* (Pegasus Books, 2014)

Craig Nelson, *The Age of Radiance: The Epic Rise and Dramatic Fall of the Atomic Era* (Scribner, 2014)

Charles Pellegrino, *To Hell and Back: The Last Train from Hiroshima* (Rowman & Littlefield, 2015)

Norman Polmar and John D. Gresham, *DEFCON-2: Standing on the Brink of Nuclear War During the Cuban Missile Crisis* (Wiley, 2006)

Richard Rhodes, *Arsenals of Folly: The Making of the Nuclear Arms Race* (Knopf, 2007)

Richard Rhodes, *The Making of the Atomic Bomb* (Simon & Schuster, 1987)

Richard Rhodes, *The Twilight of the Bombs: Recent Challenges, New Dangers, and the Prospects for a World Without Nuclear Weapons* (Knopf, 2010)

Eric Schlosser, *Command and Control: Nuclear Weapons, the Damascus Accident, and the Illusion of Safety* (Penguin, 2013)

George Weller, *First Into Nagasaki: The Censored Eyewitness Dispatches on Post-Atomic Japan and Its Prisoners of War* (Crown, 2006)

Tom Zoellner, *Uranium: War, Energy and the Rock That Shaped the World* (Viking, 2009)