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potential evolution in the 21st century. The book seeks to identify the

possible contours and trade-offs embedded within a potential third ""Transatlantic Bargain"" in the context of a U.S. strategic pivot in a ""Pacific Century"". To that end, it explores the internal adaptation of the Alliance, evaluates the assimilation of NATO's erstwhile adversaries, and provides a focus on NATO's operational future and insights into the new