The Foreign Policy Of Hitler's Germany: Starting World War II, 1937-1939

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World War II: Axis Powers in the 1930s

The 1930s consisted of many individual but significant events that bound the Axis Powers and culminated in a world war. The context in which this collapse occurred was an "economic blizzard" that enervated the democracies and energized the dictatorial regimes. Hitler's worldview dictated a unity of foreign and domestic policies based on total control and militarization at home, war and conquest abroad. In Mein Kampf he ridiculed the Weimar politicians and their "bourgeois" dreams of restoring the Germany of 1914. In practice, Hitler proved willing to adapt to circumstances, seize opportunities, or follow the wanderings of intuition. "Appeasement" and the English speaking world Britain, the United States, the Dominions, and the policy of 'Appeasement' 1937-1939. The foreign policy of Hitler's Germany diplomatic revolution in Europe, 1933-36. The politics of economic debate Anglo-American perceptions of Germany's economic preparations for war 1937-1939. Share this Share on twitter Share on facebook. Imperial War Museums home Connect with IWM.