

OUTLINE OF LECTURE 6: MILITARY CONFLICT

1. Clausewitz: war as instrument of policy
 - a) limited and total war
 - b) French Revolution: mass mobilization
 - c) Industrial Revolution: deadly weapons
2. War as consequence of human nature
 - a) deprivation and competition for scarce resources
 - b) violence can solve conflicts
 - c) just and moral war
3. War as consequence of state organization
 - a) Marxism/Leninism: imperialism and colonialism
 - b) geo-political circumstances
 - c) regime type (democratic peace)
4. War as consequence of world system
 - a) distribution of power
 - b) hegemony: regional and global
 - c) system polarity and stability
 - d) balance of power
 - e) power transition