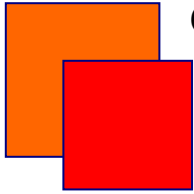


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2009 CAMOS-*Journal of Strategic Studies* Graduate Student Paper Award

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