**Journal of Race Development**

The *Journal of Race Development* was the first American academic journal of international relations. It was founded in 1910 by G. Stanley Hall[1] along with George Hubbard Blakeslee, both of Clark University. Despite a name which now suggests a journal devoted to eugenics, the journal, in fact, dealt with a variety of topics connected with politics, foreign affairs and international relations. It was renamed the *Journal of International Relations* [2] which in turn was merged with *Foreign Affairs* in 1922.

**Major articles**

The following are some of the articles published in *The Journal of Race Development* which are most commonly cited today.


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L/R: Ray Lyman Wilbur, Herbert Hoover


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The writer is the well-known English sociologist who has made authoritative studies on various "population" problems. In this collection of 18 essays, only the first six deal with the subject of war; they treat of its sociological aspects and particularly of its influence on future generations. "War and Eugenics" is the most valuable contribution of the group, stressing the great danger to the race in the war's drain on the more virile types of selected men. "Evolution and War," "War and the Birth-rate," and "War and Democracy" are some of the other topics discussed.

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