BOOK TALK:

FROM FREEDOM FIGHTERS TO JIHADISTS

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Featuring findings from more than 600 survey-interviews with local civilians and fighters on the frontline in Syria, Mironova shows how organizational and strategic factors help explain how extreme Islamist groups were able to attract fighters away from initial moderate groups. Mironova also explains how those same factors came embedded with their own challenges and contradictions.

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