
Contents

<i>Preface</i>	<i>page ix</i>
1 Introduction: sovereignty and fire	1
2 The problem: deconstructing sovereignty	12
3 Beyond subject and structure: towards a genealogy of sovereignty	53
4 Inventing outsides: proto-sovereignty, exempla and the general theory of the state in the Renaissance	88
5 How policy became foreign: sovereignty, <i>mathesis</i> and interest in the Classical Age	137
6 Reorganizing reality: sovereignty, modernity and the international	186
7 Conclusion: the end of sovereignty?	237
<i>Notes</i>	249
<i>Bibliography</i>	293
<i>Index</i>	314