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The Financial Times has named 'The Fractured Age' by Group Chief Economist Neil Shearing as one of the top economics books of 2025.

Drawing on years of analysis by the Capital Economics team, the book reveals how the deteriorating US-China relationship is fundamentally reshaping the global economy.

This review of the book by Martin Wolf, the FT's chief economics commentator, explains how our concept of fracturing gives decision-makers a framework for understanding how the breakdown in US-China relations and growing superpower competition will reshape global economic outcomes in the years ahead.

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