

New French Thought: Political Philosophy



NEW FRENCH THOUGHT

Series Editors

THOMAS PAVEL AND MARK LILLA

The aim of this series is to bring to a cultivated public the best of recent French writing in the humanities in clear, accessible translations. The series focuses on the younger generation of philosophers, historians, and social commentators who represent the new liberal, humanistic bent of French intellectual life.

TITLES IN THE SERIES

Mark Lilla, ed., *New French Thought: Political Philosophy*

Gilles Lipovetsky, *The Empire of Fashion: Dressing Modern Democracy*

Pierre Manent, *An Intellectual History of Liberalism*

New French Thought: Political Philosophy

Mark Lilla, Editor



NEW FRENCH THOUGHT

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY PRESS · PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

Copyright © 1994 by Princeton University Press
Published by Princeton University Press, 41 William Street,
Princeton, New Jersey, 08540
In the United Kingdom, Princeton University Press, Chichester, West Sussex

ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

Library of Congress Cataloging-in-Publication Data

New French thought : political philosophy / Mark Lilla, editor.

p. cm — (New French thought)

Previously published in French as separate essays.

Includes bibliographical references.

ISBN 0-691-03434-6 (CL)

ISBN 0-691-06105-7 (PA)

1. Political science—France—Philosophy. 2. Democracy—France.

3. Liberalism—France. I. Lilla, Mark. II. Series

JA84.F8N49 1994

320.5'13'0944—dc20 94-8848 CIP

Publication of this book has been aided by a grant from the National Endowment
for the Humanities

This book has been composed in Adobe Bauer Bodoni

Princeton University Press books are printed on acid-free paper and meet the guidelines
for permanence and durability of the Committee on Production Guidelines for Book
Longevity of the Council on Library Resources

Printed in the United States of America

10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

(Pbk.)

For Joseph and Marguerite Frank
