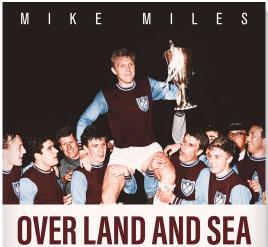


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Description

Over Land and Sea

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By Mike Miles

Key features

- Details all West Ham's European adventures, with special focus on the Moyes-led campaigns since 2021
- Follow-up to Mike Miles's 2021 biography of 1960s West Ham manager Ron Greenwood
- West Ham United have a rich history of European fixtures going back more than a century
- They made their first visit to the continent when they travelled to Spain in 1921 and have been regulars ever since
- In the 1950s they pioneered high-profile friendlies at Upton Park under their new floodlights
- Mike has contributed to numerous rugby and football publications, including *Rugby World*, *The Rugby Paper*, *Late Tackle* and *Football Weekends*
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites, podcasts and magazines

Over Land and Sea is the story of West Ham United in Europe, exploring the rich history of the Hammers' European fixtures dating back more than a century. Aside from winning two major trophies 58 years apart – the European Cup Winners' Cup in 1965 and the UEFA Conference League in 2023 – West Ham have not exactly blazed a trail through Europe. But there's more to the club's connection with the continent than first meets the eye. The Hammers have a rich tradition of playing friendlies against continental opponents, having travelled to Spain as long ago as 1921; while in the 1950s top European sides played under the new floodlights at Upton Park. Although West Ham's success in Europe has largely been in competitions that no longer exist, there's a great deal to discover about their wider European story, as captured in this immersive book.

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