

9/11 Truth in 2014: Is a Breakthrough Possible?

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*"...and thus in the primitive simplicity of their minds they more readily fall victims to the **big lie** than the small lie, since they themselves often tell small lies in little matters but would be ashamed to resort to large-scale falsehoods. It would never come into their heads to fabricate colossal untruths, and they would not believe that others could have the impudence to distort the truth so infamously. Even though the facts which prove this to be so may be brought clearly to their minds, they will still doubt and waver and will continue to think that there may be some other explanation."*

-Adolf Hitler, [Mein Kampf](#), vol. I, ch. X

"In fact, visual stimuli, transduced by the rods and cones in the eyes, and sent by electro-chemical signals to the central nervous system via the optic nerves does not go directly to the occipetal cortex which is the primary region responsible for processing information. Instead, it first goes to the lateral geniculate nucleus of the Thalamus, another region of the brain that is a part of the limbic system and important to emotional arousal.

*To put this in simpler terms, this means that **you can experience an emotional reaction to something before you are consciously aware that you have even seen it.**"*

-Laurie Manwell, University of Guelph (emphasis added)

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This website, among others have articulated the major problems with the official explanation of 9/11 since the day after they happened.

These attacks have directly led to an agenda of increased military spending, surveillance, at least two wars of aggression (Afghanistan and Iraq) and a period of curtailed civil liberties in the name of protection from radical Islamic terrorists.

Amply documented, there are major problems with this narrative. The following humorous video encapsulates many of these anomalies.

(Video courtesy of [James Corbett](#))

A more detailed analysis is available through [Global Research's 9/11 Reader](#).

There has been a clear resistance to abandoning this core narrative. Take, for example, the refusal of Canadian Member of Parliament Paul Dewar to table a petition in the House of Commons calling for a Canadian [parliamentary review](#) of the omissions and inconsistencies in the 9/11 Commission report and of available forensic evidence. Mr. Dewar says he doesn't agree with the petition. That is not considered an acceptable rationale for not tabling a petition to Parliament. More background can be found on this webpage:

<http://www.ae911truth.org/en/news-section/41-articles/732-the-canadian-911-justice-petition-initiative-continuing-the-pursuit-of-a-real-investigation.html>

There is more to this kind of resistance than a lack of facts. **Laurie Manwell** is a Ph.D candidate at the University of Guelph and has published articles on psychological resistance to embracing alternative explanations of 9/11 and other so-called State Crimes Against Democracy. Her article, [In Denial of Democracy: Social Psychological Implications for Public Discourse on State Crimes Against Democracy Post-9/11](#) appeared in the February 2010 edition of American Behavioural Scientist. Her thesis was the basis of her outstanding presentation at the Toronto Hearings on 9/11. An excerpt of this presentation airs in the first half hour of this week's Global Research News Hour, courtesy of [Press For Truth](#).

Architect and high profile 9/11 speaker **Richard Gage, AIA** joins us in the second half hour. He talks with guest interviewer Jon Wilson about his tour across Canada, and his view about the prospects of 9/11 making a powerful political breakthrough in this country.

Richard Gage will be visiting the following cities this spring. Please visit [rethink911.ca](#) for more details and updates.

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