

Michael Hudson, James Petras & Elaine Whitfield Sharp on the Global Research News Hour

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Michael Hudson and James Petras are the featured guests on The Global Research News Hour

Monday, December 22 - Michael Hudson

Tuesday, December 23 - James Petras

Wednesday, December 24 - Monday's program repeated

Thursday, December 25 - Tuesday's program repeated

Friday, December 26 - Monday's program repeated

Time: 10AM US Central time

About this week's guests:

Michael Hudson has had a long, varied, and distinguished career as a Wall Street analyst, leading economist, expert on financial history, and Research Professor at the University of Missouri. He's also an author, consultant, and president of the Institute for the Study of Long-Term Economic Trends (INSLET).

Hudson is fiercely critical of the Bush administration's efforts to bail out Wall Street, reward the criminal elements that run it, hollow out America in the process, and hang the public out

to dry.

The Obama economic “dream team” will be discussed and the likely way it will deal with the nation’s greatest ever economic crisis.

James Petras is Binghamton University, New York Professor Emeritus of Sociology. His credentials and achievements are long and impressive as a noted academic figure on the left, a well-respected Latin American expert, and longtime chronicler of the region’s popular struggles.

He’s also a prolific author of hundreds of articles and dozens of books, including his newest now out: “Zionism, Militarism and the Decline of US Power.”

The new Obama administration, recent Venezuelan regional elections, and more will be discussed on the program

Time: Monday-Friday 10:00am – 11:00am (CT), broadcast out of Houston, Texas.

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Topics discussed will include: the US military agenda in the Middle East, the presidential election campaign, the unfolding financial crisis on Wall Street, the dramatic hikes in gasoline prices, Israel-Palestine, law and justice, Al Qaeda and the “war on terrorism,” what’s happening at the White House and on Capitol Hill, a review of social, economic and environmental issues, and other vital topics of national and international concern.

Hosts

Stephen Lendman



Michel Chossudovsky



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Jules Dufour, professor of geography and distinguished Latin America studies expert.

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About Global Research Hosts

Stephen Lendman is a renowned author and Research Associate of the Centre for Research on Globalization (CRG). He is based in Chicago and has written extensively on war and peace, social justice in America and many other national and international issues. Stephen Lendman is a recipient of a 2008 Project Censored Award, University of California at Sonoma.

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Award winning author and economics professor **Michel Chossudovsky** is Director of the Centre for Research on Globalization, Montreal, which hosts the critically acclaimed website: www.globalresearch.ca.

Michel Chossudovsky has taught at universities and academic institutions in North America, Western Europe, Latin America, Asia and the Pacific. He is currently teaching in the International Development and Globalization Studies Program at the University of Ottawa.

He has undertaken field-research in all major regions of the developing World and has traveled to over 100 countries.

Michel Chossudovsky has also worked for several United Nations organizations on missions to Latin America and sub-Saharan Africa and has acted as adviser to governments of developing countries.

He is an active member of the Canadian antiwar movement and has written extensively on US and allied war plans in the Balkans, the Middle East and Central Asia.

He is the author of several international best sellers including *The Globalization of Poverty and the New World Order* (2003) and *America's "War on Terrorism"* (2005) and more than 500 articles. His writings have been translated into more than 25 languages. He is also a contributor to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

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