

NATO Counter Summit in Lisbon, Portugal, November 19 - 21, 2010

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At the next NATO summit meeting in Lisbon from November 19th to 21st 2010, the new NATO strategy will be adopted. The new strategy should "lead NATO through the uneasy and dangerous times at the beginning of the 21st century", as formulated in the contract for the development of the new strategy at the summit of heads of states and governments in Strasbourg in April 2009.

Theme: US NATO War Agenda

The expert group set up for designing the strategy, placed under the direction of former U.S. Secretary of State Madeleine Albright, made its recommendations in May for the new NATO strategy, entitled "NATO 2020". "The alliance must be versatile and flexible in this time period of uncertainty in the 21st century", said Madeleine Albright at the presentation of the report. If a (first) conclusion of this document is to be drawn, than it can only be: pure militarism, continuing of the wars, especially in Afghanistan and, above all, further nuclear armament.

The words are more cautious and vague, but the reality is brutal and war-like. Approaches for greater political cooperation, e.g. with Russia, are foiled by aggressive armament policy (including the missile defence system). The critique of the peace movement, which we have formulated in connection with the 60th birthday of NATO, is still necessary and correct: NATO is a dinosaur that should be abolished.

NO to the new NATO-Strategy! Getting Active for Global Peace, Disarmament and the End of NATO

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