

## Selected Articles: America's Wars, Coups and Sanctions in 2019

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### [The New Year Past and Future. Multiple Wars, Coups, Sanctions and Trade Disputes](#)

By [Prof. James Petras](#), January 02, 2019

Multiple wars, coups, sanctions and trade disputes dominated the US political agenda. War budgets grew, military sales increased and frictions between the US and Saudi Arabia bubbled to the surface . . . and dissipated.



### [The Decade-Long U.S. Campaign to Foment Syria’s “Revolution” and Unseat Assad](#)

By [Sarah Abed](#), January 02, 2019

The fingerprints of U.S. imperialism can be found all over the manufactured insurrection in Syria, in keeping with the ultimate goal of destabilization and eventual “regime change” through fomenting a sectarian civil war. Former NATO commander **Wesley Clark** has gone on record as stating that [Syria was on a list of targeted nations](#) to be toppled by the U.S. as early as 2001.



### **[President Trump’s Lawyer Rudy Giuliani Says Do Not Prosecute Julian Assange](#)**

By [Adam Dick](#), January 02, 2019

Giuliani’s reasoning in the interview is similar to the reasoning New York Times Deputy General Counsel David McCraw offered when he [told](#) judges at the US Ninth Circuit’s annual judicial conference in July that he thought Assange is “sort of in a classic publisher’s position” and that “the law would have a very hard time drawing a distinction between The New York Times and WikiLeaks.”



### **[“Liberals” and “Progressives” Resist Ending America’s Wars](#)**

By [Philip Giraldi](#), January 02, 2019

Getting out of Syria and hopefully eventually Afghanistan is the best thing that Trump has done for America so far, if he has the guts to actually do it. Both are wars that were unnecessary from day one and are now unwinnable in any real way.



### **[The U.S. Is on the Side of Terrorists and War Criminals in Yemen](#)**

By [Daniel Larison](#), January 02, 2019

The Saudi coalition’s [cooperation](#) with and support for members of Al Qaeda in the Arabian Peninsula (AQAP) has been an [open secret](#) for [many years](#).



### **[The 60th Anniversary of the Cuban Revolution: An Unprecedented Chapter in World History](#)**

By [Dr. Birsan Filip](#), January 01, 2019

In the period between the conclusion of the Spanish-American War in 1898 and the victory of the Cuban Revolution in 1959, the US exercised imperial power over Cuba, exploiting its natural and human resources, and dictating its domestic and foreign policies.



## **[Syria: The Quest for Truth and Peace in the New Year](#)**

By [Mark Taliano](#), December 31, 2018

Canadians are being victimized by criminal war propaganda. War with Syria, (Russia, China etc.) IS NOT serving our interests. Politicians who demonize these countries, and support “regime change” wars of aggression, do not represent our interests.



## **[‘War on Terror’ Has Left Millions Dead Across the Middle East](#)**

By [Shane Quinn](#), December 31, 2018

A rough [estimate](#) of four million Muslims have died as a result of US-led wars in the Middle East – dating to the early 1990s Gulf War against Iraq. The Gulf War was waged by the US, with France, Britain and Saudi Arabia providing welcome support.

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