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[Bribery and Corruption in the Covid-19 Era](#)

By [Kristina Pierce](#), November 26 2020

While the world is trying to limit the destruction caused by the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, we are only starting to understand its long-term effects on governments, economies, companies and individuals. The global crisis has exacerbated existing flaws at all levels, including vulnerabilities to corruption and bribery.



[World Economic Forum's 'Great Reset' Plan for Big Food Benefits Industry, Not People](#)

By [Jeremy Loffredo](#), November 26 2020

The architects of the plan claim it will reduce food scarcity, hunger and disease, and even mitigate climate change. But a closer look at the corporations and think tanks the WEF is partnering with to usher in this global transformation suggests that the real motive is tighter corporate control over the food system by means of technological solutions.



[Brave Vandana Shiva Speaks Out Against the Great Reset](#)

By [Organic Radicals](#), November 26 2020

She warns in a new interview that “The Great Reset is about maintaining and empowering a corporate extraction machine and the private ownership of life”.



[COVID Vaccine Hesitancy Widespread, Even Among Medical Professionals](#)

By [Jeremy Loffredo](#), November 26 2020

Pfizer recently announced that its covid vaccine was more than 90 percent “effective” at preventing covid-19. Shortly after this announcement, Moderna announced that its covid vaccine was 94.5 percent “effective” at preventing covid-19. Unlike the flu vaccine, which is one shot, both covid vaccines require two shots given three to four weeks apart. Hidden toward the end of both announcements, were the definitions of “effective.”



[At the UN, Italy Abstains on Nazism](#)

By [Manlio Dinucci](#), November 26 2020

The political significance of this vote is clear: NATO members and partners boycotted the Resolution which, first of all, calls into question Ukraine without naming it, whose neo-Nazi movements have been and are used by NATO for strategic purposes.



[Palestine and the Middle East: “Trump Will Leave this Region with Toxic Legacy When Departing White House”](#)

By [Michael Jansen](#), November 26 2020

When he departs the White House on January 20, Donald Trump will leave this region with a toxic legacy. First and foremost, his ongoing campaign to delegitimise the Palestinian people and encourage Israel to continue colonising their homeland has had disastrous consequences for both Palestine and countries further afield.



[US Propaganda War on China](#)

By [Stephen Lendman](#), November 26 2020

US trade, legislative and propaganda war rage against China. Is what’s unthinkable possible? What’s gone on since the Obama/Biden regime’s 2013 Asia pivot, greatly escalated by Trump hardliners, is the stuff that preemptive wars are made of.



[UK’s Military Spending Boost Will Make the World More Dangerous](#)

By [Andrew Smith](#), November 26 2020

‘I have decided that the era of cutting our defence budget must end, and it ends

now.’ These were the words of the Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, when he the biggest increase to the UK’s military budget since the Cold War. His shopping list includes lasers, a ‘hackers HQ’ and all sorts of conventional weapons.



[US Limited Isolation from the World Stage Is Likely Coming to an End](#)

By [Paul Antonopoulos](#), November 26 2020

With Biden frequently emphasizing that “America is back,” it gives a clear indication that the period of Washington’s limited isolation from the world stage under Trump has come to an end. Biden has already promised to help political opposition, without specifying exactly where except in the case of Turkey, but we can expect that this would include Russia, Belarus and Syria.



[UK Military’s Overseas Base Network Involves 145 Sites in 42 Countries. Encircling China? Global Military Presence](#)

By [Phil Miller](#), November 26 2020

Britain’s military has a permanent presence at 145 base sites in 42 countries or territories around the world, research by Declassified UK has found. The size of this global military presence is far larger than previously thought and is likely to mean that the UK has the second largest military network in the world, after the United States.

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