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[‘The Decision Is Taken’: Brazil to Move Its Embassy to Jerusalem, Says Bolsonaro](#)

By [Middle East Eye](#), January 06, 2019

Brazil’s **President Jair Bolsonaro** has confirmed that the South American country will move its embassy to Jerusalem, following an earlier statement by Israeli **Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu**, who was in Brazil this week to attend the new Brazilian leader’s swearing-in.



[Within Hours of Taking Office, “Trump of the Tropics” Starts Assault on the Amazon](#)

By [Andy Rowell](#), January 06, 2019

Within hours of taking office, the Trump of the Tropics, aka the new President of Brazil, **Jair**

Bolsonaro, launched an all-out assault against the Amazon rainforest and its indigenous communities yesterday, potentially paving the way for large scale deforestation by agricultural, mining and oil companies.



[Japan to Push for WWII-Era Peace Treaty with Russia](#)

By [Telesur](#), January 06, 2019

Japanese **Prime Minister Shinzo Abe** said Friday he intends to move towards a World War II peace treaty with Russia during a summit in Russia later this month. The treaty has been hindered for decades by a territorial dispute.



[Global Research New Hour: Global Economy, Geo-Politics, Militarization. The Most Significant Stories of 2018, Projections for 2019](#)

By [Michael Welch](#), [Rick Rozoff](#), [Andy Lee Roth](#), [Dr. Jack Rasmus](#), and [Dmitry Orlov](#), January 05, 2019

At the start of the year, we witnessed [nuclear sabre-rattling](#) between U.S. President Trump and North Korean leader Kim Jong Un. There was [the poisoning \(and recovery\) of Sergei Skripal and his daughter](#) in Salisbury UK, in which the Russian government was implicated.



[Iraq Rejects Iran Sanctions and US Troop Presence](#)

By [Jim Carey](#), January 05, 2019

Speaking to journalists on Wednesday, Iraqi **Foreign Minister Mohammed Ali al-Hakim** laid out the latest step on the path to independence for Baghdad from the US concerning sanctions on Iran by Washington.



[Nicaragua and the Corruption, Co-optation of Human Rights](#)

By [Stephen Sefton](#), January 05, 2019

Like Venezuela previously, Nicaragua has been targeted by the US dominated Organization of American States using local US and European funded non-profit proxies inside Nicaragua and Western corporate dominated non-governmental organizations.



[Has Trump Been Outmaneuvered on Syria Troop Withdrawal?](#)

By [Richard H. Black](#), January 04, 2019

Following the outcry after President Donald Trump's announcement that he was pulling U.S. troops from Syria, it appears that Trump may be succumbing to political pressure.

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