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The naming of **Stefan Halper** as the individual sent by the FBI to spy on the Trump campaign during the 2016 election campaign has further inflamed the political warfare raging within the US state apparatus and political establishment. Halper is a long-time CIA

asset with deep ties to US and British intelligence.



[Back to the Future? Bolton, Trump and Iranian “Regime Change”: “Splinter the Iranian State into Component Parts”](#)

By [Gareth Porter](#), May 21, 2018

Bolton was part of the powerful neoconservative faction of national security officials in the **George W Bush** administration that had a plan for supporting regime change in Iran, not much different from the one Bolton is reportedly pushing now. But it was a crackbrained scheme that involved the Mujahideen-e-Khalq (MEK) exiled terrorist organisation that never had Bush’s support.



[Facebook and The Atlantic Council Unite: Now Social Media Giant Serves NATO’s Agenda](#)

By [Bryan Macdonald](#), May 21, 2018

Facebook has engaged a think tank funded by weapons manufacturers, branches of the US military and Middle-Eastern monarchies to safeguard the democratic process. It’s akin to hiring arsonists to run the fire brigade.



[Hypersonic Technology: How Russia and China Gained a Strategic Advantage](#)

By [Federico Pieraccini](#), May 21, 2018

The United States, China and Russia have in recent years increased their efforts to equip their armed forces with such highly destructive missiles and vehicles seen in the previous article. Putin’s [recent speech](#) in Moscow reflects this course of direction by presenting a series of weapons with hypersonic characteristics, as seen with the Avangard and the Dagger.



[The War the National Rifle Association \(NRA\) Is Waging against American Kids](#)

By [Prof Rodrigue Tremblay](#), May 21, 2018

American schools have increasingly become shooting galleries in a war that the [National Rifle Association](#) (NRA) is winning, with the help of venal politicians and clueless Supreme Court Justices, against American students and teachers.



[The Bayer-Monsanto Merger: Empowering a Life-Destroying Cartel](#)

By [Michael Welch](#), [Dr. Vandana Shiva](#), [Nick Meyer](#), and [Ellen Brown](#), May 20, 2018

The U.S. Department of Justice recently [cleared the path](#) for the German pharmaceutical and chemical company Bayer to merge with U.S. based agricultural giant Monsanto in a take-over deal worth more than \$60 billion.

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