

South Koreans to Protest Against ‘War Maniac’ Trump

Thousands of South Koreans are expected to turn out for demonstrations during President Donald Trump's upcoming visit. Many say the US leader is bringing the Korean Peninsula to a state of crisis. Julian Ryall reports.

By [Julian Ryall](#)

Global Research, November 03, 2017

[DW](#) 30 October 2017

Region: [Asia](#)

Theme: [Police State & Civil Rights, US](#)

[NATO War Agenda](#)

In-depth Report: [NORTH KOREA, Nuclear War](#)

A coalition of around 220 left-wing organizations has announced plans to demonstrate in Seoul during President Donald Trump's upcoming state visit to South Korea, with the groups fiercely critical of the US leader for ramping up [tensions with North Korea](#).

The groups have promised to mobilize thousands of protesters during [Trump's visit](#), scheduled for November 7 and 8, the second leg of the president's 11-day trip through Asia. The demonstrators say they will begin to show their opposition to Trump's visit and his policies even before he arrives in South Korea, with the first rally due to start on Saturday, November 4, outside the US Embassy in central Seoul.

The anti-US alliance has adopted the slogan “No Trump, No War People's Rally” and is demanding that efforts be made to engage North Korea rather than to threaten the regime of Kim Jong Un. Members of other groups that are joining the movement have additional demands, including members of agricultural cooperatives who want to scrap a trade deal that they believe puts South Korean farmers at a disadvantage in trade.

[Read full article here.](#)

The original source of this article is [DW](#)

Copyright © [Julian Ryall](#), [DW](#), 2017

[Comment on Global Research Articles on our Facebook page](#)

[Become a Member of Global Research](#)

Articles by: [Julian Ryall](#)

permission to cross-post Global Research articles on community internet sites as long the source and copyright are acknowledged together with a hyperlink to the original Global Research article. For publication of Global Research articles in print or other forms including commercial internet sites, contact: publications@globalresearch.ca

www.globalresearch.ca contains copyrighted material the use of which has not always been specifically authorized by the copyright owner. We are making such material available to our readers under the provisions of "fair use" in an effort to advance a better understanding of political, economic and social issues. The material on this site is distributed without profit to those who have expressed a prior interest in receiving it for research and educational purposes. If you wish to use copyrighted material for purposes other than "fair use" you must request permission from the copyright owner.

For media inquiries: publications@globalresearch.ca