

The Spread of the Culture of War

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*Participating in this special episode of Grandangolo is **Prof. Michel Chossudovsky**, director of the Center for Research on Globalization (Canada), who traces the historical and geopolitical scenario of the war in Ukraine: provoked by the US-NATO strategy against Russia, it threatens to lead the world to nuclear war.*

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Michel Chossudovsky - direttore di Global Research - traccia lo scenario storico e geopolitico della guerra in Ucraina: provocata dalla strategia USA-NATO contro la Russia, essa rischia di portare il mondo alla guerra nucleare.

You can watch below the video interview from May 20, 2022.

The gravity of the situation is confirmed by the fact that large NATO military exercises “planned long ago,” that is, before the Russian military operation in Ukraine, are underway throughout Europe, especially close to Russia. About 40,000 soldiers with land, air and naval weaponry are participating. In Italy, the Navy’s Mare Aperto 2022 exercise is underway, centered on Sardinia, with 4,000 military personnel from 7 countries and more than 65 ships, submarines, fighters and helicopters.

Participating in the exercise alongside the military are university students from 11 Italian

universities, including Milan's Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Venice's Ca' Foscari, Bologna's Alma Mater Studiorum, Pisa's Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Rome's La Sapienza and Naples' Federico II. Students are embarked on warships in the roles of political advisor and legal advisor, to "provide political legitimacy and legal framing" for military action. This operation is part of the dissemination of the culture of war, which is functional to the military preparation for war.

The culture of war is disseminated by the political-media apparatus in several ways: the very serious risk to which Europe is exposed with the further enlargement of NATO to Sweden and Finland is concealed; Ukrainian neo-Nazism is made to disappear by presenting the Azov regiment as a bulwark of "resistance"; anti-Russian hatred is stoked by going so far as to expel a Russian violinist from an international competition in Gorizia.

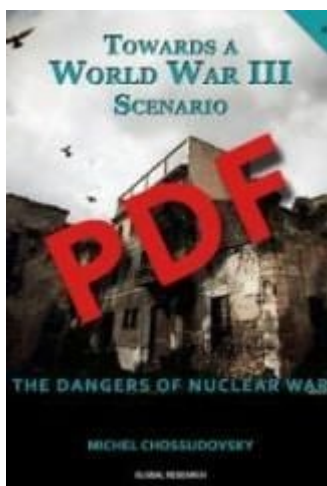
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-Ellen Brown, author of ‘Web of Debt’ and president of the Public Banking Institute

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