

# Drone Proliferation - Crimes Against Humanity for “Global Security”

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**[The Children Killed by America’s Drones. “Crimes Against Humanity” committed by Barack H. Obama.](#)**, *Prof Michel Chossudovsky, January 26, 2013*

Behind each name there is the face of a child with a family history in a village in a far away country, with a mom and a dad, with brothers and sisters and friends.



**[Proliferation of Armed Drones for “Global Security”: Will the UN Drone Inquiry Get to the Heart of the matter?](#)**, *Chris Cole, January 26, 2013*

The UN inquiry into the use of armed drones for targeted killing, announced yesterday by London-based UN Special Rapporteur on Counter-Terrorism and Human Rights, Ben Emmerson, is very much to be welcomed. Undertaken at the direct request of several...



**[UN Launches Major Investigation into Civilian Drone Deaths,](#)**

*Chris Woods and Alice K Ross, January 26, 2013*

A UN investigation into the legality and casualties of drone strikes has been formally launched, with a leading human rights lawyer revealing the team that will carry out the inquiry. The announcement came...



**[Obama Inauguration Day: Two Nobel Peace Laureates, “Drones Apart”. Martin Luther King: “From Every Mountainside, Let Freedom Ring.”](#)**, *Felicity Arbuthnot*,  
*January 21, 2013*

One day ... Children at school will ask: What is war? You will answer them. You will tell them: Those words are not used any more. Like stagecoaches, galleys or slavery. Words no longer meaningful ... (Martin Luther King, 15th January...)



**[Institutionalized Killing: Obama to Approve Drone Assassination Manual](#)**,  
*Patrick Martin*, *January 21, 2013*

President Obama is about to sign off on a manual that will institutionalize the process by which the White House orders and approves killings by remote-controlled drones, according to a report Sunday. The so-called counterterrorism “playbook” will define the circumstances...



**[Yet More Drone Secrets](#)**,  
*Drone Wars UK*, *January 20, 2013*

“What is needed is a clear understanding of the issues involved so that informed decisions can be made.” The UK Approach to Unmanned Aircraft Systems, MoD 2011 In 2011 the MoD published its policy document on the use of armed...



**[King: I Have a Dream. Obama: I Have a Drone](#)**,  
*Norman Solomon*, *January 19, 2013*

A simple twist of fate has set President Obama’s second Inaugural Address for January 21, the same day as the Martin Luther King Jr. national holiday. Obama made no mention of King during the Inauguration four years ago — but since then, he has done much to distinguish himself from the man who said “I have a dream.”

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