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2032/11 -----

### **Turkey's Elections and Strained U.S. Relations**

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(STRATFOR) Turkey's Justice and Development Party (AKP) won Parliamentary elections June 12, which means it will remain in power for a third term. The popular vote, divided among a number of parties, made the AKP the most popular party by far, although nearly half of the electorate voted for other parties, mainly the opposition and largely secularist Republican People's Party (CHP). More important, the AKP failed to win a super-majority, which would have given it the power to unilaterally alter Turkey's constitution. This was one of the major issues in the election, with the AKP hoping for the super-majority and others trying to block it. The failure of the AKP to achieve the super-majority leaves the status quo largely intact. While the AKP remains the most powerful party in Turkey, able to form governments without coalition partners, it cannot rewrite the constitution without accommodating its rivals.

[http://www.stratfor.com/weekly/20110613-turkeys-elections-and-strained-us-relations?utm\\_source=GWeekly&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=110614&utm\\_content=readmore&elq=de0c2e5445f94543a078e93cf1ca587b](http://www.stratfor.com/weekly/20110613-turkeys-elections-and-strained-us-relations?utm_source=GWeekly&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=110614&utm_content=readmore&elq=de0c2e5445f94543a078e93cf1ca587b)

2033/11 -----

### **Mutmaßlicher Terrorist am Wiener Flughafen gefasst**

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(Kurier) In Afghanistan waren deutsche Soldaten in den vergangenen Wochen mit einer noch nie dagewesenen Terrorwelle konfrontiert. Die Finanziere der Terroristen sitzen zum Teil in Deutschland - und in Österreich. Gestern wurde ein mutmaßlicher Terrorist auf dem Flughafen Wien-Schwechat verhaftet, als er in ein Terror-Camp nach Afghanistan ausreisen wollte. Zwei weitere Terror-Aspiranten wurden von Beamten des Bundesamtes für Verfassungsschutz und Terrorismusbekämpfung (BVT) festgenommen.

s begann mit der Verhaftung des Wieners Maqsood L. in Berlin am 16. Mai, der gerade aus einem Terror-Camp in Afghanistan zurückgekehrt war. Der junge Mann ist Sohn afghanischer Flüchtlinge. Er galt als Musterbeispiel für gelungene Integration. Seine Eltern hochanständig - er besuchte ein Gymnasium in Wien und diente beim Gardebataillon. Doch dann, so der Vorwurf der deutschen Generalbundesanwaltschaft, schloss sich Maqsood L. den "deutschen Taliban" an. Einer Terrorgruppierung, die in Afghanistan vornehmlich Jagd auf deutsche ISAF-Soldaten macht. 32 Bundeswehresoldaten sind bisher im Einsatz ums Leben gekommen. Zwölf deutsche Soldaten wurden alleine in den vergangenen vier Wochen bei mehreren Anschlägen verwundet.

Am 31. Mai gelang dem Verfassungsschutz in Wien mit der Verhaftung des Deutschen Yusuf O. der zweite Schlag gegen die Terrorzelle.

- (a) <http://kurier.at/nachrichten/3914544.php>
- (b) "Verschärfung der Rekrutierungsaktivitäten":  
<http://kurier.at/nachrichten/3914545.php>
- (c) Nachwuchs der El Kaida traf sich in Wiener Moschee:  
<http://kurier.at/nachrichten/3914735.php>

2034/11 -----

**CIA und Regierung von Malaysia angegriffen**

(Focus) Die weltweite Serie von Hacker-Angriffen reißt nicht ab. Neue Ziele: der US-Geheimdienst CIA und die Regierung von Malaysia. In Deutschland soll das Nationale Cyber-Abwehrzentrum, das heute eröffnet wird, für Schutz sorgen.

Die Website des US-Geheimdienstes CIA ist offenbar Ziel eines Hackerangriffs geworden. „Tango down - CIA.gov“ twitterte eine unter dem Namen Lulz Security bekannte Gruppe, die erst am Montag in das Computersystem des US-Senats eingedrungen war. In der Nacht zum Donnerstag gab es vorübergehend Probleme mit dem Zugriff auf die CIA-Website. Sie war später aber wieder normal zu erreichen.

[http://www.focus.de/digital/computer/hacker-attacken-cia-und-regierung-von-malaysia-angegriffen\\_aid\\_637401.html](http://www.focus.de/digital/computer/hacker-attacken-cia-und-regierung-von-malaysia-angegriffen_aid_637401.html)

2035/11 -----

**Wilhelm Dietl in SF 1: Ohne Skrupel und Gesetz**

am So, 19.06. um 23:55 SF 1

Bekanntmachung - Thema: Ohne Skrupel und Gesetz  
Magazin für Kultur und Zeitgeschichte

Wilhelm Dietl, Geheimdienstexperte und früherer Mitarbeiter des Bundesnachrichtendienstes über die Geheimdienste der islamischen Welt.

Siehe Media alerts



**HOT SPOTS / WARS**

2036/11 -----

**Syrien: "Für alles ist gesorgt"**

(badische) Assad ruft Flüchtlinge zur Rückkehr aus der Türkei auf und setzt "Säuberungsoffensive" fort.

Die brutale Offensive zur Rückeroberung der von Aufständischen gehaltenen Kleinstadt Dschir al-Schughur war nach Angaben der syrischen Regierungssprecherin Reem Haddad ein "schmerzhaftes Ereignis". Inzwischen sei die Ortschaft aber wieder sicher und die in die Türkei geflohenen Bewohner könnten zurückkehren. "Für alles ist gesorgt." Wasser, Lebensmittel, Strom und Medikamente stünden zur Verfügung. Viele Flüchtlinge hätten sich daher bereits auf den Rückweg in ihre Heimatstadt gemacht, behauptete Haddad.

Tatsächlich ist Dschir al-Schughur weiterhin eine Geisterstadt. Viele Einwohner wollen auf absehbare Zeit in der Türkei bleiben, da sie nach einer Rückkehr mit Repressalien rechnen. Assads Geheimdienst soll Agenten in die Flüchtlingslager eingeschleust haben und Listen mit "suspekten

Personen" erstellt haben. Fluchtbewegungen in alle Richtungen werden auch aus Maarat al-Numan gemeldet. Vor den Toren der 100 000-Einwohner-Stadt wartet eine Panzerbrigade auf den Befehl "zur Säuberung". Andere Einheiten sollen die Großstadt Deir al-Zor umzingelt haben. Abtrünnige Soldaten des Assad-Regimes ließen sich dort am Montag von der Bevölkerung feiern. Glaubt man einem Youtube-Video, dann konnten sie drei Armeelastwagen und einen Panzertieflader erbeuten.

<http://www.badische-zeitung.de/ausland-1/syrien-fuer-alles-ist-gesorgt--46429090.html>

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**Syriens Machthaber Assad - Schrecklich, aber berechenbar**  
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(FOCUS) Panzer gegen Städte, Scharfschützen gegen Demonstranten - die Situation in Syrien weist blutige Parallelen zu Libyen auf. Doch im Gegensatz zu Gaddafi kann Syriens Diktator Assad scheinbar nach Gutdünken walten.

Wann immer Mohammed wieder zu einer Demonstration aufbricht, fragt er sich, ob er seine Familie je wiedersieht. Er versucht, stark zu sein, die Angst zu unterdrücken. Doch er weiß, was ihn erwartet, wenn sie ihn kriegen. Vor einigen Tagen erst hat er ein Video zugeschickt bekommen: Er sah die blutige, nackte Leiche eines Freundes auf einer Plastikfolie ausgebreitet. Sein Körper war von Schnittwunden, Striemen und schwarzroten Prellungen übersät. „Sie haben ihn schrecklich gefoltert“, sagt Mohammed. „Er ist Ende April an einem Checkpoint vom Geheimdienst verhaftet worden. Anfang Juni haben sie seinen Eltern die Leiche übergeben. Sie sagten: Er hatte einen Unfall.“

- (a) [http://www.focus.de/politik/ausland/krise-in-der-arabischen-welt/tid-22661/syriens-machthaber-assad-schrecklich-aber-berechenbar\\_aid\\_637388.html](http://www.focus.de/politik/ausland/krise-in-der-arabischen-welt/tid-22661/syriens-machthaber-assad-schrecklich-aber-berechenbar_aid_637388.html)
- (b) Syrisches Militär dringt ins Zentrum von Chan al-Scheichun ein: <http://www.nachrichten.ch/detail/496521.htm>
- (c) Syriens Militär rückt weiter vor: <http://www.stern.de/politik/syriens-militaer-rueckt-weiter-vor-1696201.html>

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**Above the Tearline: Surveillance of bin Laden's Courier**  
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(STRATFOR) Vice President of Intelligence Fred Burton examines the sophisticated surveillance operation that led to the raid on Osama bin Laden's safe house in Pakistan.

Editor's Note: Transcripts are generated using speech-recognition technology. Therefore, STRATFOR cannot guarantee their complete accuracy.

In this week's Above the Tearline, we thought we'd take a look at the highly sophisticated surveillance operation that took place many weeks before the SEAL Team Six takedown of the Osama bin Laden safe house.

In the aftermath of the bin Laden takedown, most of the mainstream media has been focused on the brilliant SEAL Team Six assault on the compound. What we would like to take a look at is the highly sophisticated CIA surveillance operation that took place on the courier, who was bin Laden's lifeline to the free world. Trade craft wise, the surveillance of the courier is the brilliance in this operation in my assessment, meaning you

had to set up a standalone safe house in country for a CIA team to operate it in without the knowledge of the Pakistani government. In essence you're operating behind enemy lines.

[http://www.stratfor.com/analysis/20110614-above-tearline-surveillance-bin-ladens-courier?utm\\_source=Tearline&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=110616&utm\\_content=copy3&elq=391cc6a0dec1420aa09347e3e04f2ce8](http://www.stratfor.com/analysis/20110614-above-tearline-surveillance-bin-ladens-courier?utm_source=Tearline&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=110616&utm_content=copy3&elq=391cc6a0dec1420aa09347e3e04f2ce8)



## UNITED STATES

2039/11 -----

### **Ron Paul: Obama is a War Criminal**

(onlyinamericablogging) Last week, more than 70 days after President Obama sent our military to attack Libya without a congressional declaration of war, the House of Representatives finally voted on two resolutions attempting to rein in the president. This debate was long overdue, as polls show Americans increasingly are frustrated by congressional inaction. According to a CNN poll last week, 55 percent of the American people believe that Congress, not the president, should have the final authority to decide whether the U.S. should continue its military mission in Libya. Yet for more than 70 days Congress has ignored its constitutional obligations and allowed the president to usurp its authority.

- (a) <http://onlyinamericablogging.blogspot.com/2011/06/ron-paul-obama-is-war-criminal.html>
- (b) Holding the President Accountable on Libya:  
<http://www.lewrockwell.com/paul/paul745.html>
- (c) The Ron Paul File: <http://www.lewrockwell.com/paul/>
- (d) Ron Paul: Obama ist ein Kriegsverbrecher:  
<http://www.infokriegernews.de/wordpress/2011/06/14/ron-paul-obama-ist-ein-kriegsverbrecher/>

2040/11 -----

### **Interview with Michael Scheuer: A spook speaks**

(OSINFO) Prospect talks to Michael Scheuer, former head of the CIA's Osama bin Laden unit.

"The Arab Spring will be crushing for the CIA," said former intelligence officer Michael Scheuer, speaking to Prospect in May. "We used to be assisted by the Egyptian and Libyan and North African and Tunisian [security services], and by proxies in Pakistan. They used to do our work, in some ways better than we did, given their ethnicity. Now all that [work] devolves back onto the CIA."

"We were stretched before the Arab Spring and when that turns out to be anti-democratic and Islamist, we'll be even more stretched. We're also devoting a lot of effort to Mexico, and that doesn't get much attention," he continued.

"The White House, the diplomatic service, and security services have never escaped from the Cold War. We are still looking for proxies to do our dirty work."

- (a) <http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/14/interview-a-spook-speaks.html>
- (b) <http://www.prospectmagazine.co.uk/tag/political-scientist/>

2041/11 -----

### **Two Cultures of Secrecy and Disclosure**

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(FAS) The legitimacy of official secrecy policy that is taken for granted within official circles is increasingly open to question within the press and among many members of the public.

"Government officials must... accept the enduring reality of a media culture that is prepared to publish official secrets and considers such disclosure a patriotic contribution to democratic discourse," said the Congressional Research Service in passing in a new report. See "Intelligence Information: Need-to-Know vs. Need-to-Share", June 6, 2011.

This is not quite precise, since no U.S. news organization publishes official secrets just because they are secret. And no one seriously views the publication of a classified technical manual, for example, as a contribution to democratic discourse. The secrets must also be newsworthy, and even then most news outlets will exercise discretion and will give consideration to national security claims.

But it is certainly true that reputable news organizations of liberal, conservative and other editorial persuasions will publish classified information over government objections. That is the privilege and the right of a free press.

Strangely, the obverse is also true: Government officials will sometimes insist that information that is irreversibly public is nevertheless classified and subject to official security controls.

- (a) <http://www.fas.org/blog/secrecy/>
- (b) Intelligence Information: Need-to-Know vs. Need-to-Share:  
<http://www.fas.org/sgp/crs/intel/R41848.pdf>
- (c) Lawyers for Guantánamo Detainees Allowed to See Leaked Files:  
<http://www.nytimes.com/2011/06/11/us/politics/11wiki.html>

2042/11 -----

### **Energy Strategy Improves Capabilities, Savings**

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(DOD) The Defense Department's new operational energy strategy challenges assumptions about battlefield energy usage, paving the way for a more secure, agile and flexible fighting force, according to the Pentagon official who oversees the strategy.

Sharon E. Burke, assistant secretary of defense for operational energy plans and programs, said during a June 9 interview that the strategy, included in the last Quadrennial Defense Review and required by Congress for the first time this year, is a new way of thinking about energy as a strategic capability that will reap benefits for years to come.

"Energy is almost an assumption -- that we'll have all the energy we need, whenever we need it, wherever we need it -- and we have wonderful logistics capability that makes that true," Burke said. "But we make it much harder than it needs to be, and we're putting our forces at much higher risks, and with much higher costs, and we're not giving them all the capability they could have because of the amount of energy we use.

"We've never looked at it as something we could do differently to make our military missions better," she added, "and there's no question that we can do better."

- (a) <http://www.defense.gov/news/newsarticle.aspx?id=64315>
- (b) DOD News Briefing with Deputy Secretary Lynn and Assistant Secretary Burke from the Pentagon on the DOD Operational Energy Strategy: [http://www.globalsecurity.org/military/library/news/2011/06/mil-110614-dod02.htm?\\_m=3n.002a.223.bo0ao00ws0.789](http://www.globalsecurity.org/military/library/news/2011/06/mil-110614-dod02.htm?_m=3n.002a.223.bo0ao00ws0.789)

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**DOD Aims to Streamline Foreign Military Sales Program**  
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(DOD) The Defense Department is streamlining the way it administers the foreign military sales program, including testing a concept to get pre-approvals for requests for high-demand technologies such as unmanned aerial systems, the director of the Defense Security Cooperation Agency said.

Navy Vice Adm. William E. Landay III oversees DOD's execution of the State Department program that has delivered more than \$96 billion in defense weapons systems, equipment and services to other countries and international organizations in the last five years.

Foreign military sales have averaged \$30 billion for each of the last three years, up almost three-fold from the 2005-2008 timeframe, Landay said. In addition, many customers who once were willing to forego fast delivery to keep the bottom line as low as possible now want their goods and services as fast as possible, often to support current operations.

<http://www.defense.gov/news/newsarticle.aspx?id=64284>

2044/11

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**Grand Jury Investigates War Crimes at Abu Ghraib**  
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(Time) Former colleague and TIME contributor Adam Zagorin breaks news here on Battleland with exclusive reporting on the latest federal action over the infamous death of "the Iceman" at Iraq's Abu Ghraib prison in 2003:

It has been nearly a decade since Manadel al-Jamadi, an Iraqi prisoner known as "the Iceman" – for the bungled attempt to cool his body and make him look less dead – perished in CIA custody at Abu Ghraib. But now there are rumbles in Washington that the notorious case, as well as other alleged CIA abuses, could be returning to haunt the agency. TIME has learned that a prosecutor tasked with probing the CIA – John Durham, a respected, Republican-appointed U.S. Attorney from Connecticut – has begun calling witnesses before a secret federal grand jury in Alexandria, Va., looking into, among other things, the lurid Nov. 4, 2003, homicide, which was documented by TIME in 2005.

TIME has obtained a copy of a subpoena signed by Durham that points to his grand jury's broader mandate, which could involve charging additional CIA



officers and contract employees in other cases. The subpoena says "the grand jury is conducting an investigation of possible violations of federal criminal laws involving War Crimes (18 USC/2441), Torture (18 USC 2430A) and related federal offenses."

- (a) <http://battleland.blogs.time.com/2011/06/13/haunted-by-homicide-federal-grand-jury-investigates-war-crimes-and-torture-in-death-of-the-ice-man-at-abu-ghraib-and-other-alleged-cia-abuses/>
- (b) Haunted by The Iceman:  
<http://www.time.com/time/magazine/article/0,9171,1129601,00.html>
- (c) US-Justiz untersucht Rolle der CIA in Abu Ghraib:  
<http://derstandard.at/1304554397550/US-Justiz-untersucht-Rolle-der-CIA-in-Abu-Ghraib>

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**CIA website goes down, hackers claim responsibility**  
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(Reuters) The public website of the Central Intelligence Agency went down on Wednesday evening as the hacker group Lulz Security said it had launched an attack.

Lulz Security has claimed responsibility for recent attacks on the Senate, Sony Corp, News Corp and the U.S. Public Broadcasting System television network.

The CIA site initially could not be accessed from New York to San Francisco, and Bangalore to London. Later in the evening service was sporadic. "We are looking into these reports," a CIA spokeswoman said.

Lulz Security has defaced websites, posted personal information about customers and site administrators, and disclosed the network configurations of some sites.

Security analysts have downplayed the significance of these attacks, saying the hackers are just looking to show off and get as much attention as possible. In the case of the CIA attack, hackers would not be able to access sensitive data by breaking into the agency's public website, said Jeffrey Carr, author of the book Inside Cyber Warfare: Mapping the Cyber Underworld.

"All they're doing is saying 'Look how good we are,'" Carr said. "These guys are literally in it for embarrassment, to say 'your security is crap.'"

- (a) <http://uk.reuters.com/article/2011/06/16/us-cia-hackers-idUKTRE75E6JC20110616>
- (b) Hacker rühmen sich für Attacke auf CIA-Website:  
<http://www.ftd.de/politik/international/:lulz-security-hacker-ruehmen-sich-fuer-attacke-auf-cia-website/60065660.html>



## FORMER SOVIET UNION

2046/11 -----

### **„Die Angst ist in die Ukraine zurückgekehrt“**

(Presse) Verfolgt. Pater Borys Gudziak, griechisch-katholischer Priester und Rektor der Katholischen Universität im westukrainischen Lviv, über seine Überwachung durch den Geheimdienst und den Kampf gegen die Kultur der Korruption.

Für jemanden, der im Visier des ukrainischen Geheimdienstes steht, wirkt Pater Borys Gudziak erstaunlich gelassen. Wenn man nichts zu verstecken habe, sei man innerlich frei, sagt Gudziak. Freilich, als er von der Beschattung erfuhr, war die psychologische Last zunächst groß. „Dann fragt man sich: Kann ich mir selbst trauen? Versuche ich etwas zu verbergen? Nein. Also mache ich weiter.“

Borys Gudziak wägt seine Worte genau ab. Er trägt ein weißes Hemd mit Priesterkragen und schwarze Hosen. Der 50-Jährige ist griechisch-katholischer Priester und Rektor der Katholischen Universität in Lviv (Lemberg). Gudziak wuchs in den USA auf, kam Anfang der 90er-Jahre in das Land seiner Eltern, um beim Wiederaufbau der in der Sowjetunion verbotenen Kirche zu helfen. Aus der noch im Exil in Rom von Patriarch Josyf Slipyj gegründeten Theologischen Akademie Lviv ist die Ukrainische Katholische Universität (UCU) geworden, an der 1400 Studenten lernen. „Wir sind ein Ort der Freiheit“, sagt Gudziak. „Wir tun simple Dinge. Wir sind kein Nest von radikalen Revolutionären.“

[http://diepresse.com/home/panorama/religion/670418/Die-Angst-ist-in-die-Ukraine-zurueckgekehrt?\\_vl\\_backlink=/home/panorama/religion/index.do](http://diepresse.com/home/panorama/religion/670418/Die-Angst-ist-in-die-Ukraine-zurueckgekehrt?_vl_backlink=/home/panorama/religion/index.do)

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### **Ledermantel der Geschichte**

(sueddeutsche) Die Wachmannschaft des russischen Präsidenten soll neu eingekleidet werden - ein Modell erinnert fatal an Stalins Geheimdienst.

Ein schwarzer Ledermantel verhiess in der Sowjetunion nichts Gutes. Die Witwe von Erich Mühsam wurde 1936 von Stalins Schergen, 'von NKWD-Ledermänteln', wie der Spiegel 1962 schrieb, aus dem Hotel Nowaja Moskovskaja geholt. Anschließend wurde Zenzl Mühsam wegen angeblicher 'konterrevolutionärer trotzkistischer Tätigkeit' zur Zwangsarbeit in ein Straflager gebracht. Die Schwarzmäntel des sowjetischen Geheimdienstes, des KGB-Vorgängers NKWD, gelten als Symbol der frühen Stalin-Zeit, als finsternes Gewand von Gewalt und Unrecht. Millionen Menschen wurden damals willkürlich verhaftet und in Lager, die Gulags, geschickt. Nun scheinen lange, schwarze Ledermäntel wieder in Mode zu kommen.

<http://www.sueddeutsche.de/55M38C/58634/Ledermantel-der-Geschicht.html>

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### **Russia: It Is Better Not To Ask Anything About Budget?**

(Fringe) Russian officials appear to be very ingenious when interpreting and commenting laws. For example, if a government body or a local self-

government one wouldn't like to disclose information following the FOI law, it declares the information in question not subject to this law. Official ingenuity becomes especially bright when concerning budget and financial information.

Despite any e-government, E-Russia and Information Society concepts, programs, strategies, etc., it is quite difficult to achieve disclosure of real budget figures, though the budget is formally open. But difficult is not impossible.

A citizen in the town of Khimki, Moscow Oblast, has been interested in the town budget expenditures. The draft local budget for 2011 was published at the official website in accordance with actual legislation, and public hearings also took place. However, in fact, 265,289,000 rubles were assigned to the "General Governmental Issues" budget line. The amount is very large. It is difficult to tell anything in addition since normative documents that served as the basis for local budget formation methodology have not been published at the official website.

<http://www.svobodainfo.org/en/node/1113>



## NEAR / MIDDLE EAST / NORTH AFRICA

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### US naval movements around Syria - Hizballah moves rockets

(DEBKA) The US deployed the USS Bataan amphibian air carrier strike vessel opposite Syria's Mediterranean coast with 2,000 marines, 6 war planes, 15 attack helicopters, including new V-22 Ospreys, and 27 choppers for landing forces aboard. Also this week, US naval units went operational in the Aegean, Adriatic and Black Seas as part of the joint US-Ukrainian Sea Breeze 2011 exercise.

The USS Monterrey cruiser armed with Aegis surface missile interceptors has additionally been stationed in the Black Sea. Western sources additionally report a build-up of ship-borne anti-missile missile strength in the Mediterranean basin.

This huge concentration of naval missile interceptor units looks like preparations by Washington for the contingency of Iran, Syria and Hizballah letting loose with surface missiles against US and Israeli targets in the event of US military intervention to stop the anti-opposition slaughter underway in Syria.

(a) <http://www.debka.com/article/21026/>

(b) Syrien: USA vor dem Angriff?:

<http://www.infokriegernews.de/wordpress/2011/06/14/syrien-usa-vor-dem-angriff/>

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**Pakistan Arrests C.I.A. Informants in Bin Laden Raid**  
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(nytimes) Pakistan's top military spy agency has arrested some of the Pakistani informants who fed information to the Central Intelligence Agency in the months leading up to the raid that led to the death of Osama bin Laden, according to American officials.

Pakistan's detention of five C.I.A. informants, including a Pakistani Army major who officials said copied the license plates of cars visiting Bin Laden's compound in Abbottabad, Pakistan, in the weeks before the raid, is the latest evidence of the fractured relationship between the United States and Pakistan. It comes at a time when the Obama administration is seeking Pakistan's support in brokering an endgame in the war in neighboring Afghanistan.

- (a) [http://www.nytimes.com/2011/06/15/world/asia/15policy.html?\\_r=2&hp](http://www.nytimes.com/2011/06/15/world/asia/15policy.html?_r=2&hp)
- (b) Geheimdienst nahm mutmaßliche CIA-Helfer fest:  
<http://derstandard.at/1304554426938/Geheimdienst-nahm-mutmassliche-CIA-Helfer-fest>
- (c) CIA verliert Informanten in Pakistan: <http://nachrichten.rp-online.de/politik/cia-verliert-informanten-in-pakistan-1.1306882>
- (d) Osama raid Pakistan arrests major, four other CIA informants:  
<http://www.thenews.com.pk/TodaysPrintDetail.aspx?ID=6743&Cat=13&dt=6/16/2011>
- (e) Kein Major als US-Informant festgenommen:  
<http://www.stern.de/panorama/pakistan-demetiert-kein-major-als-us-informant-festgenommen-1696028.html>

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**Student Arrested in Egypt, Accused of Spying for Israel**  
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(abajournal) A third-year Emory law student was arrested Sunday in Cairo and accused of spying for Israeli intelligence.

The semiofficial Egyptian daily Al-Ahram said the 27-year-old student, Ilan Grapel, was a suspected "Mossad officer who tried to sabotage the Egyptian revolution," the Associated Press reports. A spokesman for the prosecutor's office said Grapel encouraged violence against the military, and between Muslims and Christians, during the protests that led to the ouster of Hosni Mubarak.

Israel's foreign minister, Avigdor Lieberman, denied Grapel was a spy, report CNN and the Associated Press in a separate story. So did his mother, Irene Grapel. "Law students don't have time to be spies," she said.

- (a) [http://www.abajournal.com/news/article/emory\\_law\\_student\\_arrested\\_in\\_egypt\\_accused\\_of\\_spying\\_for\\_israel/](http://www.abajournal.com/news/article/emory_law_student_arrested_in_egypt_accused_of_spying_for_israel/)
- (b) Ägypten verhaftet US-Student als "israelischen Spion":  
<http://studi.kurier.at/?story=1836>

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**US drone base set for Persian Gulf region**  
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(msnbc) The United States is building a secret CIA air base in the Persian Gulf region to target terrorists in Yemen, preparing for the possibility that an anti-American faction may take over Yemen and ban U.S. forces from hunting a lethal al-Qaida faction there, The Associated Press has learned.

The anti-al-Qaida effort in Yemen is being run by the Joint Special Operations Command, the top U.S. military counterterrorism outfit, and the CIA provides intelligence support. JSOC forces have been allowed by the Yemeni government to conduct limited strikes there since 2009 and have recently allowed expanded strikes by U.S. armed drones and even war planes against al-Qaida targets who are taking advantage of civil unrest to grab power and territory in the Gulf country.

- (a) [http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/43401892/ns/world\\_news-mideast\\_n\\_africa/](http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/43401892/ns/world_news-mideast_n_africa/)
- (b) USA bauen Drohnen-Stützpunkt am Persischen Golf:  
<http://www.welt.de/politik/ausland/article13429992/USA-bauen-Drohnen-Stuetzpunkt-am-Persischen-Golf.html>

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**Combined Security Forces Kill, Capture Insurgents**  
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(DOD) A combined Afghan and coalition security force killed numerous insurgents and detained five others after they were attacked in Paktika province's Omnah district yesterday.

The Afghan-led force was attacked several times by armed insurgents while searching a compound for a Haqqani Network leader. The force called in air support to suppress enemy fire.

- (a) <http://www.defense.gov/news/newsarticle.aspx?id=64321>
- (b) Combined Force Captures Taliban Leader in Paktika:  
<http://www.defense.gov/news/newsarticle.aspx?id=64298>

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**NATO Members Re-evaluate Contributions to Libya**  
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(DOD) NATO members are reviewing their contributions with an eye toward increasing their support to the ongoing mission to protect the Libyan people from Moammar Gadhafi's forces, a NATO spokeswoman said today.

"It is clear that NATO has the resources to keep up the pressure on the Gadhafi regime," Oana Lungescu told reporters via videoconference from Brussels. "We know it takes time. We know that following last week's ministerial meeting, allies and partners are considering how they can best provide the necessary resources to see this mission through."

NATO Secretary General Anders Fogh Rasmussen is "confident the alliance will do just that," she said.

Defense Secretary Robert M. Gates joined his fellow defense ministers at last week's ministerial in Brussels to endorse the extension of NATO's Operation Unified Protector mission by 90 days. The extension authorizes NATO to continue operations through the end of September.

- (a) <http://www.defense.gov/news/newsarticle.aspx?id=64305>
- (b) NATO engages pro-Qadhafi forces on north-west coast of Libya:  
[http://www.nato.int/cps/en/natolive/news\\_75394.htm](http://www.nato.int/cps/en/natolive/news_75394.htm)
- (c) Gates Calls Others to Join Libya Fight:  
<http://online.wsj.com/article/SB10001424052702304778304576373793280428126.html>

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**Iran Denies Role in Syria Crackdown**  
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(VOA) Iran has rejected allegations from Britain and the United States that it is helping Syria crack down on domestic opposition with advice, equipment, and training. Iran remains a key Syrian ally, with the two governments finding common ground on such issues as Israel, Lebanon and Iraq.

U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Clinton accuses Iran of supporting the Syrian government in what she calls its vicious assaults on peaceful protesters and military actions against its own cities.

The charge follows similar concerns from British authorities, including Foreign Secretary William Hague who said there is credible evidence of Tehran giving Syria aid to suppress dissent.

- (a) <http://www.voanews.com/english/news/Iran-Denies-Role-In-Syria-Crackdown-123829854.html>
- (b) UN Deadlocked Over Draft Syria Resolution, As Crackdown Continues: [http://www.rferl.org/content/security\\_council\\_deadlocked\\_over\\_syria/24234150.html](http://www.rferl.org/content/security_council_deadlocked_over_syria/24234150.html)
- (c) Syrian Government Forces Retake Parts of Restive Northern Region: <http://www.voanews.com/english/news/middle-east/Syrian-Troops-Clash-with-Gunmen-in-the-North-123708529.html>

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**Sudan: UN reports intense air bombardment of Southern Kordofan state**  
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(UN) The United Nations has reported heavy bombardment by Sudanese warplanes during the past week in areas surrounding the towns of Kadugli and Kauda in the troubled state of Southern Kordofan, with planes early today dropping at least 11 bombs on an airfield close to a UN camp.

The UN Mission in Sudan (UNMIS) said it was extremely concerned over the bombing campaign which, it said often seemed indiscriminate and had caused great suffering to local civilians and disrupted humanitarian assistance.

UNMIS reiterated its call all parties to the conflict to immediately allow access to humanitarian agencies, stop indiscriminate military attacks against civilians, and respect and protect them as required under international law.

Heavy fighting between forces of the northern Government and soldiers of the Sudan People's Liberation Army (SPLA) from the southern semi-autonomous region, which is due to formally secede next month, has raged across Southern Kordofan for more than a week.

<http://www.un.org/apps/news/story.asp?NewsID=38719&Cr=sudan&Cr1=>

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**Pakistan PM tells US military action not lone solution**  
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(irna) Pakistani Prime Minister Syed Yusuf Raza Gilani Monday told a top visiting US official that 'military action alone cannot be the solution' of the present problems and the focus should be diverted to the insurgency-hit areas.

The Prime Minister's remarks is considered to be a response to the repeated demands from the top U.S. officials to do more especially their call for an operation in the North Waziristan tribal region. Pakistan has not yet agreed to the U.S. proposal for military option in North Waziristan, the CIA considers the region as the main al-Qaeda and Taliban heaven for cross border attacks into Afghanistan.

Local media reported on Monday that Pakistan's military has planned, as first step, to 'enlist pro-government tribal elders in a fresh campaign it has devised to flush out al Qaeda members and its affiliates from North Waziristan'.

The move is aimed at deflecting growing US pressure for a full-scale offensive against the Haqqani Network - the deadliest of all Afghan Taliban factions - allegedly based there, Pakistan's Express Tribune newspaper reported.

<http://www.irna.ir/ENNewsShow.aspx?NID=30430248&SRCH=1>

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**CIA chief leaves Pak without deal on resetting ties with ISI**  
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(hindustantimes) CIA chief Leon Panetta has left Pakistan without reaching a deal on resetting the troubled relationship with ISI during meetings with the country's top military leaders. Panetta, who arrived on an unscheduled visit on Friday evening, did not meet anyone other than army chief Gen Ashfaq Parvez Kayani and ISI head Lt Gen Ahmed Shuja Pasha, a media report said.

He met the two leaders at Army House in Rawalpindi over dinner and discussed what was described by the Inter-Services Public Relations as a "framework for future intelligence sharing."

The CIA chief's departure on Saturday morning without routine calls on President Asif Ali Zardari and Prime Minister Yousuf Raza Gilani was seen by observers as a sign of the stalemate in his discussions with the military leadership, the Dawn newspaper reported.

<http://www.hindustantimes.com/CIA-chief-leaves-Pak-without-deal-on-resetting-ties-with-ISI/Article1-708517.aspx>

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**Pakistan, US satisfied at joint intelligence force**  
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(irna) The US Secretary of State, Hillary Clinton, and Pakistani Minister, Syed Yusuf Raza Gilani, have expressed satisfaction over the establishment of Joint Task Force between the respective Intelligence Agencies of the two countries which would facilitate information sharing and coordination.

Clinton called Gilani on Thursday night and informed him that CIA Chief would shortly be visiting Pakistan and hold talks for cooperation in the relevant fields, the Prime Minister's office said.

<http://www.irna.ir/ENNewsShow.aspx?NID=30424742&SRCH=1>

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**Dispute Jeopardizes Palestinian Unity Deal**  
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(VOA) A Palestinian unity agreement signed with much fanfare last month has run into trouble.

The Islamic militant group Hamas has rejected the rival Fatah faction's nominee for prime minister, threatening a delicate reconciliation agreement signed six weeks ago in Cairo. The unity deal is aimed at reconciling rival Palestinian governments: Hamas rules the Gaza Strip while Fatah heads the more moderate Palestinian Authority in the West Bank.

Hamas spokesman Sami Abu Zuhri made a terse statement after Fatah nominated the current prime minister of the Palestinian Authority, Salam Fayyad.

Abu Zuhri said Hamas has informed Fatah that the nomination of Fayyad is unacceptable.

<http://www.voanews.com/english/news/middle-east/Dispute-Jeopardizes-Palestinian-Unity-Deal-123712709.html>

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**Iran to transfer enrichment to Fordo site**  
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(isna) Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Salehi said on Sunday the country intends to transfer nuclear enrichment process to Fordo nuclear facility.

"Natanz nuclear site has been built for enriching uranium utmost to 5 percent purity to provide fuel for Bushehr nuclear power plant, so enrichment activities (which go beyond 5 percent) are to be carried out in Fordo nuclear site instead," Salehi told reporters on the sidelines of the second International Conference on Disarmament and Non-Proliferation in Tehran.

The international meeting mainly seeks examining ways to end nuclear challenges, Zionist regime's nuclear arsenals, nuclear disarmament and arms control.

The two-day conference opened on Sunday has brought together delegates from different nations across the world, including the United States, ambassadors and representatives from international bodies such as the UN and the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA).

<http://www.isna.ir/ISNA/NewsView.aspx?ID=News-1785834&Lang=E>

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**Rival Rallies Unfold in Politically-Charged Yemen**  
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(globalsecurity) Rival rallies are unfolding across Yemen where supporters of President Ali Abdullah Saleh are cheering his reported recovery from injuries while opponents are calling for the formation of a transitional government without him.

Saleh's loyalists are celebrating word from Saudi Arabia that the president has been moved out of intensive care there. He is recovering in the neighboring country from facial and burn injuries sustained in an attack a week ago on his presidential compound,



Meanwhile, anti-government protesters are pushing Vice President Abd al-Rab Mansur Hadi to set up a transitional government council during Saleh's absence. The president handed power to Hadi before his departure last weekend. Opponents have for months been calling for Saleh's immediate departure from office.

<http://www.globalsecurity.org/military/library/news/2011/06/mil-110610-voa01.htm>

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**U.S. Troops Look Set To Stay In Iraq Beyond 2011**

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(RFE) Signs are mounting that some U.S. forces could remain in Iraq after President Barack Obama's declared December 31 full withdrawal date.

The latest sign comes from Leon Panetta, Obama's choice to be the next U.S. secretary of defense.

During a Senate confirmation hearing on his nomination on June 9, he said, "I think it's clear to me that Iraq is considering the possibility of making a request for some kind of presence to remain there."

He told the Senate Armed Services Committee that there are about 1,000 Al-Qaeda insurgents in Iraq and that the situation is fragile.

"I believe that we should take whatever steps are necessary to make sure that we protect whatever progress we've made there," he said.

[http://www.rferl.org/content/iraq\\_us\\_troops\\_will\\_stay\\_after\\_years\\_end/24231366.html](http://www.rferl.org/content/iraq_us_troops_will_stay_after_years_end/24231366.html)

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**Pakistan arrests five men for helping CIA spy on Bin Laden house**

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(guardian) Pakistani intelligence has detained five alleged CIA informants who spied on Osama bin Laden in the months before the al-Qaida chief was killed in a special forces raid, US and Pakistani officials have said.

The Pakistani informants noted the details of vehicles visiting Bin Laden's house in Abbottabad, 35 miles north of Islamabad, and helped run a nearby house from which CIA spies watched the al-Qaida leader.

A Pakistani official said the owner of the CIA hideout had been arrested along with several other people.

- (a) <http://www.guardian.co.uk/world/2011/jun/15/pakistan-arrests-five-spying-cia>
- (b) Pakistan nimmt CIA-Informanten fest:  
<http://www.sueddeutsche.de/politik/jagd-nach-osama-bin-laden-pakistan-nimmt-cia-informanten-fest-1.1108753>

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**"Da versucht man dann, über Codes zu reden"**

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(dradio) Syrische Netz-Aktivistin erklärt die Tricks einer vertrauenswürdigen Kommunikation Salam Said im Gespräch mit Susanne Führer

Die syrische Netz-Aktivistin Salam Said erzählt, wie sich Oppositionelle in "trusted groups" organisiert haben, um ihre Kommunikation gegen die allgegenwärtigen syrischen Geheimdienste abzuschotten. Die haben sich inzwischen Spezialtechnik aus dem Iran angeschafft.

Susanne Führer: Seit fast drei Monaten demonstrieren in Syrien Hunderttausende friedlich für einen politischen Wandel. Aber Präsident Baschar al-Assad lässt jeden Protest blutig niederschlagen. Es ist schwer, an verlässliche Informationen aus Syrien zu kommen, weil die syrische Führung fast alle Auslandskorrespondenten ausgewiesen hat und der Apparat von Militär, Miliz und Geheimdienst die Menschen in Angst und Schrecken versetzt.

<http://www.dradio.de/dkultur/sendungen/thema/1481656/>

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### **Gewalt in Syrien: Vater und Sohn Assad gegen das Volk**

(nachrichten.t-online) Die Arabische Republik Syrien wird seit 40 Jahren von den Assads beherrscht. Hier demonstrieren seit Wochen Hunderttausende für politische Reformen. Machthaber Baschar al-Assad setzt auf die Gewalt eines umfassenden Unterdrückungsapparates und lässt auf sein Volk schießen. Bereits sein Vater Hafis-Al-Assad - Präsident von 1971 bis zu dessen Tod 2000 - ließ alle oppositionellen Strömungen im Keim ersticken.

Bevor der 1930 geborene Luftwaffenpilot Hafis al-Assad 1971 an die Macht kam, bekleidete er bereits wichtige Posten. Assad gehörte zur Militärkommission der Sozialistischen Baath-Partei, die 1963 die Regierung aus dem Amt putschte. Der General wurde Oberbefehlshaber der Luftwaffe und 1966 Verteidigungsminister.

[http://nachrichten.t-online.de/gewalt-in-syrien-vater-und-sohn-assad-gegen-das-volk/id\\_45998716/index?news](http://nachrichten.t-online.de/gewalt-in-syrien-vater-und-sohn-assad-gegen-das-volk/id_45998716/index?news)

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### **Intelligence Test**

(Newsweek) With dictatorships in Tunisia, Egypt, Libya, and Yemen collapsed or collapsing, America's spies have lost many of their most valued allies in the war against the jihadists.

Among American spies there's more than a little nostalgia for the bad old days. You know, back before dictators started toppling in the Middle East; back when suspected bad guys could be snatched off a street somewhere and delivered to the not-so-tender mercies of interrogators in their home countries; back when thuggish tyrants, however ugly, were at least predictable.

It's not a philosophical thing, just a practical one. Confronted by the cold realities of this year's Arab Spring, many intelligence and counterterrorism professionals now see major dangers looming near at hand, while the good news—a freer, fairer, more equitable and stable Arab world—remains somewhere over the horizon. "All this celebration of democracy is just bullshit," says one senior intelligence officer who's spent decades fighting terrorism and finds his job getting harder, not easier, because of recent developments. "You take the lid off and you don't know what's going to happen. I think disaster is lurking."

- (a) <http://www.newsweek.com/2011/06/12/how-the-arab-spring-has-weakened-u-s-intelligence.html>
- (b) Lizenz zum Wegschauen: <http://jungle-world.com/von-tunis-nach-teheran/1187/>

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**Bahrain: Abrechnung mit der Opposition**

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(OÖ Nachrichten) Nach der mit saudischer Unterstützung erfolgten Niederschlagung der Demokratiebewegung hat in Bahrain die juristische Abrechnung begonnen: Die Staatsanwaltschaft des Mini-Königreiches am Persischen Golf wirft 48 Ärzten und Krankenschwestern des Salmanija-Hospitals vor, die Bevölkerung zum Aufruhr angestiftet und einen gewaltsamen Umsturz geplant zu haben.

Tatsächlich hatte das überwiegend schiitische Krankenhauspersonal nichts anderes getan, als verletzte Demonstranten ärztlich zu versorgen. Für viele von ihnen war jede Hilfe zu spät gekommen: Sie erlagen ihren Schussverletzungen oder wurden von der Polizei zu Tode geprügelt.

Menschenrechtsorganisationen bezeichnen die Vorwürfe der Justiz daher als absurd: Nicht das Krankenhauspersonal, sondern die für die Niederschlagung der Proteste Verantwortlichen müssten auf die Anklagebank. Diese sollen die Polizei und den Geheimdienst angewiesen haben, „Ärzte und Krankenschwestern gezielt anzugreifen“. Damit sollte bewirkt werden, dass sich verletzte Demonstranten nicht mehr in die Krankenhäuser wagen, was dann auch passierte.

<http://www.nachrichten.at/nachrichten/politik/aussenpolitik/art391,650431>

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**Syrien: Netzwerker des Westens**

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(NZZ) Syriens Cyberdissidenten liegen im Trend - solange sie nicht zu «syrisch» wirken.

Arabische «Cyberdissidenten» sind «sexy» und gerade im Fall des von den Medien isolierten Syrien gefragt. Zu Wort kommen aber nur die, die dem Westen das erzählen, was er hören will - und was er unkompliziert nachvollziehen kann.

Der Fall Tall al-Mallouhi wäre Stoff für internationale Schlagzeilen gewesen. Eine 17-jährige behütete Kopftuchträgerin verschwindet im Dezember 2009 im Anschluss an ihre Vorladung durch den Geheimdienst spurlos in Damaskus. Erst Monate später erfahren ihre Angehörigen ihren Aufenthaltsort: das Frauengefängnis Duma. Sie wird der Spionage für die USA verdächtigt. 14 Monate nach ihrer Festnahme wird sie deshalb zu fünf Jahren Haft verurteilt.

[http://www.nzz.ch/nachrichten/kultur/aktuell/netzwerker\\_des\\_westens\\_1.10936669.html](http://www.nzz.ch/nachrichten/kultur/aktuell/netzwerker_des_westens_1.10936669.html)



## FAR EAST & ASIA

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### **China criticizes US for meddling on South China Sea**

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(ibtimes) China pledged to not use of force in its escalating conflict with Southeast Asian nations over the South China Sea, and has criticized the United States for involving itself in the imbroglio.

"We will not resort to the use of force or the threat of force," said Chinese ministry spokesperson Hong Lei, in a statement.

Yesterday, Vietnam staged a six-hour live-fire drill in the South China Sea. After several Southeast Asian nations, including the Philippines, called on the United States for its support, the US pledged that it would hold joint live-fire drills with Vietnam next month.

Beijing expressed deep reservations with the Washington's interference in the battle for the busiest shipping route in the world and the precious oil reserves beneath its waters -- thought to amount to contain 80 percent of the oil reserves in the entire Saudi kingdom.

"We hope countries not related to the disputes over the South China Sea will respect the efforts of directly related countries to resolve the issue through direct negotiations," Beijing's foreign ministry told the Associated Press, in a thinly veiled comment on US interventionism.

- (a) <http://www.ibtimes.com/articles/162584/20110614/vietnam-china-spratly-south-sea-war-us-intervention-hong-lei-petrovietnam-force-drill-fire-live.htm>
- (b) Vietnam Mounts Artillery Drill Amid Tensions With China:  
<http://www.voanews.com/english/news/asia/southeast/Vietnam-Mounts-Artillery-Drill-Amid-Tensions-With-China-123738804.html>

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### **US Blocks Ship Suspected of Carrying North Korean Arms**

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(VOA) A senior U.S. official says the Navy intercepted a ship suspected of carrying banned weapons technology from North Korea to Burma and forced it to return home. U.S. officials say they received support from the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, including Burma, in putting pressure on Pyongyang to halt the ship.

The USS McCampbell, a Navy destroyer, intercepted the M/V Light in international waters on May 26, as it made its way from North Korea to Burma. The ship carries the Belize flag, and authorities in Belize had given permission for it to be boarded.

<http://www.voanews.com/english/news/asia/US-Stops-North-Korean-Ship-on-Suspected-Burma-Mission-123749624.html>



## EUROPE (GEOGRAPH.)

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### Norway Announces Withdrawal From Libya Campaign

(thinkprogress) Outgoing Defense Secretary Robert Gates on Wednesday asked five NATO members (Germany, Spain, Poland, Turkey and the Netherlands) to boost their contributions in the air campaign against Muammar Qaddafi's government in Libya. U.S. officials even singled out Denmark and Norway for "punching above their weight." However, Norway announced today that "it will scale down its fighter jet contribution in Libya from six to four planes and withdraw completely from the NATO-led operation by August 1."

<http://thinkprogress.org/security/2011/06/10/242539/norway-announces-withdrawal-from-libya-campaign/>

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### L'OTAN fait le ménage dans ses QG, la Belgique épargnée

(OSINFO) L'OTAN va fermer dans les prochaines années quatre de ses quartiers généraux - notamment en Espagne et au Portugal - afin de réaliser une économie de plus de 4.000 fonctions en vertu d'un accord trouvé mercredi soir entre les ministres de la Défense alliés, a indiqué jeudi un responsable militaire de l'Alliance atlantique, le général de brigade belge Patrick Wouters.

Les ministres ont accepté, moyennant des changements somme toute mineurs, la proposition de compromis mise sur la table par le secrétaire général de l'OTAN, Anders Fogh Rasmussen, qui souhaitait réduire faire des économies en ces temps de réduction des budgets de la Défense de la plupart des alliés.

- (a) <http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/15/lotan-fait-le-menage-dans-ses-qg-la-belgique-epargnee.html>
- (b) The translated Article: "NATO cleaned up its headquarters, Belgium spared":  
<http://translate.google.com/translate?hl=en&sl=fr&u=http://www.7sur7.be/7s7/fr/1505/Monde/article/detail/1276748/2011/06/09/L-OTAN-fait-le-menage-dans-ses-QG-la-Belgique-epargnee.dhtml&ei=As35TbiyBoPu-gblgrHIAw&sa=X&oi=translate&ct=result&resnum=1&ved=0CBoQ7gEwAA&prev=/search%3Fq%3DL%2527OTAN%2Bfait%2Ble%2Bm%25C3%25A9nage%2Bdans%2Bses%2BQG,%2Bla%2BBelgique%2B%25C3%25A9pargn%25C3%25A9e%26hl%3Den%26client%3Dfirefox-a%26hs%3D88o%26rls%3Dorg.mozilla:de:official%26prmd%3Divns>

2074/11

### Franz Ferdinand: Alex Kapranos ein Spion?

(laxmag) Es hat etwas lange gedauert, bis die Nachricht ans Licht kam, aber jetzt ist es raus: Alex Kapranos von Franz Ferdinand ist ein Spion. Zumindest dachten das die USA und wollten ihn nicht einreisen lassen.

Wie die Musik-Seite ExploreMusic berichtet, wurde dem Sänger von Franz Ferdinand 2005 die Einreise in die USA verboten. Die Briten spielten ein

paar Gigs in Moskau und wollten danach vom Flughafen Domodedovo nach New York fliegen. Aber die Kontrolleure ließen ihn nicht passieren.

Der Grund: Alex Kapranos, der in seinem Pass mit dem Mädchennamen der Mutter vermerkt ist - nämlich Huntley - stehe auf der No-Flight-Liste der USA. Kapranos sei zu gefährlich und dürfe nicht einreisen. Bald kam aber Licht ins Dunkel: Auf der Liste stand tatsächlich ein gewisser Alex Huntley, der ein ehemaliger MI6-Agent war, der aber in Ungnade verfallen war, da er zuviele Geheimnisse preis gab.

<http://www.laxmag.de/lauffeuer/2531-franz-ferdinand-alex-kapranos-ein-spion>



2075/11

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**British intelligence: "Part of our job is to make people feel safe"**  
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(OSINFO) The bomb discovered in Dublin on the first day of the Queen's visit, writes Bronwen Maddox, showed that Irish republican dissidents still pose a threat—as British intelligence has been quietly warning.

Irish republicanism aside, British intelligence agencies describe many of the same problems—and claim similar successes—as their US counterparts. The misjudgement of Iraq's weapons was a low point, but they say that they have made inroads against the threat of Islamic terrorism, and are grappling with the continuing challenge of Russian networks and the new threat of cyber-terrorism.

There are three arms to the British security services: MI5, which protects Britain from terrorist attack and other threats; the Secret Intelligence Service, or MI6, whose efforts are overseas; and GCHQ, which extracts intelligence from communications, and has particular expertise in internet traffic.

Security services have one unchallengeable retort to a charge that their record has been patchy. Everyone knows about the failures, such as bombers who reach their target. But they have, they say, prevented attacks that they cannot describe. As John Sawers, head of MI6, put it in a public speech in October: "The debate on [MI6's] role is not well informed, in part because we have been so determined to protect our secrets." He pointed out that security services do not want to keep people in a state of alarm by advertising threats; indeed, "part of our job is to make people feel safe."

<http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/14/british-intelligence-part-of-our-job-is-to-make-people-feel.html>

2076/11

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**Britons held as 'spies' in Eritrea have been released**  
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(BBC) Four Britons held in Eritrea on spying and terrorism charges since December have been released, the Foreign Office (FCO) has said.

The four men - who all worked for the same security firm - are believed to be on their way back to the UK.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-13742725>



*(This section is edited by Oliver PLAUDER, ACIPSS's expert on the IRA)*

2077/11 -----

**Dissident republicans may be linked to Clogherhead find**

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(BBC) Gardai are investigating a possible dissident republican link to a quantity of ammunition found at a disused house in County Louth on Tuesday.

A timing device was also discovered at the property on Chapel Road in Clogherhead.

An Irish army bomb disposal team was sent to make the area safe, along with a Garda armed regional support unit.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-13774028>

2078/11 -----

**Army bomb team called to suspect find in Louth**

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(irishtimes) THE ARMY bomb disposal team was last night called in to make safe what was suspected to be a number of bags of explosives, possibly home-made explosives.

It is understood they were found hidden behind a washing machine in the kitchen of a vacant house on Chapel Road, Clogherhead, Co Louth.

They were found by a person who was checking the house which had been unoccupied for a number of weeks.

<http://www..com/newspaper/ireland/2011/0615/1224298937611.html>

2079/11 -----

**Man in Londonderry court over Easter rally**

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(BBC) A 28-year-old man has appeared in court in Londonderry on terrorist charges linked to an Easter commemoration in the city this year.

Frank Quigley, from Elmwood Road, is accused of arranging or managing a meeting in support of the IRA in April.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-13759812>

2080/11 -----

**Viable device found in Craigavon**

(UTV) A controlled explosion has been carried out on a viable object in Craigavon, Co Armagh.

The suspicious object was discovered on waste ground, close to Moylinn House in the Legahory Green area on Tuesday afternoon.

<http://www.u.tv/News/Viable-device-found-in-Craigavon/9f525e23-47c8-4dce-8417-b0d22e99d8d8>

2081/11 -----

**'My concern at officer's trips south in same car'**

(belfasttelegraph) A retired Garda superintendent said he had been concerned that a top RUC officer repeatedly used the same car to travel to the Irish Republic in the months before he was killed in an IRA ambush.

Superintendent Bob Buchanan was murdered along with colleague Chief Superintendent Harry Breen near the border after a meeting at Dundalk Garda Station in March 1989.

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/local-national/northern-ireland/lsquomy-concern-at-officerrsqus-trips-south-in-same-carrsqso-16012033.html#ixzz1PKivfCBi>



## GERMANY

2082/11 -----

**Geheimdienst warnte Bundeswehr nicht - Anschlag hat "neue Dimension"**

(n-tv) Die Bundeswehr in Afghanistan muss sich internen Bewertungen zufolge auf eine steigende Zahl von Anschlägen einstellen, heißt es in einem Medienbericht. Die Angriffe der Taliban seien ein "bewusster Strategiewechsel". Afghanistans Geheimdienst soll die Bundeswehr nicht vor Anschlagplänen gewarnt haben.

Die Schlagkraft der Taliban im Norden Afghanistans wird nach einem Bericht der "Bild"-Zeitung von der Bundeswehr höher eingeschätzt als bislang nach außen dargestellt. Die Taliban seien in der Provinz Baghlan "unverändert im Raum vorhanden", hieß es unter Berufung auf interne und als geheim eingestufte Bewertungen der Bundeswehr.

Verteidigungsminister Thomas de Maizière (CDU) hatte nach dem tödlichen Anschlag auf einen deutschen Schützenpanzer am 2. Juni gesagt, "die Taliban verlieren an Boden". Analysten der Bundeswehr würden hingegen von einem "bewussten Strategiewechsel" der Taliban sprechen, hieß es.





## AUSTRIA

2083/11

### **Dutzende Österreicher im Dienst des CSSR-Geheimdienstes**

(unzensuriert) Die kommunistischen Regime des ehemaligen Ostblocks zeichneten sich durch Repression gegen die eigene Bevölkerung und rege Spionagetätigkeit in westlichen Ländern aus. Dicht gewoben war ein Netz aus Agenten und Informanten, die alles und jeden überwachten und die gewünschten Informationen auftragsgemäß weiterleiteten.

Für die ehemalige Tschechoslowakei stellte kürzlich der Historiker Lubomir Morbacher von der slowakischen Behörde für Geheimdienstunterlagen UPN Nachforschungen über österreichische Agenten in kommunistischen Diensten an und kam zu bestürzenden Erkenntnissen. Unter den Dutzenden Österreichern, die gegen Entgelt für den kommunistischen Geheimdienst tätig waren, befanden sich nämlich nicht nur Privatpersonen, sondern auch Polizei- und Zollbeamte.

<http://www.unzensuriert.at/content/004520-Dutzende-Oesterreicher-im-Dienst-des-CSSR-Geheimdienstes>



## AMERICA (CONTINENTAL)

2084/11

### **New Mexican President, Same Cartel War?**

(STRATFOR) We talk to a lot of people in our effort to track Mexico's criminal cartels and to help our readers understand the dynamics that shape the violence in Mexico. Our contacts include a wide range of people, from Mexican and U.S. government officials, journalists and business owners to taxi drivers and street vendors. Lately, as we've been talking with people, we've been hearing chatter about the 2012 presidential election in Mexico and how the cartel war will impact that election.

In any democratic election, opposition parties always criticize the policies of the incumbent. This tactic is especially true when the country is involved in a long and costly war. Recall, for example, the 2008 U.S. elections and then-candidate Barack Obama's criticism of the Bush administration's policies regarding Iraq and Afghanistan. This strategy is what we are seeing now in Mexico with the opposition Institutional Revolutionary Party (PRI) and Democratic Revolutionary Party (PRD) criticizing the way the administration of Felipe Calderon, who belongs to

the National Action Party (PAN), has prosecuted its war against the Mexican cartels.

[http://www.stratfor.com/weekly/20110614-new-mexican-president-same-cartel-war?utm\\_source=SWeekly&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=110616&utm\\_content=SECtitle&elq=447ald2488154594aabea6343b9bfa0a](http://www.stratfor.com/weekly/20110614-new-mexican-president-same-cartel-war?utm_source=SWeekly&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=110616&utm_content=SECtitle&elq=447ald2488154594aabea6343b9bfa0a)

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2085/11 -----

**Assange says WikiLeaks work hampered**


(ajc) After six months under virtual house arrest, WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange acknowledged Thursday that his detention is hampering the work of the secret-spilling site. His supporters accused Britain of subjecting him to "excessive and dehumanizing" treatment.

The 39-year-old Australian is living at a supporter's rural estate as he fights extradition to Sweden, where he is wanted for questioning over claims of rape and sexual molestation made by two women.

Assange's bail conditions require him to observe an overnight curfew, wear an electronic tag and report to police daily.

His supporters released a video to The Associated Press condemning the conditions. In it, WikiLeaks associate Sarah Harrison accuses authorities of treating Assange "like a caged animal."

<http://www.ajc.com/business/apnewsbreak-assange-says-wikileaks-978706.html>

	<b>AFRICA (SUB-SAHARA)</b>
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2086/11 -----

**Clinton Urges Africa to Abandon Gadhafi**

(VOA) U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Clinton has called for African nations to sever ties with Libyan leader Moammar Gadhafi and demand his removal.

Speaking from a lectern where Gadhafi has often addressed African assemblies, the secretary of state acknowledged the Libyan leader's influence in the 53-member body. But she urged African leaders to stand up

for the organization's democratic ideals and take the lead in demanding his ouster.

"I know it is true over many years, Gadhafi played a major role in providing financial support for many African nations and institutions, including the African Union, but it has become clearer by the day he has lost his legitimacy to rule, and we are long past time when he can or should remain in power," said Clinton.

<http://www.voanews.com/english/news/africa/Clinton-Africa-Should-Sever-Ties-With-Gadhafi-123753119.html>

2087/11

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**Southern Sudan's Vice President Calls for Extension of UN Mandate**  
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(VOA) The vice president of the Government of Southern Sudan has asked that the U.N. Mission in Sudan [UNMIS] be renewed for another year. Riek Machar said Sudan could return to war if the United Nations ends its mandate after southern Sudan declares independence next month.

He said after that the situation in the north could deteriorate into what he called a Rwandan-type of genocide. Sudan consists of many ethnic groups, including southerners living in the north whose citizenship has not yet been determined.

UNMIS was established in 2005 to ensure that both sides comply with the Comprehensive Peace Agreement [CPA] , which was signed that year, ending two decades of civil war.

Machar expressed concern over the escalating violence in some areas along the border of northern and southern Sudan.

<http://www.voanews.com/english/news/africa/east/Southern-Sudans-Vice-President-Calls-for-Extension-of-UN-Mandate--123772609.html>

2088/11

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**Clinton: Death of Embassy Bombing Suspect Big Blow to al-Qaida**  
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(VOA) U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Clinton says the death of a man suspected of organizing the 1998 bombings of American embassies in Kenya and Tanzania is a significant blow to al-Qaida.

Secretary Clinton says Harun Fazul's death is "a significant blow to al-Qaida, its extremist allies, and its operations in East Africa." After laying flowers at a memorial for the 12 Tanzanians killed here in Dar es Salaam, Clinton spoke to a small gathering of embassy staff. "Some of you lost your friends and loved ones, and all Americans grieved with you then, and we have not forgotten your losses. And we have also not forgotten our pledge to seek justice against those who would commit such atrocities," she said.

<http://www.voanews.com/english/news/usa/Clinton-Death-of-Embassy-Bombing-Suspect-Big-Blow-to-al-Qaida-123713894.html>

2089/11

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**Another Leader's Death Is A Set Back For Al-Qaida**  
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(npr) Security forces in Somalia say they killed Fazul Abdullah Mohammed, also known as Harun Fasul. He was the alleged al-Qaida mastermind of the 1998 U.S. Embassy bombings in Kenya and Tanzania. Bruce Hoffman, the director of Security Studies at Georgetown University, talks to Steve Inskeep about how much Mohammed's death will affect al-Qaida.

- (a) <http://www.npr.org/2011/06/13/137146184/another-al-qaida-leaders-death-is-set-back-for-the-group>
- (b) El-Kaida-Chef für Ostafrika in Somalia erschossen: [http://www.dw-world.de/dw/function/0,,83389\\_cid\\_15148696,00.html](http://www.dw-world.de/dw/function/0,,83389_cid_15148696,00.html)

2090/11

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**Kirgistan: Parlament fordert Festnahme des flüchtigen Ex-Präsidenten**  
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(berlinerumschau) Vierzehn Monate nach dem Umsturz in Kirgistan hat das Parlament des zentralasiatischen Staates von den Behörden gefordert, den flüchtigen Ex-Präsidenten Kurmanbek Bakijew und dessen Vertraute festzunehmen.

In ihrem Appell fordern die Abgeordneten die Generalstaatsanwaltschaft,

den Geheimdienst und das Innenministerium auf, alle notwendigen Maßnahmen zu ergreifen, um Bakijew, seine Söhne Marat und Maxim sowie Ex-Premier Danijar Usenow und andere ehemalige hochrangige Amtsträger zu finden und nach Kirgistan zu bringen.

Der kirgisische Präsident Kurmanbek Bakijew war im April 2010 von der Opposition gestürzt worden und hatte sich ins Ausland abgesetzt. Derzeit genießt er in Weißrussland Asyl. Bei den schweren Zusammenstößen zwischen Demonstranten und Sicherheitskräften wie auch zwischen Anhängern und Gegnern Bakijews, kamen rund 90 Menschen ums Leben, rund 1.500 weitere erlitten Verletzungen.

<http://www.berlinerumschau.com/news.php?id=22266&title=Kirgistan%3A+Parlament+fodert+Festnahme+des+fl%C4%9Cchtigen+Ex-Pr%C4%9Fsidenten+Bakijew&storyid=1001308223502>



2091/11 -----

**Reporting in Times of War: Press Freedom in Afghanistan 2008 - 2011**

(humansecuritygateway) This document has been produced by the International Federation of Journalists (IFJ) for the Afghan Independent Journalists' Association and other partners and affiliates in Afghanistan.

Journalism in Afghanistan continues to be scarred by seemingly endless conflict but is able, when occasion arises, to celebrate significant achievements. At the official commemoration of World Press Freedom Day in 2011, the country's Minister for Information, Sayed Makhdoon Raheen, remarked upon the growth of Afghanistan's media as one of the signal achievements of the years since the dismantling of the Taliban regime in November 2001. Within a month of the Taliban collapse, according to Raheen, Afghanistan had sprouted no less than 200 independent media outlets. Ten years later, the figure, as quoted by the Minister in his public address on 3 May 2011, stood at 1000. This is not to discount the difficulties that journalism in Afghanistan faces almost on a continuous basis. It should be counted among the most significant achievements of journalists in Afghanistan that they have put in place a nascent media rights monitoring network, with the most serious instances of media rights violations reported to a world audience. With support from the Commission for the European Union (EU), the International Federation of Journalists (IFJ) has assisted the Afghan Independent Journalists' Association (AIJA) and other local organisations to develop this network, with particular reference to promoting free and safe reporting in the context of Afghanistan's elections in recent years.

- (a) <http://www.humansecuritygateway.com/showRecord.php?RecordId=35411>
- (b) <http://www.conflictmonitors.org/countries/afghanistan/research/research-details/!k/afghanistan-research/2011/06/10/Reporting-in-Times-of-War-Press-Freedom-in-Afghanistan-2008-2011>
- (c) The Report: <http://asiapacific.ifj.org/assets/docs/082/029/36e9452-4d93d1d.pdf>

2092/11 -----

**Das große Erwachen - Facebook-Flucht setzt ein**

(theintelligence) Der 27-jährige Mark Zuckerberg, Gründer und Inhaber von Facebook, hat eine Traumkarriere hinter sich. Eine, von Studienkollegen entwickelte, Kommunikations-Software, die eigentlich für den Campus-Bereich gedacht war, umspannt die Welt. In wenigen Jahren schaffte er es von 0 auf 13,5 Milliarden Dollar Privatvermögen. Doch dem weiteren Wachstum scheinen Grenzen gesetzt. Während das große Ziel lautet, eine Milliarde User, löschen immer mehr ehemalige Facebook-Fans ihren Account. Allein in den USA reduzierte sich die Zahl der Benutzer um nicht weniger als sechs Millionen.

Auch wenn es uns selten bewusst wird, auch wenn es die meisten von uns nicht wirklich stört, für die Geheimdienste der Welt hat sich mit Facebook ein Traum erfüllt. Hunderte Millionen Menschen stellen freiwillig und begeistert private Informationen zur Verfügung, die ansonsten nur durch überaus aufwendige Recherchen zu sammeln wären. Wohnort, Schulbildung, Interessen, eine Liste von Freunden mit den dazugehörigen Fotos und immer wieder Hinweise darauf, wie der Tag so verbracht wird. Auch wenn der gemeine Mensch praktisch nichts zu verbergen hat, was für Möglichkeiten

hätten sich für Stasi, Gestapo und KGB hier eröffnet? Und was eröffnet sich für CIA, MI6, BND und Mossad?

Die in jüngster Zeit eingeführte Gesichtserkennung scheint auch einige Deutsche wachzurütteln. Ja, natürlich, die Funktion des „Taggings“, wodurch Facebook automatisch auf Fotos verweist, auf denen eine bestimmte Person ebenfalls abgebildet ist, lässt sich ausschalten. Was verschwindet, ist jedoch nur der Hinweis. Gespeichert werden die Daten trotzdem.

<http://www.theintelligence.de/index.php/gesellschaft/zeitgeist/2801-das-grosse-erwachenfacebook-flucht-setzt-ein.html>

2093/11 -----

**Chronik: Ein Wurm geht um die Welt**

(berlinonline) Seit Jahren ist das Internet als digitale Infrastruktur der Welt das Ziel von Attacken, die teilweise von anonymen Gruppen und teilweise von Staaten ausgingen. Nachfolgend eine Chronik der schwersten Angriffe.

Sowjetunion/Irak: Schon 1982 soll der US-Geheimdienst CIA die Software einer kanadischen Firma so manipuliert haben, dass in Sibirien eine sowjetische Gaspipeline explodierte. Im Irak-Krieg entwickelte die US Air Force 1991 angeblich ein Computer-Virus, welches das Kontrollzentrum der irakischen Luftabwehr lahmlegen sollte. Das Zentrum sei aber bombardiert und der Virus zerstört worden, bevor er aktiv werden konnte.

<http://www.berlinonline.de/berliner-zeitung/politik/chronik-ein-wurm-geht-um-die-welt/347871.php>

2094/11 -----

**Spionage: Cyberattacke auf IWF lässt Finanzwelt erzittern**

(Presse) Ob Staaten, Spekulanten oder Anarchos: Wer die sensiblen Daten des Internationalen Währungsfonds (IWF) stiehlt, hat politisches Dynamit in Händen. Die Cyberkriminellen haben über mehrere Monate hin zugeschlagen.

Als hätte man beim Internationalen Währungsfonds (IWF) nicht schon genug Sorgen: Eigentlich sollte die wichtigste Finanzinstitution der Welt gerade die Schuldenkrise der Euro-Problemstaaten zu lösen helfen. Aber seit Dominique Strauss-Kahn der versuchten Vergewaltigung eines Zimmermädchens angeklagt wurde und zurücktreten musste, fehlt der Herr im eigenen Haus. Und jetzt auch noch das: Die Krisenfeuerwehr mit Sitz in Washington wurde Ziel eines groß angelegten Angriffs von Hackern.

Und das nicht erst gestern: Über mehrere Monate hin haben die Cyberkriminellen zugeschlagen. Aber erst vor zwei Wochen wurde das Leck entdeckt, und erst vergangenen Mittwoch erfuhr das Direktorium davon. Der Desktop eines Mitarbeiters wurde missbräuchlich benutzt, um in das System einzudringen. Ein als harmloser E-Mail-Anhang getarntes Programm machte die Eindringlinge zu „digitalen Insidern“ des gesamten Netzwerks. Eine so geschickte „Malware“ habe man „noch nicht gesehen“, sagte ein IT-Experte der IWF-Schwesterorganisation Weltbank zum „Wall Street Journal“. Das lässt Schlimmes ahnen. Denn der IWF ist ein Hort von hoch sensiblen und damit hoch explosiven Informationen: inoffizielle Zahlen über die Finanzlage von Staaten, geheime Details über Hilfsabkommen, Memos über die Verhandlungen mit anderen Staaten, die diese Hilfen mitfinanzieren, aber auch Pläne zu neuen Währungsregeln oder Regulierungen für Banken.

- (a) <http://diepresse.com/home/techscience/internet/669738/Cyberattacke-auf-IWF-laesst-Finanzwelt-erzittern>
- (b) Der Krieg im Netz: <http://www.tagesspiegel.de/politik/der-krieg-imnetz/4281306.html>



## SPYCRAFT

2095/11

### Bond Lifestyle - The Real Thing



"Welcome, Mr. Bond!" - Bond Lifestyle provides a stylish and clear online guide to the gadgets, the clothes, the cars, the travel locations and the gambling habits of the most suave secret agent. Find inspiration to improve your style, complete your 007 collection, get ideas for your James Bond theme party, or identify that shirt that you saw in the latest Bond movie Quantum of Solace.

You can also find a Newsletter, contests, a forum and reviews.

<http://www.jamesbondlifestyle.com/>

2096/11

### A special: the MINOX Digital Spy Camera



There's always a clever mind behind every classic design. And the MINOX story must always be told with reference to the name, Walter Zapp. The legendary designer who wrote photographic history with his revolutionary invention of the first Ur-MINOX in 1938. The ingenious idea was to be seen in its dimensions. A camera smaller than a cigar and weighing less than a cigarette lighter. And

featuring an excellent lens. This was a stroke of lasting genius - as the MINOX ECX and the MINOX CLX Special Edition still proof today. And of course, it was no surprise to see these miniature cameras with the 8 x 11 mm film format go on to become world famous as espionage cameras.

Traditionally the tiny MINOX spy camera stands for a unique and entirely different form of photography, and so does the brand new Digital SpyCam. It can be whipped out of a pocket at any time to capture high quality fleeting candid images inconspicuously: one click and it's gone. SpyCam users suddenly become "Agent M" with their own personal "License to Shoot". The new image world of the Digital SpyCam has its own internet forum. Original and exciting "Agent M Shoots" can be placed on this site and contacts made to other "agents" all over the world!

Seeing this camera makes people immediately think of Bond, James Bond, and not without good reason. The DSC is small, really small. And this new

version with metal finish looks even more like it's famous ancestor, the Minox A (read more about the Minox A in OHMSS). It's so tiny it disappears in a clenched fist. Or in the heel of a shoe or other such ingenious hiding places.

The new silver Spy Cam has an additional external flash that can be connected to the side of the DSC. And to provide the user with the accustomed convenience of a display for viewing film and image results the flash has an integrated 1.5 inch TFT LCD monitor. The image data can be saved on micro SD memory cards of up to 16 GB, in addition to the internal 128 MB flash memory.

Price: 249 Euro

- (a) [http://www.jamesbondlifestyle.com/index\\_spygadgets.php?m=sg&g=sg006](http://www.jamesbondlifestyle.com/index_spygadgets.php?m=sg&g=sg006)
- (b) The Minox Internet Forum: <http://www.license-to-shoot.com/>
- (c) The official Minox Website: <http://www.minox.de/index.php?L=0>

2097/11 -----

### Freizeitoutfit „Spion“

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Das Freizeitoutfit "Spion" unter stylefruits.de: Dabei ist natürlich Trenchcoat, Schlapphut und Sonnenbrille.

<http://www.stylefruits.de/freizeitoutfit-spion/o1138261>



## INTEL HISTORY

2098/11 -----

### "Eric" - ein Atomspion aus Österreich

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(ORF) Der österreichische Chemiker Engelbert Broda hatte ein bewegtes Leben. Er war Wissenschaftler von Weltrang, Kommunist, Naturschützer und - wie kürzlich veröffentlichte KGB-Dokumente belegen - auch ein Spion im Dienste Russlands.

Sein Sohn Paul Broda hat nun ein Buch über den Atomspion aus Österreich geschrieben. Wie der britische Biologe im Gespräch mit science.ORF.at erzählt, hat auch sein Stiefvater, der Physiker Alan Nunn May, während des Zweiten Weltkrieges für die UdSSR spioniert. Im Gegensatz zu Engelbert Broda wurde May jedoch enttarnt und musste für sieben Jahre ins Gefängnis.

science.ORF.at: Wie wurde ihr Vater Spion?

Paul Broda: Mein Vater wurde 1910 in Wien geboren, nach dem Ersten Weltkrieg kam er mit dem Kommunismus in Kontakt. Dafür waren zwei Personen



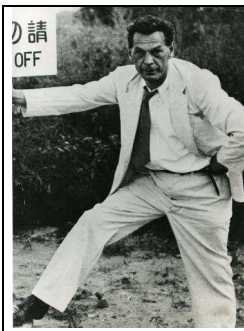
verantwortlich: Sein Onkel, der Filmregisseur Georg Wilhelm Pabst, und sein Taufpate Egon Schönhof, der von der Ostfront als überzeugter Bolschewik zurückkehrte. Mein Vater war von Jugend an politisch aktiv und wurde 1932 Vorsitzender der österreichischen kommunistischen Studenten. 1938 emigrierte er nach Großbritannien und wurde während des Zweiten Weltkriegs für das britische Atomenergieprojekt engagiert.

1942 nahm er dann mit den Russen Kontakt auf, um sie über die Atomprojekte der Briten und Amerikaner zu informieren. Ich muss allerdings betonen: Zu dieser Zeit waren die Russen Verbündete im Kampf gegen die Nazis. Winston Churchill hatte noch 1941 gesagt, man werde den Russen sämtliches verfügbares Material im Kampf gegen Deutschland zukommen lassen.

<http://science.orf.at/stories/1684052/>

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**"Wenn irgendjemand Hitler vernichtet, dann bin ich das!"**  
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(Spiegel) Playboy, Quartalssäufer, Motorradfreak: Richard Sorge war alles andere als ein diskreter Spion. Mehrfach warnte er Josef Stalin vor dem Überfall der Deutschen im Juni 1941. Doch der Diktator schlug die Warnungen des Lebemanns in den Wind - mit fatalen Folgen.

Ich danke Ihnen für all Ihre Freundlichkeiten." Mit diesen Worten verabschiedete sich der höfliche Häftling am 7. November 1944 von seinen japanischen Henkern. Kurz darauf, um 10.20 Uhr, öffnete sich der Boden des Galgens in Tokios "Sugamo"-Gefängnis. 16 Minuten später nahm man den Mann aus

der Zelle Nummer 20 vom Strick: Top-Agent Richard Sorge, Deckname "Ramsay", war tot.

Ausgerechnet am 27. Jahrestag der russischen Revolution hatte man jenen Spion hingerichtet, der Stalin von Tokio aus hochgeheime Informationen zugeschanzt hatte. Und mit seinen Funksprüchen im Zweiten Weltkrieg eine entscheidende Wende zugunsten der Alliierten herbeigeführt haben soll - so der Ruhm Sorges.

Denn dank seiner Information, dass Japan die Sowjetunion nicht angreifen würde, zog Stalin Truppen aus Sibirien nach Westen ab und drängte die vorpreschende Wehrmacht im Winter 1941 zurück: ein Schlag, von dem sich Hitler-Deutschland nie mehr erholen sollte. Zuvor hatte Sorge Stalin mehrfach vor dem "Unternehmen Barbarossa" gewarnt. Doch der Diktator hörte nicht auf seinen Spion.

[http://einestages.spiegel.de/static/topicalbumbackground/22871/\\_wenn\\_irgendjemand\\_hitler\\_vernichtet\\_dann\\_bin\\_ich\\_das.html](http://einestages.spiegel.de/static/topicalbumbackground/22871/_wenn_irgendjemand_hitler_vernichtet_dann_bin_ich_das.html)



## HOT DOCS ONLINE

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### **Prevent strategy 2011**

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(OSINFO) The Prevent strategy has been re-focused following a review. The strategy now contains three objectives: to respond to the ideological challenge of terrorism and the threat from those who promote it; to prevent people from being drawn into terrorism and ensure that they are given appropriate advice and support; and to work with sectors and institutions where there are risks of radicalisation that we need to address.

Included here are the strategy, the consultation responses, Lord Carlile's report on the review and the strategy, the equality impact assessment and an executive summary of the strategy in Arabic.

- (a) <http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/13/prevent-strategy-2011.html>
- (b) The Report: <http://www.homeoffice.gov.uk/publications/counter-terrorism/prevent/prevent-strategy/prevent-strategy-review?view=Binary>

2101/11 -----

### **Protocols on Nuke Free Zones in Africa, Pacific Sent to Senate**

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(FAS) With little fanfare, the White House last month transmitted the protocols of two treaties on nuclear weapons free zones in the South Pacific and Africa to the U.S. Senate for ratification. The Protocols generally commit the signatories "not to use or threaten to use a nuclear explosive device" against any other party to the Treaty.

Protocols 1, 2, and 3 to the South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone Treaty had been signed by the United States in 1996, but were not submitted for Senate ratification until now.

Likewise, Protocols I and II to the African Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone Treaty were signed by the U.S. in 1996, but never ratified.

In each case, President Obama wrote in his transmittal letters on May 2, 2011 that "I am convinced that it is in the best interest of the United States to ratify [the Protocols]. This step will strengthen our relations with our... friends and allies and enhance U.S. security by furthering our global nonproliferation and arms control objectives."

- (a) <http://www.fas.org/blog/secretcy/>
- (b) Protocols 1, 2, and 3 to the South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone Treaty: <http://www.fas.org/nuke/control/spnfz/protocols.pdf>
- (c) Protocols I and II to the African Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone Treaty: <http://www.fas.org/nuke/control/anwfz/protocols.pdf>
- (d) Statement on Nuclear Free Zones in Asia and Africa: <http://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2011/05/02/statement-nuclear-free-zones-asia-and-africa>

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**Iran's Nuclear Future: Critical US Policy Choices**  
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(OSINFO) As Iran's nuclear program continues to evolve, U.S. decisionmakers will confront a series of critical policy choices involving complex considerations and policy trade-offs. These policy choices could include dissuading Iran from developing nuclear weapons and deterring Iran from using its nuclear weapons, if it were to acquire them. To be successful, the United States will need to find ways to influence Iran's calculations of costs and benefits as Iran pursues its national security.

[http://www.rand.org/content/dam/rand/pubs/monographs/2011/RAND\\_MG1087.pdf](http://www.rand.org/content/dam/rand/pubs/monographs/2011/RAND_MG1087.pdf)

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**Military and Strategic Affairs, Volume 3, No. 1**  
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(OSINFO) The Report is now available online.

In this issue:

Iranian Involvement in Lebanon by Eyal Zisser

The Unique Features of the Second Intifada by Zaki Shalom and Yoaz Hendel

Israeli Naval Power: An Essential Factor in the Operational Battlefield by Zeev Almog

Naval Flanking in Ground Warfare by Gideon Raz

Israel's Unilateral Withdrawals from Lebanon and the Gaza Strip: A Comparative Overview by Reuven Erlich

Basic Concepts in Cyber Warfare by Lior Tabansky

Protecting Critical Assets and Infrastructures from Cyber Attacks by Gabi Siboni

- (a) <http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/15/military-and-strategic-affairs-volume-3-no-1.html>
- (b) The Report: <http://www.inss.org.il/upload/%28FILE%291308129667.pdf>

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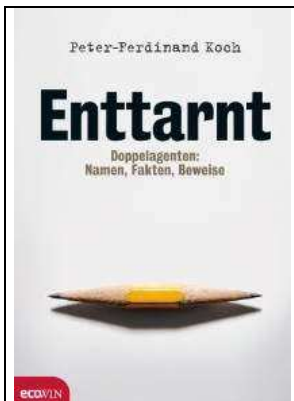
**The Russian Military and the Georgia War: Lessons and Implications**

(OSINFO) In August 2008, the armed conflict on the territory of Georgia's breakaway regions of South Ossetia and Abkhazia broke out between Russia and Georgia. The Russian-planned military campaign lasted 5 days until the parties reached a preliminary ceasefire agreement on August 12. The European Union, led by the French presidency, mediated the ceasefire. After signing the agreement, Russia pulled most of its troops out of uncontested Georgian territories, but established buffer zones around Abkhazia and South Ossetia. On August 26, 2008, Russia recognized the independence of South Ossetia and Abkhazia, making them a part of what Russian President Dmitry Medvedev called Moscow's "zone of privileged interests." Since then, .

Russia has deployed troops to five military bases on occupied Georgian territory. This conflict clearly demonstrated weaknesses inherent in NATO and European Union security systems

- (a) Dr. Ariel Cohen, Colonel Robert E. Hamilton: The Russian Military and the Georgia War: Lessons and Implications. STRATEGIC STUDIES INSTITUTE 2011. ISBN 1-58487-491-0.
- (b) <http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/13/the-russian-military-and-the-georgia-war-lessons-and-implica.html>

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**Peter-Ferdinand Koch: Enttarnt**

(schwaebische) Brisantes über die verhängnisvolle Rolle von Doppelagenten deckt Peter-Ferdinand Koch in seinem Buch «Enttarnt» auf. Darin sind neue Fakten über die ehemalige NS-Zugehörigkeit von Mitarbeitern des Bundesnachrichtendienstes (BND) ebenso nachzulesen wie über andere Karrieren von ehemaligen SS-Spionen in der Bundesrepublik.

Nach den Recherchen des ehemaligen «Spiegel»-Redakteurs und Buchautors war jener SS-Oberscharführer, der Anne Frank verhaftet hat, nach dem Krieg Informant der Organisation Gehlen, der Vorläuferorganisation des BND. Koch gibt auch Auskunft auf die Frage, zu welchem Zweck

das renommierte Münchner Institut für Zeitgeschichte gegründet wurde, oder wie ein früherer SS-Spion Intendant der Deutschen Welle wurde. Kochs Fazit: «Maulwürfe pflanzen sich fort».

- (a) Peter-Ferdinand Koch: Enttarnt. Doppelagenten: Namen, Fakten, Beweise, Ecowin Verlag, Salzburg, 472 Seiten m. Abb., 24,90 Euro, ISBN 978-3-7110-0008-8.
- (b) [http://www.schwaebische.de/home\\_artikel,-Enttarnt-Wie-aus-Nazis-BND-Mitarbeiter-wurden-\\_arid,5090487.html](http://www.schwaebische.de/home_artikel,-Enttarnt-Wie-aus-Nazis-BND-Mitarbeiter-wurden-_arid,5090487.html)
- (c) Spionagearbeit und enttarnte Doppelagenten: <http://derstandard.at/1302515862402/Spionagearbeit-und-enttarnte-Doppelagenten>

- (d) <http://reisetraavel.eu/buch-welt/top-20-buch-titel/enttarnt-peter-ferdinand-koch-ecowin/>



(Hat tip to Dieter BACHER  
for this info!)



## CONFERENCES / LECTURES

2106/11 -----

### Diskussions-Veranstaltung „NORDAFRIKAS REVOLUTIONEN“

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Der Bund sozialdemokratischer Akademiker/innen, Intellektueller & Künstler/innen und der VEREIN FÜR PSYCHOLOGIE, PÄDAGOGIK UND PSYCHOTHERAPIE, Fachverband im BSA

laden ein zur Diskussions-Veranstaltung „NORDAFRIKAS REVOLUTIONEN“

am Montag, 20. Juni 2011, 19 Uhr

Ort: Internationales Institut für Frieden, 1040 Wien, Möllwaldplatz 5/2,  
(vis-à-vis Theresianum)

„Die Massen fordern Freiheit und Demokratie, impliziert das Wohlstand und Gerechtigkeit?“

„Welche Rolle spielt der globale Kapitalismus, welche die fortschrittlichen Kräfte?“

„Welche Szenarien gibt es für die Zukunft?“

Referate

Bundesminister a.D. Erwin LANC

(Ehrenpräsident des Internationalen Instituts für den Frieden,  
ehem. österreichischer Außen- und Innenminister)

Botschafterin a.D. Dr. Gabriele MATZNER-HOLZER

(ehem. österreichische Botschafterin in Bratislava, Tunis und London,  
Buchautorin „Egon Matzner – Querdenker für eine andere Welt“, Czernin, Wien 2011)

anschließende Diskussion

Diskussionsleitung Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Rudolf O. ZUCHA



(Hat tip to Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c.  
Rudolf O. Zucha for this info!)

2107/11 -----

### Konferenz: Die Ukraine und Osteuropa

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(BIK) Von 15. bis 17. Juni 2011 findet an der Universität Graz die Präsentation des Bandes "Die Ukraine zwischen Selbstbestimmung und Fremdherrschaft, 1917-22" im Rahmen der Konferenz "Die Ukraine und

Osteuropa zwischen staatlicher Souveränität, Besatzung und internationaler Diplomatie, 1917-22" statt.

In diesem Buch versucht erstmals ein internationales Historikerteam ein neues Bild der ukrainischen Geschichte am Übergang vom Ersten Weltkrieg zur Nachkriegszeit zu zeichnen. Ihre Ergebnisse werden auf der Tagung von Experten aus Großbritannien, Deutschland, Polen, Russland, Bulgarien, Italien, Österreich und natürlich der Ukraine diskutiert. Als Keynotespeaker wird der britische Historiker Hew Strachan erwartet.

- (a) <http://www.bik.ac.at/>
- (b) Der Folder zur Konferenz: [http://www.bik.ac.at/images/stories/pdf-dateien/Folder\\_Ukraine1917-22\\_Konferenz.pdf](http://www.bik.ac.at/images/stories/pdf-dateien/Folder_Ukraine1917-22_Konferenz.pdf)



(Hat tip to  
Harald KNOLL for this info!)

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**The Spies Among Us: The Secret World of Espionage Illegals**  
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Raleigh Spy Conference

The Spies Among Us: The Secret World of Espionage Illegals

**August 24-26, 2011** – Museum of History, Downtown Raleigh, North Carolina, USA

**SCHEDULE:**

Wednesday August 24

5:30 - 7:00 PM

Early Registration Reception and social time with speakers and special guests. (Venue to be announced).

Thursday August 25

8:30 AM - 9:00 AM

Final registration at NC Museum of History.

9:00 AM - 10:15 AM

Opening address by Michael Sulick, former Director of CIA's National Clandestine Service entitled "Illegals: An Historic Perspective".

10:30 - 11:45

British intelligence expert and author Nigel West on "Glimpses of Soviet Illegal Networks During the Cold War".

LUNCH BREAK

1:15 PM - 2:30 PM

Dan Mulvenna, retired intelligence, officer Royal Canadian Mounted Police on "Russian Intelligence Services' Illegals In Canada: Pipeline To The US, UK and Europe".

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Brian Kelley, former CIA officer, lecturer and close advisor to the Raleigh Spy Conference, on "The Spies Next Door".

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

SPY GALA. This annual drinks party provides attendees the opportunity to meet socially with speakers and special guests. Location to be announced.

Friday August 26

9:15 AM - 10:30 AM

Author's Roundtable, featuring Douglas Waller, author of the recent book Wild Bill Donovan about the founder of the World War II Office of Strategic Services, the precursor of the CIA; David Wise, known as the dean of spy writers and author of the new book Tiger Trap: America's Secret Spy War With China; Kent Clizbe, former CIA officer and author of the upcoming Willing Accomplices about the effect of Soviet covert influence on US and Western institutions; and representatives of the CIA's Historic Publications Division who will provide conference attendees booklets containing recently declassified documents concerning key Cold War events, including the Korean War, the Warsaw Pact and Air America.

11:00 AM

Keynote Address by General Michael Hayden entitled "Killing Usama Bin Laden: Building A Bridge Pebble By Pebble". General Hayden is the only person to serve as director of the National Security Agency (1999 to 2005) and director of the Central Intelligence Agency (2006 to 2009). General Hayden, who stood at the nerve center of the war on terrorism, will provide background information on the Bin Laden operation as well as details and insights on intelligence operations to combat terrorism. The audience will be invited to ask questions.

NOTES: The Raleigh Spy Conference is known nationally for providing the general public direct access to intelligence officers, operatives and scholars in an informal atmosphere. Attendees have the opportunity to speak with and mix socially with conference speakers during the event. Books by speakers and members of the Author's Roundtable are available in the lobby area where tables are set aside for author signing.

The Historic Publications Division of the CIA is providing special booklets on important Cold War events free to attendees.


Attendees can arrive for Wednesday's Early Registration and reception or the following morning to register in time for the first session at 9:00 AM.

For dining, sightseeing and entertainment in Raleigh's revitalized downtown district, go to [www.yourhere.com](http://www.yourhere.com) or [www.godowntownraleigh.com](http://www.godowntownraleigh.com).

For questions please email [cyndi@metromagazine.net](mailto:cyndi@metromagazine.net) or call Raleigh Metro Magazine at 919-831-0999.

- (a) <http://www.raleighspyconference.com/schedule/index.aspx>
- (b) <http://www.opensourcesinfo.org/journal/2011/6/13/raleigh-spy-conference.html>

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**Inside 911 - Konferenz zum 10. Jahrestag**  
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	<p>Zum 10. Jahrestag der Anschläge in New York und Washington wird COMPACT-Magazin eine Konferenz mit einigen der bestinformierten Kritiker der offiziellen Version veranstalten.</p> <p>Die Konferenz findet am Samstag, 10. September 2011, in Leipzig statt: In den Messehallen des Globana Trade Centers, von 10 bis 18 Uhr.</p> <p>Als Redner haben bereits zugesagt:</p> <p>Oliver Janich: Referierte für FOCUS MONEY ausführlich die Widersprüche der Regierungsversion zu 9/11.</p> <p>Nafeez Mosaddeq Ahmed, Institute for Policy Research &amp; Development (London), Autor von u.a. The War on</p>
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Truth: 9/11, Disinformation, and the Anatomy of Terrorism.

Alexander Benesch: Chef von infokrieg.tv, präsentiert seit Jahren Material zum Thema.

Paul Schreyer: Autor des Buches „Inside 9/11. Neue Fakten und Hintergründe zehn Jahre danach“ (ab Juni 2011 in der COMPACT-Buchreihe).

Jan Gaspard: Autor der Hörbuch-Kultserie „Offenbarung 23“. Letzte Buchveröffentlichung „Freimaurer und Illuminaten“.


Jürgen Elsässer: Chefredakteur von COMPACT-Magazin. Im Sommer erscheint: „Die Schattenregierung. Von 9/11 zu Obama“.

Die Konferenz wird abgeschlossen durch ein großes Podiumsgespräch der Referenten mit dem Arbeitstitel: Welche Struktur hat 9/11 „gemacht“ - und was „macht“ diese Struktur heute?

Eine rechtzeitige Anmeldung zur Konferenz wird unbedingt empfohlen. Die Tickets werden für COMPACT-Abonnenten stark verbilligt sein. Für Studenten etc. gibt es sogar Gratistickets.

- (a) <http://911konferenz.wordpress.com/>
- (b) Anmeldung unter: [http://compact-magazin.com/index.php?option=com\\_forme&fid=15](http://compact-magazin.com/index.php?option=com_forme&fid=15)

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**Baltic Military History Workshop 20-21 October 2011**  
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	<p>The Baltic Defence College in Tartu, Estonia will host a two-day workshop on Baltic Region military history on 20-21 October 2011. We invite academics, graduate students and military personnel from the Baltic Region to</p>
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propose papers and panels on subjects dealing with Baltic military history from ancient times to current conflicts.

If you wish to propose a paper or panel please contact Dr. James Corum at [james.corum@bdcol.ee](mailto:james.corum@bdcol.ee) by 1 September 2011 and provide a short CV and a short abstract of proposed paper topic.

If you wish to attend and participate, please contact Dr. Corum by 1 October 2011.



<http://www.bdcoll.ee/?id=598>

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**Call for Papers: World War Two in the Baltic Region**



The Estonian National Defence College and the Baltic Defence College are happy to call for papers for an international conference 'World War Two in the Baltic region. The organisers wish to bring together historians working on

various aspects of the Baltic history in the late 1930s and the 1940s.

The organisers wish to re-examine the Second World War in the Baltics by covering the issues of grand strategy and diplomacy, politics and social issues, as well as military affairs.

Deadline for Abstracts: (500 words, in English) should be submitted along with an academic CV by **15 September 2011** to the organizers via email: [Tartu2012@ksk.edu.ee](mailto:Tartu2012@ksk.edu.ee)

Organisers: Kaarel Piirimäe PhD, James S. Corum PhD

<http://www.ksk.edu.ee/en/tartu2012/>

	<b>MEDIA ALERTS</b>
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2112/11 -----

**„Mr. Nice“: Film über Kiffer-Idol Marks**



(Salzburg) Der Waliser Howard Marks wurde erst als Drogenschmuggler und dann als Kämpfer für die Legalisierung von Drogen zum Helden der Kiffer-Szene auf der ganzen Welt. Ein neuer Film setzt ihm nun ein weiteres Denkmal.

Der Waliser Howard Marks war Nuklearphysiker, Lehrer, Geldwäscher, Flüchtling und Spion. Vor allem aber war er eins: einer der raffiniertesten, erfolgreichsten Drogenschmuggler der 70er und 80er Jahre - und vielleicht der bekannteste. Jetzt kommt ein Film über den Mann in die Kinos, dessen Kampf für die Legalisierung des Kiffens ihn zum Idol von Cannabis-Freunden auf der ganzen Welt machte.

<http://www.salzburg.com/online/lifestyle/kino/Mr-Nice-Film-ueber-Kiffer-Idol-Marks.html?article=eGmOI8VeRm50cgIGuoGsRmdx7mIBVqzO7wWaUs&img=&text=&mode=>

2113/11 -----

**Media alerts**

am Fr, 17.06. um 00:15 SF 1

Frost/Nixon

Free-TV-Premiere

Politdrama

Dauer: 110 min (a)

Beschreibung: Ron Howard verfilmte mit "Frost/Nixon", der auf einem Theaterstück und einem Drehbuch von Peter Morgan ("The Queen", "Last King of Scotland") basiert, auf packende Weise ein Stück Zeitgeschichte: 1977, zwei Jahre nach seinem Rücktritt wegen der Watergate-Affäre gab Richard Nixon dem britischen Talkshow-Moderator David Frost eines der bekanntesten Interviews der Fernsehgeschichte, um sein angeschlagenes Image aufzupolieren. Doch statt dem von Nixon erhofften oberflächlichen Geplauder wurde daraus ein mehrtägiges, hochspannendes Rededuell mit überraschendem Ausgang. In den Hauptrollen brillieren Frank Langella und Michael Sheen. SF zwei zeigt den Film exklusiv in Zweikanalton deutsch/englisch.

am Fr, 17.06. um 17:45 3sat

ZDF-History: Tyrann und Verführer - Muammar Gaddafi

Dokumentation

Dauer: 45 min (b)

Beschreibung: Der Film aus der Reihe "ZDF-History" dokumentiert, wie Muammar al-Gaddafi, der einst meist gehasste Feind des Westens, es schaffte, in die Riege der ernst zu nehmenden Verhandlungspartner aufzusteigen, und zeigt das Dilemma, in dem westliche Regierungen stecken, nachdem das libysche Volk sich erhoben hat.

am Sa, 18.06. um 00:32 mdr

Tage des Sturms

Politdrama

Dauer: 93 min (c)

Beschreibung: Am 17. Juni 1953 kam es zwischen Elbe und Oder zu einer unerhörten Aktion: Die Menschen in der DDR verweigerten ihrer politischen Führung den Gehorsam. Die Geschichte spielt in Bitterfeld und erzählt von einer Familie, die in die politischen Ereignisse um den 17. Juni verwickelt wurde.

am So, 19.06. um 23:55 SF 1

Bekanntmachung - Thema: Ohne Skrupel und Gesetz

Magazin für Kultur und Zeitgeschichte

Dauer: 30 min (d)

Beschreibung: Die Geheimdienste im Nahen Osten haben eine lange Tradition. Jeder von ihnen unterscheidet sich vom anderen. Die Strukturen des heutigen iranischen Geheimdienstes gehen noch zurück auf den Savak, den Geheimdienst des Schahs. In Syrien, Ägypten und im Maghreb versuchte man es mit mehreren konkurrierenden Geheimdiensten, die untereinander ein unsicheres Gleichgewicht bildeten. Gemeinsam ist und war ihnen die Grausamkeit.

Wilhelm Dietl, Geheimdienstexperte und früherer Mitarbeiter des Bundesnachrichtendienstes über die Geheimdienste der islamischen Welt.

am Mo, 20.06. um 01:05 arte

Benutzt und gesteuert - Künstler im Netz der CIA

Dokumentation

Dauer: 55 min (e)

Beschreibung: Der amerikanische Geheimdienst CIA finanzierte nach dem Zweiten Weltkrieg enorme Summen, um hochrangige europäische Künstler und Schriftsteller zu manipulieren. Der Dokumentarfilm weist nach, dass die Einflussnahme der CIA bis in die Redaktionen westdeutscher Verlage und Sendeanstalten reichte und dass prominente Künstler wie der spätere Nobelpreisträger Heinrich Böll unwissentlich für den amerikanischen Geheimdienst tätig waren.

am Di, 21.06. um 20:15 arte

Folter - Made in USA

Deutsche Erstaussstrahlung

Dokumentarfilm

Dauer: 85 min (f)

Beschreibung: Können Mitglieder der Bush-Regierung wegen "Kriegsverbrechen" vor Gericht gebracht werden? Marie-Monique Robin durchleuchtet in ihrem investigativen Dokumentarfilm den Mechanismus, der dazu führte, dass die "größte Demokratie der Welt" in Afghanistan, Guantánamo und im Irak massenhaft und systematisch Folter einsetzt. Die Filmemacherin nutzt dabei bislang unveröffentlichtes Archivmaterial und lässt hochkarätige Zeugen zu Wort kommen.

am Mi, 22.06. um 20:00 SF 2

Der Anschlag

Thriller

Dauer: 120 min (g)

Beschreibung: Europäische Neonazis gelangen in den Besitz eines Atomsprengkopfes und planen, die Bombe während des großen Footballfinales in Baltimore zur Explosion zu bringen. Der Verdacht soll auf Russland gelenkt, und die USA - so der teuflische Plan - sollen zu einem nuklearen Vergeltungsschlag provoziert werden. CIA-Analyst Jack Ryan bekommt Wind vom geplanten Attentat und unternimmt alles, um die Katastrophe abzuwenden. In der vierten Verfilmung eines Tom-Clancy-Romans schlüpfte diesmal Ben Affleck in die Rolle des CIA-Analysten Jack Ryan. An seiner Seite: Morgan Freeman als Chef der CIA.

am Do, 23.06. um 22:00 ORF 1

Der Mann, der niemals lebte

ORF-Premiere

Agentendrama

Dauer: 120 min (h)

Beschreibung: CIA-Agent und Anti-Terror-Spezialist Roger Ferris knüpft in Jordanien Kontakte zu einheimischen Informanten. Bei einer verpatzten Operation stößt er auf Beweismaterial, das ihn auf die Spur eines führenden Topterroristen bringt. Um dessen Netzwerk zu infiltrieren, muss er sich auf die Unterstützung des raffinierten CIA-Veteranen Ed Hoffman verlassen und auf die Hilfe des zwielichtigen jordanischen Geheimdienstchefs Hani Salaam bauen. Bald stellt Ferris fest, dass seine Vertrauensmänner mit ihm ein doppeltes Spiel spielen.

- (a) <http://tv.intern.de/index.php?site=Detail&id=216-0-27943314&tvid=dcaccd78b7139067b41d0a4b1e8bfaa4>
- (b) <http://tv.intern.de/index.php?site=Detail&id=216-0-28037604&tvid=dcaccd78b7139067b41d0a4b1e8bfaa4>
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