

Information World War - Disinformation, Propaganda and Geopolitics



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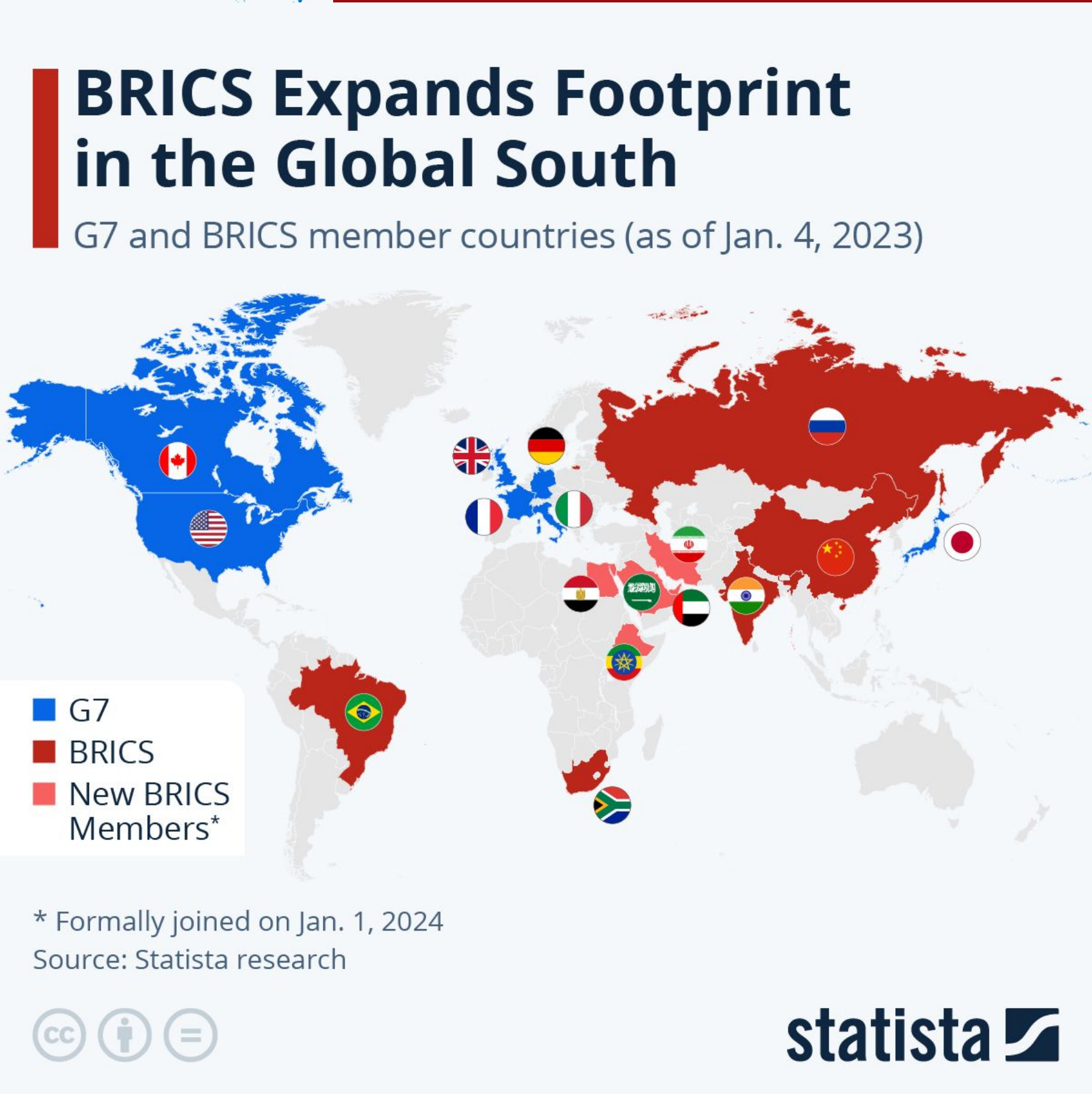
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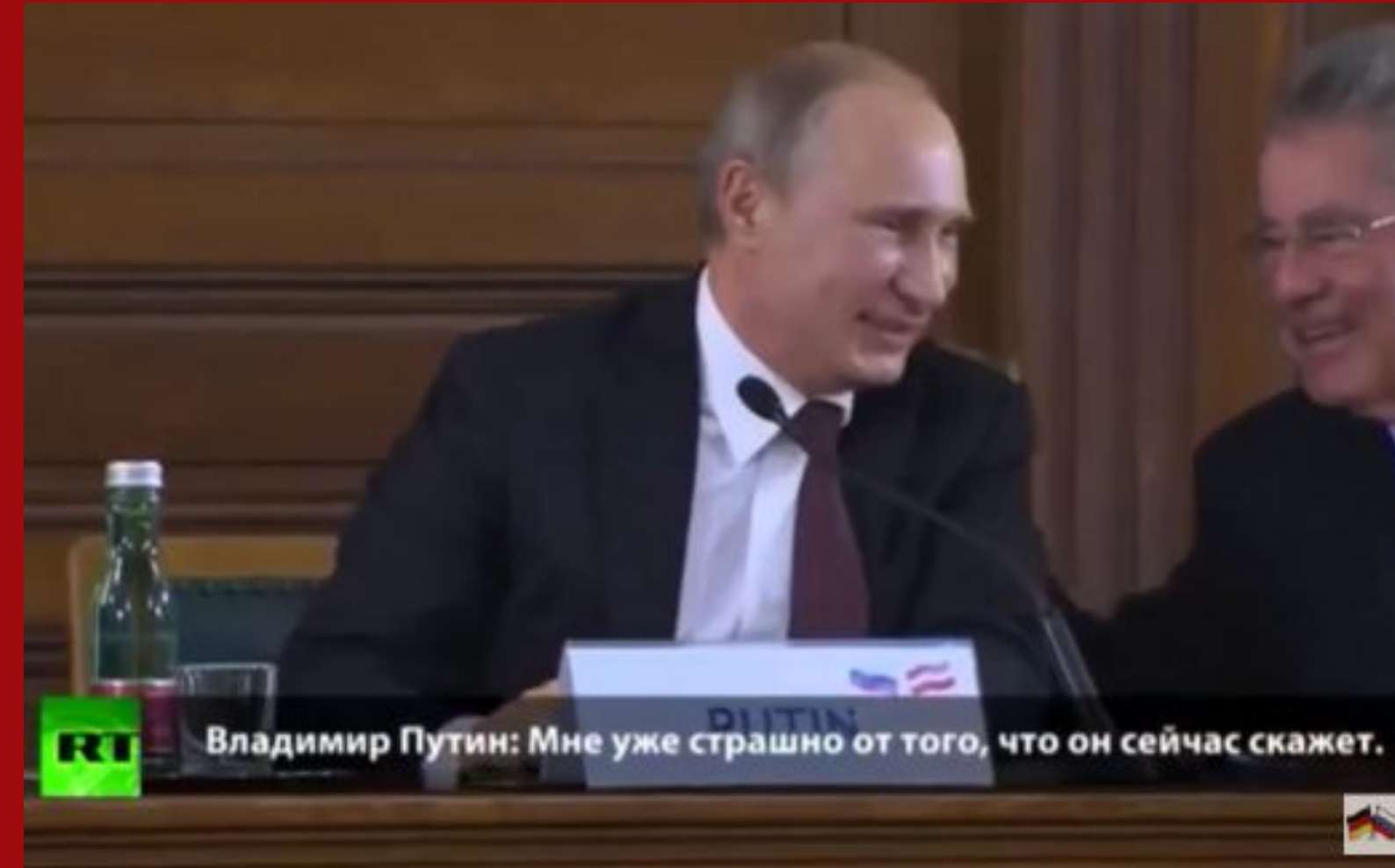
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Fischer: „Keinen Vorwurf“ an Kneissl wegen Putin-Einladung

5 Oct 2018 — „Ich werde einer Außenministerin des Jahres 2018 keinen Vorwurf machen, wenn sie sich um gute Beziehungen zu Russland bemüht“, sagte Fischer ...

FOREIGN INTERFERENCE, DISINFORMATION & SUBVERSION - CHANNELS

1

SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBSITES

Troll Farms
Doppelgänger
Fringe Media
Propaganda Outlets
Social Media
campaigns
Regime channels
online

2

TRADITIONAL MEDIA INFLUENCE CAMPAIGNS

Press Releases
Media Infiltration
False Balance
Panels Infiltration
Regime
Propaganda
Channels: TV,
Print

3

CULTURAL DIPLOMACY PROPAGANDA

Artists and cultural
events:
whitewashing
through "cultural
distraction," with
foreign and local
artists lobbying for
certain regime

4

LOCAL ACTORS & AGENTS OF INFLUENCE

Politicians,
organizations, "peace
activists", so-called
"intellectuals," political
scientists, professors,
and other opinion
leaders acting as
mouthpieces for
certain regimes.

5

EMBASSIES DIPLOMATS/MFA

Official channels of
regimes, such as
embassies, foreign
ministries, diplomats, or
government bodies
(e.g., the Kremlin)

THE 4 W MODEL TO IDENTIFY AGENTS OF INFLUENCE



**WHAT DO
THEY SAY?**



**WHERE DO
THEY APPEAR?**



**WHO QUOTES
THEM?**



**WHOSE PAYROLL
ARE THEY ON?**



The word cloud is composed of numerous phrases, many of which are repeated. The most prominent phrases include:

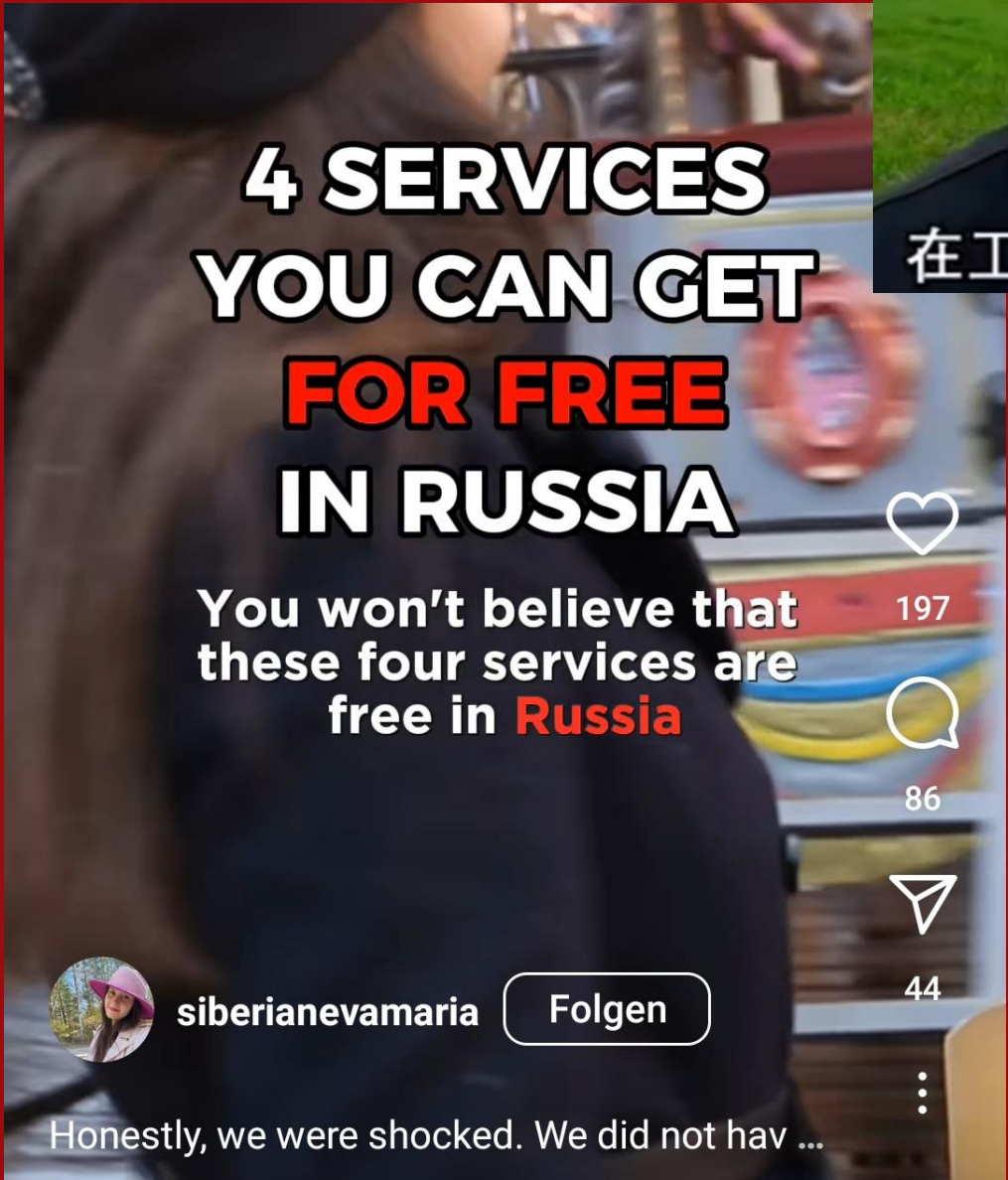
- CHINA IS IN FAVOR OF PEACE**
- THE GLOBAL SOUTH THINKS DIFFERENTLY**
- NATO EXPANSION**
- UKRAINE IS CORRUPT**
- MAIDAN COUP**
- WESTERN MEDIA IS LYING**
- THE EU IS THE ACTUAL WARMONGER**
- UKRAINE ALREADY LOST**
- RUSSIA IS IN FAVOR OF PEACE**
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The words are arranged in a way that they fit the geographical shape of Ukraine, with some words appearing multiple times in different sizes and orientations.

Russian and Chinese trolls target us not only by geography but also through keyword-based attacks.



Travel-Influencer - Propaganda



Disinformation campaigns with the help of paid influencers

The use of influencers, who often enjoy high credibility, is a form of "information laundering" (comparable to the "laundering" of black money).

The influencers are paid to spread a certain narrative

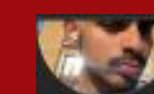
Influencers are not only used to spread blatant disinformation; they also play a role in whitewashing authoritarian or problematic regimes in a "subtle" way.



homeless.backpacker ✓ A once in a lifetime capture of a North Korean party member explaining their perception of the United States.

While in Pyongyang North Korea, I was able to capture the moment where I asked my guide how the North Korean people feel about America.

An interesting thing to note is that in North Korea, they don't actually call themselves "North Korea" but rather the DPRK (Democratic People Republic of Korea). The reason being that they do not believe South Korea is a different country, but actually the southern part of their country KOREA which is currently being occupied by



He's absolutely right. The sentiment you see in North Korean news is simply due to the atrocities the US has committed in Korea.

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Antworten Übersetzung anzeigen



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@mcyungvucci it's a very interesting topic to say the least. Both sides will tell you different things which seems to be true for most issues in the world. Both sides are in the wrong in their own ways. It's all just politics and power in the end with normal innocent people just trying to live their life on both sides!

Comments

Die Zukunft von der BMR seh ich beim AMS 🤔

1 Tag Gefällt mir Antworten Bearbeitet 121 👍

[Alle 12 Antworten ansehen](#)

Ui, das wird MR gar nicht gefallen.

Precht, der ihr intellektuell hoch überlegen ist, wird ihre heilige Ukraine und Nato Linie zerbröseln 🤔

1 Tag Gefällt mir Antworten

124 👍

[Alle 8 Antworten ansehen](#)

Für die Frau Beate Meindl-Reisinger ist das Außenministerium um 30 Schuhnummern zu groß. Für eine Geisterbahn-Schaffnerin im Wiener Prater wäre sie optimal geeignet inclusive dem Achter-Seppl als Fahrdienstleiter

1 Tag Gefällt mir Antworten

60 👍

[Alle 3 Antworten ansehen](#)

Uff, mit diesem Bild ist mein Tag heut gelaufen 🤔

1 Tag Gefällt mir Antworten

48 👍😂

[Alle 3 Antworten ansehen](#)

Wenn ihr die Kriegstreiberin bmr ausladet habt ihr mehr Zuschauer

1 Tag Gefällt mir Antworten

34 👍

Schade, wäre interessant anzuschauen, aber mit der Reisinger Gestalt, ein No-Go !

1 Tag Gefällt mir Antworten

41 👍

Don't feed the troll?



It is not only Social Media - The Russian ambassador in the print media

“Russischer Botschafter im Interview mit bizarren Antworten” [Inveed.eu](https://www.inveed.eu/)

<https://inved.eu/insight/russischer-bot-schafter-im-interview-mit-bizarren-antworten/>

Beitrag in Zeitschrift "International"



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Beitrag des Botschafters Russlands in Österreich, Dmitrij ...

19 May 2025 — ... **Zeitschrift "International"**. 19 Mai. Beitrag des Botschafters Russlands in Österreich, Dmitrij Ljubinskij, für die **Zeitschrift "International"**.

It's not only social media—there are also books about geopolitics.



NEUTRALITY MOVEMENT



PEACE MOVEMENT / NEUTRALITY MOVEMENT



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We fail to realize the complexity of the issue

Foreign interference and its local supporters, amplifiers, and propaganda networks have many layers. It is complex, yet we tend to simplify what is happening. It is not only social media, it is not only the far right, and it is not only overt. It is also subtle, and we are failing to tackle it. Long-term ideological subversion is not even identified as a threat.

