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Berkut police troops detained for 2014 Euromaidan killings
Russian troll farms behind campaign to topple Ukraine Government

Russian court orders demolition of Ukrainian Orthodox Church (Kyiv Patriarchate) in Moscow.

Ukraine presents to London court evidence of Russian pressure to take “Yanukovych debt”.

Maidan killings probe: More Berkut police troops detained as new evidence unearthed.

Moscow ‘blocking’ Ukrainian journalists at Euronews.

Russian troll farms behind campaign to topple Ukraine’s government.

Leak of around 10,000 emails show how the “Information Ministry” of the pro-Russian separatists receives instructions from Kremlin advisers to manage media coverage of events.

Russian President Putin has sparked fears of World War Three after ordering the evacuation of 40 million Russians during a civil defense drill on Oct.4.

Full ‘black list’ of vessels violating Crimea sanctions (by country).

StopFakeNews #103: Russia claims that Ukrainian journalist Roman Sushchenko, arrested in Moscow while visiting family, is a spy; the Ukrainian army invites separatist militants to join their forces and the Crimean Tatar Mejlis was created by the US State Department.

Left: As Ukraine’s president, Viktor Yanukovych bowed to the interests of Russia regarding national security.

Right: Ukraine's new arms: unmanned armour, fast moving mortars and missiles.

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Stalin-era victims defying Putin’s war on history

26 years of land reform: the glass is half-empty or half-full.

The book “Istoriomor, or The Drilling into the Brain of Memory: Battles for the Truth about the GULAG, Deportations, the War and the Holocaust” documents the way that the peoples whom Stalin deported are seeking to preserve the memory of that crime. The author Pavel Polyan suggests that Vladimir Putin is carrying out a neologism, “historiomor” — or a war on history for current purposes.
Ukraine’s troop disengagement stalls as attacks continue
Ukrainian women at war

Ukraine’s start of troop withdrawal draws criticism. Disengagement of forces gives no security guarantees for Ukraine and lays no responsibility on Kremlin.

Ukraine’s Foreign Minister says other scenarios exist if Minsk implementation fails. Ceasefire is virtually non-existent in eastern Ukraine as attacks continue on daily basis.


Oct 9. Militants are shelling positions near Stanytsia Luhanska, Ukrainian Armed forces cannot withdraw equipment in this area. Russian troops attack Ukraine 38 times.

Russia supplies more tanks and Grads missile batteries to Donbas.

After WWII, Anna Kushyk moved to the Donbas to escape the vigilant eye of the Soviet secret police.

Russia charges Ukrainian journalist with espionage
Hackers play Ukraine’s anthem in occupied Crimea

The Russian Prosecutor’s Office has issued a final indictment on the case against Natalia Sharina, Director of the Ukrainian Literature Library in Moscow.

Russia charges Ukrainian journalist with espionage. Ukraine has summoned the Russian consul in Kyiv after Moscow detained the journalist. “Absurd charges”: Russian Journalist Union requires FSB explanation on Sushchenko’s arrest.

Alleged “military coup” followed by purge of “LNR” chieftains.

She managed to lay low and live peacefully until Russian troops once again occupied her home in 2014.


Artillery battalion of Russian hybrid forces found in Donbas. - InformNapalm.

Still purging: Russia arrests Luhansk separatists’ "parliament speaker".

Over the past two years, a new generation of women has appeared in Ukraine – volunteers, doctors, nurses, medical workers, and soldiers, bravely fighting for their country and saving lives in the war zone.

On the frontlines of Ukraine’s proxy war between the West and Russia. (video, article)

Ukraine’s anthem was played in occupied Crimea when hackers cracked several surveillance systems.

The confession of Yevhen Panov was obtained by torture. He was arrested by Russian security forces for allegedly plotting terrorist attacks in Russian-occupied Crimea. FSB moves “Ukrainian Crimea Saboteur” prisoners to Russia to hide proof of torture.

Russia uses secret court to keep Mustafa Dzhemiliev’s son hostage for an extra 3 years. Ukrainian savagely beaten in Russian-occupied Crimea punished, not his attacker.

Right: Court battle over Scythian gold from Crimea in Netherlands.
IMF hints at nationalizing Ukraine’s biggest private bank
Ukraine enters Top 25 countries with highest tax rates

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Ukrainian Government asks Parliament to increase defense spending, raise wages for civil servants in 2016.

Mix of successes and failures for the Ukrainian parliament. Parliament failed to fulfill several IMF requirements, voting not to include a special confiscation bill on the agenda, and prolonging the moratorium on the sale of agricultural land.

Medical insurance in Ukraine to be introduced in 2017.

Business week: IMF hints at PrivatBank

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nationalization, Ukrafta’s financial statements leaked, State banks seek Hr 15.5 billion recapitalization.

The one question mark in Ukraine’s bank overhaul. Privatbank sits on pile of loans to related parties

Ukraine passes legislation to counter hostile business takeovers.

Government expects Odesa Sea Port Plant to be sold this year.

President signs law that stimulates wine production. “We will protect the Ukrainian producer.”

Technology can help boost all of Ukraine’s industries
The bike you'll like

Lviv IT Arena switches to English to foster international ties. Cycling assistant system, smart doorbell and pixelated clock, the Lviv IT Arena features an exhibition of startups created by Ukrainians.

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Ukraine becomes an associate member state of the CERN (European Organization for Nuclear Research).

The bike you'll like. Ukrainian team presents unique wooden bicycle.

Made in Ukraine: Belgian cheese. A farmer from Belgium has been mastering goat cheese recipes in the Lviv region village for over 15 years.

Taxify, an Estonian copycat of Uber, started operating in Ukraine.
Where should you eat and drink when you visit Kyiv? Teen wins Ukraine’s first taekwondo gold in 25 years

International conference “Kazymyr Malevych: Kyiv aspect”. The conference will focus on the Kyiv period, the least known period of the famous artist Malevich.

Ukrainian conductor heading largest Opera House in Europe for 5 years marks his 80th jubilee - Roman Kofman.

New guidebook lists best places to eat and drink in Kyiv.

Ukrainian teen wins gold in world taekwondo championship. 14-year-old Anna Borysenko brings Ukraine first taekwondo gold in a quarter of century.

Carpathians offer great autumn vacation spots.

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