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European Solidarity [initiates petition against Russia's return to PACE](#). [Petition](#).

Annexation of Crimea and Russia's ignoring Minsk agreements are condemned. [OSCE Parliamentary Assembly adopting Luxembourg Declaration](#).

Five [cooperation documents signed at Ukraine-EU summit](#) in Kyiv.

Tusk: [no sanctions relief for Russia until Minsk agreements fully implemented](#).

USAID presents [framework for Countering Malign Kremlin Influence](#).

President [Zelenskyi makes his first state visit to Canada](#).

Zelenskyi, Freeland underline importance of international coalition [consolidation for countering Russia's aggression](#).

[Canada will support Ukraine](#) on its way to developed democracy – Justin Trudeau.

President [Zelensky managed to reach a number of concrete agreements](#) during his recent visit to Canada, Ukraine's Ambassador to Canada Andriy Shevchenko.

[OSCE PA Committee calls for withdrawal](#) of Russian troops from Ukraine.

[Ceasefire in Donbas depends on Russia](#) – U.S. representative to OSCE.

[Once Russian forces leave, peace breaks out](#) in Ukraine – Kurt Volker.

A film by Oliver Stone starring Putin and Medvedchuk claims to explain Ukraine war. [It does Not](#).

[Kremlin propaganda narratives](#) share similarities in Strache and Skripal cases.

Chornobyl Fear: [StopFake with Marko Suprun \(No. 242\)](#). Russia reacts to the HBO television miniseries with a spate of fakes and distortions.

Left: How much do [pro-Kremlin outlets earn on disinformation](#)?

Right: [Protest in Rome](#) against Putin's Vatican visit



Cloud on the horizon: coming economic challenges

Historian Snyder on language, Zelenskyy and Vakarchuk

Former NBU Head [Gontareva on threats from Kolomoisky and PrivatBank nationalization](#).

[When local governments become too big](#): the risks of over-sizing.

[Cloud on the horizon](#). Over the next couple of months Ukraine will be facing powerful economic challenges.

Is [this the end of "the era of poverty"](#)? Very soon Ukrainians will begin realising that the past couple

of years can hardly be called "challenging" in terms of economic and social situation.

[Who elects Ukraine's presidents](#). Socio-demographic portrait of the electorate for the top presidential candidates in the past 20 years.

Historian [Snyder on language, Zelenskyy and Vakarchuk](#).

How [Stalin destroyed the Crimean Tatar intellectual elite](#).

Russia increasing number of troops at Ukrainian border

One of the most dangerous places on Ukrainian front line

Jul.8. [16 attacks against JFO positions](#) yesterday: Ukrainian soldier died, another three - wounded, two Russian terrorists destroyed.

[Zelenskiy, Tusk visit Stanytsia Luhanska](#). Photos

"That's for our medics!" [Ukrainian troops destroy enemy positions](#) in Donbas.

Russia in Trilateral Contact Group [blocks introduction of 'harvest ceasefire'](#) in Donbas.

[Zelenskiy calls on Putin to meet](#) face-to-face for talks. "[I'm not ready to respond, this is a completely new format](#)" - Peskov, on Zelensky's proposal to meet with Putin.

[Russia increasing number of troops](#) at Ukrainian border.

Disengagement in Stanytsia Luhanska: [path to peace or Ukraine's further territorial losses?](#)

Ukraine army [eliminates terrorist intelligence chief](#) near occupied Dokuchaievsk.

Ukraine [arrests head of Snizhne anti-aircraft defense in summer 2014](#), possible MH17 case witness.

[Sea Breeze military exercises](#) in Odesa. Ships of the Russian Federation are also conducting combat training exercises on the Black Sea.

Russian [Eleron-3SV drone destroyed](#) in Donbas (video). Interesting facts revealed.

Ukrainian Army [destroys two newest Russian EW stations](#) in Donbas (video, fact-checking).

Auriga: DPR militant [confirms the supply of the latest Russian military equipment](#) to Donbas.

One of the most [dangerous places on Ukrainian front line](#). Every evening the Russian-led forces attack Ukrainian positions.

[No room for mistakes](#): de-mining Donbas.

Three mercenaries [fighting in Donbas against Ukraine convicted in Italy](#).

[German on trial](#) for cooperation with 'DPR' militants.

[Czech Republic probing almost 20 citizens](#) for fighting against Ukraine forces in Donbas.

[Slovyansk: Liberation Day](#). Five years ago, video footage made headlines all over the world. On July 5, Ukrainian troops liberated the town of Slovyansk in the Donetsk region, which had been occupied by Russian hybrid forces. Vladyslav Voloshyn was the man behind the camera.

Russian state [propaganda Rossiya 24 to hold joint TV show with Medvedchuk channel](#) in Ukraine (update: cancelled Jul.8)

Left: Russian-controlled [militants are still holding Ukrainian POWs](#) seized after Putin's Deblatseve deceit

Right: [Help stop Russia from killing Crimean Tatar political prisoner](#) Edem Bekirov!



Ukrainian political prisoner found in Eastern Ukraine

Crimean Tatar detained for old innocuous social media post

[14 Ukrainian information sites blocked](#) in occupied Crimea. LIST.

Ukrainian political prisoner [found serving Russian sentence in Eastern Ukraine](#).

Ukrainian political [prisoner tortured into confessing to fictitious 'war crimes'](#) returned from Russia to prison in Ukraine.

Crimean Tatar [detained for innocuous social media post](#) from before Russia annexed Crimea.

Ukraine's civil society must defend the country

Orthodox Church of Ukraine undergoing a catharsis

Visit to the contact line, EU-Ukraine Summit and more – [uacrisis weekly update on Ukraine #21](#), 1-7 July.

[Week's balance](#): Launch of energy market, forex easing, and Nefyodov starting war against shadow businesses.

Credit scammer as Head of Office and [pro-Russian Oblast Head among Zelenskyy's appointments](#).

Ukraine's [civil society must defend](#) the country.

[Nefiodov appointed head of State Customs Service of Ukraine](#). [New face](#) of Ukrainian customs.

Speaker of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine convenes [an extraordinary meeting of the Parliament on July 11](#).

Ukraine can start implementing the "[State in a Smartphone](#)" from healthcare.

[Restoring Trostyanets through community empowerment](#).

Whistle-blower [who exposed judicial reform farce in Ukraine dismissed](#).

Fugitive Yanukovich ally & anti-Ukrainian propagandist [withdrawn from the elections after huge protest](#).

Bye-bye Soviet Union – [new-old Ukrainian spelling rules](#). The new rules for the Ukrainian language are closer to what they were in the 1920s.

Fingers point to monopolist Ukraine International Airlines as [new low-cost SkyUp hit by court attack](#).

[Honeymoon over for Orthodox Church](#) of Ukraine as its "creator" goes into schism.

Orthodox [Church of Ukraine undergoing a catharsis](#) – Cyril Hovorun.

Odesa physicist creates [110 dB acoustic system out of a coconut](#) with a €14k price tag



BlaBlaCar hits 5 million users in Ukraine

Ukrainian medicine search and delivery service raises \$1 million

Ukrainian startup [PatentBot assessed at US\\$1 mln](#).

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Ukrainian [medicine search and delivery service Liki24.com](#) raises \$1 million.

Ukrainian Pix raises \$46k for [kids' backpack with programmable screen](#).

[Ukrainian clip](#) to be screened at five film festivals (video)



Ukrainians and the Chernobyl TV series

Serhiy Zhadan presented with the 2019 Wilhelm Tell award

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[the "Chernobyl" series, many in Ukraine did not agree](#) with the author's reading of those events.

Igor Hiriak, unique soldier from Chernobyl response team: Did anyone go around catching stray dogs in the zone? I don't know. One lived in our camp. We shared food with it. [After watching](#)

Ukrainian filmmaker [accuses authors of Chernobyl TV series of copyright infringement](#). Why this story is so telling.

Crimean Tatar ['Homeward' named Best Film](#) in Bucharest



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