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EU prolong investment ban for occupied Crimea

Journalist Babchenko whose death was faked 'chose to stay alive'

After his death was faked, journalist [Babchenko](#) says: 'I chose to stay alive'.

In first interview after staged murder, Russian journalist [Babchenko explains why he played along with his own death](#).

[UN Security Council discusses Russian aggression](#).

Poland emphasizes that it is necessary to deploy U.N. peacekeeping forces to Eastern Ukraine.

Russian [representative to UN refuses to admit responsibility for MH17](#).

EU ambassadors [to prolong investment ban for](#)

[occupied Crimea](#). The EU ministers will endorse this decision on June 18.

There is [evidence that Putin pays his supporters in the European Parliament](#) – Austervicius.

Study: A [third of Moscow TV news is about Ukraine](#), and 90% of it is negative.

[Manipulation: NATO expansion](#) destabilizes Europe.

[Russian responses to Babchenko](#)'s staged death.

Left: Reporter's notebook: [after a 'death' and 'resurrection' in Kyiv, confusion and a desire for answers](#)

Right: West must [boycott FIFA World Cup or face an even more dangerous Putin](#) afterwards.



Maidan was a rebellion against the Soviet past

Ukrainian autocephaly inevitable

[Ukrainian autocephaly just as inevitable](#) as restoration of USSR is impossible.

Special [operation 'Babchenko' will have long-term consequences for Ukraine](#) – Carpenter.

The [price of facts: the Babchenko case](#).

[Maidan was a rebellion against the Soviet past](#) – Historian Vyatovich.

One year of Ukrainian [sanctions against Russian social networks and Yandex](#): interim results.

Russia supplies cargo for military purposes to Donbas

Ukraine claims found list of 47 Russian assassination targets

Jun 4. [Russian-led forces mount 27 attacks](#) on Ukraine army in Donbas in past day.

[Militants suffer huge losses last month.](#)

Ukraine [arrests suspect in alleged Babchenko assassination](#) plot.

Ukraine claims [found list of 47 Russian assassination targets.](#)

Babchenko's "[assassin](#)" [appears to be Orthodox Church preacher, Right Sector activist](#) Oleksii Tsymbaliuk.

[Moscow doesn't want to swap 23 Russians](#) convicted in Ukraine for Ukrainians imprisoned in Russia – envoy.

[Normandy Four foreign ministers to meet](#) in Berlin on June 11.

[Russia supplies cargo for military purposes](#) to Donbas – U.S. rep to OSCE.

[Mine blows up near OSCE patrol](#) near Petrivske.

[German Foreign Minister tried to visit destroyed Ukrainian village](#) in Donetsk.

German Foreign Minister Heiko [Maas was shocked by the extent of damage caused by Russia and its mercenaries to the frontline village of Shyrokyne](#) in Donetsk region.

Estonian president on situation in Donbas: That's [not a frozen conflict, that's war.](#)

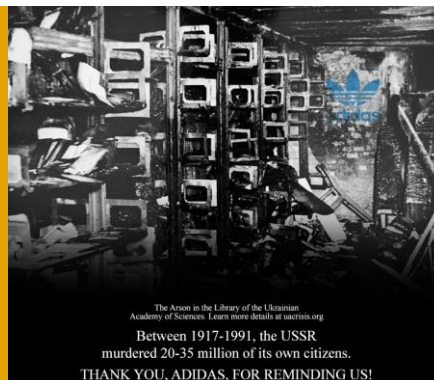
Head of Kyiv-based Russian propaganda outlet [Vyshynskiy renounces Ukrainian citizenship, appeals to Putin.](#)

Nadiia [Savchenko fails lie-detector test.](#)

Ukrainian [released from militant captivity](#) in Donbas.

[Sabotage in Balakliya ammo depot in 2017](#) was carried out by combat drone.

Left: The twenty-first visual [reminder for Adidas: The Arson in the Library of the Ukrainian Academy of Sciences.](#) Right: The [global campaign, #SaveOlegSentsov](#) in support of the Ukrainian political prisoner started June 1. Hunger strikes in days.



Russia holding over 70 Ukrainian political prisoners

Moscow sentences Sushchenko to 12 years hard labor

Russia is holding over [70 Ukrainian Political Prisoners.](#)

Putin repeating Stalin's [genocide with 'new hybrid deportation of Crimean Tatars'.](#)

[Putin's bridge](#) to nowhere.

[Crimean Tatar beaten so he couldn't stand up in court](#) and jailed for alleged comments about Russians.

Ukrainian political prisoner in Russia [Kolchenko declares hunger strike demanding Sentsov's](#)

[release.](#)

[Exhausted and emaciated:](#) Archbishop Klement about Crimean activist Balukh.

Russia '[prosecutes](#)' [Ukrainian Constitutional Court judges](#) for finding its annexation of Crimea illegal.

Ukrainian journalist Roman Sushchenko, who was illegally detained in Russia, was convicted June 4. The Moscow [court sentenced him to 12 years of strict regime.](#)

5 Ukrainian-founded clean energy projects find backing

New gas field discovered in Kharkiv region

[Week's balance](#): Attack on Gazprom, Vovk's lay-off, and premier's war with finance minister.

90 billion hryvnias to be invested in [modernization of Ukrainian infrastructure](#).

[Unian week](#). Babchenko test, maneuvers around Nord Stream 2, and demonstrative visit.

Trade [turnover between Ukraine and Germany increases by almost 23 percent](#) in 2017.

New [gas field discovered in Kharkiv](#) region.

Ukraine's trade with Germany [reaches record \\$9.3 billion](#).

Ukraine starts [\\$2.6 bln debt recovery from Gazprom in European countries](#).

EU and EBRD back [5 Ukrainian-founded clean energy projects](#).

[Venice Commission welcomes judicial reform](#) in Ukraine.

Government approves [National Transport Strategy until 2030](#).

World Bank helps Ukraine [reform port sector](#).

Poroshenko: [Emergence of new production facilities testifies to economic revival](#) in Ukraine.

Left: [Merchandise from Ukrainian Ugears](#) will soon be available at Disney stores.

Right: Ukraine almost [doubles its strawberry exports over the past six years](#). In 2017, Ukraine exported 1.8 thousand tons of the fresh berries.



Foreign investors invited to join in 46 port projects

Ukraine among top 10 countries by the number of cryptocurrency users

Danish businessman to [invest EUR 800,000 in mink farm](#) in Zhytomyr region.

[Odesa astronomers build modern telescope](#) from scratch. The telescope is the largest in mainland Ukraine.

Ukraine [invites foreign investors to join in 46 port projects](#) over the next decade.

Ukraine among [top 10 countries by the number of cryptocurrency users](#).

Left: [Kyiv mural](#)
night video show

Right: Ukraine
originated
[wheelchair
simulator](#).



Molodist Grand Prix: a look at the contenders

Bitter Harvest has been shown in 100 countries

I am [proud that Bitter Harvest has been shown in 100 countries](#) - Richard Bachynsky Hoover.

[Film about Ukrainian roots of Malevich](#) presented in Kyiv. The film is called "Malevich. The Ukrainian square".

[International Book Festival](#) held in Kyiv.

On May 30, 1876, in the German city of Bad Ems, Tsar Alexander II of Russia signed the [Ems Ukaz – the decree aimed at the destruction of Ukrainian culture](#).

[Molodist Grand Prix](#): a look at the contenders.

[Ukraine`s youngest directors](#) show their stuff.

Left: [Forgotten Ukrainian ornaments brought back to life](#).

Right: [Sofiyivski park](#)
in Uman.



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