



# CIVIC SECTOR OF EUROMAIDAN GRASSROOTS MOVEMENT

## EuroMaidan Newsletter # 305

### Ukraine marks sixth anniversary of Euromaidan start Public prosecution reform leaves Maidan massacre probe in limbo

Ukraine observes [Dignity and Freedom Day](#), marks sixth anniversary of the start of Euromaidan.

Ukraine at OSCE: [Russia reacts to Revolution of Dignity with hybrid war](#).

Ukraine's [public prosecution reform leaves Maidan massacre probe in limbo](#) (updated).

[Maidan lawyer declares hunger strike in protest](#) as Ukraine's leaders allow sabotage of investigations.

[Where apples grow on mass graves](#): 4 stories about realities of Holodomor.

US Congress includes [sanctions against Nord Stream 2 in Defense Policy](#).

Italian defense team [appeals Pavia court decision against soldier Vitaliy Markiv](#).

[Gazprom Media's double standards](#): Doing dirty jobs for the Kremlin.

Former U.S. official warns against [Russian-backed 'fiction' on Ukraine](#).

A century of [Georgia's struggle against pro-Kremlin disinformation](#).

"Who's afraid of the brown stink bug?" Russian [disinformation about a lab in Tbilisi](#).

Ukraine is an American Project: [StopFakeNews](#) with Marko Suprun (No. 261).

Left: Holodomor: [Stalin's punishment for 5,000 peasant revolts](#).  
Right: [Human dignity, political autonomy, and Ukraine's right to self-defense](#). Photo: A Euromaidan protester holds a dog



### Plundered boats, continued POW persecution

#### Zelenskyy's three closest advisors working for the Kremlin -Piontkovsky

[Zelenskyy's three closest advisors working for the Kremlin](#), Piontkovsky says.

[Holodomor, Genocide & Russia](#): the great Ukrainian challenge.

[How do plundered boats, continued persecution of POWs promote 'Russia - Ukraine dialogue'](#), President Macron?

Vitaly Portnikov: [This government is apathetic toward Ukraine](#).

[Russia wants to shift attention from war](#) with Ukraine to events in U.S. – Poroshenko.

[More Crimea-like annexations are possible](#), Moscow scholar says.

'The [West won't allow the Russian Federation to disintegrate](#),' Kashapov says.

The President's franchise. [Who runs Ukraine on behalf of Volodymyr Zelenskyy](#), and why.

Pavlo [Klimkin](#): "We are losing the respect of the [key players](#)". Former Minister of Foreign Affairs about the reasons for Russia's pull-out from the Geneva Conventions, the recognition of the Holodomor in Germany, and the quality of Ukraine's diplomatic communication with the world.

Erased [history of Crimean Tatars' deportation](#).

## Russian special forces arrive in Donbas

### Theater therapy for soldiers

Nov.25. [Invaders launch attacks](#) on Ukrainian troops near Marinka. A civilian wounded (photos). [Seven attacks](#) against Ukrainian forces over past day.

Disengagement in Donbas: [invaders redeploy weapons on new positions](#).

[Russian special forces arrive in Donbas](#) – Ukrainian Defense Ministry's intelligence.

[EU strongly condemns Russian aggression](#) and calls for free passage in Sea of Azov.

[Mariupol port struggles to stay afloat](#) amid Russian 'Hybrid war'.

[Physical evidence of aggression.](#) 6 months after Tribunal decision Russia returns Ukrainian ships.

Seized [boats 'ruined' by Russia returned](#) to Ukraine.

[Russians removed all radio equipment from ships](#) they returned to Ukraine. They were not shy to take away toilets, stoves, sockets, and lamp shades. (photos)

Ukraine at OSCE reports [Russian provocation near Petrivske](#).

[Theater therapy](#) for soldiers in Vinnytsia.

Left: Thousands of activists in Kyiv, in spite of frost and piercing wind, took part in [public assembly "We have the Dignity"](#)  
Right: [Frontline photographer](#) captures human aspect.



## Health conditions worsen for Ukrainian political prisoners

### Crimean court orders demolition of Ukrainian Orthodox church

Court in Russia sentences [severely disabled man to 11 years on fabricated 'terrorism' charges](#).

[Penal colony weakens health](#) of Ukrainian political prisoner Lymeshko.

Health condition [worsens for Ukrainian political prisoner Volodymyr Dudka](#).

Ukrainian political prisoner: [The real terrorists in occupied Crimea and those who carry out their orders](#).

[Russia continues its revenge on Maidan activists](#),

while giving shelter to Berkut suspected killers.

Crimean court [orders demolition of Ukrainian Orthodox church](#).

[Do most people in occupied Donbas](#) want to join Russia and blame Ukraine for the war?

Russia moves to extend ['foreign agent' law in major offensive against independent journalists](#).

Russia destroys child's life and jails historians to [rewrite darkest pages of Soviet history](#).

## Moody's improves Ukraine's outlook

### Budget of Affordable Medicines program to double in 2020

[Holodomor, Maidan lawyer on hunger strike and more](#) – uacrisis weekly update on Ukraine #37, 18 – 24 November.

[Week's balance](#): New outlook by World Bank, reboot of EU association deal, and IMF talks.

Ukraine Finance Minister [Markarova plans IMF graduation by 2023](#).

EIB to provide Ukraine with [EUR 450 mln loan for road construction](#).

Ukraine's 2020 state [budget promises continuation of predecessors' reforms](#).

[Ukrainian small businesses can receive financial support](#) under EBRD program.

[Budget of Affordable Medicines program](#) to be doubled in 2020 – health minister.

[Moody's improves Ukraine's outlook](#) from stable

to positive.

Economic and distributional [impact from lifting the farmland sales moratorium](#).

[Oil contamination exceeds safety limits](#) near wrecked tanker.

Naftogaz officially [responds to Gazprom's gas transit offer](#).

[Zelenskyy appoints U.S. Lawyer](#) as adviser amid outreach to Ukrainian diaspora.

Left: [Ecological eyewear made of coffee](#) from Ukrainian startup Ochis Coffee raises \$10k on Kickstarter in one day  
Right: [Ukraine presents lunar lander](#) at Dubai Airshow



## Global Ukraine app to link diaspora worldwide

### Ukrainian startup raises \$500k to unite animal data in online resource

[The most expensive Ukrainian brands](#): Grammarly and Petcube are included in the rating.

Global Ukraine launches mobile [application to link Ukrainian diaspora around the globe](#).

[Ukrainian Metro Exodus](#) is among the nominees for the best action game of The Game Awards.

Ukrainian startup raises [\\$500,000 to "unite all data about animals in one online resource"](#).

[Russian operator to sell Vodafone](#) Ukraine.



Left: Holodomor: [Unique photos from Austrian engineer.](#)  
Right: [Two Ukrainian teenagers have turned their small environmental project into a nationwide campaign,](#) showing kids, schools how to reduce waste and compost.



## Ukrainian athlete wins Female Rising Star Award

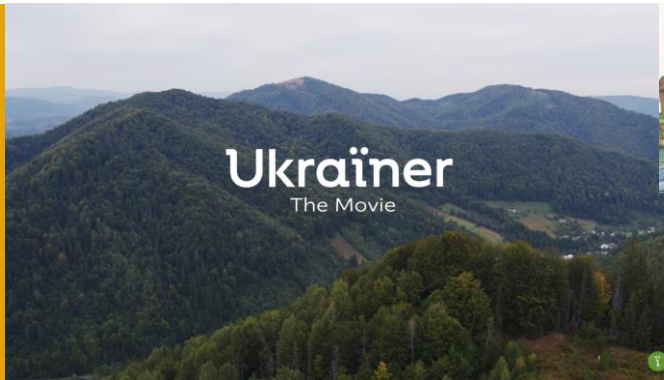
Jamala records [video for her song "The Price of Truth,"](#) which she recorded for "Mr. Jones," a film about the Holodomor directed by Polish filmmaker Agnieszka Holland.

Sophia [Ivanko performs at Junior Eurovision Song Contest.](#) (video)

Ukrainian athlete [Mahuchikh wins Female Rising Star Award.](#)

Members of women's national fencing team of Ukraine win bronze medals at the World Cup. ([photos](#))

Left: Meet [Ukrainer, "project that tells the world about the least discovered country in Europe"](#)  
Right: Hip Hop [band 'Reps' history of Ukraine in animated video](#) (video)



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