

## **Criminal Policy of Western Imperialistic Nations**

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This article aims to highlight the history of the modern world from a specifically criminological viewpoint, i.e., as a long series of criminal practices of imperialistic nations and their diverse (typical collective) punishments of rebellions against imperialistic (for a long time mainly colonialist) exploitation, plundering and repression of violently or economically subjugated peoples. Its basic thesis is that the proxy war of the collective West (under the command of the USA) against the Russian Federation as well as the war that the Zionist regime – with indispensable American and European support – has been waged against the Palestinian people and the forces of resistance in the Middle East can be understood in such a manner. Trump's victory in the American presidential elections has perhaps invigorated hope somewhat that mankind will avoid a new (and most probably the last) world war, i.e., the direct military conflict between the "good" (Western imperialistic collective) and the "evil" (states – e.g., Russia, Iran or China – that resist most resolutely against the withering American empire). Even before Trump's inauguration, the genocide in Gaza has been temporarily halted by a ceasefire, which has been expectedly violated by Israel immediately after its first phase. On the other hand, the USA has imposed the penalty upon Yemen (in the form of brutal bombardment of mainly civilian targets) being the only government in the world that reacted by military means to the new crimes of the Zionist colony on the territory of historic Palestine. Trump's new administration has started the process of gradual, yet uncertain normalization of diplomatic relations with the Kremlin, which could perhaps even end peacefully the most terrible war on the old continent since 1945. On the other hand, Trump's peace initiatives have triggered an internal crisis (just temporary disintegration?) of the collective West and have also shown to the European peoples that their principal security, social, economic and political threat are authoritarian ruling elites in Brussels and capitals of warmongering EU and NATO member states. Namely, these dangerous political forces wanted (and still want) war against the nuclear superpower. Their draconian, yet mainly inefficient and contra-productive sanctions against Russia have been causing enormous damage to European economies and peoples. Moreover, they have been supporting (militarily, financially, politically and propagandistically) the most loathsome regime in Europe since the defeat of Hitler's Germany.

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