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YK:n yleiskokouksen puheita, Saksassa mielenosoituksia, Ukrainan ja Venäjän sota puhuttaa samoin Israelin toiminta.

ISRAELIN TOIMIA

* Israelilaiset puolustusalan yritykset perustavat nopeasti kasvavan joukon tehtaita Saksaan. *Linkki 2*

* Espanjan pääministeri Pedro Sánchez tuomitsi Israelin Gazassa toteuttaman kansanmurhan puheessaan Yhdistyneiden kansakuntien yleiskokoukselle. ”Olemme kieltäytyneet kasvattamasta sotilasmenojamme... ja olemme tehneet kaikkemme välttääksemme hyökkäystoimia, jotka ovat vastoin YK:n peruskirjaa”. *Linkki 3*

* Israelin joukot pidättivät palestiinalais-amerikkalaisen toimittajan Naqaa Hamedin sotilastarkastuspisteellä Tuqussa, Betlehemin kaakkoispuolella. *Linkki 8*

* Syytettyinä on viisi kansainvälistä palestiinalaismielistä aktivistia, joita syytetään israelilaisen asevalmistajan Elbit Systemsin omistaman tehtaan vahingoittamisesta Saksan Ulmissa. *Linkki 9*

* Mathilda Mallinsonin vieraana on entinen CIA-analyytikko John Kiriakou. Voiko Israelin ja Ateenan ystävyys selviytyä Israelin heikentyneestä suosiosta? Kriitikot kuvailevat suhdetta epätasapainoiseksi, jopa kolonialistiseksi. *Linkki 19*

USA JA PENTAGON

* Professori Jeffrey Sachs kritisoi presidentti Donald Trumpin puhetta YK:n yleiskokouksessa. Hän näkee, että Trumpin puhe kertoo mm. siitä, kuinka pahasti Yhdysvaltain perustuslaillinen järjestys on murentunut. *Linkki 4*

* Pentagon on suurin saastuttaja, sanoo tutkiva dokumentaristi Abby Martin. *Linkki 13*

POHJOIS-KOREAN PAKOTTEISTA

* Etelä-Korean presidentti Lee Jae-myung on kehottanut Yhdysvaltoja lieventämään Pohjois-Korean vastaisia pakotteita vastineeksi sopimuksesta, jossa Pjongjang jäädyttäisi ydinaseohjelmansa. *Linkki 5*

UKRAINAN JA VENÄJÄN SOTA

* Ukraina ampui yli 600 droonia Venäjän vaalipäivinä Venäjälle. Ukraina menettää 27 000 sotilasta joka kuukausi. *Linkki 6*

* Zelenskyin entinen lehdistösihteeri Iuliia Mendel piti Strasbourgissa puheen, jossa hän vaati Venäjän ja Ukrainan välisen sodan lopettamista. Mendel totesi Ukrainan maksavan kestämätöntä inhimillistä ja taloudellista hintaa ja kyseenalaisti sen, onko Venäjän sotilaallinen kukistaminen mahdollista. *Linkki 7*

* Leipzigin lentoasemalle kohdistuneesta lennokki-iskusta käyty keskustelu on jälleen nostanut esiin kysymyksen Venäjän punaisista viivoista Ukrainan sodan suhteen. *Linkki 18*

KIINA JA LÄHIALUE

* Singaporen puolustusministeri Chan Chun Singi odotti innolla avointa mielipiteiden vaihtoa Kiinan kanssa 13. Xiangshan-foorumissa Pekingissä, samalla kun hän pohti, miten he voivat edistää rauhaa ja vakautta yhä levottomammassa kansainvälisessä toimintaympäristössä. *Linkki 10*

BRICS-MAAT JA LÄNSI
* Professori Anuradha Chenoy ja professori Pascal Lottazi keskustelevat Intian suhteista Venäjään, kilpailijoiden välisistä diplomaattisista suhteista sekä Bandungin perinnöstä ja sitoutumattomuudesta. Kannattaa kuunnella. *Linkki 12*

MIELENOSOITUKSIA SAKSASSA
* Sodanvastaiset mielenosoittajat saartoivat sotilaskasarmit Kölnissä Saksassa syyskuun alussa vastustaakseen aseiden tuotantoa ja puolustusmenoja. Lisäksi mielenosoituksia oli Berliinissä, Bonnissa ja Nürnbergin lähellä.
Linkit *16, 17, 20 ja 21*

- RIGOBERTA MENCHU TUM | Guatemalalainen Feminist, Indigenous Rights Activist and Peacemaker

"Peace cannot exist without justice, justice cannot exist without fairness, fairness cannot exist without development, development cannot exist without democracy, democracy cannot exist without respect for the identity and worth of cultures and peoples."

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1)
YouTube/BreakThrough News – 25. September 2026 – Schulstreik in Deutschland'

"Russland ist nicht unser Feind" – "Ich habe keine Angst davor, dass Russland uns überfällt …

https://www.youtube.com/shorts/lPB_EVVTlPo

2)
GERMAN-FOREIGN-POLICY.com – September 24, 2026 – 'Two-pronged war preparation'

Israeli defence firms are setting up a rapidly growing array of factories in Germany. Joint ventures will both help German military build-up and secure arms supplies for Israel's wars.

Israeli defence contractors are increasingly moving into Germany, setting up a rapidly growing number of arms factories. Rafael, for example, plans to manufacture components for its air defence systems at what was Volkswagen's automobile plant in Osnabruck. Meanwhile Elbit has announced the establishment of "up to eight" new production sites in Germany, which are expected to employ "well over a thousand" people. On the one hand, the new arms factories will contribute to the rapid rearmament of Germany's Bundeswehr. On the other, they enable Israeli companies to manufacture the weapons needed by the Israeli armed forces at a safe distance. This strategy secures Israel's arms supplies should the conflict in the Middle East escalate still further. It offers additional backing in the event, for example, of another war of aggression against Iran. …

https://www.german-foreign-policy.com/en/news/detail/10553

3)
MIDDLE EAST EYE – September 24, 2026 -Spain's prime minister slams Israel's genocide in Gaza during UN speech

Spanish prime minister Pedro Sanchez has condemned Israel for its genocide in Gaza during his address to the United Nations General Assembly.

Sanchez said that Spain condemns *"unequivocally a genocide that Netanyahu is still perpetrating in Gaza".*

He added that his country has opposed "all wars of aggression wherever they *have started, whether it's in Ukraine, Lebanon or Iran" for the past eight years.*

"We have refused to increase our military spending… and we've done everything possible to avoid aggressions that ran counter to the UN Charter," Sanchez said.

https://www.middleeasteye.net/live-blog/live-blog-update/spains-prime-minister-slams-israels-genocide-gaza-during-un-speech

4)
YouTube/Judge Napolitano – Judging Freedom – September 23, 2026 -

Prof. Jeffrey Sachs : REACTION to Trump's UN Speech & What Lies Netanyahu Will Tell the UN ?

224 008 viewings September 24, 2026

"I shuddered then and I shudder now that a president of the United States can stand at the podium of the UN general assembly speaking to world leaders in a language of annihilation of other countries and of sending them to hell. It was ghastly, unprecedented, totally disgusting, disgraceful for the United States. But I would also say a measure of how broken the constitutional order of the United States. ….

Trump basically said, like a madman, which I think arguably he is, the he and he alone will decide the survival of Iran.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fMpS-sbebdY

5)
The Japan Times – September 23, 2026 -South Korea's Lee urges U.S. to ease North Korea sanctions, report says

SEOUL/UNITED NATIONS – South Korean President Lee Jae Myung has urged the United States to ease sanctions on North Korea in exchange for an agreement under which Pyongyang would freeze its nuclear weapons programs, The New York Times reported.

"I believe there is significant value in a trade-off between sanctions — which are not particularly effective anyway — and a stop to the development of additional nuclear weapons and intercontinental ballistic missile technology," the newspaper quoted Lee as saying in an interview. …

https://www.japantimes.co.jp/news/2026/09/23/asia-pacific/politics/south-korea-lee-north-korea-sanctions/

6)
YouTube/Military Summary - September 18, 2026 - TUSK BOMBSHELL: Ukraine Losing 27,000 Troops EVERY MONTH - ELECTION DAY IN RUSSIA- MS 2026.09.18
This video describes the military situation in Ukraine on the 18th of September 2026
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8qxH3j9zxeg

7)
YouTube/APT – September 17, 2026 - 'Are You Not Ashamed?' — Zelensky's Former Spokesperson Blasts West Over Ukraine War | APT

Former Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky's press secretary Iuliia Mendel delivered a forceful speech in Strasbourg calling for an end to the Russia-Ukraine war and criticising what she described as Western policies that prolong the conflict. Mendel argued that Ukraine is paying an unsustainable human and economic price and questioned the feasibility of achieving a military defeat of

Russia. She also criticised Zelensky's approach to peace negotiations and accused Western governments of prioritising continued confrontation over diplomacy.

These are Mendel's claims and political arguments, rather than independently established facts. The speech came days after Zelensky imposed 10-year sanctions on Mendel, accusing her of spreading Russian propaganda and supporting Russia's aggressive policy toward Ukraine. Mendel has rejected the accusations. Mendel was due to speak at a Strasbourg event organised by AfD MEP Hans Neuhoff focused on diplomacy and prospects for ending the Ukraine conflict. Reports said she was denied entry to the European Parliament building and subsequently addressed the gathering remotely.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HzaOI0SDxaU

8)
MIDDLE EAST MONITOR – September 16, 2026 - Israeli forces detain Palestinian-American journalist in Bethlehem

Israeli forces detained Palestinian-American journalist Naqaa Hamed at a military checkpoint in Tuqu, southeast of Bethlehem, on Tuesday evening, local sources said.

The forces stopped Hamed as she crossed the checkpoint in the town, before detaining her and taking her to an unknown location, the sources said. …

Hamed is a Palestinian-American dual national and has previously faced an incitement campaign on Israeli websites and social media platforms over her coverage of events in Qusra, south of Nablus. The village has witnessed repeated attacks by Israeli settlers and attempts to seize homes there. …

https://www.middleeastmonitor.com/20260916-israeli-forces-detain-palestinian-american-journalist-in-bethlehem/

9)
Drop Site News – September 16, 2026 - The Ulm 5 Trial Dramatizes Germany's Complicity with Israel's Genocide in Gaza

Five activists who vandalized an Elbit Systems factory aim to put Germany and the Israeli weapons company on trial.

STUTTGART, Germany—Nearly fifty years after the infamous Red Army Faction trials, Germany's maximum-security Stammheim Prison is once again the setting of a high-profile case that calls into question the conduct of the German state. This time, however, the defendants are five international pro-Palestinian activists charged with vandalizing a factory in the German city of Ulm owned by Israeli weapons manufacturer Elbit Systems.

On September 8, 2025, the five Berlin-based activists, now known as the Ulm 5, broke into Elbit's facility and carried out acts of vandalism that they recorded using body cameras and posted online. They destroyed equipment and spray

painted "free Palestine" and "baby killers" on the walls. In their videos, the activists—citizens of Britain, Ireland, Spain, and Germany—say they carried out their direct action "to dismantle the tools used to commit genocide in Gaza" and to call attention to Germany's complicity with it.

No one was injured in the action, which allegedly caused €1.04 million in damages, and the protesters remained at the scene to be arrested. …

https://www.dropsitenews.com/p/ulm5-elbit-israel-gaza-germany?utm_source=substack&utm_medium=email&utm_content=share

10)
MINDEF Singapore - September 16, 2026 - Speech by Minister for Defence Chan Chun Sing at the 13th Xiangshan Forum on 16 September 2026 in Beijing, China

It is a great honour to be back at the Xiangshan Forum, at the invitation of China Minister of National Defense Admiral Dong Jun and the People's Liberation Army. I look forward to a candid exchange of views with all of you, as we explore how we can advance peace and stability amid an increasingly turbulent international environment. …

… Second, we build trust through strategic patience. Strategic patience is the wisdom to choose the course of action that best serves our long-term interest despite immediate pressures. It is not about letting our external circumstances dictate our actions, or baiting us into chasing short-term wins over enduring advantage. Not every capability needs to be advertised; not every advantage needs to be immediately pressed; and not every provocation demands an immediate response. …

https://www.mindef.gov.sg/news-and-events/latest-releases/16sep26-speech/

11)
GERMAN-FOREIGN-POLICY.com – September 16, 2026 – The Costs of War

The war in Iran is disrupting oil and gas supplies from the Persian Gulf; the war in Ukraine is halting Russian diesel exports and reducing natural gas supplies. Germany, like other countries, faces astronomical prices and shortages.

BERLIN/WASHINGTON (our own report) – American energy experts are warning of a full-scale global energy crisis with prices for crude oil and natural gas skyrocketing. According to the US oil industry, there was enough capacity in the first six months of Washington's war on Iran to compensate to some extent for the shortfalls caused by the blockade of the Strait of Hormuz. On the one hand, various Western states could draw on their strategic reserves; on the other, China has significantly reduced its imports, thereby easing demand pressures. But neither of these steps is likely to be sustainable. So further hikes in oil and gas prices have to be expected. Another critical factor is that Ukraine has managed to severely damage a number of Russian refineries with its drone

attacks. This is leading to a diesel shortage: Russia, previously the world's second-largest exporter, has completely halted diesel exports.

https://www.german-foreign-policy.com/en/news/detail/10540

12)
YouTube/Neutrality Studies – September 14, 2026 - BRICS Moves to 'Competitive Coexistence', Leaves West Behind | Prof. Anuradha Chenoy

Professor Anuradha Chenoy joins Pascal Lottaz to examine BRICS, the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation, and their evolving role in a multipolar world. They discuss India's relations with Russia, diplomatic engagement between rivals, and the legacy of Bandung and nonalignment. Chenoy explains proposals for national currency trade, alternative payment systems, and financial reform. The conversation explores sanctions, strategic autonomy, and the differences between military alliances and cooperative forums, asking how diverse countries can pursue competitive coexistence while maintaining engagement with the West.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qd3az0_ymgg

13)
YouTube/Dissidentklubben – September 12, 2026 - Earth's greatest enemy

Abby Martin on Pentagon as the worst polluter

Abby Martin, American journalist, television presenter, and activist. Helped found the citizen journalism website *Media Roots* and serves on the board of directors for the Media Freedom Foundation which manages Project Censored. Appeared in the documentary film *Project Censored The Movie: Ending the Reign of Junk Food News* (2013), and co-directed *99%: The Occupy Wall Street Collaborative Film* (2013).

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ToHMN9quFhw

14)
Independent Jewish Voices Canada – September 9, 2026 - IJV Welcomes Canada's Joint Statement on Israeli Settlement, Awaits Broader Sanctions

Independent Jewish Voices (IJV) welcomes Canada's announcement that, alongside eleven European allies, Canada intends to impose a ban on the import of goods from illegal Israeli settlements in occupied Palestinian territory. An additional joint statement with France and the U.K, stated that Canada will be enforcing "targeted measures against settlements and those who facilitate them or profit from them," a long overdue commitment to bring action against Israel's illegal settlement enterprise. …

https://www.ijvcanada.org/ijv-welcomes-canadas-joint-statement-on-israeli-settlement-awaits-broader-sanctions/

15)
ABC News - September 7, 2026 - Lebanon thrown into crisis in shadow of Iran war

An unmanned Israeli drone sounds like an obnoxious lawnmower.
They menace the sky above the southern Lebanese city of Nabatieh, 11 kilometres from the Israeli border, a sound more common than birdsong. …

There is technically a ceasefire now, but in Lebanon that does not count for much.
Authorities say about 400 people died during the previous one, and nearly the same number again during the current one. …

This war in Lebanon has played out in the shadow of a larger conflict: Israel and the US's war with Iran, launched in February this year. …

https://www.abc.net.au/news/2026-09-08/lebanon-israel-hezbollah-shadow-war/107111986

16)
ND Aktuell – 5. September 2026 - Köln: Tausende gegen Aufrüstung – Hunderte im Polizeikessel

Demo zum Abschluss des Rheinmetall-Entwaffnen-Camps: Willkür und hartes Vorgehen der Sicherheitskräfte gegen Antimilitaristen.

Unter dem Motto »Die Kriegstreiber stoppen« zogen ab Samstagmittag Tausende Menschen durch die Kölner Innenstadt. Die Demonstration bildete den Abschluss des antimilitaristischen Rheinmetall-Entwaffnen-Camps. Nach Medienberichten hatten im Verlauf der Woche rund 2000 Menschen das Zeltlager besucht.

Während des Camps luden verschiedene Organisationen zu Bildungsveranstaltungen und Diskussionsrunden zu antimilitaristischen und weiteren politischen Themen ein. Das Camp wurde zeitweise von bewaffneten Feldjägern, also der militärischen Polizei der Bundeswehr, beobachtet. …

https://www.nd-aktuell.de/artikel/1202307.rheinmetall-entwaffnen-demo-in-koeln-koeln-tausende-gegen-aufruestung-n-hunderte-im-polizeikessel.html

17)
Anadolu Ajansi (video) – September 3, 2026 - Anti-war protesters blockade military barracks in Cologne, Germany, opposing arms production and defense spending

Around 300 activists join demonstration organized by 'Disarm Rheinmetall'. Police remove and detain several protesters blocking access to barracks

https://www.aa.com.tr/en/vg/video-gallery/anti-war-protesters-blockade-military-barracks-in-cologne-germany-opposing-arms-production-and-defense-spending/155049

18)
GERMAN-FOREIGN-POLICY.com – September 3, 2026 - Russia's red lines

The debate surrounding the drone attack on Leipzig Airport has again raised the question of Russia's red lines in the Ukraine war.

2026MOSCOW/BERLIN/LONDON (our own report) – The debate surrounding the drone attack on Leipzig Airport has once again raised the question of Russia's red lines with regard to the Ukraine war. In recent years, Moscow has repeatedly warned Western powers not to cross its red lines. Chief among the moves considered unacceptable by the Kremlin is the willingness of Western powers to supply long-range missiles to Ukraine, enabling strikes targets deep into Russian territory. Russia says in this case it reserves the right to respond.

Meanwhile, targets in the Russian heartland are being struck by long-range drones of British manufacture. Drones of this type are also being produced in Germany explicitly for export to Kiev. A Russian government adviser recently confirmed that there "sooner or later, there might be not only verbal but maybe some visible reaction from Russia towards the UK." Cyber-attacks or "semi-military" measures were, he said, quite conceivable. The targets could be chosen asymmetrically.

Should it be proven that the perpetrators at Leipzig Airport were actually working for Russian authorities, the incident could then be understood as such a Russian response to its red lines being crossed. And Germany would find itself one step further into war. ….

https://www.german-foreign-policy.com/en/news/detail/10519

19)
YouTube/Middle East Eye – August 29, 2026 – John Kiriakou rips into Israeli 'takeover' of Greece (Video)

Athens treats Israel as a vital partner, above all as a counterweight to Turkey. But arms sales, high rents blamed on Israeli property buyers, and revulsion at the Gaza war are turning that partnership into a domestic liability. Critics call the relationship asymmetrical, even colonial. Can Israel's friendship with Athens survive its own unpopularity?

Mathilda Mallinson is joined by former CIA analyst and host of John Kiriakou's Briefing Room, John Kiriakou.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ET_ee3W8NPY

20)
The New Arab/facebook – August 29, 2026- German activists staged coordinated protests at arms industry sites in Berlin, Bonn and near Nuremberg on Friday 28 Aug, with some gluing their hands to the ground and blocking entrances.

The demonstrators condemned Germany's continued military support for Israel and demanded an end to arms supplies they say are fuelling the genocide in Gaza.

https://www.facebook.com/AlAraby.en/videos/german-activists-glue-themselves-to-the-ground-at-arms-sites-in-gaza-genocide-pr/4527097287562871/

21)
Reuters/Anadolu Ajansi – August 28, 2026 - Protest against Rheinmetall in Germany

BONN, GERMANY - AUGUST 28: Activists block the entrance to a Rheinmetall facility during a protest against the German arms manufacturer in Bonn, Germany, on August 28, 2026. Demonstrators staged the blockade as part of a nationwide mobilization protesting Rheinmetall's involvement in the defense industry and its supply of military equipment amid the war in Gaza. Several participants glued themselves to the ground, prompting police to deploy a technical unit during a six-hour operation that ended with the arrest and detention of all blockade participants. …

https://www.reutersconnect.com/item/protest-against-rheinmetall-in-germany/dGFnOnJldXRlcnMuY29tLDIwMjY6bmV3c21sX01UMUFOQURMMDAwWk9BR1RR