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COUNTERING TRANSNATIONAL ORGANIZED CRIME (CTOC)

CORRUPTION

Italian court acquits Eni and Shell in Nigerian corruption case

Emilio Parodi and Stephen Jewkes – Reuters: 18 March 2021

Energy giants Eni and Shell were accused of corruption in the 2011 purchase of an offshore oilfield in Nigeria. The \$1.3 billion sale was the biggest corruption scandal to hit the industry. A court in Milan has acquitted the oil giants of corruption charges in the bribery case.

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-eni-shell-nigeria-idUSKBN2B91Y4>

Russian Lawmakers Approve Initial Reading Of Bill Allowing ‘Accidental’ Corruption

Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty: 11 March 2021

The Russian State Duma has approved the first reading of two draft laws exempting government officials, judges, lawmakers and employees of state-owned companies from punishment in the event they violate anti-corruption laws “accidentally.”

<https://www.rferl.org/a/russia-parliament-bill-accidental-corruption-approved/31145140.html>

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Brother-in-law of Tunisia’s ousted president gets 10 years for corruption

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-tunisia-politics-trabelsi/brother-in-law-of-tunisi-as-ousted-president-gets-10-years-for-corruption-idUSKBN2B10U6?src=ilaw>

Why Buhari’s government is losing the anti-corruption war

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A new US award honors anti-corruption advocates around the world

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How South Africa’s Jacob Zuma is using war metaphors to fight corruption charges

<https://qz.com/africa/1981000/south-africas-jacob-zumas-strategy-as-he-faces-corruption-inquiry/>

Colombia’s former Supreme Court president convicted over mammoth corruption scandal

<https://colombiareports.com/colombias-former-supreme-court-president-convicted-over-mammoth-corruption-scandal/>

Governor of Colombia’s largest province arrested on corruption charges

<https://colombiareports.com/governor-of-colombias-largest-province-arrested-on-corruption-charges/>

Mauritania: ex-president in court on corruption charges

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U.S. Slaps Sanctions On Ukrainian Oligarch Kolomoyskiy Over Corruption Accusations

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Kosovo’s Courts Struggle to Hold Corrupt Officials to Account

<https://balkaninsight.com/2021/03/05/kosovos-courts-struggle-to-hold-corrupt-officials-to-account/>

DRUG TRAFFICKING

Cocaine: The drug pipeline to Europe

Peter Hille – Deutsche Welle: 7 March 2021

Despite COVID-19, tons of cocaine are ending up in Germany. Europe is the most attractive market for cocaine traffickers, according to Jeremy McDermott, director of the organization InSight Crime. “The prices are much higher, and the risks are so much lower than in the Americas,” McDermott says.

<https://www.dw.com/en/cocaine-the-drug-pipeline-to-europe/a-56782666>

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Colombia launches new military unit to target drug trafficking, armed groups

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-colombia-conflict/colombia-launches-new-military-unit-to-target-drug-trafficking-armed-groups-idUSKBN2AQ2FR>

U.S. Tells Mexico Drug War’s Failure Requires New Strategy

<https://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2021-03-03/u-s-tells-mexico-that-drug-war-s-failure-requires-new-strategy>

Revealed: Drug Gangs Are Stealing Children From Loving Families — Even In Lockdown

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Stay Frosty: Further Innovations in Drug Trafficking

<https://insightcrime.org/news/stay-frosty-further-innovations-in-drug-trafficking/>

Digital currency ATMS ‘increasingly used for money laundering’ in US drug market: DEA

<https://coingeek.com/digital-currency-atms-increasingly-used-for-money-laundering-us-drug-market-dea/>

ANU study details how dark web drug networks can elude law enforcement agencies

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Narcos and necromancy: Turf wars and black magic in Colombia

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‘The epidemic within a pandemic:’ Opioid overdoses continue to make an impact during COVID-19

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<https://colombiareports.com/colombias-peace-process-essential-to-fight-drug-trafficking-us/>

TRAFFICKING IN SCARCE OR PROTECTED RESOURCES

This frog farm in Colombia is trying to put poachers out of business

Manuel Rueda – PRI: 5 March 2021

In Colombia, one of the world's most biodiverse countries, thousands of animals fall victim to poaching each year. Could captive-breeding projects help save some from extinction?

<https://www.pri.org/stories/2021-03-05/frog-farm-colombia-trying-put-poachers-out-business>

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Illegal Logging at Prey Lang Worsened After Patrol Bans, Says Amnesty International

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In Kenya, electric fences protect forests from human destruction

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-kenya-environment-forest-idUSKBN2AP140>

We can now see through clouds to detect deforestation in near real-time

<https://news.mongabay.com/2021/03/we-can-now-see-through-clouds-to-detect-deforestation-in-near-real-time/>

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UN, Germany, Unveil Plans To End Nigeria's Illegal Wildlife Trade

<https://leadership.ng/un-germany-unveil-plans-to-end-nigerias-illegal-wildlife-trade/>

Chasing southeast Asia's XTC gang: Sex workers, the illegal wildlife trade and money

<https://www.independent.co.uk/stop-the-illegal-wildlife-trade/xtc-gang-poaching-sex-trafficking-rhino-b1810876.html>

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND IRREGULAR MIGRATION

Uruguay Remains Hub For Trafficking Women to Europe

Gabrielle Gorder – InSight Crime: 16 March 2021

While Uruguay has traditionally been praised for maintaining some of the region's lowest crime rates, it has failed to root out human trafficking.

<https://insightcrime.org/news/uruguay-remains-hub-for-trafficking-women-to-europe/>

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Humanitarian crisis looms on Chile-Bolivia border as migrants cross on foot

<https://www.theguardian.com/global-development/2021/mar/09/chile-bolivia-border-crisis-migrants>

Hard hit by COVID-19, migrants seen facing 'invisible wall'

<https://news.trust.org/item/20210309115426-mbnbx/>

Human trafficking: despite progress, Denmark still fails to sufficiently protect victims

<https://www.coe.int/en/web/portal/-/human-trafficking-despite-progress-denmark-still-fails-to-sufficiently-protect-victims>

ORGANIZED CRIME

Report: Organized Crime Exacerbating World's Major Problems

Alessandro Ford – Organized Crime and Corruption Reporting Project: 12 March 2021

Transnational organized crime has grown exponentially since the early 1990s and is now a key factor exacerbating many of the world's major problems, including climate change, mass migration, economic inequality and political instability, according to a recent report.

<https://www.occrp.org/en/daily/14053-report-organized-crime-exacerbating-world-s-major-problems>

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<https://worldcrunch.com/world-affairs/police-decode-encrochat-the-whatsapp-for-organized-crime>

New crime-fighting network to help ASEAN tackle cross-border cases

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Latin America Sees Rise in Vaccine-related Crimes

<https://insightcrime.org/news/vaccine-arrivals-deliver-new-scams-latin-america/>

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INTERNET GOVERNANCE

Multistakeholderism Is Working: A Short Series of Articles

Paul McGrady – CircleID: 15 March 2021

The author argues that the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers' multistakeholder model of internet governance is working. It may work slowly, it may work imperfectly and inefficiently, but it does, in fact, work.

<https://www.circleid.com/posts/20210315-multistakeholderism-is-working-a-short-series-of-articles/>

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(Africa, Global) The Internet's time to be a basic 'human right' has arrived

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(Global) A Breakthrough for U.N. Governance of Cyberspace

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INTERNET FREEDOM

EA Law Society sues Uganda for shutting down internet during polls

Patty Magubira – The East African: 15 March 2021

In January 2021, the Ugandan government ordered an internet shutdown on the eve of the presidential election. The East African Law Society has sued the government, seeking compensation to everyone affected by its alleged illegal actions.

<https://www.theeastafrican.co.ke/tea/news/east-africa/ea-law-society-sues-uganda-internet-shutdown-election-3323246>

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<https://www.dw.com/en/bypassing-censorship-with-vpns-is-that-really-safe/a-56836645>

PRIVACY AND SECURITY

The European Union, Cybersecurity, and the Financial Sector: A Primer

Phillipp S. Krüger and Jan-Philipp Brauchle – Carnegie: 16 March 2021

Recently, European Union cybersecurity regulation has focused on risks to the financial sector. However, complicated, overlapping regulations show the growing need for a comprehensive cybersecurity framework.

<https://carnegieendowment.org/2021/03/16/european-union-cybersecurity-and-financial-sector-primer-pub-84055>

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<https://www.computerweekly.com/news/252497812/UK-plans-full-spectrum-approach-to-national-cyber-security>

CYBER STATECRAFT

Explainer: The shift to digital governance in the GCC

Liam Maxwell – Gulf Business: 13 March 2021

Regional Gulf Cooperation Council governments are rapidly integrating digital transformation processes into their systems to boost their economies, opines the author, who is director of government transformation at Amazon Web Services.

<https://gulfbusiness.com/explainer-the-shift-to-digital-governance-in-the-gcc/>

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CYBERATTACKS, THREATS AND VULNERABILITIES

China suspected of cyber attack on Western Australia's Parliament during state election

Andrew Greene – Australian Broadcasting Corp. News: 17 March 2021

A large number of Australian organizations, including Western Australia's Parliament, were hit by a cyberattack earlier this month, allegedly by the Chinese.

<https://www.abc.net.au/news/2021-03-17/wa-parliament-targeted-cyber-attack/13253926>

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The Microsoft Exchange hack: The risks and rewards of sharing bug intel

Bradley Barth – SC Media: 16 March 2021

Microsoft Corp. is investigating whether the hackers behind a worldwide cyberattack may have obtained sensitive information necessary to launch the attack from private disclosures Microsoft made to some of its security partners, according to people familiar with the matter.

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MASS SURVEILLANCE AND INTELLIGENCE GATHERING

India's New Cybercrime Volunteer Program Raises Mass Surveillance Fears

Abinaya Vijayaraghavan – Zenger News: 5 March 2021

India's Ministry of Home Affairs recently launched a "cybercrime volunteers" program on the National Cyber Crime Reporting portal, where citizens can report "unlawful content" online without verifying their identity.

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PROGRAM ON TERRORISM AND SECURITY STUDIES (PTSS)

ISIS AND FOREIGN FIGHTERS

US special operations forces train Mozambique troops to counter ISIS threat

John Vandiver – Stars and Stripes: 16 March 2021

The United States military has launched a training program to help fight a brutal insurgency that has devastated northern Mozambique.

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Mozambique armed men beheading children, Save the Children says

Reuters: 17 March 2021

Children as young as 11 have been beheaded by ISIS-linked militants who have killed more than 2,500 people over the last three years in Mozambique.

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TERRORISM AROUND THE WORLD

The Conflict Between Al-Qaeda and the Islamic State in the Sahel, A Year On

Héni Nsaibia – Italian Institute for International Political Studies: 3 March 2021

A year has passed since the relationship between the al-Qaida-affiliated Jama'at Nusrat al-Islam wal-Muslimin and ISIS in the Greater Sahara deteriorated into a full-fledged turf war in the Sahel. Where do things stand now?

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US confident of a much weaker al-Shabaab

<https://www.theeastafrican.co.ke/tea/news/east-africa/us-confident-of-weaker-al-shabaab-3321586>

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Burkina Faso Makes Tentative Steps Towards Dialogue With Jihadists

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<https://www.nytimes.com/2021/03/13/insider/taliban-prisons.html>

RADICALIZATION AND MESSAGING

New survey sheds light on the depth of extremist beliefs among Muslim Australians

Shane Satterley – The Conversation: 17 March 2021

Most Muslim Australians do not subscribe to extremist Islamist beliefs. However, according to a nationwide survey, significant minorities did indicate support for some key ideological features of Islamism.

<https://theconversation.com/new-survey-sheds-light-on-the-depth-of-extremist-beliefs-among-muslim-australians-155471>

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Extremist groups 'move online' to radicalise children during pandemic

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Violent extremism on the rise in schools as safety kit rolled out

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IRREGULAR WARFARE: SOFT POWER

U.S., India, Japan and Australia counter China with billion-dose vaccine pact

David Brunnstrom, Michael Martina and Jeff Mason – Reuters: 12 March 2021

The most notable takeaway from the first-ever “Quad” leaders meeting involving Australia, India, Japan and the United States will be an agreement on expanding the global vaccine supply and a plan for production and distribution.

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-usa-asia-idUSKBN2B40IP>

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UK seeks more influence in Indo-Pacific as 'moderating impact' on China

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The African countries that are part of China's vaccine diplomacy

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IRREGULAR WARFARE: DISINFORMATION AND MALIGN INFLUENCE

SOUTHCOM Looking at New Intelligence-Gathering Ops to Counter ISR Shortfall

Brian W. Everstine – Air Force Magazine: 16 March 2021

The U.S. military needs more resources in Central and South America and the Arctic to counter increasing Chinese and Russian activities in those areas, the top U.S. military officers in charge of operations in the Western Hemisphere testified.

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