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COUNTERING TRANSNATIONAL ORGANIZED CRIME (CTOC)

CORRUPTION

Corruption Island: The Lavish Properties Of Former Kazakh Leader Nazarbaev And His Family

Manas Qaiyrtaiuly - Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty: 6 July 2022

In Kazakhstan's capital of Nur-Sultan, Nursultan Nazarbaev and his family own a remarkable collection of palaces and grandiose properties, including a 12-hectare artificial island. This new investigation comes after a pair of RFE/RL reports that revealed more of the family's palatial properties.

<https://www.rferl.org/a/nazarbaev-kazakhstan-property-corruption/31931183.html>

Africa: IMF Calls for Good Governance, Stronger Anti-Corruption Measures on the Continent

Nontobeko Mlambo - allAfrica: 23 June 2022

The African Union and the International Monetary Fund convened a two-day meeting on good governance and corruption in Botswana to discuss how Africa can reap the benefits of good governance, improve growth opportunities, create jobs, reduce poverty and achieve the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals.

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New direction for China's anti-corruption campaign

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Malaysia's Corruption Pandemic – Analysis

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DRUG TRAFFICKING

Why Did Latin America's Drug Trade Thrive During COVID-19?

Alessandro Ford – InSight Crime: 5 July 2022

A recent report on worldwide drug production, trafficking and consumption during the COVID-19 pandemic has highlighted the resilience of Latin America's cocaine trade and the region's expanding role in producing other types of drugs.

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China identifies use of crypto in drug trafficking as new phenomenon — report

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Shipping companies and Customs authorities come together to step up the fight against narcotics trafficking

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Peru's indigenous communities fear rising violence from drug traffickers

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Ghana identified as transit country for drug trafficking, particularly cocaine — British diplomat

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TRAFFICKING IN SCARCE OR PROTECTED RESOURCES

Cyber-enabled wildlife trade in Central African Countries and Nigeria

TRAFFIC: 5 July 2022

Survey finds online sales of CITES-listed species in five African countries while cyber legislation lacks.

<https://www.traffic.org/publications/reports/cyber-enabled-wildlife-trade-in-central-african-countries-and-nigeria/>

Gambia bans timber exports to combat illegal logging

Pap Saine – Reuters: 2 July 2022

The West African nation has banned timber exports and permanently revoked all timber export licenses. The ban targets timber of the highly prized African Rosewood tree, which is native in West and Central Africa. It has been nearly extinct since 2011.

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INTERNET GOVERNANCE

G7 vs. BRICS: One Cyberworld, Two Summits and Three Approaches for the Governance of the Internet?

Wolfgang Kleinwächter – CircleID: 5 July 2022

Cybersecurity and digitalization were not at the center of the recent summit meetings of the presidents and prime ministers of the G7 (US, Canada, UK, Germany, Italy, France, Japan) and BRICS (Brazil, Russia, India, China, South Africa). But cybersecurity and digitalization are too important to be ignored when world leaders meet.

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INTERNET FREEDOM

Kremlin tightens control over Russians' online lives – threatening domestic freedoms and the global internet

Stanislav Budnitsky – The Conversation: 30 June 2022

Since the start of Russia's war on Ukraine in February 2022, Russian internet users have experienced what has been dubbed the descent of a "digital iron curtain."

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How China uses search engines to spread propaganda

Jessica Brandt and Valerie Wirtschafter – Brookings: 6 July 2022

Authoritarian states like China increasingly use online platforms to disseminate narratives aimed at weakening their democratic competitors. These search engines represent a crucial battleground in their information war with rivals. For Beijing, search engines represent a key – and underappreciated – vector to spread propaganda to audiences around the world.

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Hacker Claims to be Selling Leaked Data of a Billion Chinese Citizens

Inci Sayki – Organized Crime and Corruption Reporting Project: 5 July 2022

An anonymous hacker has claimed to have obtained the personal information of a billion Chinese citizens, allegedly stolen from the Shanghai police, in what could be the biggest data breach in history if true.

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NATO establishes program to coordinate rapid response to cyberattacks

Maggie Miller – Politico: 29 June 2022

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Hackers can bring ships and planes to a grinding halt. And it could become much more common

Sam Shoad – CNBC: 27 June 2022

Hackers are increasingly setting their sights on some of the biggest things that humans can build.

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PROGRAM ON TERRORISM AND SECURITY STUDIES (PTSS)

ISIS AND FOREIGN FIGHTERS

Syrian Refugee Camp Becomes ISIS Incubator

Zvi Bar'el – Haaretz: 3 July 2022

Wives and children of ISIS fighters who are living in the al-Hawl refugee camp in Syria are carrying on the tradition of the organization, but most of them have nowhere to go.

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Taliban labels Islamic State affiliate a 'false sect'

Sahar Akbarzai, Ehsan Popalzai and Ivana Kottasová – CNN: 3 July 2022

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Ayaz Gul – Voice of America: 1 July 2022

The Taliban's reclusive supreme leader ruled out any talks or compromise on his "Islamic system" of governance in Afghanistan in an apparent rebuke to international calls for his hard-line ruling group to ease restrictions on women's rights to work and education.

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Seth J. Frantzman – The Jerusalem Post: 2 July 2022

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High-profile murders in Brazil's Amazon highlight soaring violence

Andre Cabette Fabio – Reuters: 1 July 2022

The deaths of British reporter Dom Phillips and Brazilian indigenous expert Bruno Pereira highlight growing Amazon violence.

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Phillips Payson O'Brien – The Atlantic: 1 July 2022

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