

# **Michel Chossudovsky: The Globalization of War. Global and Asian Implications. Manila Conference, Oct 14-16**

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*Prof Michel Chossudovsky will be speaking in Manila, Philippines on the Globalization of War, focussing on the Pivot to Asia. He will be speaking at the University of the Philippines (UP Diliman), Quezon City, under the auspices of The Center for People Empowerment and Governance on Oct 14. 1-4.30pm (Scroll down for details).*

*On Wed October 15 he will be speaking in a public forum organized by the Development Studies Program of the University of the Philippines, UP Manila, 2-4pm and at a Media Forum at the National Press Club organized by ILPS (October 15, 6-8pm)*

*On October 16, 4-7pm, Michel Chossudovsky will be addressing a public forum at the University of Makati*

The world is at a dangerous crossroads. The United States and its allies have launched a military adventure which threatens the future of humanity.

Major military and covert intelligence operations are being undertaken simultaneously in the Middle East, Eastern Europe, sub-Saharan Africa, Central Asia and the Far East. The US military agenda combines both major theater operations as well as covert actions geared towards destabilizing sovereign states.

The "Communist threat" of The Cold War era has been replaced by the worldwide threat of "Islamic terrorism". Whereas Russia and China have become capitalist "free market" economies, a first strike pre-emptive nuclear attack is nonetheless contemplated.

China and Russia are no longer considered to be "a threat to capitalism". Quite the opposite. What is at stake is economic and financial rivalry between competing capitalist powers. The China-Russia alliance under the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) constitutes a "competing capitalist block" which undermines U.S. economic hegemony.

In Asia, the U.S. has contributed under its "Pivot to Asia" to encouraging its Asia-Pacific allies including Japan, Australia, South Korea, The Philippines and Vietnam to threaten and isolate China as part of a process of "military encirclement" of China, which gained impetus in the late 1990s.

Meanwhile, war propaganda has become increasingly pervasive. War is upheld as a peace-making operation.

When war becomes peace, the world is turned upside down. Conceptualization

is no longer possible. An inquisitorial social system emerges. (See Chapter X). The consensus is to wage war. People can no longer think for themselves. They accept the authority and wisdom of the established social order.

(Michel Chossudovsky, *America's Long War against Humanity*, excerpt from forthcoming book, Global Research, 2014)



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# America's Ongoing Wars: Global and Asian Implications

October 14, 2014, 1-4:30 p.m.  
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Magsaysay Avenue, UP Diliman, Quezon City

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He is the author of eleven books including *The Globalization of Poverty and The New World Order* (2003), *America's "War on Terrorism"* (2005), *The Global Economic Crisis*, *The Great Depression of the Twenty-first Century* (2009) (Editor), *Towards a World War III Scenario: The Dangers of Nuclear War* (2011). He is a contributor to the *Encyclopaedia Britannica*. His writings have been published in more than 20 languages.

Michel Chossudovsky is a member of the Kuala Lumpur War Crimes Commission (KLWCC) which initiated the indictment against George W. Bush et al **"for crimes of torture and war crimes"**. (Judgement of the Kuala Lumpur War Crimes Tribunal (KLWCT), 11 May 2012) and on **"crimes of genocide"** against the State of Israel, (Judgement of the Tribunal, November 25, 2013).

In 2014, Michel Chossudovsky was awarded the Gold Medal for Merit of the Republic of Serbia for his writings on NATO's war on Yugoslavia.



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