

“post-industrial,” “ecologist” policies, and the Aug. 15, 1971 adoption by President Nixon of “free-floating exchange rates.”

Such an attack upon the principles of the original Bretton Woods agreement of FDR, which LaRouche has repeatedly called upon world leaders to return to, is a typical tactic of the carpet-bagging financier-predators of the Anglo-American Establishment. The view expressed by the Siena Declaration, is epitomized by Sir Henry A. Kissinger’s speech at a Chatham House (Royal Institute for International Affairs) conference for the Bicentenary of the British Foreign Office, on May 10, 1982. In essence, Kissinger denounces FDR for having told then-British Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill that after World War II, FDR was committed to rolling back British Eighteenth-Century methods of colonialism. Bretton Woods represented FDR’s economic dimension of this nation-building policy, which was cut short in other dimensions by FDR’s untimely death.

The “New Bretton Woods” manifesto of Teddy Goldsmith and the IFG places “ecological values above economic values”; it would create a virtual Tower of Babel.

Apart from Teddy’s co-author and pal Jerry Mander, some of the more notable board and associates of the IFG include:

**Maude Barlow.** According to sources at IFG, this Canada-based IFG board member, who is affiliated with the Council of Canadians, was one of two co-organizers of the Quebec City riots against the hemispheric free trade zone summit of the Americas with Victor Menotti, who is program director of the IFG.

**Walden Bello.** According to sources at IFG, Walden Bello (see also dossier on the World Social Forum, in this *Feature*) had been deployed to the Genoa G-8 riots. Bello is also reported to have participated in a counter-G-8 forum organized by Teddy Goldsmith from his villa in Siena, which was hosted by the mayor of Pisa, and was attended by all the ministers of Italy’s region of Tuscany.

**John Cavanaugh.** Although this Institute for Policy Studies leader has recently been seen in the debating halls of Chatham House’s American cousin, the New York Council on Foreign Relations, it is noteworthy that IPS was a principal think-tank and coordinating center for the New Left during the “Global ’68” movement.

**Vandana Shiva.** This IFG board member is one of the “Associates” of *The Ecologist*, and his Foundation for Science, Technology and Ecology is based in New Delhi.

**Brent Blackwelder.** As an “IFG Associate,” Blackwelder is affiliated with Friends of the Earth-U.S.A., which has taken part in the new terrorist riots against international financial organizations.

**Kevin Danaher.** This IFG Associate is a leader in Global Exchange. (See dossier on Mobilization for Global Justice.)

**Ralph Nader.** This IFG Associate is both the head of “Public Citizen” and ran as the Presidential candidate of the U.S. Green Party in the Y2000 elections. Ironically, Nader,

who has “speechified” at various new terrorist riots, like his presentation at the April 2000 IMF/World Bank protest, has received major international media attention, while the LaRouche campaign was blacked out by the establishment media, even though Lyndon LaRouche received 120,000 more votes than Nader in the latter’s California stronghold.

**Randall Hayes.** As an IFG Associate, Hayes is a leader of the San Francisco-based Rainforest Action Network, which was particularly evident in the Seattle WTO riots.

**Carl Pope.** Another IFG Associate, he is a leader of the “above suspicion” Sierra Club.

**Jeremy Rifkin.** He is both an IFG Associate and an Associate of *The Ecologist*.

**Kirkpatrick Sale.** This former New Left guru is a leader of the E.F. Schumacher Society, which preaches a “Small Is Beautiful” version of the “deep ecology” Gaia Hypothesis.

**Danny Kennedy.** As an IFG Associate, Kennedy is a leader of Project Underground, which has frequently adopted and affiliated with those anarcho-ecology groups that practice the “Black Bloc” tactic of direct confrontation with the police.

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## Profile: George Soros

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# ‘Inside-Outside’ Job For the Oligarchy

by Scott Thompson

George Soros has gained notoriety among many Third World leaders as a Robin Hood who robs the poor to give to the rich. In fact, he has been doing an “inside-outside” job, in his game with both the international financial institutions and their supposed “arch-enemies” in the new terrorism.

Undoubtedly, as in the past, George Soros will be hosting lavish entertainment, if not actually speaking on the glories of globalization, inside the armed camp of the September 2001 International Monetary Fund-World Bank meeting in Washington, D.C. And, while he is on the inside, narco-terrorist forces that his network of “philanthropic” and “human rights” organizations acts to protect—including Mexico’s Zapatistas (EZLN), Colombia’s FARC, and Peru’s Shining Path and MRTA—will be either demonstrating or a *cause célèbre* of the “anti-globalizing” new terrorists. Several Soros-created or -funded fronts have made opposition to Plan Colombia—which will be the opening salvo for the new terrorists in Washington, D.C.—one of their major activities.

Within the Soros financial and “philanthropic” empire, the following are some of the key institutions and personnel

involved in this “inside-outside” operation:

### **The Open Society Institute (OSI)**

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New York, N.Y. 10019  
website: [www.soros.org](http://www.soros.org)  
George Soros, chairman  
Aryeh Neier, president

The Open Society Institute was established in 1993, and is *primus inter pares* among OSIs in: Baltimore, Maryland; Brussels, Belgium; Budapest, Hungary; and, Paris, France. In coordination, these OSIs have primacy over more than 40 national Soros Foundations and institutions.

### **The Lindesmith Center**

925 9th Avenue  
New York, N.Y. 10019  
web site: [www.drugpolicy.org](http://www.drugpolicy.org)  
Ethan Nadelmann, executive director

The Lindesmith Center, whose major focus on legalizing all narcotics—from marijuana to crack cocaine to LSD—is part of the OSI in New York. It is named after a British detective, who, like British liberal philosopher John Stuart Mill, argued that use of narcotics was a “victimless crime.”

### **Central European University-Budapest (CEU)**

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George Soros, chairman  
Yehuda Elkana, president and rector

After Czech President Vaclav Havel rescinded the charter of the CEU in Prague, the CEU, whose main base had always been in Budapest, Hungary, opened a second branch campus in Warsaw, Poland. It has its own publishing affiliate in New York City.

### **Human Rights Watch (HRW)**

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Ken Roth, executive director

### **Human Rights Watch/Americas**

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Washington, D.C. 20009  
website: [www.hrw.org](http://www.hrw.org)  
José Miquel Vivanco, executive director

Although Human Rights Watch is an independent organization, George Soros is one of its major funders. The proximity of the institutions is illustrated by the fact that Aryeh Neier had been executive director of HRW/Americas before becoming president of the OSI in New York City. And, George Soros himself has served on the board of HRW/Americas for several years.

### **How Soros Got Rich**

Before illustrating Soros’ “inside-outside” job on globalization, it is essential to note that he gained his billions of dollars to fund this operation through his hedge-fund activities, which have ravaged currencies, company stock values, and so forth throughout the Third World and formerly developed nations; and then turned around and bought up businesses and raw materials for a dime on their dollar value.

From headquarters in New York City, where he chairs Soros Fund Management, Soros directs the activities of a half-dozen hedge funds in the “offshore” tax haven of the Netherlands Antilles in the Caribbean. Soros’ flagship hedge fund for wealthy family *fondi* is Quantum Fund, N.V., which reportedly manages \$11-14 billion on behalf of investors, the wealthiest of whom is Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, head of the House of Windsor and Europe’s wealthiest individual.

It will be seen to be highly ironic, that one of the principal people assisting Soros in establishing his business empire was George Karlweiss, an agent of Baron Edmond de Rothschild of the Swiss-based Banque Priveé, who also launched the looting career of Robert Vesco (the fugitive nicknamed, “The Detroit Kid”). And, on the board of the Quantum Fund, N.V., Baron Jacob Rothschild’s St. James Place Capital is represented by Nils O. Taube, an old partner in Soros’ shady dealings. Also on the board of Quantum Fund, N.V. is Richard Katz, who is on the board of the City of London-based N.M. Rothschild & Sons merchant bank, directed by Sir Evelyn Rothschild.

The reason there is so much irony in this City of London-centered Rothschild connection, is that upon at least two occasions, when Soros was asked what gave him the motivation for his speculative successes, he cited his work on behalf of the Nazis in looting wealthy Jewish estates in his native Hungary. Here is Soros’ own carefully crafted admission on the Adam Smith Show, produced by WNET-TV on April 15, 1993, that he had been a small cog in Adolf Eichmann’s killing machine, which was responsible for the Holocaust against 500,000 Hungarian Jews:

“It really started in 1944, when Hungary was occupied by the Germans, and me being Jewish, I was in danger of my life. . . . When the Germans came in, he [Soros’ father, a prominent Budapest attorney] said, ‘This is a lawless occupation. The normal rules don’t apply. You have to forget how you behave in normal society. This is an abnormal situation.’ And he arranged for all of us to have false papers, everybody had a different arrangement. I was adopted by an official of the Minister of Agriculture, whose job was to take over Jewish



*George Soros' financial empire is the funding source for many of the groups that are supposedly rioting against the policies of the oligarchy which he represents.*

properties, so I actually went with him and we took possession of these large estates. That was my identity. So it's a strange, very strange life. I was 14 years old at the time."

So, Soros attributes his gift for speculative looting to the genocidal policies of the Nazis during World War II against Jews and others.

### **Soros' Brave New Open Society**

In 1947, Soros attended the London School of Economics, where he fell under the sway of the late Sir Karl Popper, who as then-head of the British Aristotelian Society, developed his concept of the "Open Society" to counter the universal ideas embodied in Plato's *Republic* and *Laws*—which later helped foster the concept of the modern sovereign nation-state republic, notably including the United States.

Soros hates the sovereign nation-state, as witness his comparison of Malaysia's Prime Minister Mahathir bin Mohamad to a Nazi, in recent speeches, because the Malaysian leader instituted exchange controls and capital controls after Soros had looted Southeast Asia, starting with his assault upon the Thai currency, the baht, in 1997. Not only had Prime Minister Mahathir committed the "crime" of naming George Soros as foremost among those responsible for destroying 30 years of growth overnight, but he took these concrete steps against further speculative looting by Soros' and other hedge funds. And, Soros, who backs drug-legalization, has branded former Peruvian President Alberto Fujimori as a "dictator," like Prime Minister Mahathir, because when he was President, Fujimori led a relentless crackdown

on narco-terrorists in Peru.

Instead of the sovereign nation-state republic, Soros said in a March 12, 1998 interview with the Italian *Liberal* magazine, that what is needed is a new *Pax Britannica* empire, because, he lies, nation-states cause war:

"Left alone, states do not maintain peace. We need an international organization aimed at keeping peace. *It can be an empire, or a balance of powers. Or it can be some sort of international institution.* Current international institutions . . . cannot succeed because they are formed by states, and therefore they are instruments of state interests. During the Cold War, there was a balance of powers. Today, America is the only superpower left, but it does not have the capacity to be the world policeman. In the 19th Century, we had a global capitalist system as well, and it was Great Britain, representing the imperial power, that maintained stability. . . . Currently, we have no system of peace. . . . In some ways, the 19th-Century version of the global capitalist system was more stable than the current one. . . . There were imperial powers, Britain foremost among them, that derived enough benefits from being at the center of the global capitalist system to justify dispatching gunboats to faraway places to preserve the peace or collect debts."

It is also notable that on Oct. 17-19, 2001, Soros' Central European University in Budapest will host a conference entitled, "Globalization and Its Enemies." It is being co-organized by the British University of Warwick's Centre for the Study of Globalisation and Regionalisation, while the bill is being paid for by the OSI in New York.

The choice of the CEU-Budapest is noteworthy, because it is one of the few universities that gives an M.A. and a Ph.D. in Nationalism Studies: a program initiated by George Soros, through the late Oxford University-trained Ernest Gellner. Given Soros' hatred of nation-states, it is no wonder that he and Gellner believed that nationalism led to what the Frankfurt School decried as the "Authoritarian Personality." Soros and Gellner, as Aristotelians, believe that no one can know or discover validatable universal principles or truth, and therefore strong leaders of nation-states are categorized as *nadi*, which is a term equatable with fascism. One four-credit course within the graduate program is on anti-Semitism and nationalism. Soros, together with CEU board member Rep. Tom Lantos (D-Calif.), almost toppled the Hungarian government, when they singled out an opponent of IMF-style "shock therapy," Istvan Csurka, by lying that he believed in a "Jewish/Plutocratic/Bolshevik" conspiracy.

### **How Soros Protects Narco-Terrorists**

Through the Lindesmith Center and his funding for HRW, Soros champions "human rights" for the crack cocaine that floods America's streets and the narco-terrorists who are allied with the drug cartels, particularly in Ibero-America. The narco-terrorists protected by Soros and his associates are precisely the same ones that form a cornerstone of the new terrorism.

There are more than a half-dozen press releases from the Lindesmith Center, chiding Mexican President Vicente Fox for not having released members of the new terrorists' darlings, the Zapatistas, who are being held on federal drug-trafficking charges. Frequently, the Lindesmith Center has argued that such members of the Zapatista National Liberation Army (EZLN) "were framed."

Shifting the argument, Al Giordano wrote a Feb. 12, 2001 press release for the Lindesmith Center, entitled "One Third of Indigenous Prisoners in Mexico Imprisoned on Drug Charges," which pleads from a report by Mexico's National Commission on Human Rights that the drug-related activity was merely due to poverty:

"The majority of these indigenous prisoners are used by organized crime to transport drugs. . . . Suffering from hunger, with poor-quality lands, without resources to plant and forgotten by development, the indigenous either accept or are obligated to transport drugs. They survive somehow."

Another Lindesmith press release decries the Clinton Administration's decision to send Gen. Barry McCaffrey (ret.), then-Director of the Office of National Drug Control Policy, to Colombia to discuss a \$1.3 billion aid program for Plan Colombia: "Washington has sent Gen. Barry McCaffrey, the chief proponent for the militarization of the war on drugs in Latin America, to ostensibly address issues of social reform. In reality, the mission will lay the groundwork to expand and step up McCaffrey's futile war against drug production in Colombia. The \$1.3 billion aid package targeted for the nation is sure to widen and deepen the decades old civil war in the north, recklessly plunging the U.S. into what could become one of its most disastrous Latin American foreign policy commitments in recent history. Rather than bring a peaceful resolution, Washington's massive contribution to the war on drugs will instead serve to fuel a thinly veiled anti-insurgency campaign that seeks to eliminate Colombia's two surviving guerrilla groups, the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia (FARC), and the National Liberation Army (ELN). Since the FARC network is often intertwined with components and structures of civil society, if the Colombian military launches a strategic campaign against these leftist forces, the fragile semblance of normalcy among a populace already alienated by all sides to the conflict will be fundamentally undermined." In other words, Lindesmith argues that Colombia must do nothing amid a civil war that has virtually partitioned the nation and threatens to spill over the borders, and otherwise should let narco-terrorists such as the FARC traffic in narcotics, pillage, and kidnap whomever they choose.

### 'Narco-Terrorist Huggers'

Human Rights Watch, particularly through HRW/Americas, has written numerous documents in defense of the Zapatistas, as well as reports attacking Plan Colombia's potential for an assault upon the FARC and ELN, and former Peruvian

President Fujimori's assault on narco-terrorists such as the Shining Path and MRTA. In particular, HRW/Americas has gone after the military, which has been the backbone for fighting the narco-terrorist takeover of these nation-states.

Thus, the February 2000 issue of *Human Rights Watch* journal is entitled, "The Ties That Bind: Colombia and the Military-Paramilitary Links." This report not only claims that the Colombian military is behind the equivalent of "paramilitary death squads," but it even applauds the 1998 dismantling of the Colombian military's 20th Brigade, which was composed of military intelligence officers who took too proactive an approach toward eradicating drug lords and their narco-terrorist allies. However, HRW claims that the intelligence personnel continue to function in disparate military units, "where human rights are violated" for narco-kingpins.

As was documented at length in the April 1997 *EIR* Special Report, "The True Story of Soros the Golem—A Profile of Megaspeculator George Soros," HRW/Americas has an extended network of "narco-terrorist huggers" that includes:

**The Andean Commission on Jurists.** Having offices in six Andean countries, its headquarters is in Peru, where it operates as a de facto arm of HRW/Americas, publishing HRW reports in Spanish under its own logo. Its executive director, Diego García-Sayán, authored the foreword for Americas Watch's 1992 book defending the narco-terrorists, *Peru under Fire*. García-Sayán has also met on a regular basis with Ethan Nadelmann, who directs Soros' Lindesmith Center.

**The Andean Council of Coca Leaf Producers (CAPHC)** has worked closely with the Andean Commission on Jurists, as in a March 13-14, 2001 conference featuring one of Nadelmann's British associates, where it was argued that coca had "traditional" uses, and any attempt to eradicate it was a "threat to the environment." CAPHC, whose head is Bolivian radical Evo Morales, has as its goal the organizing of coca growers in Peru, Bolivia, Ecuador, and Colombia into a unified armed insurrectionary force. On April 18, 1995, the Bolivian government raided a meeting of CAPHC's directors and advisers, arresting 24 participants on charges of sedition, as the meeting had been called to spread CAPHC's violent campaign against coca eradication into Peru. In August 1996, Evo Morales, who may have a hand in organizing the People's Global Action third international conference in Cochabamba, Bolivia (see dossier on the PGA, in this *Feature*), travelled to Colombia, where he called upon the narco-terrorist FARC to maintain "strength, unity, and resistance to pressure from the police and the military."

Finally, it is noteworthy that Alejandro Toledo—elected President of Peru in June 2001, after an Anglo-American Establishment operation pulled off a cold coup d'état that drove President Fujimori to seek asylum in Japan—admitted, in the middle of his campaign, that he had received \$1 million from George Soros. The purpose to be served by the funds was to attempt the overthrow of President Fujimori before his

third Inaugural; Fujimori had won re-election by an overwhelming majority, in large part because he freed Peru of narco-terrorism. Toledo arranged the deal personally, in meetings with Soros at the June 2000 meeting of the World Democracy Forum.

# Terrorism Central: People's Global Action

by Scott Thompson

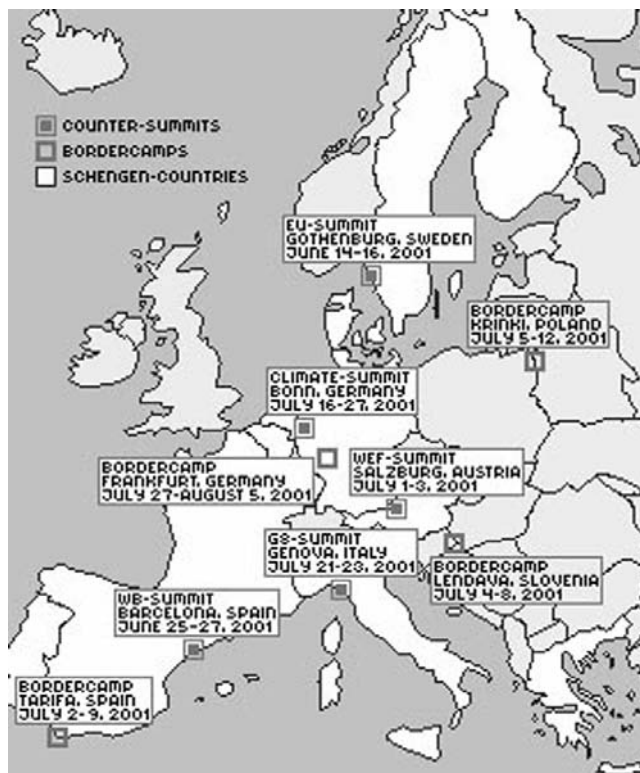
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Days before the Sept. 28-29, 2001 biannual meeting of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank in Washington, D.C., People's Global Action will be holding a conference in Cochabamba, Bolivia, to plan how to disrupt events in Washington, D.C., as well as to carry out global protests and terrorist action. The significance of this meeting cannot be underestimated, as PGA is the umbrella under which all of the world's major narco-terrorist, landless, indigenous, and "Black Bloc" anarchist gangs have been assembled.

PGA has been involved in every "global day of action," since the birth of the new terrorism. As PGA-linked events have grown vastly in size and violence, a recent editorial by Michael Albert, on behalf of the PGA, entitled "Resurrect the R-Word," calls for a shift toward "revolution": "To argue that capitalists will freely forsake the economic violence is utopian. . . . We have economic violence. We want economic liberty. The difference is transformative. We need the R-word. . . . We can't win what we won't even name. We can't orient today's reforms to furthering tomorrow's victories if we refuse to define what tomorrow's victories might be. Blind strategy is no strategy at all. Resistance is good. But to get to liberation, in speaking, writing, thought, and action—resurrect the R-word."

U.S. intelligence sources have affirmed, and *EIR* has corroborated, that the PGA is one of the "central coordinating tools" for a minestrone of organizations involved in the new terrorism, ranging from narco-terrorist organizations like Colombia's FARC, to the reborn Autonomists and anarchists that practice "Black Bloc" (see box) terrorist tactics, to an anthropologist's dream-world of "indigenous" organizations,



A group called No Border No Nation advertised this "hot Summer" of 2001 anti-globalization riots and protests.

notably including the Zapatistas (EZLN) of Mexico's southern Chiapas state.

## The Cochabamba Agenda

Apart from the global day of action around the forthcoming Washington, D.C. IMF/World Bank meeting, the agenda for the Cochabamba conference includes plans for the PGA to enter a phase of "sustained action"—a euphemism for terrorist acts. One of the focal points for such "sustained action" is opposition to Plan Colombia, which is ostensibly a major North American intervention to carry out a "war on drugs" in Colombia (the Plan Colombia is actually not a serious anti-drug policy, as *EIR* has reported; see, for example, speech by Gen. Harold Bedoya (ret.), in *EIR*, March 24, 2000). Undoubtedly, despite its pleading poverty in its goal to have 70% representation from the Third World, the PGA's coffers will be stuffed by the narco-traffickers and their terrorist allies. Combatting Plan Colombia was also the subject of a meeting in November 2000 of the representatives of the Andean and Central American regional organization of the PGA.

Other suggested targets of "sustained action" to be taken up at Cochabamba include stopping "the execution of transport megaprojects such as the new interoceanic canal, mega-harbors, finishing the Pan-American road, etc."

Cochabamba will be the third international conference