

Dear Reader,

Since you last heard from us, our domestic and foreign policy experts have published crucial, time-sensitive research on the most pressing global issues. Our goal is to not only keep you informed but to ensure that the steady outflow of New Lines' analysis is accessible and relevant to our diverse audience. This week's lineup features two podcast episodes for those on the go, an in-depth analysis on Sri Lanka, and a breakthrough policy report on the threat of far-right extremism in the U.S.

[Syed Mohammad Ali writes about the economic crisis and political unrest faced by Sri Lanka.](#) According to Ali, these problems, as deeply rooted as they are, have opened a window of opportunity for the United States to help stabilize the country.

[Ali also guests on an episode of "Contours,"](#) where New Lines' Minna Jaffery-Lindemulder leads an in-depth discussion with him and Akhil Bery on how Bangladesh and Sri Lanka balance their relationships with India and China and the ties between South Asian countries' economic and political policies.

[Here in the United States, ample evidence shows that people adhering to far-right extremist ideologies](#) have worked for the U.S. government and have abused their access to information and resources. Coauthors Alejandro Beutel and Daryl Johnson examine this evidence and make recommendations for the U.S. government to prevent infiltration by extremists.

[Middle East expert Caroline Rose sits down with Non-Resident Fellow, Sasha Ghosh-Siminoff in a "Contours" episode](#) to unpack a recent crisis in the U.N. Security Council over the status and future of a cross-border aid delivery mandate in northwestern Syria.

[And in the latest Gendering Geopolitics episode with Emily Prey,](#) special guest Sanam Naraghi Anderlini speaks about the women-led protests in Iran, the

impact of sanctions, and what the future holds for women in Iran.

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Sri Lanka's Strongman Legacy: Instability

Syed Mohammad Ali

Terrain Analysis, October 4, 2022



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Protecting the U.S. Government from Far-Right Insider Threats

Daryl Johnson , Alejandro Beutel

Policy Report, September 27, 2022



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South Asia Uncovered

Host: Minna Jaffery-Lindemulder

Guests: Syed Mohammad Ali & Akhil Bery

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Syria's Foreign Aid at Risk

Host: Caroline Rose

Guest: Sasha Ghosh-Siminoff

September 29, 2022



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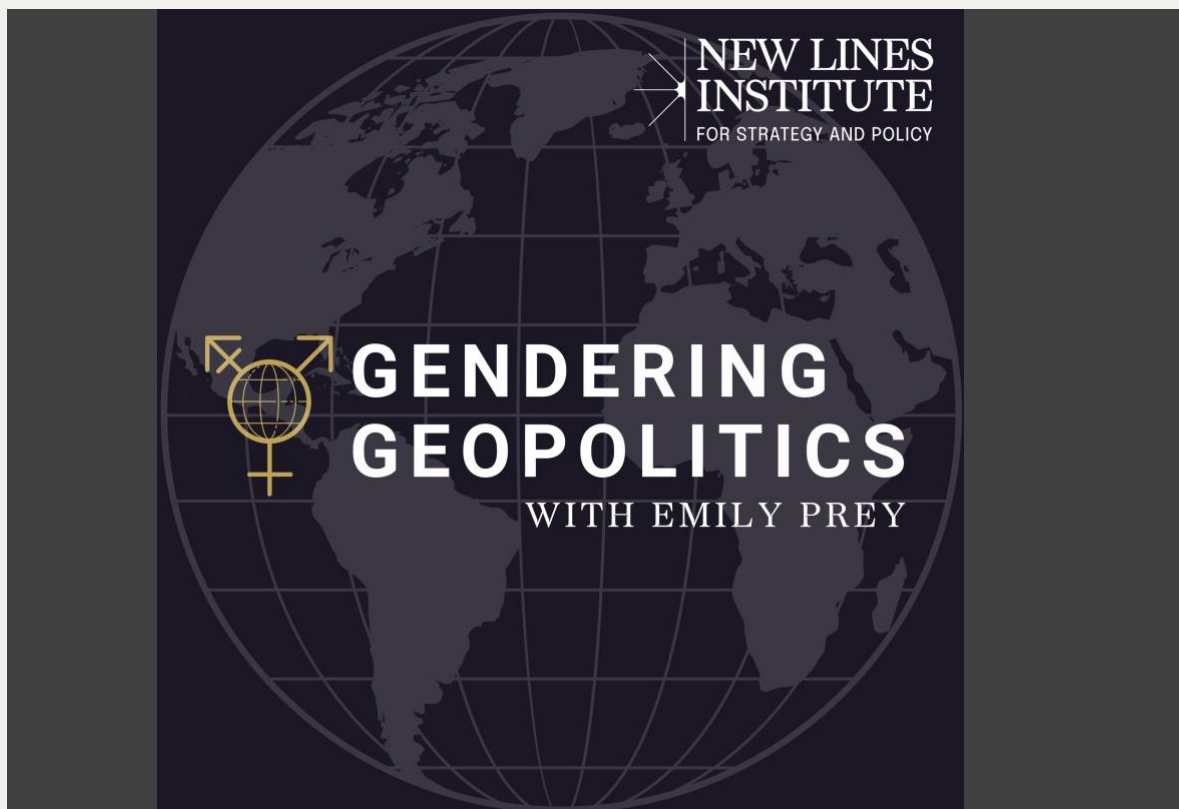


Featured "Gendering Geopolitics" Episode

Host: Emily Prey

Guest: Sanam Naraghi-Anderlini

October 4, 2022



Gendering Geopolitics with Emily Prey: Sanam Naraghi-Anderlini speaks about the women-led protests in Iran, the impact of sanctions, and what the future holds for women in Iran.

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[As Protests Erupt Over Putin's Draft, a More Ominous Threat Surfaces](#)

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New Lines in the Media

New Lines' staff have been sharing their informed analysis of current geopolitical events with other media outlets. Read these highlights of their recent interviews and publications.

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“The Russians are basically using these drones like another type of artillery round, whereas the Houthis use them more like intermediate missiles.”

Arab News

Quoted- Nicholas Heras

October 3, 2022

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“What they suggest, is that there is an increased interest in Russian military movements by high-level decision makers in the United States.”

Business Insider

Quoted – Aram Shabanian

September 28, 2022

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“These atrocities signal an intent to destroy Ukrainian identity, which is a violation of Article 3 of the Convention on the Prevention of the Crime of Genocide.”

VOA

Quoted – Dr. Azeem Ibrahim

September 24, 2022

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Diplomacy Is Still (Just About) Possible in Ukraine

Foreign Policy

By – Eugene Chausovsky

September 24, 2022

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