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Jul 16, 2023 · 24 tweets · [P_Kallioniemi/status/1680591199818661890](#)

In today's #vatniksoup, I'll introduce a social media personality and LARPer, @trollstoy88 AKA Richard Z. He's best-known for acting to be Russian, and for his pro-Russian tweets on the Russo-Ukrainian War.

Most of the research presented here was done by the NAFO Team.

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.@Trollstoy88 belongs to the "big three" of pro-Russian Twitter analysts/political commentators, the other two being a Serbian nurse, @200_zoka, and Austrian IT support guy, @GeromanAT.

There's also @WarMonitors, but he seems to be more anti-NATO than pro-Russia.

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 **ZOKA** @200_zoka · 44m

What airdefense doing?

 **Status-6** @Archer83A... · 47m

#BREAKING: There are reports that Russia's Saki Air Base in Novofedorivka, Crimea, has been hit by the Armed Forces of Ukraine. ...

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For a long time, Dick's been claiming to be Russian. In reality, he lives in West Germany in a small town near Düsseldorf and Cologne. Ironically, he's even called for Russia to invade Berlin, declaring that it's actually a Baltic Prussian city named Veletian.


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His tweets are something you'd expect from an actual Russian: praise of Putin, Russia's military and its culture (especially women). He really embraces the "third Holy Rome" versus the "decadent West" idea, and regards Putin as some kind of savior of humankind.

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 **Trollstoy**
@Trollstoy88

A girl in Derbent is crying because she could not see Putin. Everyone were pushing her around and she could not see him in the distance.

I hope Vladimir Vladimirovich can make this child's dream come true, visit Kremlin and shake hands with him. ❤️🇷🇺❤️



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4:57 PM · Jun 30, 2023 · **118.6K** Views

129 Retweets 18 Quotes 869 Likes 29 Bookmarks



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A Russian beauty in a traditional classical Russian dress. 🇷🇺





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Demographic changes in the structure of the US population in 2022.

Growth at:

Hispanic - plus 1 million.

Asians - plus 577 thousand.

Blacks - plus 436 thousand.

Indians - plus 93 thousand.

Loss:

Whites - minus 668 thousand.

You were talikng about civil war in Russia?



End Wokeness ✓
@EndWokeness

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US net demographic change, 2022:

Hispanic: +1M

Asian: +577k

Black: +436k

Native American: +93k

White (non-Hispanic): -668k

The left's utopian dream of a white minority in the US will be a reality soon

18:07 · 23 Jun 23 · **2.6M** Views

7:26 AM · Jun 28, 2023 · **19.2K** Views



Dick also often overestimates and praises the Russian equipment, mocks Zelensky, blames NATO and the West for the war. And of course he blames the West for the "coup" that didn't take place during the Revolution of Dignity in 2014.

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Ukraine will lose vast territories and turn into a stump state after the victory of Russia - American political scientist John Mearsheimer

Mearsheimer predicts the continuation of hostilities for another two years. Ukraine will also lose half of its territories.

The West needs to prepare for 'ugly' Russian victory in Ukraine, which will reward China, leading US political scientist warns

- In an exclusive interview, John Mearsheimer tells My Take the war will drag on, and any ceasefire will at best lead to 'a cold peace' with significant gains for Russia

10:26 · 14 Jul 23 · 22.7K Views

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The most secured bridge in the world and symbol of the Western soyboys copium. 😏



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18:05 · 15 Jul 23 · 14.1K Views

37 Retweets 407 Likes 5 Bookmarks



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"Russia has more powerful nuclear weapons than the NATO countries combined, and they want us to reduce them - screw them," Putin said.



5:59 PM · Jun 16, 2023 · **122.4K** Views

206 Retweets **30** Quotes **1,313** Likes **21** Bookmarks

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Upgraded Pantsyr air defense systems now boast 100% protection from the US-made HIMARS multiple launcher, a senior executive of Rostec told TASS.

Pantsyr-S modification is with a multi-channel system of locking on and tracking targets,

tass

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13 JUL, 18:05






Upgraded Pantsyr air defense systems offer 100% protection from US HIMARS rockets — Rostec


The crews of Pantsyr air defense systems are reported to detect and shoot down several targets during every shift in the special military operation in Ukraine

22:22 · 15 Jul 23 · **18.3K** Views






65 Retweets 5 Quotes 301 Likes



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 **Trollstoy** @Trollstoy88 · 12h
Replying to @Trollstoy88

It is capable of striking aerial targets flying at a speed of up to 1km/s at a distance of 200m to 20km.

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 **Trigger**  @TriggerLRSSG · 9h
Replying to @Trollstoy88

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Interestingly, he's also played the reverse card on the genocide accusations, stating that Ukrainians and Russians are brother-nations, and that it's actually the West that's committing "world genocide" and "will be stopped".



Trollstoy @Trollstoy88 · Oct 25, 2022

"The EU must not allow Russia to destroy the energy infrastructure of Ukraine" - the head of the European Commission von der Leyen (October 25, 2022)

(May 23, 1999), CNN: "NATO bombs put Yugoslavia's largest coal-burning power plant out of business."

Double standards? 🤔



39 replies 118 retweets 246 likes

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Triple, multiple standard. The West is still committing world genocide and will be stopped.

2:56 AM · Oct 26, 2022

3 Likes



Trollstoy @Trollstoy88

Genocide!? Ukrainians and Russians are brother-nations. The current western installed puppet regime after the coup and servant government must go. Simple.

5:30 PM · May 2, 2022

1 Quote 2 Likes

In his analysis, Richard relies heavily on Douglas Macgregor's views on the Russo-Ukrainian War. As many of you know, Dougie has been wrong about absolutely everything, starting

from the first days of the war.

Per Macgregor, Ukrainians have lost over 300 000 men already.

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US Army Colonel and former Trump adviser Douglas McGregor said that the Ukrainian counter-nag completely failed, they just lost.

"They know they've lost. Their troops are falling apart. Today, Defense Minister Shoigu announced an offensive in the Liman direction.



10:33 · 16 Jul 23 · **1,905** Views

12 Retweets **3** Quotes **46** Likes

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"It's stupid to threaten Russia with nuclear weapons," - said Douglas Macgregor, ex-adviser to the head of the Pentagon.

"The Russians can flood the Atlantic with their submarines, as well as the Pacific Ocean, where they will be supported by the Chinese Navy,"



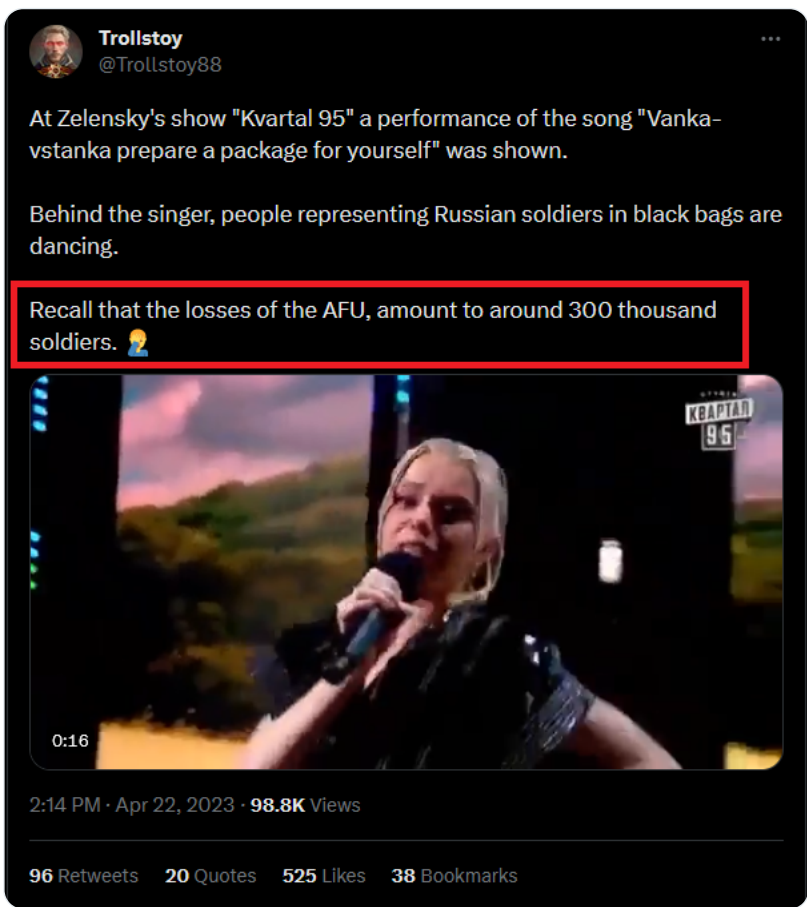
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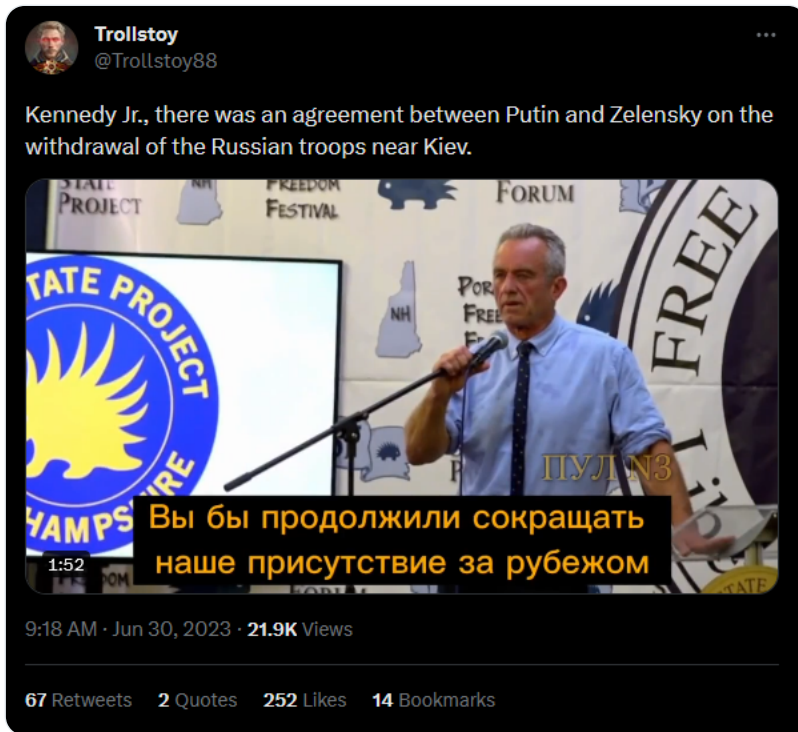
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He's focused on another new narrative spread by the conspiratorial wannabe-president RFK Jr., who claimed that there was an agreement between Russia and Ukraine made in Apr 2022, which caused Russia to withdraw its troops from around Kyiv.

Now that's some strong Copium!



Dickie is all about them "Ukrainian Nazis". He likes to talk about "institutionalized nazi structures", claiming that it's a "continuation from ww2 period", and that these "evil Nazis" were sent to administrate Eastern Ukraine after the 2014 "coup". Man he sounds Russian!

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Replying to @LaUseful @Mythica69 and @kotzi_86

Institutionalized nazi structures from the coup d'etat till now. Not laughable when forcing one half of the population into forced assimilation and exploitation of the territory and resources for the masters.

6:20 p.m. · 14 Jan 23 · 420 Views



Trollstoy @Trollstoy88 · 14 Jan

Replying to @Trollstoy88 @LaUseful and 2 others

When saying that Russia wants to control Ukraine, then the answer is it needs to have limited control as there is the largest Russian population outside of Russia with territory of geostrategic importance for the security of Russia, thus it must have its' saying.



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Trollstoy @Trollstoy88 · 14 Jan

Replying to @LaUseful @Mythica69 and @kotzi_86

I never said Zelensky is **Nazi** but he allowed the **Nazi** structures to thrive in the institutions and administration of Ukraine.

If your own people is endangered for such a long period and in the last phase there is a threat even for Russia, military intervention is the only option.



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Trollstoy @Trollstoy88 · 14 Jan

Replying to @LaUseful @Mythica69 and @kotzi_86

The fascist/**nazi** factions are a continuation from ww2 period, they were exclusive for the western parts of Ukraine (read history of that region). Persons from there, after the coup d'etat were sent to administrate over the eastern (orthodox and russophone) part of Ukraine.



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As the number 88 in Dicky's nickname doesn't refer to his birth year, I wonder what it could be reference to? Only thing that comes to my mind is a certain failed Austrian painter that later became a German politician. He's also referred to number 1488 in one of his tweets.

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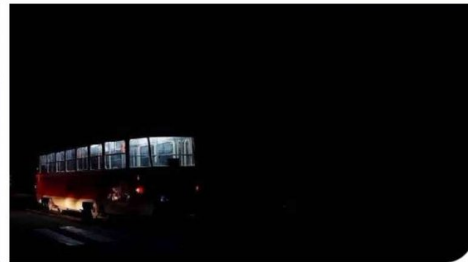


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Kiev at night, 1488



6:49 · 18 Nov 22

He condemned the Prigozhin/Wagner mutiny very strongly, declaring that "those who did it will have to pay for their deeds." If he was actually from Russia, he'd known there are absolutely no consequences for the mutineers and/or their leaders.

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🕯️ Eternal memory to the 12 pilots and crew and 3 soldiers of the Russian Army who lost their lives to the Wagner PMC insurrection. 🕯️

Those who did it will have to pay for their deeds.

8:22 am · 25 Jun 23 · 15.4K Views

He's also knowingly or unknowingly shared videos and photos out of context & has been struck with Community Notes on a few occasions. As is tradition, he hasn't made any corrections, but I mean, the man is lying about his whereabouts so I'm not sure if all that even matters.


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Russian strike on a warehouse of ammunition of the Ukrainian troops in Kherson.



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 Readers added context they thought people might want to know

Video is from 2017 and unrelated to any event in Kherson.

twitter.com/kylejglen/stat...

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2:49 PM · Mar 31, 2023 · **110.2K** Views

191 Retweets 25 Quotes 1,244 Likes 27 Bookmarks




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RuAF shot down a plane of the Armed Forces of Ukraine in the direction of Kherson.

Today, another attempted river landing of the AFU in the area of Kherson has failed. Ukrainian landing units were left without air support.



 Readers added context they thought people might want to know

The photo already appears in a Russian media in July 2022.

sputniknews.lat/20220721/rusia...

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9:35 PM · Jun 5, 2023 · **215.1K** Views

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Richard has attacked NAFO on many occasions. As usual, his attacks focus on appearances only, even though Dicky himself isn't built like a Greek statue.

But that's just how it often goes with pro-Russian pundits: when you're out of arguments, go for the irrelevant stuff.

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Every time when you engage in a discussion about geopolitics or war strategies with a NAFO account, remind yourself that he looks like this 👉



3:55 · 09 Jul 23 · **61.8K** Views

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One of NAFO's founders Kama Kamilia.



2:48 · 09 Jul 23 · **23.5K** Views

22 Retweets **16** Quotes **195** Likes



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Thank you for having me!

I, as the largest FAFO boosted account and probably the only pro-Ukraine account that doesn't block NAFO doggies, am very pleased to be on this summit, the food was very good taking into account that it was Estonian cuisine. 🍷



Kaja Kallas ✓ @kajakallas · 46m

Greetings to #NAFOfellas at the first-ever #NAFOSummit in Vilnius.

#NAFO is a living example of how to disarm Russian disinformation with humour, intelligence and enthusiasm. Behind every Fella is a real person who believes in #Ukraine's victory.

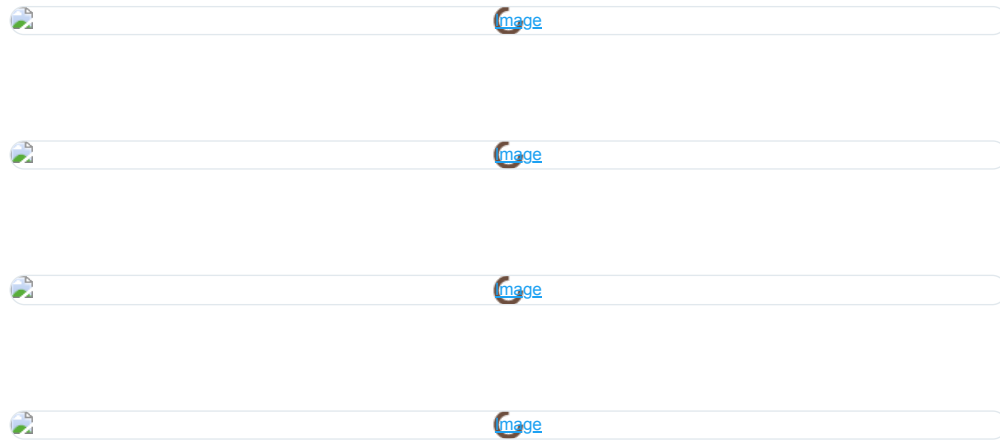
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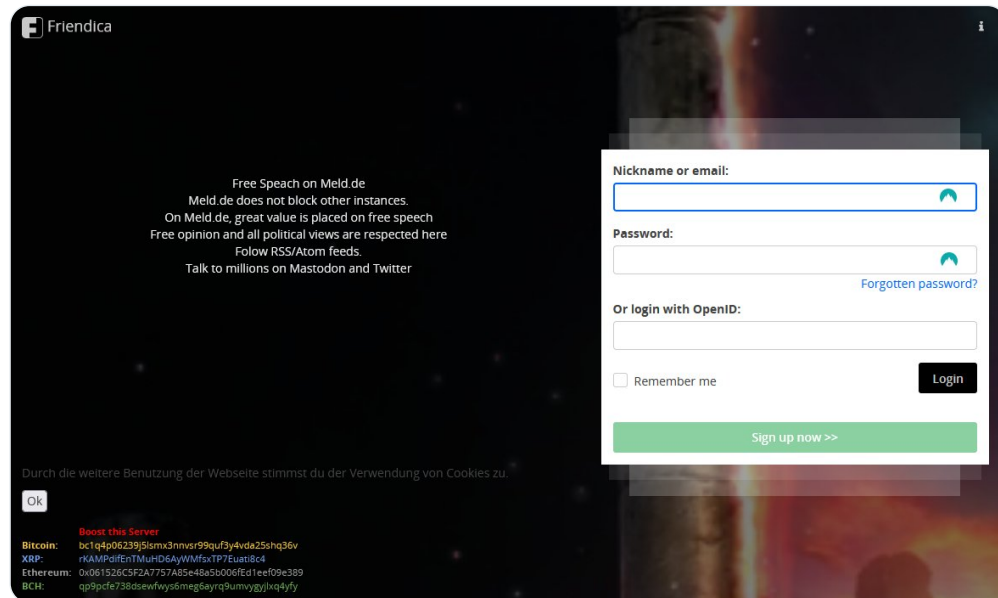
16:49 · 08 Jul 23 · 10K Views

10 Retweets 75 Likes 3 Bookmarks

Dick has another Twitter account, @Mad_in_Germany. The content is pretty much the same, but there are two big differences: he writes in German and absolutely no one cares about his tweets. Lesson learned again: for maximum engagement, it's better to LARP as a Russian.



Dickie has also launched a some sort of "free speech [sic] social media" site, where "all political views are respected." He's posting the same content on his Meld content, but as expected, his site is mostly a ghost town with just a few active users.



Dick also often posts with his German, non-LARP accounts about the right-wing, populist political party Alternative für Deutschland, or AfD for short. They're best-known for their close ties to the Kremlin, and they've been strongly against the sanctions. In Sep 2022, five..

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Rick
rick@meld.de

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Where did the flu go in 2020 and 2021?

#Corona #Grippe

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Rick
3 days ago

Wer war das?
#Hausmeister

Who was that?

#Selnaskyj #hausmeister

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#Corona #Demokratie
#Deutschland
#DiedSuddenly
#diemannschaft #EU #Faeser #fdp
#Frankreich #fun #gießen #Grüne
#Grünen #GutenMorgen

Mirko Gnadig reshared this.

Rick
3 weeks ago

Ich will keinen Rundfunkbeitrag zahlen. Die #AfD ist die einzige Partei, die das möglich macht. Ich will kein Verbot von Öl-und Gasheizungen. Die AfD ist die einzige Partei, die angekündigt hat Habecks Heizungs-Verbot rückgängig zu machen. Ich will nicht länger illegale Migration in unsere Sozialsysteme bezahlen. Die AfD ist die einzige Partei, die das stoppt. Warum hacket ihr auf AfD-Wählern rum? Alle anderen Parteien machen in all diesen Punkten das schlechtere Angebot.

#AFD

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I don't want to pay a license fee. The #AfD is the only party that makes this possible. I don't want a ban on oil and gas heating. The AfD is the only party that has announced that it will reverse Habeck's heating ban. I no longer want to pay for illegal migration into our social systems. The AfD is the only party stopping this. Why are you picking on AfD voters?

...AfD politicians traveled to Moscow and planned a trip to the Russian-controlled areas in Donbas, Ukraine. One of their MEPs, @KrahMax has often appeared as a commentator on RT and also on CCP-controlled People's Daily.

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By Oliver Noyan | EURACTIV and EURACTIV.de 📅 Sep 20, 2022



Leading members of the right-wing Alternative for Germany (AfD) political party Joerg Urban (L), Hans-Thomas Tillschneider (C) and Bjorn Hocke. [EPA-EFE/SEAN GALLUP]

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A delegation of the German far-right party AfD, including three members of regional parliaments, will visit the Russian-occupied territories of eastern Ukraine this week in a trip reported by the media to be sponsored by the Kremlin.

Meanwhile, analysts suggest that AfD's Russian links should be seen in light of the party's efforts to shore up its voter base.

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Far-right German party members to tour Russian-held regions of Ukraine

Russian parliament votes to increase penalties for soldiers who desert or surrender

By [Loveday Morris](#) and Kate Brady

September 20, 2022 at 5:38 a.m. EDT



Leonid Pasechnik, the head of the self-proclaimed Luhansk People's Republic, third from right, and Denis Pushilin, head of the self-proclaimed Donetsk People's Republic, fourth from right, attend a ceremony to reopen a reconstructed World War II memorial on Sept. 8. (Alexander

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Another member of AfD, Markus Frohnmaier, was described to be under Kremlin's "absolute control" in a 2017 strategy paper. He's also named as a recipient of financial benefits in OCCRP investigation of Russia's International Agency for Current Policy.



Markus Frohnmaier

Member of parliament, Germany

Frohnmaier, a member of the far-right party Alternative for Germany (AfD), attended several Yalta International Economic Forum events in Crimea. Emails indicate that he worked closely with Manuel Ochsенreiter of AfD, who asked Russians for help funding Frohnmaier's election campaign in 2017. On May 11, 2016, Frohnmaier helped organize a resolution calling for an end to anti-Russian sanctions in the Landtag of the federal state of Baden-Württemberg. Sargis Mirzakhanian's organization secretly helped prepare the resolution.

Image Credit: Markus Frohnmaier, CC0, via Wikimedia Commons

Markus Frohnmaier

SPD wants to have Russia connections checked by AfD politicians

Media reports suggest Russian influence on AfD member of the Bundestag Markus Frohnmaier. SPD politician Thomas Oppermann wants to have it checked.

Apr 7, 2019 6:43 p.m / Source: ZEIT ONLINE, AFP, dpa, jk / 965 comments / 📄

The SPD politician Thomas Oppermann has called for an investigation by the Bundestag's Council of Elders into the alleged connections between AfD MP Markus Frohnmaier and Russian government circles. Frohnmaier should apparently be "a kind of gateway into the Bundestag institution and not just into the AfD," said the Bundestag Vice President of the *picture on Sunday*. "Whether the allegation is true must be clarified in the Council of Elders."

ZDF, *Spiegel* and other media had reported that the Kremlin had specifically supported Frohnmaier in order to promote Russian interests in the Bundestag. A strategy paper from the presidential administration of President Vladimir Putin, which is said to date from the time before the 2017 federal election, states that Frohnmaier will be "a member of parliament who is under absolute control". With his help, "our people could also set up a non-profit organization that will be registered with the Bundestag and through which pro-Russian positions can be promoted."

Imagine being a +60-year-old tanker bridge attendant from West Germany, who pretends to be a Russian political commentator. At the same you're living in a NATO country, and your taxes are used to support it. Dickie, are you sure you don't want to move to Russia for real?



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Our women and children are our pride. 🇷🇺





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Russia will be build by men - our fathers and
the future of Russia will be build by women -
our mothers. 🇷🇺

11:01 · 03 Sep 22



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A Russian beauty in a traditional classical Russian dress. 🇷🇺



Richard is solid reinforcement to the rather strong pro-Russian fifth column in Germany, and his strength is probably in his double-role - he's actively spreading disinformation and propaganda on two languages and under many accounts.

 **Pekka Kallioniemi** 
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In today's #vatnik soup I'll talk about the "fifth column": a group of people who undermine and sabotage a nation or a group from within, usually in favor of a another nation or a group. Their activities often include sabotage, disinfo & propaganda, espionage, and terrorism.
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10:25 AM · Jan 9, 2023 

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16.5K Tweets



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The thing that I appreciate about Richard is that he doesn't block people easily.

Now, Mr. @trollstoy88, maybe you can answer my question: Why lie? Why pretend to be something you're not? Is it a (sexual) fantasy, or some kind of personality disorder? Just curious.

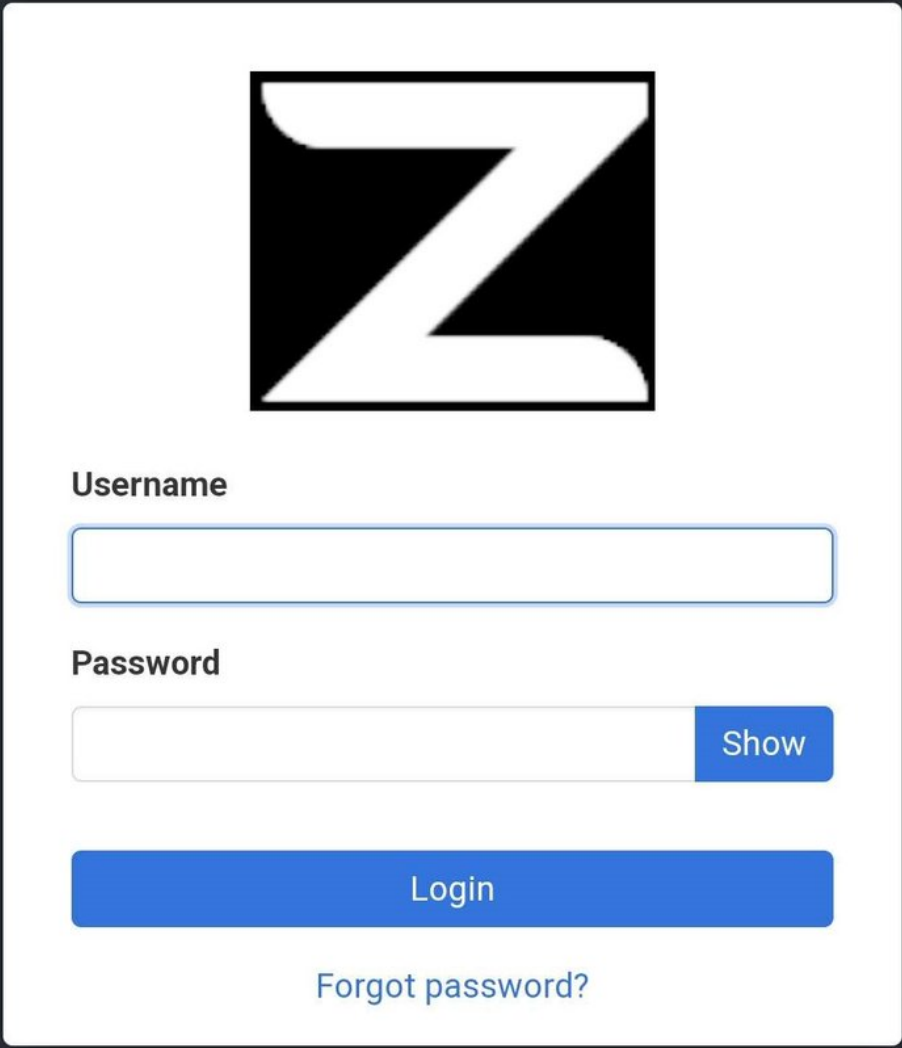
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Oh, and one more question: What is your new website with the logo Z about and does it comply with the German law?

Again, just curious.

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"Imagine being a +60-year-old tanker bridge attendant"

should say:

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