

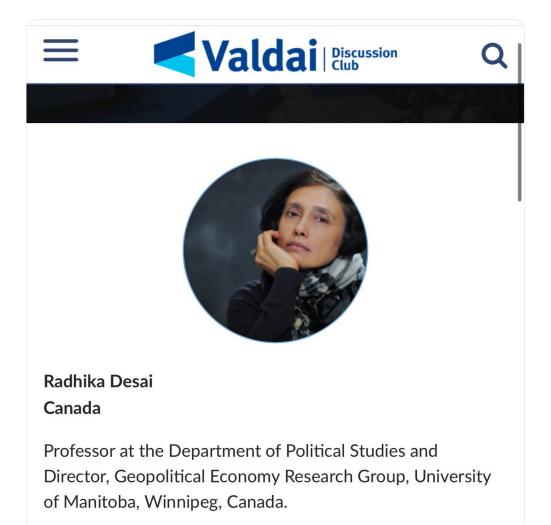
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Western universities harbour truly vile creatures. Here's one. Radhika Desai @RadDesai from @umanitoba Attending Valdai Club in person, Radhika performed a duty many Russian "journalists" have: ask Putin a "question" as a cue for a propaganda diatribe. https://www.cbc.ca/news/world/putin-ridicules-canada-s-former-speaker-over-nazi-incident-1.6987849

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In this case, she asked an apparently pre-arranged "question" about the former speaker of the Canadian Parliament, so that Putin can deliver a vile little diatribe full of lies that resulted in headlines around the world.

Radhika has a long history of collaborating with the Kremlin regime and giving voice to anti-Western "multipolarity" nonsense. At @umanitoba she is "director" of a "geopolitics" institute where she collaborates with another Valdai stooge, the "cultural economist" Alan Freeman.





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Radhika is an equal-opportunity servant of totalitarian regimes, open to all who pay. She is also employed by Beijing as a "commentator" for the Chinese state-run CGTN "news," where she recently called the U.S. "psychotic."

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In *Foreign Policy*, Kishore Mahbubani, a distinguished fellow at the Asia Research Institute of the National University of Singapore, recently returned to an argument he has long been making: The U.S. should accept that it cannot stop China's rise, not least because efforts to do so are hurting the U.S. far more than they are harming China.

Unfortunately, however, the U.S. appears constitutionally incapable of heeding such sage advice: Like a psychotic, it seems unable to deal with realities of the sort Mahbubani is pointing to.

Earlier she called Biden's characterisation of Putin as a war criminal to be "egregious" and laid the whole blame on the U.S. Let that sink in: she masquerades as a scholar and is employed with full tenure by a Western university.

The U.S. wants Ukraine conflict to fester

Radhika Desai





U.S. President Joe Biden speaks on Ukraine during an event in the South Court Auditorium at the Eisenhower Executive Office Building near the White House in Washington, D.C., March 16, 2022. /CFP

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U.S. President Joe Biden called Russian President Vladimir Putin a "war criminal" on March 16 and the Kremlin, swiftly and understandably, called this "unacceptable and unforgivable." Egregious though it is, the most important thing about that statement may be its timing.

This isn't a matter of academic freedom or free speech any more than it would be if someone glorified Hitler and wrote pieces on how he wanted peace but his treacherous enemies attacked him. Western academic institutions are used as a safe haven for such people.