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### SUMMARY

#### Greece



##### » Understanding Greek Debt

by Chris Spannos, Eric Toussaint

Pressure is mounting as the February 28th deadline for Greece's current bailout agreement approaches. Host Chris Spannos interviews Eric Toussaint, spokesman for the Committee to End Third World Debt. Also on the show, BBC's Asylum & Julian Assange and John Oliver on Ecuador's President Rafael (...) [\[Read more\]](#)



##### » Syriza and Podemos: the way towards power for the People?

by Eric Toussaint

Experience proves that left-wing movements can come to be in government, but nevertheless do not hold power. Democracy, in other words the exercise of power by the People and for the People, requires much more. The problem is currently being faced in Greece with SYRIZA, and will have to be (...) [\[Read more\]](#)



##### » Syriza: "A grain of sand in the machinery"

by Benito Pérez, Eric Toussaint

Eric Toussaint interviewed par Benito Perez (of the daily Le Courier, Geneva) Eric Toussaint • Specialist in public debt, former economic adviser of progressive South American governments, analyses Syriza's first days at the head of the Greek government for Le Courier. Eric Toussaint is visibly (...) [\[Read more\]](#)



##### » Greek Debt Cancellation Now!

by Διαγραφή του Χρέους Τώρα

With debt restructuring a new priority in the political agenda of both the Greek government and its creditors, it is a forthright necessity to cancel public debt, starting with the debts to the Troika which currently exceed 70% of the total. Immediate cessation of payments through the (...) [\[Read more\]](#)

#### Swiss Leaks



## » HSBC : The bank with a shameful past and scandalous present

by Eric Toussaint

HSBC is back in the news. According to several articles published in different newspapers on 9 February 2015, Geneva HSBC accounts have been used to transmit €180.6 billion worth of transactions, between 9 November 2006 and 31 March 2007 (a period of less than five months!!!). Mohamed VI king of (...) [\[Read more\]](#)



## » UBS and HSBC, the executives of international tax evasion

by Eric Toussaint

Thanks to the “Swiss leaks” HSBC is back in the news. But they are not alone, other banks including UBS, have also organised large-scale tax frauds and evasion. UBS, which had to be saved from failure in October 2008 by massive injections of Swiss public money, was involved in the LIBOR (...) [\[Read more\]](#)



## » HSBC : Drug and Bank Lords

by Eric Toussaint

The British bank HSBC, which recently employed 260, 000 people worldwide, is present in 75 countries, and claims to have 54 million customers is another example of the “Too Big to Jail” phenomenon. Over the last ten years, HSBC has laundered \$881 million for Mexican and Columbian drug cartels (...) [\[Read more\]](#)

## Banks - Social movements

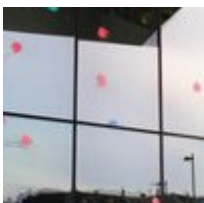


## » Furniture seizure at BNP Paribas Fortis in Belgium: «This is a call to reappropriation!»

by “Who Steals Who” Collective

This morning, about thirty people made their way into a BNP Paribas Fortis office in Brussels and got out with...some furniture! Chairs, plants, a table, etc.: a first catch to start taking back the billions of euros that this bank deposits in fiscal heavens, so that its richest clients can evade (...) [\[Read more\]](#)

## social movements



## » Our time to act has come!

by Blockupy Frankfurt

Join the transnational actions against the ECB’s opening on March 18th in Frankfurt! It is our crucial chance as well as our responsibility to build a common, effective force from below – if they want capitalism without democracy, we say, we want democracy without (...) [\[Read more\]](#)

## United States

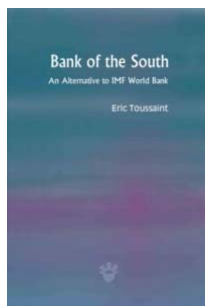


## » Defrauded For Profit- College Students Demand Debt Cancellation and Free Education

by Ann Larson

In November 2014, a group of 10 student debtors and supporters from the Debt Collective, an activist organization based in New York City, disrupted a public hearing of the U.S. Department of Education to demand full debt cancellation and free higher education. The students had all attended (...) [\[Read more\]](#)

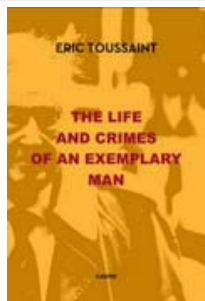
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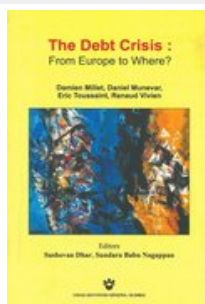
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- » 26-02 | Grenoble (38), France - Soirée film débat : l'évasion fiscale
- » 27-02 | Montreuil (93), France - Grèce contre austérité
- » 28-02 | Fontaine (38), France - 4ème forum de la désobéissance
- » 1er-03 | Paris 3, France - Poétiques de la résistance : semaine anticoloniale

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