

INDEX

- 1917 Revolution, 12
 1954 Crimea transfer, 17, 41
 1991 Ukrainian independence referendum, 18
 1997 Founding Act between NATO and Russia, 21
 1999 NATO intervention in Yugoslavia, 21
 2004 presidential elections, 24
 2007 Munich Security Conference, 23
 2010 presidential elections, 24
 2014 Donbas ‘independence’ referendums, 27
 2014 presidential elections, 25
 2019 presidential elections, 25
 53rd Anti-Aircraft Missile Brigade, 34
- Abkhaz–Georgian War, 19
 Aidar battalion, 63
 Akimov, Oleg, 35
 Aksionov, Sergei, 29
 Aleksandr II, 10
 Aleksandr Nevsky, 8
 Ananchenko, Aleksandr, 46
 Anashchenko, Oleg, 40, 46
 Andropov, Iuri, 18
 annexation of Ukrainian oblasts by Russia, 2, 47
 anti-Semitism, 39, 118
 anti-terrorist operation (ATO), 4
 Armiia Iugo-Vostoka, 29, 48
 Artsakh, Republic of. *See* Nagorno-Karabakh
 Aseev, Stanislav, 52
 Azov battalion, 63, 97
- Baker, James, 21, 23
 Bandera, Stepan, 17, 81
 Bashirov, Marat, 30
 Basurin, Eduard, 90
 Battle of Kursk, 17
 Battle of Poltava, 9
 Battle of Sloviansk, 29
- black earth, 14
 Bolotov, Valerii, 29, 36, 51
 Bolsheviks, 12
 Borodai, Aleksandr, 29, 32
 Brezhnev, Leonid, 17
 Brizh, Aleksandr, 52
 Brusilov, Aleksei, 11
 Bucha, 1
 Budapest Memorandum, 21
 Bush, George W., 23
- Casimir, John II, 8
 Catherine the Great, 10
 censorship, 57, 60
 Central Rada, 12
 Charles XII, 9
 Chechnya Wars, 21
 Chernenko, Konstantin, 18
 Chernobyl disaster, 18
 Chumachenko, Aleksandr, 30, 54
 civic identity, 25
 Clinton, Bill, 22
 collectivisation, 15
 Colour Revolutions, 24
 Cossack Hetmanate, 9
 Cossacks, 8, 31
 counteroffensive, 2
 coup d'état, 30, 39, 41, 76, 81
 Crimea, 3, 17
 annexation of, 23, 25, 92, 107, 112
 Crimean Khanate, 8
- Daniil of Moscow, 8
 Deinego, Vladislav, 44
 Don Cossack Republic, 31
 Donbas, 2, 10
 Donetsk People's Republic (DNR), 3
 Donetskaia Respublika, 35

- Donetsk-Kryvyi Rih Soviet Republic, 12, 36, 41, 79
- Drang nach Osten, 16
- Dubinskii, Sergei, 34
- Dugin, Aleksandr, 31, 41, 78
- Edinyi Donbass, 35
- Euromaidan, 3, 25, 107, 110, 112
- EU–Ukraine Association Agreement, 25
- famine, 15
- Fascism, 29, 31, 41, 55, 58, 72–73, 76, 79, 81, 92, 97
- February Revolution. *See* 1917 Revolution
- Five-Year Plan (1928–1933), 15
- football, 68, 78
- freedom of speech, 63
- Gazprom, 24
- Generalgouvernement, 17
- Gerlanets, Valerii, 53
- Germany, reunification of, 22
- Girkin, Igor. *See* Strelkov
- Golden Horde, 8
- Gorbachev, Mikhail, 18, 23
- Great Patriotic War. *See* World War II
- group identity, 5
- Gubarev, Pavel, 30, 34, 41, 44, 74
- Haller von Hallenburg, Józef, 13
- Hitler, Adolf, 16, 118
- holidays, 72, 79, 103
- Hollande, François, 36
- Holodomor, 15
- homophobia, 39
- Hostotel airport, 1
- Hrushevskiy, Mykhailo, 10, 12
- Hughes, John, 11
- Hunger Plan, 16
- Iaroslav the Wise, 7
- immortal regiment (*bessmertnyi polk*), 71
- ingroup. *See* group identity
- ingroup solidarity, 110
- International Movement of Donbas, 35, 37, 39
- internet narratives, 84
- Internet Research Agency, 115
- Irpin, 1
- Iurii II Boreslav, 42
- Ivan IV, 8
- junta. *See* Fascism
- Kaganovich, Lazar, 16
- Kariakin, Aleksandr, 30, 32
- Kerensky, Aleksandr, 12
- Kharchenko, Leonid, 34
- Khatyn Massacre, 77
- Khmelnyskyi, Bohdan, 8, 42
- Khrushchev, Nikita, 17
- Klian, Anatolii, 50
- Kofman, Aleksandr, 35
- Kononov, Vladimir, 29
- korenizatsiia*, 14, 42
- Korneliuk, Igor, 50
- Kornet, Igor, 44
- Kornilov, Dmitrii, 35, 37
- Kornilov, Vladimir, 37
- Kotliarevskiy, Ivan, 10
- Kramatorsk, 101
- Kravchuk, Leonid, 19
- Kuchinskii, Aleksandr, 50
- Kuchma, Leonid, 19
- kulaks*, 14
- Kyiv, 1
- Kyivan Rus', 7
- Lapa, Leonid, 52
- Lebensraum, 16
- Lenin, Vladimir, 13, 37
- Lithuania, Grand Duchy of, 8
- Little Russia. *See* *Malorossiiia*
- Luganskaia Gvardiia militia, 50
- Luhansk, 4
- Luhansk Economic Union, 35
- Luhansk People's Republic (LNR), 4
- Maidan Nezalezhnosti, 3, 18, 24–25
- Makhno, Nestor, 13
- Malorossiiia*, 9, 42
- Marochko, Andrei, 91
- Mazaeva, Daria, 37
- Mazepa, Ivan, 9
- media legislation, 57
- Melnyk, Andrii, 17
- Merkel, Angela, 36
- metallurgy, 70, 87, 102
- methodology, 120
- MH 17, 32, 76, 93
- Mikhnovskiy, Mykola, 10
- mining, 70, 87, 102
- Minsk Protocols, 34–35, 56, 75
- Mir Luganshchine*, 35, 87, 99
- Mironov, Andrii, 49
- Molotov–Ribbentrop Pact, 16
- Monson, Jeff, 40
- Moscow, Principality of, 8
- Nagorno-Karabakh, 19
- national identity, 105
- NATO, 21, 76

- NATO expansion, 21
 natural language processing, 120
 Nazism, 17, 32, 63, 71, 76–77, 79, 92–93, 97, 99
 Nemtsova, Anna, 54
 New Economic Policy (NEP), 14
 newspaper narratives, 66
 Nicholas II, 11
 Nikitin, Vasilii, 30
 Nikitina, Elena, 52
 Nikolaev, Serhii, 50
 Nikonorova, Nataliia, 88
Novorossiiia, 9, 31, 36, 51, 73–74, 79, 88, 99, 106
Novorossiiia, Confederation of, 32, 36
Novorossiiia, Federal Republic of, 27
 October Revolution. *See* 1917 Revolution
 Odesa People's Republic, 12
 Operation Barbarossa, 16
 Orange Revolution, 24, 35
 Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE), 28
 Organisation of Ukrainian Nationalists (OUN), 17
 Orlov, Levgenii, 35
 outgroup. *See* group identity
 outgroup hostility, 110
Partiia Novorossiiia, 30, 35–36
 Pasechnik, Leonid, 45
 Pashkov, Vladimir, 46
 Pavlov, Arsen, 40
 Pereiaslav Agreement, 9, 17
 Peter the Great, 9
 Petliura, Symon, 95
 Plotnitskii, Igor, 30, 39, 44, 86
 Poland, Kingdom of, 8
 Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth, 8
 political ideology, 5
 Poroshenko, Petro, 25, 39, 55, 74, 97, 105
 Pridnestrovian Moldavian Republic (PMR). *See* Transnistria
 Prilepin, Zakhar, 44
 Prince Volodymyr I, 7
 propaganda, 5
 Pulatov, Oleg, 34
 Purgin, Andrei, 35, 37
 Pushilin, Denis, 28, 44, 46
 Putin, Vladimir, 1, 22, 33, 43, 46–47, 56, 74, 79
 Putkonen, Janus, 53, 96
 reunification, of Germany, 22
 Revolution on Granite, 18
 Right Sector (Pravyi Sektor), 32, 64
 Rocchelli, Andrea, 49
 Romanov, Aleksei, 9
 Rus'ka Pravda, 8
 Russian Civil War, 12
 Russian Donbas doctrine, 47
 Russian Soul, 69
 Russian Spring, 73
 Russian World, 31, 41, 56, 74, 79, 89, 99, 106
 Russification, 9, 11, 13, 47, 118
 Russo–Georgian War, 19, 23
 Russo–Turkish War, 10
 Second Polish Republic, 13
 Secret Protocol. *See* Molotov–Ribbentrop Pact
 Shevchenko, Taras, 10
 Shvedko, Sergei, 52
 Sivokonenko, Iurii, 35
 Skoropadskyyi, Pavlo, 13
 social identity theory, 5
Somali battalion, 40
 sports, 78
 Stakhanov, Aleksei, 71
 Stalin, Joseph, 15
 Stalingrad, 16, 80
 Stenin, Andrei, 50
 Stoliarenko, Viacheslav, 54
 Strelkov, 29, 32, 34, 36
 Supreme Ruthenian Council, 10
 Surkov, Vladislav, 44, 46
 Surzhenko, Mikhail, 54
 Svobodnyi Donbass, 35
 Timofeev, Aleksandr, 43, 46
 Tolstoguzov, Aleksandr, 102
 Tolstykh, Mikhail, 40
 topic modelling, 66, 84, 120
 Transnistria, 19, 29
 Trapeznikov, Dmitrii, 46
 Treaty of Brest-Litovsk, 12, 37
 Treaty of Riga, 13
 Trotsky, Lev, 15
 Trump, Donald, 93
 Tsariov, Oleg, 27–28, 30, 32, 36
 Tsypkalov, Gennadii, 30, 45
 Turchynov, Oleksandr, 4, 25, 28
 Tymoshenko, Yulia, 24
 Ukrainian Insurgent Army, 17, 104
 Ukrainian Socialist Soviet Republic (Ukrainian SSR), 13
 Ukrainka, Lesia, 10
 UN Security Council, 21, 23
 Union of Lublin, 8
 Union of People's Republics, 32, 36
 VDV (vozdušno-desantnye voiska), 1, 72
 Vilkul, Oleksandr, 115

Vladimir-Suzdal, Principality of, 8	Yushchenko, Viktor, 24
Voloshin, Anton, 50	Yuzivka, 11
War on Terror, 23	
War of Transnistria, 19	Zakharchenko, Aleksandr, 29, 35, 39, 42, 46, 74, 76–77, 80, 92
World War I, 11	Zaluzhnyi, Valery, 1
World War II, 16, 71, 79, 90, 92, 98, 118	Zaporizhian Sich, 10
	Zaslavskaia, Elena, 89
Yanukovych, Viktor, 3, 24, 51, 98–99, 105	Zelensky, Volodymyr, 1, 25
Yeltsin, Boris, 18, 21	Zoria Halytska, 10