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Mr. Gyula Csurgai was born in Hungary. He holds Swiss citizenship and lives in Geneva. Mr. Csurgai earned five university degrees which were obtained in three countries: Canada, France and Switzerland. He obtained his Doctorate from the University of Geneva. His doctorate research focused on the development of the geopolitical analysis method and its application in different case study situations. He also holds Degrees in Political Science from the University of Concordia (Canada) and the University of Toulouse (France). He earned post-graduate degrees from the University of Geneva. Dr. Csurgai has taught geopolitics, geoeconomics, foresight, strategy, international relations, and diplomacy for undergraduate, masters, and doctorate programs at different universities in Switzerland and other countries. He developed several university programs, organized international symposiums on different geopolitical issues and directed the publications of their proceedings. He developed as well, training programs in geopolitics, geoeconomics, and strategic foresight for professionals working for the public service, international organisations and private corporations in Switzerland and in other countries. Dr. Csurgai has participated in several international research projects and has provided expertise to different international organizations, governments, and private corporations. He has been guest lecturer and keynote speaker at numerous conferences and symposiums in Germany, Brazil, Belgium, Canada, China, Curacao, France, Hungary, Italy, Portugal, Slovenia, Serbia, Switzerland, Russia and United States. He provides as well geopolitical intelligence analysis and foresight on major international trends for both the private and public sectors and International Organisations on a regular basis. Mr. Csurgai is co-founder and Director of the Geneva Institute of Geopolitical Studies. Dr. Csurgai published several books and articles in the fields of geopolitics, geoeconomics, economic intelligence, and international relations.

### **His publications include among others:**

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