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Dr. Sebastian Gorka is an internationally recognized authority on issues of national security, irregular warfare, and terrorism, having worked in government and the private and NGO sectors in Europe and the United States. A graduate of the University of London and Corvinus University, Budapest, he was Kokkalis Fellow at Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government and holds a Ph.D. in political science.

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