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## 1 | England, the Mediator

**King Willam III** engineered a mediation position for England — such that they threw themselves to counter-balance any fights.

- England's [\[KBhHIST201RaisonDeEtat\]](#), CLAIM @ [\[KBhHIST201Kissinger\]](#) did not require them to expand, for “national interest is in the preservation of European balance.”
- Glorious revolution kicked James II off the throne, chose William of Orange of the Netherlands as replacement