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The Venezuelan embassy in the Asian nation, indicated on its Twitter social network account, @embaVEKOR: "The climate crisis of industrial capitalism requires revolutionary actions within the framework of multilateralism. Venezuela with our MPP for Ecosocialism @JosueLorcaV participates in the Programming Conference of the UN @ theGCF , Incheon , South Korea @CancilleriaVE".

In another message on the communications platform, the Venezuelan embassy stated: "MPP for Ecosocialism @ JosueLorcaV at the @ theGCF Conference: We are approaching the Climate Crisis mitigation programs with the planning and leading participation of the communities. @ChancelleryVE".

The GCF is a unique global platform for responding to climate change, investing in low-emission, climate-resilient development.

GCF was established by 194 governments to limit or reduce



Venezuela is committed to the fight against the climate crisis

greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in developing countries, and to help vulnerable societies adapt to the unavoidable impacts of climate change.

Given the urgency and seriousness of the challenge, the GCF is mandated to make an ambitious contribution to the united global response to climate change.

Yannick Glemarec, Executive Director of the GCF, outlined in his speech that the fund increases access to climate finance and its strategy to mobilize the much larger amounts of finance needed for global climate action.

"We have made significant progress in increasing the speed of project evaluation, approval, implementation and disbursement. Today, we are one of the fastest financial institutions for large-scale projects", Glemarec said.

Fight against the climate crisis

During the second day of the meeting, the People's Power Minister for Ecosocialism, Josué Lorca, spoke with the executive director of the GCF, Yannick Glemarec.

According to a message released by the Embassy of Venezuela in Korea, through the social network platform Twitter, the head of Ecosocialism ratified before the authority of the multilateral entity, the commitment of the South American nation in the fight against the climate crisis.

Minister @JosueLorcaV and Vice Minister @evalero05, held a meeting with General Director @theGCF Y. Glemarec in Incheon KOR. The commitment of Venezuela in the fight against the climate crisis within the framework of the Plan de la Patria and multilateral cooperation was reaffirmed.

National Collection Day in the framework of World Beach Day

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Different entities and institutions participated in the activity

On the occasion of World Beach Day, the Ministry of Popular Power for Ecosocialism (Minec) undertook a special sanitation day at Candilejas beach, located in the state of La Guaira, in which a total of 657.68 kilograms of solid waste.

The activity had the support of the Mayor's Office of the Vargas Municipality, different public institutions such as the Public Ministry (MP), the Venezuelan Fund Foundation for Industrial and Technological Reconversion (Fondoin) and the National Institute for Training and Recreation of Workers (Incret), among others.

Minec's General Director of Environmental Quality, indicated that these types of actions are part of the permanent monitoring of solid waste collection carried out

by the Ministry, an awareness plan that has been underway for two years and upon reaching the third year, the necessary comparisons will be made to evaluate the scope of said process.

In the initiative, the representatives of the People's Power and young volunteers played a lea-

ding role, since with their organization and enthusiasm they were deployed together with the authorities in carrying out the proper sanitation, as well as in the development of the awareness campaign through talks, distribution of informative brochures and recreational games.

The call of the authorities present was to follow the momentum of this type of mobilization in favor of the recovery and preservation of all the coastal areas of the country, and at the same time, remember that these actions take place throughout the year throughout the national territory, with the idea of having more and more volunteers in favor of the noble cause.

It should be noted that this activity was part of a national day that covered the main beaches of the country and that, in turn, is part of the celebration of World Beach Day.



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A route was established to increase the project

The Ministry of People's Power for Ecosocialism (Minec) and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) in Venezuela participated in a meeting, with the purpose of defining the project entitled "Integrated Landscape Management in the Region Venezuelan Andean".

During the meeting, the roadmap was established that will allow the project to be increased, and specify the steps and commitments that will be established, also discussing the roles that each member of the initiative will play, the start and organization that will be carried out for a better development. and execution.

To finalize these details, the team from the General Directorate of Biological Diversity of Minec was at the meeting, with the commitment to work on the activities that are part of an operational plan already agreed upon.

Ana Posas, technical manager, expressed that this plan seeks to establish and refine a stronger alliance, articulating with other instances that allow for better territorial development in the Venezuelan Andean region.

In this sense, the Andean region is the one with the greatest climatic amplitude, with plains savannah landscapes, humid forests, arid zones of xerophytic vegetation, lacustrine coastline, and where high temperatures and snowy moors prevail that converge throughout the regional geography.

25,000 avios launched in the Machango river basin in Zulia

A total of 25,000 avios were launched this Friday, in areas of difficult access corresponding to the Machango river basin, in Zulia state.

The operation was led by the staff of the Eco-socialist Territorial Unit (UTEC) of the region, of the Ministry of People's Power for Ecosocialism (Minec), with the participation of spokesmen for People's Power, who were joined by the director of the Post of Command of the Minec and godfather of the plan, Ángel Ferrebus.

With the action, Minec seeks to recover the degraded areas of the important tributary on the eastern coast of the lake, which supplies the Burro Negro reservoir, as part of the estimates of the National Reforestation Plan 2022-2023.



25 thousand aircraft were launched to regenerate degraded areas

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The objective is to consolidate the forestry economic zones

As part of the lines of work towards the consolidation of the Superior Body of the Forest Engine, the Ministry of People's Power for Ecosocialism (Minec), developed the II Forest Cabinet, from the office's videoconference room, in Plaza Caracas.

At the meeting, a videoconference on forestry policies was held, moderated by the Vice Minister of Ecosocialist Management of the Environment of the Minec, Hernán Toro, in which public servants of the Minec and its attached entities were connected.

Among the participants stood out the presidents of the National Reforestation Company (Conare), Adolfo Paredes; from the National Forestry Company, (Enafor) José Díaz; of the Environmental Education Foundation (Fundambiente) and general director of Ecosocialist Training, Jesús Méndez, as well as the general director of Forest Heritage, Zoraima Echenique.

Deputy Minister Toro, during his speech, ratified the Superior Body of the Forest Engine, as the inter-governmental body in charge of executing the construction of the New Forest Engine Program, both from the environmental point of view and from the productive economic point of view, in order to consolidate the economic zones forestry.

In this sense, the Vice Minister of Ecosocialist Management of the Environment of the Minec, in his online dialogue via zoom, said regarding the environmental tasks within the forest engine that, "policies for the preservation of the environment are highlighted, but that the framework necessary for the engine to be productive and consolidate in the country".

Likewise, Toro, summoned the participants to get rid of the idea of the "ministry in charge of issuing guides, in order to renew itself in an organism to create, organize and base policies on forest matters".

They carry an awareness message about the ozone layer to girls and boys

As part of the activities for the celebration of the International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer, an awareness meeting was held in Los Caobos Park, with the participation of children from the Ministry of Popular Power for Ecosocialism (Minec) and the Venezuelan Fund Foundation for Industrial and Technological Reconversion (Fondoin).

The initiative aimed to create awareness and sensitize children about the protection and conservation of the environment, this time with the central point focused on the ozone layer.

Through this activity, we seek to bring children closer to nature, its respect and care, with the development of environmental education through fun activities that encourage interest in their participation.

Gabriel García, general director of Environmental Quality Management, dependent on the Vice Ministry of Comprehensive Garbage Management, stated that this action conveys the importance of the ozone layer on earth and that due to ignorance we are harming it.

For this reason, educating children on the subject and so that they can learn about, care for and worry about the ozone layer is very important, because it is a gaseous strip that protects life on planet Earth.



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The Climate Change Trap (Part I)

By Josué Alejandro Lorca

In the globalized era in which we live, deeply marked by the media, as well as the notions we have of the news, they always require continuous evaluation and revision. The post-truth haunts our perception of reality and, therefore, the meanings that give meaning to our lives.

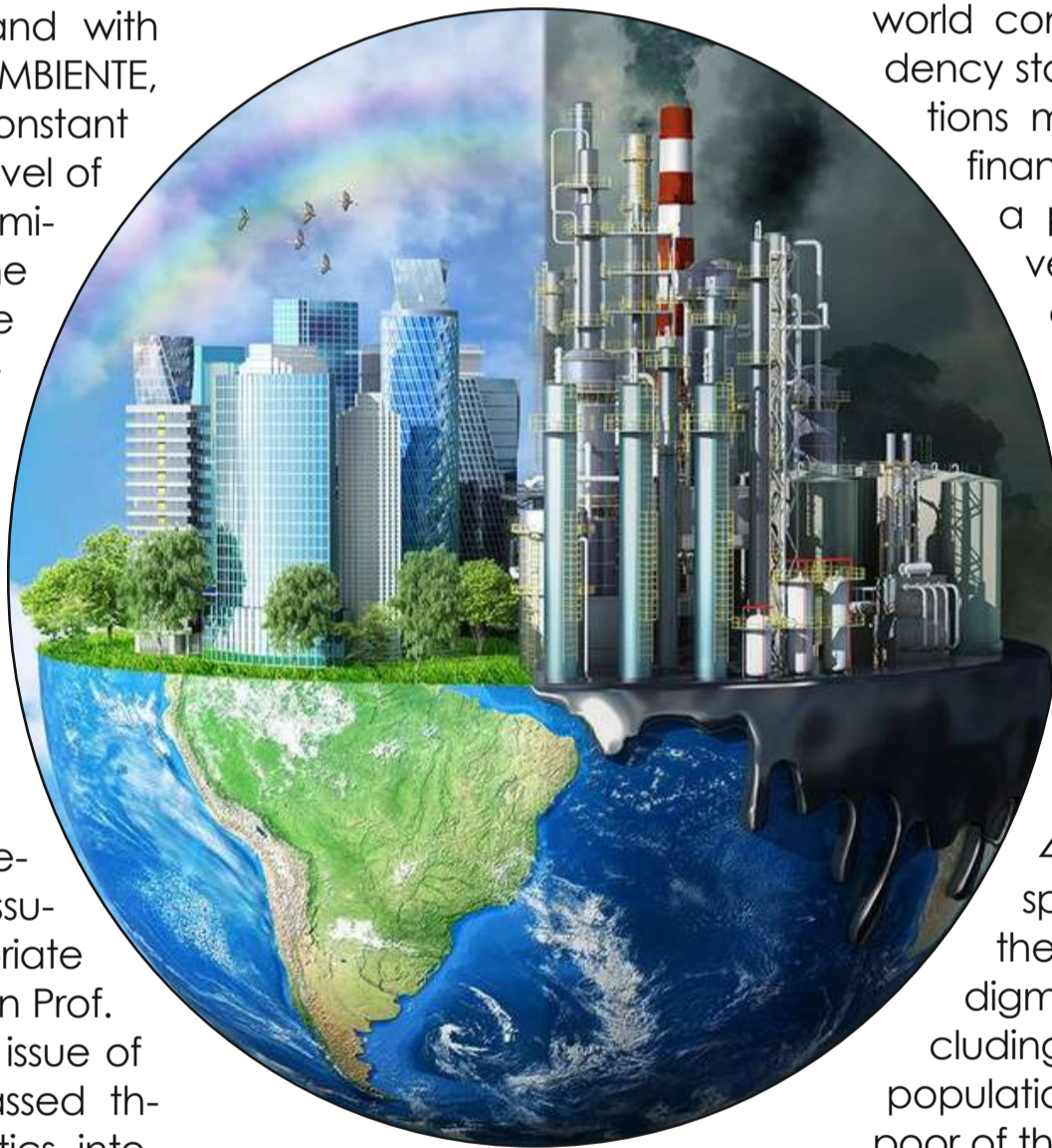
At the Popular University of the Environment "Fruto Vivas" and with the auspices of FUNDAMBIENTE, we have maintained a constant effort to raise the critical level of analysis of environmental militancy. For this reason, the Forum "Geopolitics of the Climate Crisis" was organized last Friday, August 19, 2022, with the honorable participation of Professor, Dr. Rafael Bautista Segales (Plurinational State of Bolivia).

Geopolitics is a complex science, but it is a tool that quickly assists us in decision-making and in assuming the most appropriate criteria for each situation. In Prof. Segales' conference, the issue of Climate Change was passed through the sieve of geopolitics, interesting interpretations emerged, which have made me reflect a lot.

In the first place, it must be said that this, Climate Change, was alerted as early as 1972, at the G7 Conference in Rome, where the report "The limits to growth" of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT for its acronym in English).

These were projections made in a highly accurate econometric model called "World3".

Econometric projections indicated that capitalism is unsustainable. What Marx said since the 19th century, that capitalism maintains an intrinsic suicidal behavior, is confirmed, since the 1970s it began to be verified empirically, due to its



environmental and social impact and the lack of answers to the great majorities of the planet.

What has been the response of the empire and the global elites to this situation?

1- A narrative is constructed to divert public opinion from the true si-

tuation, first, denialism, and that now, there are emerging countries capable of dethroning the empire and installing a new World Order, the narrative focuses on the fact that "Warming Global is caused by human activity." Then, the international institutions come to spread that narrative by dressing it up as legality.

2- It aims to strengthen unipolar world control, for this the dependency status of the majority of nations must be maintained. The financing granted becomes a political weapon, whoever puts up the money designates who is granted it and what it will be used for.

3- In the universities of the world we see how thinking beings are no longer produced, only mere replicators of hegemonic knowledge.

4- The rich of the world sponsor transhumanism, the post-industrial paradigm, artificial intelligence, including genetic and population control, where the poor of the world should disappear because it is costly to integrate them into the global economic system.

6- The science of Political Economy stopped being called that, in the universities of rich countries it is called Business Science, where you learn to maximize profits and minimize costs. So we see, in these Climate Change summits where



luxury and banquets are displayed, an agreement is not reached, under a justification of "the calculations were not done well". The reality is that there are no gains in solving the problems they have created, on the contrary, there are many costs, their training and epistemological position prevents them from acting where there are no gains.

7- Future financial derivatives are beginning to be generated to privatize water and to monetize carbon quotas. Neoliberal governments see this as an opportunity to monetize water. Control of the Amazon and Orinoco basins represents a strategic objective, not only because it is the most important water reserve on the planet, but also because of its oil, biodiversity and rare earths found in that territory.

Prof. Segales told us at the conference:

"We have suffered a crisis of chronic irrationality since the world's rich have become a world system. The UN has a legal instrument in art. 44, to intervene in the Amazon, supposedly, to defend it from eventual destruction, for this, the media would act, shaping public opinion and proceed to militarize our territories with blue helmets. To this type of maneuvers, environmental activists are added, who become one more instrument to consolidate imperial domination over our resources. Environmental activism must

be versed in geopolitics so as not to be cannon fodder for hegemonic interests. Decolonization for us is fundamental, because it breaks with a preconstituted reality ; disseminated by the hegemonic media, and puts us in a perspective of systematic study of the concrete reality, without distortions imposed by the ruling classes to safeguard their interests".

"We have naturalized the narrative of progress so well, that we believe that progress is synonymous with well-being, we have naturalized the discourse of development so well that for us development is a good thing. Then we naturalize the center-periphery system, to the point of annulling our identity, we need the center to order us what we should wear, how we should think and how we should act. This is the heart of the matter of decolonization, we need to tear down that belief system that has been imposed on us to develop the real belief system that gives meaning to our lives", continued Prof. Segales.

The reality about "Climate Change" is that it is a repetitive hegemonic discourse of Western powers to limit the development of emerging countries, in turn generating national movements and organizations for political destabilization.

The rich of the world in their dominating narrative have invented the concept of Climate Change. In the words of Prof. Segales: "Concepts are a battlefield, every concept invites action or passivity." In the concept of "change" there is passivity, it convinces us that it is a natural phenomenon to which we have to adapt. When what is wrong and needs to be changed is the economic system based on greed that tries to accumulate everything in a few hands.

We are not facing a "Climate



Change", we are facing a "Climate Crisis", generated by the economic model that has been imposed on us, not by the peoples of the world. This Crisis invites us to mobilize, and this must be our narrative.

Developmentalism produces in us a permanent state of dissatisfaction , a satisfied being does not need consumption, so the progressive narrative serves to feed consumerism which, in turn, is the engine of the system to the detriment of Mother Earth.

That is why from the Bolivarian Government of Venezuela, we are doing everything possible to make the voice of our country heard. We must work together with a critical conscience, to reverse this Climate Crisis that the global hegemonic powers and their unfeasible development model have caused.

In future deliveries we will continue to expose what is hidden behind the Climate Change discourse".

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Up to date with Nicolás

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The 21st century is one of integration, of the multipolar and pluricentric world, as China and Russia have ratified at the Shanghai Cooperation Summit. It is the century of the new balance in humanity as Bolívar said. The time has come to make it a reality, without hegemonies.



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The Bolivarian Revolution says goodbye to a fighter, revolutionary and great defender of People's Power, Deputy Héctor Agüero. Wherever he is, his example of loyalty and dedication will always accompany our PSUV militancy. My condolences to his family and friends.

Peace to your soul!



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In the face of the oil and gas supply crisis in the world, OPEC becomes more important as a mechanism for the defense and balance of the oil market. The member countries are more united than ever, strengthening principles and doctrines.



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