The American Campaign for Global Sovereignty

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Abstract
The main feature of world politics since the collapse of the Soviet Bloc has been the American state's campaign to rebuild and expand the protectorate systems that formed the basis of American global political dominance during the Cold War. This campaign has, of course, been linked to parallel expansionist efforts by the West European states, and partly cooperative and partly conflictual attempts by the Atlantic powers to organize a new global set of political-legal regimes for reorganizing international economic relationships in ways favourable to the international dominance of American and European business. The purpose of this essay is to explore this campaign for a new protectorate system, though it will also make reference to the connection between this project and the other changes being pushed forward in the international political economy.
The essential campaign which defined African and Asian anti-imperialist networks, that of the search for territorial sovereignty, found affinity with the quest for political sovereignty across Latin America. The growth of transnational anti-imperialism between these groups in the early part of the twentieth century reflects similar experiences of empire and its varied and nefarious policies and practices of oppression. The increasing role of Latin American countries is clear in their leadership of the campaign for the New International Economic Order (NIEO), and in the work of individuals like the Argentine economist Raul Prebisch who led the charge for North-South economic rebalancing as the first Secretary-General of UNCTAD in 1964. 'The American Campaign for Global Sovereignty' [in] Socialist Register. Add to My Bookmarks Export citation. Type. It makes it easy to scan through your lists and keep track of progress. Here's an example of what they look like: Your reading intentions are also stored in your profile for future reference. How do I set a reading intention. To set a reading intention, click through to any list item, and look for the panel on the left hand side.