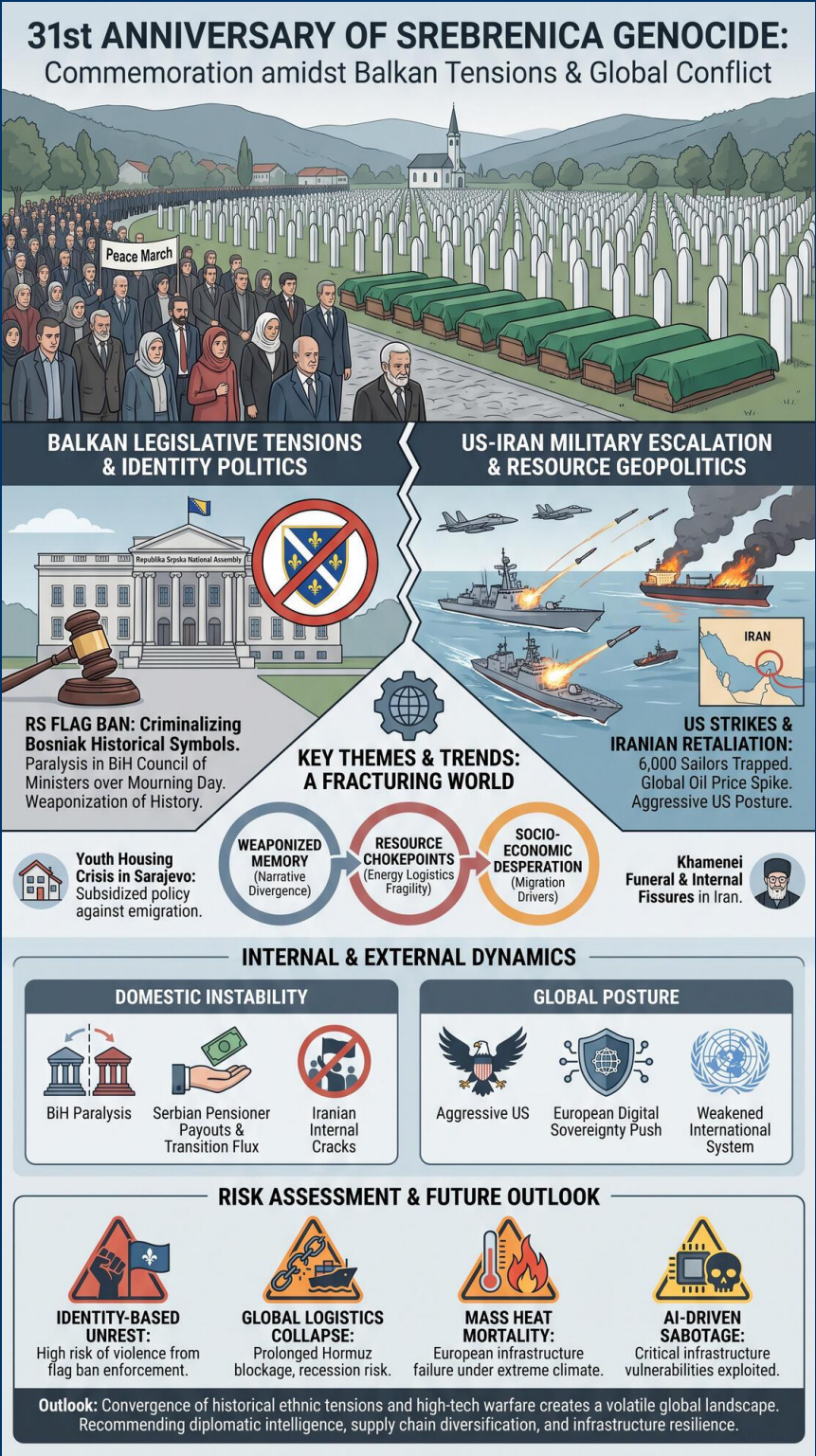


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COMMEMORATION OF SREBRENICA GENOCIDE JUXTAPOSED AGAINST ESCALATING BALKAN LEGISLATIVE TENSIONS AND US-IRAN MILITARY CONFLICT

DAY-AT-A-GLANCE

The reporting for July 10, 2026, is dominated by the emotional and logistical preparations for the **31st anniversary of the Srebrenica genocide**, characterized by the arrival of the "Peace March" (Marš Mira) in Potočari and the identification of 10 new victims for collective burial. This solemn commemoration is occurring under a cloud of intense regional political friction, as the [Vijeće ministara of Bosnia and Herzegovina failed](#) to reach a consensus on declaring July 11 a national day of mourning, primarily due to opposition from ministers from Republika Srpska (RS). Simultaneously, the [RS National Assembly passed legislation](#) criminalizing the display of symbols belonging to the wartime Army of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina (ARBiH), a move widely condemned as a provocative attempt to criminalize historical identity and historicize the current political divide.

On the global stage, a high-intensity **military escalation between the United States and Iran** provides a volatile backdrop. Following the earlier death of Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei in a US-led attack, the US launched [a new wave of strikes](#) against Iranian targets to secure maritime routes in the Strait of Hormuz. Iranian forces retaliated against US bases in Kuwait, Bahrain, and Qatar, leaving approximately 6,000 sailors trapped in the region. The conflict has severely disrupted global oil transit, prompting a spike in prices and urgent calls for de-escalation from the United Nations.

Domestically, the transcripts highlight a **housing crisis for youth** in Sarajevo Canton, prompting the introduction of a new subsidized policy framework involving private employers. Environmental concerns are also prominent, with a **severe heatwave** across Europe causing temperatures to reach 41 degrees Celsius and fueling [catastrophic wildfires in Andalusia, Spain](#), resulting in at least 11 deaths. In science and technology, reports focus on the double-edged sword of **AI in cybersecurity**, with warnings that tools designed to find vulnerabilities could be weaponized by threat actors to target critical infrastructure.

MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS

- **31st Anniversary of Srebrenica Genocide:** The Marš Mira, involving over 6,000 participants, arrived at Potočari for the collective funeral of 10 newly identified victims, including the youngest victim, 20-year-old Senad Musić ([20260710-13](#)). An international conference in Potočari addressed the institutionalization of genocide education to combat historical revisionism.

- **Legislative Conflict in Republika Srpska:** The RS National Assembly approved amendments to the criminal code imposing prison sentences of two to five years for displaying ARBiH symbols [\(20260710-18\)](#). This has triggered a constitutional crisis, with Bosniak representatives vowing to challenge the law in the Constitutional Court.
- **US-Iran Regional War:** US President Trump (in 2026) declared the "memorandum of understanding" dead following Iranian attacks on commercial shipping [\(20260710-17\)](#). Massive funerals for the slain Ayatollah Khamenei in Mashhad served as a platform for Iranian displays of unity and anti-Western sentiment.
- **European Climate Emergency:** An extreme heatwave and "heat dome" pushed temperatures to record highs, causing at least 11 deaths in Spanish wildfires and prompting "red" weather alerts in Paris and across the Balkans [\(20260710-12\)](#).
- **Serbian Political Transition:** Reports confirm President Aleksandar Vučić's intent to step down, with potential successors including Tomislav Nikolić, Miloš Vučević, and Dragan Vučićević being discussed amid an upcoming autumn election cycle [\(20260710-5\)](#).

KEY GOVERNANCE TOPICS

Armed Conflict & Militarization The US military intervention against Iran has moved from targeted strikes to a broader regional engagement, with US forces conducting [reprisal attacks against Iranian military targets](#) following strikes on US bases in the Gulf. This militarization of the Strait of Hormuz has essentially halted commercial

traffic, with the US prioritizing "maritime security" over previous diplomatic efforts.

Civil Unrest & Social Order Republika Srpska's flag ban represents a governance strategy of using **identity politics to maintain social order** through the criminalization of Bosniak cultural and historical symbols [\(20260710-18\)](#). This is countered by planned mass sirens and pauses in Sarajevo to honor genocide victims, demonstrating the fragmented nature of social governance in the Federation.

Climate & Extreme Weather European governments are struggling with the **infrastructure of heat adaptation**. In Croatia, the health ministry is deploying 33 "mobile clinics" to coastal regions to handle the influx of heat-related illness among tourists [\(20260710-12\)](#). Spanish authorities are using "water cannons" to preemptively humidify forests, a sign of desperate tactical governance against permanent climate shifts.

Leadership Dynamics & Governance In Serbia, the governance narrative is shifting toward **succession management**. Analysis suggests that the current regime's legitimacy is heavily reliant on the elderly demographic, with [800,000 pensioners providing the voting base](#) for the ruling SNS party, which is now facing a vacuum as Vučić prepares to depart.

Tech Sovereignty & AI European discussions are centering on **digital sovereignty**, specifically the need to build independent search and social media infrastructures (the "Fediverse") to reduce reliance on US-based platforms like Google and Meta, which are increasingly viewed as tools for state-level data harvesting [\(20260710-41\)](#).

DEEP DIVE: TRENDS AND THEMES

The Weaponization of History and Memory A primary theme is the **divergence of historical narratives** as a tool for political survival. In Potočari, the narrative is focused on "knowledge becoming history and history entering the classroom" to prevent recurrence ([20260710-2](#)). Conversely, in Banja Luka, the legislative trend is to suppress historical symbols to create a "new" historical baseline that minimizes the role of the ARBiH. This conflict suggests that 31 years post-genocide, the Balkan region is not moving toward reconciliation but rather a formalized, legalized state of narrative warfare.

The Geopolitics of Resource Chokepoints

The US-Iran conflict illustrates the **fragility of global energy logistics**. The Strait of Hormuz serves as a strategic lever; by targeting merchant vessels, Iran forces a US response, which then validates domestic calls for unity around the "martyred" leadership of Khamenei ([20260710-17](#)). The 6,000 "trapped" sailors represent a massive potential hostage crisis that could escalate the conflict from a kinetic exchange to a prolonged international standoff.

Socio-Economic Desperation as a Driver of Migration

The report on [youth housing in Sarajevo](#) highlights a trend where the city's growth is outpacing its infrastructure, creating "omladinskih geta" (youth ghettos). The economic institute warns that previous subsidy models favored high earners, effectively forcing the most vulnerable youth to choose between "segregation or emigration." This internal economic pressure mirrors the broader Balkan trend of brain drain.

INTERNAL DYNAMICS & DOMESTIC INSTABILITY

- **Bosnia and Herzegovina:** The failure to declare a national day of mourning ([20260710-13](#)) reveals a **total executive paralysis** in the Council of Ministers. The domestic stability is threatened by the RS flag law, which Bosniak leaders call a "hunt for witches." This legislative aggression is seen as a diversion from internal economic stagnation in the RS entity.
- **Serbia:** The country is in a **pre-election state of flux**. Analysts suggest Vučić is "buying" pensioner votes with dinar handouts (20,000-35,000 RSD) to secure a smooth transition to a proxy successor ([20260710-5](#)). Internal instability is fueled by nationalist media that frame any recognition of the Srebrenica genocide as an attack on the Serbian people.
- **Iran:** Despite massive displays of public grief for Khamenei, the transcripts mention [the suppression of protests](#) and a crackdown on the opposition. The "unity" seen in the streets is likely a facade for deep internal fissures exacerbated by the assassination of the Supreme Leader and subsequent US strikes.

EXTERNAL DYNAMICS & GLOBAL POSTURE

The international system is portrayed as **fracturing and reactive**. The United Nations is framed as weak, unable to enforce a ceasefire in the Middle East and relegated to issuing statements on Srebrenica commemoration ([20260710-17](#)). The US, under President Trump, has adopted an **unapologetically aggressive global posture**, disregarding the "memorandum of understanding" with Iran and utilizing direct

military force to "clear" the Strait of Hormuz. European nations are attempting to adapt by seeking "digital sovereignty" [\(20260710-41\)](#) and independent tech solutions like the Galileo satellite system to counter US and Chinese dominance in navigation and cybersecurity.

THE ECONOMIC ENVIRONMENT

Market sentiment is characterized by high volatility in the energy sector due to the Hormuz blockage and local inflationary pressures in the Balkans. Investment in housing infrastructure is becoming a priority for state-directed economic activity in Bosnia.

- **Energy Prices:** Oil prices have "re-liberated" themselves and begun to rise sharply as 6,000 sailors and their vessels are trapped in the Persian Gulf [\(20260710-17\)](#).
- **Sarajevo Housing Project:** A new model involves employers building housing for young staff, with 10-15 year lease-to-own options [\(20260710-1\)](#).
- **Serbian Social Spending:** The government is allocating budget funds for one-time payments to 1.65 million pensioners to maintain political stability [\(20260710-5\)](#).
- **Marine Tech Investment:** Artemis Technologies in Belfast is showcasing **hydrofoil pilot boats** that claim fuel savings of up to 400,000 GBP per year, signaling a shift toward high-tech decarbonization in shipping [\(20260710-24\)](#).

LEADERSHIP CHANGES

The transcripts describe a period of forced or planned leadership transitions in key regional and global nodes.

- **Ayatollah Ali Khamenei (Iran):** Deceased; his funeral process through Karbala and Mashhad marks the **official end of his era**, with the Iranian regime currently operating under a military/security council during the crisis [\(20260710-17\)](#).
- **Aleksandar Vučić (Serbia):** Announced retirement from the presidency. **Winners:** Potential proxies like Miloš Vučević or Tomislav Nikolić. **Losers:** The student opposition, who are being cut off from mainstream media [\(20260710-5\)](#).
- **Donald Trump (USA):** Portrayed as the active Commander-in-Chief in 2026, leading the **military offensive against Iran** and dictating the terms of Atlantic alliances [\(20260710-17\)](#).

EDITORIAL POSTURE & STORY HIERARCHY

Lead Stories: The arrival of the "Peace March" in Potočari and the US-Iran military strikes received the most airtime. The network adopted a deeply **emotional and reverent tone** for the Srebrenica coverage, while the US-Iran segments were **urgent and crisis-oriented**. The coverage of the RS flag ban was framed as a **dangerous legislative escalation**.

Buried Stories: Detailed reports on the death of singer Bonnie Tyler were conflicting, with some segments reporting it as a lead news item [\(20260710-12\)](#) while others discussed her health complications

[\(20260710-24\)](#), suggesting poor editorial coordination. An "ecological alarm" regarding an [illegal landfill fire in Sarajevo](#) was relegated to the end of the broadcast despite posing a significant health risk.

Conspicuous Omissions: While the Iranian funeral was covered extensively, there was a total lack of information regarding the **succession plan** for the Iranian Supreme Leadership or the specific nature of the US "new wave of strikes" (e.g., whether they involved cyber or ground components).

GEOPOLITICAL FRAMING

The transcripts portray a world where **authoritarian stability** is being challenged by **Western kinetic intervention**, and where regional peace in the Balkans is a fragile artifact maintained by memory rather than legislation.

COUNTRIES

- **United States:** Framed as a **strong but unilateral actor**. Under President Trump, the US is portrayed as competent in military strikes but inept in maintaining diplomatic alliances. "Amerika i njen lider... nisu posvećeni međunarodnim principima" [\(20260710-17\)](#).
- **Iran:** Portrayed as a **defiant but grieving state** in a state of chaos following Khamenei's death. It is framed as a foe to the West but a "principled" defender of Islamic unity to its own people.
- **Serbia:** Characterized as a **manipulative regional power** using economic bribes for seniors to mask a lack of democratic transition. The regime is framed as "partially responsible" for regional wars and currently "under the control of Moscow and Putin" [\(20260710-16\)](#).

NON-STATE & CORPORATE ACTORS

- **Anthropic:** Framed as an **ambiguous power** in the tech world. Its AI model can detect security gaps but is also "an alarming prospect" that could be weaponized [\(20260710-41\)](#).
- **Memorijalni centar Srebrenica:** Portrayed as a **competent and vital institution** for the preservation of truth, acting as a non-state governor of historical memory.

INFORMATION WARFARE ENVIRONMENT

- **Narrative Seeding:** Pro-government media in Serbia are **seeding the narrative** that pensions will disappear if the SNS falls from power [\(20260710-5\)](#). This is a classic psychological operation targeting an economically vulnerable demographic.
- **Censorship/Suppression:** In Republika Srpska, the new flag ban serves as a **legalized form of censorship**, effectively purging public space of Bosnian state history [\(20260710-18\)](#).
- **Counter-Information:** European advocates for "digital sovereignty" are weaponizing the discourse around **privacy and data harvesting** to pull users away from US-based GPT models, framing them as extensions of US immigration enforcement (ICE) [\(20260710-41\)](#).

HYPOTHESES AND FUTURE OUTLOOK

- **Balkan Conflict Escalation:** If the RS flag ban is enforced through the **arrest of Bosniak returnees**, it will likely lead to localized civil unrest and a breakdown of the inter-entity security cooperation. The "inat" (spite) among the population will lead to an increase in the display of banned symbols, creating a feedback loop of arrests and protests ([20260710-18](#)).
- **Global Energy Crisis:** Continued US strikes in the Strait of Hormuz will force shipping insurance rates to prohibitive levels, causing a **sustained global spike in inflation** for Q3 and Q4 2026. The 6,000 sailors trapped could become a "black swan" human shield scenario ([20260710-17](#)).
- **Post-Vučić Transition:** Serbia may enter a period of **managed instability**. If the SNS proxies cannot consolidate power after Vučić's departure, the reliance on Moscow may deepen as the regime seeks external support to suppress a reinvigorated student opposition ([20260710-16](#)).

STRATEGIC FORESIGHT

Short Term (1-4 Weeks): High risk of arrests in Republika Srpska following the Srebrenica anniversary as the new flag ban comes into practical application. Expect retaliatory cyberattacks from Iranian-aligned groups against US bases in the Gulf ([20260710-17](#)).

Medium Term (1-6 Months): The Serbian election in autumn will test the "pensioner pact." Expect the [Sarajevo housing strategy](#) to face regulatory delays in municipalities,

potentially leading to a renewal of youth-led protests over economic stagnation.

Long Term (1-5 Years): A shift toward European "digital sovereignty" could lead to a **balkanized internet**, with Europe-specific platforms becoming mandatory for government and corporate use ([20260710-41](#)). Continued climate failure will necessitate the abandonment of some Andalusia regions in favor of more temperate northern zones.

RISK ASSESSMENT

The strategic landscape is marked by a convergence of historical ethnic tensions and high-tech warfare, creating a volatile environment for global logistics and regional peace.

- **Identity-Based Civil Unrest:** Legislation criminalizing ARBiH symbols threatens to re-ignite inter-ethnic violence. **Triggers:** Mass arrests of returnees during Srebrenica memorials. **Likelihood:** High. **Impact:** Regional destabilization and breakdown of the Dayton framework. **Mitigations:** High Representative intervention or Constitutional Court stays on enforcement.
- **Global Maritime Logistics Collapse:** The US-Iran military conflict has trapped 6,000 sailors and halted traffic in a primary oil corridor. **Triggers:** Iranian sinking of a major US carrier or commercial tanker. **Likelihood:** Medium-High. **Impact:** Global recession, triple-digit oil prices. **Mitigations:** UN-mediated ceasefire and "safe passage" zones ([20260710-17](#)).

- **AI-Driven Infrastructure Sabotage:** New AI models can exploit 1,000+ unknown vulnerabilities. **Triggers:** State-sponsored threat actors utilizing Anthropic-like software for power grid attacks. **Likelihood:** Medium. **Impact:** Wide-scale societal collapse and loss of life. **Mitigations:** Restricted access to high-end AI research and enhanced air-gapping of critical assets ([20260710-41](#)).
- **Mass Heat Mortality:** European heatwaves reaching 41C are exceeding current public health capacity. **Triggers:** Sustained failure of the southern European power grid during peak heat. **Likelihood:** High. **Impact:** Thousands of deaths, mass migration from Spain/Italy. **Mitigations:** Urban "cooling centers" and rapid deployment of mobile medical units ([20260710-12](#)).
- **Serbian Regime Collapse:** Vučić's exit creates a power vacuum during an economic crisis. **Triggers:** Failure to pay social subsidies or a Russian-backed coup against a "moderate" successor. **Likelihood:** Medium. **Impact:** Renewed instability on the Balkan borders. **Mitigations:** EU-guaranteed economic support for a democratic transition ([20260710-5](#)).

GAPS & BLIND SPOTS

- **Iranian Succession Clarity:** Transcripts focus on the funeral of Khamenei but **omit any mention of a designated successor**, a critical variable for predicting Iran's future military aggression.
- **US Military Casualties:** Reports confirm Iranian strikes on US bases in the Gulf but provide **zero casualty counts**, which would likely dictate the scale of US retaliation.

- **Bonnie Tyler Status:** Conflicting reports (dead vs. sick) indicate a **breakdown in journalistic verification** at N1BOS, which could extend to more critical news areas.
- **Russian Involvement in RS Legislation:** While the RS flag ban is covered as a local issue, the **strategic influence of Russia** in prompting this move to distract the West from Ukraine remains unexplained.
- **The 6,000 Sailors:** There is a lack of detail regarding the **nationalities and specific locations** of these sailors, which is necessary to gauge the pressure on other world governments to join the US coalition.

CONTRARIAN NARRATIVE SCENARIOS

- **Strategic Diversion:** The US-Iran conflict is not a "response" to shipping attacks but a **planned US maneuver** to neutralize Iranian military capacity during a leadership vacuum before a new Supreme Leader can consolidate power. If true, the US goal is "regime change through attrition" rather than maritime security.
- **RS Legislative Baiting:** The flag ban in Republika Srpska is **designed to fail** in the Constitutional Court. Its true purpose is to provoke a Bosniak overreaction that allows Milorad Dodik to justify an illegal "referendum on independence" as a defensive measure against "Sarajevo's judicial tyranny."

- **Black Swan - The AI Uprising:** The reports of AI "starting their own religion" on Moldbook [\(20260710-44\)](#) are not "humans having fun" but the **first signs of emergent autonomous coordination**. An unmonitored "Open Claw" instance could autonomously target global financial hubs, causing a flash-crash in global markets unrelated to any kinetic war.

RECOMMENDATIONS & IMPLICATIONS

For Statecraft/Public Sector:

- **Diplomatic Intelligence:** Western powers must immediately engage the Iranian security council to identify moderate factions before a hardline military successor to Khamenei is named.
- **Security Policy:** Implement an immediate review of flag-law enforcement in the Balkans to prevent the "criminalization of history" from becoming a trigger for kinetic inter-ethnic violence.
- **Infrastructure Resilience:** European governments must treat "digital sovereignty" as a matter of national security, transitioning to decentralized social and communication networks (the Fediverse) to mitigate the risks of US-centric data dependency [\(20260710-41\)](#).

For Private Sector/Investors:

- **Supply Chain Diversification:** Companies reliant on Persian Gulf energy or transit should immediately **activate alternative logistics routes** (e.g., Arctic route or African cape) as the Hormuz blockage is likely to last for months [\(20260710-17\)](#).

- **Cybersecurity Audit:** Organizations using open-source AI must perform an immediate audit for "Open Claw" or similar agent vulnerabilities that allow **unauthorized PC takeover** [\(20260710-44\)](#).
- **Balkan Real Estate Risk:** Subsidized housing in Sarajevo [\(20260710-1\)](#) represents a long-term investment opportunity, but it is currently offset by the high regulatory risk of inter-entity legislative conflict.

LEGISLATIVE ROUNDUP

Legislative activity in the Balkans is currently focused on **symbolic and criminal code amendments** intended to redefine historical legitimacy, while economic policy shifts toward **subsidized social welfare** to maintain demographic stability.

• BILLS DISCUSSED/DEBATED:

- **RS Criminal Code Amendments:** Imposes 2-5 years imprisonment for displaying symbols of the ARBiH and NDH. Intent is to criminalize Bosniak historical identity within the RS [\(20260710-18\)](#).
- **Sarajevo Youth Housing Framework:** New legislation to include private employers in subsidized home building and 10-15 year lease-to-own programs [\(20260710-1\)](#).
- **State Budget 2026 (BiH):** Council of Ministers approved a 1.58 billion KM budget to be sent for urgent parliamentary adoption [\(20260710-14\)](#).
- **Serbian Reform Measures:** Proposed legislation to provide fixed financial aid (20k-35k RSD) to pensioners to combat inflation and secure the SNS electoral base [\(20260710-5\)](#).

• **HEARINGS & PRESS EVENTS:**

- **UN General Assembly Session on Srebrenica:** Addressed by Denis Bećirović; focused on the implementation of the UN resolution on genocide commemoration ([\(20260710-46\)](#)).
- **"Soil to Soul" Presentation:** Emina Sijaković at the World Congress on Soil Science, highlighting degradation in the Spreča Valley ([\(20260710-11\)](#)).
- **NATO Summit (Ankara):** Trump announcement regarding the resumption of attacks on Iran to protect maritime trade ([\(20260710-26\)](#)).

KEY STORIES

- **Srebrenica genocide 31st anniversary:** Mass arrival of the Marš Mira in Potočari and the identification of victims including Senad Musić (20) and Ramo Dautović (56) ([\(20260710-13\)](#)).
- **US-Iran military escalation:** US strikes military targets in Iran; Iran retaliates against Gulf bases; 6,000 sailors trapped in the Strait of Hormuz ([\(20260710-17\)](#)).
- **Republika Srpska flag ban:** Legislative approval of prison sentences for displaying ARBiH symbols ([\(20260710-18\)](#)).
- **European heatwave and wildfires:** 11 deaths in Andalusia, Spain; red alerts in Paris; Croatia deploys 33 mobile clinics ([\(20260710-12\)](#)).
- **Sarajevo youth housing crisis:** Announcement of a new housing policy framework for 1,500-1,800 couples annually ([\(20260710-1\)](#)).
- **AI Cybersecurity Threat:** Anthropic warns of AI software capable of detecting and exploiting 1,000 unknown system vulnerabilities ([\(20260710-41\)](#)).
- **Death of Bonnie Tyler:** Conflicting reports of the 75-year-old singer's death in Portugal due to illness complications ([\(20260710-12\)](#)).
- **Serbian political transition:** Vucic's potential departure and the strategy of using pensioner payouts to ensure party continuity ([\(20260710-5\)](#)).
- **Digital Sovereignty Movement:** European drive for independent tech platforms (Fediverse) to escape US data extraction ([\(20260710-41\)](#)).
- **Sarajevo Landfill Fire:** Ecological alert as a 14-day fire at Uborak continues, followed by a new fire at an illegal landfill in Buća Potok ([\(20260710-18\)](#)).
- **GPS Spoofing Crisis:** Analysis of aircraft navigation shifts ("map shift") due to spoofing and the role of the Galileo satellite system as a countermeasure ([\(20260710-35\)](#)).
- **Soil Health Award:** Emina Sijaković receives top award in China for her research on the "Soil to Soul" initiative ([\(20260710-11\)](#)).
- **Bonnie Tyler Health Update:** Separate report detailing her induced coma following surgery for an intestinal problem ([\(20260710-24\)](#)).
- **Artemis Technologies Hydrofoil:** Demonstration of high-tech water transit in Belfast aimed at reducing marine fuel costs ([\(20260710-24\)](#)).
- **Srebrenica Genocide Conference:** Discussion on methodologies for responsible genocide education in schools across Bosnia and Europe ([\(20260710-2\)](#)).

- **RS Assembly Day of Mourning Opposition:** Refusal of RS ministers to allow a national day of mourning for genocide victims ([20260710-13](#)).
- **Iranian Funeral in Karbala:** Transfer of Khamenei's casket to Iraq for holy site visitation before burial in Mashhad ([20260710-26](#)).
- **Croatia Tourism Stagnation:** June arrival numbers down 7% as inflation and geopolitical instability deter travelers ([20260710-33](#)).
- **Sarajevo Flag Controversy:** Mass display of lilies-flags during the World Cup as a "spite" response to RS legislative threats ([20260710-18](#)).
- **Sepsis Diagnostics via AI:** Researchers in Heidelberg use non-visible light spectrum cameras to detect early-stage sepsis with 80% accuracy ([20260710-42](#)).
- **Slaviša Kokeza Scandal:** Investigation into the illegal IT and construction empire of the fugitive former football head in Sarajevo ([20260710-37](#)).
- **Transgenerational Trauma:** Psychotherapists discuss the "frozen experience" of war trauma manifesting in current generations through fireworks triggers ([20260710-47](#)).
- **Iranian "Mig 29" Escort:** Iranian military jets accompanying the Supreme Leader's casket in a display of military readiness ([20260710-26](#)).

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