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Greece's return to the "markets" and the impact of fiscal austerity on suicide statistics

Only weeks after PM's triumphant [announcement](#) that country is back to bond markets, people in long queues around Greece jostle each other for a bag of food distributed from fruit market sellers and producers on strike protesting against new draft bill.



[Video and more in Greek](#), older stories in [EN](#)



<http://weeklyintercept.blogspot.com>

Portsmouth University article discovers that > 500 men between 45-89 committed suicide in Greece during a year's time as a result of the unbearable pressure from the austerity measures.

[More](#), read [scientific paper](#)

Netherlands

Thousands of people led a vibrating march against racial discrimination in Amsterdam where mottos against PVV and Wilders were prominent ([video](#)). [In Dutch](#), [more in Dutch](#), [photos](#)



<http://www.rtvnh.nl>

In the same spirit, hundreds were queuing outside Nijmegen police station to sue Wilders for his racist outbreak against Moroccan Dutch citizens. [Info NL](#)

A different flavor of Easter



["A crown of thorns was placed on Jesus, for € 500 crown of thorns they put on our heads"](#) shout laid off cleaners of ministry of finance at Easter demo. [In Greek & photos](#)



SOS Chalkidiki members joined by laid off Coca Cola workers and public sector school guards offer Easter eggs in Thessaloniki asking everyone to join their struggle.

[Listen to them \(Gr\)](#)

Favelas - a disgrace to the World Cup

Brazil, Rio De Janeiro: Riot police violent evacuation of homeless near prestigious World Cup's Maracana Stadium



<http://www.globalpost.com>

[Story with video, photos](#)

Upcoming events

May 16, Amsterdam: "Shock doctrine revisited. The Authoritarian Guise of the European Union in the Crisis". The Real World Economics invites international political economists

[More](#), mayofsolidarity.org

May 24, Amsterdam: "Forum & discussion - Breaking the silence in academiid". ReINFORM & Borderless bring together a wide spectrum of people to address the corporatization and neoliberalisation of higher education in NL. [Program](#)

May 29, Amsterdam: "Iraq war 11 years on: What's the real story?" ReINFORM, Critical Collective & friends host lecture from Ali Al-Jabery at Joe's Garage, Pretoriusstraat 43 at 19:00 (vegan cuisine at 18:00).

May 31, Amsterdam: ReINFORM & Borderles invite you to the screening of FASCISM INC. Aris Chatzistefanou, the creator of the film will be there to discuss with us about the film and the rise of fascism and extreme right in NL. [Info](#)

June 6: Screening of FASCISM INC, place & time to be announced.