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Juan Luis Manfredi Sánchez: The New World Order

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In this episode, host Marta Furlan talks with Juan Luis Manfredi Sánchez, reflecting on the new world order that is taking shape under President Donald Trump. Manfredi Sánchez talks about the end of the liberal order and a return to “areas of influence”. He goes on to note that the recent direct US intervention in Venezuela is a clear sign of a new approach with which Latin American and European countries need to deal. Europe, in particular, is invited to take a more proactive approach. He then discusses how energy and trade have been used, or instrumentalized, in Trump’s order of things.

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