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### EAST AFRICA

#### Kenya

##### **Kenya forces kill about 60 Shabab militants in Somalia**

Kenyan troops have killed nearly 60 suspected members of the al-Qaeda-linked al-Shabab militant group during a fierce fighting in southern Somalia, a Kenya's military spokesman says. Col. Joseph Owuoth said in a statement on Thursday that Kenyan soldiers under....

*globalsecurity 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.globalsecurity.org/military/library/news/2017/03/mil-170302-presstv03.htm>

#### Somalia

##### **President Says Al Shabaab Was Defeated in the Battle**

Somali President Mohamed Abdullahi Farmajo said Wednesday that Al-Shabaab has been weakened in the military operations by the country's National Army and AMISOM. Farmajo noted that the militants still have the capacity to carry out sporadic attacks in Mogadishu, the capital city of the country, and has resorted to asymmetric warfare.

*allafrica 03 Mar 2017*

<http://allafrica.com/stories/201703020387.html>

##### **At least 57 al-Shabab extremists killed in Somalia assault**

The African Union peacekeeping mission in Somalia says at least 57 members of the al-Shabab extremist group have been killed Thursday, March 2, 2017....

*topix 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.topix.com/ke/nairobi/2017/03/at-least-57-al-shabab-extremists-killed-in-somalia-assault?fromrss=1>

##### **Somalia opening Rehabilitation center for ex-militants in Kismayo**

Somalia has opened a rehabilitation center for former Al-Shabaab combatants in the southern port city of Kismayo. The United Nations Mission in Somalia (UNSOM) said

in a statement on Thursday that the center which is the fourth to be established in the Horn of Africa....

*coastweek 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.coastweek.com/4009-Somalia-opens-rehabilitation-center-for-ex-militants-in-Kismayo.htm>

## **Uganda**

### **Ugandan Soldiers Killed, Injured in Clashes With M23 Rebels**

The deceased, identified as Lance Corporal David Ochuna and the injured, private John Jackie Kusuba attached to the UPDF 63 Battalion barracks, were shot as the army and game rangers exchanged gunfire with the rebels. Fighting erupted when a group of suspected M23 rebels who were crossing into....

*allafrica 03 Mar 2017*

<http://allafrica.com/stories/201703030557.html>

## **CENTRAL AFRICA**

### **Cameroon**

#### **Boko Haram, fléau pour l'élevage et l'agriculture**

Agriculteur autrefois prospère, Alahadji Lawan Yeza survit aujourd'hui grâce à l'aide alimentaire, à cause des exactions du groupe jihadiste nigérian Boko Haram, dans le nord du Cameroun, dans cette région du lac Tchad, où se rend ce vendredi le Conseil de sécurité de l'ONU.

*Int 03 Mar 2017*

<https://int.ma/cameroun-boko-haram-fleau-lelevage-lagriculture/>

#### **Boko Haram change son mode opératoire en adoptant les colis piégés**

La secte terroriste nigériane Boko Haram dont la capacité militaire a été fortement réduite depuis le déploiement l'année dernière de la Force multinationale mixte (FMM) a muté son mode opératoire en procédant à « la remise de colis piégés à des enfants naïfs en vue de semer dans le désarroi dans....

*journalducameroun 04 Mar 2017*

<http://journalducameroun.com/cameroun-boko-haram-change-son-mode-operatoire-en-adoptant-les-colis-pieges/>

#### **L'ONU au chevet des victimes de Boko Haram dans la région du lac Tchad**

Les ambassadeurs du Conseil de sécurité de l'ONU ont entamé vendredi au Cameroun une mission dans les quatre pays riverains du lac Tchad afin d'attirer l'attention sur la crise dans cette région, où des centaines de milliers de réfugiés ont fui les jihadistes de Boko Haram.

*lorientlejour 03 Mar 2017*

<https://www.lorientlejour.com/article/1038491/onu-au-chevet-des-victimes-de-boko-haram-dans-la-region-du-lac-tchad.html>

#### **Cameroon Begs for International Help Against Boko Haram Terror**

On a Friday night in September 2014, Boko Haram fighters attacked the village of Guza in northeastern Nigeria, killing and kidnapping young boys as they burned homes and looted. Ismael, now 15, survived that night of terror and hid in his house for 40 days, afraid that if he....

*voanews 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.voanews.com/a/cameroon-asks-for-international-help-against-boko-haram-terror/3749380.html>

#### **Lutte contre Boko Haram: le Conseil de Sécurité salue les efforts du Cameroun**

En audience vendredi par le chef de l'Etat, les membres de la délégation de cette institution Onusienne ont cependant regretté que le Bassin du Lac Tchad n'ait pas été

au centre de l'attention de la communauté internationale. La délégation des quinze pays membres du Conseil de sécurité de....

*journaldcameroun 03 Mar 2017*

<http://journaldcameroun.com/lutte-contre-boko-haram-conseil-de-securite-salue-efforts-cameroun/>

## **Central African Republic**

### **Les victimes de LRA s'impatientent de la poursuite de leurs bourreaux**

Les victimes de la LRA de Joseph Kony s'impatientent de la lenteur de l'appareil judiciaire et dénoncent l'attitude du gouvernement. Propos avancés par Aubin Kotto Kpénézé, président de l'Association des victimes de la LRA, ce 2 mars à Bangui. La LRA de Joseph Kony sévit en République Centrafricaine....

*jurnaldebangui 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.jurnaldebangui.com/article.php?aid=11807>

## **Chad**

### **In Chad and Cameroon, Security Council hears of Boko Haram terror and survivors' needs**

The United Nations Security Council is today in Chad, as part of a four-country visit "to shine a spotlight" on the ongoing humanitarian challenges in the Lake Chad Basin region and draw international attention to the plight of about 11 million people.

*reliefWeb 12:50:00 AM CET*

<http://reliefweb.int/report/chad/chad-and-cameroon-security-council-hears-boko-haram-terror-and-survivors-needs>

### **UN Security Council shines light on Lake Chad crisis**

UN Security Council envoys on Friday vowed to turn the spotlight on a "neglected crisis" as they began a mission to the Lake Chad region, where hunger, poverty and a Boko Haram insurgency have triggered a major humanitarian emergency. Straddling Nigeria, Chad, Cameroon and Niger, the....

*news-yahoo 04 Mar 2017*

<https://www.yahoo.com/news/un-security-council-shines-light-lake-chad-crisis-175932590.html>

## **Democratic Republic of Congo**

### **Congo police arrest separatist cult leader after violent standoff**

Police in Democratic Republic of Congo said on Friday they had arrested the leader of a separatist Christian cult in the capital Kinshasa following a two-week standoff in which least six of his supporters were killed. Ne Muanda Nsemi, a member of parliament and leader of Bundu....

*reuters-af 04 Mar 2017*

<http://af.reuters.com/article/topNews/idAFKBN16B06U>

### **Arrestation du chef de la secte Bundu dia Kongo**

La Croix-Rouge congolaise et internationale a fini par avoir accès à la résidence de Muanda Nsemi à Joli Park pour évacuer les blessés en début d'après-midi, mardi 14 février.

*rfi-fr 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.rfi.fr/afrique/20170304-rdc-secte-bundu-dia-kongo-mwanda-nsemi-arrestation>

## **WEST AFRICA**

### **Burkina Faso**

### **Des Peuls du Mali, du Burkina, et du Niger se mobilisent pour lutter contre l'insécurité (Jeune Afrique)**

Des représentants d'associations peules du Mali, du Niger, et du Burkina Faso se sont réunis la semaine dernière à Dori, dans le nord du Burkina. Objectif de cette rencontre : mettre sur pied un réseau civil transfrontalier pour lutter contre l'insécurité grandissante dans leur région.

*abamako 03 Mar 2017*

<http://news.aBamako.com/h/154424.html>

### **Extremists kill 2 in Burkina Faso as schools targeted**

Jihadists on motorbikes killed two people including a school official early Friday in a village in Burkina Faso's north and then went to other villages demanding that schools close, a provincial official said. The attack in Kourfayl terrified teachers who gathered in the....

*WashingtonPost 03 Mar 2017*

[https://www.washingtonpost.com/world/africa/extremists-kill-2-in-burkina-faso-as-schools-targeted/2017/03/03/33ef08c8-001e-11e7-9b78-824ccab94435\\_story.html](https://www.washingtonpost.com/world/africa/extremists-kill-2-in-burkina-faso-as-schools-targeted/2017/03/03/33ef08c8-001e-11e7-9b78-824ccab94435_story.html)

### **Frontière Burkina Faso-Mali : Deux personnes tuées par des présumés jihadistes**

«Le directeur de l'école de Kourfayel et un habitant du village ont été tués ce (vendredi) matin (hier, Ndlr) par deux hommes armés qui sont repartis vers le Mali sur une moto», a déclaré à l'Afp le haut commissaire de la province du Soum, Mohamed Dah. Kourfayel est situé à sept km de Djibo, chef-lieu de la province du Soum.

*mali-web 04 Mar 2017*

<http://mali-web.org/nord-mali/frontiere-burkina-faso-mali-deux-personnes-tuees-par-de-presumes-jihadistes-see-more-at-htppwww-lesoleil-sn2016-03-22-23-44-41item62193-frontiere-burkina-faso-mali-deux-personnes-tuees-par>

### **Attaques terroristes au Burkina: Quatre ministres annoncés lundi dans le Soum (Nord)**

Une mission gouvernementale, conduite par le ministre en charge de la Sécurité intérieure Simon Compaoré, se rendra lundi dans la province du Soum, environ 200 Km au Nord de Ouagadougou, où des attaques terroristes ont occasionné, hier vendredi, deux morts dont un enseignant, a appris APA de source officielle.

*aouaga 04 Mar 2017*

<http://news.aOuaga.com/h/106749.html>

### **Mali**

#### **Three jihadi groups active in Mali announce merger**

Three jihadist groups operating in the Sahel region of Africa have merged to form one single organisation, Mauritania's private news agency ANI said Thursday, citing a video distributed by the Islamists. Among the groups joining the merger south of the Sahara are's Al Qaeda -linked Ansar Dine and....

*france24-en 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.france24.com/en/20170303-three-jihadi-groups-mali-announce-merger-al-qaeda>

#### **Jihadisme au Sahel : les trois principaux groupes annoncent leur fusion**

Le chef jihadiste malien Iyad Ag Ghaly a annoncé la fusion de son organisation avec deux autres, dont celle de l'Algérien Belmokhtar. Le nouveau mouvement, lié à Al-Qaïda, est baptisé "Groupe de soutien à l'islam et aux musulmans". Trois groupes jihadistes opérant dans le Sahel ont annoncé jeudi 2 mars leur fusion dans une vidéo.

*france24 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.france24.com/fr/20170303-sommet-jihadisme-sahel-trois-groupes-annoncent-fusion-islamistes-aqmi>

### **La menace d'un djihad global au Sahel**

« Un seul drapeau, un seul groupe, un seul espoir ». C'est le slogan utilisé dans une récente vidéo annonçant la création d'une union-alliance djihadiste qui pourrait menacer l'équilibre du secteur géographique compris entre quatre pays (Mali, Algérie, Niger, Mauritanie). .

*republicain-lorrain 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.republicain-lorrain.fr/france-monde/2017/03/04/la-menace-d-un-djihad-global-au-sahel>

### **Ag Ghali à la tête d'une nouvelle alliance terroriste au Sahel**

Quelques heures après la mise en place des institutions intérimaires dans le nord Mali, les groupes terroristes tentent de se réorganiser. Ansar Eddine (avec son groupuscule sous-traitant dit Front du Macina), El-Mourabitoune et Imarat Mantiqat Essahra reviennent sous la bannière mère : Aqmi.

*liberte-algerie 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.liberte-algerie.com/international/ag-ghali-a-la-tete-dune-nouvelle-alliance-terroriste-au-sahel-265474>

### **Niger**

#### **Niger declares emergency in areas flanking restive Mali**

Niger on Friday declared a state of emergency in several western areas flanking Mali after a spate of deadly attacks blamed on jihadists from its restive neighbour.

*enca 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.enca.com/africa/niger-declares-emergency-in-areas-flanking-restive-mali>

### **Outre Diffa, le gouvernement décrète l'état d'urgence dans deux autres régions**

Le président Issoufou Mahamadou du Niger a décidé vendredi, en conseil des ministres, de maintenir l'état d'urgence dans la région de Diffa et de le proclamer à Tillabéry à l'Ouest et à Tahoua, au Centre du pays, pour une durée de trois mois. En ce qui concerne la région de Diffa, indique le....

*journalducameroun 04 Mar 2017*

<http://journalducameroun.com/niger-outre-diffa-le-gouvernement-decrete-letat-durgence-dans-deux-autres-regions/>

### **La sécurité frontalière au centre d'une rencontre internationale à Niamey**

Les questions de sécurité aux frontières, la problématique des gestions des risques liés à cette question, la lutte contre les trafics de tous ordres sont des questions qui requièrent que nous mettions en commun notre intelligence à travers la réflexion, qui justifie la tenue d'un tel séminaire,

*maliactu 03 Mar 2017*

<http://maliactu.net/la-securite-frontaliere-au-centre-dune-rencontre-internationale-a-niamey/>

### **Nigeria**

#### **Trois kamikazes se tuent dans le nord-est du Nigeria**

Deux femmes et un homme qui voulaient commettre un attentat-suicide ont été tués vendredi aux abords de la ville de Maiduguri, dans le nord-est du Nigeria, par la détonation des explosifs portés par l'un d'eux, ont rapporté les services d'urgence et la police.

*libe 03 Mar 2017*

[http://www.libe.ma/Trois-kamikazes-se-tuent-dans-le-nord-est-du-Nigeria\\_a84020.html](http://www.libe.ma/Trois-kamikazes-se-tuent-dans-le-nord-est-du-Nigeria_a84020.html)

### **Suicide bombers destroy 3 fuel tankers in northeast Nigeria**

Three suicide bombers set ablaze three fuel tankers in the center of Nigeria's northeastern city of Maiduguri before dawn Friday, officials said, just days before a planned visit by the U.N. Security Council. Soldiers fired at one of the bombers, a teenage girl, to avert what....

*WashingtonPost 03 Mar 2017*

[https://www.washingtonpost.com/world/africa/suicide-bombers-destroy-3-fuel-tankers-in-northeast-nigeria/2017/03/03/1d28e80e-ffef-11e6-9b78-824ccab94435\\_story.html](https://www.washingtonpost.com/world/africa/suicide-bombers-destroy-3-fuel-tankers-in-northeast-nigeria/2017/03/03/1d28e80e-ffef-11e6-9b78-824ccab94435_story.html)

## **NORTH AFRICA**

### **Egypt**

#### **Egyptian police kill four in shootout in Cairo outskirts**

Egypt's interior ministry said on Friday its forces killed four people it said were fugitive terrorists plotting to carry out hostile operations. The men were killed after opening fire on security forces who approached them in Giza, on the southwestern edge of the Egyptian capital....

*reuters-af 03 Mar 2017*

<http://af.reuters.com/article/worldNews/idAFKBN16A2FT>

### **Libya**

#### **Libyan militias seize control of major oil terminals**

Libyan military officials say that rival militias have taken control over Libyan oil terminals after clashes with armed forces based in the east and commanded by army chief Gen. Khalifa Hifter. Faisal al-Zwei, the spokesman for the 101 Brigade, based at the so-called oil....

*nzherald 03 Mar 2017*

[http://www.nzherald.co.nz/world/news/article.cfm?c\\_id=2&objectid=11811924&ref=rss](http://www.nzherald.co.nz/world/news/article.cfm?c_id=2&objectid=11811924&ref=rss)

## **INTERNATIONAL**

### **America**

#### **US**

#### **Man aimed to fight with extremists, prosecutor says**

The 26-year-old U.S. citizen was being held without bail after appearing in a Brooklyn federal court Saturday. He's charged with attempting to provide material support to a foreign terrorist organization. "We will be working with his family in the hope that the court and the government will see....

*messenger-inquirer 7:14:00 AM CET*

[http://www.messenger-inquirer.com/news/national/man-aimed-to-fight-with-extremists-prosecutor-says/article\\_157620a0-b789-5a68-9ee8-05ed4c1190da.html](http://www.messenger-inquirer.com/news/national/man-aimed-to-fight-with-extremists-prosecutor-says/article_157620a0-b789-5a68-9ee8-05ed4c1190da.html)

### **Asia**

#### **Iraq**

#### **Chemical attacks in Mosul would be a war crime, United Nations warns**

The alleged use of chemical weapons in Mosul, if confirmed, would be a war crime and a serious violation of international humanitarian law, the United Nations has warned. "There is never justification, none whatsoever, for the use of chemical weapons.

*independent-ie 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.independent.ie/world-news/chemical-attacks-in-mosul-would-be-a-war-crime-united-nations-warns-35502400.html>

#### **Displacement, Detention of Suspected “ISIS Families”**

Under the laws of war, parties to a conflict may only attack military objectives. The intentional or wanton destruction of civilian property is unlawful unless the property is

being used for a military purpose. Destroying property merely to punish the population is always prohibited.

*HumanRightsWatch 7:09:00 AM CET*

<https://www.hrw.org/news/2017/03/05/iraq-displacement-detention-suspected-isis-families>

### **Australian fighter jets bomb an ISIS bomb-making factory**

The moment Australian fighter jets bomb an Islamic State bomb-making factory in Iraq and reduce it to rubble Footage emerged of Australia fighter jets destroying Islamic State bomb factory; Two F/A-18s fired five bombs that wiped out the converted chicken farm; RAAF has seven Hornets stationed near....

*dailymail 6:58:00 AM CET*

[http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-4282846/Australian-fighter-jets-bomb-ISIS-bomb-making-factory.html?ITO=1490&nbs\\_mchannel=rss&nscampaign=1490](http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-4282846/Australian-fighter-jets-bomb-ISIS-bomb-making-factory.html?ITO=1490&nbs_mchannel=rss&nscampaign=1490)

### **Jordan**

#### **Jordan says executes 15, with 10 for terrorism convictions**

Jordan executed 15 people on Saturday, including 10 convicted on terrorism charges ranging from an attack a decade ago on Western tourists to the slaying of a writer in the largest mass execution in the country's recent history. Government spokesman Mohammad al Momani told state media those....

*ynetnews 7:01:00 AM CET*

<http://www.ynetnews.com/articles/0.7340,L-4930693.00.html>

### **Philippine**

#### **Philippine troops recover remains of beheaded German hostage**

Philippine soldiers have found the remains of an elderly German national who was beheaded by Islamic State-linked Abu Sayyaf militants last week, a military official said. Both the head and body of Jurgen Kantner were recovered while the troops were conducting combat, search and retrieval operations....

*timesofmalta 7:25:00 AM CET*

<http://www.timesofmalta.com/articles/view/20170305/world/philippine-troops-recover-remains-of-beheaded-german-hostage.641429>

### **Syria**

#### **Syrian army takes more villages from militants in northwest Syria**

The Syrian army has expanded its control over former Islamic State-held villages in northwest Syria, gaining more territory as it pushes back the jihadists from more pockets in Aleppo province, state media said on Saturday. The army has made steady progress in recent weeks in eastern Aleppo....

*reuters 04 Mar 2017*

[http://www.reuters.com/article/us-mideast-crisis-syria-militants-idUSKBN16B0NZ?feedType=RSS&feedName=topNews&utm\\_source=feedburner&utm\\_medium=feed&utm\\_campaign=Feed%3A+reuters%2FtopNews%28News%2F+US%2F+Top+News%29](http://www.reuters.com/article/us-mideast-crisis-syria-militants-idUSKBN16B0NZ?feedType=RSS&feedName=topNews&utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+reuters%2FtopNews%28News%2F+US%2F+Top+News%29)

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*ynetnews 7:01:00 AM CET*

<http://www.ynetnews.com/articles/0.7340,L-4930694.00.html>

## Turkey

### **Fighter jet from Syria crashes in southern Turkey**

A fighter jet late Saturday crashed in the southernmost Turkish province of Hatay, Anadolu reported. Local authorities say it is a fighter jet from Syria, and a Syrian opposition group has separately claimed it shot down a regime aircraft. Hatay Governor Erdal Ata said he had received reports of a....

*trendnews-az 7:15:00 AM CET*

<http://en.trend.az/world/turkey/2728371.html>

## Yemen

### **More than 30 airstrikes in Yemen since Thursday**

As part of a sustained assault on the extremist group known as al-Qaida in the Arabian Peninsula, U.S. warplanes have launched more than 30 airstrikes in Yemen the past two days, a Pentagon spokesman said Friday. Navy Capt. Jeff Davis told reporters that U.S.

*AP 03 Mar 2017*

[http://hosted2.ap.org/APDEFAULT/3d281c11a96b4ad082fe88aa0db04305/Article\\_2017-03-03-US--United%20States-Yemen-id-913acbcbae4e0898a85ac0b565cdca](http://hosted2.ap.org/APDEFAULT/3d281c11a96b4ad082fe88aa0db04305/Article_2017-03-03-US--United%20States-Yemen-id-913acbcbae4e0898a85ac0b565cdca)

### **Houthi militias defeated in Taiz**

The Yemeni army said Awadh Al-Barak, a Houthi militia commander has surrendered to the army after fierce battles in Taiz, central Yemen. A military source of Taiz said elements from the national army made considerable advances resulting in the liberation of a number of locations....

*bna-en 7:27:00 AM CET*

<http://www.bna.bh/portal/en/news/773735>

### **Les États-Unis lancent une série de frappes contre Al-Qaïda**

Les États-Unis ont procédé hier matin à une série de frappes au Yémen contre Al-Qaïda dans la péninsule arabique (Aqpa), signe du renforcement des efforts américains contre le groupe extrémiste. Les bombardements par drones et par avions, inhabituels par leur intensité, se sont concentrés sur les....

*ladepeche-pf 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.ladepeche.pf/etats-unis-lancent-serie-de-frappes-contre-al-qaida/>

## Europe

### France

### **Lutte contre la radicalisation : ce que font les autres pays...**

La France n'est pas la seule à avoir mis en place des programmes de déradicalisation. Revue de détail de ce qui marche (ou pas) à l'étranger.

*03 Mar 2017*

[http://www.lepoint.fr/societe/lutte-contre-la-radicalisation-ce-que-font-les-autres-pays-03-03-2017-2109004\\_23.php#xtor=RSS-221](http://www.lepoint.fr/societe/lutte-contre-la-radicalisation-ce-que-font-les-autres-pays-03-03-2017-2109004_23.php#xtor=RSS-221)

### **Pour l'écrivain Sansal, l'art peut faire plus contre le jihadisme**

L'écrivain algérien Boualem Sansal, auteur de "2084", un roman remarqué où il met l'islamisme au pouvoir, regrette que les artistes ne jouent pas un rôle plus important pour contrer la menace jihadiste. Aujourd'hui, "la littérature et les arts ne comptent pas beaucoup dans cette lutte contre la barbarie", déclare à l'AFP le romancier.

*leparisien 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.leparisien.fr/flash-actualite-culture/pour-l-ecrivain-sans-l-art-peut-faire-plus-contre-le-jihadisme-03-03-2017-6730008.php#xtor=RSS-1481423633>

## **Germany**

### **Berlin truck attack prompts accord between Germany, Tunisia**

The agreement comes in the wake of the fatal attack in Berlin carried out by a Tunisian who drove a truck into a Christmas market, killing 12 and injuring dozens of others. Anis Amri's asylum request was rejected, but Germany has said Tunisian bureaucratic delays meant he hadn't yet been expelled.

*startribune 03 Mar 2017*

<http://www.startribune.com/berlin-truck-attack-prompts-accord-between-germany-tunisia/415328014/>

## **UK**

### **Terrorist who attempted to join jihadists blames Brexit**

A convicted terrorist who left his wife and young family to fight in the Philippines has blamed Brexit for his behaviour. Ryan Counsell, 28, said he wished to escape the UK political climate and seek an “idyllic life” under sharia law.

*msn-uk 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.msn.com/en-gb/news/uknews/convicted-terrorist-who-attempted-to-leave-uk-to-join-jihadists-blames-brexit/ar-AAnMuhN>

## **International Organisations**

### **Extremism is rising, Africa needs a counter strategy**

Certainly, the 21st century is unfolding as an age of extremism. IGAD’s regional framework mainly targets al-Shabaab militant group in Somalia that typifies the regional and global networks of violent extremists. IGAD’s counter-extremism architecture is up against the headwinds of rising global extremism exemplified by Trump’s populist policies.

*nation-ke 04 Mar 2017*

<http://www.nation.co.ke/oped/Opinion/Extremism-rising-Africa-counter-strategy/440808-3836982-10debacz/index.html>

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