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## Our weekly rundown

### Political News:

["UPDATE: 2020 Presidential election results"](#): This presidential election was neck and neck Tuesday night. At Current Affairs Times we are keeping our readers up to date with the latest polling numbers. STAY TUNED! We will be publishing more on vote counts in PA & MI later!

["Why the New Trump Agenda never mentions reuniting hundreds of detained immigrant children"](#):

Stephen Miller spells out four key points on the upcoming immigration policy, such as

- reducing the number of asylum grants.
- doling out punitive measures to sanctuary cities.
- reinforcing the administration's "travel ban" by installing more hurdles for visa applicants.
- increasing work visa limitations.

["Is Trump's new executive order a disaster-in-waiting for civil servants?"](#): The federal workforce now faces a blow from Donald Trump in the form of an [executive order](#) (EO) issued last week. This EO allows the government to fire civil servants on political grounds.

["From sea to shining sea, U.S. anti-government groups may stir up a hurricane after this election"](#): From sea to shining sea, alt-right U.S. anti-government groups may yet stir a hurricane after this election. Why? It depends on whether or not their candidate, Donald J. Trump, is re-elected as president.

["What's happened since the Wallace shooting and curfews in Philadelphia?"](#): Philadelphia police shot a 27-year-old African American man named Walter Wallace, Jr. His death sparked protests and looting from Philadelphia to New York City. Referring to a video of the incident, Philadelphia Police Commissioner Danielle Outlaw said, "...it raises many questions...while at the scene this evening, I heard and felt the anger of the community."

["OPINION: This election ain't over until the Fat Lady sings—I'm still clearing my throat"](#): Our Denise Korn tells us how it is and expresses her feelings about this intense time. "This piece was supposed to be 'humorous.' But, honestly, I just can't dredge up the humor in any of this...If the president had taken decisive action on the coronavirus back in January, we all could have voted in person. We could be flying to Grandma's house for Thanksgiving. Now, we can't."

["BREAKING: Police shooting victim families gather at a rally to encourage people to vote—will this help the Democrats?"](#): Last week, the families of victims killed in police brutality cases banded together for a voting rally in

Chicago. The families of Breonna Taylor, George Floyd, Alvin Cole, and Jacob Blake encouraged residents to vote.

["BREAKING: Police shooting victim families gather at a rally to encourage people to vote—will this help the Democrats?"](#) Families of victims killed in police brutality banded together for a voting rally in Chicago. The families of Breonna Taylor, George Floyd, Alvin Cole, and Jacob Blake encouraged residents to vote. George Floyd's family urged people to vote like their lives depend on it.

["EXPOSE: Rampant religious discrimination in Corporate America — are companies like Indeed violating American workers' constitutional rights?"](#): EXPOSÉ: Indeed brags about encouraging equality and protecting its employees. But are companies like Indeed violating the constitutional rights of American workers?

["With a series of securities investigations facing General Electric, what is the future of the company?"](#): General Electric (GE) confirmed receiving a Wells Notice from the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC). The SEC wants to know how GE accounts for the run-off of its insurance businesses within its Capital unit. What is the future of General Electric?

["UPDATE: A second beheading in France—why are these attacks happening?"](#): A Tunisian man beheaded a woman and murdered two others Thursday morning in France. Just two weeks ago, an 18-year-old

Chechen refugee beheaded a Parisian middle-school teacher. As France sees a second beheading and murders in a Nice church, why are these attacks happening?

["NBA plans for December 22 start of 2020-2021 season"](#): With COVID-19, the NBA is questioning its restart. After a five-month layoff, the NBA has plans for a December 22 start of the 2020-2021 season.

["Diversity lacks on the sidelines and in NBA Front Offices"](#) In 2010, 82 percent of Black players were at the forefront of the NBA. A decade later and that 82 percent figure remains the same. So why is diversity still on the sidelines in NBA Front Offices?

#### Our news for you:

##### **Lexa Krug has been promoted to Lead Editor**

Lexa Krug has been promoted to Lead Editor. Internationally educated with a background in media relations and politics, Lexa is an excellent writer and editor who will and has efficiently and tactfully contributed to the overall status of The Current Affairs Times.

**Erin Mayer has been promoted to Director of Communications**

Erin Mayer, a policy analyst and political activist, brings to the table years of reporting and marketing work to the table as our new Director of Communications. We are excited to have her with us and leading the communications department.

**Varun Sharma has filled the role as our new Technical Advisor**  
Varun Sharma has provided impressive technical expertise while coordinating Technicians' activities and is detail-oriented. Our team wholeheartedly thanks Varun Sharma for Technology and SEO assistance.

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