

Radical Islamist Movements

→ **Identified as hostile war and terrorist front.**

Radical Islamist movements constitute an ideological, extremist, war or terrorist front when organizations employ terrorism, political violence, coercion, or other forms of organized violence in pursuit of ideological objectives. This distinction concerns violent extremist movements and organizations, not Muslims or Islam generally.

Rubio Discusses Grave Threat

Secretary of State Marco Rubio has described radical Islam as posing a “grave threat” to the United States and the world.

Source: WION, “*Radical Islam poses a grave threat to the US and the entire world*”: Marco Rubio <https://www.wionews.com/world/-radical-islam-poses-a-grave-threat-to-the-us-and-the-entire-world-marco-rubio-1764786437365>

Instrumentalized Migration as a Weapon of War

Instrumentalized migration can be used as a weapon of war. Even when the claim is that an action does not constitute war, deliberate use of migration by a state or organized actor to coerce, destabilize, pressure, or influence another population or state meets characteristics associated with modern forms of war. Depending upon the specific conduct, intent, scale, and circumstances, it may involve coercion, political warfare, population manipulation, persecution, or other serious violations. Whether particular conduct legally constitutes warfare, ethnic cleansing, forced population transfer, or a crime against humanity depends upon the evidence and applicable legal definitions.

The related categories and concepts include: Eugenics • Race War • Cultural Replacement • Instrumentalized Migration • Weaponized Migration • Coercive Engineered Migration • Ethnocide • Cold War • Fourth Generation Warfare • Hybrid Warfare • Gray Zone Conflict • Political Warfare • Irregular Warfare • Demographic Engineering • Forced Population Transfer • Ethnic Cleansing • Persecution • Cultural Destruction • Cultural Erasure • Assimilation Policies • Population Warfare • Demographic Warfare • Information Warfare • Psychological Warfare • Psychological Operations • Proxy Warfare • Subversion • Destabilization Operations