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Managua, 8 May 2023

ETERNAL VICTORY
Y NEVER TO REPEAT !

Brother President
of the Russian Federation
Compañero Vladimir Putin
His Office

On the 78th anniversary of the Great Victory of the Soviet Union and the Peoples against Hitlerian fascism that today the Enemies of Liberty and the Common Good intend to revive, we salute you on behalf of the Heroic People of Darío, Zeledón, Zelaya, Sandino, Carlos, the FSLN, and so many Nicaraguan Patriots and Heroes.

We celebrate this Anniversary in full and lucid fight against the Adversaries of Life and of the Human Family, and we join the Brilliant and Luminous Memory of all the fallen and redeemed, in the Great Patriotic War, thinking like Martí, that Patria is Humanity .

These are crucial moments of Hope and firm Determination, of Conviction and Undeclared Strengths, those of us who live in today's World, with the Sacred Flames and the Force of Common Sense that demands from all of us Peace, Respect, Rights, Goodwill, Fullness!

Congratulations Comrade President Vladimir Putin, Soviet Families, Russian Families, Families of the Fraternal and Solidarity World, for all the Victories, and for those that will surely come!

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Daniel Ortega Saavedra

Rosario Murillo

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[Presidente Daniel Ortega y Vicepresidenta Rosario saludan al pueblo ruso por el Día de la Victoria \(el19digital.com\)](http://el19digital.com)



Academic Forum commemorates the 78th Anniversary of the Victory over Fascism

In order to provide a space for academic reflection and to commemorate the 78th anniversary of the Great Victory of the Soviet Union and of the peoples against fascism, the Miguel d'Escoto Brockmann House of Sovereignty held a virtual forum on the 9th of May 1945: Victory over Nazi-fascism, exemplary struggle for the sovereignty and self-determination of the peoples.

The meeting was lead by Dr. Luis Alfredo Lobato Blanco, Vice Rector General of the UNAN-Managua; Dr. Mikhail Gorbachev, political scientist and professor of the M.V. Lomonosov Moscow State University, and Master Ruth Gonzalez, professor of the Faculty of Humanities and Legal Sciences, all of whom analyzed the factors that influenced the geopolitical context of the Second World War.

In his speech, Dr. Luis Alfredo Lobato Blanco stressed the importance of encouraging permanent reflection of the new generations. "The history of the war against fascism is, above all, the history of the peoples who achieved complete victory over imperialist domination in a struggle for freedom. After World War II, several countries in Europe and Asia erupted in people's democratic revolutions, which quickly transformed into socialist revolutions," he added.

For the historian, the neo-fascism attempts against the values of sovereignty and self-determination of the peoples, therefore, the University has as a challenge to promote studies on the historical memory of these events from the different academic disciplines.

Likewise, Dr. Mikhail Gorbachev pointed out that the Russian Federation commemorates this event that left an imprint on a generation marked by war. "Every Russian family has photographs that remind them of these events. Likewise, the cinema has tried to faithfully recreate the history experienced during the liberation [struggle]," he said.

For her part, Master Ruth González analyzed, among other aspects, the ideological manipulation of Nazism through the press, the exacerbated expression of fascism through anti-Semitism, the inequalities and discrimination against Jews, the social segmentation resulting from the economic crisis of the time and the struggle for survival.

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE:

[Commemoran en foro académico los 78 años de la victoria soviética sobre el fascismo \(unan.edu.ni\)](http://unan.edu.ni)



National Assembly approves the creation of the new Nicaraguan Red Cross

The National Assembly unanimously ratified the repeal of Decree 357, through which the Nicaraguan Red Cross Association was created in 1958 and at the same time approved as its legal successor a new Nicaraguan Red Cross which will operate as an entity attached to the Ministry of Health.

According to the explanatory memorandum presented by the legislators, the Nicaraguan Red Cross Association, as a non-profit organization, violated the laws of the country, having acted contrary to its regulatory framework of impartiality and neutrality in the events of 2018 that resulted in a failed Coup d'état.

"The Nicaraguan Red Cross Association is governed by the fundamental principles of the international Red Cross and Red Crescent movement, among which are included; humanity, Impartiality, Neutrality. In the acts occurred in 2018 that attempted against the peace and stability of the nation, some branches of this association acted against these principles and its constitutive act and statutes, and the association itself transgressed the laws of the country by disregarding and even supporting these actions of its affiliates", says the statement of motives presented to the parliament.

It is also noted that the Directorate of Registration and Control of Non-Profit Organizations of the Ministry of the Interior, submitted a report which shows that the association called Nicaraguan Red Cross failed to comply with its duties and obligations established in the general law of Regulation and Control of Non-Profit Organizations, by not submitting financial statements, lack of verification of the identity of its donors and outdated information in the registry of the Ministry of the Interior.

New Red Cross promotes community family model
The explanatory memorandum emphasizes that since 2007, the year in which the Government of Reconciliation and National Unity took office, a family and community health model (Mosafc) has been promoted in Nicaragua, which guarantees an integral approach based on the protagonism of families, ensuring health from the beginning of life, childhood, adolescence and adulthood. It also states that the Ministry of Health has the competencies and regulations, technical and institutional capacities to take charge of a new Nicaraguan Red Cross.

Article 1 of this initiative establishes the repeal of the Nicaraguan Red Cross Association created in 1958, while Article 2 speaks of the creation and nature of the [new] Nicaraguan Red Cross.

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE:

[Asamblea Nacional aprueba creaci3n de una nueva Cruz Roja Nicaragüense \(el19digital.com\)](http://Asamblea Nacional aprueba creaci3n de una nueva Cruz Roja Nicaragüense (el19digital.com))



Nicaragua has invested 600 million córdobas in digital health and telemedicine

With the accession of the Nicaraguan people to Government from 2007 to date, more than 600 million córdobas have been invested in telemedicine, which has allowed for progress in the following areas:

- Every month we schedule 120,000 medical appointments through electronic messaging, in 25 hospitals in the country.
- We electronically register 100,000 emergency appointments per month in 8 hospitals in the country.
- We have 6 National Reference Hospitals with technology to send and receive images of patients for specialized medical inter-consultations among the Ministry of Health's hospital network.
- Every month we carry out 600 virtual sessions of surgery transmissions, trainings, congresses, symposiums, forums and work sessions in the 19 SILAIS of the country.
- We perform through digital media more than 20,000 annual inter-consultations with specialists.
- We have a digital registry of 6.2 million Nicaraguans vaccinated against COVID-19.
- We have created applications for the electronic registration of patients attended in health centers, hospitals, specialized centers, laboratories, vaccination centers, community network, surveillance and regulation for health.
- Online procedures are guaranteed for the registration and issuance of health licenses for drugs, medical devices, establishments and foodstuffs, in addition to the registration and licensing of health professionals.
- We provided computer equipment and broadband connection to 312 Health Units in the 19 SILAIS of the country. In 2007, only 34 Health Units had some kind of Internet access.
- We delivered tablets to more than 2,000 workers of the family and community health teams, to guarantee the registration of health actions at the community level.
- We equipped more than 3,000 members of the Community Network with cell phones to facilitate the coordination of Emergencies and Health Surveillance Actions from the Community.

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE:

[Nicaragua ha invertido 600 millones de córdobas en salud digital y telemedicina \(el19digital.com\)](http://el19digital.com)



Armies strengthen measures to confront regional threats

The directors of intelligence and operations of friendly armies, members of the FAM-CFAC, described as successful the progress and strengthening of measures to face common regional threats and border security, as well as operational actions and the protection of the land, air and maritime border areas of each member country of this organization.

The military reaffirmed that, under the principles of integration, trust and cooperation, they will continue to concentrate their efforts on fulfilling the missions entrusted to them, acting in strict compliance with national legislation to guarantee security, stability, tranquility and peace in Central America and the Dominican Republic.

During the meeting, the directors of intelligence and operations of the armies of Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua and the Dominican Republic, pointed out the fulfillment of the thematic agenda prioritized by the CFAC Superior Council.

In this sense, the results obtained through operational actions during the period January - April 2023 were analyzed, as well as the exchange of information between the FAM-CFAC, which contributes to success in the confrontation of international drug trafficking, organized crime, illegal, irregular and/or undocumented migration; and other related crimes, assuming under the consensus model to give continuity and achieve greater levels of strengthened security of the state borders of each country.

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Ordinary meeting of CFAC Intelligence and Operations Directors and Liaison Officers In compliance with the orders of the Commander in Chief of the Nicaraguan Army General Julio César Avilés Castillo, in order to advance in the strengthening of friendly relations and cooperation with friendly armed forces and armies, and in accordance with the general schedule of activities - 2023, from May 8 to 12, 2023, the Nicaraguan Army participated in the Ordinary Meeting of Directors and Intelligence and Operations Liaison Officers of the CFAC, held in the Republic of Guatemala.

FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE:

[Ejércitos fortalecen medidas para enfrentar amenazas regionales - Radio La Primerísima](#)

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