Taliban victory? Despite collapse in Kabul, withdrawal was the right course in Afghanistan

The printable version is no longer supported and may have rendering errors. Please update your browser bookmarks and please use the default browser print function instead.

This is an opinion item.

Author(s) Daniel DePetris

Source USA Today

Date August 15, 2021

URL https://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2021/08/15/taliban-verge-victory-still-withdrawal-afghanistan-right/8112181002/

Ouote

66 Bluntly put: the U.S. has failed abysmally in creating an Afghan state from the bottom up. As John Sopko, the U.S. Special Inspector General in Afghanistan said last month, U.S. officials in multiple administrations have carried "this hubris that we can somehow take a country that was desolate in 2001 and turn it into little Norway."

,,

Add or change this opinion item's references

This item argues for the position Withdrawal was justified on the topic Withdrawal of United States troops from Afghanistan (2020–2021).

Retrieved from

"https://discoursedb.org/w/index.php?title=Taliban_victory%3F_Despite_collapse_in_Kabul,_withdrawal_was_the_right_course_in_Afghanistan&oldid=33060"

This page was last edited on September 7, 2021, at 14:38.

All text is available under the terms of the GNU Free Documentation License.