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#### Interpretation – Removing sanctions is a form of appeasement

Stern 6 (Martin, University of Maryland Graduate, Debunking detente, 11/27/06, http://www.diamondbackonline.com/article\_56223e79-7009-56a3-8afe-5d08bfff6e08.html)

#### Engagement and appeasement are distinct

Resnick 1 (Evan, Assistant Professor and coordinator of the United States Programme at RSIS, “Defining Engagement,” Journal of International Affairs, 0022197X, Spring2001, Vol. 54, Issue 2, <http://web.ebscohost.com.turing.library.northwestern.edu/ehost/detail?sid=1b56e6b4-ade2-4052-9114-7d107fdbd019%40sessionmgr12&vid=2&hid=24&bdata=JnNpdGU9ZWhvc3QtbGl2ZQ%3d%3d#db=mth&AN=4437301>)

#### Interpretation - Increase is to make larger

American Heritage Dictionary 1(American Heritage Dictionary www.answers.com/topic/increase ,2/1/2001 , DA 6/20/11, OST)

To become greater or larger. To multiply; reproduce.

### 1NC Cuba

**Paramilitary human rights abuses account for the number one violence against women in Cuba**

**Peterson, 12**

(Sabina, Special Contributer, 3/26/12, The Human Rights Brief, “Attacks on Women Human Rights Defenders in Cuba,” <http://hrbrief.org/2012/03/attacks-on-women-human-rights-defenders-in-cuba/>, Accessed: 9/11/13, LPS.)

On Friday, March 23, 2012, during the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights’ (IACHR) 144th session, three Cuban women served as petitioners, opposing a silent bench with empty chairs

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Cuba are women who have been fighting for their rights.

#### The affs Gendered structured view of international relations and politics culminate in environmental destruction, nuclear war, and extinction

Tickner 1992

(J. Ann Tickner, Professor of International Relations at USC. Gender in International Relations: Feminist Perspectives on Achieving Global Security. 1992, <http://www.ciaonet.org/book/tickner/>)

In the modern West, women's activities have typically been associated with a devalued world of reproduction and maintenance

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They will be valued in the public realm only when men participate equally in the private realm in tasks associated with maintenance and responsibility for child rearing. If we are to move toward a more secure future, what we value in the public

### 1NC-Human Rights

(Tom Kutsch, Digital News Producer, <http://america.aljazeera.com/articles/2013/10/18/in-pursuing-iraniansuccessabroadobamariskstrippingupathome.html>, Aljazeera America, 10/18/13, “In pursuing Iran success abroad, Obama risks tripping up at home”) \*Ableism Modified

In the current congressional session, there are several additional sanctions bills against Iran under consideration,

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10 senators published a bipartisan letter calling for a harder line on sanctions.

Associated Press, 10/2

(Associated Press, 10/2/13, CBS, “Despite thaw, Congress moves new Iran sanctions along,” <http://www.cbsnews.com/8301-250_162-57605692/despite-thaw-congress-moves-new-iran-sanctions-along/>, Accessed: 10/2/13, LPS.)

WASHINGTON A war-weary Congress generally backs President Barack Obama's outreach to Iran

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 Then during his re-election campaign, Obama was called weak on Iran.

Feinberg, former Senior Director for Inter-American Affairs at the National Security Council, 11

[Richard E., November 2011, “The International Financial Institutions and Cuba: Relations with Non-Member States,” Cuba in Transition, Volume: 22, p. 44, <http://www.ascecuba.org/publications/proceedings/volume22/pdfs/feinberg.pdf>, date accessed 6/27/13, YGS]

What, then, accounts for the anomaly of the empty¶ Cuban seat at these international organizations?

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U.S. debates on Cuba policy, there is no¶ equally insistent counter-lobby to balance the hardline pro-sanctions faction.

Associated Press, 10/2

(Associated Press, 10/2/13, CBS, “Despite thaw, Congress moves new Iran sanctions along,” <http://www.cbsnews.com/8301-250_162-57605692/despite-thaw-congress-moves-new-iran-sanctions-along/>, Accessed: 10/2/13, LPS.)

"We should judge Iranian leaders by their actions, not their words,"

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or getting Rouhani on the phone and said the U.S. must increase economic pressure "until Iran stops its nuclear drive."

**Petro -74** (Sylvester Petro, professor of law, Wake Forest University, Spring 1974, TOLEDO LAW REVIEW, p. 480.)

However, one may still insist, echoing Ernest Hemingway –

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very invasion of freedom must be emphatically identified and resisted with undying spirit.

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Cavetano, and Esguerra, Ph.D History Professor at The University of Texas at Austin, 9

(Marcos, an historian and a professor in the School of Public Health at the Universidad Peruana Cayetano Heredia in Lima, Perú. and Jorge Cañizares, s the Alice Drysdale Sheffield Professor of History at the University of Texas at Austin, 2009, History of Science Society, “Latin America,” <http://www.hssonline.org/publications/NonWesternPub/Latin_America.html>, Accessed: 7/3/13, LPS.)

As the first colonial outpost of the early-modern European world, Latin America has long witnessed complex processes of cultural cross-pollination, suppression, and adaptation.

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. Latin America has witnessed different periods of Western scientific dominance; Iberian, French, British, German and USA scientific traditions and institutions have left indelible marks.

Shohat, Professor of Cultural Studies at New York University and Stam, French University Professor at New York University, 97

(Ella, Professor of Cultural Studies at New York University, and has taught, lectured and written extensively on issues having to do with Eurocentrism and Orientalism, and Robert, Robert Stam is University Professor at New York University, where he teaches about the French New Wave filmmakers. Stam has published widely on French literature, comparative literature, and on film topics such as film history and film theory, 1997, Routledge, “Unthinking Eurocentrism,” <http://www.google.com/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=2&sqi=2&ved=0CDkQFjAB&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.csus.edu%2Findiv%2Fo%2Fobriene%2Fart112%2Freadings%2FUnthinkingEurocentrismIntroduction.rtf&ei=0v7VUcj6C8agigLbt4FI&usg=AFQjCNGzs72xcKKnpIfpEkBPsIhMONn0eQ&sig2=6WnFAZPF8pes3AW7uu-HLw&bvm=bv.48705608,d.cGE>, Accessed: 7/4/13, LPS.)

Eurocentrism first emerged as a discursive rationale for colonialism, the process by which the European powers reached positions of hegemony in much of the world.

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"holds a monopoly on beauty, intelligence, and strength."

Baker, Professor of Education and Human Development at the University of Rochester, 12

(Michael, Professor at the Warner Graduate School of Education and Human Development, October 31 - November 4, 2012, American Educational Studies Association, Annual Conference Seattle, Washington, “Decolonial Education: Meanings, Contexts, and Possibilities,” <http://academia.edu/3266939/Decolonial_Education_Meanings_Contexts_and_Possiblities>, Accessed: 7/7/13, LPS.)

¶ What do decoloniality and decolonial education mean

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 European Renaissance universities, for example, were soon transplanted across the Atlantic that had no relation to the languages and histories of the native peoples.

## 1NC Case

### Politics

#### There is evidence that Cuba is sponsoring multiple terrorist groups

Hudson, national security reporter, 13

[John, reporter on national security and foreign policy from the Pentagon to Foggy Bottom, the White House to Embassy Row, and for The Cable, 6-3-13, Foreign Policy, “Rubio: Cuba belongs on the ‘state sponsors of terrorism' list,” http://thecable.foreignpolicy.com/posts/2013/06/03/rubio\_cuba\_belongs\_on\_the\_state\_sponsor\_of\_terror\_list, accessed 6-24-13, PR] YGS

#### Due to separate sanctions, Cuba would not get access to more goods when removed from the SST

Carone, Executive Director of Cuba Democracy Advocates, 13

[Mauricio Claver, 4-2-13, The American, “Cuba Sees an Opening,” <http://www.american.com/archive/2013/april/cuba-should-remain-designated-as-a-state-sponsor-of-terrorism>, accessed 6-26-13, PR]

#### Turn- their counterterrorism and civil liberties impacts are much worse in a world of a successful terror strike.

Ignatieff 4 [Michael, former director of the Carr Center for Human Rights Policy at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard, former Professor in Human Rights Policy at the University of Toronto and a senior fellow of the university's Munk Centre for International Studies; “Could We Lose the War on Terror? Lesser Evils,” New York Times Magazine, 5/02]

### Ethics

#### Must weigh consequences – their moral tunnel vision is complicit with the evil they criticize

Isaac, Professor of Political Science at Indiana University 2

(Jeffrey C, Dissent Magazine, 49(2), “Ends, Means, and Politics”, Spring, Proquest)

#### Failing to prevent a horrible outcome is just as bad as causing it – the aff is moral evasion.

Nielsen, philosophy prof @ U of Calgary - 93

(Kai, Absolutism and Its Consequentialist Critics, ed. Joram Graf Haber, 1993, p. 170-2)

#### Unilateral concessions to Cuba embolden the regime, cause violent repression, and undermine Cuban democracy movements

[Gutierrez-Boronat](http://www.americasquarterly.org/node/187), Professor at Florida International University, 10 (Orlando, 9/15/13, Quarterly Americas, “Concessions to the Cubans would Embolden the Regime” <http://www.americasquarterly.org/node/1816>, accessed 6/29/13, KR)

#### Lifting the embargo boosts Castro’s power- the government controls the businesses that would be profiting

**Rubin, Resident Scholar at the American Enterprise Institute, 2012**

(Michael, 11/27/12, “The Mockery of Cuban Sanctions Exceptions,” Online: <http://www.commentarymagazine.com/2012/11/27/the-mockery-of-cuba-sanctions-exceptions/> FG)

### Epistemology

#### Terrorism studies don’t exclude state terror from their analysis.

Lutz, Professor at Indiana University, 10

(James M., December 2010, “A Critical View of Critical Terrorism Studies,” Perspectives on Terrorism, volume: 4, p. 31-40, CPO)

#### Their deconstructivist strategy only serves to reify status quo discourse—it rebuilds rather than dissipates the narrative

Edelmann, PhD candidate in Political Science and International Relations, 11

[Florian, December, Forum Regensburger Politikwissenschaftler, “The Dialectic of Construction-Deconstruction II:

A Critical Assessment of the Research Agenda of Critical Terrorism Studies (CTS) Approaches”, <http://www.regensburger-politikwissenschaftler.de/frp_working_paper_12_2011.pdf>, accessed 6/29/13, VJ]

####  CTS precludes effective policy action

Jones, Professor at University of Glasgow, and Smith, Professor at University of London, 09

[David Martin, M.L.R., Studies in Conflict & Terrorism, “We’re All Terrorists Now: Critical—or

Hypocritical—Studies “on” Terrorism?”,Volume 34, Issue 4, Page 295-296, accessed 6/29/13, VJ]