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With over 1100 articles, fifteen books and twenty-plus years as a call-first consultant to Congressional and Executive Branches of the U.S. Government, private firms, think tanks and CNN's *The Situation Room*, Steve Blank is the go-to guy for Russian foreign policy matters. Energetic, enthusiastic and always on-top of Russian and U.S. security matters, Dr. Blank is now Senior Fellow at the American Foreign Policy Council in Washington, D.C., arriving after a twenty-plus year stint as Professor of National Security Studies at the Strategic Studies Institute of the U.S. Army War College in Carlisle, Pennsylvania. Earning his M.A. and Ph.D. in Russian History from the University of Chicago, Dr. Blank's expertise spans and incorporates the Russian, Soviet and post-Soviet periods (see his interview, *Putin in Play?*, by clicking on *Security Briefs* above). Accordingly, he speaks extensively on information warfare, energy politics and American, European and Asian security concerns.

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