OUTSIDE INFLUENCES IN THE GREEK CIVIL WARS

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PURPOSE

- In depth learning of the country where I was participating in a study abroad program.

- The Greek Civil Wars are not often discussed

- Discovering the impact outside countries had on Greece
PARTIES INVOLVED

- Greeks (Greek People’s Liberation Army/National Liberation Front/Communist Party of Greece and National Republican Greek League)

- The Allies (The United States of America, Soviet Union, and United Kingdom)

- Axis Powers (Germany and Italy)

- Others: Yugoslavia, Bulgaria, and Albania
METHODOLOGY

- Primary sources
  Observations of military aerial photographs taken during this period

- Secondary sources
  Physical and online books and journals
CHALLENGES

- Information is becoming declassified with time.

- Access to the aerial photographs were only available in person at the British School of Athens.
Influences of these outside countries impacted the civil wars.

The extent they played is still not fully understood today.

The impact of the wars can be felt almost seventy years later.