

A week in the life of the world
15 NOVEMBER 2024



Join the community
Twitter: @guardianweekly
facebook.com/guardianweekly
Instagram: @guardian_weekly

SPOT ILLUSTRATIONS:
MATT BLEASE

4

GLOBAL REPORT

Headlines from
the last seven days

United Kingdom 8

Science & Environment 9

The big story

United States How Trump won
over America - again 10



22

SPOTLIGHT

In-depth reporting and analysis

Azerbaijan

Prospects for Cop29 in a
country built on oil 22

🇵🇸 Palestinian territories

Weighing up the impact of the
US election outcome 24

Germany

A broken coalition presages
early elections 26

Science

What a voyage to unravel
plankton DNA reveals 30

Haiti

The hospital on the frontline of
a devastating gang war 32

China/North Korea

Kim's Ukraine manoeuvres
force a Beijing balancing act 33

34

FEATURES

Long reads, interviews & essays

**Why do adult children choose
to cut contact with parents?**

By Gaby Hinsliff 34

**How the remembrance poppy
was picked to signal patriotism**

By Samira Shackle 40

45

OPINION

▼ Jonathan Freedland

The second Trump term will be
even worse than the first 46

John Harris

Trump's win sends a message:
many people hate the left 48

Paul Taylor

German coalition collapse will
delight Trump's EU allies 49

“
*Eight years
ago, there were
at least a few
Trump-sceptic
Republicans
ready to defy
the president.
Not now*”



51

CULTURE

TV, film, music, theatre, art,
architecture & more

Arts and sport

When critics and match
reporters change sides 51

🎨 Visual arts

Might mixed with beauty in
the Mughal empire 56

Film

Gladiator II: a gobsmacking
reboot from Ridley Scott 56

Books

Jordan Peterson wrestles with
his faith 58

60

LIFESTYLE

Ask Annalisa

Confidence after deafness... 60

Kitchen aide

Making more of tahini 61

Recipe

Curry-spiced pies 61



On the cover

Donald Trump's US election victory is a
moment of profound concern for many.
In a special report, Guardian and Observer
correspondents look at what the outcome
tells us about the nature of the US today,
and the consequences of Trump's return
not just for America but for the world order.
Illustration: Guardian Design