

Economic Migration Tropes





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- MATTEO SALVINI



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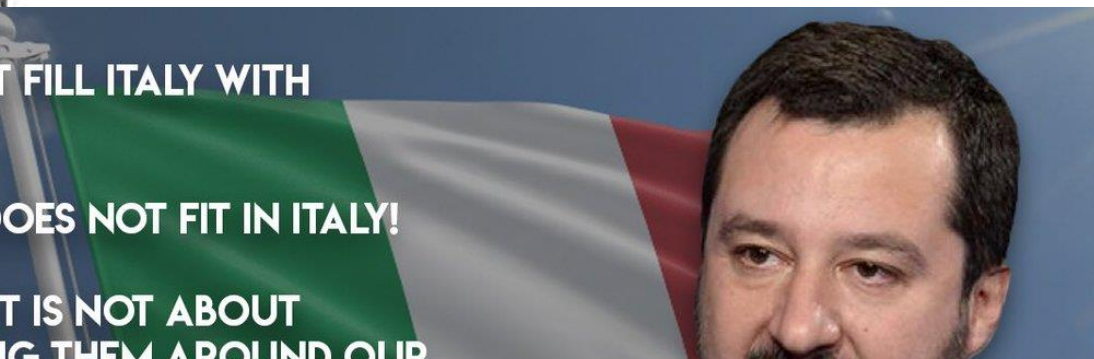
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BREAKING POINT

The EU has failed us all

We must break free of the EU and take

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Immigration was probably the
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— Tony Blair —

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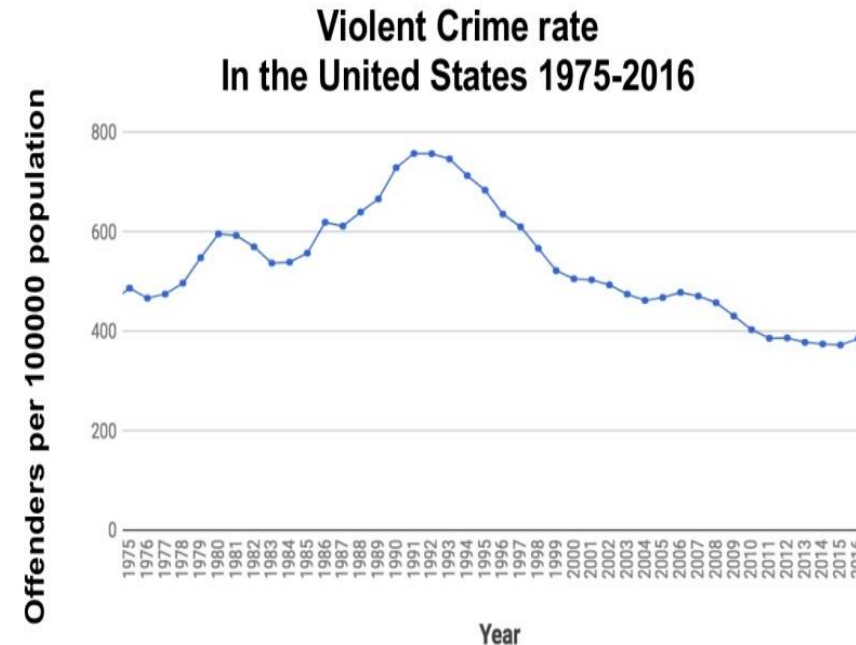
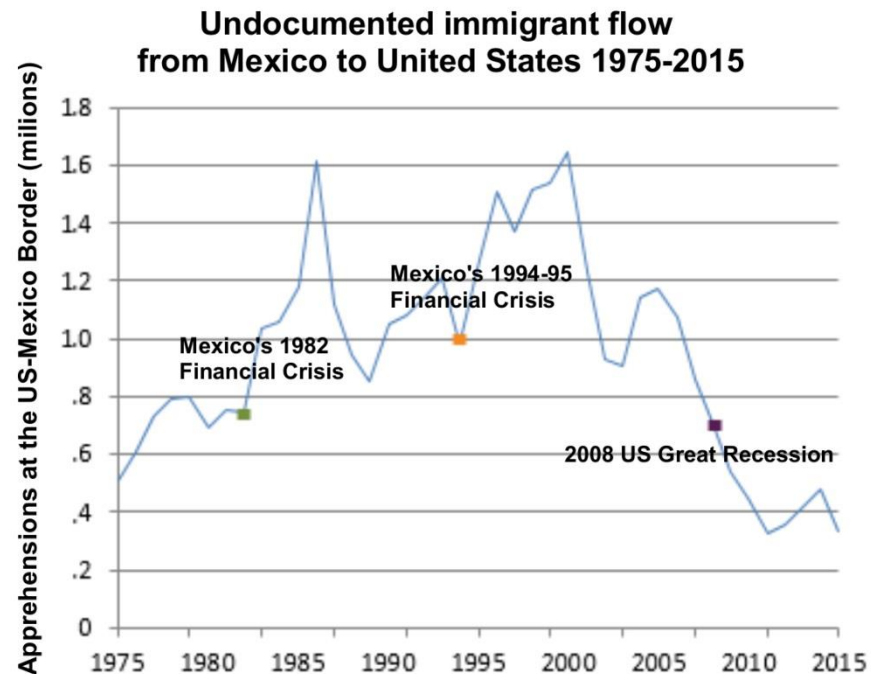
- The right (conservatives, reactionaries, neofascists etc.) perceives itself as the defender of something perfect and pure, often located in a mythological past, threatened by *pollutants* or *poisons*.
- These external causes can be a threat for the safety of the citizens, their culture or even their (supposed) race.
- In a few words: the racist path, in its slightly modernised, early XX century, version

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- An example: immigration and crime

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Sources: FBI and Department of Homeland Security

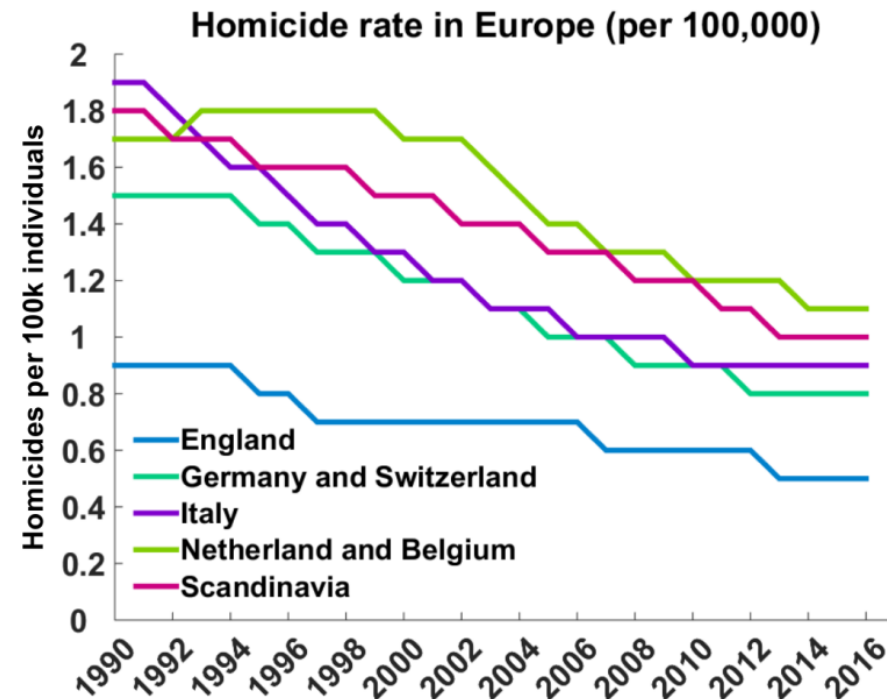
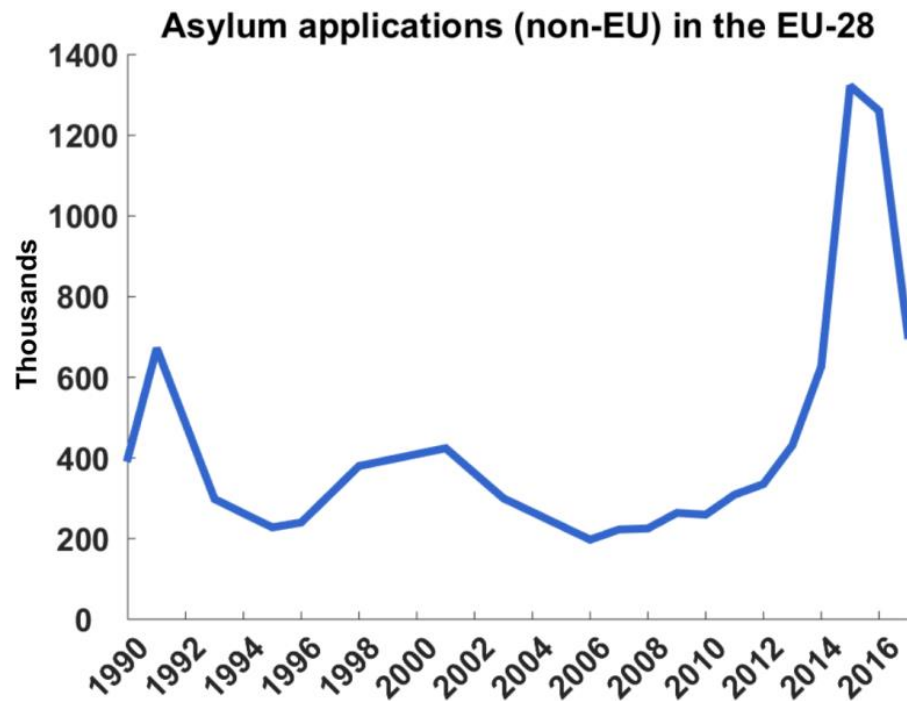


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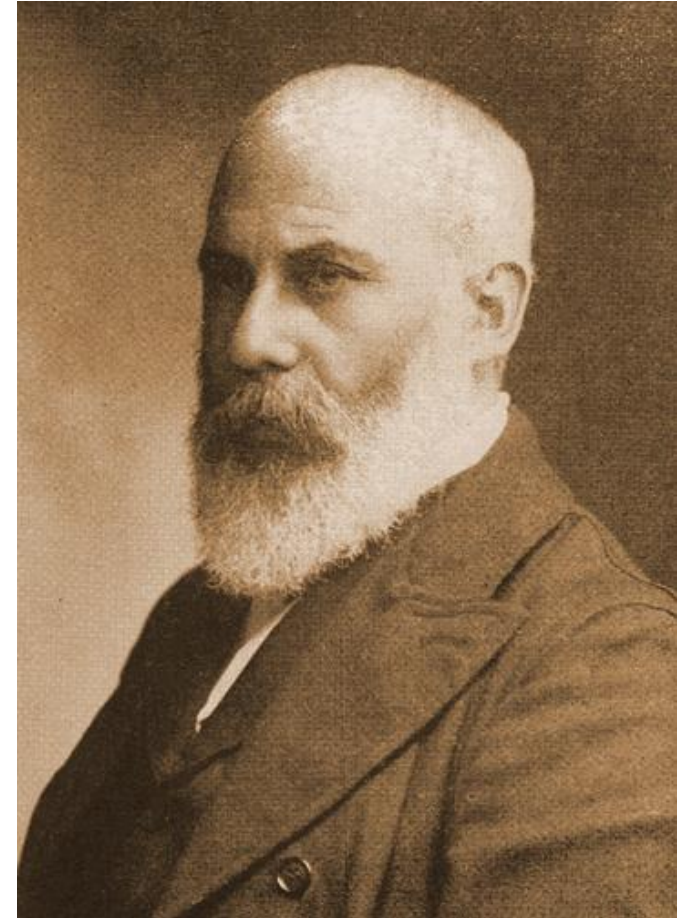
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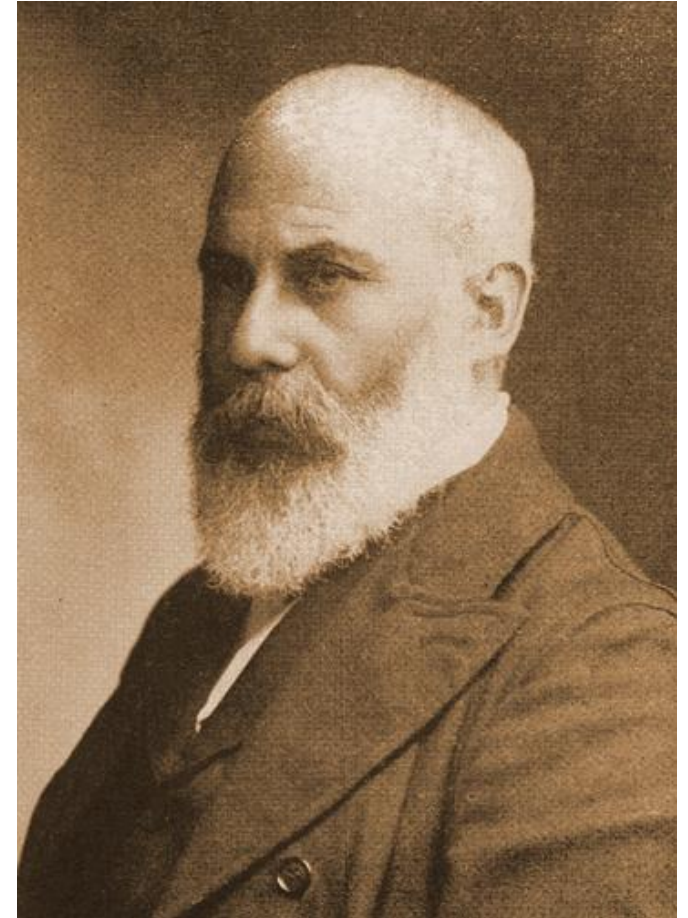
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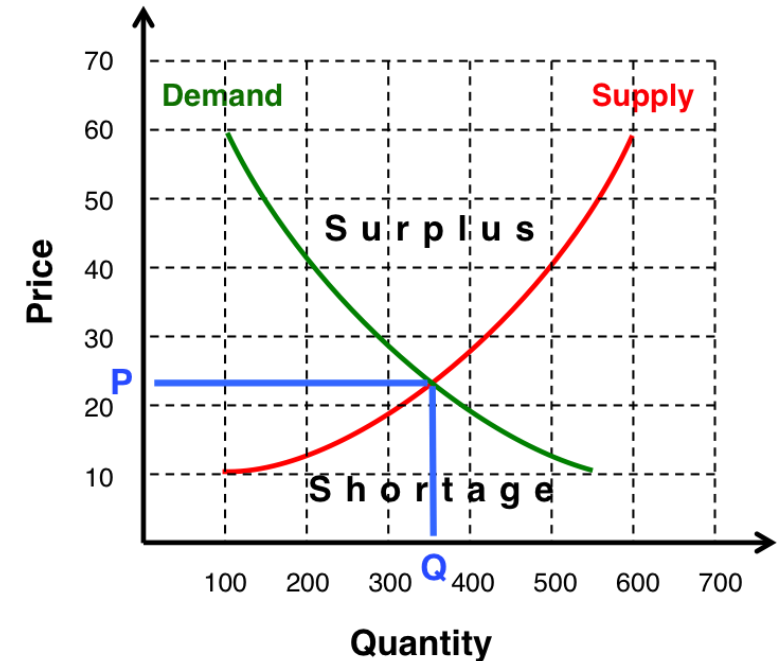


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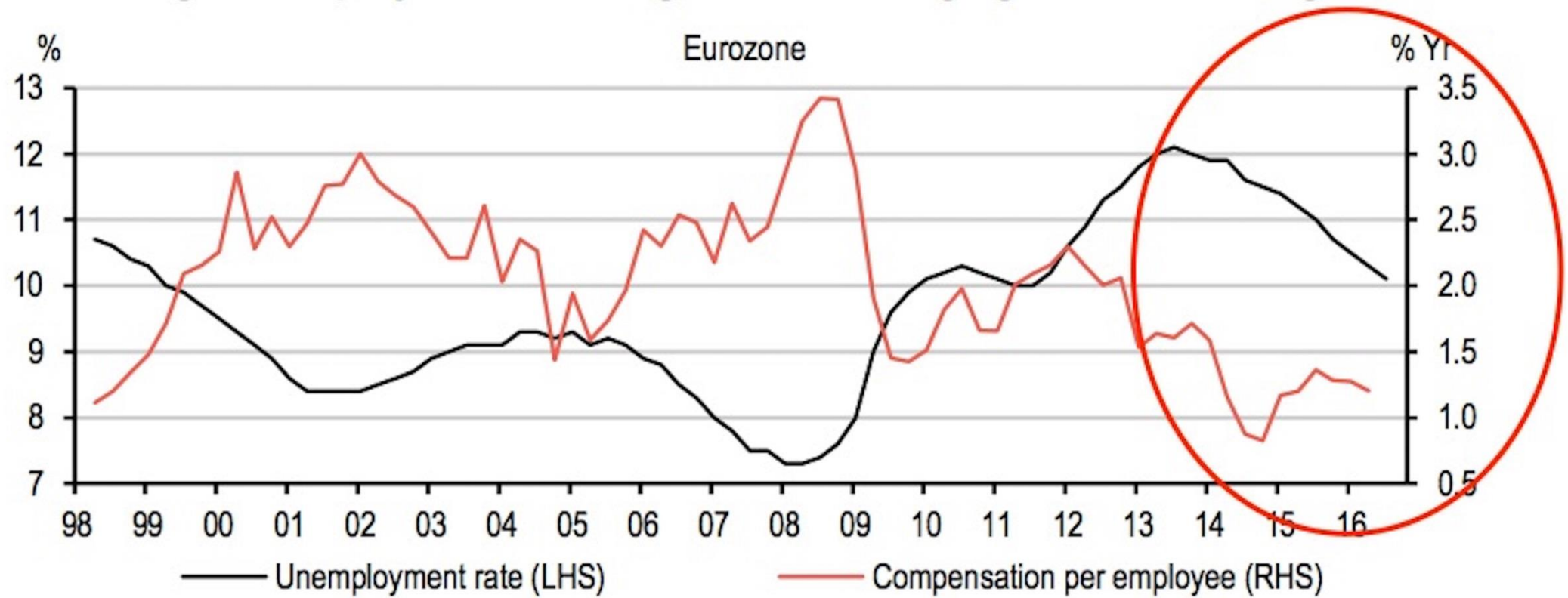
Threat to wages via unfair competition

- *Part* of the left (liberals, social-democrats, socialists etc.) considers migrants as the unwilling tool used by *globalists* and *corporations* to reduce wages.
- Mass migrations modify the equilibrium between supply and demand, leading to competition and social dumping.
- In a few words: the nationalist left path.



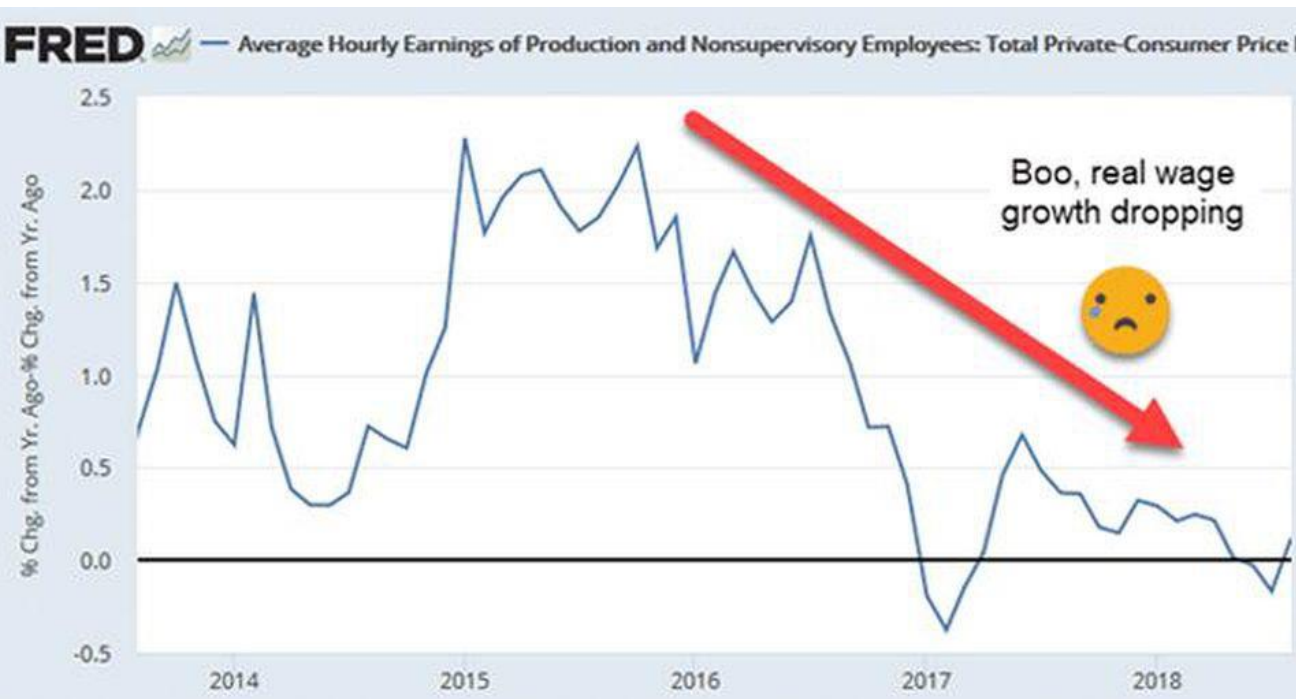
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1. Although unemployment is falling, eurozone wage growth is slowing



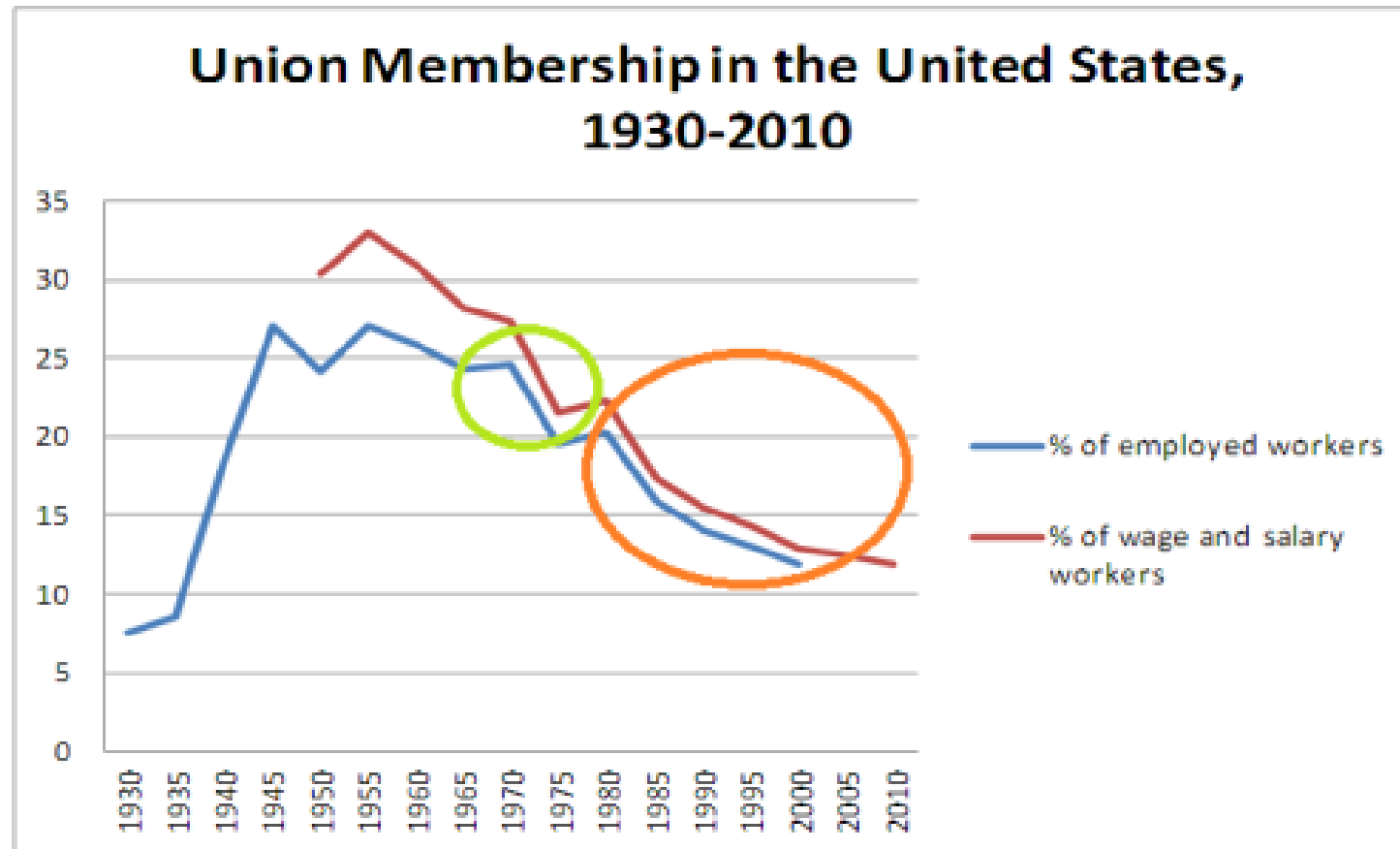
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THE WARRIOR OF THE WORKING CLASS