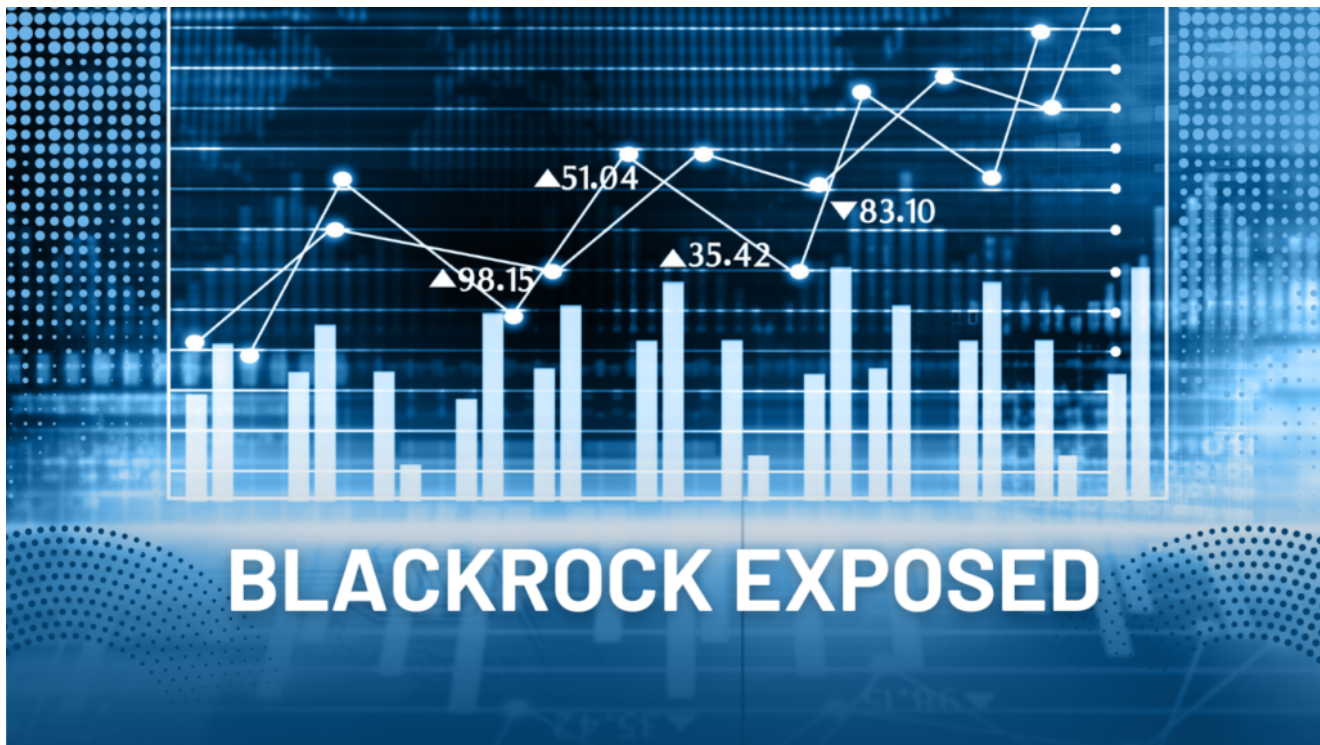


# BlackRock exposed as dangerous power broker

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James O’Keefe, having founded a new investigative journalism agency after losing control of his old one, now has a fresh scoop to report, even juicier than his scoop about questionable solicitation of political donations from senior citizens. Yesterday he broke an exposé of BlackRock, confirming that they make and break Presidents and other officeholders – and start wars.

## The BlackRock scandal

O’Keefe, founder of the new O’Keefe Media Group (OMG), teased the development the day before yesterday.

Our next bombshell story is TOMORROW and we just posted a promo for it on our only official Telegram channel. Hit this link to view now! <https://t.co/sWy79IGsWE>

— O’Keefe Media Group (@OKeefeMedia) [June 19, 2023](#)

 [#omg pic.twitter.com/AJxGFSAq8a](https://pic.twitter.com/AJxGFSAq8a)

— James O’Keefe (@JamesOKeefeIII) [June 20, 2023](#)

Then he released this eleven-and-a-half-minute video of an interview with Serge Varlay, a recruiter for BlackRock.

BREAKING: [@BlackRock](#) Recruiter Who “Decides People’s Fate” Spills Info on Company’s World Impact

“It’s not who the president is- it’s who’s controlling the wallet of the president”

“You got \$10K? You can buy a senator”

“War is real f\*\*\*ing good for business” [#BlackRockExposed](#)  
[pic.twitter.com/DZly1DuZKF](https://pic.twitter.com/DZly1DuZKF)

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Watch Video At: <https://youtu.be/WOhAgYonAY4>

Mr. Varlay tells the OMG operative – a woman obviously pretending to be impressionable – that:

It’s not who the President is; it’s who controls the wallet of the President.

And those people are “the hedge funds, BlackRock, the banks. [They] run the world.”

Varlay boasts that his company “has the system in place” to “buy” candidates. A single Senator goes for \$10,000 U.S., he says. He then mentions the sum of \$500,000 – with which, one presumes, one could buy half the Senate.

Turning to the Russia-Ukraine War, he describes that as “good for business.” Then he describes how: by affecting the prices of trade-able commodities in known and predictable ways. “Volatility creates opportunity [for] profit,” he says.

In another segment, Varlay reveals that BlackRock currently manages \$20 trillion. To put that into perspective, the current U.S. national debt is \$32 trillion. Much of that money is in “significant” (meaning controlling or near-controlling) interests in several household-name joint-stock corporations.

Shortly after this video appeared, Serge Varley – who once worked at Morgan Stanley and Citadel – deleted his account at LinkedIn.

OOPS: BlackRock Recruiter Serge Varlay has DELETED his LinkedIn!

Before After [pic.twitter.com/rG0DDud3SA](https://pic.twitter.com/rG0DDud3SA)

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No less an authority than General Michael Flynn decried this ability of BlackRock to do what they do.

This is only one of the massive problems our nation faces...and to these organizations, corruption appears real f\*\*\*ing good for business.

Sorry, this is unacceptable and has to stop. <https://t.co/pgg0vLS635>

— General Mike Flynn (@GenFlynn) [June 20, 2023](#)

Unfortunately, the OMG tip line quickly filled up with spam email.

OMG Tip Line Filled up with Spam Mail [pic.twitter.com/NkzFjX80it](https://pic.twitter.com/NkzFjX80it)

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After that, O’Keefe set up alternative channels for tipsters.

After our [@BlackRock](#) video OMG is facing denial of service attacks where every second our email tip inboxes are filled with state and municipal government notifications. Sources can submit their tips and info on signal or through <https://t.co/Ybmsk6JD6b> <https://t.co/gWT0FXKdFe>

— James O’Keefe (@JamesOKeefeIII) [June 21, 2023](#)

**More to come**

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This didn't stop O'Keefe's investigation of BlackRock. Hidden-camera videos by operatives pretending to be impressionable naifs is only Step One. Step Two involves contacting real officials to get their reaction:

I spoke today to Ed Sweeney, Managing Director Corporate Communications,  
[@BlackRock](#)

Another video dropping later tomorrow.

Nothing stops... [pic.twitter.com/Ht2Hfn8vrs](https://pic.twitter.com/Ht2Hfn8vrs)

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TV host Addison Smith revealed that the Google search engine is actively suppressing tweets about the BlackRock story.

[@JamesOKeefeIII](#) Google appears to be heavily suppressing the [#BlackRockExposed](#) story.

-Doesn't show up until page 3 in the news search

-The most "popular" tweets about [@BlackRock](#) are from days ago, and 2/3 only have three likes. [pic.twitter.com/VkudYb89XL](https://pic.twitter.com/VkudYb89XL)

— Addison Smith (@AddisonSmithTV) [June 21, 2023](#)

He also produced this chart listing Google's largest institutional shareholders.

BlackRock is listed as Google's second-largest institutional shareholder  
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Note the number one and two names: Vanguard Group and BlackRock, in that order. Technically even the two together do not have a controlling interest. But sometimes an interest can be *psychologically* controlling if not legally controlling. This would appear to be the case with BlackRock as an institutional investor.

What would also seem to be the case, is the BlackRock is playing a long – and dangerous – game for profitability.