

# Protest movements around the world

Large anti-government protests, triggered by inequality, corruption and alleged electoral fraud, are taking place on every continent

## RECENT LARGE-SCALE ANTI-GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATIONS\*

Protests mainly about:  Economy / corruption  Political freedom



\*Since  
Sep 1, 2019



### Bolivia

UN urging

interim government and supporters of self-exiled leader **Evo Morales** to begin talks to resolve political crisis that has claimed at least 23 lives and caused food and fuel shortages



### Chile

Key political parties have agreed to reform constitution after weeks of unrest that began with protest over subway fares and expanded into mass movement against inequality



### Lebanon

Nationwide

demonstrations began Oct 17 against new taxes on **WhatsApp** calls, amid plunging economy. Protesters now calling for downfall of political elite in charge since 1975-90 civil war



### Hong Kong

What started

in June as peaceful opposition to proposed extradition bill has hardened and turned into broader resistance movement against territory's government and Beijing



### Iraq

At least

320 people killed and thousands wounded since Oct 1 in protests over alleged corruption, lack of job opportunities and poor basic services



*Masked Iraqi protester*