

Navalny in 2018 published video alleging Russian “oligarch” Oleg Deripaska acted as messenger between Trump ex-campaign chief Manafort and a top Kremlin foreign policy official.



Yes, in 2018 Alexei Navalny published a video investigation alleging that Russian oligarch Oleg Deripaska acted as a messenger between U.S. President Donald Trump's ex-campaign chief Paul Manafort and a top Kremlin foreign policy official [1]. The video, released on March 1, 2018, was an investigation into what Navalny saw as evidence of Russia's suspected interference in the U.S. presidential elections. It showed footage of Deripaska on a yacht in August 2016 with Russia's Deputy Prime Minister Sergei Prihodko. Navalny also uncovered an email sent by Manafort in July 2016 offering private briefings to Deripaska on the Trump campaign's progress. Deripaska denied the allegations and called them part of a slander campaign against him.

[1] <https://www.rferl.org/a/russia-navalny-deripaska-video-claims-manafort-offered-campaign-briefings/29144444>.