The Venezuela Crisis and National Self-Determination Andrew Bobker

What are the various factors contributing to the crisis in Venezuela? How did we get here?
What evidence and arguments do those who view U.S. aid efforts as cover for a more nefarious foreign policy aims offer?
What is the value of national self-determination? What does it mean for Maduro? What does it mean for Venezuela citizens?
Should Nicolás Maduro step down as president? Should other countries be attempting to remove him from office (be it through further sanctions, public recognition of the opposition leader, and/or foreign aid)?