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Africa launched the "global sixties" with 17 countries winning their independence in 1960 alone. This was the "Year of Africa," the beginning of the African Revolution. Or so it was thought. By 1968, 14 military coups had swept independent African governments from office and the nationstate project appeared a dismal failure. What perished in those critical years and how?

Post-Mortem of the African

Revolution

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