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American Enterprise Institute

AS/COA

Tracking Trump and Latin America: Trade—Deals Unveiled for Four LatAm Countries

What does the U.S. president's "America First" trade policy mean for the region? AS/COA is monitoring the administration's approach.

By Gladys Gerbaud and Chase Harrison

November 13, 2025

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/tracking-trump-and-latin-america-trade-deals-unveiled-four-latam-countries>

Timeline: U.S. Military Ramp-Up in the Caribbean Raises Tensions with Venezuela

A build-up of military assets in the region and a series of fatal strikes on alleged drug boats enflame relations between Washington and Caracas.

By Khalea Robertson

November 12, 2025

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/timeline-us-military-ramp-caribbean-raises-tensions-venezuela>

Poll Tracker: Chile's 2025 Presidential Election

Several prominent right-wing leaders are hoping to turn the ideological tide by succeeding Gabriel Boric. See polling for the November 16 first round.

By Chase Harrison

November 11, 2025

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/poll-tracker-chiles-2025-presidential-election>

Explainer: Chile's 2025 General Elections

In the November 16 first round, will Chileans pick a successor to President Gabriel Boric who will shift the country's ideological direction?

By Chase Harrison

November 10, 2025

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/explainer-chiles-2025-general-elections>

Americas Quarterly

Venezuela

Venezuela's Possible Turning Point

Maduro's repression is escalating alongside unprecedented U.S. military activity. The situation on the ground shows two likely paths forward.

By Benigno Alarcón Deza

November 13, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/venezuelas-possible-turning-point/>

Podcast

AQ Podcast | A Right Turn in Chile?

Patricio Navia on Chile's upcoming election, and what it might mean for the economy.

November 13, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/aq-podcast-a-right-turn-in-chile/>

Bolivia

Bolivia's Foreign Policy Reset

Challenges await President Rodrigo Paz as he reinserts Bolivia into the international arena.

By Gabriela Keseberg Dávalos

November 11, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/bolivias-foreign-policy-reset/>

Mexico

The Security Crisis Testing Mexico's Sheinbaum

Recent killings in Michoacán are pressing the government to redefine its security strategy.

By Denise Dresser

November 11, 2025

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Costa Rica

Costa Rica's 'Safe Haven' Faces a Reckoning

The country is experiencing an unprecedented security crisis ahead of the February 2026 election.

By Rafael Ledezma and Antonio Monte

November 10, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/costa-ricas-safe-haven-reckoning/>

Country Risk

Latin America's Changing Web of Risks

Governance is being questioned across the region amid interconnected security and economic challenges.

By Erich de la Fuente and Eduardo A. Gamarra

November 7, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/latin-americas-changing-web-of-risks/>

Venezuela

What Will Venezuela's Military Do? History Offers Hints

Previous transitions out of dictatorships in Brazil and Chile may provide a roadmap if U.S. pressure prompts Venezuelan generals to act.

By Brian Fonseca and Fabiana Sofia Perera

November 4, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/what-will-venezuelas-military-do-history-offers-hints/>

Organized Crime

Environmental Crime Is a Critical Threat to the Americas

Illicit mining, logging, wildlife trafficking and other environmental offenses have become vital sources of revenue for some of Latin America's largest criminal groups.

By Andrea Crosta

November 3, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/environmental-crime-is-a-critical-threat-to-the-americas/>

Atlantic Council

New Atlanticist

Hurricane Melissa left \$8 billion in damage. Jamaica needs US support to get back on its feet.

After the devastation caused by Hurricane Melissa, Jamaica needs the United States to invest in the country's resilience and economic recovery.

By Patricia R. Francis, Maite Gonzalez Latorre

Nov 7, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/hurricane-melissa-left-8-billion-in-damage-jamaica-needs-us-support-to-get-back-on-its-feet/>

New Atlanticist

Facing the threat of US strikes, Maduro has requested Russia's help. He shouldn't expect much.

Focused on its war against Ukraine and struggling with the effects of Western sanctions, the Kremlin is unlikely to provide significant assistance to the Maduro regime.

By Imran Bayoumi, Shelby Magid

Nov 4, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/facing-the-threat-of-us-strikes-maduro-has-requested-russias-help-he-shouldnt-expect-much/>

New Atlanticist

How long can Sheinbaum keep her first-year momentum going in Mexico?

One year in, the Mexican president has made clear that she will not be defined by the legacy of her immediate predecessor or the actions of the US president.

By María Fernanda Bozmoski, Valeria Villarreal

Oct 31, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/how-long-can-sheinbaum-keep-her-first-year-momentum-going-in-mexico/>

Issue Brief

Forging North America's energy advantage: Mexico's pivotal role

With its expanding natural gas sector, export capacity, and more, Mexico can strengthen North America's energy resilience and competitiveness.

By Juan José Gómez-Camacho and Liliana Diaz

Oct 30, 2025

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Barcelona Centre for International Affairs (CIDOB)

Brookings Institution

Report

Alianza Familia-Escuela: How to transform family engagement policies into impactful partnerships in Colombia's schools

Emily Markovich Morris, Adelaida Gómez Vergara, Geraldine Fandiño, Richaa Hoysala, Laura Nóra, Hans Cabra

November 3, 2025

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Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

CATO

Blog Post

Don't Repeat Libya: The Dangers of US Intervention in Venezuela

By Justin Logan and Lawrence Montreuil

October 31, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/dont-repeat-libya-dangers-us-intervention-venezuela>

Center for Economic and Policy Research (CEPR)

Article

Ecuador News Round-Up No. 24: Noboa Cracks Down on Protests While Pushing to Rewrite the Constitution

By Pedro Labayen Herrera

Nov 13, 2025

<https://cepr.net/publications/ecuador-news-round-up-no-24-noboa-cracks-down-on-protests-while-pushing-to-rewrite-the-constitution/>

Center for Global Development

Policy Paper

Geographical Diversification of Vaccine Production: Challenges for Africa and Latin America

William Savedoff

November 05, 2025

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Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)

Commentary

Trump's Caribbean Campaign: The Data Behind the Developing Conflict

The United States and Venezuela teeter on the brink of war. Twelve charts and tables lay out where we are, how we got here, and how a conflict might play out.

Mark F. Cancian und Chris H. Park

November 10, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/trumps-caribbean-campaign-data-behind-developing-conflict>

Commentary

Leveraging Latin America's Embrace of the United States

Americas Program Senior Associate Evan Ellis argues that the widespread U.S.-friendly disposition of Latin America and the Caribbean creates unique opportunities for the United States in economic, security and other domains.

Evan Ellis

November 4, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/leveraging-latin-americas-embrace-united-states>

Report

The Power of Educational Exchanges in Strengthening U.S.-LAC Relations

Promoting educational exchanges between the United States and Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) is a powerful way to strengthen economic ties, build human capital, counter Chinese influence, and foster positive public opinion across the Hemisphere.

Mirka Martel und Romina Bandura

November 4, 2025

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Commentary

Trump Has Sufficient Firepower to Launch Immediate Strikes on Venezuela

U.S. air strikes against military targets inside Venezuela reportedly “could come at any moment,” as the president pursues both a war on drug cartels and destabilization of the Maduro regime.

Mark F. Cancian und Chris H. Park

October 31, 2025

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Centro de Estudos de Integração e Desenvolvimento (CINDES)

Centro Brasileiro de Relações Internacionais (CEBRI)

Relatório técnico

O papel do Brasil na agenda global de minerais críticos e estratégicos

Demanda projetada e contribuição possível do Brasil na transição energética

1 novembro 2025

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Comisión Económica para América Latina y el Caribe (CEPAL)

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Latin American Economic Outlook 2025: Promoting and Financing Production Transformation

CEPAL; OECD; CAF; European Commission

7 Nov 2025

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The economics of climate change in Latin America and the Caribbean, 2025: climate action to overcome development traps

7 Nov 2025

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Ferrer, Jimmy; De Miguel, Carlos J.; Lorenzo, Santiago; Alatorre, José Eduardo

5 Nov 2025 |

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Consejo Argentino para las Relaciones Internacionales

Comentarios estratégicos

La elección del próximo secretario general de las Naciones Unidas. ¿La hora latinoamericana?

La figura del secretario general de la Organización de las Naciones Unidas (ONU) reviste una importancia sustantiva en el entramado institucional del multilateralismo contemporáneo. Desde la creación de la Organización, este puesto ha concentrado no solo atribuciones administrativas, sino también de portavoz de los valores consagrados en la Carta y de referente simbólico de la comunidad internacional en su conjunto. En enero del año 2027 culminará el mandato de António Guterres, por lo que se iniciará una instancia fundamental de negociación multilateral para definir quién ocupará el máximo cargo ejecutivo de las Naciones Unidas para el período 2027-2031.

Por Martín Álvarez Gallardo.

Noviembre 2025

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Council on Foreign Relations (CFR)

Backgrounder

Haiti's Troubled Path to Development

Hobbled by foreign interventions, political instability, and natural disasters, the former French colony remains paralyzed by multiple crises and a deepening humanitarian disaster.

by Diana Roy and Rocio Cara Labrador

November 5, 2025

<https://www.cfr.org/backgrounder/haitis-troubled-path-development>

Blog Post

Argentina Needs Foreign Exchange Reserves of its Own

The pressure on Argentina's reserves predated the increase in uncertainty ahead of Argentina's October election, and it is unlikely to dissipate in full even after Milei's victory.

by Brad W. Setser

November 4, 2025

<https://www.cfr.org/blog/argentina-needs-foreign-exchange-reserves-its-own>

Council on Hemispheric Affairs (COHA)

Deutsche Bank Research

Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

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Friedrich-Naumann-Stiftung für die Freiheit (FNS)

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German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA)

Detlef Nolte

The EU and Latin America: Reassessing the Strategic Partnership

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Hanns-Seidel-Stiftung (HSS)

Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung

Analyse

COP 30: Wie Argentinien vom Vorreiter zum Schlusslicht internationaler Klimapolitik wurde

Mit Beginn der COP30 steht Argentinien am Rande der internationalen Klimadiplomatie. Aktuell erlebt das Land unter anderem einen starken Abbau von Institutionen und neue Abhängigkeit vom Extraktivismus – dabei war es mal Vorreiter in Sachen Klimaschutz.

Camila Mercure

12. November 2025

<https://www.boell.de/de/2025/11/12/cop-30-wie-argentinien-vom-vorreiter-zum-schlusslicht-internationaler-klimapolitik-wurde>

Analyse

COP30 im Rhythmus Brasiliens: Zusammenarbeiten für den Wandel

Der internationale Kontext ist geprägt von Spannungen. Unsere Autor*innen analysieren, wie Brasilien auf der COP30 seine diplomatischen Fähigkeiten einsetzen kann, um unterschiedliche Interessen zu synchronisieren.

Rodrigo Astorga Hering, Natalia Zumelzu

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Hintergrund

El Salvador bricht mit Resolution 1325: Von menschlicher zu militarisierter Sicherheit

El Salvadors Einsatz für die UN-Resolution 1325 steht an einem Wendepunkt: Frühere Fortschritte geraten durch die zunehmende Militarisierung unter Präsident Bukele in Gefahr – ein Rückschritt für Frauenrechte und Gleichstellung, der alte Konflikte heraufbeschwört.

Gloria Guzmán Orellana

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The Heritage Foundation

Commentary

How Venezuela Is Supporting Radical Left-Wing Groups in the U.S.

Mike Gonzalez

Oct 29, 2025

<https://www.heritage.org/progressivism/commentary/how-venezuela-supporting-radical-left-wing-groups-the-us>

Hessische Stiftung Friedens- und Konfliktforschung (PRIF)

Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut SPK (IAI)

Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

Report

Unlocking the Grid: How to Ensure Reliable and Sustainable Energy in Latin America and the Caribbean

Quirós-Tortos, Jairo und Alarcón, Arturo ;
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Inter-American Dialogue

International Crisis Group

Report

Paradise Lost? Ecuador's Battle with Organised Crime

For decades, Ecuador was an oasis of calm as its South American neighbours descended into drug-related crime and conflict. No longer. Without a stronger social safety net and a firmer anti-corruption stand, the country will likely continue to struggle to stem the tide of violence.

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International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA)

Report

Amazonian Climate Deliberation

Insights from Three Citizen Assemblies on Climate Finance Held Ahead of COP30

Marcella Nery and Anoukh de Soysa

11 November 2025

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Kellogg Institute for International Studies

Konrad Adenauer Stiftung

Análisis

Lula versus gobernadores: ¿quiénes se perfilan como candidatos presidenciales en Brasil?

El actual presidente se postula para la reelección y sus posibles competidores son cinco gobernadores, el favorito: Tarcísio de Freitas, que se apalanca en la base bolsonarista.

Por: Antônio Mariano

13 Nov, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/analisis/candidato-brasil-2026>

Análisis

Ausencias y fracturas: claves de la cumbre CELAC-UE

El encuentro en Santa Marta dejó una declaración sin consensos y expuso los límites del multilateralismo frente a la Declaración de Bruselas, que prometía una alianza birregional renovada.

Por: Ana María Saavedra

12 Nov, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/analisis/cumbre-ue-celac-2025>

Debates

El voto obligatorio en América Latina: entre la norma y la participación real

Once países de América Latina mantienen el voto obligatorio, con sanciones y grados de aplicación diversos. Su comparación revela tensiones entre deber cívico, libertad individual y legitimidad democrática.

Por: Philipp Rall, Lisa Klostermann

5 Nov, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/analisis-debates/debates/voto-obligatorio-america-latina>

NACLA

“Las Recambistas”: The New Wave of Communist Women in Chile’s Elections

Led by presidential hopeful Jeannette Jara, Chile’s elections feature a new generation of young, female politicians who have found a home in the century-old Chilean Communist Party.

Phineas Rueckert

November 12, 2025

<https://nacla.org/las-recambistas-the-new-wave-of-communist-women-in-chiles-elections/>

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Análisis

Brasil y Estados Unidos: geopolítica, economía y narrativas en transformación

Brasil y EEUU atraviesan una fase de reajuste estructural en la que la cooperación económica se entrelaza con la competencia geopolítica.

Fernanda Magnotta

03 Nov 2025

<https://www.realinstitutoelcano.org/analisis/brasil-y-estados-unidos-geopolitica-economia-y-narrativas-en-transformacion/>

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Sonstiges

Bundestag: Beratungsabläufe zu Lateinamerika / Karibik

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