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By Jason Marczak

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Der Schutz von Umwelt- und Menschenrechtsverteidiger*innen muss in Amazonien und weltweit dringend gestärkt werden. Denn noch immer sind Aktivist*innen viel zu häufig Drohungen und Gewalt ausgesetzt.

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Nach einem von Desinformation und Hasskampagnen geprägten turbulenten Wahlkampf fanden am 30. November in Honduras Präsidentschaftswahlen statt. Die Regierungspartei Libre wurde für nicht erfüllte Versprechungen hart abgestraft. Trumps Einmischung verschärft die Lage.

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Nadia Blel: “Los partidos de centroderecha le hemos dado la espalda a los ciudadanos

La senadora y expresidenta del Partido Conservador colombiano reconoce el debilitamiento de su sector y habla de los desafíos de la derecha ante las elecciones presidenciales de 2026.

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La región se movió hacia un escenario polarizado caracterizado por el ascenso de la derecha con giros importantes. Destacan el ascenso de Paz, Asfura y Kast, figuras además alineadas con Donald Trump.

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Extrajudicial executions of Latin American fishermen and the pardon of a former Honduran President and cocaine kingpin reveal the deadly contradictions of the U.S. "War on Drugs."

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