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Colombia Elects 2026: Ongoing Coverage of the Presidential Race—Cepeda Proposes a Debate

By Chase Harrison and Carin Zissis

April 22, 2026

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IMF and World Bank's April 2026 Update: Latin America's Economic Outlook

By Chase Harrison

April 15, 2026

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Americas Quarterly

Guatemala

Arévalo's Narrow Path to Change in Guatemala

President Arévalo will pick the next attorney general from a list of six candidates by May 16.

By Juan Pappier

April 23, 2026

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The Gray Tide: Latin America's Demographic Transformation

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Peru

A New Test for Peru's Economic Resilience

A runoff between Fujimori and Sánchez, if confirmed, will put the country's famous macroeconomic stability at risk, a former finance minister writes.

By Luis Miguel Castilla

April 16, 2026

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/a-new-test-for-perus-economic-resilience/>

Brazil

The Voters Flávio Bolsonaro Still Needs

To succeed in October's election, the son of Brazil's last president will have to convince those outside the conservative movement.

By Ricardo Balthazar

April 16, 2026

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Peru

REACTION: Peru Braces for a Polarizing Fujimori-Sánchez Runoff

Keiko Fujimori and Roberto Sánchez appear headed to a high-stakes runoff on June 7 after the first-round vote indicated critical new dynamics.

By AQ Editors

April 15, 2026

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/reaction-peru-braces-for-a-polarizing-fujimori-sanchez-runoff/>

Argentina

Is Argentina Ready for a Copper Moment?

Vast reserves of the metal and nine mining projects under review represent a unique opportunity for the country and investors alike, two experts write.

By Kezia McKeague and Geoffrey Pyatt

April 15, 2026

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Latin America

Latin America's Incomplete Liberalization Story

The region's economies still revolve around commodities and low-productivity services. Better planning can help.

By Eduardo Levy Yeyati

April 13, 2026

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/latin-americas-incomplete-liberalization-story/>

Haiti

Can the Donroe Doctrine Help Deliver Stability in Haiti?

Getting it right in Haiti is good policy and politics for the Trump administration.

By Esnold Jure

April 8, 2026

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Atlantic Council

Issue Brief

Using the USMCA review to strengthen regional integration

As economic and trade authorities across Mexico and the United States engage in the July 2026 USMCA review, adapting to new geopolitical realities without reversing binational economic integration should be a priority.

By the Binational Task Force on Economic Security and Competitiveness

Apr 20, 2026

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/in-depth-research-reports/issue-brief/using-the-usmca-review-to-strengthen-regional-integration/>

Strategic Insights Memo

A US tech agenda focused on Latin America to outcompete the People's Republic of China

Insights from on the ground in Colombia, where the United States and China's competition for influence is playing out in the tech sector, among other places.

By Samantha Wong, Ginger Matchett, Peter Engelke

Apr 20, 2026

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Dispatches

Washington needs a 'Plan Venezuela' before it's too late

Using Plan Colombia as a model, the United States should commit to a long-term, well-funded effort to bring security to Venezuela.

By James Story and David Bellon

Apr 12, 2026

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Dispatches

Why Peru's upcoming election matters for US strategy in Latin America

Peru's election will determine who governs next. But for the US, the more important question is whether Peru can rebuild its governing institutions.

By Martin Cassinelli

Apr 7, 2026

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From alignment to action: Building a durable US-Argentina critical minerals partnership

For decades, Argentina's mining potential has been widely recognized without translating into reliable supply. That pattern might be breaking, and deeper US-Argentina cooperation could accelerate development while advancing shared economic and strategic priorities.

By Reed Blakemore, Alexis Harmon, Ignacio Albe

Apr 6, 2026

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Blog Post

Argentina Graph of the Day: Starlink Connects Millions of People

By Ian Vásquez

April 10, 2026

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Center for Economic and Policy Research (CEPR)

Center for Global Development

Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)

Commentary

Beyond Venezuela and Cuba: The U.S. Military's Future Operations in the Western Hemisphere

by Wilder Alejandro Sánchez

April 23, 2026

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Critical Questions

Preparing for the Consequences of Collapse in Cuba

by Christopher Hernandez-Roy, Katherine E. Bliss, Andrew Friedman, David Michel, Zane Swanson, and Henry Ziemer

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Chile: New Directions and Uncertainty with a Strong Security Partner

by Evan Ellis

April 8, 2026

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/chile-new-directions-and-uncertainty-strong-security-partner>

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The Alluring Potential of an Integrated Venezuelan Gas Industry

by Leslie Palti-Guzman

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Peru 2026 General Election: First-Round Vote Must-Knows

by Margarita R. Seminario

April 7, 2026

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Centro de Estudos de Integração e Desenvolvimento (CINDES)

Centro Brasileiro de Relações Internacionais (CEBRI)

Article

Brazil-European Union Relations: Seeking New Opportunities

Abstract: Against the backdrop of the signing of the EU-Mercosur Agreement, the significance of the Brazilian-European partnership has also increased. To achieve greater complementarity, Brazil and the EU must develop a broader foundation of understanding and cooperation, particularly in light of geopolitical threats and upheavals. Despite upcoming elections and a variety of international challenges, it is important to build on existing initiatives and provide new impulses. As preferred partners, business and society must also drive bilateral and bi-regional relations in order to achieve sustainable effects in new strategic areas.

Günther Maihold

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Ciberseguridad, inteligencia estratégica y diplomacia digital: desafíos para la seguridad internacional en América Latina en la era de la inteligencia artificial

Virginia Nehme Rodríguez

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¿Europa se despierta frente a la “amenaza” de EE. UU.? Una reflexión más allá de las elecciones de Hungría

Por Patricio Giusto.

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Argentina en el nuevo ciclo de minerales críticos. Una mirada desde el PDAC 2026

Por Fernando Straface.

Abril 2026

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Inserción internacional de Argentina: esta vez podría ser diferente

Por Ricardo Carciofi.

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Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

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Barreto, Viviana

April 2026

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Friedrich-Naumann-Stiftung für die Freiheit (FNS)

Analysis

Achievements and Obstacles in the Argentine Economy

A review of the last few months of the Argentine economy

Iván Cachanosky

April 2026

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German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA)

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Beyond the Presidency: The Power of Congress in Latin America

Trotz autoritärer Tendenzen nimmt die Macht der Exekutive nicht überall in Lateinamerika zu. Vielerorts gestalten starke Parlamente eine neue Machtteilung innerhalb der Präsidentsysteme. Dies bringt neue Unsicherheiten für Regierungsführung, Politikgestaltung und internationales Engagement mit sich.

Mariana Llanos, Milagros Campos, Magna Inácio

April 2026

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Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung

Analyse

El Salvador: Neuer Bericht bewertet Lage von Menschenrechtsverteidiger*innen

Anhörungen vor der Interamerikanischen Menschenrechtskommission zeigten jüngst die Erosion der Rechtsstaatlichkeit in El Salvador. Die Vorwürfe möglicher Verbrechen gegen die Menschlichkeit markieren einen Wendepunkt in der internationalen Bewertung des Landes.

Angélica Cárcamo

7. April 2026

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Growth and the Demographic Turn: Development Finance in an Age of Far-Reaching Population Change

Mulgan, Geoff

Apr 2026

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International Crisis Group

Analyst's Notebook

Long Wait for Results in Peru's Elections Ratchets Up Tensions

Crisis Group expert Glaeldys González Calanche examines the reasons for the delay and the implications of the first-round outcomes for the country's next government

21 April 2026

<https://www.crisisgroup.org/anb/latin-america-caribbean/peru/long-wait-results-perus-elections-ratchets-tensions>

International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA)

Serie Democracia y Ecosistemas de Integridad Electoral en América Latina

México: Modelo de institucionalidad, normativa y participación ciudadana

Carolina da Silva Estavillo

24 April 2026

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Opinión

¿Es el ocaso del multilateralismo o hay futuro?

El sistema atraviesa su mayor crisis desde la posguerra. Con EEUU replegado, la ONU sin liderazgo y la geopolítica fragmentada, ¿quién sostendrá el orden global? Cuatro candidatos a la Secretaría General se enfrentan a ese desafío.

Por: María Isabel Puerta Riera

24 Abr, 2026

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Debates

Colombia eligió un camino distinto a la exclusión de los migrantes

En los últimos diez años, el país vecino a Venezuela adoptó un enfoque orientado a la regularización y la integración. ¿Qué políticas públicas se aplicaron?

Por: Ronal Rodríguez, María Clara Robayo León

23 Abr, 2026

<https://dialogopolitico.org/debates/analisis-debates/colombia-camino-distinto-migrantes/>

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¿Se ensombrece el gobierno de Milei?

La confianza cae por cuatro meses consecutivos debido al estancamiento de la microeconomía, escándalos de corrupción e impaciencia social. Mientras, la oposición continua sin renovarse para lograr desafiar al libertario.

Por: Carlos Fara

21 Abr, 2026

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Análisis

¿Cuánto gasta Latinoamérica en defensa?

Las guerras en todo el mundo intensificaron el debate global sobre el gasto militar. ¿Cómo se planta la región ante un Estados Unidos omnipotente? ¿Cuál es el peso de América Latina en un mundo que se rearma? ¿Quiénes son sus socios estratégicos?

Por: Redacción
20 Abr, 2026

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La gamificación de la política: las elecciones peruanas 2026 en el metaverso de Roblox

Ante una oferta electoral inmanejable y un sistema institucional en crisis, la gamificación cumplió un rol educativo que el sistema formal y mediático no logra cubrir, motivando el voto joven.

Por: Pavel Sidorenko Bautista

16 Abr, 2026

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Keiko Fujimori zum vierten Mal in Stichwahl

von Annette Schwarzbauer, Dr. Andrés Hildebrandt

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Opinión

Reforma electoral en México: cambiar las reglas para cambiar el juego

La iniciativa activa, desde el gobierno de AMLO, avanza en su versión B y, aunque matizada, centraliza el poder del sistema político mexicano.

Por: Julio Castillo López

15 Abr, 2026

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Opinión

El panorama político latinoamericano a la derecha: seguridad, economía y el dilema del centro

Ante un electorado volátil y joven que clama cambios, la región enfrenta el desafío de determinar si esta derechización traerá mejoras duraderas o si será solo otro vaivén político.

Por: Henning Suhr

9 Abr, 2026

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Análisis

¿Cuáles son los vínculos de la guardia revolucionaria iraní en América Latina?

La presión internacional sobre Irán y el cambio político en América Latina han alterado el tablero regional. Sin embargo, la red de la Guardia Revolucionaria no desaparece, se transforma, se descentraliza y encuentra nuevas formas de operar.

Por: Sergio Castaño

8 Abr, 2026

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NACLA

News & Analysis

The New Litmus Test for Sovereign Governance: ISDS Arbitration

The “Donroe Doctrine” is compelling Latin American governments into arbitration courts that benefit large multinational corporations, with limited success.

Logan McMillen

April 27, 2026

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News & Analysis

La militarización de las prisiones en Ecuador ha fracasado

Dos años después de que el presidente de extrema derecha, Daniel Noboa, anunciara su política de mano dura en las prisiones, el gobierno no tiene resultados que mostrar.

John Henry Murdy

April 23, 2026

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Análisis

¿Transición hegemónica o reequilibrio estratégico? América Latina ante un mundo alterado

América Latina ha ganado visibilidad en el escenario internacional y su futuro dependerá de decidir entre alineamiento o autonomía con EEUU.

Andrés Malamud, Luis L. Schenoni

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Is the Cuban regime the next to fall?

Emilio Morales, Juan Antonio Blanco

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Cuba and a possible loss of Venezuelan support: macroeconomic vulnerabilities and political risks

The US military intervention in Venezuela will have significant consequences for Cuba, a key economic partner of Maduro's regime.

Pavel Vidal Alejandro, Susanne Gratius

09 Apr 2026

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Insight & Analysis

Latin America's Negative Supply Shock from the US-Iran Conflict

Latin American economies are facing a dual crisis as US trade tariffs and surging global oil prices from the US-Iran conflict trigger regional inflation, fiscal volatility, and supply chain disruptions.

Luisa Blanco

April 27, 2026

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Sonstiges

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