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Bei allen Titeln gibt es einen Link, oft direkt zum Volltext. Grundlage der Erstellung ist ein überwiegend festgelegtes Set an diversen Webquellen (europäische, US-amerikanische und lateinamerikanische Think Tanks). Hinzu kommen die im jeweiligen Zeitraum mit Lateinamerika und der Karibik beschäftigten Beratungsabläufe des Deutschen Bundestages. Der WebMonitor Lateinamerika erscheint in der Regel ein- bis zweimal monatlich.

American Enterprise Institute

AS/COA

Poll Tracker: Brazil's 2026 Presidential Election

Lula is seeking a fourth term as Flávio Bolsonaro attempts to avenge his ex-president father. The first round is October 4.

By Chase Harrison and Luisa Leme

August 25, 2026

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/poll-tracker-brazils-2026-presidential-election>

Q&A: UNAM's Solange Márquez on What the U.S.–Canada Trade War Means for Mexico

The Toronto-based analyst covers Ottawa and Mexico City's distinct approaches to negotiating with the Trump administration.

By Carin Zissis

August 25, 2026

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/qa-unams-solange-marquez-what-us-canada-trade-war-means-mexico>

In Charts: Latin American Oil Gains Ground in a Disrupted Global Market

The region's top oil producers are boosting output and exports even as conflict disrupts energy flows through the Strait of Hormuz.

By Khalea Robertson

August 18, 2026

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/charts-latin-american-oil-gains-ground-disrupted-global-market>

Americas Quarterly

Bolivia

Bolivia's Post-MAS Transition Is at Risk

Institutional weakness is threatening to plunge the country into instability.

By Eduardo A. Gamarra

August 26, 2026

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/bolivias-post-mas-transition-is-at-risk/>

Venezuela

Venezuela's Overwhelming Electricity Crisis

Simultaneous pressures are colliding at the worst possible time, making power generation a central test of the country's capacity to recover.

By Francisco Morandi and Luisa Palacios

August 19, 2026

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/venezuelas-overwhelming-electricity-crisis/>

Demographics

Latin America's Fading Demographic Tailwind

The region has anchored part of its growth on an age bonus. As it wanes, what needs to happen to solidify the economic progress?

By Eduardo Levy Yeyati and Rafael Rofman

August 17, 2026

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/latin-americas-fading-demographic-tailwind/>

Atlantic Council

Issue Brief

A Colombia-Venezuela agenda for recovery, security, and economic growth

By the US-Colombia Strategic Alignment Coalition

August 20, 2026

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/in-depth-research-reports/issue-brief/a-colombia-venezuela-agenda-for-recovery-security-and-economic-growth/>

EnergySource

The oil shock is sorting Latin America. The dividing line is institutions, not barrels.

By Liliana Diaz

August 17, 2026

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/energysource/the-oil-shock-is-sorting-latin-america-the-dividing-line-is-institutions-not-barrels/>

Barcelona Centre for International Affairs (CIDOB)

Brookings Institution

Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

Commentary

The Achilles' Heel of the Shield of the Americas

By focusing only on hard security, the Shield ignores the conditions that fuel cartel power.

Alejandro Martin Rodriguez, Kayly Ober

August 27, 2026

<https://carnegieendowment.org/emissary/2026/08/shield-of-the-americas-climate-hard-security>

CATO

Blog Post

Argentina Gives Mercosur an Ultimatum It Can't Ignore

By Marcos Falcone

August 28, 2026

<https://www.cato.org/blog/argentina-gives-mercossur-ultimatum-it-cant-ignore>

Center for Economic and Policy Research (CEPR)

Article

Ecuador News Round-Up No. 27: Electoral Authorities Block Participation of Opposition Parties in Local Elections and the CIA Is Accused of Targeting Ecuadorian Boats

By Pedro Labayen Herrera

Aug 19, 2026

<https://cepr.net/publications/ecuador-news-round-up-no-27/>

Center for Global Development

Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)

Commentary

What's Behind China's Problematic Advance in Uruguay?

by Evan Ellis

August 24, 2026

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/whats-behind-chinas-problematic-advance-uruguay>

Centro de Estudos de Integração e Desenvolvimento (CINDES)

Centro Brasileiro de Relações Internacionais (CEBRI)

Seção Especial

Visões concorrentes para a Venezuela

Sob supervisão dos EUA

Bartłomiej Znojek

CEBRI-Revista ANO 5 / Nº 17 / JAN-MAR 2026

August 15, 2026

<https://cebri.org/revista/br/artigo/284/visoes-concorrentes-para-a-venezuela>

->English version: <https://cebri.org/revista/en/artigo/284/competing-visions-for-venezuela>

Comisión Económica para América Latina y el Caribe (CEPAL)

CEPAL Review Nº 148

50 years addressing development challenges in Latin America and the Caribbean

25 Aug 2026

171 S.

<https://repositorio.cepal.org/server/api/core/bitstreams/1dfc8171-4a67-42fb-956f-3e0a17a7dadf/content>

Publication

Report of the Second Session of the Regional Conference on South-South Cooperation in Latin America and the Caribbean

20 Aug 2026

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<https://repositorio.cepal.org/server/api/core/bitstreams/4624b52f-71ad-4db0-88f6-a58d0e509ed4/content>

Publication

Economic Survey of Latin America and the Caribbean, 2026. Growth and productivity amid high informality: constraints and challenges in fostering productive formalization in the region. Executive summary

20 Aug 2026

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<https://repositorio.cepal.org/server/api/core/bitstreams/8d2dbfdc-83cf-48b7-92e6-610b8db6280f/content>

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Impactos del cambio demográfico en América Latina y el Caribe: retos y opciones para la política pública. Resumen.

17 Ago 2026

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<https://repositorio.cepal.org/server/api/core/bitstreams/da7a9d3b-3fb8-4da0-8f85-98db45a1b445/content>

Consejo Argentino para las Relaciones Internacionales

Council on Foreign Relations (CFR)

Expert Take

Unclaimed Boat Strikes in Ecuador: Has Trump's Operation Southern Spear Opened a Hidden Front?

New reporting indicates that Trump's boat strike program could be more secretive, larger, and more resistant to oversight than previously known.

Will Freeman

August 17, 2026

<https://www.cfr.org/articles/unclaimed-boat-strikes-in-ecuador-has-trumps-operation-southern-spear-opened-a-hidden-front>

Council on Hemispheric Affairs (COHA)

Deutsche Bank Research

Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

Friedrich-Naumann-Stiftung für die Freiheit (FNS)

Analysis

Challenge For The West

Brics And India's Special Role

This paper examines how the competing visions among BRICS members and the balance of power within the group have evolved over time. Which anti-Western initiatives have failed, and which have succeeded, either fully or partially? India, which currently holds the BRICS presidency and will play a major role in shaping the agenda of the upcoming summit, is particularly important in this context. How can the West strengthen the positions of India and Brazil within BRICS without discrediting them as Western proxies in the eyes of their own populations and other countries in the Global South? These are the paper's central questions.

Pramit Pal Chaudhuri

August 2026

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German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA)

Hanns-Seidel-Stiftung (HSS)

Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung

Encuesta Nodo XXI

Chile Actual

junio 2026

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https://cl.boell.org/sites/default/files/2026-07/20260630_chileactual_nodoxxi.-1.pdf

The Heritage Foundation

Special Report

The Regional Security System and the Eastern Caribbean

Wilson Beaver

August 19, 2026

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2026-08/SR338.pdf>

Hessische Stiftung Friedens- und Konfliktforschung (PRIF)

Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut SPK (IAI)

Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

Inter-American Dialogue

International Crisis Group

International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA)

Protecting Elections in Honduras

Protecting Elections in Honduras examines how the country navigated the 2025 general elections amid deep political polarization, institutional mistrust and growing concerns over disinformation, political violence and external interference. Using International IDEA's Protecting Elections framework, the study analyses risk prevention, institutional resilience and post-crisis recovery. It also offers key lessons learned and practical recommendations to enhance electoral integrity and democratic governance in Honduras.

Cecilia Graciela Rodríguez Balmaceda

27 August 2026

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<https://www.idea.int/sites/default/files/2026-08/protecting-elections-in-honduras.pdf>

Kellogg Institute for International Studies

Konrad Adenauer Stiftung

Entrevistas

De los commodities a la videovigilancia: la fórmula china para avanzar en Latinoamérica

El investigador Dr. Evan Ellis explica en esta entrevista con Diálogo Político cómo Beijing construyó influencia en la región y repasa un capítulo poco explorado: la presencia de actores criminales chinos en la región.

Por: Agustina Lombardi

31 Ago, 2026

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/entrevistas/commodities-videovigilancia-formula-china/>

Studie

Offene und menschenzentrierte Justiz: Konzepte und vielversprechende Ansätze.

Erfahrungen und Handlungsansätze, um Justizsysteme näher an den Menschen auszurichten und ihre Legitimität zu stärken.

Diese Publikation dokumentiert, was Justizinstitutionen, zivilgesellschaftliche Organisationen und die Wissenschaft bereits unternehmen, um die Justizsysteme näher an die Menschen heranzuführen. Ausgangspunkt ist eine unbequeme Zahl: Im Jahr 2024 lag das Vertrauen der Bürgerinnen und

Bürger in die Justiz in Lateinamerika im Durchschnitt bei lediglich 28 Prozent. Dieses Legitimationsdefizit ist nicht ohne Folgen geblieben, denn es diene als Rechtfertigung für Reformen, die die richterliche Unabhängigkeit schwächen.

Laurence Pantin, Alejandra Stephanie Quezada Ferreira

22. August 2026

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<https://www.kas.de/documents/266027/0/Justicia+a-bierta+Ok+19+agosto+%28%29.pdf/4a914c88-0844-89df-2b0d-4abdfac1ca13?version=1.0&t=1787849485152>

Análisis

De país de emigrantes a centro migratorio: la nueva complejidad de México

El endurecimiento de la frontera estadounidense, la externalización del control migratorio y la violencia del crimen organizado convirtieron a México en emisor, tránsito, destino y expulsor de migrantes a la vez.

Por: Johannes Hügel, Nikolaus Rischbieter

19 Ago, 2026

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/analisis/emigrantes-a-centro-migratorio-la-nueva-mexico/>

DP Enfoque 21

¿De quién es el petróleo latinoamericano?

Esta investigación pone al descubierto cómo las inversiones, las influencias y las alianzas políticas son las armas del presente en una pugna de intereses geoeconómicos que tensiona soberanías y alinea gobiernos. América Latina no es un actor: es el territorio en disputa. ¿Hacia dónde van las exportaciones petroleras latinoamericanas en plena reconfiguración del orden mundial? ¿Cuál es la movida de Estados Unidos y su nueva estrategia de seguridad? ¿Cómo se posicionan Europa y China en la industria energética regional? ¿Qué ha pasado con las inversiones rusas en el continente?

por Marco Aurelio Peña Morales

18 de agosto de 2026

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<https://dialogopolitico.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/08/DP-Enfoque-21-1.pdf>

NACLA

News & Analysis

El futuro de Guatemala frente a Estados Unidos se sella en un puerto

En un año el Cuerpo de Ingenieros del Ejército de los Estados Unidos ha recibido \$170 millones del Gobierno de Guatemala para estudios de infraestructura vial y portuaria, cementando la dependencia del país centroamericano con EE.UU.

Juan Luis García

August 28, 2026

<https://nacla.org/el-futuro-de-guatemala-frente-a-estados-unidos-se-sella-en-un-puerto/>

News & Analysis

A Rightward Turn in Honduras Puts Land Defenders At Risk

The massacre of 20 campesinos in the Bajo Aguán Valley demonstrates the deadly consequences of their struggle against powerful landowners with ties to the recently elected far-right government.

Cristian J. Padilla Romero

August 25, 2026

<https://nacla.org/a-rightward-turn-in-honduras-puts-land-defenders-at-risk/>

News & Analysis

Struggling for Truth and Reconciliation in Uruguay

Proposed legislation calls into question how far the current government is willing to go to help victims of the dictatorship find justice.

Eva Newton

August 20, 2026

<https://nacla.org/struggling-for-truth-and-reconciliation-in-uruguay/>

News & Analysis

Colombia and Israel's Cynical Disaster Diplomacy

Under the cover of earthquake response, Colombian President Abelardo de la Espriella has dramatically reversed Colombia's stance toward Israel, recognizing controversial Israeli claims over the occupied Golan Heights.

Gabe Levine-Drizin

August 18, 2026

<https://nacla.org/colombia-and-israels-cynical-disaster-diplomacy/>

Real Instituto Elcano

Woodrow Wilson Center

Sonstiges

Bundestag: Beratungsabläufe zu Lateinamerika / Karibik

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