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American Enterprise Institute

AS/COA

Poll Tracker: Ecuador's 2025 Elections

Will incumbent Daniel Noboa face a rematch with Luisa González? And how are security and energy concerns affecting the race?

By Khalea Robertson

February 3, 2025

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/poll-tracker-ecuadors-2025-elections>

Latin America's 2025 Economic Outlook

The region's growth continues to be slow and steady, with positive projections for 2025.

By Gladys Gerbaud

January 17, 2025

<https://www.as-coa.org/articles/latin-americas-2025-economic-outlook>

Americas Quarterly

Mexico

The Storm for U.S.-Mexico Ties Is Only Beginning

Even though Trump stepped back from the brink on tariffs, structural problems in Mexico point to continued trouble ahead.

By Arturo Sarukhan

February 4, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/the-storm-for-u-s-mexico-ties-is-only-beginning/>

Guatemala

Guatemala Aims for Quiet Coexistence with Washington

President Arévalo is betting on discreet cooperation and pragmatic engagement with the Trump administration.

By Claudia Méndez Arriaza

February 3, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/guatemala-aims-for-quiet-coexistence-with-washington/>

Panama

What Trump Really Wants in Panama

Whether it's countering China, or pursuing a new U.S. expansionism, the president's threats have already led to concrete action inside Panama, writes AQ's editor-in-chief.

By Brian Winter

January 30, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/what-trump-really-wants-in-panama/>

Ecuador

Ecuador: Meet the Candidates 2025

Ecuadorians will head to the polls on February 9, almost 18 months after the previous presidential election.

By Emilie Sweigart and Luiza Franco

January 29, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/ecuador-meet-the-candidates-2025/>

Ecuador

Ecuador's High-Stakes Elections

Anti-establishment sentiment will likely shape the February 9 vote.

By Sebastián Hurtado

January 29, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/ecuadors-high-stakes-elections/>

U.S.-Latin America Relations

Ten Keys to Understand Trump 2.0 and Latin America

Migration, relations with China and crisis points in Cuba and Venezuela are among the top issues the region will deal with under the new U.S. administration.

By Lucía Dammert

January 28, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/ten-keys-to-understand-trump-2-0-and-latin-america/>

Brazil

Trump and Lula Think Differently. Will They Find Common Ground?

The two leaders have diverging views on the future of BRICS and climate change. What can bridge the gap?

By Fernanda Magnotta

January 22, 2025

<https://www.americasquarterly.org/article/trump-and-lula-think-differently-will-they-find-common-ground/>

Atlantic Council

New Atlanticist

What Ecuador's election will mean for the region's fight against organized crime

The winner of Ecuador's presidential election will need to adopt a new approach to confronting the country's security and economic challenges.

By Isabel Chiriboga

Feb 4, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/what-ecuadors-election-will-mean-for-the-regions-fight-against-organized-crime/>

New Atlanticist

What to expect from Rubio's trip to Central America and the Caribbean

The US secretary of state lands in Panama on February 1 to kick off his first foreign trip. Here's what to expect at every stop on migration, security, and more.

By Jason Marczak, María Fernanda Bozmoski

Jan 31, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/what-to-expect-from-rubios-trip-to-central-america-and-the-caribbean/>

Freedom and Prosperity Around the World

Peru's economy needs to unlock its green potential

Peru's green transition offers a path to prosperity through renewable energy, critical minerals, and job creation. Prioritizing infrastructure, labor market reforms, and human capital development can

drive growth. Political consensus around this vision is key to overcoming institutional weaknesses and positioning Peru as a global leader in the green economy.

By Liliana Rojas-Suarez

Jan 30, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/in-depth-research-reports/books/perus-economy-needs-to-unlock-its-green-potential/>

Issue Brief

'Maximum pressure' sanctions on Venezuela help US adversaries, hurt Venezuelans

The "maximum pressure" strategy employed from 2018 to 2022 against the illegitimate Nicolás Maduro regime in Venezuela did not serve US interests. In this issue brief, the author argues that US sanctions must be linked to clear, targeted objectives.

By William Tobin

Jan 23, 2025

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<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/maximum-pressure-sanctions-on-venezuela.pdf.pdf>

Barcelona Centre for International Affairs (CIDOB)

Brookings Institution

Commentary

Ecuador's elections, organized crime, and security challenges

Vanda Felbab-Brown and Diana Paz García

February 3, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/ecuadors-elections-organized-crime-and-security-challenges/>

Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

CATO

Blog Post

Trump Administration Shouldn't Designate Drug Cartels as Foreign Terrorist Organizations

By Alex Nowrasteh

February 5, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/trump-administration-shouldnt-designate-drug-cartels-foreign-terrorist-organizations>

Blog Post

From One Endless War to Another: Trump's New Military Frontier in Mexico?

By Brandan P. Buck

February 4, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/one-endless-war-another-trumps-new-military-frontier-mexico>

Center for Economic and Policy Research (CEPR)

Article

Where Does the Money Go? A Look at USAID Spending in Haiti

By Jake Johnston

Feb 4, 2025

<https://cepr.net/publications/a-look-at-usaid-spending-in-haiti/>

Article

The Trump Administration Unabashedly Embraces the Monroe Doctrine

By Guillaume Long

Jan 30, 2025

<https://cepr.net/publications/trump-embraces-the-monroe-doctrine/>

Center for Global Development

Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)

Commentary

Ending Maduro's Oil Lifeline: Reviewing Oil Licenses Granted Under the Barbados Accord

CSIS Americas Program director Ryan C. Berg, Jose Ignacio Hernández, and Alexandra Winkler evaluate the impact of the oil licenses the United States has granted Venezuela and identify options for the United States moving forward.

by Ryan C. Berg, Jose Ignacio Hernández, and Alexandra Winkler

January 23, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/ending-maduros-oil-lifeline-reviewing-oil-licenses-granted-under-barbados-accord>

Centro de Estudos de Integração e Desenvolvimento (CINDES)

Newsletter Comércio & Desenvolvimento Sustentável 20

por CINDES

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- Comércio e desenvolvimento sustentável no texto revisto do Acordo Mercosul – União Europeia

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Centro Brasileiro de Relações Internacionais (CEBRI)

Comisión Económica para América Latina y el Caribe (CEPAL)

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Road to Seville: reform proposals for FfD4 from the United Nations regional commissions

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<https://repositorio.cepal.org/server/api/core/bitstreams/3bfe9e86-8add-4566-8b2e-3607f1356754/content>

Panorama del desarrollo territorial de América Latina y el Caribe, 2024: nuevas capacidades para la transformación territorial

El actual contexto de crisis en cascada que experimenta el mundo, y la región, plantea grandes incertidumbres y desafíos para el estilo o modelo de desarrollo vigente de América Latina y el Caribe, el cual se encuentra inmerso en tres dilemas o trampas. a) la trampa del crecimiento, b) la trampa de la desigualdad y, c) la trampa de la baja capacidad institucional y de gobernanza efectiva.

Díez Pinto, Elena Riffo Pérez, Luis Williner, Alicia Sandoval, Carlos Délano, María del Pilar

Enero 2025

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Panorama Social de América Latina y el Caribe 2024

Desafíos de la protección social no contributiva para avanzar hacia el desarrollo social inclusivo

Alberto Arenas de Mesa (coord.)

Enero 2025

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Consejo Argentino para las Relaciones Internacionales

Council on Foreign Relations (CFR)

Article

What Trump's Trade War Would Mean, in Nine Charts

President Trump's tariffs on Canada, China, and Mexico could upend U.S. trade. These nine charts show what's at stake, what comes next, and why it matters.

by Shannon K. O'Neil and Julia Huesa

February 5, 2025

<https://www.cfr.org/article/what-trumps-trade-war-would-mean-nine-charts>

Article

Who Controls the Panama Canal?

Panama has owned and administered the Panama Canal for nearly three decades. President Trump wants to change that to counter growing Chinese influence in Latin America.

by Diana Roy

January 29, 2025

<https://www.cfr.org/article/who-controls-panama-canal>

Article

Destabilizing Mexico Would Make the U.S. Less Safe and Wealthy

Trump's revival of his punitive immigration playbook will overwhelm Mexico's overburdened state, sandbag regional economic growth and enrich criminal cartels.

by Shannon K. O'Neil

January 28, 2025

<https://www.cfr.org/article/destabilizing-mexico-would-make-us-less-safe-and-wealthy>

Council on Hemispheric Affairs (COHA)

Opinion

Libre determinación y unidad nacional popular ante el irredentismo imperial

By Abdiel Rodríguez Reyes,

Ciudad de Panamá

January 30, 2025

<https://coha.org/libre-determinacion-y-unidad-nacional-popular-ante-el-irredentismo-imperial/>

Article

Chile: Back to the Future

By Maximiliano Véjares

January 20, 2025

<https://coha.org/chile-back-to-the-future/>

Deutsche Bank Research

Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

No hay paz sin justicia social : Esmeraldas bajo amenaza: un análisis de problemas sociales y violencia (2018-2023) / Carolina Sánchez Pilco, Martha Santos Párraga, Julián Gaybor Yánez. -

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Electronic ed.: Bogotá : FES, 2025

<https://library.fes.de/pdf-files/bueros/la-seguridad/21834.pdf>

Die BRICS vor und nach dem Gipfel in Russland : Ziele, Interessen und Perspektiven / Dr. Alexandra Sitenko ; Herausgebende Abteilung: International Cooperation Department, Russia Program of the FES. - Bonn : Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung e.V., Januar 2025. - 11 Seiten = 400 KB, PDF-File. - (Analyse)

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German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA)

Hanns-Seidel-Stiftung (HSS)

Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung

Analyse

Für Mexikos ökologische Zukunft: Präsidentin Sheinbaum setzt auf erneuerbare Energien

Mexiko wird seit Oktober von der Klimawissenschaftlerin Claudia Sheinbaum regiert: Bei ihrem Amtsantritt kündigte sie an, die erneuerbaren Energien massiv auszubauen. Aber wie viel ökologischer Fortschritt ist von ihr wirklich zu erwarten?

Von Lisa Kuner

28. Januar 2025

<https://www.boell.de/de/2025/01/28/fuer-mexikos-oekologische-zukunft-praesidentin-sheinbaum-setzt-auf-erneuerbare-energien>

Analyse

100 Tage im Amt: Die erste Präsidentin Mexikos hat Mehrheiten für Reformen

In den drei Monaten nach ihrem Amtsantritt hat Mexikos neue Präsidentin, Claudia Sheinbaum, mit der Umsetzung ihres ambitionierten 100-Punkte-Plans begonnen. Nach 100 Tagen stellt sich die Frage, welche politischen Schwerpunkte sie setzen will und kann.

Von Florian Huber

21. Januar 2025

<https://www.boell.de/de/2025/01/21/100-tage-im-amt-die-erste-praesidentin-mexikos-hat-mehrheiten-fuer-reformen>

Trabajadores Jóvenes ante la Amenaza de un Futuro Incierto

Documento de trabajo Fundación SOL, Santiago de Chile

María José Azócar - Santiago Rosselot - Andrea Sato

Enero de 2025

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The Heritage Foundation

Hessische Stiftung Friedens- und Konfliktforschung (PRIF)

Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut SPK (IAI)

Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

Technical Note

Does Female Work Make Him Stay? The Impact of Female Work on Emigration

Emigration in Mexico predominantly involves young men, with millions of individuals crossing borders, while female labor force participation (FLFP) remains significantly below international levels...

Author(s): Arceo, Eva;López, Arnoldo;Ventosa-Santaulària, Daniel;Roque, Brian

Jan 2025

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Working Paper

Assessing the Role of Tax-benefit Systems in Reducing the Gender Income Gap in Latin America

This paper aims to assess the extent to which cash transfers, direct taxes, and social contributions help to reduce gender income inequalities in seven Latin American countries

Author(s): Deza, María Cecilia;Dono, Mariana;Jara, H. Xavier;Rodríguez Guerrero, David Arturo;Torres, Javier

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Monograph

Huella: Measuring the impact of development projects

HUELLA, an innovative methodology developed by the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), represents a paradigm shift in evaluating development project impacts.

Author(s): Ruiz-Arranz, Marta; Martin, Lucia; Lotti, Giulia; Peña, Werner; Bolaños, Francisco

Jan 2025

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Inter-American Dialogue

Report

Venezuela: A Roadmap to Protect Independent Journalism in Closed Regimes

Tamara Taraciuk Broner, Nizar El Fakih

February 6, 2025

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<https://thediologue.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/A-Roadmap-to-Protect-Independent-Journalism.pdf>

Policy Brief

Money in Politics: The Role of the Private Sector in Strengthening Transparency and Democracy in Latin America and the Caribbean

Tamara Taraciuk Broner, Marcela Ríos Tobar, Hernán Charosky

January 30, 2025

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https://thediologue.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/Money-in-Politics_EN-1.pdf

International Crisis Group

Commentary

Colombia: From “Total Peace” to Local Peace

The government’s pursuit of “total peace” with armed groups has hit a rough patch, with fighting erupting on several fronts. In this excerpt from the Watch List 2025, Crisis Group explains how the EU can nudge dialogue toward putting civilian protection first.

30 January 2025

<https://www.crisisgroup.org/latin-america-caribbean/andes/colombia/colombia-total-peace-local-peace>

International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA)

Kellogg Institute For International Studies

Konrad Adenauer Stiftung

Agenda | Análisis

Milei: ¿líder global o local?

Lo dicho en Davos se materializa con la salida de la OMS. El presidente argentino avanza en su alineación con el nuevo orden global que impulsa Donald Trump.

Por: Carlos Fara

6 Feb, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/milei-davos-lider-global-local/>

Agenda | Análisis

Pix y la derrota política para Lula

El medio de pago más utilizado por los brasileños es la más reciente derrota política para Lula por un mal manejo de la comunicación gubernamental ante la ofensiva de las redes sociales y una ola de informaciones falsas.

Por: Marco Bastos

30 Ene, 2025

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Länderberichte

Mexiko: Turbulenter Start in ein richtungsweisendes Jahr

Ein Überblick über die aktuellen politischen Ereignisse

von Ing. Hans-Hartwig Blomeier, Maximilian Strobel

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La política exterior de Trump: oportunidades y desafíos para Latinoamérica

Con Trump en la Casa Blanca se ha hecho evidente el nuevo viento desde los Estados Unidos y el reacomodo de posiciones en Latinoamérica.

Por: Philip Bracklo

29 Ene, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/politica-exterior-trump-latinoamerica/>

Agenda | Análisis

Perspectivas de seguridad en Colombia en 2025: retos y realidades

Colombia enfrenta un complejo panorama de seguridad en 2025, marcado por el colapso de la "paz total", la crisis en el Catatumbo, la violencia criminal y los desafíos con Venezuela y Estados Unidos. Urge fortalecimiento institucional y cooperación internacional.

Por: Andrea Valdelamar

28 Ene, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/agenda/perspectivas-colombia-2025/>

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Debates

Recesión del Estado de Derecho en América Latina, ¿una tendencia irreversible?

El aumento del autoritarismo, las restricciones a los derechos fundamentales y la ineficacia de los sistemas de justicia son factores que inciden en su declive.

Por: Natalia Rodríguez, Ana María Montoya

17 Ene, 2025

<https://dialogopolitico.org/debates/estado-de-derecho-america-latina/>

NACLA

Panama Canal Takeover: An Old Ghost in a Curious Present

Trump's threat to take back the Panama Canal signals a new era of U.S. expansionism and the greatest attack on Central American sovereignty since the 1990s.

Francisco Javier Bonilla

February 4, 2025

<https://nacla.org/panama-canal-takeover-old-ghost-curious-present>

The Forgotten Victims: Orphans of Femicide in Colombia

In the face of the femicide crisis in Colombia, a second crisis persists: hundreds of children are left orphaned each year and without support from the state.

By Anna Abraham, Tony Kirby, and Sergio Alejandro Melgarejo García

February 3, 2025

<https://nacla.org/forgotten-victims-orphans-femicide-colombia>

The Disappearance of a Mapuche Elder is an Indictment of Chile’s “Progressive” Government

Activists link the disappearance of land defender Julia Chuñil to the state’s militarization of the region and its deep ties to rapacious forestry companies.

Carole Concha Bell

January 28, 2025

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Análisis

El nuevo acuerdo UE-México: la UE acelera a fondo la integración con América Latina

Por Juan Carlos Baker, Antoni Estevadeordal, Ernesto Talvi

03 Feb 2025

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Analysis

Exploring where and how to strengthen EU-LAC cooperation on climate action and the just energy transition: a focus on Colombia and Chile

By Guy Edwards

on 23 Jan 2025

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Arévalo, One Year On: Is Guatemala's President Losing the Fight Against Corruption?

Steven Dudley

January 2025

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Eine Abfrage zu Lateinamerika ist unter dem folgenden abgekürzten Link zu finden. Bitte beachten Sie, dass die Aufnahme parlamentarischer Vorgänge in die DIP-Datenbank zeitverzögert stattfindet. Beim Klicken auf den untenstehenden Link öffnet sich die voreingestellte Suchseite mit den Abfragekriterien. Weiter unten auf der Seite sehen Sie dann die Abfrageergebnisse. Diese sind chronologisch absteigend sortiert und beinhalten alle Vorgänge, Dokumente und Aktivitäten, die nach der Herausgabe des letzten SWP-Webmonitors Lateinamerika eingespielt bzw. geändert worden sind.

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