

International Extemp Questions

1. How will international tensions with Venezuela affect the global economy?
2. What nation is best positioned to lead a new international economic order?
3. How would Iran's acquisition of nuclear weapons affect the Middle East?
4. Will Trump be able to broker a peace deal between Russia and Ukraine?
5. Should other countries copy El Salvador's approach to reducing crime?
6. What are the ramifications of Chile's most recent presidential election results?
7. Are right-wing politics still rising internationally?
8. How does Trump's new travel ban compare to the ban from the first administration?
9. Will Argentina maintain its economic recovery without further US assistance?
10. Is international antisemitism on the rise?
11. What effects do falling oil prices have on oil-producing nations?
12. Has the peace deal between Rwanda and the Democratic Republic of Congo been successful?
13. How can Afghanistan navigate its current food security crisis?
14. What can Latin America do to stop cartel influence?
15. How will high World Cup ticket prices affect potential benefits for host countries?
16. After recent ISIS attacks on U.S. forces, can Syria be entrusted with maintaining its internal security?
17. What does the election of far-right candidate José Antonio Kast signify about the changing political landscape in Latin America?
18. How does Russia's openness to Ukrainian EU membership impact peace negotiations?
19. Are Thailand and Cambodia likely to cooperate with a ceasefire agreement in the long-term?
20. Will Pakistan's military continue to dominate civilian politics in 2025?
21. Is Africa's debt crisis a failure of domestic governance or a consequence of Chinese debt trapping?
22. Are democratic institutions in Senegal strong enough to withstand rising executive power and political unrest?
23. To what extent do BRICS countries represent a coherent alternative to Western-led institutions?
24. How will nearshoring and U.S.–China tensions reshape Mexico's economic trajectory?
25. What do Houthi attacks in the red sea reveal about global maritime security?
26. How has Syria changed in the year since the fall of Bashar al-Assad?
27. What factors make achieving a durable Hamas–Israel ceasefire most challenging?
28. What steps can Cambodia and Thailand take to permanently resolve their border disputes?
29. How can the Venezuelan government effectively reduce drug smuggling?
30. Why was voter turnout so high in Hong Kong's recent election?
31. Should more countries impose financial penalties on X?
32. What should Yemen's government do to maintain peace among competing separatist factions?
33. What obstacles stood in the way of the UN Environmental Assembly producing meaningful policy change?
34. Who is Ukraine's most critical ally at this stage of the war?
35. How will China's growing trade surplus impact its relationship with the United States?
36. What political shifts might elections in Chile and Ecuador signal?
37. Is Nigeria the site for the next U.S.–China proxy conflict?
38. What steps should international actors take to address China's persecution of its Uyghur population?
39. Could nations in the Global South address climate change better than western nations?
40. How might Japan's renewed position on Taiwan impact regional tensions?
41. Should there be increased regulation on the use of AI drone technology?
42. What would the best solution be in the Russia-Ukraine war?
43. How can Vietnam improve its disaster response?

44. Is Iraq making progress in its democratic reforms?
45. How can global actors improve the efficiency of the World Food Programme?
46. Will the new United States-Switzerland-Liechtenstein trade agreement strengthen U.S.-European relations?
47. How should Mexican President Claudia Sheinbaum Pardo respond to rising anti-government protests?
48. Can a peace deal between the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the M23 rebels effectively resolve the regional conflict?
49. What issues should have taken priority at the G20 summit?
50. Should more Latin American nations pursue national referendums?
51. How will French-made fighter jets impact Ukraine's war effort against Russia?
52. Is another conflict erupting in Tigray?
53. How will China and Germany's trade relationship evolve in the coming years?
54. Is the African Union an organization that African nations can rely on to represent them?
55. Will China overtake the U.S. on new energy supply chains?
56. How will Chinese port projects in Latin America and the Caribbean shift regional trade?
57. Why did Saudi Arabia's NEOM project fail?
58. What will be the impact of the expansion of AI Infrastructure in Latin America?
59. Can Egypt's worsening economic state weaken Al-Sisi's Presidency?
60. Should Latin American nations pursue China or the U.S.?
61. Has China's Belt & Road initiative failed?
62. Is it in Venezuela's best interests to cooperate with President Trump's demands?
63. Can Argentina be trusted with a \$40 billion bailout?
64. How can Mali efficiently combat the increase in terrorist activity?
65. What is the best way to combat global shadow markets?
66. How should Australia respond to the Bondi Junction incident to prevent future acts of mass violence?
67. Can the West prevent a new debt crisis in low-income nations?
68. Is the global order at risk as nations weaponize tech and trade?
69. Do rare-earth export controls redefine global power balances?
70. Does the freeing of prisoners in Belarus signify real change coming soon?
71. Who will be the leader in renewable energy in the coming decade?
72. Will Turkey's return of S-400s cause significant change in US-Turkey relations?
73. Can Britain and the US compromise on the stalled \$40 billion tech deal?
74. What infrastructure developments are most important for Uganda to develop right now?
75. Should France be concerned about its deficit?
76. What has caused Egypt's rise in the aviation industry?
77. Will there be a war between China and Taiwan by 2030?
78. Will India be able to overtake China as the next-largest global power?
79. Is Japan poised for another economic recession?
80. Are the Scandinavian nations spending enough on defense?
81. What can be done to stop North Korean cyber attacks?
82. How can South Korea fix their fertility crisis?
83. What can the UN do to help with global refugee crises?
84. Is NATO ready for a possible war with Russia?