<u>PRELIMS</u>

Is France's influence in Africa finally coming to an end?

Can Northern African nations like Morocco leverage the Trump administration's policies to improve their economies?

Can 2025 be the right time for a final settlement of the status of the Western Sahara?

Is North Korea's combat experience in Ukraine forcing the Kim regime to realize it is not ready for war in the 21st century?

What else must Australia do to reckon with the impact of its policies against its Indigenous citizens?

Will DeepSeek spell trouble for political opponents of Xi's administration in Beijing?

Should Europe begin to wind down its military support of Israel after its ceasefire agreement with Hamas?

Should Belarus's neighbors do more to help develop a legitimate opposition to the government of Alexander Lukashenko?

Will the recent economic turmoil over DeepSeek become more of the norm than the exception as AI development accelerates worldwide?

Was Bank of Japan's recent policy decisions a true sign of the health of the global economy?

Which nations stand to gain economically from the economic outlook for the remainder of the 2020s?

Should the Department of Defense move to revise its Status of Forces Agreement with Japan following recent defense improvements made by Tokyo?

Is it time for the U.S. military to move additional forces from Germany into Poland and the Baltic States?

What steps should the Department of Defense take to ensure that NATO remains solvent during the Trump Presidency?

Will the Trump administration see an increasing privatization of healthcare services to veterans by the VA?

<u>ELIMS</u>

What can public health authorities do to help quell recent disinformation regarding vaccines and other public health initiatives?

What can local school boards do to ensure that students receive a well-rounded education under increasing government intervention in the education system?

How can the American agricultural sector recover from an ongoing economic freefall?

Will the service industry fall victim to an expanding labor shortage, despite recent efforts by the Trump administration to stabilize the sector?

What can the American government do to ensure domestic airlines are poised for success against their international counterparts?

Will President Trump's administration be defined not by his policies, but by his lack of empathy?

Is Tulsi Gabbard role as DNI put her into direct conflict with President Trump's impulsive outlook on foreign affairs?

Is Sean Duffy ready for his role as Secretary of Transportation?

Is Germany's AfD party set to become the largest far-right political movement in modern German history?

Will South Africa set the tone for a permanent shift of African economic output away from the United States?

Wil recent fighting between Baloch rebels and the Pakastani government further destabilize the nation at the worst possible time?

Are American tariffs exactly what Justin Trudeau needs to secure his legacy as Canadian Prime Minister?

Will cooperation with the United States be seen as a viable pathway by Nicolas Maduro to curry favor with the West?

With victory on the battlefield growing more uncertain, should Ukraine do more to create a viable opposition movement against Vladmir Putin?

Is the Chinese decision to legally challenge American trade tariffs setting Beijing up for victory in their dispute with Washington?