

Global Diplomacy in April 2026: Peace Talks, Trade Deals, and Climate Summits

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1. Which two Middle Eastern countries agreed to a ten-day cessation of hostilities in April 2026, facilitated by the United States, to enable peace negotiations?

- A) Iran and Saudi Arabia
- B) Israel and Lebanon
- C) Egypt and Syria
- D) Turkey and Iraq

2. What major economic agreement was signed between India and New Zealand in April 2026 to deepen economic ties?

- A) A comprehensive agricultural pact
- B) A free trade agreement
- C) An investment protection treaty
- D) A joint technology development initiative

3. Which two nations co-hosted the first International Conference on the Just Transition Away from Fossil Fuels in Santa Marta, Colombia, in April 2026?

- A) Germany and France
- B) Colombia and the Netherlands
- C) Canada and Australia
- D) Japan and South Korea

4. What critical waterway's closure was a major point of contention and discussion during US-Iran peace talks mediated by Pakistan in April 2026?

- A) The Suez Canal
- B) The Panama Canal
- C) The Strait of Malacca
- D) The Strait of Hormuz

5. Which European countries renewed their defense cooperation agreement in April 2026, including a mutual defense assistance clause?

- A) Germany and Poland
- B) Greece and France
- C) Spain and Portugal
- D) Italy and Austria

6. The Islamabad Talks in April 2026, aimed at stabilizing a ceasefire and negotiating a resolution to a regional conflict, were moderated by which country?

- A) Turkey
- B) Qatar
- C) Pakistan
- D) Oman

7. Which international body adopted a resolution on April 14, 2026, concerning the situation in Libya and imposing sanctions?

- A) The European Union
- B) The African Union
- C) The United Nations Security Council
- D) The International Criminal Court

8. The Petersberg Climate Dialogue in April 2026, hosted by Germany, focused on advancing political discussions ahead of which upcoming UN Climate Change Conference?

- A) COP30
- B) COP31
- C) COP32
- D) COP33

9. What significant military agreement was reportedly signed between Russia and India in April 2026, concerning mutual access to military infrastructure?

- A) A joint space exploration treaty
- B) A mutual logistics support (RELOS) agreement
- C) A nuclear non-proliferation pact
- D) A cybersecurity cooperation framework

10. In April 2026, which two countries signed a Memorandum of Understanding for a U.S.-EU Strategic Partnership on Critical Minerals?

- A) United States and Canada
- B) United States and European Union
- C) United States and China
- D) United States and Japan

11. The European Parliament and European Council reached a provisional agreement in April 2026 to update the rules on coordination of what for cross-border workers?

- A) Taxation policies
- B) Social security systems
- C) Healthcare benefits
- D) Educational standards

12. China's Foreign Minister and Defense Minister held their first-ever 2+2 dialogue with which Southeast Asian country in April 2026?

- A) Vietnam
- B) Indonesia
- C) Cambodia
- D) Thailand

13. In April 2026, a UN Security Council draft resolution concerning the Strait of Hormuz failed to be adopted due to opposing votes from which two permanent members?

- A) United States and France
- B) Russia and China
- C) United Kingdom and Germany
- D) Japan and South Korea

14. Which countries co-hosted the 5th edition of the Antalya Diplomacy Forum (ADF2026) in April 2026 to discuss geopolitical tensions and international cooperation?

- A) Türkiye and Greece
- B) Azerbaijan and Georgia
- C) Türkiye and Azerbaijan
- D) Saudi Arabia and UAE

15. Which nation's diplomatic visit to India and Vietnam in April 2026 aimed to reinforce its diplomatic outreach in Asia?

- A) South Korea
- B) Japan
- C) Singapore
- D) Malaysia

16. What international treaty's review conference began in New York on April 27, 2026, aiming to prevent the spread of nuclear weapons?

- A) Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons
- B) Treaty on Conventional Weapons
- C) Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT)
- D) Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty (CTBT)

17. Which two countries signed an industrial cooperation agreement in April 2026 to develop a geostationary defense telecommunications satellite for Poland?

- A) Germany and France
- B) United States and Poland
- C) France and Poland
- D) United Kingdom and Poland

18. The International Maritime Organization (IMO) addressed maritime security in the context of geopolitical conflict around which vital waterway in April 2026?

- A) The Panama Canal
- B) The Strait of Malacca
- C) The Suez Canal
- D) The Strait of Hormuz

19. The Trump administration announced a new trade strategy in April 2026 focusing on targeted arrangements with which region's countries?

- A) Sub-Saharan Africa
- B) The Middle East
- C) The Western Hemisphere
- D) Central Asia

20. Which international organization's Secretary-General delivered keynote remarks at a UN Security Council debate on the safety and protection of waterways in April 2026?

- A) World Trade Organization (WTO)
- B) International Maritime Organization (IMO)
- C) International Monetary Fund (IMF)
- D) World Health Organization (WHO)

21. In April 2026, the PRC pressured several African countries to revoke overflight permissions for Taiwanese President William Lai Ching-te's aircraft, in an effort to disrupt Taiwan's international engagement. Which of the following countries was NOT among those that revoked permissions?

- A) Mauritius
- B) Madagascar
- C) Seychelles
- D) Eswatini

22. The 17th Petersberg Climate Dialogue, held in Berlin in April 2026, was convened by Germany in cooperation with which country, the incoming COP31 Presidency?

- A) Türkiye
- B) France
- C) Italy
- D) Spain

23. Which two countries signed a free trade agreement in New Delhi on April 27, 2026, aiming to deepen economic ties and expand market access?

- A) India and Australia
- B) India and New Zealand
- C) India and Canada
- D) India and the United Kingdom

24. The US-Iran ceasefire and subsequent peace talks in April 2026 were mediated by which country, following weeks of conflict?

- A) Qatar
- B) Turkey
- C) Pakistan
- D) Oman