

# South America's June-July 2026 Political Highlights: Colombia, Peru Elections

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## 1. Who won the presidential runoff election in Colombia in June 2026?

- A) Iván Cepeda
- B) Gustavo Petro
- C) Abelardo de la Espriella**
- D) Nayib Bukele

## 2. In early July 2026, who was officially declared the winner of Peru's presidential runoff election held in June?

- A) Roberto Sánchez
- B) Keiko Fujimori**
- C) Pedro Castillo
- D) Dina Boluarte

## 3. What was a primary reason for large protests against President José Antonio Kast's government in Santiago, Chile, in early June 2026?

- A) Proposed tax increases on foreign companies
- B) Education cuts and austerity measures**
- C) Border disputes with Bolivia
- D) Privatization of state-owned copper mines

## 4. In mid-June 2026, what was Argentina's Congress focused on advancing, taking advantage of a major public distraction?

- A) A new environmental protection treaty
- B) Comprehensive healthcare reform
- C) A broad package of economic, regulatory, and political reforms**
- D) Increased funding for cultural programs