SIGLA: States and Institutions of Governance in Latin America

Release Note

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Data Highlights
- SIGLA added data on "Electoral Calendar and Outcomes" for presidential and legislative elections, and "Presidential Election Calendar" for the 20 Latin American countries that all SIGLA institutional categories will eventually include.
- For each election, SIGLA provides:
  - Date and result of the election
  - Summary of electoral process governing the election
  - Electoral integrity score from Freedom House and V-Dem
  - Date of the next election
- For the presidential election calendar, SIGLA provides:
  - Date of last presidential election
  - Date of next presidential election

Tech Highlights
- Electoral Calendar and Outcomes is accessible under Explore Data;
- Users may filter Electoral Outcomes by inputting key terms in the search bar above the table;
- Users may download Electoral Outcomes in an Excel file;
- Presidential Election Calendar is accessible through a link on the Electoral Calendar and Outcomes page;
- Users may filter the Election Calendar by inputting key terms in the search bar above the table;
- Users may download the Election Calendar in an Excel file.

Website Highlights
- "Research Methodology" has been updated to reflect the addition of data on Electoral Calendar and Outcomes" and "Presidential Election Calendar".
- "Technical Codebook" has been updated to include all variables included in SIGLA version 3.2.0.

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