

Week ahead: Hearings on a \$15 minimum wage; Trump meets with Pelosi and Schumer

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- **Data aggregation:** House Judiciary hearing on “Transparency and Accountability: Examining Google and its Data Collection, Use and Filtering” (10:00 a.m.)
- **Border protection:** Senate Judiciary hearing on “Oversight of US Customs and Border Protection” (10:00 a.m.)
- **Intelligence overview:** House Armed Services hearing on “Defense Department’s Artificial Intelligence Structure, Investments, and Applications (3:30 p.m.)

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- **International economy:** Senate Armed Services hearing “Implications of China’s Presence and Investment in Africa” (9:30 a.m.)
- **International finance:** House Financial Services hearing on “Evaluating the Effectiveness of the International Financial Institutions” (10:00 a.m.)
- **Minimum wage:** House Education and the Workforce hearing on “Mandating a \$15 Minimum Wage: Consequences for Workers and Small Businesses” (10:00 a.m.)
- **Energy:** House Energy and Commerce hearing on “Public Private Partnerships for Federal Energy Management” (10:15 a.m.)
- **Native American affairs:** Senate Indian Affairs hearing on “Missing and Murdered: Confronting the Silent Crisis in Indian Country” (2:00 p.m.)

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- **Medical research:** House Oversight and Government Reform hearing on ”Exploring Alternatives to Fetal Tissue Research” (10:00 a.m.)
- **Case study:** House Oversight and Government Reform hearing on “Oversight of Nonprofit Organizations: A Case Study on the Clinton Foundation” (2:00 p.m.)
- **Nigeria elections:** House Foreign Affairs hearing on “Nigeria at a Crossroads: The Upcoming Elections” (2:00 p.m.)

Outlook for the White House:

- **Monday,** President Trump has lunch with Vice President Pence
- **Tuesday,** Trump meets with House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi (D-CA-12) and Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-NY), and has lunch with Secretary of Defense James Mattis
- **Wednesday,** Trump hosts an event on “opportunity zones”
- **Thursday,** Trump meets with Secretary of State Mike Pompeo and has a discussion with governors-elect

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