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1- FM Shoukrey participated in the fourth Nuclear Security Summit:

The Minister of Foreign Affairs participated in the fourth Nuclear Security Summit which was held in Washington on March 31st and April 1st 2016 as part of Egypt’s ongoing interest in disarmament and non-proliferation issues. The minister also met during his visit with Secretary of State John Kerry in which they discussed regional developments and the bilateral relation and ongoing cooperation between the two countries. [Read more...](#)



2- President ElSisi Meets With U.S. Export-Import Bank Chairman:

On Sunday 6 March, President Abdel Fattah El Sisi met with the Chairman and President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, Fred P. Hochberg. During the meeting, also attended by the Minister of International Cooperation Sahar Nasr, President ElSisi discussed its strategic relations with the United States and commended the positive role that U.S. companies have played in Egypt's development in recent decades.

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3- A Reception for a number of American diplomats:

The Embassy held on March 24, 2016 a reception for a number of American diplomats currently studying at the Foreign Service Institute as part of their preparation for their upcoming posting at US Embassy in Cairo. The diplomats were received by members of the Egyptian Embassy and discussed the ongoing relations between Egypt and the United States, in addition to discussing Egypt's long history and rich culture. [Read more...](#)

4- Embassy Event Celebrates International and Egyptian Women's Day:

In celebration of Egyptian Women's Day, on Wednesday 16 March 2016 the Embassy of Egypt in Washington, DC hosted a dinner event and awards ceremony with the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee-Women's Empowerment Forum (ACD-WEF).

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5- The new "Belady" Certificate:

National Bank of Egypt, Cairo Bank, Misr Bank announced the issuance of the new "Belady" Certificate in U.S. Dollars, for Egyptian in diaspora. The Central Bank of Egypt guarantees to the owners of the Certificates the right to transfer the redeemed amounts and interest in US Dollars to the client's account outside Egypt in case of request and without maximum limit for transfer. [Read more...](#)

6-Embassy Unveils Ad Campaign Celebrating Parliament's 150-Year Legacy:

To celebrate the 150th anniversary of the inception of parliamentary life in Egypt, the Embassy of Egypt in Washington, D.C. launched a new public advertising campaign that coincides with Foreign Minister Sameh Shoukry's participation in the fourth Nuclear Security Summit.

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7- Investing in the future of Egypt-US relations:

The Embassy of the Arab Republic of Egypt in Washington DC hosted a reception for sixty 7th grade students from Paul Public Charter School on Friday March 11, 2016.

During the event, Mr. Wael Hamed, Deputy Chief of Mission, gave a brief lecture on the history of Egypt, its culture, and the recent developments in the country. He further opened discussion with the students and answered their questions. Mr. Hamed invited some students to take the floor and talk about what they have learnt at school in regard to Egypt's history and culture. [Read more...](#)

