

HARRIS MAKES HER CASE IN HISTORIC SPEECH



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While the President and his predecessor are preparing for a possible rematch in the next election round, a new poll finds a notable lack of enthusiasm within the parties for either candidate as their party's leader, and a clear opening for new standard-bearers.

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No single Democrat captures significant support when asked

who should be their party's leader; instead, Democrats sprinkle their attention across more than a dozen politicians. Yet they also feel more hopeful than dejected about their party. Some Republicans, meanwhile, coalesce around a couple of individuals. But a majority remain silent, and Republicans have grown somewhat more pessimistic



CORPORATE BANKRUPTCIES THIS YEAR ARE THE HIGHEST SINCE 2010

Corporate bankruptcies so far this year are at levels last seen back in 2010 when the economy was tentatively recovering from a catastrophic recession, per a new report from S&P Global Market Intelligence. Now, we are not in a recession or even close to one - instead, the bankruptcies are a result of the rapid interest rate hikes by the Federal Reserve.

CHINA MAY FACE SUCCESSION CRISIS

China's incumbent President dominates the Chinese Communist Party leadership as no one else has since Mao. But his total consolidation of power could create a succession crisis in the future: erosion of established guidelines for succession creates uncertainty and puts China at risk for high-level power struggles in the future.



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EU FINES META \$1.3 BILLION FOR SENDING EUROPEAN USER DATA TO U.S.

The European Union issued its largest fine ever for violations of its data privacy law on Monday, slapping Meta with a \$1.3 billion (1.2 billion euro) penalty for transferring the personal data of European users to the U.S., Ireland's Data Protection Commission said. The fine tops the previous largest data privacy fine of 746 million euro against Amazon for data protection violations.

RESEARCHERS SOUND ALARM OVER "UNPRECEDENTED ICE-FREE" THREAT TO ARCTIC

It is too late to stop summer Arctic Sea ice melting - even in a low-emissions scenario that caps global warming at a 1.5°C target in line with the Paris Agreement, according to a new study. The peer-reviewed findings on the effects of human-caused climate change in the region, published in Nature Communications, suggest the first ice-free summer could be in



“Kamala Harris makes her case in historic speech”

Tra le espressioni più ricorrenti nei molti articoli che hanno commentato il discorso di Kamala Harris alla convention democratica ci sono **make a case** e l'aggettivo **historic**. Vediamole nel dettaglio:

to make a case for something (idiom) = to argue that something is the best thing to do, giving your reasons – in Italiano, diremmo “sostenere” o “perorare” una (anche la propria) causa:

She made a case for providing free healthcare to everyone as a basic human right.



Make a case

I have a meeting with my boss this morning, and I'm going to **make a case** for some new hires.

Once again, it is up to the President and the Council to **make the case**.

Nei titoli “**Kamala Harris makes her case**” l’espressione idiomatica serve a sintetizzare le numerose argomentazioni addotte, con l’obiettivo di persuadere l’uditorio della validità e del valore della sua candidatura.



Historic... or historical? 🤔

L'altra parola onnipresente negli approfondimenti della stampa internazionale è:

historic = important or likely to be important in history

I think we have a **historic** opportunity for peace today.

The fall of the Berlin Wall was a **historic** event.

This win could be a **historic** turning point for the team.

Perché **historic** e non **historical**?

Perché, pur essendo originariamente due varianti del

medesimo aggettivo, con il passare del tempo le due forme si sono distinte, tanto da essere utilizzate con accezione diversa:

historical = (more generically) related to the study of things from the past

Archaeologists found many **historical** artifacts while excavating the field.

The professor gave a lecture on the **historic** battle, emphasizing its significance in the broader **historical** context.

I love **historical** novels!



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