

THINGS TO WATCH IN 2021: KOREA

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An Intensified North Korean Threat

The Biden administration will be challenged with the task of reigning in a North Korean nuclear and missile arsenal that has grown more threatening. The decisions it makes in this crisis will have significant implications for its broader regional strategy.

An Uncertain Path Forward for Pyongyang

Washington and Seoul will struggle to find a way forward that allows for continued engagement with Pyongyang, while strengthening the Alliance against the possibility that denuclearization efforts may again fail.

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