



Events for the Week of February 17 – February 21, 2026

Tuesday, February 17, 2026

- The U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission will hold a hearing on “India, China, and the Balance of Power in the Indo-Pacific.”
- Federal Reserve Bank Governor Michael Barr will speak at the New York Association for Business Economics in New York, NY.
- Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco President Mary Daly will give keynote remarks on AI and the economy at San Jose State University in San Jose, CA.
- Lunar New Year will begin in China with markets closed in mainland China.

Wednesday, February 18, 2026

- Federal Reserve Vice Chair for Supervision Michelle Bowman will deliver a speech at the Exchequer Club in Washington, D.C.
- The Federal Reserve will release the minutes from its January meeting, which will be closely watched for hints about the future direction of rate cuts.
- The Bank of New Zealand will announce its interest rate decision, where it is expected to leave rates unchanged.
- Indonesian President Prabowo Subianto will give a speech at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce’s headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Thursday, February 19, 2026

- The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta will hold its 2026 Banking Outlook Conference in Atlanta, GA. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta President Raphael Bostic will give opening remarks, and Federal Reserve Board Vice Chair of Supervision Michelle Bowman will deliver pre-recorded remarks.
- Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis President Neel Kashkari will participate in a fireside chat for Midwest Summit: Economic Outlook 2026 in West Fargo, ND.
- Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco President Mary Daly will participate in a moderated conversation with former Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas President and CEO Rob Kaplan in San Francisco, CA.
- Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago President and CEO Austan Goolsbee will deliver opening remarks at the 2026 Joint Conference on Financial Crises hosted in Chicago, IL.
- The National Governors Association will hold its 2026 Winter Meeting in Washington, D.C. through Saturday.
- The Bank of Indonesia will announce its interest rate decision, where it is expected to leave rates unchanged.
- Indonesian President Prabowo Subianto and other world leaders are expected to attend the President Trump’s first Board of Peace summit.



Friday, February 20, 2026

- The Supreme Court is expected to issue opinions after its winter recess.
- Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta President Raphael Bostic will participate in a moderated discussion with the Birmingham Business Journal chief.