

**01.04.2016 - This week's #PhotoFriday highlights some of the most important UN news stories from around the world.**



*United Nations Secretary General Ban Ki-moon signs a book of condolences. Photo: UN Photo/Rick Bajornas*

Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon signs a book of condolences at the Permanent Mission of Belgium to the United Nation, on the loss of lives as a result of the 22 March terrorist attacks in Brussels. 35 people died in the attacks and 270 were injured.

A few days later on 27 March, a seperate terror attack in Lahore, Pakistan left 70 people died and over 250 injured.



Black and white photo of two men in suits, one younger and one older, standing together. The older man is speaking into a microphone. The caption is partially obscured by a large, illegible watermark.



A wide-angle photograph of a large conference room with many people seated at long tables. A large screen at the front displays a video conference. The caption is partially obscured by a large, illegible watermark.



The World This Week: A photograph of an outdoor playground area under a covered structure. A large, colorful ball is in the foreground, and children are playing on a slide in the background.



The World This Week: A photograph of a man in a suit sitting on a green chair on a stage. A framed portrait of a man in a suit is on an easel next to him. The background is blue with arches.





View of the Forbidden City in Beijing, China. Photo by [Lancy](#) for the month of April 2016. China assumes the rotating presidency of the Security Council for the month