



## PRESS RELEASE

CANNING HOUSE AND LSE JOIN FORCES ON CANNING HOUSE LECTURES

CANNING HOUSE and the LSE are combining forces to deliver Canning Lectures at the LSE.

The Canning Lecture series has hosted Latin American Presidents for more than 20 years – including Presidents Cardoso, Zedillo, Menem, Chávez, Fox, Toledo, Correa, Santos, Piñera, Peña Nieto, Bachelet and Duque as well as Foreign Ministers such as William Hague (UK Canning Agenda) and Miguel Vargas Maldonado (Dominican Republic).

LSE has also hosted Latin American Presidents – including Presidents Bachelet, Piñera, Lula, Cardoso, Correa, Fox, Zedillo, Varela and Santos.

The Canning House Lecture at the LSE will offer a unique high-level platform for visiting Latin American Presidents, or their Secretaries of State for Foreign Affairs or Finance, on the occasion of their visits to the UK, to speak about their government programmes and their perspectives on bilateral and international relations to a distinguished audience of Ministers and parliamentarians, diplomats and officials, businesses and investors, think-tanks, academics and students.

## Further Information:

**Canning House**'s Mission is to build understanding and relationships between the UK and Latin America.

We are the UK's leading forum for contacts, thought-leadership and pragmatic debate on Latin American political, economic and social trends and issues, and business risks and opportunities.

Our members and associates include Ministers and parliamentarians, officials and diplomats, business leaders, academics and individuals interested in the region, both in the UK and across Latin America.

We publish newsletters and reports and convene geopolitical, socioeconomic and business conferences and roundtables - raising awareness and understanding, aiding policymaking and best practice, and offering unrivalled networking opportunities.

The LSE Latin America and Caribbean Centre is the LSE's hub for research and engagement on the region. We support new academic, policy and practice-relevant research on a range of cutting-edge topics, as well as knowledge exchange through panels, lectures and publications. The Centre works to increase the flow of ideas between staff and students at the School, and governments, business and civil society across the world with interest in topics affecting the region.

Information on upcoming Lectures will be published on the CH and LSE LACC websites.

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