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**September to  
December 2025**

Hear from some of the  
most influential figures in  
the social sciences at LSE's  
public events programme,  
free and open to all.

**AUTUMN TERM  
EVENTS**

# EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

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## SEPTEMBER

LSE alumnus and economist **Thomas Piketty** returns on **19 September** to discuss recent trends in global inequality and what we can do about it.



THOMAS PIKETTY



JUAN MANUEL SANTOS

## OCTOBER

LSE alumnus and Nobel Peace Prize winner, former President of Colombia **Juan Manuel Santos** will speak about sustainability, peace and development on **30 October**.



ANNE-MARIE SLAUGHTER

## NOVEMBER

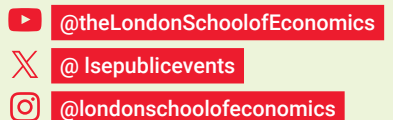
Is this the end of the east coast elite? **Anne-Marie Slaughter** gives a talk on American foreign policy on **12 November**.



CLARE LOMBARDELLI

## DECEMBER

On **8 December** Deputy Governor of the Bank of England **Clare Lombardelli** joins a panel to provide her perspective on the challenges faced by women in economics.



👤 In-person   🖥️ Hybrid   🎫 Ticketed event



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AND CAMPUS VENUE  
INFORMATION**

## SEPTEMBER

**Friday 19, 3.30-4.30pm**



**Global inequality in historical and comparative perspective**

*Thomas Piketty*

**Monday 22, 6-7.30pm**



**Investing in our future: COP30 and the sustainable growth agenda**

*Michael Greenstone, Rohini Pande, José Scheinkman*

**Tuesday 23, 6.30-8pm**



**Valuing nature in a changing climate: rethinking natural capital**

*Juliano Assunção, Jim Leape*

**Wednesday 24, 6.30-8pm**



**Climate finance and investment in low-income countries**

*Nick Dyer, Vera Songwe, Sudarno Sumarto, Chris Woodruff*

**Tuesday 30, 6.30-8pm**



**How AI is helping – and harming – animals**

*Kristin Andrews, Jonathan Birch, Leonie Bossert, Jane Lawton, Jeff Sebo*

## OCTOBER

**Wednesday 1, 6.30-8pm**



**Racism and racial injustice:**

**40 years on from the Broadwater Farm riots**

*Kate Osamor, Clive Chijioke Nwonka, Roxana Willis*

**Thursday 2, 6.30-8pm**



**Can human solidarity survive social media and what if it can't?**

*Nick Couldry, Beeban Kidron*

**Monday 6, 6.30-8pm**



**Depopulation: an ethical perspective**

*Luara Ferracioli*

**Tuesday 7, 6.30-8pm**



**The crime of war: from the Nuremberg trial to Ukraine**

*Claus Kress*

**Wednesday 8, 6.30-7.30pm**



**How to save the internet**

*Nick Clegg*



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**Wednesday 8, 6.30-8pm**



**The promise and peril of Trump's America first**

*Charles Kupchan*

**Thursday 9, 6-7pm**



**Black Atlantic: power, people, resistance**

*Jake Subryan Richards*

**Thursday 9, 6.30-8pm**



**Not just lines on a map: borders in a changing world**

*Tarsis Brito, Maya Goodfellow, Nousha Kabawat, Luke de Noronha*

**Monday 13, 6.30-8pm**



**Why we're getting poorer**

*Cahal Moran. Discussants: Carolina Alves, Antonia Jennings*

**Tuesday 14, 6.30-8pm**



**Permission to be queer: the case for liberty**

*Deirdre Nansen McCloskey*

**Tuesday 14, 7.15-8.15pm**



**Colombia's first black woman vice president: an intergenerational dialogue**

*Francia Elena Márquez Mina, Robtel Neajai Pailey, Kandya Obezo-Casseres*

**Wednesday 15, 6.30-8pm**



**US-Iran relations under Trump 2.0: prospects and challenges**

*Dana H Allin, Anahita Motazed Rad, Sanam Vakil*

**Thursday 16, 6-7.30pm**



**The rise and fall of Britain's captains of industry**

*Michael Aldous, Luke Johnson, John Turner*

**Monday 20, 6.30-8pm**



**Technology for the public interest: preventing capture and promoting welfare**

*Padmashree Gehl Sampath. Discussant: Laura Mann*

**Tuesday 21, 6.30-8pm**



**How progress ends: technology, innovation, and the fate of nations**

*Carl Benedikt Frey. Discussant: Michael Storper*

**Thursday 23, 6.30-8pm**

**The social safety net as an investment in children**

*Hilary Hoynes*



**Monday 27, 6.30-8pm**

**Unlocking climate action opportunities: progress amid geopolitical turbulence**

*Luiz Awazu Pereira da Silva, Swati Dinghra, Matilde Mesnard, Chris Skidmore, Nicholas Stern, Sharon Yang*



**Tuesday 28, 6.30-8pm**

**How to help left behind regions and workers**

*Gordon Hanson*



**Wednesday 29, 6.30-8pm**

**Seeing the unseen: combining data to better understand our environment**

*Claire Miller, Sefi Roth*



**Thursday 30, 6.30-8pm**

**Sustainability, peace and development: in conversation with Juan Manuel Santos**

*Mary Kaldor, Juan Manuel Santos, Nicholas Stern*



## NOVEMBER

**Monday 3, 6.30-8pm**

**What next for Syria after Assad?**

*Raya Jalabi*



**Tuesday 4, 6.30-8pm**

**Joyful revolution: poverty, social justice and the story of Mary Rabagliati**

*Eileen Alexander, Diana Skelton*



**Wednesday 5, 6.30-8pm**

**The 21st century growth story: economics and opportunities in climate action**

*Nicholas Stern*



**Monday 10, 6.30-8pm**

**Fault lines: the new political economy of a warming world**

*Helen Milner*



**CLIVE CHIJOIKE NWONKA**



HILARY HOYNES



BISHNUPRIYA GUPTA

**Tuesday 11, 6.30-8pm**

**Saving Britain's wildlife**

*Luke Hecht, Karen Kovaka, Matt Phelps*



**Wednesday 12, 6.30-8pm**

**America adrift: the end of the east coast foreign policy elite**

*Anne-Marie Slaughter*



**Thursday 13, 6.30-8pm**

**"Spreading it around":**

**A new look at redistribution and tax**

*Deborah James, Miranda Sheild Johansson, Johanna Mugler, Robin Smith*



**Monday 17, 6.30-8pm**

**Democracy, interrupted?**

**Authoritarian turns in the 21st century**

*Brian Klaas*



**Wednesday 19, 6.30-8pm**

**The Trump administration and US national security: taking stock**

*Elizabeth Ingleson, Ronald R Krebs, Kate Millar, Luca Tardelli*



**Tuesday 20, 6.30-8pm**

**World Children's Day: digital futures for children – children's rights under pressure in the digital environment**

*Philip Jaffe, Beeban Kidron, Gerison Lansdown, Kim Sylwander, Gaston Wright*



**Monday 24, 6.30-8pm**

**AI, technology and society: navigating the future together**

*Cosmina Dorobantu, Helen Margetts*



**Tuesday 25, 6.30-8pm**

**John Rawls and unequivocal justice**

*Chris Freiman, Paola Romero*



**Wednesday 26, 6.30-8pm**

**America first and the future of Eurasian geopolitics**

*C Raja Mohan*



**Thursday 27, 6.30-8pm**

**Fiscal influences over macro-financial stability**

*Pablo Hernández de Cos*



## DECEMBER

**Monday 1, 6.30-8pm**

**Should the UK have a wealth tax?**

**The Wealth Tax Commission five years on**

*Arun Advani, Emma Chamberlain, Andy Summers*



**Thursday 2, 6.30-8pm**

**Why I am an Anarchist: insights into British anarchist thought and politics**

*Sophie Scott-Brown*



**Wednesday 3, 6.30-8pm**

**The politics of hunger in Sudan**

*Nisrin Elamin*



**Thursday 4, 6.30-8pm**

**Economic impacts and legacies of British rule in India**

*Bishnupriya Gupta*



**Monday 8, 6.30-8pm**

**Women in economics: progress, challenges and perspectives**

*Clare Lombardelli, Almudena Sevill*



**Tuesday 9, 6.30-8pm**

**Common law: a better foundation for Liberalism**

*John Hasnas*



**Wednesday 10, 6.30-8pm**

**The future of health technology assessment: perspectives from Europe and the US**

*Foluso Agboola, Beate Wieseler*



**Thursday 11, 6.30-8pm**

**The ins and outs of sustainable supply chains**

*Rocco Macchiavello*



## LSE ARTS CONCERTS AND EXHIBITIONS

**Free lunchtime concerts take place on  
Thursdays from 1.05 to 2pm in the Shaw Library.**

**2 October**

**Elmore String Quartet** Haydn and Schumann

**9 October**

**Patrick Hemmerlé** (*piano*)

Chopin, Liszt, Faure, Debussy and Ravel

**16 October**

**Hao Zi Yoh** (*piano*), Ravel and Chopin

**23 October**

**Indira Grier** (*cello*), **Kumi Matsuo** (*piano*)

Shostakovich and Bosmans

**30 October**

**Nathan Amaral** (*violin*)

**Jonathan Ware** (*piano*)

Mozart, Mignone and Elgar

**6 November**

**Elodie Chousmer-Howelles** (*violin*)

**Stella Marie Lorenz** (*piano*)

Szymanowski, Janacek and Dvorak

**13 November**

**Hugh Mackay** (*cello*), Bach and Kodaly

**20 November**

**Rautio Piano Trio**, Dvorak

**27 November**

**Andrzej Wierciński** (*piano*)

Chopin

**4 December**

**Amiri Harewood** (*piano*)

Rachmaninov, Shostakovich,  
Walker, Uzoigwe and Granados

**11 December**

**Boris Bizjak** (*flute*), **Maria Canyiguer** (*piano*)

Bonis, Chaminade, Gubaidulina and Schubert

## EXHIBITIONS

**Black Atlantic: power, people and resistance**  
6-31 October **MAR**

**Red alert on democracy: photographing protests and civil resistance in Israel before and after October 7**  
10 November-  
5 December  
*Atrium Gallery*

ELMORE  
STRING  
QUARTET



ELODIE CHOUSMER-HOWELLES



AMIRI HAREWOOD

## CHRISTMAS CONCERT

**Tuesday 9 December**  
7-9.30pm  
**St Clement Danes Church**

**£10**

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