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SPRING TERM EVENTS

**May to July 2025**

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

# EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

**6 MAY**

Gudni Jóhannesson, historian and former President of Iceland, discusses Greenland, Iceland and the meltdown of the old order in the North Atlantic.



SARAH BANET-WEISER



**5 JUNE**

Professor Sarah Banet-Weiser, Professor Angela McRobbie in conversation on feminism, anti-feminism and affective economies of rage.



**11 JUNE**




Professor Paul Dolan launches his new book *Beliefism: how to stop hating the people we disagree with*.

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 In-person  Hybrid  Ticketed event



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## MAY

**Tuesday 6, 6.30-8pm**



**Greenland, Iceland and the meltdown of the old order in the North Atlantic**

*Gudni Jóhannesson. Discussant: Kristina Spohr*

**Wednesday 7, 6.30-8pm**



**The death and life of the centre-left**

*Will Hutton, Robert Kuttner*

**Thursday 8, 6.30-8pm**



**The power of data: ethics, politics, and public interest**

*Alison Powell, Chris Wiggins, Erin Young*

**Monday 12, 6.30-8pm**



**The corporation in the 21st century**

*John Kay*

**Tuesday 13, 6.30-8pm**



**Neoliberalism and social justice? Reconciling Adam Smith and John Rawls**

*Nick Cowen. Discussant: Paola Romero*

**Wednesday 14, 6.30-8pm**



**Apprenticeship and economic growth in early modern England**

*Patrick Wallis*

**Monday 19, 6.30-8pm**



**Conscience incorporate: pursuing profits while protecting human rights**

*Michael H Posner*

**JOHN KAY  
MONDAY 12 MAY**



**CLAIRE LAURIER DECOTEAU  
WEDNESDAY 21 MAY**

**Tuesday 20, 6.30-8pm**



**Teens, sexting and image-based sexual abuse: a child rights approach**

*Lelia Green, Jessica Ringrose, Kim Sylwander, Giselle Woodley*

**Wednesday 21, 6.30-8pm**



**Critique is the critique of power**

*Nick Couldry, Claire Laurier Decoteau, Monika Krause, Thomas Scheffer*

**Thursday 22, 6.30-8pm**



**Forests, finance, and the future: economic risks of nature loss**

*Elena Almeida, Luiz Awazu Pereira da Silva, Pablo Pacheco*

**Tuesday 27, 6.30-8pm**



**Revolutions and world order: still the "sixth great power"?**

*George Lawson. Discussant: Jasmine K Gani*

**Wednesday 28, 6.30-8pm**



**Capitalism and its critics**

*John Cassidy*

**Thursday 29, 6-7.30pm**



**Elite conflict, colonialism, and democracy in the Middle East**

*Mohamed Saleh*

**NICK COWEN  
TUESDAY 13 MAY**






**ELENA ALMEIDA**  
THURSDAY 22 MAY





**CHRIS PISSARIDES**  
WEDNESDAY 25 JUNE


## JUNE


Monday 2, 6.30-8pm   
**Tolerance and freedom of expression**  
*Peter Godfrey-Smith*

Tuesday 3, 6.30-8pm   
**Fixing education for the AI age**  
*Conrad Wolfram*

Wednesday 4, 6.30-8pm   
**A new data infrastructure for the social sciences?**  
*David Grusky*


Thursday 5, 6.30-8pm   
**Feminism, anti-feminism and affective economies of rage**  
*Sarah Banet-Weiser, Angela McRobbie*

Monday 9, 6.30-8pm   
**Economic nationalism and global (dis)order**  
*Robert Falkner*


Tuesday 10, 6.30-8pm   
**Amartya Sen in conversation with Nick Stern: building sustainability in a turbulent world**  
*Elizabeth Robinson, Amartya Sen, Nicholas Stern*





**JASMINE K GANI**  
TUESDAY 27 MAY

Wednesday 11, 6.30-8pm   
**Beliefism: how to stop hating the people we disagree with**  
*Paul Dolan*

Monday 16 to Saturday 21   
**LSE Festival: Visions for the Future**  
*A week of special events on how AI, new technologies and innovation shape our societies.*

Tuesday 24, 6.30-8pm   
**Harnessing AI: safeguarding high-integrity data for climate action**  
*Ali Amin, Jon Cardoso-Silva, Melissa Chapman, Amy Fisher, Sylvan Lutz, David McNeil*

Wednesday 25, 6.30-8pm   
**From skills to capabilities**  
*Mary O'Mahony, Chris Pissarides*

Thursday 26, 6.30-8pm   
**Global trends in climate litigation 2025: report launch**  
*Danielle de Andrade Moreira, Joana Setzer, Margaretha Werewinke-Singh*

## JULY

Friday 4, 6.30-7.45pm   
**The natural rate of interest**  
*Alan Taylor*



**MELISSA CHAPMAN**  
TUESDAY 24 JUNE

**FREE TO ATTEND**

**LSE FESTIVAL 2025**

**16-21 JUNE**



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## Highlights

- LSE alumnus and Nobel prize winner in Economics **Daron Acemoglu**
- Multi-award-winning and bestselling historian **William Dalrymple**
- Writer and educator, Professor of African American Studies at Princeton University **Ruha Benjamin**
- Visions for the Future exhibition
- Family Day with free hands-on activities for all the family at this year's LSE Festival

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