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# ENCUENTRO LATINO EUROPEO 2007

Democracy in Latin America  
Social and Political Challenges and International Responses

In cooperation with:

Utrecht, Tuesday 15 May, 2007 • Venue: Ottone, Kromme Nieuwegracht 62, Utrecht



**PLAH** Plataforma Latinoamericana en Holanda



LATIN AMERICAN FILM FESTIVAL



Netherlands Institute for  
**Multiparty Democracy**



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## Morning Theme

### Socio-Political Backgrounds of and Perspectives for the Democratic Left in Latin America

- 10.00 Moderator of the morning - Kees Koonings  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Utrecht University
- Welcome by **Prince Carlos de Bourbon de Parma**  
Honorary chair Latin America Network, Utrecht University
- 10.10 Introductions  
**Jorge Castañeda**, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Mexico  
*Democracy and the Rise of the Left in Latin America*  
**Patricio Silva**, Professor of Modern Latin American History,  
Leiden University  
*The 'Other Left': Social-democratic Politics in Chile*  
**Peter Smith**, Professor of Political Science, UC San Diego  
*Latin America's 'Pink Tide' and the United States*
- 11.30 Coffee break
- 11.45 **Plenary discussion**
- 12.15 Lunch break

## Afternoon Theme

### Beyond the Washington Consensus? Poverty, Exclusion and Democracy in Latin America

- 13.45 Moderator of the afternoon - Dirk Kruijt  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Utrecht University
- Welcome by **Willem Hendrik Gispen**  
Rector magnificus, Utrecht University
- 14.00 Introductions  
**Javier Niño Pérez**, Latin America Directorate of the European Commission  
**Daniel Kaufmann**, Director at the World Bank Institute, Washington  
**Ernesto Ottone**, Vice secretary of CEPAL ECLA, Santiago de Chile  
**Rodrigo Carazo Odio**, Former President of Costa Rica
- 15.00 Coffee break
- 15.30 Forum Discussion  
**Javier Niño Pérez, Daniel Kaufmann, Ernesto Ottone, Peter Smith  
and Rodrigo Carazo Odio**
- 16.30 End of programme and drinks
- 20.30 **In collaboration with the Latin American Film Festival**

## Talk show

*The Social and Economical Situation in Latin America:  
Poverty, Social Exclusion and Urban Violence*

Speaker **Jorge Castañeda**

Moderator **José Zepeda**, Director Latin America Radio  
Nederland Wereldomroep

Venue Cocktailbar Louis Hartlooper Complex  
Tolsteegbrug 1 (Ledig Erf)  
3511 ZN Utrecht

*This talk show will be held in Spanish and Dutch*

