The Center for Global and Area Studies presents:

Left Turns, Right Reactions in Latin America

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Beginning roughly in the year 2000, Latin America experienced a “left turn” according to which most countries in the region have elected and re-elected presidents and parties on the left of the political spectrum. Why did these leftist governments win, what have they achieved in power over the last fifteen years, and in what ways do they differ from one another? Just as important considering the region’s history, how is the political right responding to what can only be considered a stunning series of electoral setbacks, and why do these “right reactions” matter for the region?

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