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- Former Latin America Editor at the Financial Times
- Sharp, insight-driven analysis of Latin America’s political and economic landscape
- Fluent in Spanish, Portuguese, French, German and Russian, enabling direct engagement across markets
- Former correspondent and senior editor at Reuters across three continents
- Seasoned moderator of high-level global and regional forums
- Proven ability to decode complex geopolitical and societal dynamics for executive audiences

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Michael Stott is the South Asia Bureau Chief and a member of the Editorial Board at the Financial Times. Until 2026, he served as the newspaper's Latin America Editor, based in Brazil. Fluent in five languages and a keen observer of the emerging global order, he reports on business, politics, and geopolitics worldwide, bringing a unique perspective that connects Asia, Latin America, and the major forces reshaping the world.

He launched his career with Reuters, covering historical events in West Germany before reporting extensively in Brazil, Colombia, and Mexico. He later served as Reuters' bureau chief in Moscow and editor for Europe, Middle East, and Africa. In 2014, he joined the Financial Times.

Michael also held leadership roles at the FT, including UK News Editor and managing editor for Nikkei Asian Review during his secondment to Tokyo—where he led its digital transformation.

An experienced speaker and moderator, Michael participates in events hosted by FT Live, the Inter American Development Bank, CAF, and the Council of the Americas.

He earned his MA in Modern Languages from Cambridge University and is fluent in Spanish, Portuguese, French, German, and Russian, giving him unique access and insight into mass and elite audiences across regions.

TEMAS

Michael tailors each presentation to the needs of his audience and is not limited to the topics listed below. Please ask us about any subject that interests you:

- Geopolitics and economic transformation in Latin America.
- Political and economic overviews of Latin America.
- Latin America's place in the world amid great power competition between the US, China and the role of the BRICS.
- The challenges and opportunities posed by the Trump administration for Latin America.
- How Latin Americans should understand the Trump administration.

PROGRAMAS

Latin America’s Future on the Global Stage

Michael Stott offers a nuanced exploration of Latin America’s rising geopolitical and economic relevance. Drawing from on-the-ground experience across the region, he highlights emerging power dynamics, regional leadership, and global integration. His talk illuminates how digital transformation, political shifts, and deep cultural trends are shaping Latin America’s next chapter.

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