

THE PREVENT DUTY: EVENTS AND SPEAKERS

The Prevent statutory duty, which came into force for universities on 18 September 2015, does not in itself change the definition of legal free speech. However, it imposes on the School some important requirements in relation to events and speakers. The duty covers not only events and activities on campus, but also those run off-campus – in the UK or overseas – under LSE branding. LSE branding in this context should be taken to mean any branding which closely associates the School with the event.

If you are organising an event at LSE or in a student residence, or an event off-campus which will be run under an LSE banner, please make sure that you are aware of and follow the legislation, guidance and advice in relation to Prevent (as well, of course, as all other relevant requirements). You can consult the following:

The Prevent page on the website, [here](#). This links to the guidance.

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