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Tinker Lecture Series

**“The United Nations: multilateralism,
democracy, immigrant rights and gender equity.”**

**Her Excellency
Ms. María Fernanda Espinosa
Garcés**

President of the
General Assembly of the
United Nations



All lectures are free and open to the public

Tuesday, April 16th, 2019 from 11:00-12:00 pm

In University Commons Ballroom BC

The President of the seventy-third session of the General Assembly, María Fernanda Espinosa Garcés, has more than 20 years of multilateral experience in international negotiations, peace, security, defence, disarmament, human rights, indigenous peoples, gender equality, sustainable development, environment, biodiversity, climate change and multilateral cooperation. She has served Ecuador as Minister of Foreign Affairs (twice), Minister of National Defence, and Coordinating Minister of Natural and Cultural Heritage. Ms. Espinosa Garcés holds a master's degree in social sciences and Amazonian studies from the Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales Sede Ecuador, as well as a bachelor's degree in applied linguistics from the Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador.

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