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Saturday event puts Chapman students on stage, face-to-face with former Spanish president Jose Maria Aznar.

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ORANGE, Calif., May 12, 2004 Chapman University invites the public to attend two special symposia focused on political, economic and historical aspects of Spain, a nation very much in current headlines.

At the Saturday symposium, the audience will see Chapman students go face-to-face with former Spanish president Jose Maria Aznar, as they present to him their original research on Spain and his influence.

An academic symposium on Friday will include an exploration of the presidency of Jose Maria Aznar, who recently stepped down at the end of his term. Both events are free; reservations are not required.

Academic Symposium: Spain and Her Role in the World

Friday, May 14, 12 5 p.m., Argyros Forum, room 202

Keynote address by former (as of earlier this month) secretary of state for foreign affairs Ramon Gil-Casares.

Three panels of academicians and Spanish business leaders discussing contemporary politics, Spanish history and U.S./Spanish commercial ties.

Student Symposium with President Aznar

Saturday, May 15, 3:45 p.m., Beckman Hall room 404 (Bush Conference Center) Five Chapman undergraduate students a three-member team from the School of Business and Economics, a political science major and a history major will present their research directly to President Aznar, who will respond to each. The research covers economic, historical and political topics.

For questions or more information on the symposia, call 714-997-6829.