



*and its Miami Chapter Steering Committee*

*cordially invites you to an afternoon presentation by*

**Luis Alberto Arce Catacora**

Minister of Economy & Public Finance,  
Plurinational State of Bolivia

**Tuesday, April 20, 2010**

**Registration: 6:00 - 6:30 PM**

**Presentation: 6:30 - 7:30 PM**

*The Minister will address current trends in the Bolivian economy  
as well foreign direct investment opportunities*

**Venue and Corporate Host:**

**K&L Gates LLP  
Wachovia Financial Center  
200 South Biscayne Boulevard, 39th Floor  
Miami**

due to building security check-in procedures, we suggest that you arrive a few minutes early with proper photo ID

*Coffee and dessert to be served*

*off-the-record remarks in English*

**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES**

Luis Alberto Arce Catacora has been Minister of Economy & Public Finance since the outset of President Evo Morales' administration. He has participated in the nationalization of the hydrocarbons, mining and the telecommunication companies, as well as the creation of the Bank of the South along the Ministers of Finance of Argentina, Brazil, Venezuela, and Paraguay.

Before being appointed Minister, he worked for the Central Bank of Bolivia holding several executive positions like Deputy in the Department of International Operations; Chief in the Balance of Payments Division; Chief in the Publications and Information Division; and Trader/Market Analyst in the International Operation Department. He was also Vice President in Central Limitada Credit Union and Co-Director of Latin American Economic Analysis.

Mr. Arce has been professor at several Bolivian universities including the Universidad de San Andres, Universidad Privada Boliviana, Universidad Franz Tamayo, and Universidad Catolica Boliviana. He lectured extensively on economics, trade and finance, and has published papers and essays in numerous academic journals.

He has a bachelor degree in economics from the Universidad de San Andres and a graduate degree from Warwick University in the United Kingdom.

<b>FEE:</b>	<b>Complimentary</b>
<b>NOTES:</b>	<b>Invitation is non-transferable and open to BACC members and guests; space is limited and RSVP is required</b>
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<b>RSVP:</b>	Via e-mail only, by noon, Friday, April 16, 2010
<b>CANCELLATION:</b>	Via e-mail only, by 5PM, Monday, April 19, 2010
<b>CALL-IN INFO:</b>	There will be NO telephone call-in option for this program
<b>INFORMATION:</b>	<b>1.212.729.1665</b>