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R-063 [LOC Roundtable] Lusophone African Democracies, 50 years after Portugal's Democratic Transition

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Chair(s) Paula Duarte Lopes, Portugal

Speaker(s) Teresa Almeida Cravo, CES, FEUC, Universidade de Coimbra, Portugal

Tiago Soares, Universidade de Coimbra, Guinea-Bissau

Vasco Martins, Centre for Social Studies, University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Mário Gonçalves, CES, FEUC- Universidade de Coimbra, Cape Verde

P-010 [RC13] Democratization and Autocratization - Multidisciplinary Approaches

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Chair(s) Adam Szymański, University of Warsaw, Poland

Discussant(s) Laura Tedesco, Saint Louis University/Madrid Campus, Spain

Authoritarians-led Blocs Formation: Challenges to the US-led Liberal Democratic World Order

Kazi Mohammad Mahbobor Rahman, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

Foreign Policy Securitization in the Radicalization of Brazilian politics

Frederico Seixas Dias, University of Brasília, Brazil

Major Cities as "Democratic Enclaves" in De-Democratizing Countries: Analysis of Polish Cities of Warsaw and Rzeszów

Adam Szymański, University of Warsaw, Poland

Principles for Integrity in Electoral Boundary Delimitation

Alejandro Trelles, Brandeis University, United States

Micah Altman, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, United States

Regime Oscillations in Latin America: The Curious Case of Economic Triggers

Aprajita Kashyap, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India

Sustaining Progressive Health Policies: Exploring Policy Governance in the Context of Brazil's Health Care System

Vera Coelho, CEBRAP, Brazil

P-072 Trends in Polarization and Polarized Politics

11 September 2024 | 09:45 - 11:15 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Jean-Nicolas Bordeleau, University of Ottawa, Canada

Discussant(s) Aries Arugay, Yusof Ishak Institute - Institute of Southeast Asian Studies (ISEAS), Singapore

Gender Gap in Affective Polarization in East Asian Democracies

Moohyung Cho, Ewha Womans University, South Korea

Hate, Discrimination, Polarization, and Anti-Intellectualism as Food Sources of Autocratization Tendencies in Turkey: A Political and Legal Analysis

Orçun Oltulu, Hacettepe University, Türkiye

Investigating Conspiracy Theories in Turkey During a Crisis of Democracy

Dilale Dönmez, Koc University, Türkiye

Political Identity Formation and Dangers to Democratization in Italy and the U.S.

Thomas S. De Luca, Jr., Fordham University, United States

Rival or Enemy? Incumbent Discourse towards Opposition during Democratic Backsliding

Alper Yagci, Bogazici University, Türkiye



Cemalettin Yılmaz

Social Polarisation and the Belief of Democracy and Redistribution
Fei Vincent Mo, Central European University, Austria
Mathew YH Wong, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU), Hong Kong S.A.R.

P-077 Electoral Manipulation and the Erosion of Democracy

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Chair(s) Niranjan Sahoo, Observer Research Foundation, India

Discussant(s) Arshpreet Kaur, Punjabi University, India

Electoral Manipulation in the United States' 2024 Presidential Elections

Maria Linden, University of Tampere, Finland

Erosion of Democracy in Serbia

Natalija Micunovic, Institute of Social Sciences, Serbia

How to Win Elections in Hybrid Regimes: Experiences from Europe Marko Krtolica, Faculty of Law "lustinianus Primus", North Macedonia

Mapping Democratic Erosions: A Case Study of Electoral Processes in India

Shilpa Handa, Department of Political Science, Panjab University, India

Nazamudin Asar, University of Delhi, India

Right-wing Media Consumption, Perceptions of Electoral Integrity, and Americans' Commitment to Democracy

Erik Nisbet, Northwestern University, United States

Olga Kamenchuk, Northwestern University, United States

The Economics of Electoral Fraud: A Case Study of Russian Legislative Elections

Anastasiia Arbuzova, Boston University, United States

P-023 Civil-Military Issues in the Waves of Democratization and Autocratization

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Chair(s) Hamdy Hassan, Zayed University, Egypt

A Comparative Analysis of the Military's Role in Autocratization Process Laura-Anca Parepa, Graduate School of Global Studies, Doshisha University, Japan

Evaluating Paths of Democratic Transition in Africa: The Role of Military Coups

Hamdy Hassan, Zayed University, Egypt

Revolutionary Tides, Counterrevolutionary Struggles: The Supreme Constitutional Court of Egypt in Transition

Kwanchanok Kittiwanich, Chiang Mai University, Thailand

The Effects of Mandatory Military Service on Polarization

Bill Gelfeld, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

P-046 Paths to Authoritarianism: Beyond Deep State and Corporate Elites - Exploring a Multitude of Factors in Democratic Decline

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Chair(s) Muthumanickam Matheswaran, The Peninsula Foundation, India
Discussant(s) Muthumanickam Matheswaran, The Peninsula Foundation, India

1 February 2021 Coup d'etat in Myanmar: Implications for India and Democracy

Munmun Majumdar, Northeast Hill University, India

An Era of Conspiracies and the Great Reset of Democracy - Shifting Paradigms: Towards a New Kind of Conspiracy Thinking

Kevin Konings, University of Antwerp, Belgium **Paul Dekker**, Tilberg University, Netherlands

Christ'l de Landtsheer, University of Antwerp, Belgium



Philippe de Vries, University of Antwerp, Belgium

Are "Democratic Developmental States" Feasible?: Comparative Study of Two Post-conflict Countries of Angola and Rwanda Juichi Inada, Senshu University, Japan

Constitutional Courts against Abusive Constitutionalism: the Militant Democracy in Brazil, Colombia and Venezuela José Duarte Neto, Universidade Estadual Paulista Júlio de Mesquita Filho, Brazil

Democracy and Migration

Constanza Sanhueza Petrarca, Australian National University, Australia

Preserving Democracy in Tribal Globalisation

Andreas Herberg-Rothe, Independent Scholar, Germany

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R-020 [Roundtable] Autocratization Studies in the XXI Century: Taking Stock, Looking Ahead

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Chair(s)

Luca Tomini, Université libre de Bruxelles (ULB), Belgium

Co-Chair(s)

Aurel Croissant, University of Heidelberg, Germany

Discussant(s) Yuko Kasuya, Keio University, Japan

Speaker(s) Julia Leininger, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Janjira Sombatpoonsiri, Chulalongkorn University (Thailand) / GIGA, Germany

Murat Somer, Ozyegin University, Türkiye

Andreas Schedler, Central European University, Austria

P-001 [LOC] A New Portuguese Electorate? The 2024 Legislative Elections

11 September 2024 | 11:30 - 13:00 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Ana Espírito-Santo, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Discussant(s) Marina Costa Lobo, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Affective Polarization and Voting Behaviour in Portugal Frederico Ferreira da Silva, University of Lausanne, Switzerland

Believers at the Ballots: Dynamics of Religious Voting in Portugal

Carlos Jalali, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Party Polarization and Ideological Voting in Portugal, 2002-2024 André Freire, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal Helena Carvalho, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal Viriato Queiroga, CIES, University Institute of Lisbon (ISCTE), Portugal

Populist Discourse in the Digital Age: An Analysis of Social Media Use in the Portuguese Parliamentary Elections of 2022 and 2024

Eduardo Barbabela, Centre for Public Administration and Public Policies (ISCSP -ULisbon), Portugal

Pedro Fonseca, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Andressa Liegi Costa, Centre for Public Administration and Public Policies (ISCSP-ULisbon), Portugal

Portuguese Youth Vote in the New Millennium

Patrício Costa, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences at the University of Porto, Portugal

Carlos Jalali, University of Aveiro, Portugal Patrícia Silva, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Salience of the Economy in the Media and Voting for the Incumbent in Portugal

Susana Rogeiro Nina, Lusófona University, Portugal

Ana Maria Belchior, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Tiago Brás, Universidade NOVA de Lisboa, Portugal



P-074 Challenges to Democracy and Autocratization Trends

11 September 2024 | 11:30 - 13:00 | Room: C003 | NOVA-FCSH

Chair(s) Daniel Locattelli, Uruguay Defence College (C.AL.E.N), Uruguay

Jakub Potulski. Poland Discussant(s)

Autocratic Governance in Adivasi Areas: Challenges and Strategies Ravinder Gunti, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University (BRAOU), India

Autocratization before the Autocrat: Institutional Continuities of Autocratic Legalism in Turkey's Protest Arena

Mert Arslanalp, Bogazici University, Türkiye Deniz Erkmen, Ozyegin University, Türkiye

Navigating the Political Spectrum: The BJP Regime's Dance Between Autocratization and Democratization in India's Electoral Landscape Neil Lincoln Tannen, St. Joseph's University, Bengaluru, India

Post-globalization Challenging Democracies and Authoritarian Regimes in Super-urban Areas: Nation States vs. Enclaves of Globality Dmitry Ivanov, St. Petersburg State University, Russia Yuri Asochakov, St. Petersburg State University, Russia

The Brazilian Estado Novo (New State, 1937-1945) and its characterization as an authoritarian democracy Vinicius Chiovatto Serpa, Universidade Federal de São Paulo, Brazil

Threats of Toxic Polarization in Conditions of War: the Case of Ukraine Galyna Zelenko, Kuras Institute of Political and Ethnic Studies, Ukraine

P-012 [RC13/RC34] Regional and Cross-regional Perspectives on Autocratization

11 September 2024 | 11:30 - 13:00 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Adam Szymański, University of Warsaw, Poland Chair(s)

Discussant(s) Dirk Berg-Schlosser, University of Marburg, Germany Area Studies and Authoritarian Deepening in the Era of Autocratization

Inmaculada Szmolka, University of Granada, Spain

Francesco Cavatorta, Laval University, Canada

Authoritarian State and State Authority in Sub-Saharan Africa: An Alternative Perspective on Social Change in the Absence of Political Change Charlie Mballa, University of Alberta, Canada

Black Knight Rising: How China Promotes Autocratization Henoch Gabriel Mandelbaum, University of São Paulo (USP), Brazil Brigitte Weiffen, The Open University, United Kingdom

Chinese Linkage and (De)Democratization in Asia: An Empirical Analysis

Gul-i-Hina van der Zwan, Leiden University, Netherlands

Twists and Turns in Turkey's Democratization Oxana Kharitonova, MGIMO University, Russia

P-090 Civil-Military Relations and Politics

11 September 2024 | 11:30 - 13:00 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Apipol Sae-Tung, Nagoya University, Japan

Vida Macikenaite, International University of Japan, Japan Discussant(s)

Autocratization, Violent Conflict and State Fragility: Myanmar in Theoretical and Empirical Perspective

Jasmin Lorch, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Nation-building Process in the Authoritarian Military Setting: A Study of Thailand and Myanmar

Kazi Mohammad Mahbobor Rahman, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

Negotiating for Democracy through Nationalism and Ethnicity from the lenses of Gender in Myanmar Lianboi Vaiphei, Indraprastha College for Women, University of Delhi, India

Shifting from Democratic to Autocratic State: The Case of Somalia



Anwar Abdifatah Bashir, East African Institute for Peace and Governance, Somalia

The Military in the Democratization and Autocratization Processes in Africa: Challenges and Prospects. Jachin Anyiam Marcel, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka, Nigeria

Transition and Remedialism: An Analysis of the Civil War in Guangxi from an Institutionalist Perspective **Genn Ruan**, University of California, United States

P-086 Leaders and Elites in Democratic and Autoritarian Regimes

11 September 2024 | 11:30 - 13:00 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Laura Tedesco, Saint Louis University/Madrid Campus, Spain

Discussant(s) Sangsin Lee, Korea Institute for National Unification, South Korea

Concession, Democratization and Repression in the Face of Revolutionary Threat

Tariq Basir, University of Pittsburgh, United States

Crucial Elements for Understanding Democratization and Autocratization

Ekkart Zimmermann, Dresden University of Technology, Germany

The Color of Bureaucrats: Roles of the Administrative State in Serving Autocratic or Democratic Masters-Notes from East Asia Jill Tao, Incheon National University, South Korea

The Fabrication of Ignorance in Countries Characterized by Autocratization vs. Democratization: The Roles of Leaders, Culture Wars within Societies **Mohammed Meri**, Damascus University/Strasbourg University, Syria

The Personality Profile and Leadership Style of Belarus President Aleksander Lukashenko

Christ'l de Landtsheer, University of Antwerp, Belgium

Daria Kustovskaya

The Role of Political Scandals in Presidential and Ministerial Downfalls in Peru from 2001 to 2024

Pablo Cabas, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

P-085 Politics of Health and Regime Change

11 September 2024 | 11:30 - 13:00 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Luis Mota, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Discussant(s) Moïse Tchingankong Yanou, Université de Yaoundé II, Cameroon

Crisis of the Rule of Law and Backsliding of Democracy in the EU: Analysis of the Perception of Corruption in the Members States Pre and Post Pandemic

Nuria Hernandez-Garcia, Universidad Cardenal Herrera (CEU), Spain Carlos Gonzalez Tormo, Universidad Cardenal Herrera (CEU), Spain Marta Perez-Gabaldon, Universidad Cardenal Herrera (CEU), Spain

Giving Back Hospitals Nationalized After the Portuguese Carnation Revolution: Analysis of a Contemporary Political Option

Nuno Reis, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Diogo Cunha Ferreira, Técnico Lisboa-Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal **Alexandre Morais Nunes**, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal **Maria Helena Monteiro**, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Political Impacts of the COVID-19 Recession in Brazil and Mexico

Marcus Ianoni, Universidade Federal Fluminense, Brazil

Felipe Maruf Quintas, Universidade Federal Fluminense (UFF), Brazil

The State and the Social Sector: What are the Impacts of Democratization on Health Cooperation in the Case of Santa Casa da Misericórdia de Lisboa

Dora Montenegro Ramos, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal Diogo Cunha Ferreira, Técnico Lisboa-Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal Alexandre Morais Nunes, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Universal Health Coverage: Evaluating the Impact of the Third Wave of Democratization in Portuguese Society

Alexandre Morais Nunes, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal Diogo Cunha Ferreira, Técnico Lisboa-Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal



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P-102 Populism and Democratic Backsliding

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Chair(s) Anna Krasteva, Policy and Citizens' Observatory, Bulgaria

Discussant(s) Emilia Palonen, University of Helsinki, Finland

American Politics: The Promise of Displacement Thomas Harrington, Santa Fe College, United States

Does Issue Congruence Affect Responsiveness? A Comparative Study of Italy, France, and Germany.

Aurelia Zucaro, Università della Calabria, Italy

Globalization and the Rise of the Populist Far Right in Europe

Helen Milner, Princeton University, United States

Intraparty Democracy and Deliberation: Antidotes to Populism in the Post-Brexit UK

Marino De Luca, University of Calabria, Italy

Populist Parties and Participatory Democracy in Europe. In Favor of Referendums and Against Deliberative Minipublics?

Norbert Kersting, Universität Münster, Germany

The crisis of American democracy pos-Trump: the decline of american power amidst social inequality and hegemonic exercise

Marcus Vinicius Tavares, INCT-INEU/OPEU and Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Vitoria Queiroz, IRID-UFRJ/OPEU-INCT-INEU, Brazil

Augusto Scapini

P-045 Navigating the Crossroads of Democracy and Autocracy in Asia

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Chair(s) Yuko Kasuya, Keio University, Japan

Discussant(s) Netina Tan, McMaster University, Canada

Political Polarization and Anti-Democratic Attitudes in Asia

Yuko Kasuya, Keio University, Japan

Hirofumi Miwa, Gakushuin University, Japan

Ikuma Ogura, Hitotsubashi University, Japan

Tetsuro Kobayashi, Waseda University, Japan **Han II Chang**, Kookmin University, South Korea

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Yi-ting Wang, National Cheng-kun University, China

Sherly Haristya, Independent Scholar, Indonesia

Ling Ling Liu, Waseda University, Japan

Securitized and Nostalgic: Digital Autocratization and Disinformation in the Philippines

Aries Arugay, Yusof Ishak Institute - Institute of Southeast Asian Studies (ISEAS), Singapore

Unmasking Autocratization: Pushback against Backsliding in Southeast Asia

Mark Thompson, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R.

What Makes a Democracy? Evidence from a Conjoint Experiment in Eight Countries

Diego Fossati, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R.

P-022 Between Democratization and Autocratization: Lessons from Middle East Region

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Chair(s) Özlem Tür, Middle East Technical University, Türkiye

Discussant(s) Nur Köprülü, Near East University, Türkiye



Between Reforms and Protests: Unravelling the Resilience of the Kingdom of Jordan Nur Köprülü, Near East University, Türkiye

Bringing Talent Back Amidst Democratic Backsliding: Israel's and Turkey's Brain Drain and Return Migration Policies Jonathan Grossman, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

Civil Society in Islamic Republic of Iran: Stimulates Democracy or Reinforces Authoritarianism? Özüm Sezin Uzun, Urla Institute of International Affairs, Türkiye

New Forms of Authoritarianism in the Middle East: The Case of Palestine and Israel Francisco Daniel Abundis Mejia, ITESM, Mexico

Sources of Authoritarianism in post-Civil War Syria: Continuing and Novel Tools of Regime Survival Özlem Tür, Middle East Technical University, Türkiye

Thinking the "judicial reform" in Israel as a process of de-democratization: the triumph of authoritarian political Judaism? Tuğçe Ersoy Ceylan , İzmir Katip Çelebi University, Türkiye

P-087 Globalization and International and Regional Solidarity

11 September 2024 | 14:00 - 15:30 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation Ekkart Zimmermann, Dresden University of Technology, Germany Chair(s)

Cassius Chai, Federal University of Maranhao and Vitoria School of Law, Brazil Discussant(s) Analysis of Autocratic Political Regimes from the Perspective of Justice Institutions in Latin America Jose Mario Achoy Sanchez, Universidad de Costa Rica, Costa Rica

Meta-Cognitive Governance: From Authoritarianism to Inclusive Design of a New International Security System Alexander Rusetsky, Caucasus International University, Georgia

The Need for International Solidarity: the Case of Latin American Democracies Lucilene Cury, University of São Paulo, Brazil Bruno Moda, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Toothless Tigers? The Pitfalls of Applying Regional Democracy Clauses Brigitte Weiffen, The Open University, United Kingdom

Where We Draw the Line: Autocratization and the Perspective of the Global Society Stavros Protopapas, National & Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece

P-021 Backslides and Internal Initiatives for Democratization in the Middle East

11 September 2024 | 14:00 - 15:30 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Kohei Imai, Institution of Developing Economies (IDE-JETRO), Japan Chair(s)

Discussant(s) Güneş Tezcür, Arizona State University, United States

Shohei Doi, Hokkaido University, Japan

Impasse for Democracy in Palestine with Dual Government

Aiko Nishikida, Keio University, Japan

Political and Personal Religious Attitudes and Attitudes towards Democratic Calues in the Middle East after the Arab Spring! Ibrahim Khatib, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, Qatar

Reexamining the Relationship between Ethnopopulism and Democratic Backsliding: The Case of Syrian Refugees in Türkiye Kohei Imai, Institution of Developing Economies (IDE-JETRO), Japan

Gürol Baba, Social Sciences University of Ankara, Türkiye

Voter's Policy Preferences in the time of Democratic Backsliding in Israel Shingo Hamanaka, Ryukoku University, Japan

Where Geopolitics Meet Geoeconomics: Saudi and Emirati FDI in Egypt Ömer Naim Küçük, Social Sciences University of Ankara, Türkiye

Meliha Altunışık, Türkiye



Widespread political distrust and shifting preference toward protests: Based on a conjoint experiment in Iraq Dai Yamao, Kyushu University, Japan

P-096 Varieties of Autocratic Governance

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Chair(s) Constanza Sanhueza Petrarca, Australian National University, Australia

Discussant(s) Bill Gelfeld, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico Autocratization Attempt Across the Political Spectrum: A Case Study of the Fourth Government of Robert Fico

Márk Stégmayer, Johannes Kepler University Linz, Austria

Cultural Wars through the Dimension of Food: The Backlash of Democracy in Hungary

Renáta Drávucz, Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary

From Democratic Illusion to Autocratic Reality: Democratic Backsliding and Authoritarian Consolidation in Nicaragua (1900-2023).

Douglas Castro-Quezada, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

One Size Does Not Fit All: Democracy and Autocracy in Microstates During and After Huntington's "Third Wave"

Nancy Wright, Pace University, United States

The Crisis Factory: Anti-Communism and Power Dynamics in Brazil's Right Wing Governments

Bruno Luiz de Souza Ronchi, Université de Rennes, France

Ana Paula Fraga, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, France

The Role of Political Radicalization in Uruguay's Autocratization Process: The Uruguayan Case in the Eleven Years Before the Coup (1962-1973)

Daniel Locattelli, Uruguay Defence College (C.AL.E.N), Uruguay

P-104 Case Studies in Regime Change

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Chair(s) Seife Tadelle Kidane, Africa Speak Centre for Governance, Ethiopia

Discussant(s) Tukumbi Lumumba-Kasongo, Wells College, United States

Citizen Election Observers in Authoritarian Africa: Election Observation or Electoral Activism?

Claudia Generoso de Almeida, Portuguese Institute of International Relations- NOVA, Portugal

Democracy and Sit-Tightism: Implication for Democratic Consolidation in Africa

James Jacob, University of Abuja, Nigeria

Democracy or the Dictatorship of the Majority in Democratic Republic of Congo?

Germain Kuna Maba Mambuku, Université de Kinshasa, Congo

Elections in Authoritarian Contexts: The Case of Angola

David Boio, ICS, Portugal **Carlos Pacatolo**, Brazil

Should We All Be First Ladies?: The First Ladyship, Femocracy and Democratic Accountability in Ghana's Fourth Republic

Rashida Jeduah, University of New Mexico, United States

The Idea of Iraq: Iraqi Refugees Narratives of Violence, Democratisation and State Failure

Nils Lukacs, German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Germany

The State, Inequality and Autocratization in Latin American Democracies

Francisco Valdes-Ugalde, Instituto De Investigaciones Sociales, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (UNAM), Mexico

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P-011 [RC13/RC34] Challenges to Democracy in Latin America

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Chair(s) Brigitte Weiffen, The Open University, United Kingdom



Discussant(s) Jose Mario Achoy Sanchez, Universidad de Costa Rica, Costa Rica

Barry Ames, University of Pittsburgh, United States

Autocratization and Legislatures in Latin America

Khemvirg Puente Martinez, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (UNAM), Mexico

Jacob Villagomez Salgado, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico

Inequality, Autocratization, and the State in Latin American Democracies

Francisco Valdes-Ugalde, Instituto De Investigaciones Sociales, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (UNAM), Mexico

Low-intensity Electoralism in South America - Default Sysfunctionalities Laurence Whitehead, Nuffield College - University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Political Leaders and Regime Change

Laura Tedesco, Saint Louis University/Madrid Campus, Spain

Toward More Polarization and Autocratization: New Varieties of Populism and Challenges to Democracy in Latin America

Hans-Jürgen Puhle, Goethe Universität Frankfurt, Germany

P-006 [LOC] The Old and the New Right and the Legacies of Authoritarianism in Contemporary Portugal

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Chair(s) Pedro Seabra, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Discussant(s) Carlos Jalali, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Pedro Fonseca, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Citizens' Attitudes Towards the Dictatorship in Twenty-first Century Portugal

Filipa Raimundo, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal José Santana Pereira, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal Lea Heyne, Institute of Social Sciences-University of Lisbon (ICS-UL), Portugal

Street Renaming and Ideology: The Case of Portugal

Filipa Raimundo, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

André Paris, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

The Portuguese Far Right and the Legacy of the Past: A Comparison between the Chega and Ergue-te Parties

Riccardo Marchi, Center for International Studies, University Institute of Lisbon, Portugal

The Portuguese Far-right Discursive Evolution in the National Elections Between 2019 and 2024

Catarina Silva, Research Center in Political Science, Portugal

Filipe Fernandes, Research Centre in Political Science, CICP/UM, Portugal

Useless Votes: The Dictatorship of the Big Parties in Portuguese Democracy

Ana Campina, Universidade Fernando Pessoa, Portugal

Weight and Lightness of Authoritarianism: Dealing with Authoritarian Legacy and the Strategy of Conservative Party Building in Portugal and Spain André Paris, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

P-030 Democracy & Autocracy: Blurring the Boundary

11 September 2024 | 15:45 - 17:15 | Room: C003 | NOVA-FCSH

Chair(s) André Campos, New University of Lisbon (IFILNOVA), Portugal

Discussant(s) Regina Queiroz, Lusófona University, Lisbon University Center, Portugal

Assessing the contribute of corporations in democracies' autocratization Fernanda Pereira, Lusófona University, Lisboa University Center, Portugal

Challenges to Democratic Diplomacy: Assessing the Impact of Extreme-Right Populist Movements on Foreign Policy

Cátia Costa, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE) / University of Macao, China

Democracy and autocracy: Beyond a dyadic reading

Marius Ostrowski, European University Institute, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom

Is the Survival of the Most Basic Human Rights in Democratic Regimes in Danger?



Ana Meireles, Lusófona University - Porto University Center, Portugal Joana Cardoso Medeiros, CEAD - Francisco Suárez, Lusófona University, Portugal

The Rise of Nonresponsive Government in Latin America

Craig Arceneaux, California Polytechnic State University, United States

The Tales of Two Revolutions: Military and Democracy in Egypt and Sudan, Trajectories and Their Challenges Harjeet Singh, Higher School of Economics, Russia

P-091 Electoral Processes and Democratization/Autocratization Trends

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Chair(s) Staffan I. Lindberg, Department of Political Science, V-Dem Institute, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

Discussant(s) Carlos Pacatolo, Brazil

From Democracy to Majoritarian State: Decoding India's Elections 2024

Praveen Chaudhry, State University of New York/FIT, United States **Souzeina Mushtaq**, University of Wisconsin-River Falls, United States

Guerilla Electioneering: Observations and Lessons from the PVV Victory in the 2023 Dutch General Elections

Abhiraj Goswami, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands

Multi-Level Party Politics: The Centre-Left and the European Parliament Elections of 2024

Cláudia Ramos, Universidade Fernando Pessoa & CEPESE, Portugal

New Parties in the Houses? A Multilevel Analysis of the Relationship Between Turnout in National Elections and Turnout in the 2024 European Elections

Ana Rezende-Matias, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Political Advertising in Competitive Authoritarian Regimes: An Example of Turkish Local Elections held in 2019 and 2024.

Nurdan Güven Toker, Atlas University, Türkiye

Relationship Between Elected and State Officials in Morocco: Towards a Local Governance?

Assma Ahmyiane, Rabat Social Studies Institute, Morocco

P-075 Democratic Backsliding, Autocratization and Re-Autocratization

11 September 2024 | 15:45 - 17:15 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Andreas Schedler, Central European University, Austria

Discussant(s) Bosco Govantes, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Spain

Civilizational Belonging and Understanding of Democracy **Erik Nisbet**, Northwestern University, United States

Olga Kamenchuk, Northwestern University, United States

The Glass-enclosed Polis. From Neoliberal Resilience to Threatened Democracy.

David Miranda, Universidad de Playa Ancha, Chile

Transitology in Times of Backsliding of Democracy and Re-Autocratization

Anja Mihr, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) in Kyrgyzstan, Kyrgyzstan

Tunisia: From Democracy Model back to Authoritarian Rule - Understanding the Drift

Bosco Govantes, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Spain

Turkish Streetcar Democracy after 1990s Critical Juncture

Artem Astvatcaturov, MGIMO-University, Russia

Unpacking Potential for Demo(Auto)cratization During War: Insights from Ukraine

Oleksii Kolesnykov, University of Tartu, Estonia **Dmytro Khutkyy**, University of Tartu, Estonia

P-025 Colonial Legacies and Democratization Pathways in the Lusophone World

11 September 2024 | 15:45 - 17:15 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation



Chair(s) Tiago Fernandes, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Co-Chair(s) Olukunle Owolabi, Villanova University, United States

Discussant(s) Mark Beissinger, Princeton University, United States

Michael Coppedge, University of Notre Dame, United States

Citizenship, Immigration, and Multiculturalism in Democratic Portugal

Patrícia Jerónimo, University of Minho, Portugal

Colonial State-Building, Anti-colonial resistance, and postcolonial democratization in Lusophone Africa

Olukunle Owolabi, Villanova University, United States

Measuring 'State Coercion' in Colonial Angola: New Data for Estimating the Postcolonial Effects of Pre-independence State Structures

Bernardo Pinto da Cruz, NOVA, Portugal

Diogo Ramada Curto, NOVA University of Lisbon, Portugal

Re-imagining Luso-African Relations in the Postcolonial Age

António Raimundo, University of Minho, Portugal

The Paradox of Democratization and Autocratization in Postcolonial Africa

Seife Tadelle Kidane, Africa Speak Centre for Governance, Ethiopia

War, Conflict, and Oil: Angola since Independence

Aslak Orre, Chr. Michelsen Institute, Norway

P-076 Presidents and Executives in Democratization and Autocratization

11 September 2024 | 15:45 - 17:15 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Sule Ozsoy Boyunsuz, Galatasaray University, Türkiye

Discussant(s) Istvan Stumpf, Member of the Prime Minister's Strategic Advisory Council, Szechenyi Istvan University, Hungary

Charismatic Leadership: The Missing Element in Erdoğanism Studies?

Zeyneb Çağlıyan İçener, İstanbul Ticaret University, Türkiye

Gülşen Seven, Türkiye

It All Boils Down to Executive Power: Executive Aggrandizement and Societal Opposition in Southeast Asia

Carmen Wintergerst, University of Heidelberg, Germany

Strong Leader-Presidentialization-Democracy and Rule of Law

Istvan Stumpf, Member of the Prime Minister's Strategic Advisory Council, Szechenyi Istvan University, Hungary

Veto Players and Democratic Backsliding: A Comparative Analysis of Latin America

Antonio Alberte, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain

When the People Speak in Autocracies: Circumventing Presidential Term Limits in Post-Soviet States

Shuhei Mizoguchi, Hosei University, Japan

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Keynote Presentation by Adam Przeworski: Studying Democracy

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R-067 [IPSA Past-Presidents Roundtable] Reflections on Leadership and IPSA at 75 Years

12 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Speaker(s) Helen Milner, Princeton University, United States

Lourdes Sola, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Dianne Pinderhughes, University of Notre Dame, United States

P-007 [LOC] The Portuguese Democracy 50 Years After the April 25th Revolution: The Citizens' Perspective

12 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Manuel Meirinho Martins, Centre for Public Administration and Public Policies (ISCSP-ULisbon), Portugal

Discussant(s) Patrícia Silva, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Assessing the Legacy of the Carnation Revolution: Political Preferences and Party Affiliations in Contemporary Portugal

Pedro Fonseca, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Conceição Pequito Teixeira, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Comparing Ideals and Realities in Portuguese Democracy: What Can We Learn from Citizens' Views?

Conceição Pequito Teixeira, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal João Pedro Santos, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Democratization in the Portuguese Local Government: A Journey of Fifty Years

Maria Antónia Almeida, CICP- Universidade do Minho, Portugal

Mobilising the Youth Vote: Approaches to Increase Electoral Participation and Integration with Institutional Politics in Portugal

Patrícia Tomás, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Rita Santos Fernandes, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

The Rise of the Populist Far-Right Parties: Understanding the Factors and Implications for Portuguese Democracy

Pedro Fonseca, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Conceição Pequito Teixeira, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

João Pedro Santos, CAPP-ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

P-070 Rule of Law and Politics

12 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Claudia Maria Barbosa, Pontifical Catholic University of Paraná (PUCPR), Brazil

Discussant(s) Kamil Hazbun, LSE, Chile

Drivers and Defenders - The Role of Civil Society and Rule of Law in Global Trends of De-democratization

Désirée Reder, German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Germany Monika Onken, German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Germany

Haitian Migration in the Dominican Republic: A Challenge for Democracy and the Rule of Law

Vladimir Rozon, Observatorio Politico Dominicano (OPD) - FUNGLODE, Dominican Republic

Maria Teresa Morales, Observatorio Politico Dominicano (OPD) - FUNGLODE, Dominican Republic

How the Absence of Standardized Transitional Justice Processes Affected the Quality of Democracy in the Philippines Tine Destrooper, Ghent University, Belgium

Rule of Law and Quality of Democracy: A Comparative Study

Melina Davila, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

Carmelo Cattafi, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

The Independence and Challenges of Judiciary in Bangladesh: An Analysis



Minati Kalo, Maitreyi College, UOD, India

The International Criminal Court and the Autocratization of Russia Maria Francisca Saraiva, University of Lisbon, Portugal

P-034 Digital Authoritarianism: Actors and Practices in Africa and Asia

12 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Netina Tan, McMaster University, Canada
Discussant(s) Tony Porter, McMaster University, Canada

Agents and Enablers of Digital Authoritarianism in Southeast Asia

Netina Tan, McMaster University, Canada

Digital Democratic Peace: Empirical Evidence of International Disinformation Campaigns

Chun-chih Chang, Department of Political Science at Xiamen University, China

Thung-Hong Lin, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

Min-Chiao Chang, National Taiwan University, Taiwan

Influencers and Authoritarianism: Puppets, Proxies, or Propagandists?

Jonathan Fisher, University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

Navigating Digital Authoritarianism in Africa: Actors, Tactics, and Democratic Resilience

Idayat Hassan, Centre for Democracy and Development - Centre for Strategic and International Studies, United States

Undoing a Free Internet: Lessons from the Russian Case Benjamin Loveluck, Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas, France Françoise Daucé, Franço

Françoise Dauce, France
Francesca Musiani, France

Unplugged: Examining ISP Complicity in Digital Repression Across Sub-Saharan Africa

Helen Beny, McMaster University, Canada

P-024 Civilian Control in the Times of Democratization and Autocratization

12 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) António Costa Pinto, Institute of Social Sciences, University of Lisbon (ISC-UL), Portugal

Discussant(s) Sabrina Medeiros, Lusófona University, Portugal

Teresa Nogueira Pinto, Lusoglobe - Lusofona Centre on Global Challenges, Portugal

Democratic Recession and Civil-Military Relations in the "Third Waves": Explaining the Multidimensional Militarization in Brazil

Shuichiro Masukata, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Japan

Military Coups Reassessed: Comparing Paths to Autocratization in Myanmar and Thailand

Yatana Yamahata, Nagoya University, Japan Apipol Sae-Tung, Nagoya University, Japan

Path Dependency of Civil-Military Relations in Contemporary Southeast Asian Democracies: The Legacy of Personal Rule

Suguru Osawa, Aichi Gakuin University, Japan

Power to the People, or Power to the Uniform?: the uncertain civil-military balance and relations under Latin American populist regimes

Kyunghyun Ro, Sogang University, South Korea

The Establishment of the Civilian Control under the Uncertainty: The Iberian Cases

Sho Muto, Kwansei Gakuin University, Japan

The Military's Corporate Interests and Civilian Control: Turkish Struggle on the Border between Democracy and Autocracy

Masamichi Iwasaka, Hokkai-Gakuen University, Japan

P-059 Turkiye: Democratic Resilience or Ruptures in Autocratization

12 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Hasret Dikici Bilgin, Istanbul Bilgi University, Türkiye



Discussant(s) Burak Kadercan, Naval War College, United States

Democratization Through the Cold War: Ontological Insecurity and Anti-Communism in Turkey (1946-1952)

Çağdaş Sümer, Cappadocia University, Türkiye

Ending Competitive Authoritarianism in Turkey? CHP's Opposition Strategies Under AKP Rule

Filiz Başkan, Izmir University of Economics, Türkiye **Serhun AI**, Izmir University of Economics, Turkey

Formal Yet Ineffective Opposition Coordination Under Competitive Authoritarianism: The Case of the Nation Alliance in Turkey

Hakan Yavuzyilmaz, Baskent University, Türkiye

Berk Esen, Sabanci University, Türkiye

Legitimization of Court Curbing Strategies in Turkey Aylin Aydin-Cakir, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands

Oya Yegen, Sabancı Universitesi, Turkey

Patriarchy and Autocratization

Meral Ugur Cinar, Bilkent University, Türkiye

Regime Survival and Class Politics in Autocratization

Hasret Dikici Bilgin, Istanbul Bilgi University, Türkiye

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P-017 [RC51] Domestic Institutions and the Management of Autocratic Trends

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Vinicius Rodrigues Vieira, Armando Alvares Penteado Foundation (FAAP), Brazil

Discussant(s) Laurence Whitehead, Nuffield College - University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Eduardo Viola, Getúlio Vargas Foundation (FGV), Brazil

Combining Per Capita Income and Political Regime in Classifying Countries

Eduardo Viola, Getúlio Vargas Foundation (FGV), Brazil

Larissa Basso, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Democratic Clubs, Autocratic Coercion, and Economic Interdependence

Etel Solingen, University of California Irvine, United States

Democratization and the Right of Participation of Sub-national Legislatures in National Lawmaking

Konstantin Sulimov, Perm Federal Research Center of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Russia

How Authocratization Reshapes the Concept of Democracy: Russia' and China's Normative and Narrative Convergence

Vida Macikenaite, International University of Japan, Japan

Reassessing Central Bank Doctrine and Practices as Paradigms Shift

Lourdes Sola, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Laurence Whitehead, Nuffield College - University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Sergio Vale, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Trading Autocratization: Democratic Backsliding and Trade Bureaucracies in Brazil and Turkey

Vinicius Rodrigues Vieira, Armando Alvares Penteado Foundation (FAAP), Brazil

R-064 [LOC Roundtable] Portraits of Regime Changers in Portugal's Carnation Revolution

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Carlos Gaspar, Portuguese Institute of International Relations, Portugal

Speaker(s) Maria Inácia Rezola, School for Media and Communication, LIACOM, Portugal

José Pacheco Pereira, Former MEP, Portugal David Castaño, NOVA University, FCSH, Portugal



P-057 The Impact of Increasing Authoritarian Conservatism on Gender Regime in Turkey

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: C003 | NOVA-FCSH

Chair(s) Zehra Yılmaz, Van Yuzuncu Yil University, Türkiye

Defying the Limits of Gender-Nativism: Reflections on the Advocacy Performance of Women Organizations in Turkey

Itir Aladağ Görentaş, Kocaeli University, Türkiye Pelin Sönmez, Kocaeli University, Türkiye

Buket Özdemir Dal, Kocaeli University, Türkiye

New Debates about the Young Generation's Relationship to Islam in Turkey: the Question of Women Taking Off Their Headscarves Zehra Yılmaz, Van Yuzuncu Yil University, Türkiye

Religious-Conservative Disabled Identity: Disability and Religion in Turkey

Aysun Yaralı Akkaya, Mersin University, Türkiye

Transformation of Public Space in Turkey's New Gender Regime and Changing Spatial Patterns of Violence

Selda Tuncer, Van Yuzuncu Yil University, Türkiye

P-033 Democratization against Democracy: Rethinking Governance Alternatives for the Middle East

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Nils Lukacs, German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Germany

Discussant(s) Corina Lozovan, Catholic University of Portugal, Portugal

Democratization against Democracy in Post-Arab Spring Yemen: Political Islam and Regional Interventions Roles in Preventing Democratic Transition. Karim Kasim, Sultan Qaboos University, Oman

Democratization vs. Autocratization in the Middle East: Exploring the Limits of the Liberal Democratic Peace Thesis

Priya Ranjan Kumar, Central University of Gujarat, India

The Limits and Inconsistencies of the Kurdistan Region of Iraq's Democratisation Strategy Silvia Lucretia Nicola, Bundeswehr Center for Military History and Social Sciences, Germany

Turkey's Regime Cycles: Democratic and Authoritarian Phases and Their Institutional Characteristics **Sule Ozsoy Boyunsuz**, Galatasaray University, Türkiye

Understanding the Dynamics of Democratization in the Middle East and North Africa: The Role of the United Nations Democracy Fund Rafaa Chehoudi, Fulda University of Applied Sciences, Germany

P-078 Gender in Democratic/Authoritarian Trends

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Senem Ertan, Social Sciences University of Ankara, Türkiye

Discussant(s) Manashi Misra, University of Delhi, India

Gender Backsliding: A Gendered Analysis of Democratic Decline in Left, Center, and Rightwing Populist Regimes

Bill Gelfeld, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico **Teresa Martinez**, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

Laura Jenkins, University of Cincinnati, United States

Gender Dynamics in Kenya's Democratization: Progress, Challenges, and the Way Forward Nancy Githaiga, Murang'a University of Technology & United Nations Economic Commission for Africa, Kenya Hailay Gebretsadik Shifare, Jönköping University, Sweden

Queering Public Spaces: Street Art as a Tool of Democratization in Post-Dictatorship Chile Kamil Hazbun, LSE, Chile

The Incongruent Transformation of Gender Regime in Taiwan: Unraveling Complexities in Progress towards Equality Wan-Ying Yang, National Chengchi University, Taiwan

Tolerance Towards Homosexuality in Southern Europe: How the Different Generations Changed Their Views on Homosexuality Across Time (1990-2020)

Viriato Queiroga, CIES, University Institute of Lisbon (ISCTE), Portugal



Women's Liberty and Democratic Movements: A Feminist Reading of the Assam Movement (1979-85) Manashi Misra, University of Delhi, India

P-051 Protectionism, Between Populism and Economic Nationalism

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Mathieu Ares, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada

Discussant(s) Yan Cimon, Université Laval, Canada

A Balancing Act Between Aggressive Unilateralism and Canada-US Friendshoring

Erick Duchesne, Université Laval, Canada Yan Cimon, Université Laval, Canada Richard Ouellette, Université Laval, Canada

Business Vigilance: A New Era of Disguised Protectionism or a Legitimate Response to Globalization Challenges

Kristine Plouffe-Malette, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada

Geneviève Dufour, University of Ottawa, Canada

God, Country and Family: The Populist Propaganda of António Salazar, André Ventura and Jair Bolsonaro

Vinicius Albernaz, University of Beira Interior (UBI), Portugal

India's Protectionism under Modi

Serge Granger, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada

Is It Possible to Disengage from China?

Mathieu Ares, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada

Recalibrating Regional Integration in a Fractured World: What's New with CUSMA and Regional Competitiveness

Michèle Rioux, Université du Québec à Montréal, Canada

P-009 [RC 48] Transformation of Administrative Procedures and Processes To Enhance Democratization

12 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Ashok Basu, Independent Scholar, India

Discussant(s) Saraswathi Unni, India

Kinga Feenstra, Independent Researcher, Netherlands

Administrative Responses to Democratic Backsliding with Reference To India

Saraswathi Unni, India

Assessing the Impact of Digital Literacy on the Accessibility of E-Governance Services in India: An Empirical Study

Ranjithkumar A, Vel Tech Rangarajan Dr.Sagunthala R&D Institute of Science and Technology, Avadi, India

Bureaucratic Responses to Democratic Degeneration

Ashok Basu, Independent Scholar, India

Democratic Erosion or Institutional Maturity? Comparing Outcomes in Brazil, Chile, and Colombia

Malvina Krausz Hladka, Institute of Political Studies, Charles University, Czech Republic

Reshaping AI Governance: Decoloniality and the Quest for Justice as Fairness

Kinga Feenstra, Independent Researcher, Netherlands

The Administrative Guided Governance in an Authoritarian State: The Case of the Financial Sector in China

Chung-min Tsai, National Chengchi University, Taiwan

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P-081 Migration in Democratization and Autocratization Proccesses

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Maria Teresa Morales, Observatorio Politico Dominicano (OPD) - FUNGLODE, Dominican Republic



Discussant(s) Silvia Lucretia Nicola, Bundeswehr Center for Military History and Social Sciences, Germany

Dynamics of Migration in Democratization Processes: A Complex Dance

Ana Cordeiro de Azevedo, Centro de Investigação do Instituto de Estudos Políticos (CIEP) - Universidade Católica Portuguesa, Portugal

Emigrants as a Resource for Democratization: The Example of Bulgaria

Ildiko Otova, New Bulgarian University, Bulgaria Evelina Staykova, New Bulgarian University, Bulgaria

Migration of Turkish Talents in Democratization Processes

Nuriye Nigdelioglu Happani, World Academy for Local Government and Democracy (WALD), Türkiye

Hulya Alper, Türkiye

The Diaspora Dilemma: How Debates on Expatriate Voting Contributed to the Turkish Democratization Narrative **Batikan Bulut**, Izmir University of Economics, Türkiye

The Electoral Impact of a Large Return Migration Shock in a Nascent Democracy João Pereira dos Santos, Queen Mary University of London / ISEG University of Lisbon, Portugal Susana Peralta, Universidade NOVA de Lisboa, Portugal

The Nexus of Crimmigration and Autocratization in the United States: the Case of Latin American Immigrants in Miami **Bruno Moda**, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Lucilene Cury, University of São Paulo, Brazil

P-002 [LOC] Corruption, Political Trust, and Support for Democracy – A Comparative Perspective

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Luís De Sousa, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Co-Chair(s) Michael Pinto-Duschinsky, Brunel University, United Kingdom

Discussant(s) Ina Kubbe, Tel Aviv University, Israel

Analyzing (and Mitigating) the Ways in Which Increased Transparency Leads to a Decrease in Trust in Government

Sam Power, University of Sussex, United Kingdom

Sarah Brierley, London School of Economics, United Kingdom

Monika Bauhr, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

Corruption, Populism and Democratic Political Freedoms: The US, Israel and Hungary

Ina Kubbe, Tel Aviv University, Israel Ilan Peleg, Lafayette College, United States

Democratic Governance, Political Trust and Tolerance towards Corruption in Latin American Democracies

Thaysa V. A De Lieberenz, Universidade Federal de Viçosa, Brazil

Viviani Silva Lirio, Universidade Federal de Viçosa, Brazil

Felippe Clemente, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal Luís De Sousa, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

How Clientelism is Related with Autocracy in Local Politics Scale? One Case From Turkey

Erdoğan Altun, Istanbul University, Türkiye Ayşegül Komsuoğlu Çıtıpıtoğlu, Türkiye

Unravelling Stabilocracy: Corruptive Practices and Political Disillusionment in the Western Balkans

Gordan Georgiev, Institute for Social Sciences and Humanities Skopje (SSHS), North Macedonia

What Should the New Gatekeepers do to Safeguard Democracy? A Pilot Study on Trust, Corruption and Public Accountability of the IT Sector

Luciana A. Ghica, University of Bucharest, Romania Bogdan Mihai Radu, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania Claudiu D. Tufis, University of Bucharest, Romania

P-031 Democracy vs. Violence: Institutions, Organized Crime, and Politics

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: C003 | NOVA-FCSH

Chair(s) Milton Reyes, Instituto De Altos Estudios Nacionales, Ecuador

Ecuador's Cocaine Epicentro, Violence and Politics

Katalina Barreiro, Instituto De Altos Estudios Nacionales, Ecuador



Gender Dynamics in the Waves of Democratization and Autocratization: A Comparative Approach.

Hafisat Oladimeji, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain

How to Face Climate Change with Governance and the Drugs Road

Johanna Espin, Instituto De Altos Estudios Nacionales, Ecuador

Insurgency, Military Coup and the Future of Democracy in the Sahel **Olatunde Isaac Olaniyi**, University of Ibadan/ Nigerian Army College Ilorin, Nigeria

Limits of Ecuador and the Possibilities of Geopolitical Projection within South American a Regional Framework

Milton Reyes, Instituto De Altos Estudios Nacionales, Ecuador

Smart Cities and the Vulnerability of African LGBTQ Communities

Josh Sunman, Flinders University, Australia

Luis Da Vinha, United Kingdom

P-049 Political Representation and Democratic Accountability in the Global South

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Edalina Sanches, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Discussant(s) Edalina Sanches, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

"Two Steps Forward, One Step Back" - Autocratic Dynamics in Intergovernmental Relations in Mozambique: A Look from Beira City Municipality, 2019-2023

José Malaire Jeque, Licungo University, Mozambique

Surrogate Representation in Party-Centred Systems: The Case of South Africa Edalina Sanches, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal Yani Kartalis, Center for Social Data Science (SODAS), University of Copenhagen, Greece

The Democratic Decline and the Rise of Authoritarianism in Africa: What Are the Issues?

Frank Lekaba, University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa

The State Against the Governance of Local Territorial Development in Cameroon: A Misadventure of the Autocratic Resilience of the State Administration

Moïse Tchingankong Yanou, Université de Yaoundé II, Cameroon Cédric Salla Oyono

The Substantive Focus of Parliamentary Questions in South Africa: The role of gender and intraparty competition

Ana Espírito-Santo, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Edalina Sanches, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Yani Kartalis, Center for Social Data Science (SODAS), University of Copenhagen, Greece

Youth Representation in South Africa: Trends and Challenges

André Marinha, Faculty of Social and Human Sciences (NOVA-FCSH), Portugal

João Pedro Garrido Conduto, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

P-048 Political Discourse and Attitudes in Democratization/Autocratization Processes

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Ofer Feldman, Doshisha University/Kyoto University, Japan

Discussant(s) Daniela Osorio Michel, Leibniz-Institut für Globale und Regionale Studien, Germany

A Normative Considerations on the Emergence of Ethno-Populism: "Overbalance of Individual Cosmopolitanism" and How to Deal with It Shunsuke Shirakawa, Kwansei Gakuin University, Japan

Debasing Political Rhetoric: Assessing Communication Style of Japanese Politicians

Ofer Feldman, Doshisha University/Kyoto University, Japan **Ken Kinoshita**, Fukuoka Institute of Technology, Japan

Make America (great again): A diachronic Study of the Construction of America by means of Emotion Categories Isabel Íñigo-Mora, University of Seville, Spain

Political Power, Media Power and Post-Truth: When the News Programs are Opinion Rather than News



María del Mar Rivas-Carmona, University of Córdoba, Spain

The New Messianic Nationalist Populism (NMNP) in Israel: the Case of the "Democratic" Judicial Reform (2023) Sigal Ben-Rafael Galanti, Beit Berl College, Israel Michal Hisherik, Beit Berl College, Israel

P-014 [RC24] Civil-Military Relations in an Era of Ideological Great Power Competition

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Marybeth Ulrich, Naval War College, United States

Discussant(s) Kristina Mani, Oberlin College, United States

Between a Rock and a Hard Place: De-militarization of Domestic Politics, Democratization, and Foreign Policy in Turkey

Burak Kadercan, Naval War College, United States

Civil-Military Relations and the Autocracy Ethos in China Paul Bolt, United States Air Force Academy, United States Catherine Manning, Georgetown University, United States

Militarization and Democracy in Pakistan

Akansha Chandra, Indraprastha College For Women (IPCW) - University of Delhi, India

Shared Political Space: A New Civil-Military Arrangement for Peace and Stability

Yvan Ilunga, Salve Regina University, United States

The Ideological Formation of Autocratic and Democratic Armed Forces in Great Power Competition

Marybeth Ulrich, Naval War College, United States Salvador Tapia-Sanchez, University of Navarra, Spain

The Party and the PLA: Chinese Civil-Military Relations under Xi Jinping

Andrew Wilson, Naval War College, United States

P-088 Public Policy and Administration in Regime Change

12 September 2024 | 13:15 - 14:45 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Vladimir Rozon, Observatorio Politico Dominicano (OPD) - FUNGLODE, Dominican Republic

Co-Chair(s) Kazi Mohammad Mahbobor Rahman, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

Discussant(s) Luis Mota, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Analyzing the Practice of City Diplomacy based on Context: Democracy vs Autocracy as Contextual Factors

Sohaela Amiri, University of Southern California, United States

Bridging the Gap Between Refugees and Citizens in the Roadmap to Democracy

Ana Neves, Centre for Social Studies - University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Greening Authoritarian Food Systems: Narratives and Practices of Food System Transformation in Authoritarian Countries

Louis Thiemann, Faculty of Organic Agricultural Sciences, Universitat Kassel, Germany

Claudia González Marrero

Integration and Inclusion of Refugees and Migrants: Challenges and New Directions in Democracies

Joana Lopes, No affiliation, Portugal

Measuring Political Sustainability: A Comparative Analysis of Mozambique, the USA, and Sweden

Flávio Quembo, National Association of Young Entrepreneurs (ANJE), Mozambique

What Does Democratic Resilience Mean for Public Administration? A Theoretical Exposition

Eckhard Schroeter, German University of the Police, Germany

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P-095 Citizens and Identities in Democratization/Autocratization Trends



12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Carmelo Cattafi, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

Discussant(s) Patrícia Jerónimo, University of Minho, Portugal

Are There Internal Prerequisites for Democratization in Russia? The Mood of Youth in the Coordinates of the Dichotomy of Democracy vs Communication

Andrei Prudnikov, Eurasian Technological University, Kazakhstan

Are Young Populists Different? Investigating the Relationship Between Age and Populist Attitudes

Jean-Nicolas Bordeleau, University of Ottawa, Canada **Daniel Stockemer**, University of Ottawa, Canada

Citizen Participation and Democratization: the Role of World Citizens

Carmelo Cattafi, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

Cosmopolitan Identities Amidst Autocratization: The Transnational Experiences of Turkish Migrants in the UAE

Itir Aladag Gorentas, Kocaeli University, Türkiye

Burak Yalım

Democracy and Racial/Ethnic Context in the States of the U.S.

Rodney Hero, Arizona State University, United States

Navigating New Nationalism: Exploring Emotional Dynamics and Democratic Challenges in Turkey's Ulusalcılık Phenomenon

Günce Sabah Eryılmaz, Bahcesehir University, Türkiye

R-065 [LOC/FLAD Roundtable]: Revisiting Juan Linz's Theories of Regimes

12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) António Costa Pinto, Institute of Social Sciences, University of Lisbon (ISC-UL), Portugal

Speaker(s) Jennifer McCoy, Georgia State University, United States

Andreas Schedler, Central European University, Austria Giovanni Capoccia, University of Oxford, United Kingdom Mark Thompson, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R.

P-029 Deliberative Practices and Political Decisions at Local Level

12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | Room: C003 | NOVA-FCSH

Chair(s) Sergiu Gherghina, University of Glasgow, United Kingdom

Discussant(s) Monika Mokre, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria

Democratic Innovations for Divided Societies: The Centripetalist Potential of Deliberative Minipublics

Sergiu Gherghina, University of Glasgow, United Kingdom

Nenad Stojanovic, Université de Genève, Switzerland

Non-Voters and Political Parties in Vienna Monika Mokre, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria

Political Parties, Pensioners and Deliberation: Explaining Counterintuitive Actions

Diana Margarit, University of Iasi, Romania **Bettina Mitru**, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania

Reluctant at the Centre, Supportive at the Local Level: Mainstream Political Parties and Deliberation in Ankara

Savaş Zafer Şahin, Ankara Hacı Bayram Veli University, Türkiye

Tensions and Contradictions in Parties' Support for Deliberation: The Las Palmeras Case

Antonio Sianes, University of Loyola Andalusia, Spain

When Elections Hinder Deliberation: Political Parties and the Climate Citizens' Assembly in Luxembourg

Emilien Paulis, University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg

P-098 Information, Media and Cultural Wars



12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Erdogan Ciftcioglu, Türkiye

Discussant(s) Yuliia Turchenko, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv/King's College London, Ukraine

Brazil's Cultural War: Elon Musk vs. Brazilian Supreme Court

Carolina Guerra, Pontifícia Universidade Católica de São Paulo (PUCSP), Brazil Alessandra Ogassavara, Pontifícia Universidade Católica de São Paulo (PUCSP), Brazil Infocracy: The New Pandemic That Plagues Democracies in the Digital Age

Carolina Papaleo, Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina

Memes as Weapons in "Online Culture Wars" Karin Liebhart, University of Vienna, Austria

The Role of Social Media in Autocratization: (Dis)Informational Dynamics for Mobilization in Brazil Andressa Liegi Costa, Centre for Public Administration and Public Policies (ISCSP-ULisbon), Portugal

Unveiling Online Violence Against Women in Politics: EU Political Candidates

Ana Espírito-Santo, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal Bárbara Santos, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Informational Influence on Democratic Processes of States in a Geopolitical Context Yulia Turchenko, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv/King's College London, Ukraine

P-089 Transitions to/from Democracy

12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Bosco Govantes, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Spain

Discussant(s) Emma Gordon, Geschwister-Scholl-Institut für Politikwissenschaft Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany

Development of Democracy in Latin America

Alda Maria Napolitano Sanchez, Universidade Federal do ABC (UFABC), Brazil

Global Trends in Governance: From Democratic Erosion to the Dawn of Post-Fascism

Oğuz Gürerk, Center for Computational Social Sciences, Koç University, Türkiye

Global Trends, Local Adaptations: The Rise of the Far Right in Latin America

Pascal Lupien, Brock University, Canada **Jose Cardoso**, Brock University, Canada

Patterns of Exclusion: Uncovering Selection Bias in the Democratic Transition Literature

Emma Gordon, Geschwister-Scholl-Institut für Politikwissenschaft Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany

The Entropy-Democracy Paradox: How Global Systemic Uncertainty Erodes Democracy

Mehrdad Khakparaghi, ELTE, Hungary

When Autocratization is Reversed: Episodes of U-Turns Since 1900

Staffan I. Lindberg, Department of Political Science, V-Dem Institute, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

Fabio Angiolillo, University of Gothenburg, Sweden Marina Nord, University of Gothenburg, Sweden Martin Lundstedt, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

P-013 [RC24] Autocratization and Democratization: Issues in Comparative Civil-Military Relations and Regional Security

12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | *Room:* Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Janicke Stramer-Smith, Weber State University, United States

Discussant(s) John Garofano, Naval War College, United States

Ethnicity, Nationalism, and Authoritarianism in Turkey: From Ataturk to Erdogan

Symeon Giannakos, Salve Regina University, United States

Follow the Money: Linking the Military's Economic Interests and its Political Behavior



Janicke Stramer-Smith, Weber State University, United States

From Small Steps to Bold Gestures: Evaluating Sadat's Attempts to Reassure Israel from 1975 to 1977 **Shahin Berenji**, Naval War College, United States

Shaimi berenji, Navar War Conege, Officed States

Giving up the Gun: Democracy and Militarism in Ireland, 1913-1937

Timothy Hoyt, Naval War College, United States

Keeping the Military at Bay for Democratization Success: Experiences and Lessons from Pakistan and Bangladesh

Ehsanul Haque, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

Tensions in Securitization and Democratization in the Middle East and North Africa

Heidi Lane, Naval War College, United States

P-035 Education for Democracy in Scope of Human Rights

12 September 2024 | 15:00 - 16:30 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Alex Sander Pires, Universidade Autónoma de Lisboa, Portugal

Discussant(s) Jedrzej Skrzypczak, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan, Poland

Combatting Misinformation and the Assault on Academic Freedom with Research, Education, and Advocacy

Heather Pfeifer, University of Baltimore, United States

Constructing Democracy and Citizenship in Cultural and Education Policies

Katja Mäkinen, University of Jyväskylä, Finland

Democracy, Sport and Right to Peace: The Legacy of Pierre de Coubertin

Alexandre Miguel Mestre, Autonomous University of Lisbon, Portugal

Education, culture of peace and democracy: three vertices for a better world

Alex Sander Pires, Universidade Autónoma de Lisboa, Portugal

Forms of Democratic Education in the 21st Century. Can Democracy Still Be Sexy for Generation Z?

Jedrzej Skrzypczak, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan, Poland

International Security and Democracy: Building a Path to a Successful Security Sector Reform - SSR

Carlos Imbrosio Filho, Autonomous University of Lisbon, Portugal

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P-083 Nationalism and Ethnicity in Democracy and Autoritarism

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Samer Alnasir, Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia (UNED), Spain

Discussant(s) Kailash Nath, Yale University and Kasar Foundation, India

Citizenship and Nationalism in Azerbaijan after the II. Karabakh War

Ayça Ergun, Middle East Technical University, Türkiye

Comparative Study of Status Quo Power: A Case Study of Nazis Germany (1933 to 1939) and Hindu Nationalism in India

Eby Johny, University of Warsaw, India

Ethnicity in the Age of Autocracy: Examining Kurdish Minority in Turkey and Democratic Backsliding

Gulay Umaner Duba, Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus

Nationalism and Beyond: Carnivalesque Public Space and National Identity under Getúlio Vargas's Dictatorship (Brazil, 1937–1945)

Fernando Lima Neto, Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro (PUC-Rio), Brazil

Nationalism and Ethnicity in Autocratization Process in the Soviet Union and Post-Soviet States

Marco Marsili, Cà Foscari University of Venice, Italy

Varieties and Determinants of Minority Language Policy Regimes: A Global Perspective

Chun-Ying Wu, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), Spain

Juliette Crespin-Boucaud, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), Spain



Matthias vom Hau, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), Spain Emre Amasyali, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), Spain Frank Borge Wietzke, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), Spain

P-003 [LOC] Corruption, Political Trust, and Support for Democracy – The Case of Portugal

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Luís De Sousa, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Discussant(s) Ina Kubbe, Tel Aviv University, Israel

A Fuzzy-Set Qualitative Comparative Analysis of the Effects of Corruption Prevention, Education, Inequality and Government Efficacy on Voter Turnout in Portuguese Local Elections

José Cruz, Faculty of Law, CIJ - Universidade do Porto, Portugal

Democratic Values, Political Trust, and Corruption: A Survey Analysis Luís De Sousa, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal Felippe Clemente, Instituto de Ciências Sociais, Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Explaining Tolerance towards Corruption (TtC) in Democracy: An Elite and Mass Survey Analysis Gustavo Gouvêa Maciel, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Leaders or Villains? The Role of Corruption in Shaping the Stereotypes of Politicians Inês Ascenso, Centre for International Studies, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal Miguel R. Ramos, University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

Marcelo Moriconi, CEI-ISCTE, Portugal Sibila Marques, CIS-ISCTE, Portugal

The "Audições" (Auditions) and "Consultas" (Consultations) in Portuguese Governmental Legislative Procedure since 1976 to 2024: A Preliminary Overview

Tiago Martins, ISCSP - Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

P-099 Political Parties and Regime Change

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | Room: C003 | NOVA-FCSH

Chair(s) Filipa Raimundo, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Discussant(s) Eun Hee Woo, Josai International University, Japan

Endogenous Threat to Democracy: Autocratization and Political Power in Brazil

Francisco Giovani Pimentel Moreira, FGP Consultoria e Assessoria, Brazil One-Party Dominance and Party Constitutionalisation in Tanzania

Alexander Boniface Makulilo, University of Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania

Political Parties, Personalism, and Democracy in the Dominican Republic

Ernesto Sagás, Colorado State University, United States

Regress of Democracy in Poland

Arkadiusz Modrzejewski, University of Gdansk, Poland

Jakub Potulski, Poland

Undemocratic Consequences of Democratic Candidate Selection: Lessons from South Korea

Eun Hee Woo, Josai International University, Japan

Why Binary Opposition of Autocratization and Populism Converge: Not A Valid Question in Erdogan's Turkey?

Sima Baidya, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India

P-097 Political Attitudes and Behavior in Democratic Backsliding

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Carlos Jalali, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Discussant(s) Yusuke Ishikawa, Institute of Geoeconomics, Japan



Between Institutions and Public Opinion: Assessing Attempts of Autocratization in Brazil Barbara Lopes, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil

Changing Dynamics in Indian Politics: Understanding Political Shifts in AP and Telangana **Himabindu Mukthipudi**, Central University of Kashmir, India

Circumstantial or Essential Abstention: Political Attitudes and Feelings that Determine the Nature of Electoral Alienation Marcia Ribeiro Dias, Universidade Federal do Estado do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Interethnic Vote Pooling and Powersharing in Severely Divided Societies

Donald Horowitz, Duke University, United States

Unveiling Voter Decision-Making: The Role of Consideration Sets in Electoral Choices and Multiparty Political Dynamics Oliwia Szczupska, SWPS University, Poland

What Drives Democratic Optimism? Examining the Predictors of Confidence in the Future of Democracy in An Era of Democratic Backsliding **Nick Ruderman**, Concordia University, Canada

P-094 Political Legitimacy and Political Regime Change

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Désirée Reder, German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA), Germany

Discussant(s) Andrei Prudnikov, Eurasian Technological University, Kazakhstan

A Thousand Authoritarians: Unravelling the Contemporary Politics in India

Yamin Chowdhary, University of Warwick, United Kingdom

Explaining the Legitimacy of Democracy in Latin America through fsQCA

Rafael Plancarte-Escobar, Universidad de Guanajuato, Mexico

Legitimacy beyond the Democratic Context: Explaining Political Support in Autocracies

Dennis Kurrek, Fernuniversität Hagen, Germany

Political Legitimacy as Politico-Cultural Integration Chase Plante, Old Dominion University, United States

Symbolic Politics as an Indicator of Regime Dynamic: The Cases of Post-Soviet Public Holidays in Russia

Olga Malinova, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia

Unveiling the Power of Discourse: Negative Campaigning and Authoritarian Regime Legitimacy

Sebnem Yardimci Geyikci, University of Bonn, Germany **Hakan Yavuzyilmaz**, Baskent University, Türkiye

P-073 Technology Instruments in Authoritarianism

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | *Room:* Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation *Chair(s)*Sara García Santamaría, University of Bristol, United Kingdom

Discussant(s) Alessandra Ogassavara, Pontifícia Universidade Católica de São Paulo (PUCSP), Brazil

"Political Technology" as a Toolkit of Autocratization: Towards Explaining the Failure of Democratic Transit in Russia Susanna Pshizova, University of Mannheim, Germany

A Revolution in Warfare: Impact of AI-Based Surveillance Technologies

Merve Seren, Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University, Türkiye

Al Power Concentration and Democracy

Vítor Santos, NOVA Information Management School, Portugal

Musk Versus Moraes: Social Networks as an Instrument of the Potential Third Wave of Brazilian Autocratization Between 2018-2024

Vitoria Queiroz, IRID-UFRJ/OPEU-INCT-INEU, Brazil

Luísa Barbosa Azevedo, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Marcus Vinicius Tavares, INCT-INEU/OPEU and Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

The Role of Silicon Valley's Big Tech in Driving Autocratization in the United States

Filippa Chatzistavrou, National Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece



P-039 Exploring the Potential for Democratic Innovation in South Korea

12 September 2024 | 16:45 - 18:15 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Kyung Hoon Leem, Seoul National University, South Korea

Discussant(s) Bumsoo Kim, Seoul National University, South Korea

Diego Fossati, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R.

An Exploratory Analysis of the Perception Gap Between Ordinary Citizens and Experts on Democracy in South Korea

Kwang-Il Yoon, Sookmyung Women's University, South Korea

Anti-democratic Attitudes and Korean Unification

Sangsin Lee, Korea Institute for National Unification, South Korea

Conditional Effects of Participatory Processes on Legitimacy Beliefs in an Emerging Democracy: Evidence from a Survey Experiment

Wonbin Cho, Sungkyunkwan University, South Korea

Nam Kyu Kim, Korea University, South Korea

Yunmin Nam, Kongju National University, South Korea

Joonseok Yang, Sungkyunkwan University, South Korea

Deinstitutionalization of Political Parties and Its Dangerous Consequences: A Case Study of South Korea

Minseok Jeong, Sogang University, South Korea Youngho Cho, Sogang University, South Korea

Educating for Democracy in Higher Education: Enhancing Civic Engagement through Community-Based Learning

Euiyoung Kim, Seoul National University, South Korea **Hiroki Miura**, Seoul National University, South Korea **Sooyeon Suh**, Seoul National University, South Korea

House or Democracy: Economic Inequality and Autocratization in South Korea

Yoonbin Ha, Kongju National University, South Korea



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R-066 [IPSA Roundtable] Conversation on "The impact of political science in society: Could we do better?"

13 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Pablo Onate, University of Valencia, Spain

Speaker(s) John Ishiyama, University of North Texas, United States

Hasret Dikici Bilgin, Istanbul Bilgi University, Türkiye

P-004 [LOC] Democracy and Dictatorship after Social Revolution, War, and Empire: Short and Long Run Legacies I

13 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Tiago Fernandes, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Discussant(s) Tiago Fernandes, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Cooperative Dynamics in Post-Conflict Societies: Fostering Community Bonds and Peacebuilding in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Rui Lora, Universidade de Coimbra, Portugal

Democracy's Quintessence: Liberal Empire and the Electoral Idea in British Cey-lon and the American Philippines

Iza Ding, Northwestern University, United States Dan Slater, University of Michigan, United States

From Post-Communism to National Populism and Post-Democracy: Three Waves of Transformations in Bulgaria

Anna Krasteva, Policy and Citizens' Observatory, Bulgaria

How the Catholic Church shaped the World: Pius XII and Roosevelt and the making of the post-war order

Madalena Meyer Resende, Institute of Political Studies, Catholic University of Portugal, Portugal

Toward Praetorian-Led Electoral Authoritarianism? The (non)Transitions to Civilian Rule in West Africa

Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida, United States

Traces of the Past: Regime Histories and Anti-Foreigner Violence in Post-Unification Germany

Hannah Alarian, University of Florida, United States Michael Bernhard, University of Florida, United States Andrew Rosenberg, University of Florida, United States

P-101 Populism and the Erosion of Democracy

13 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Aries Arugay, Yusof Ishak Institute - Institute of Southeast Asian Studies (ISEAS), Singapore

Discussant(s) Maria Sousa Galito, Lusiada University, Portugal

Decoding Antiestablishment Affect: New Measure and Dynamics Beyond Populist Attitudes

Maisa Lima, IUL- Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Populism and Democracy in USA and India Umesh Kumar, O P Jindal Global University, India

Rehnamol Padmalanchana Raveendran, University of Allahabad, India

Populism and the Crisis of Democracy Rule of Law Maria Sousa Galito, Lusiada University, Portugal

Populist Pathways: Corruption and Democratic Backsliding in Central Europe

Yusuke Ishikawa, Institute of Geoeconomics, Japan



Testing Democracy. The United States of America under Donald J. Trump and the Capacity to Pass Democratic Stress Tests.

Maciej Turek, Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Poland Paweł Laidler, Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Poland

Jared Sonnicksen, Germany

The Rise of Populist Regimes and Autocratization: Consequences for Democracy in India and Beyond Md Aftab Alam, University of Delhi, India

P-082 Foreign Policy and Democratic Backsliding

13 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Cátia Costa, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE) / University of Macao, China

Discussant(s) António Raimundo, University of Minho, Portugal

China's Diaspora Engagement in Italy: Democratization, Autocratization, and Divergent Responses

Nannan Li, Durham University, United Kingdom

Foreign Policy and Authoritarianism: The International Projection from Far-Right Governments

João Jung, Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil Victoria Maltchik, Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

From Earth to Orbit: Autocratization Trends in Space Affairs

Corina Lozovan, Catholic University of Portugal, Portugal

Undermining the Social Contract: Democratic Recession and its Challenges in West Africa Antonetta Lovejoy Hamandishe, Electoral Institute for Sustainable Democracy in Africa, Zimbabwe

Understanding the Impact of Political Economy on Authoritarianism in the MENA Region: A Comprehensive Analysis

Ayfer Erdogan Safak, Yıldız Technical University, Türkiye

Unveiling Autocratic Insemination: Poststructuralist Perspectives as Colonial Legacies

Samer Alnasir, Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia (UNED), Spain

P-084 Political Economy and Regime Change

13 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Erick Duchesne, Université Laval, Canada Chair(s) Discussant(s) Alper Yagci, Bogazici University, Türkiye

A Comparative Analysis of Democratized States: Economic and Social Disparities Between Interconnected Border Cities

Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, United States

African Integration Discourse and Practices and Demands for Multiparty Democracy within the Imperatives of Liberal Globalization; A Reflection Tukumbi Lumumba-Kasongo, Wells College, United States

Autocracy-favoring Globalization?

George Yean, Harvard University, United States

East Asian Developmental States and Contemporary Authoritarianism

Yumi Horikane, Meiji University, Japan

Navigating Africa's Development Landscape: A Comparative Analysis of China's Belt and Road Initiative and Japan's Investment Strategies Chih-shian Liou, National Chengchi University, Taiwan

Revisiting the Neoliberal Agenda of Development

Madhusudhan Reddy Andem, Kakatiya Government College Hanamkonda, India

P-043 Historical Trajectories of Democratic Innovations

13 September 2024 | 09:00 - 10:30 | Room: Sala SD | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Roberto Falanga, University of Lisbon, Portugal Discussant(s) João Moniz, University of Lisbon, Portugal



Comparing the Institutional Design of Democratic Innovations across Europe João Moniz, University of Lisbon, Portugal Roberto Falanga, University of Lisbon, Portugal José Ribeiro

Democratic Innovations in Finland Marina Lindell, Åbo Akademi University, Finland Maija Jäske Katariina Kulha

Democratic Innovations in Portugal: Rowing Against the Tide? Roberto Falanga, University of Lisbon, Portugal

Strategy or Trust in Democratic Instruments? Political Parties and Democratic Innovations Bettina Mitru, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania

Stuck in Tradition or Ahead of The Curve? Unpacking Switzerland's (Apparent) Paradoxical Stance on Democratic Innovation Francesco Veri, University of Zurich, Switzerland

The Rise, Fall, and Rebirth of Democratic Innovations In Brazil Thamy Pogrebinschi, WZB Berlin Social Science Center, Germany

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P-015 [RC34] Democracy Promotion in Times of Autocratization

13 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Auditorium 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Brigitte Weiffen, The Open University, United Kingdom Chair(s)

Discussant(s) Laurence Whitehead, Nuffield College - University of Oxford, United Kingdom Autocratization as a Global Challenge: Strategic Responses of International Democracy Promoters Julia Leininger, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Karina Mross, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany Jonas Wolff, Peace Research Institute Frankfurt (PRIF), Germany

Emerging Democracies' Multilateral Cooperation for the Promotion of Democracy: The Case of South Korea and its Involvement in the A-WEB Hyo-sook Kim, Kansai Gaidai University, Japan

International Actors and Democratization Protection: Preventing the Spread of Illiberal Legislation in Eastern Europe and Central Asia Karina Shyrokykh, Stockholms Universitet, Sweden Thomas Winzen, University of Düsseldorf, Germany

Japan's Engagement with Thailand and Cambodia amid the Decline in Democracy Yoichiro Sato, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Japan Sek Sophal, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Japan

The European Parliament's Democracy Support in South America Giuliano Guidi Braga, University of Minho, Portugal

Laura C. Ferreira-Pereira, University of Minho, Portugal

P-005 [LOC] Democracy and Dictatorship after Social Revolution, War, and Empire: Short and Long Run Lega-

13 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Auditorium 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Michael Bernhard, University of Florida, United States Michael Bernhard, University of Florida, United States Discussant(s)

Historical Roots of Democratization in non-Western Setting: Case of the Azerbaijan Democratic Republic (1918-1920)

Ferit Murat Ozkaleli, ADA University, Azerbaijan Nail Aliyev, ADA University, Azerbaijan

How Does Democratization Occur After Civil Wars? The Role of Former Rebel Political Parties



John Ishiyama, University of North Texas, United States

Hybrid Regimes After Communism: Prior Regime Type, State Building, and Regime Outcomes in the Balkans **Nebojša Vladisavljević**, Faculty of Political Science, University of Belgrade, Serbia

Patterns of Development After Social Revolutions: The Carnation Revolution Compared Mark Beissinger, Princeton University, United States

Portugal, 1974-1975: Revolution, Counterrevolution and Democracy Tiago Fernandes, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Social Revolution, War, Empire, and Democracy: Short- and Long-Run Tenden-cies **Michael Coppedge**, University of Notre Dame, United States

P-047 Perils of Direct Democracy

13 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | *Room:* Sala 1 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Magdalena Musiał-Karg, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland

Civic Participation of Diaspora

Magdalena Ratajczak, University of Wroclaw, Poland

Referendum as a Caricature of the Form of Direct Democracy: Slovakia

Elżbieta Kużelewska, University of Bialystok, Poland

The Backsliding of Direct Democracy in Poland: Example of the 2023 Polish Referendum

Magdalena Musiał-Karg, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland

The Challenge of Democratizing Justice Based on the Degree of Citizen Participation in Decision-making Spaces

Clara Medeiros Marés de Souza, Pontifical Catholic University of Paraná (PUCPR), Brazil

Claudia Maria Barbosa, Pontifical Catholic University of Paraná (PUCPR), Brazil

The Election of Lay Judges and the Principle of Participation by Citizenry in the Administration of Criminal Justice in Poland Dariusz Kużelewski, University of Bialystok, Poland

Threats to Direct Democracy in Poland: Nationwide Referenda in the Service of Party Control **Maciej Hartliński**, University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn, Poland

P-100 Political Economy and Democratic Backsliding

13 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Sala 2 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Marcus Ianoni, Universidade Federal Fluminense, Brazil

Discussant(s) Anastasiia Arbuzova, Boston University, United States

Does Fortune Favor the Young? Administrative Unit Proliferation in Indonesia **Viktoria Zlomanova**, National University of Singapore/University of British Columbia, Singapore

Inês Ascenso, Centre for International Studies, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Douglas Kammen, National University of Singapore, Singapore

Mahadalits and the Democratic Imaginary in Bihar

Snigdha Shuchi, Jamia Millia Islamia, India

On the Road to Decent Work in Europe: The Effect of Regulations and Political Settings on the Entry Age into Employment

Gianluca Ferrittu, ISEG Lisbon School of Economics and Management, Portugal

Nuno Sobreira, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal **Pedro Goulart**, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Raiders of the Found Arc: Historical Roots of Afro-Eurasian Autocracy

William Thompson, Indiana University, United States

Leila Zakhirova, Concordia College (Moorhead, Minnesota), United States

The Evolving Social Contract in the GCC: The Future is Gendered

Gail Buttorff, Hobby School of Public Affairs, United States

Nawra Al Lawati, University of Liverpool, Oman Bozena Welborne, Smith College, United States

When Perception Doesn't Match Tolerance: A Look at the Social Definition of Corruption in Portugal and Spain



P-062 When Paradiplomacy Democratizes Foreign Policy: Assessing the Challenges and Opportunities of Bringing Democracy to the Foreign Action

13 September 2024 | 10:45 - 12:15 | Room: Sala 3 | Gulbenkian Foundation

Chair(s) Stéphane Paquin, ENAP, Canada

Discussant(s) André Lecours, University of Ottawa, Canada

Constructing Democratic Values in the Global South: The Influence of Indian Soft Power

Vimal Kashyap, Central University of Himachal Pradesh (CUHP), India

Identity Paradiplomacy in Multinational Countries: A Comparative Perspective

Stéphane Paquin, ENAP, Canada

Paradiplomacy and the Implementation of International Climate Commitments: The Case of Quebec Since COP26

Annie Chaloux, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada Jennyfer Boudreau, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada

The Governance Turn after Paris: When Climate Paradiplomacy Meets Regional Leadership

Ana Dias, University of Minho, Portugal

Sandrina Antunes, Universidade do Minho, Portugal

The Role of Paradiplomacy in the Democratisation of International Relations

Arkadiusz Zukowski, University of Warmia and Mazury, Poland

Unpacking Protodiplomacy: The International Actions of the Catalan and Scottish Governments between 2011 and 2023

Martin Christie, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia **Carolyn Rowe**, Aston University, United Kingdom

P-041 Geopolitical Transition, Existential Conflicts and Clashes Among Regional and Major Powers

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Chair(s) Sharyl Cross, St. Edwards University, United States

Discussant(s) Heidi Lane, Naval War College, United States

Application of the Nordic Balance Model for Peace in the Middle East

Arie Geronik, Open University, Israel

It All Began With the Best of Intentions: Explaining the Failure of Democratic Governance and Reconstruction in Afghanistan

Marc Genest, Naval War College, United States

New Parties, Populism and Democracy: Quo Vadis, Eastern Europe?

Anna Krasteva, Policy and Citizens' Observatory, Bulgaria

Russia's Identity and World Order: Geo-Narratives Defining a "Great Power" and Russia's Foreign Policy and Behavior in Regional Conflicts

Sharyl Cross, St. Edwards University, United States

The Role of Democratic and Autocratic Ideology in Great Power Competition

Marybeth Ulrich, Naval War College, United States

The Role of International Democracy Protection in Senegal

Christopher Wingens, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

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P-071 Opposition Politics

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Chair(s) Lina Benchekor, Aix-Marseille Université, France

Discussant(s) Antonio Alberte, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain



"Reclaiming the Republic:" Oppositional Politics and Longing for Democracy in Turkey's Era of Autocratization **Derya Özkaya**, University of Graz, Austria

Democracy, Human Rights and Civil Society: The Relevance of Civil Society Actors for Changing Policies Targeting LGBTI+ People in Portugal Luis Mota, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Ines Almeida, Universidade de Aveiro, Portugal

Electoral Dynamics in Zimbabwe: Democratization, Autocratization, and the CCC's Struggle

Yollanda Yeukayi Washaya, Africa University, Zimbabwe

Alexander Rusero, Africa University, Zimbabwe

Exploring Effectiveness of the Opposition Political Parties in Deterring Autocratization, Using Examples from Turkey, Hungary, Poland and Bulgaria Gulay Icoz, Middlesex University, United Kingdom

How to Defeat Populists and Save Democracy: The Case Study of Poland

Zuzanna Kowalczyk, Uniwersytet Lódzki, Poland

The Success of Local Elections as a Stepping Stone Towards National Power: A Comparative Analysis Between Hungary and Türkiye Yaşar Pinar Özmen, Yozgat Bozok University, Türkiye

P-052 Religious Actors in the Third Wave of Autocratization

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Chair(s) Jasmin Lorch, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Co-Chair(s) Julia Leininger, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Discussant(s) Madalena Meyer Resende, Institute of Political Studies, Catholic University of Portugal, Portugal

Catholic Churches' Stances towards Electoral Manipulation in the Post-Third Wave Period

Dina Osama Lotfy, Cairo University, Egypt

India's Newfound Nationalism and Religiosity: Is the Largest Democracy in Decline?

Muthumanickam Matheswaran, The Peninsula Foundation, India

Neela Gangly, The Peninsula Foundation, India

Religious Actors in the Third Wave of Autocratization: Towards a Conceptual Framework

Julia Leininger, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany Jasmin Lorch, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Role of Nationalism and Religion in Democratization and Autocratization: Case of Georgia and Greece

Kristine Margvelashvili, Ilia State University/University of Goettingen, Georgia

The Rapid Anti-Democratic Turn of American Christian Nationalism

Paul A. Djupe, Denison University, United States Anand Sokhey, University of Colorado, United States

The Role of Religious Actors in the Post-Arab Spring Autocratization

Clément Steuer, University of Prague, Czech Republic

P-093 Gender in Democratization/Autocratization Dynamics

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Chair(s) Hafisat Oladimeji, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain

Discussant(s) Lianboi Vaiphei, Indraprastha College for Women, University of Delhi, India

A Theoretical Model for Gender in De-democratizing Settings: Evidence from Turkey Raquel Santos Fernandes, Research Center in Political Science, University of Minho, Portugal

Antifeminism Revisited: The Portuguese Far Right's Antigender Discourse and Femonationalism Meet Old School Sexism

Sílvia Roque, University of Évora, Portugal

Rita Santos, Centre for Social Studies, University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Autocratization Processes and the Gender Equality Agenda in Latin America

Carla Vitória Barbosa, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Strategic Gender Representation: How Women Give Nicaragua's Ortega-Murillo Regime Legitimacy



Tirza Morales, Universidad de Salamanca, Spain

The New Version of Autocratization in Turkey: Young Woman Subjectivity in the Triangle of Conservative Populism, Neoliberalism and Political Islam Hilal Gedik, Hacettepe University, Türkiye

The Power of Presence: Women's Representation and Regime Survival

Gregory Nelson, University of South Carolina, United States

P-103 Struggle for Democracy in Authoritarian Contexts

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Chair(s) Ina Kubbe, Tel Aviv University, Israel

How India's Autocratization is aided by an Ineffectual Judiciary

Niranjan Sahoo, Observer Research Foundation, India

Playing for the Game: International Electoral Observers' Responses to Autocratic Attacks

Lucas Damasceno Pereira, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Political Values in the New Geopolitics Carlos Leone, Open University, Lisbon, Portugal

Protecting the Judiciary, the Rule of Law and Human Rights from Political Influence: A Concern of the European Union

Cristina Aragão Seia, Fundação Minerva/Centro de Estudos Jurídicos, Económicos, Internacionais e Ambientais, Portugal

Resilience Through Adaptation: The #MeToo Movement's Response to Authoritarian Suppression in China, 2018-2020

Pin Lu, Rutgers University, China

Support for Democracy in Latin America: Is It a Consolidated Value?

Ricardo Angel Minetti, Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Argentina

P-050 Populist Narratives and Political Cultures: Disputing Hegemony through Political Myth and Emotions

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Chair(s) Cristiano Gianolla, Centre for Social Studies, University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Autocratisation in Hungary through the Lens of Political Culture and Socialist Legacies

Agnes Darabos, University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg Agnes Darabos, University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg

Between Leader and Followers: Right-wing Populist Mediations and the Affective Narrative of the Betrayed People

Brigitte Bargetz, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria

Paula Diehl, Kiel University, Germany

Nina Elena Eggers, University of Bremen, Germany

Demands, Myths and Emotions in Populist Counter-hegemony

Andy Knott, University of Brighton, United Kingdom

Cristiano Gianolla, Centre for Social Studies, University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Emotion Narratives in Populist Leaders and Voters

Cristiano Gianolla, Centre for Social Studies, University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Manuel João Cruz, Centre for Social Studies, University of Coimbra (CES), Portugal

Lisete Mónico, CINEICC - University of Coimbra, Portugal

Pink Populism. Disputing Hegemony through Feminist Narratives and Aesthetics

Sara García Santamaría, University of Bristol, United Kingdom

Populism: Between the Context and the Form? Emilia Palonen, University of Helsinki, Finland

P-061 What International Impact for Parliamentary Actors? Findings from Empirical Studies

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Chair(s) Fernando Garcés de los Fayos, European Parliament, Portugal

Discussant(s) Stelios Stavridis, ARAID/University of Zaragoza, Spain



Andrés Malamud, Instituto de Ciências Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (ICS-UL), Portugal

Are Second Chambers Seen as a Safeguard for Democracy? Evidence from the Czech Republic Jan Hruška, Masaryk University, Czech Republic

Sean Hanley, United Kingdom

Enhancing Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) via parliamentary diplomacy: findings from three Southeast Asian countries Ratih D. Adiputri, University of Jyväskylä, Finland

The End of Tunisia's Flirt with Democracy: EU democracy Promotion, the European Parliament and Parliamentary Diplomacy Roderick Pace, University of Malta, Malta

The European Parliament and the Gaza war Paula Lamoso González, Loyola University Andalusia, Spain Stelios Stavridis, ARAID/University of Zaragoza, Spain

The Key Role of Parliamentary Diplomacy in Spain's Accession to the Council of Europe Jordi Xuclà Costa, Blanquerna, Ramon Llull University, Spain

Women's Leadership in International Regional Parliaments: A Comparative Study of Women's Groups in PAP and PARLACEN Senem Ertan, Social Sciences University of Ankara, Türkiye

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P-092 Civil Society and Democracy

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Chair(s) Rafaa Chehoudi, Fulda University of Applied Sciences, Germany

Discussant(s) Jasmin Lorch, German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS), Germany

Algeria, a Permanent Autocracy?

Karim Belgacem, ESSCA LYON, France

Civil Resistance to Autocratization

Kaja Bakke, University of Oslo, Norway

Interaction between Organized Civil Society and Judicial Institutions in Brazil: environmental issues during Bolsonaro's years Vanessa Oliveira, Universidade Federal do ABC, Brazil

Motive and Opportunity: Historic Protests in Panama in 2022 and 2023

Sergio García-Rendón, Centro Internacional de Estudios Políticos y Sociales (CIEPS), Panama

Paths Toward Democracy: Institutions and Social Capital

Leslie Anderson, University of Florida, United States **Ana Luisa Ferreira**, University of Florida, United States **Danillo Ramos Nisio**, University of Florida, United States

The Impact of Autocratization on the Environmental Governance Process: Civil Movements in Russia Post-February 2022 Arina Loginova, Department of Political and Social, University of Bologna, Italy

P-016 [RC34] Democratic Resilience and Resistance to Autocratization

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Chair(s) Laura Tedesco, Saint Louis University/Madrid Campus, Spain

Discussant(s) Hans-Jürgen Puhle, Goethe Universität Frankfurt, Germany

Citizen's Resistance to Democratic Backsliding and Autocratization

Inmaculada Szmolka, University of Granada, Spain Ángel Cazorla Martín, University of Granada, Spain

Consequences of Exile: Raising Barriers for Opposition Coordination in Authoritarian Regimes

Maryhen Jimenez, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

How Liberal Democracies Limit Basic Rights: Between Intrusive Liberalism, Democratic Self-Defense and the Preventive State



Paula Guzzo Falci, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany Valentin Daur, Germany Nicole Bolleyer, Geschwister-Scholl-Institute of Political Science, Germany

Nicole Bolleyer, Geschwister-Scholl-Institute of Political Science, Germal Opposition Dilemmas in Countering Democratic Erosion

Murat Somer, Ozyegin University, Türkiye Jennifer McCoy, Georgia State University, United States

The Pitfalls of Militant Democracy

Wolfgang Merkel, WZB Berlin Social Science Center, Germany

P-042 Global Struggle for Democratic Values: From Heritage to Narratives and Institutions

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Cristina Montalvão Sarmento, Observatório Político, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Discussant(s) Ana Campina, Universidade Fernando Pessoa, Portugal

Brazilian Elections (2022): Confronting Antidemocratic Attacks Favor a Rise of a Shared Democratic Agenda and Values Izabela Cavalcanti Pereira, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Concerning the west Africa democratization versus autocratization: Towards the fourth phase of political revolution?

Babiro Duro Djassi, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

Education for Democracy and Peace: A Fundamental Reflection Alex Sander Pires, Universidade Autónoma de Lisboa, Portugal

Fall in Times of War: Toppling Monuments as a Global Movement

Carlos Vargas Vargas, Observatório Político; Faculdade de Ciências Sociais e Humanas Universidade NOVA de Lisboa (NOVA), Portugal

Resilient Institutions: The Role of UNESCO in Promoting Democratic Values Patrícia Oliveira, Observatório Político; PRAXIS - Universidade da Beira Interior, Portugal

Social Participation in Shaping the New Development Bank's Gender Agenda

Natália Sant' Anna Torres, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal

P-079 The International Perspective in Democratizations and Autocratizations

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Chair(s) Carlos Leone, Open University, Lisbon, Portugal

Discussant(s) Paula Duarte Lopes, Portugal

Failed Inducement or Arrested Democratization? Equatorial Guinea and the Accession to the CPLP

Pedro Seabra, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal Ana Lúcia Sá, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

The EU Linkage and Leverage in Times of Democratic Backsliding: An Empirical Investigation of Emerging Democracies in Europe

Kursat Cinar, Middle East Technical University, Türkiye

Meral Ugur Cinar, Bilkent University, Türkiye

The Role of Membership as a Driver for Democracy Promotion and Rule of Law: The EU Membership Pathway of Ukraine and Moldova

Yasmin Renne, Nova University Lisbon, Portugal

Ana Paula Tostes, Brazil

The Security Turn in EU Democracy Promotion: Changed Perceptions and New Strategies

André Matos, Universidade Aberta, Portugal

Vanda Amaro Dias, University of Coimbra, Portugal

Values, Wallets, and Walls: The EU between Promoting and Protecting Democracy in its Eastern Neighbourhood before and after Russia's 2022 Invasion of Ukraine

Andriy Tyushka, College of Europe (Natolin), Poland

West German Social-Democracy's and Christian-Democracy's Support to Portuguese Political Parties

Ana Monica Fonseca, Instituto Universitário de Lisboa (ISCTE), Portugal

Rita Marcelino dos Santos, Nova University Lisbon, Portugal



P-028 Defending Democracy: Higher Education Challenges in an Age of Increasing Authoritarianism

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Democratic Resilience in Lithuania: Countering Hybrid Threats with Education

Ieva Gajauskaitė, Pasaulio Politikos Mokslo Grupės Docentė, Lithuania

Educating for Democracy in Higher Education: Challenges and Opportunities in a Polarized Society

Tanya Corbin, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, United States

Political Socialization and Early Voters' Experiences in Spain's Transition to Democracy

Matteo Giuliani Pedraza, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Spain

Public Higher Education Policies and Democracy in Sub-Saharan Africa: An Initial reflection on the (possible) influence of global agendas Arlinda Manuela dos Santos Cabral, CeiED - Interdisciplinary Research Centre for Education and Development, Universidade Lusófona de Humanidades e Tecnologias (ULHT), Portugal

The Role of Educational Reforms in India's Autocratization, An Analysis of the National Educational Policy 2020 Priyamvada Singh, University of Warwick, India Ejaz Ahmed, Georgia Tech, United States

Transforming Higher Education: Innovative Approaches for Inclusive Global Learning Iuliia Hoban, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, United States

P-036 Emerging Dynamics of Opposition in the Face of Authoritarian Learning in the Middle East and North

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Alfonso Casani, University Complutense of Madrid, Spain Chair(s)

Francesco Colin, International Institute of Social Studies, Netherlands

Discussant(s) Nur Köprülü, Near East University, Türkiye

"What Are the Iranians Dreaming About?" The Challenge of Democratization under the Islamist Oligarchy Mojtaba Mahdavi, University of Alberta, Canada

Election Dynamics in Authoritarian Monarchies: Insights from the Moroccan Context Nozomi Shiratani, Aichi Prefectural University, Japan

Foreign Policy and the Reconfiguration of Domestic Opposition in Morocco: Political Spaces of Pro-Palestine Activism for Gaza (2008 and 2023)

Alfonso Casani, University Complutense of Madrid, Spain

Francesco Colin, International Institute of Social Studies, Netherlands

Resistances to Authoritarianism: The Case of Algerian Civil Society (1988-2023)

Laurence Thieux, University Complutense of Madrid, Spain Alicia Olmo, University Autónoma of Madrid, Spain

The Individualization of the Movement: Differentiated Repression and the Starification of Activist Elites

Lina Benchekor, Aix-Marseille Université, France

Trouble Brewing in the Circus: On football, Religion and Politics in Morocco

Bjørn Olav Utvik, University of Oslo, Norway