

WORKSHOP

# THEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL INNOVATIONS IN

COMPARATIVE  
POLITICS

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## International Workshop for Early-Career Scholars

November 22-23, 2018 | Institutshörsaal | Gottfried-Keller-Straße 6 | 50931 Köln



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# Schedule

## Day 1 (November 22)

13:00 – 13:30

Arrival and Coffee

13:30 – 13:45

Welcome Remarks

13:45 – 15:30

### Panel 1: Electoral Politics and Representation in Europe

Chair: Sven-Oliver Proksch (CCCP)

Discussant: Sven-Oliver Proksch (CCCP)

Anselm Rink (University of Konstanz)

Does Public Opinion Affect Elite Rhetoric?

Noam Gidron (Hebrew University)

Asymmetric Mass Attitudes and the Multivocal Right

Stefanie Reher (University of Strathclyde)

Bridging a Gap? Congruence in Policy Preferences between Political Elites and Citizens with Disabilities

Christopher Wratil (Harvard University and CCCP)

Contestation and Responsiveness in EU Council Deliberations

15:30 – 16:00

Coffee break

16:00 – 17:45

### Panel 2: Political Institutions

Chair: André Kaiser (CCCP)

Discussant: André Kaiser and Jan Sauermann(CCCP)

Ana Weeks (University of Bath)

Quotas Matter: The Impact of Gender Quota Laws on Work-Family Policies

Damien Bol (King's College London)

What is people's favorite electoral rule behind the veil of ignorance?  
A laboratory experiment

Kathryn Wainfan (University of California, Los Angeles)

The Party Politics of Political Decentralization:  
the British Labour Party and Scottish Devolution

Leonce Röth (CCCP)

Ideology and Minority Accommodation. From Religious to Market Conflict

# Day 2 (November 23)

09:30 – 09:45

**Coffee**

09:45 – 11:30

## **Panel 3: Political Economy**

Chair: Christine Trampusch (CCCP)

Discussants: Christine Trampusch and Dennis Spies (CCCP)

Gabriele Magni (Princeton University)

Economic Inequality, Immigrants, and Selective Solidarity:  
From Perceived Lack of Social Mobility to Ingroup Favoritism

Gregory W. Fuller (University of Groningen)

Bringing the Household back in: Comparative Capitalism and the  
Politics of Housing Markets

Michael Schwan (CCCP)

Leading by Example? The Financialization of German Savings Banks

Sidney Rothstein (Haverford College and MPIfG)

What makes digitalization different? On the political economy of the  
digital transformation

11:30 – 12:30

**Lunch**

12:30 – 14:15

## **Panel 4: New Methods for Comparative Research**

Chair: Ingo Rohlfing (CCCP)

Discussant: Ingo Rohlfing (CCCP)

Bruno Silva (CCCP)

Estimating Politicians' Euroscepticism with Twitter Data

Richard Traunmüller (University of Mannheim and Goethe  
University Frankfurt)

Visual Statistical Inference for Political Research

Florian Kern (University of Essex)

How Do Communities (Re-)Build the Social Contract in Conflict and Post-Conflict  
Societies? A "Metaketa" of Coordinated Qualitative Research Studies

14:15 – 15:00

**Closing Discussion and Coffee**

# Location Plan

Venue: Department of Political Science and European Affairs, Gottfried-Keller-Str. 6, 50931 Köln.



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