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***Conference Section***

**“A Decade of Crises and Resilience in Southern Europe”**

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**IN SOUTHERN EUROPE**

**PANELS OVERVIEW**

- Crisis and Electoral Change: The Case of Southern Europe
- Crisis and Policy Response: Covid and Climate Change in Southern Europe
- Crisis and Political Stability in Southern Europe: From the Economic Crisis to the Covid-19 Pandemic
- Democratic Resilience in Southern Europe: Political Culture, Party System and Institutional Change
- Political Economy of Crisis and Resilience in Southern Europe
- Resistance against Authoritarian Neoliberalism in Turkey
  - Varieties of Populism in Crisis Era Southern Europe

**PANELS WITH PAPERS**

**CRISIS AND ELECTORAL CHANGE:  
THE CASE OF SOUTHERN EUROPE**

Are We All in the Same Boat? Voting in Critical Times in Southern Europe

Marco Giuliani, *Università degli Studi di Milano*

The Effects of Economic Adversity on Electoral Turnout: the Case of Spain During the Great Recession (2008-2016)

Lucas Ormiere, *Institut d'Études Politiques de Bordeaux*

The Effects of Economic Shocks on New Party Emergence and Changes in Voting Patterns

Teresa Esteban-Casanelles, *Columbia University*

Electoral Participation and Political Stability: The Impact of the Macro-economic Context in Portugal (2010-2019)

Bruno Ferreira Costa, *University of Beira Interior*

The Effects of Policy Choice on Attitudes Towards Democracy and Electoral Behaviour in Eurozone Crisis-hit Countries

Lea Heyne, *ICS, University of Lisbon*

Yanis Kartalis, *University of Lisbon*

**CRISIS AND POLICY RESPONSE:**  
**COVID AND CLIMATE CHANGE IN SOUTHERN EUROPE**

Health vs the Economy in the Pandemic: a Southern European Covid-19 Response Model?

Matilde Ceron, *Università degli Studi di Milano*  
Carlo Maria Palermo, *CESPI, Italy*

Organizational Learning and Strategic Culture: How Greece's Crises (re)shaped its Strategic Crisis-management Culture

Vasileios P. Karakasis, *Universiteit Leiden*

Street-level Bureaucrats and Policy Implementation in Times of Crisis: Evidence from Greece during the Covid-19 Pandemic

Theofanis Exadaktylos, *University of Surrey*  
Yiannis Yfantopoulos, *National and Kapodistrian University of Athens*  
Vassilis Karokis-Mavrikos, *University of Surrey*

The Road to Climate Neutrality and Just Transition in Southern Europe: the Case of Greece,

Emmanuella Doussis, *National and Kapodistrian University of Athens*

**CRISIS AND POLITICAL STABILITY IN SOUTHERN EUROPE:  
FROM THE ECONOMIC CRISIS TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

Economic Crisis in Portugal - Who Is to Blame? A Comparative Analysis between Political Responsibility and Public Perceptions (2008-2019)

Mafalda Lobo, *CIES-IUL, Lisbon*

Carlos Cunha, *East Georgia State College & CIES-IUL, Lisbon*

From a Portuguese Miracle to a Nightmare? The Evolving Politics of the Pandemic in Portugal

Patrícia Silva, *Universidade de Aveiro*

Edna Costa, *GOVCOPP, University of Aveiro*

Exceptional but for How Long? The Implications of the Covid-19 Pandemic for Political Stability in Portugal

Catarina Silva, *CICP, University of Minho*

Laura C. Ferreira-Pereira, *CICP, University of Minho*

Fragmentation and Conflict in the Response to the COVID-19 Crisis. The Difficult Relationship between National and Regional Governments in Italy during the Pandemic.

Eugenio Salvati, *Università degli Studi di Pavia*

**DEMOCRATIC RESILIENCE IN SOUTHERN EUROPE:**  
**POLITICAL CULTURE, PARTY SYSTEM & INSTITUTIONAL CHANGE**

“Being Young and Belonging to the Left”: Greek Political Culture and the Return to Politics Decade

Maro Pantelidou Maloutas, *National & Kapodistrian University of Athens*

Programmatic Change in Southern European Radical Left Parties: the Impact of a ‘Decade of Crises and Resilience’ (2009–2019)

Pedro Lourenço, *Universidade de Aveiro*

Turkish Party System in the Context of Autocratization: From Systemic De-institutionalization to Systemic Ossification

Hakan Yavuz, *University of Nottingham*

Legitimacy, Efficiency and Power in Institutional Change: The Islamization of the Secular Civil Law in Turkey

Zeki Sarigil, *Bilkent University*

**POLITICAL ECONOMY OF CRISIS AND RESILIENCE**  
**IN SOUTHERN EUROPE**

From Bail-out to Bail-in: Explaining the Variegated Responses to the International Financial Aid Requests of Ireland and Cyprus

Adonis Pegasiou, *European Institute of Management and Finance*  
Dimitris Papadimitriou, *University of Manchester*

Southern European Welfare Precarization under EU Austerity: Upgraded HCA and Sigma-convergence Analysis of Troika's Conditionality

Álvaro San Román del Pozuelo  
*Carlos III-Juan March Institute of Social Sciences, Madrid*

Does Internal Devaluation Boost Exports? Revisiting the Evidence from Southern Europe a Decade After the Crisis

Konstantinos Myrodiadis, *London School of Economics & Political Science*

How do External Shocks Frame Political Preferences on Redistribution? A Case Study of Portugal

Patrícia Calca, *CIES-IUL, University of Lisbon*  
Andre Freire, *CIES-IUL, University of Lisbon*

Flexibility of Work during the Pandemic: The Cases of Greece and Portugal

Ozgun Sarimehmet Duman, *Hacettepe University, Ankara*

**RESISTANCE AGAINST**  
**AUTHORITARIAN NEOLIBERALISM IN TURKEY**

Panel Chair: Pinar Dinc, *Lunds Universitet*

Co-chair: Imren Borsuk, *Freie Universität Berlin*

Discussant: Pinar Sayan, *Beykoz University*

Civil Society and Latent Mobilization under Authoritarian Neoliberal Governance

Bilge Yabancı, *Stockholm University*

Contesting Authoritarian Neoliberalism in Turkey

Pinar Dinc, *Lunds Universitet*

Pinar Sayan, *Beykoz University*

Move from Coerced to Consented Urban Transformation in Istanbul: Absence of  
Collective Mobilization and Framing of Complicity

Ladin Bayurgil, *Boston University*

The Need to Look Beyond the Right to Property: An Assessment of Constitutional  
Court of Turkey Judgements on Urgent Expropriations for Hydropower Plants

Kutay Kutlu, *York University*

Women's Work and Life Strategies in a Gendered Agribusiness in Western  
Anatolia, Turkey: Achievements and Limitations from a Feminist Perspective

Zeynep Ceren Eren, *Kadir Has University, Istanbul*



## VARIETIES OF POPULISM IN CRISIS ERA SOUTHERN EUROPE

Left-wing Populisms in Power: a Policy Appraisal from Southern Europe

Beatrice Carella, *Scuola Normale Superiore*

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The Crisis in the Discourse of Populist Radical Right Parties: Lega and Fratelli  
d'Italia

Marianna Griffini, *Kings College London*

Populism in Plurinational Democracies. Evidence from Spain

Marc Sanjaume-Calvet, *Universitat Oberta de Catalunya*

Varieties of Radical Right Populism in Southern Europe: A Comparative Analysis of  
Lega, Vox and Chega!

José Pedro Lopes, *University of Glasgow/ National & Kapodistrian University of  
Athens*

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