"Perspectives on Intra-Party Politics: theoretical approaches and practical applications."


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FINAL SCHEDULE

Monday, June 26 2015

9:30-9:45 – Welcome

9:45 – 11:15 – Party Competition

Chitraleka Basu, University of Barcelona

“Verba volant, scripta manent? Intra-party conferences and issue salience in France and Italy”
Andrea Ceron, University of Milan
Zachary Greene, University of Strathclyde

“Do Politicians Strategically Communicate Political Compromise to Mitigate Electoral Costs?”
Mariken van der Velden, University of Zürich

Discussant: Jae-Jae Spoon, University of Pittsburgh

11:15 - 11:30 Break

11:30 - 12:30 – Candidate Selection and Party Competition
“Boost or Brake? The Effect of Candidate Selection and Intra-Party Personalisation of Politics on MPs’ Political Careers in Italy (2006-2016)”
Bruno Marino, *Scuola Normale Superiore*
Nicola Martocchia Diodati, *Scuola Normale Superiore*
Luca Verzichelli, *Scuola Normale Superiore*

“Green on the Outside, Red on the Inside: 'Watermelon' Candidates in Mexican Legislative Elections”
Jae-Jae Spoon, *University of Pittsburgh*

*Discussants:*
Wolfgang Müller, *University of Vienna*
Zachary Greene, *University of Strathclyde*

12:30-13:30 Lunch at *Il Chiostro di Andrea*

**13:30-15:00 – Party Switching and Legislative Politics**

“Party-Level Characteristics and Party Switching: Evidence from Twelve Western European Countries, 1988-2014”
Elisa Volpi, *European University Institute*

“Legislative Part Switching and its Regulation: The Israeli Experience”
Csaba Nikolenyi, *Azrieli Institute of Israel Studies*

“Money can't buy cohesiveness? Testing the impact of resources on legislative cohesion”
Caroline Close, *Université Libre de Bruxelles (CEVIPOl)*

*Discussant: Despina Alexiadou, University of Strathclyde*

15:00-15:15 Break

**15:15-16:45 - Cabinet Ministers and Legislative Politics**

“Appointing ministers in multiparty cabinets: a balancing act between intraparty and interparty competition”
Despina Alexiadou, *University of Strathclyde*
Jude Hays, *Pittsburgh University*

“Why Prime Ministers (Have To) Resign: An Analysis of Factors of Intra-Party and Inter-Party Competition”
Roni Lehrer, *University of Mannheim*
Mattan Sharkansky, *Hebrew University Jerusalem*

“Understanding intra party cooperation: Explaining cosponsorship in the Bundestag”
Jan Bucher, *Aarhus University*
Discussant: Gijs Schumacher, University of Amsterdam

19:00 Dinner, Fabbrica Pizzeria

Tuesday – 27 June 2017

9:30 – 11:00 – Party Congress Research

“Party Organization as Resource and as Constraints: A Research Program”
Matthias Kaltenegger, University of Vienna
Wolfgang Müller, University of Vienna

“Explaining Personalization in Politics? Is it strategy, fashionable or personality-driven?”
Sander Kunst, University of Amsterdam
Gijs Schumacher, University of Amsterdam

“Agenda Setting and Intra-Party Deliberation: Who gets represented at party national meetings?”
Zachary Greene, University of Strathclyde
Javier Sajuria, Newcastle University

Discussant: Andrea Ceron, University of Milan

11:00-11:15 Break

11:15 – 12:15 – PCRG data collection project summaries – data collection, challenges and future plans

Roundtable discussion

12:15 – 12:30 Break

12:30 - 13:00 – Insights and workshop overview

Roundtable discussion

Conference Closes