



Summer School Program (2021)

Wednesday (30th June)

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| 13.50-14.00 | Online connection with participants |
| 14.00-14.15 | Welcome by Head of Democratization Department (OSCE/ODIHR) |
| 14.15-14.40 | Welcome by the Summer School co-directors |
| 14.40-15.00 | Virtual tour de table |
| 15:00-15:15 | Break |
| 15.15 -16.45 | Opening lecture on democracy (title “The Good Citizen: Elections, Political Parties and Youth Representation”) Prof. Russell Dalton (UC Irvine) |
| 16.45-17.45 | Virtual warming up of participants |

Thursday (1st July)-Tuesday (6th July)

Students watch video-lectures using the readings and prepare questions to the speakers

Wednesday (7th July)

Topic: “Democracy Promotion: Pros and Cons”

Speakers: Dr Susan Dodsworth (Queensland University) and Thijs Berman (NIMD)

Guest Expert: Dr Alexander Wolters (OSCE Academy)

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| 9:00-10:30 | Debate and discussion with the guest speakers |
| 10.30-10.45 | Break |
| 10:45-11:45 | “Democratic Backsliding in Georgia: What is the EU’s factor?” (Soso Dzamukashvili) |
| 11:45-11:50 | Break |
| 11:50-12:50 | “Opposition Boycotts in the Western Balkans” (Venelin Bochev) |
| 12:50-13:00 | Wrap up and next session preparation |



Thursday (8th July)

Topic: “Political Party Finance and Corruption”

Speakers: Dr. Marcin Walecki (Europeum, St Antony’s College, Oxford University) and Prof. Elizabeth David-Barrett (University of Sussex)

Guest Expert: Prof. Ingrid van Biezen (Leiden University)

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| 9:00-10:30 | Debate and discussion with the guest speakers |
| 10.30-10.45 | Break |
| 10:45-11:45 | “Party Identity and Democratic Progress in Post-Soviet Eastern European Countries since 1990” (Mucahid Aykut) |
| 11:45-11:50 | Break |
| 11:50-12:50 | “The Future of Domestic Politics in Belarus” (Elnar Bainazarov) |
| 12:50-13:00 | Wrap up and next session preparation |

Friday (9th July)

Topic: “Political Parties, Social Movements and New Technologies”

Speakers: Dr Katarzyna Grzybowska-Walecka (European University Institute in Florence) and Krzysztof Izdebski (E-Panstwo)

Guest Expert: Dr Emil Juraev (Soros Foundation)

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| 9:00-10:30 | Debate and discussion with the guest speakers |
| 10.30-10.45 | Break |
| 10:45-11:45 | “The Study of Implementation of Blockchain based e-voting in Mongolia” (Altanchimeg Purevsuren) |
| 11:45-11:50 | Break |
| 11:50-12:50 | “Europarties’ Engagement with Parties of Western Balkans and Eastern Partnership” (Teona Levrelashvili) |
| 12:50-13:00 | Wrap up and next session preparation |
| 13.00-14.00 | Virtual social activity |



Saturday (10th July)

Free day

Sunday (11th July)

Free day

Monday (12th July)

Topic: “Political Parties and Diversity – Women, Youth, and Persons with Disabilities”

Speakers: Dr Ekaterina Rashkova (Utrecht University) and Zuzana Papazoski (NDI-Poland)

Guest Expert: Sasa Gavric (OSCE/ODIHR)

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Debate and discussion with the guest speakers

10.30-10.45

Break

10:45-11:45

“What Helps Women More: Gender Quota or Block Vote?” (Michał Gulczynski)

11:45-11:50

Break

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“Violation of Women’s Rights at Work: The Case of Bosnia and Herzegovina” (Mersida Crneta)

12:50-14:00

Lunch break

14:00-15:00

“Involve Young People in Democratic Decision-making Processes” (Emarilda Leti)

15:00-16:00

Special Session: “How to Get Published?” with Dr Ekaterina Rashkova (editor of *European Political Science*) and Dr Katarzyna Grzybowska-Walecka (editor of *Politologia*). Moderator: Dr Fernando Casal Bértoa (co-editor of the Routledge Book Series on “Political Parties, Party Systems and Elections”)

Tuesday (13th July)

Topic: “Party System Institutionalization: Causes and Consequences”



Speakers: Dr Fernando Casal Bértoa (University of Nottingham) and Radivoje Grujic (OSCE/ODIHR, Warsaw)

Guest Expert: Wojciech Gagatek (???)

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| 9:00-10:30 | Debate and discussion with the guest speakers |
| 10.30-10.45 | Break |
| 10:45-11:45 | “The State, Civil Society and Unaddressed Legacies in Russia” (Selbi Ourdiyeva) |
| 11:45-11:50 | Break |
| 11:50-12:50 | “Towards Personalist Party: Mongolia’s Constitutional Changes” (Uuganbayar Tumurkhuu) |
| 12:50-13:00 | Wrap up and next session preparation |
| 13:00-14:00 | Lunch break |
| 14.00-15.30 | One-to-one (voluntary) virtual meetings with Dr Katarzyna Grzybowska-Walecka (European University Institute, Florence) or Dr Fernando Casal Bértoa (University of Nottingham) |

Wednesday (14th July)

Topic: “Political Parties and Election Campaigning”

Speakers: Vladimir Misev (OSCE/ODIHR) and Dr Tim Haughton (University of Birmingham, United Kingdom)

Guest Expert: Dr Michał Kotnarowski (SWPS University)

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| 9:00-10:30 | Debate and discussion with the guest speakers |
| 10.30-10.45 | Break |
| 10:45-11:45 | “Vote Buying and Vote Selling in Albania” (Adela Methasani) |
| 11:45-11:50 | Break |
| 11:50-12:50 | “Kazakhstan’s Ethnic Minorities’ Participation in Politics” (Alimana Zahanmukanova) |
| 12:50-13:00 | Wrap up and next session preparation |



Thursday (15th July)

Topic: “Party Politics in the Age of Populism”

Speakers: Dr Lenka Bustikova (Arizona State University, USA) and
Marta Pardavi (Hungarian Helsinki Committee)

Guest Expert: Dr Petra Guasti (Goethe University)

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| 9:00-10:30 | Debate and discussion with the guest speakers |
| 10.30-10.45 | Break |
| 10:45-11:45 | “The Impact of Supply-side Factors on the Success of the Far-right” (Marta Vukovic) |
| 11:45-11:50 | Break |
| 11:50-12:50 | “Democracy Test: The Position of Minority Parties After 2020 Elections in Montenegro” (Fjola Dacic) |
| 12:50-13:30 | Closing remarks and way forward |