

CCCP KICKOFF EVENT

NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN COMPARATIVE POLITICS

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UNIVERSITÄT ZU KÖLN | SEMINARGEBAUDE (S 11) | OCTOBER 13-14, 2017

PROGRAM

This two-day kickoff event celebrates the recent expansion of the Cologne Center for Comparative Politics (CCCP). It presents a multifaceted comparative research program to the broader public and offers a possibility for engaging in exchange with distinguished scholars. Lead by its core faculty of Prof. Dr. *André Kaiser*, Prof. Dr. *Sven-Oliver Proksch*, Prof. *Ingo Rohlfing*, PhD and Prof. Dr. *Christine Trampusch*, the CCCP strives for both excellent research and teaching with high international visibility. Research at the CCCP is organized around four interrelated areas: electoral politics and representation, political institutions, political economy and methods research.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

- 14:00 – 14:30 **Introduction and Welcome Address**
CCCP Faculty and
Prof. Dr. Werner Mellis (Dean, WiSo Faculty)
- 14:30 – 16:00 **Session 1**
“Opposition Strategy and Parliamentary Debate”
Prof. Sven Oliver Proksch (CCCP)
- “Electoral Responsiveness, Legislative Institutions, and
Government Policy in Parliamentary Democracies”*
Prof. Lanny W. Martin (Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan)
- 16:00 – 16:30 **Coffee Break**
- 16:30 – 18:00 **Session 2**
“Immigration and Welfare State Retrenchment”
PD Dr. Dennis Spies (CCCP)
- “The Role and Cost of Price Competitiveness in the Eurozone”*
Prof. Lucio Baccaro (Director, MPIfG Köln/Université de Genève)
- 19:00 **Dinner**
Brauhaus Pütz, Engelbertstraße 67, 50674 Köln

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

09:30 – 11:00

Session 3

*"Apathy or Anger. How Crime Experience Affects
Vote Intention in Latin America"*

Sarah Berens and Mirko Dallendörfer (CCCP)

*"The Influence of Group Size on Distributional Fairness
under Voting by Veto"*

Jan Sauermann and Paul Beckmann (CCCP)

*"'What's the Matter with America?' An Update on
Political Realignment after the 2016 Presidential Election"*

Prof. Herbert Kitschelt (Duke University)

11:00 – 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30 – 13:00

Session 4

"Programmatic Heterogeneity and Voting for New Parties"

Prof. Ingo Rohlfing (CCCP)

*"Putting Party Organization in Comparative Perspective: First Findings
and Next Steps for the Political Party Database Project"*

Prof. Susan E. Scarrow (University of Houston)

13:00

Closing Lunch

Venue: Seminargebäude, Universitätsstraße 37, 50931 Köln
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