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9.00 - 18.00 (CET)

Programme

Chairs:
- Andrea Cassani, Università degli Studi di Milano
- Luca Tomini, Université Libre de Bruxelles

9-10,30 Workshop 1

- Felix Wiebrecht, Chinese University of Hong Kong
  Expertise or Echoes? Responsiveness in Authoritarian Institutions
- Žilvinas Švedkauskas, University of Tubingen
  Patient Autocrats: Comparing Constitutional Capture in the EU and its Neighborhood

10,30-11 Break

11-12,30 Workshop 2

- Tiziana Corda, University of Milan
  Winning the Battle of Narratives: How Autocrats and Their Opponents Fight to Control Information and Consolidate Power. Insights from the Ethiopian Case (with Braden Fuller, Clionadh Raleigh)
- Keith Prushankin & Mikhail Zabotkin, Freie Universität Berlin
  Populism as a Legitimation Strategy in Electoral Autocracies

12,30-14 Lunch break

14-15,30 Workshop 3
- Magalí Serra Duran, European University Institute
  *Surviving Under Inequality. Women’s Rights in Authoritarian Regimes*
- Sevgi Doğan, Scuola Normale Superiore
  *A Gramscian Reading of Turkish neoliberal-Authoritarianism*

15.30-16 Break

16-18 Round table

**Chair:**
Gianni Del Panta, Scuola Normale Superiore

Johannes Gerschewski, Berlin Social Sciences Center, WZB
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