

21st Century Authoritarianism: Resilience, Innovation, Reconsolidation

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Firenze, Palazzo Strozzi
“Altana” conference room

March 24, 2022

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 Tübingen
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

Bilge Yabanci, Università di Venezia

Licia Cianetti, University of Birmingham

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