



Thursday June 9th

Panel : European Integration, Political Parties, and Public Opinion (Conference Room)

Session 1: 9.00 – 10.30

Chair: Kyriaki Nanou

Papers: Simon Bornschier "National dimensions of political conflict and the mobilization of preferences over Europe by the extreme populist left and right"
Galina Zapryanova and Christine Arnold "Examining the Relationship between Citizens, National Governments and Support for European integration"
Martino Rubal: "Context Makes the Difference: Political Competition and Citizens' Attitudes towards European Integration"
Alexia Katsanidou (MWF 2009/2010): "Citizen representation in the EP election"

Discussant: Mark Franklin

Coffee break 10.30-11.00:

Session 2: 11.00-12.30

Chair: Galina Zapryanova

Papers: Kyriaki Nanou, Stéphanie Novak and Alessia Paccagnini: "Party government and European integration: policy (dis)agreement in the EU-15?"
Holger Döring "The European Union's democratic chain of delegation: Explaining the party composition of Council, Commission and EP"
Anne Rasmussen "Commitment versus Openness? Party-group relations in the 21st century"

Discussant: Peter Mair

Lunch: 12.30-14.00

Session 3: 14.00-15.30

Chair: Galina Zapryanova

Papers: Mathieu Petithomme "Designing "lost-cost" campaigns? The effects of political finance on party competition in EU elections"
Wilhelm Lehmann "Recent advances towards veritable European political parties"
Francesco Maiani "Participatory democracy in the Lisbon Treaty – a legal perspective"

Discussant: Richard Rose