

Discover your position in the political landscape for the 2009 European Parliament elections

The European University Institute (EUI) in collaboration with two technological partners, the Dutch company "Kieskompas" and the Swiss "NCCR/Politools" are pleased to invite you to the official launch of the EU PROFILER: a revolutionary, Europe wide voting advice application (<a href="www.euprofiler.eu">www.euprofiler.eu</a>). Designed by an international team of social scientists, the EU Profiler, which combines high quality information on party positions and state-of-the-art technology, will present 300 European parties in various analyses and visualizations that allow voters to see which party is closest to their preferences. It is made available in almost all national languages of the EU and parts of the application will be customised to each country's national campaign context. In the ever more confused European political landscape in which party lines are becoming blurred, the EU Profiler will, for the first time, provide voters with a clear and comprehensive guide.

Prof. Alexander H. Trechsel (EUI), Prof. André Krouwel (Kieskompas/Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam), Prof. Andreas Ladner (NCCR Democracy), Prof. Peter Mair (EUI), Prof. Yves Meny (EUI) and a representative VU (tbc) will be present.

The presentation will take place on 23 April at the Scotland House, Rond-Point Schuman 6, Brussels, at 10.30h.