

POLITSCI '15 / Third Political Science Conference

.December 11–13, 2015 in Istanbul POLITSCI '15 / Third Political Science Conference will be held on
 The conference will be brought to life by DAKAM (Eastern Mediterranean Academic Research Center)
 and organized by B?LSAS (Science, Art, Sport Productions).

The conference aims to constitute a forum for prolific exchanges between different theoretical perspectives, interests and concerns prevalent within political science. We welcome papers based on original research in politics. We also encourage submission of abstracts derived from papers in other disciplines, including history, philosophy, and economics, hoping to engage in inter-disciplinary and trans-disciplinary dialogues that will add to our understanding of what political theory may mean for people today living in rapidly changing national, social and cultural contexts.

PUBLICATION

All submitted papers are subject to double blind peer review. Conference proceedings are going to be available on DVD as e-book and DAKAM's digital library with an ISBN number before the conference and will be sent to be reviewed for inclusion in the "Thomson & Reuters Web of Science's Conference Proceedings Citation Index" (CPCI) and Google Scholars.

AGENDA

Deadline for submission of abstracts: Sep 4, 2015
 Deadline for registration: Oct 30, 2015
 Deadline for full papers submission: Nov 6, 2015

THEMES

I. Political System and Institutions
 The State: Coercion and Hegemony
 Democracy and authoritarian regimes
 Authoritarian populism
 Illiberal democracy
 Authoritarianism and neo-liberalism
 Securitization in politics
 Repression, police, and surveillance networks
 Ideological Apparatuses
 Education and Legitimization
 Mass Media, Social Media and Politics of Authority and Resistance
 Social Movements and Counter-Hegemony
 Ways of Resistance to Authoritarianism
 Gender and political power
 Gendered effects of the rise of authoritarianism
 Ecologism and resistance
 Humor and Politics
 II. Political Thinking and Ideologies
 Political Philosophy

Legitimacy of Political Power: Philosophical Insights
 Waning of the public space and the public citizen
 Religion and Politics
 The power of religion in the public sphere
 Religious Extremism: Identity, Class and Propaganda
 Political Symbols and Political Memory
 The use of symbols and rituals in politics
 Political memory: Centenary and millenary anniversaries
 Art, architecture and politics
 Spaces of memory

VENUE

Cezayir Meeting Halls in Istanbul
 Hayriye Caddesi 12, Galatasaray, Beyoğlu
 The conference will be held at Cezayir Meeting Halls:
<http://www.cezayir-istanbul.com/en/index.php>
 Cezayir building was built in 1901 as a school by the Italian Workers' Society. The building, with its 2005 renovation, has been transformed into a landmark establishment serving under the Cezayir Garden, Cezayir Lounge and Cezayir Rooms brands on its three floors. Housing a restaurant, a lounge, a bar and meeting rooms as well as providing a wide range of cultural events in its halls.

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