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EXTREME RIGHT AND DEMOCRACY IN EUROPE AFTER THE SECOND WORLD WAR

Coexistence, Contrasts, Contradictions



Mural of the Battle of Cable Street (October 4, 1936), on the west wall of St George's Town Hall in Shadwell (East End of London). It depicts the clash between angry London residents and the police, who was protecting a march by the British Union of Fascists. Commissioned to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the battle in 1976, the mural was completed in 1983.

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THE PROGRAM



20 MAY : Campus Condorcet, Room 0.010, Bâtiment de recherche nord

9:00-9:45 : Welcome

9:45-10:00 : **Andrea Martini** (Paris 8 University), Introduction and Contextualisation

10:00-12:45 : **Italy, a Case Study?**

- Discussants : **Graham Macklin** (University of Oslo) and **Guido Panvini** (La Sapienza, University of Rome)
- Chair : **Suzy Toson** (Paris 8 University)

The State's Reaction to the Extreme Right

- **Marco Bernardi** (University of Turin), *Apologia: Yes or No? Anti-Fascists, Fascists, and Italian Society Facing Regulations Against Apology of Fascism*
- **Emanuel Rota** (University of Illinois), *Outlawing Ordine Nuovo: The Failed Strategy to Contain Italy's Radical Right*

Renewals of the Extreme Right and Social Issues

- **Valeria Galimi** (University of Florence), *The Culture of Right-Wing Youth in Italy: Genealogies, Transformations, and Circulations. Editorial Experiences from the 1970s and 1980s*
- **Marco Rovinello** (University of Calabria), *"A Corrupt System": Democracy and HIV/AIDS in the Political Strategies and Discourses of the Italian Social Movement (1980s-1990s)*

14:00-16:45 : **Extreme Right vs. Democratic Cultures**

- Discussants : **Jean-Yves Camus** (Jean Jaurès Foundation) and **Pablo Del Hierro** (Maastricht University)
- Chair : **Giordano Bottecchia** (IFG Lab)
- **Antoine Limare** (Sorbonne Nouvelle), *L'antidémocratie comme héritage politique. Continuités et mutations du discours antidémocratique chez les fascistes et collaborateurs français. De la Libération aux années 1950*
- **Nicoletta Arena** (University of Florence), *Is the Defense of Europe a Gateway? Far-Right Narratives and Postwar Reintegration*
- **Carlos Domper Lasus** (University of Zaragoza), *An Anti-Liberal and Counter-Revolutionary Democracy: The Narrative of Democracy in the Iberian Dictatorships and French and Italian Conservatism in the European Postwar Period (1945–1960)*
- **Stefan Rindlisbacher** (University of Fribourg), *The Extreme Right in the Environmental Movements after 1945: Infiltration, Cooperation, and Emancipation*



21 MAY : Campus Condorcet, Room 100, Centre de Colloque

9:00 : Welcome

9:15-11:15 : The Extreme Right and the Defence of the Rule of Law

- Discussants : **Florence Haegel** (Sciences Po Paris) and **Andrea Martini** (Paris 8 University),
- Chair : **Elisa Pareo** (University of Verona / Paris 8 University)
- **Sarah Osman** (University of Geneva), *La pénalisation du négationnisme en Suisse (1945-2000)*
- **Jonathan Preda** (IFG Lab), *Un interdit désirable ? La démocratie face à la mémoire du fascisme dans l'extrême droite française, 1945-1984*
- **Emmanuel Alcaraz** (Sciences Po Aix), *Les leçons à tirer pour le présent de l'engagement de Madeleine Rebérioux (1920-2005) contre l'extrême-droite à la Ligue des droits de l'homme*

11:30-13:00 : Extreme Right and Democracy : Coexistence, Contrasts, Contradictions Today

Roundtable coordinated by **Marie-Anne Matard-Bonucci** (Paris 8 University)

With the participation of:

- **Valentin Behr** (Centre européen de sociologie et de science politique) – Eastern Europe
- **François-René Julliard** (Centre d'Histoire "Espaces & Cultures", Clermont-Ferrand) – United States
- **Bénédicte Laumond** (University of Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines) – Germany
- **Nonna Mayer** (Sciences Po Paris) – France

13:00-13:15 : Concluding remarks





Scientific Committee

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