

## *GECOPOL\_Graduate*

### **III Geneva Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy**

17 and 18 February 2022

Department of Political Science & International Relations, University of Geneva

Zoom Online Event, all times are CET

#### **Programme**

🌀 17.02.2022, h. 13 🌀

🌀 Welcome Address 🌀

Emanuela Ceva (Université de Genève)

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#### **Keynote Talk – Virtual Room 1**

Sandrine Baume (Université de Lausanne)

Against Compromise in Democracy? A Plea for a Fine-Grained Assessment

Chair: Matteo Gianni (Université de Genève)

#### 14:35-16:05 Graduate Session 1

##### **A. Virtual Room 1 – Theories of Institutions | Chair: Matthieu Debief (Université de Genève)**

- Karolina Jedrzejczak (University of Manchester): How Should We Talk about a Crisis of Liberal Democracy
- Colin Rowe (KU Leuven): Between State Governments and Governance: Polycentric Government as a framework for normative theories of competency placement

##### **B. Virtual Room 2 – Identity Politics | Chair: Esma Baycan Herzog (Université de Genève)**

- Francesca Cesarano (Vita Salute San Raffaele University, Milan): Femininity and the Legitimacy of Blanket Bans on Harmful Bodily Modifications

🌀 16:05-16:15 Break 🌀

#### 16:15-17:45 Graduate Session 2

##### **A. Virtual Room 1 – Democratic Elections | Chair: Nenad Stojanović (Université de Genève)**

- William Chan (University of Manchester): What, if at All, is Objectionable About Appearance-based Voting?
- Eleonora D'Annibale (KU Leuven): On the Justification of Electoral Rights

##### **B. Virtual Room 2 – Freedom and Equality | Chair: Serkan Şeker (Université de Genève)**

- Ilkin Huseynli (University of Milan): Freedom without Ability
- Xuanpu Zhuang (Bowling Green State University): How to Relate as Equals in Ordinary Life

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13:00-14:45 Graduate Session 3

**A. Virtual Room 1 – Democratic Theory** | Chair: Alexander Matthias Geisler (Université de Genève)

- Vincent Harting (London School of Economics): Random Selection, Incentives-Based Capture and Class Specificity
- Palle Bech-Pedersen (University of Hamburg): On the Problem of Blind Deference. A Lafontian Challenge to Landemore’s Open Democracy
- Eric Shoemaker (University of Toronto): What Does Democracy Have to Do with the Public Interest?

**B. Virtual Room 2 – Property** | Chair: Maria Carolina Jiménez García (Université de Genève)

- Sergei Sazonov (University of Tartu): The Entrepreneurial Theory of Ownership
- Arianna Dini (University of Turin and University of Vienna): Property and Realism as Genealogy Critique

14:50-16:20 Graduate Session 4

**A. Virtual Room 1 – Responsibility** | Chair: Marta Giunta Martino (Université de Genève)

- Elena Matias Casacuberta (Sciences Po Paris): Transnational Firms and the Narratives of Responsibility
- Giulia Balossino (University of Milan): A Place for Desert in Distributive Justice: Role-responsibility

**B. Virtual Room 2 – Distributive Justice** | Chair: Melis Pinar Akdag (Université de Genève)

- Elena Icardi (University of Milan): Neo-republicanism and Distributive Justice: the Threat of Wealth Inequality to Freedom as Non-domination
- Augusto Sperb Machado (University of Lausanne): Does “Manna from Heaven” Matter for Theories of Justice? Some Lessons from a Thought Experiment Used by Nozick and Cohen against Rawls

☞ 16:20-16:30 Break ☞

16:30-18:00

**Keynote Talk – Virtual Room 1**

Jason Brennan (Georgetown University)

Nudging Heretics: A Conditional Defense

Chair: Emanuela Ceva (Université de Genève)

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