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**SOUTHERN EUROPE:**

**A POST-CRISIS ZONE?**

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**‘Post-Crisis’ Southern Europe:**

**Representation, Protest, Mobilisation**

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Protest Movements and Electoral Politics: Southern Europe in Comparative Perspective

Sebnem Yardımci-Geyikçi

Low-skilled Workers’ Political Actions: From RRPP to Protests.

A Comparison between Italy, France and Spain

Katia Pilai and Davide Rocchetti

Left Governments, General Strikes and Public Opinion in Spain

Kerstin Hamann, Bonnie Field

and Alison Johnston

Protests in Greece and their Long-term Impact on Greek Politics:

From the ‘Anti-austerity’ to the ‘Protest for Macedonia’ Movements

Chrysa Lamprinakou, Iakovos Makropoulos

and Wolfgang Rudig

Who Represents the Poor in Southern Europe?

Evidence from Italy and Portugal using a Policy Agenda Perspective

Enrico Borghetto

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**Elections in Southern Europe – Still Democratic?**

**Turkey in Comparative Perspective**

Chair: Adam Szymánski

Co-chair/Discussant: Kristin Eichhorn

Elections, Political Finance and Incumbency Advantage: The Case of Turkey

Jakub Wodka

Electoral Malpractices in Turkey and their Impact on Political Regime

Adam Szymański

New Electoral Alliances in Turkey after the Regime Change to Presidentialism:

A Path to Deepen Political Polarisation or Cooperation?

Burcu Taşkın

The Challenge of Turkey’s Opposition Republican People’s Party (CHP)

in a Dominant Party System

Filiz Baskan

Populism and De-democratisation:

Evidence from Elections and the Referendum in Greece (2015-2019)

Wojciech Ufel

Reserve paper

Trends and Characteristics of the Turkish Party System in the Light of the 2019 Local Elections

Mehmet Bardakci

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**Policy Challenges in ‘Post-Crisis’ Greece**

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‘Post-crisis’ in Greece: Subordination Normalised

Noelle Manuela Burgi

Social Vulnerability in Greece in the Last Decade (2008-2018):

What is the Impact on Greece’s Social Fabric?

Michael Melidis

and Stylianos Ioannis Tsagkarakis

Post-crisis Environmental Policy in Greece:

Discussing the Prospects of Four Challenging Issues

John Karamichas

Administrative Adaptation during the Eurozone Crisis:

Greece and the CAP reform

Sevasti Chatzopoulou

Lessons from the Greek crisis through the Lens of Policy Entrepreneurs:

An Assessment through the Use of Q-methodology

Vasileios P. Karakasis

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**Political Attitudes in ‘Post-Crisis’ Southern Europe**

Chair: Kerstin Hamann Kerstin.Hamann@ucf.edu

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Authoritarian Legacies and their Effects upon Political Attitude Formation

Roula Nezi

Youth Politicisation in (Post)-Crisis Greece:

Ideological Currents, Attitudinal dynamics, and Levels of Political Engagement

Angelos Kontogiannis-Mandros,

Konstantinos Zafeiris and Stella Ntouraki

The Path to the Dark Side:

Determinants of Negative Perceptions towards Immigration in Spain

Virgina Ros

Attitudes towards European Integration at Times of Crisis:

The Case of Greece

Georgios Karyotis, Sofia Collignon

and Dimtris Tsarouhas

Post-Bailout Southern Europe: More or Less Eurosceptic?

Susannah Verney

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**Politics in Polarised Southern Europe**

Chair: Susannah Verney

Co-Chair/Discussant: Anna Bosco

Populism Put to the Test: The 2019 European Elections in Italy

Filippo Tronconi and Marco Valbruzzi

Party Mandates and Policy Agendas in Italy’s Yellow-green Government

Caterina Froio

Territories or Social Policies?

Polarisation as the Struggle for the ‘Electoral Question’ in Spain

Pablo Simón

Polarisation and Party Competition on the Right in Spain

Juan Rodríguez Teruel

The Voter Bases of Podemos and Vox

Andres Santana

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**Systemic Change in ‘Post-Crisis’ Southern Europe**

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Southern Europe in the Era of Governmental Coalitions?

Katerina Labrinou

Coalition Government in Greece: The New Normal?

Myrto Tsakatika

Model of Electoral System Change in Post-crisis Greece and Italy

Malgorzata Lorencka

Show Me What you Challenge and I’ll Write Where We are Going:

The Italian Party System under Siege by Challenger Parties

Leonardo Puleo

The Impact of Populism on Policy Change: Evidence from Southern Europe

Theofanis Exadaktylos and Roula Nezi

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**What Actually Happened?**

**Analysing the 2019 Euroelections in Southern Europe**

Chair: Theodore Chadjipadelis

Co-chair/Discussant: Eftichia Teperoglou

Analysing 2019 Euroelection Manifestos in Southern Europe:

Paving the Way for Consolidating Creditor/Debtor Cleavages in the EU?

Dina Sebastião

Euroelections 2019: An Opportunity for the Italian People

or a Slippery Slope for the European Union?

Andrea Grippo

European Elections in Malta:

The Constrictions on Second-order Elections in Two-Party Systems

Mark Harwood

The Interplay Between the 2019 European and Local Elections in Greece:

Still Both Second-Order Contests?

Theodore Chadjipadelis and Eftichia Teperoglou

Using Machine-learning Techniques to Analyse

how the South European Political Space Changed from 2014 to 2019

Javier Padilla, Guillermo Romero Moreno

and Enrique Chueca

Reserved paper

Southern EUropean Elections: A Story of their Own?

Dario Quattromani and Roberto de Rosa

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