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Concepts and Methods for Research on Far-Right Politics

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Keynotes
25 JUNE 2018, 9:30–11:30
*'The Study of the European Far Right:
Towards a Fourth Wave?'*
CAS MUDDE, University of Georgia
29 JUNE 2018, 15:30–17:30
Gender and the Far Right
KATHLEEN BLEE, University of Pittsburgh
Keynotes will be held in the
conference hall "L'Altana" and are open to all

Lecturers
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KATHLEEN BLEE, University of Pittsburgh
GIORGIA BULLI, University of Florence
PIETRO CASTELLI GATTINARA, University of Oslo
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The 1st Summer School of the ECPR Standing Group on *Extremism & Democracy* focuses on the study of the far right in its populist, radical, and extremist manifestations. Its aim is to bolster and promote knowledge on the theoretical, empirical, and methodological underpinnings of contemporary far-right politics. The Summer School will focus on how to study and interpret the different manifestations of far-right politics across time, arenas, and national contexts. The Summer School will introduce students to concepts and theories explaining the conditions affecting far-right mobilisation and performance; and methods to tackle this phenomenon empirically. Despite the growing attention received by far-right political parties, social movements, and groups, we still lack a comprehensive conceptual and methodological toolkit to investigate its diverse expressions in the multi-organisational field. The Summer School will thus address young scholars and students, and discuss how to apply established research techniques to the study of far-right politics and create, retrieve, and manage available data.