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Michael Raeber Knowing Democracy **Career Opportunity**

Postdoctoral FNS Researcher at UNIL

The successful candidate will work within the research project "How to evaluate objections to political compromises and their rebuttals." In its first part, the project will provide a systematic mapping of the objections against political compromises developed by 20th and 21st century scholars within the field of political theory. In the second part, the research will evaluate the robustness of the objections towards political compromises and their rebuttals. This evaluation will be conducted in considering normative and empirical strengths of the inventoried objections and rebuttals and should contribute to a theory of the role of compromise in democratic decision-making.

This project is conceived as a collaborative undertaking between the principal investigator (Prof. Sandrine Baume) and the post-doc to be recruited. The principal investigator and post-doc will share the research effort and produce both individual and joint publications.

More information here.

Members who wish to share some news regarding their activities (e.g., publications, new professional appointments, job opportunities) may write an email to sptn@unige.ch.



1. Seminars

Geneva Colloquium in Political Theory – GECOPOL

- o 18 May 2021, 12:15 CEST: Edward Hall (University of Sheffield) *Political Compromise and Dirty Hands*
- 25 May 2021, 12:15 CEST: Federico Zuolo (University of Genoa)
 Animals and Politics: A Liberal Theory

Université de Lausanne – CWP

21 May 2021, 10:30 CEST: Eugénie Denarnaud (École Nationale Supérieure de Paysage, Versailles-Marseille) Une jardine sans lieu: de la piraterie spatiale à l'objet porteur de chance, trajectoire d'une forme de jardin ordinaire à Tanger (Maroc)

2. Workshop

University of Minho - Center for Ethics, Politics, and Society

o 19 May 2021, 17:00 CEST:

Book workshop with Emanuela Ceva and Maria Paola Ferretti on:

<u>Political Corruption: The Internal Enemy of Public Institutions</u> (Oxford University Press 2021).

Discussant: Camila Vergara (Columbia University); Mark Warren (University of British Columbia)

The seminar, hosted by the Center for Ethics, Politics, and Society at the University of Minho, is open to everyone, but pre-registration is required. To register, visit <u>here</u>.

For inquiries, contact the organizers at dsantoro@ilch.uminho.pt or gballacci@ilch.uminho.pt.

3. Conference

The Geneva Debate

o 26 May 2021 18:00 CEST

Two teams of four students from the Graduate Institute will engage in an hour-long debate at *Maison de la paix* in front of an online audience and a distinguished panel of judges.

Jury Members:

- Prof. Mohammad-Mahmoud Ould Mohamedou, Professor and Chair International History and Politics Department, The Graduate Institute.
- Prof. Suerie Moon, Co-Director, Global Health Centre, Graduate Institute.
- Prof. Emanuela Ceva, Full Professor of Political Theory, University of Geneva.
- Ms Kritika Khanijo, Legal Consultant, World Health Organization.
- Mr Mario Jiménez, Programme Manager, GAVI / WEF Global Shaper.

Moderator

• Mr Marcel Mione: Journalist and Host – Géopolitis, Radio Télévision Suisse (RTS).

More information here.

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The Swiss Female Expert Platform

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5. Recent Publication

• Michael Raeber, Knowing Democracy A Pragmatist Account of the Epistemic Dimension in Democratic Politics (Springer 2021)