

International Conference

Transnational Perspectives on Europe's Extreme Right

21st-23rd October, 2025

Program Schedule:

Tuesday, 21st October

18:00-19:30: Welcome Addresses & Keynote Speech

Room: SN 163

Jonas Brosig (Organizing Team)
Prof. Dr. Philipp Gassert (Chair of Contemporary History)
David Esteban Susa Sánchez (ENGAGE.EU)

Massimiliano Livi (University of Trier, Germany): "Transformation of the Neo-Conservative and Far-Right Political Culture Since the 1970s"

+++ Dinner +++

Wednesday, 22nd October

08:45-10:30: The Extreme Right in the Context of the Cold War

Carlos Domper Lasús (University of Zaragoza): "The Theorists of Democracy for the *Abendland* During the Cold War and the Transnational Organisations Around Which They Mobilised"

Marius Huber (Free University of Berlin): "The West German 'National Revolutionary Movement' During the Cold War"

+++ Coffee Break +++

11:00-12:30: German Holocaust Relativization

Richard Rohrmoser (University of Mannheim): "Fred A. Leuchter and Günter Deckert – Protagonists of Transnational Holocaust Denial"

Elena Bös and Paroma Ghose (Institute of Contemporary History in Munich): "Springtime for Hitler Popular Music, Nazi Symbols, and the Problem of the 'Apolitical'"

+++ Lunch Break +++

14:00-15:30: Networks, Radicalization and Violence

Graham David Macklin (University of Oslo): "Anglo-German Extreme Right Youth Networks From the 1950s to the 1980s"

Nina Osenbrügge (University of Mannheim):

"Extremist Violence & Co-Radicalization of Right-Wing Extremist, Left-Wing Extremist, and Religious Fundamentalist Attitudes"

+++ Coffee Break +++

16:30-18:00: Biographical Approaches

Daria Vilkova (National University of Kyiw): "From Secret Publications to Battlefield Slogans: The Legacy of Dmytro Dontsov's Nationalist Ideology"

Sofia Miola (University of Pavia): "Adriano Romualdi: A Voice of his Generation in Search of a European Far-Right Identity"

+++ Optional Dinner +++

Thursday, 23rd October

09:00-10:30: Transnational Connections

Artemisia Athanasiou (University of Athens): "Transnational Entanglements of the Greek and the Italian Extreme Right: Building the Bond"

Neven Vutev (University of Sofia): "Subcultural Legacy or Symbolic Adoption: Typologies of the Far Right in Eastern Europe"

+++ Coffee-Break +++

11:00-13:00: Psychology and Challenges

Cian Lin (Norwegian School of Economics, Bergen): "Moral Foundations and National Identity: Insights from Taiwan's Political Psychology for Understanding Radicalization Pathways"

Pablo del Hierro (University of Maastricht): "The Importance and the Challenges of Studying the Far Right at the End of the Cold War"

Final Discussion