



COMPARATIVE AGENDAS PROJECT (CAP) 2022 ANNUAL MEETING

JULY 10-12, 2022

REICHMAN UNIVERSITY, ISRAEL

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SHUTTLE

Shuttles to campus will be provided every morning from the following locations:

Port Tower Hotel, Tel Aviv
Publica Herzliya Hotel, Herzliya
NYX Herzliya Hotel, Herzliya
Herods Hotel, Herzliya
Dan Accadia Hotel, Herzliya
Herzliya Train Station

The shuttle schedule for every day will be announced the prior evening.
Shuttles at the end of each day will drop guests off at the same locations.

Sunday, July 10

12:00-13:00 **Registration and Light Lunch (Lobby)**

13:00-14:30 **Panel Session 1**

Panel 1.1 Public Opinion and Political Participation (Room H2)

Marcello Carammia and Marco Scipioni / [The issue basis of political ideology. Evidence from 28 European countries](#)

Jennifer Oser / [Political efficacy and political participation](#)

Anne Rasmussen / [Digital advocacy and online agenda setting: The impact of interest groups on digital agendas and responsiveness](#)

Discussant: EJ Fagan

Panel 1.2 Bureaucratic Information and Oversight (Room H3)

Connor Dye / [Measuring the effect of oversight on the rule-making process](#)

Anne Siri Snell / [Bureaucratic influence on the agenda: Civil servants as agenda setters in Danish regions](#)

Henry Flatt / [Expert information in Texas: The role of the Legislative Budget Board](#)

Niva Golan Nadir / [State management of unpopular religious public policies in Israel: A comparative outlook](#)

Discussant: Ilana Shpaizman



15:00–16:30

Panel Session 2

Panel 2.1 Agenda Setting, Information and the Policy Process (Room H2)

EJ Fagan, Bryan Jones / [The politics of error](#)

Alex Mintz / [Behavioural political science and agenda setting](#)

Moshe Maor / [The ladder of discriminatory policy: A framework for the systematic classification of system-level policy punctuations](#)

Daniel Sledge, Derek Epp, and Herschel F. Thomas / [Boiling frogs: The politics of slow-moving problems](#)

Discussant: Frank Baumgartner

Panel 2.2 Parliamentary Agenda (Room H3)

Bareket Shamai / [Why do Knesset members in Israel establish so many parliamentary caucuses?](#)

Vaidas Morkevicius / [Politicization of parliamentary agenda items: Analysis of the Lithuanian parliament agenda in 1995–2020](#)

Laura Chaques Bonafront and Camilo Cristancho / [Newspaper attention and the parliamentary agenda in a fragmented context](#)

Discussant: Enrico Borghetto

17:00–19:00

Opening Plenary and Reception (Room H1)

Greetings:

Dr. Amnon Cavari, Director, Institute for Liberty and Responsibility, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, Reichman University

Prof. Assaf Moghadam, Dean, Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy and Strategy, Reichman University

Prof. Varda Liberman, Provost, Reichman University

Keynote Address:

Prof. Gadi Wolfsfeld, Sammy Ofer School of Communications, Reichman University

Monday, July 11

9:00–10:30

Panel Session 3

Panel 3.1 Party Agenda and Issue Ownership (Room H2)

Osnat Akirav / [Intersectional representation of Arab legislators in the Israeli parliament](#)

Christoffer Green Pedersen / [Understanding the conflict of conflicts. What can we learn from the Irish case?](#)

Queralton Tonafoch / [Coping with COVID-19: Do political parties address job insecurity?](#)

Christopher Cassella / [Issue Ownership of Ballot Measures](#)

Discussant: Anne Rasmussen

Panel 3.2 Rhetorical Agenda (Room H3)

Katie Madel / [How rhetorical purpose affects policy's legislative success](#)

Amnon Cavari / [The rhetorical policy agenda of presidents](#)

Zsanett Pokorny and Tamás Barczikay / [What did the prime minister say? Government responses to COVID-19 in Hungary: A policy analysis](#)

Felipe Brasil, Pablo Aguirre, Jeraldine del Cid Castro, and Camilo Cristancho / [Executive priorities in Latin America](#)

Discussant: Moshe Maor

10:45–12:00

Coding and Data Presentations and Discussion: Accuracy, Efficiency, Innovation, and Replicability in CAP coding (Room H1)

Christoffer Green Pedersen

Miklos Sebok

Guy Freedman

Enrico Borghetto



Lunch break

13:30–15:00 **Panel Session 4**

Panel 4.1 Coalition Government (Room H2)

Gerard Breeman and Arco Timmermans / [Coalition agreements and the space for updating the policy agenda: An analysis of agenda dynamics in the Netherlands, 1982-2020](#)

Jens Jungblut, Jo Bøe Valgermo, and Tuva Marie Kavli / [Cutting up the cake – Studying the Norwegian government's agenda since World War II](#)

Jan Earling-Klausen / [Size and local policy agendas](#)

Discussant: Christoffer Green Pedersen

Panel 4.2 Measurement (Room H3)

Miklos Sebok / [Solving multi-class classification for low resource languages with large language models](#)

Mor Mitrani / [In search of the bellwether: A text as data approach for assessing trend-making in international agenda-setting processes](#)

Camilo Crisancho / [Interest group influence through policy narratives: A computational linguistics approach](#)

Discussant: Amnon Cavari

15:15–16:15 **Plenary – COVID, Policy Agenda, and Interest Groups (Room H1)**

Frank Baumgartner

E.J. Fagan

Moshe Maor

Anne Rasmussen

Ilana Shpaizman

16:30–18:00 **Visit Apollonia National Park (bus from RU campus)**

18:30–20:30 **Dinner at Yam Bar (at Herzliya beach)**

Shuttle from Apollonia (18:15)

Tuesday, July 12

9:30–10:45 **Panel Session 5**

Panel 5.1 Courts Agenda (Room H2)

Andreu Rodilla / [The influence of abstract review on the legislative process: Does constitutional justice work as check and balance for democracy?](#)

Howard Schweber / [Judicial doctrine and judicial agenda setting at the U.S. Supreme Court](#)

Maoz Rosenthal / [The agenda premises of the judicialization of politics: Policy attention in Israel's High Court of Justice 1995-2017](#)

Discussant: Rannan Sulitzeanu-Kenan

Panel 5.2 Legislative Agenda (Room H3)

Enrico Borghetto, Amnon Cavari, Emiliano Grossman, and Ilana Shpaizman / [The effect of cabinet characteristics on government legislation](#)

Anna Palau, Andreu Casas, and Andreu Rodilla / [Do multilevel politics influence the amending activity of legislators? Evidence from the Spanish case](#)

Ilana Shpaizman / [Government legislative agenda: The \(veto\) power of the cabinet in coalition governments](#)

Discussant: Marcello Carammia



11:00-12:30

Panel Session 6

Panel 6.1 Leadership Agenda (Room H2)

Sean Theriault / [How policy priorities change with leadership change: The case from the Holy See](#)

Olga Litvyak, Andrey Shadurskiy / [Dynamics of presidential agendas in Russia: 2012-2020](#)

Felipe Brasil and Camilo Cristancho / [Presidential and government agendas in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic in Latin America](#)

Discussant: Maoz Rosenthal

Panel 6.2 Party and Media Agenda (Room H3)

Tam'as Barczikay and Zsolt Boda / [The media effect on policy agendas - supporting the null-hypothesis? The case of Hungary 1990-2014](#)

Daniel Moeller Eriksen / [Bring the party back in: A study of Danish MPs' behavior on Twitter in an everchanging media environment](#)

Marcello Carammia and Stefano Lacus / [Migration mood on Twitter](#)

Discussant: Laura Chaques Bonafront

13:00-14:00 Update on CAP projects and business meeting (Room H1)

Light lunch will be provided

15:00-18:00 Tour of Jaffa

Bus will leave at 14:30

Wednesday, July 13

8:00-19:00 Trip to Jerusalem (three religions and a geopolitical tour)

Time is tentative but it is a full day with a professional guide and private transportation.

\$50 (approximately 175 NIS).

The bus will pick up and drop off participants at the hotels that are listed for the shuttle and at the Herzliya train station (time will vary). We will also have a stop at the airport on the way back for those interested in catching an evening flight back home (please contact us about the time of your flight).

