**PROGRAMME**

The Annual Conference of the Institute of International Relations and Political Science and the Lithuanian Political Science Association on Parliamentary Elections in Lithuania

November 25th, VU IIRPS, Vokiečių str. 10

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| 9:30-9:45 | **Opening of the conference**  **Ramūnas Vilpišauskas**, Director, Institute of International Relations and Political Science, Vilnius University  **Liutauras Gudžinskas**, President of Lithuanian Political Science Association  **Augustina Zamuškevičiūtė**, representative of Konrad Adenauer Foundation office in Lithuania |
| 9:45-11:15 | **HOW DID VOTERS CHOOSE IN 2016?**  Moderator: **Jūratė Novagrockienė**  **Ainė Ramonaitė**, “*Voters turn to right or left? Lithuanian Peasants and Green Union‘s challenge to Lithuanian party system”*  **Ieva Petronytė**, “*Forgiving our own but not the strangers. Perception and evaluation of political scandals in Lithuanian society before the elections 2016* “  **Mažvydas Jastramskis**, “*What can be predicted based on the voter turnout in Lithuanian elections? Myths and reality about the favour to the particular parties”*  **Laura Matjošaitytė**, “*What are the features of a voter in Parliamentary elections 2016?* “  *Comments (Mindaugas Jurkynas)* |
| 11.15-11.30 | Coffee break |
| 11.30-13.00 | **GEOGRAPHY OF ELECTORAL FIGHT: COMPETITION OR CONSALIDATION OF MONOLOPY?**  Moderator: **Ainė Ramonaitė**  **Rolandas Tučas**, “*The reform of boundaries of single-member constituencies in 2016: problems, progress, results”*  **Adelė Vaiginytė**, “*Tendencies of parliamentary elections: is there a risk for constituencies to become monopolies?”*  **Vaidas Morkevičius**, *“Do Lithuanian voters vote strategically? Divided voting in parliamentary elections”*  **Jonas Bačelis, Lina Kadžiulytė**  *“Informational losses in vote counting process and unused opportunities of electoral system”*  *Comments (Zenonas Vaigauskas, Marija Šaraitė)* |
| 13:00-14:00 | **Lunch break** |
| 14:00-15.30 | **FORUM: WHAT HAPPENED TO REPRESENTATIVE DEMOCRACY IN LITHUANIA AND THE WORLD?**  Moderuoja: **Virgis Valentinavičius**  Įvadiniai pranešimai:  **Alvydas Jokubaitis**, *“Contradictions of representative democracy”*  **Jogilė Stašienė**, *”Non-party candidacy -new formula for success?”*  Diskusijos dalyviai: **Alvidas Lukošaitis, Gintautas Paluckas, Vykintas Pugačiauskas, Jonas Survila, Tomas Tomilinas, Ramūnas Vilpišauskas** |
| 15.30-16.00 | Coffee break |
| 16:00-17:30 | **PASITIKĖJIMO KRIZĖ IR JOS INSTITUCINĖS PRIELAIDOS**  Moderuoja: **Algis Krupavičius**  **Liutauras Gudžinskas** “Trust in enforcement authorities: Comparative Longitudinal analyses in Baltic countries”  **Vitalis Nakrošis** *“Trust in Lithuanian civil service: functionality of interinstitutional relations and their influence to good governance”*  **Irmina Matonytė ir** **Vaidas Morkevičius**, “The perception of threats to public welfare: effects of social optimism and personal, social and institutional trust”  **Vytautas Kuokštis ir Romualdas Bakutis***“Significance of tax morality, situation in Lithuania and the ways to improve it”*  *Comments (Ieva Petronytė)* |
| 17:30-18:30 | Refreshments |

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