**PROGRAMME**

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

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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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