



The 6th PPSY International Seminar
THE FUTURE OF ELECTORAL SYSTEMS

December 5, 2017, 10⁰⁰–16⁰⁰

Venue: *Galeria 44*, ul. Lubicka 44, Toruń

10.00–12.00 THE LANDSCAPE OF ELECTORAL SYSTEMS

- 10.00–10.10 Dr **Anna FRYDRYCH-DEPKA** & Dr **Patryk WAWRZYŃSKI**
(Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
Opening Remarks
- 10.10–10.25 Dr Hab. **Adam SZYMAŃSKI** (University of Warsaw, Poland)
& Mr **Wojciech UFEL** (University of Wrocław, Poland)
Beyond vote rigging: common patterns in electoral malpractices in de-democratizing regimes
- 10.25–10.40 Dr **Katarzyna KUĆ-CZAJKOWSKA** (Maria Skłodowska-Curie University, Poland)
& Dr **Justyna WASIL** (Maria Skłodowska-Curie University, Poland)
Pathologies and abuses of electoral system at the municipal level in Poland
- 10.40–10.55 Dr **Anna FRYDRYCH-DEPKA** (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
Polish local self-government electoral law: good practice vs. vote rigging
- 10.55–11.10 Dr **Beata SŁOBODZIAN** (University of Gdańsk, Poland)
Local Elections in Poland: elections or a political game?
- 11.10–11.25 Mr **Daniel KEREKES** (Masaryk University, the Czech Republic)
Urban vote: Case Studies of Prague and Warsaw
- 11.25–11.50 Discussion
- 11.50–12.00 Coffee break**

12.00–14.00 PRACTICES OF ELECTORAL LAW & SYSTEMS

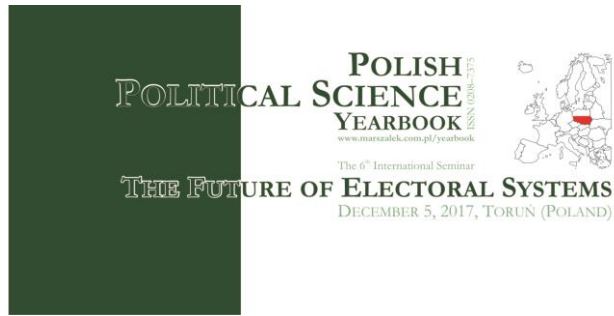
- 12.00–12.15 Dr **Łukasz JAKUBIAK** (Jagiellonian University, Poland)
The convergence of presidential and parliamentary elections under the constitution of the French Fifth Republic



- 12.15–12.30 Dr **Małgorzata LORENCKA** (Silesian University, Poland)
The return to mixed electoral system in Italy: consequences and perspectives
- 12.30–12.45 Dr **Maria WINCŁAWSKA** (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
Compulsory voting in Australia: How it works?
- 12.45–13.00 Mrs **Anna KULESZEWICZ** (Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland)
Electoral System of the Republic of Belarus after 25 years of independence
- 13.00–13.15 Mrs **Paulina KRUSZYŃSKA** (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
*The Hungarian parliamentary elections:
warning of manipulation in the electoral system in Poland*
- 13.15–13.30 Mrs **Hanna WICZANOWSKA** (Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland)
*Optimal Scope of Freedom of Expression in Electoral Campaign:
Best Practices according to ECtHR*
- 13.30–13.50 Discussion
- 13.50–14.00 Coffee break**

14.00–16.00 THE FUTURE OF ELECTIONS

- 14.00–14.15 Prof. Dr Hab. **Anna RAKOWSKA-TRELA** (University of Łódź, Poland)
Current proposals to amendment Polish electoral law in the light of European standards
- 14.15–14.30 Dr **Łukasz BUCZKOWSKI** (Łomża State University of Applied Sciences, Poland)
On the proposals for amendments to the Electoral Code
- 14.30–14.45 Dr **Małgorzata BABULA** (WSPiA University in Rzeszów, Poland)
Electoral rights and intellectual disability: Poland's obligations under international agreement
- 14.45–15.00 Dr **Katarzyna SZWED** (University of Rzeszów, Poland)
E-voting in the light of the electoral law principles
- 15.00–15.15 Mrs **Martyna HOFFMAN** (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
E-voting: Can we (still) trust new technologies?
- 15.15–15.30 Mr **Sławomir SZYSZKA** (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
Recommendations of election observers and their impact on the integrity of elections
- 15.30–16.00 Discussion



16.00 POSTER SESSION

Dr **Marek GÓRKA** (University of Technology in Koszalin, Poland)

Disinformation as a tool for political rivalry on the example of the US presidential campaign in 2016

16.00–18.00 Lunch (Restauracja *Chang Lin*, Szosa Lubicka 166E)