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## Populist Nationalism as a Global Phenomenon: Echoes of the Long Twentieth Century

### International Conference

**30<sup>th</sup> - 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024**  
Aula Baratto, Ca' Foscari  
Dorsoduro 3246, Venice

Convenor  
**Robert Upton**  
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### 30<sup>th</sup> May

9.15 **Welcome and opening remarks:** Robert Upton (Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

9.30 **SESSION 1** - Thinking globally about populist nationalism in the 20th century

**Eduardo Posada-Carbó** (Professor of the History and Politics of Latin America, University of Oxford)

**Miles Larmer** (Director, Center for African Studies, University of Florida)

Discussant: **Bilge Yabanci** (Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

11.15 **SESSION 2** - The interwar world: populist challenges from left and right

**Jeffrey L. Pasley** (Professor and Kinder Institute Chair of Early American History, University of Missouri)

**Giulia Albanese** (Professor of Modern History, University of Padua)

**Lawrence Goldman** (Emeritus Fellow of St. Peter's College, University of Oxford)

Discussant: **Saipira Furstenberg** (Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

14.30 **SESSION 3** - Interwar populism: comparisons and contexts

**Rosario Forlenza** (Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, LUISS, Rome) and **Bjørn Thomassen** (Professor, Department of Social Sciences and Business, Roskilde University)

**Constantin Iordachi** (Professor, Department of History, Central European University)

**Robert Upton** (Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellow, Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

Discussant: **Martina Inero** (University of Bologna)

16.45 **SESSION 4**

Keynote Address: **Erik Jones** (Director, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence)

Discussant: **Robert Upton** (Ca' Foscari University of Venice)

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9.15 **SESSION 5** - Reckoning with parties and populism today

**Tania Saeed** (Associate Professor of Sociology, Lahore University of Management Sciences)

**Emilia Zankina** (Dean, Temple University, Rome)

Discussant: **Robert Fletcher** (Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy, Missouri)

11.45 **SESSION 6** - Conflict, memory, and populism

**Irene Martin** (Professor, Department of Political Science and International Relations, Autonomous University of Madrid).

**André Gerrits** (Professor of International Studies and Global Politics, Leiden University)

Discussant: **Martina Inero** (University of Bologna)

14.30 **SESSION 7** - Final plenary discussion, and future agenda setting

Discussant: **Robert Upton** (Ca' Foscari University of Venice)