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## Parliaments in Change – Changes in Parliaments

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Date: 3 May 2021

15:00-17:30 (Paris-Rome), 2-4:30pm (London), 9-11:30am (Boston-New York).

Platform: MS Teams ([Click here to join the meeting](#)) No prior registration needed.

Parliaments are traditional institutions operating in changing environments. They act and react amidst constant political, social and economic changes. Scholarship should track and reveal these dynamics and maybe also help parliaments with innovative ideas. The recently launched *International Journal of Parliamentary Studies* aims to bring together researchers on parliaments from all disciplines of scholarship with practitioners in parliamentary administrations. This event focuses on the most important up-to-date issues of parliaments from various jurisdictions and disciplines.

The conference is held on the Day of Parliament, a yearly scholarly event of Ludovika – University of Public Service and its partner organisations dedicated to parliamentary research, commemorating the day of the constituent session of the first free elected Hungarian parliament on 2 May 1990.



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### Programme:

Opening and moderation: **Zsolt Szabó**, Editor-in-Chief, *International Journal of Parliamentary Studies*, *Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church, Budapest*; *Ludovika - University of Public Service, Budapest*

**15:00 Keynote address**

**Olivier Rozenberg**, *Sciences Po, Paris*: Changes in scholarship on parliaments

Q&A

**15:30 Parliaments and changes in legal issues**

**María Esther Seijas Villadangos**, *University of Leon*: Changing functions for an unchanged institution: The paradoxes of parliamentarism in the XXI century

**Patricia Popelier**, *University of Antwerpen*: The role of parliament in changing forms of state

**Ittai Bar-Siman-Tov**, *Bar-Ilan University, Tel-Aviv*: Changes in lawmaking: Omnibus legislation and the rise of unorthodox lawmaking

**Marina Lazareva**, *Moscow State Law University*: Changes in the interaction of parliaments and courts

Q&A

**16:45 Changes of parliamentary administrations**

**Elena Griglio**, *LUISS, Rome*, *Senate of the Republic of Italy*: Proactive vs reactive changes in parliamentary administrations

**Franziska Bereuter**, *Austrian Parliament*: Changes in parliaments during COVID-19

Q&A