9AM–10.45AM | Panel I: Gender and Generation

Discussant: Ceren Belge (Associate Professor of Political Science, Concordia University)

- The Limits and Extent of Gender Reforms in the MENA: Experimental Evidence from Tunisia and Turkey | Tahir Kilavuz (University of Notre Dame) and Youssef Chouhoud (Christopher Newport University)
- Gendered Influences of Labor Market Policies in Turkey | Elifcan Celebi (University of Cologne)
- Millennials and Populism: Generational Dimension of Democratic Backsliding | Burcu Kolcak (Rutgers University) and Sevinc Ozturk (Rutgers University)

11:15AM–1PM | Panel II: Partisan Politics and Voting Behavior

Discussant: Lisel Hintz (Assistant Professor of International Relations, Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies)

- Expressive Partisanship in Turkey: Understanding the Content and Determinants of Partisan Identities | Melis Laebens (Yale University) and Aykut Ozturk (Syracuse University)
- Informational Role of the Welfare State: Proximity to Healthcare and Votes | Serkan Adiguzel (Duke University), Asli Cansunlar (University of Oxford), and Gozde Corekcioglu Ishakoglu (European University Institute)
- Politics of Nostalgia and Populism: An Experimental Study | Ezgi Elici (Koc University)

2:15PM–4:15PM | Panel III: Democratic Backsliding

Discussant: Jack Snyder (Robert and Renée Belfer Professor of International Relations, Columbia University)

- Who Wants a Coup? A List Experiment of Turkey’s 2016 Coup Attempt | Sharan Grewal (Brookings Institution)
- Democratic Backsliding in Hybrid Regimes over Time: Internal and External Factors Effect in Turkey and Montenegro Case | Can Zengi (Temple University)
- Price of Liberal Democracy: The Role of Public Services in Democratic Backsliding | Serkan Adiguzel (Duke University)
- Leaders, Media, and Regimes: The Logic of Media in Illiberal Regimes | Elizabeth Pertain (The George Washington University)

4:30PM–5:45PM | Keynote Address by Lisel Hintz