



Canada-Europe Dialogues on Democracy



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The University of Victoria leads the project “**Canada-Europe Dialogues on Democracy (CEDoD): Democratic deficit and the rise of populism in Europe**” that is co-funded by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union.

This award facilitates the creation of a transatlantic research network focused on democracy and populism in Europe, designed to nurture fruitful dialogue between civic society actors, academics and policymakers in Canada and the EU. With a focus on knowledge dissemination initiatives and engagement strategies. Through the implementation of a virtual and face-to-face hub, the project engages Canada-EU experts and agents of change in a transatlantic dialogue.

Some of the actions and activities being developed through the project include a comprehensive expert

database on democracy and populism; young scholar awards; workshops (one in Canada and one in Spain); a blog on democratic deficit and the rise of populism in Europe (*hosted by our strategic partner EUCANet*); short interviews; video clips; media alerts on scholarly expertise; policy briefs; a university course and a special issue of a refereed journal.

Our first workshop at the University of Victoria,

Democracy & its Futures

on March 21st and 22nd of 2019 asks the following questions:

- What are the major problems facing democracies?
- What are the connections between these problems?
- What are the democratic ways to resolve these problems and reconcile all affected by them?

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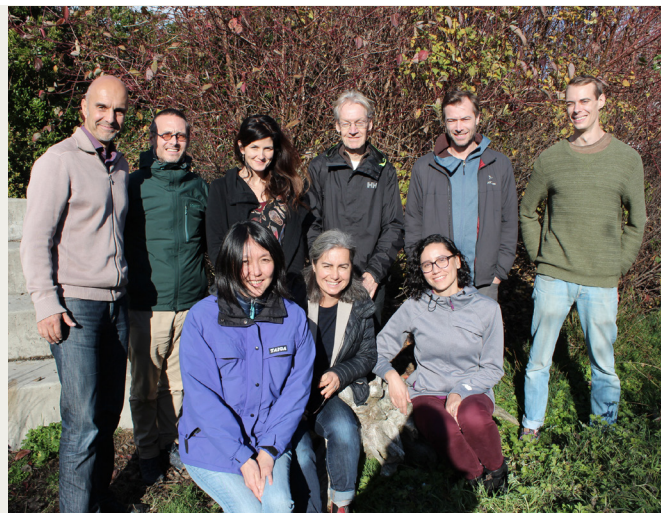
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