

**FRIDAY, 13.12.**

**10.00 – 12.00 The Current State of Political Science and Its Future Alternatives**

**Chair:** Erkki Berndtson (University of Helsinki)

**Papers:**

Bob Reinalda (Radboud University, Nijmegen): Political Science: Current Performance and Future Strength – Ideas to Be Discussed

Petri Koikkalainen (University of Lapland): The Disciplinary Pluralism of Political Studies

**13.00 – 15.00 Studies on the History of Political Science**

**Chair:** John Trent (University of Ottawa)

**Papers:**

Erkki Berndtson (University of Helsinki): Mary Parker Follett as a Theorist of Power

Liisi Keedus (University of Tartu): From Lore to Science – or Sci-Fi? Ambition and Fantasy in American Political Science after World War II

Thibaud Boncourt (European University Institute): Political Science and the Cold War. On the Politicization of Sciences

**15.30 – 17.30 Roundtable: The State of Political Science: Experiences from the World of Political Science Book Series**

**Chair:** Bob Reinalda (Radboud University, Nijmegen)

**Keynote Address:** John Trent (University of Ottawa): Thinking about New Paradigms for Political Studies

**Discussants:**

Marian Sawyer (Australian National University)

Barbara Budrich (Barbara Budrich Publishers)

**SATURDAY, 14.12.**

**10.00 - 12.00 RC 33 Executive Committee Meeting\***

Discussion on the Project on the State of Political Science with Giliberto Capano (IPSA) and Mikhail Ilyin (IPSA)

Discussion on the Future Activities of the Research Committee

\***Obs.** The time may be changed depending on the IPSA Executive Committee's schedule

**13.00 – 15.00 Political Science in Russia**

**Chair:** Thibaud Boncourt (European University Institute)

**Papers:**

Mikhail Ilyin (National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow): Political Science in Russia: Flat Landscape? Shrinking Terrain?

Sirke Mäkinen (University of Tampere): Role of Geopolitics in Russia – Discourses of IR and PS Teachers and Students