

**Voting Advice Applications Workshop – November 15, 2013**

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November 14

Arrival of participants; dinner (19:30 onwards, Restaurant 't Lansink, Hengelo)

November 15

9:30–10:30 (Reactor Room, The Gallery building)

**Welcome from the Scientific Director of IGS**

Kees Aarts – *Universiteit Twente*

**Challenges and prospects of matching voters to parties: The case of the German *Wahl-O-Mat***

Stefan Marschall – *Heinrich-Heine-Universität Düsseldorf*

**Presentation of the EUVOX consortium**

André Krouwel – *Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam*

**Demonstration of EUVOX 2014**

Fernando Mendez – *Universität Zürich*

10:30–10:45: coffee break

10:45–12:30

**Dynamic scale validation in voting advice applications**

Micha Germann – *Universität Zürich*

**Community-based recommendations in voting advice applications**

Ioannis Katakis – *University of Athens*

**The Delphi method in estimating the positions of political parties**

Kostas Gemenis – *Universiteit Twente*

**Estimating ideological positions of political parties using deliberative expert survey**

Susumu Shikano – *Universität Konstanz*

## Network analysis of voting advice application data

Vasilis Manavopoulos — *Cyprus University of Technology*

12:30–14:00: lunch break

14:00–16:00

### Roundtable

The aim of the roundtable is to discuss the construction of the EUVOX 2014 questionnaire and establish links to other electoral research projects, such as EuroVotePlus, the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems (CSES), the Comparative Candidates Survey (CCS), and the European Election Study 2014. The roundtable will begin with a short description of the EU VOX 2014 questionnaire structure and will continue with short contributions (5 mins) by several participants focusing on either of the topics below, followed by an open discussion.

1. Linking comparative electoral research projects to voting advice applications
2. Questionnaire design in voting advice applications
3. Experiments, ethical issues, and data quality

18:00: Dinner (De Blomzaal, Faculty Club)

### Participants:

Kees Aarts — *Universiteit Twente*

Wouter van der Brug — *Universiteit van Amsterdam*

Kostas Gemenis — *Universiteit Twente*

Micha Germann — *Universität Zürich*

Bregje Holleman — *Universiteit Utrecht*

Anne Jadot — *Sciences Po. Paris*

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Fernando Mendez — *Universität Zürich*

Óscar Moreda Laguna — *Kieskompas B.V.*

Roula Nezi — *Universität Konstanz*

Jasper van de Pol — *Universiteit van Amsterdam*

Martin Rosema — *Universiteit Twente*

Susumu Shikano — *Universität Konstanz*

Karine van der Straeten — *Toulouse School of Economics*

Thomas Vitiello — *Sciences Po. Paris*

Jonathan Wheatley — *Universität Zürich*