

Family policy in Central Eastern Europe

Lessons for gender relations and social policy across Europe

Doctoral workshop

Scuola Normale Superiore Faculty of Political and Social Sciences

Pollaiolo Room Palazzo Strozzi, Piazza Strozzi, Florence 19th May 2023, 14:00-17:00

14:00-15:30: Is family policy in Central Eastern Europe different?

Introduction: Guglielmo Meardi and Manuela Caiani, SNS

Keynote speakers:

• The Politics of Family Policy in Central and Eastern Europe: Communist Past vs. European Present

Tomasz Inglot, Minnesota State University, author of 'Mothers, Families, or Children? Family Policy in Poland, Hungary and Romania 1945-2020' (University of Pittsburgh Press, 2022)

The comparative analysis of family policy
 Rossella Ciccia, University of Oxford

15:40-16:00: Social policy, gender and populism: research presentations

- Reform or continuity? Comparing approaches to care policy in Southern European NRRPs
 Giulia Giraudo, SNS
- Conflicts over Social and Economic Issues within the Balkan Anti-gender Movements Ivan Tranfić, SNS
- Left-wing Populism and De-Dualization: A Comparative Study of the Movimento Cinque Stelle (2018-2021) and Unidas Podemos (2020 - 2023)
 Walter Haeusl, SNS

Comments and conclusions

Manuela Caiani, SNS
Rossella Ciccia, University of Oxford
Tomasz Inglot, Minnesota State University
Emanuela Lombardo, Universidad Complutense de Madrid
Guglielmo Meardi, SNS