

# SPIR Seminar Series

Semester 1, 2026



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Thursdays, 11am-12:15pm  
RSSS Building (#146), Room 3.72

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17 Feb	Geoff Mulgan	University College London
	<b>Reimagining public institutions: From the national to the global</b>	
19 Feb	Allison McCulloch, (Brandon University), Raluca Popp (University of Kent) & Laura Sudulich (University of Essex)	
	<b>Inclusive peace and power-sharing settlements: Citizen preferences as reform pathways</b>	
5 March	Ben Goldsmith	ANU (SPIR)
	<b>The microfoundations of global public opinion about great powers</b>	
12 March	Rich Frank	ANU (SPIR)
	<b>Undergraduate political science curriculum design in five democracies</b>	
19 March	Jakub Zajaczkowski	University of Warsaw
	<b>Ambition Without Revolution: The Global South Emerging Power's Pursuit of Influence Inside the Liberal International Order (LIO)</b>	
26 March	Alexander De Juan	University of Osnabrück
	<b>Repression, religion, and regime loyalty in Nazi Germany</b>	
23 April	Thiago Nascimento da Silva	ANU (SPIR)
	<b>Clarity of Alternatives: How Perceived Party Policy Differences Shape Economic Voting</b>	
30 April	Raul Sanchez-Urribarri	La Trobe University
	<b>Authoritarian consolidation in times of crisis</b>	
7 May	Bermond Scoggins & Marc S. Jacob	ANU (SPIR) & Notre Dame
	<b>Democratic commitment and the partisan cost of accountability</b>	
14 May	Nicholas Biddle, Svitlana Chernykh & Constanza Sanhueza	ANU (SPIR)
	<b>Generative AI and electoral integrity</b>	
21 May	Kyungwon Suh	ANU (Strategic & Defence Studies Centre)
	<b>Does U.S. nuclear arms control diplomacy affect allied perceptions of U.S. extended deterrence? Evidence from cross-national survey experiments</b>	
4 June	Shaun Ratcliff	Accent Research
	<b>Persuasion and resistance: A survey experiment on messaging for and against One Nation</b>	

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