08:55 - 9:00 Welcome from the organizers:
Constantinos Adamides, President of CAPS/KYSYPE Managing Board, Assistant Professor and Director of the Diplomatic Academy, University of Nicosia

PANEL 1: 9:00 - 10:30
Title: Migration: Methodological Challenges
Chair: Speranta Dumitru, Associate Professor, University Paris Descartes
Discussant: Nicos Trimikliniotis, Professor, University of Nicosia

- Irregular migration: should researchers focus on people or on states?
  Caroline Caplan, Postdoctoral Researcher, University Paris Descartes

- Political theory: using conceptual analysis to review categories of exclusion
  Clément Mouglombili, PhD Candidate, University of Rennes

- Migration studies: categorization, objectivity, and research impact
  Hicham Jamid, PhD Candidate, Conservatoire National des Arts et Métiers

- Irregular migrants or migrant workers? When categorization is an epistemological choice
  Emeline Zougbdé, Postdoctoral Researcher, University Paris Descartes

10:30-11:00 – Coffee Break
PANEL 2: 11:00 -12:30
Title: Media, Culture and Education

Chair: Sophia Stavrou, Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Cyprus
Discussants: Dimitra Milioni, Assistant Professor, Cyprus University of Technology and Andria Christofidou, Adjunct Lecturer, University of Cyprus

- Photography as a discourse of cultural othering
  Christos Panayiotou, PhD Candidate, Cyprus University of Technology

- International schools as intercultural innovators
  Martyna Elerian, PhD Candidate, University of Nicosia

- Experiential learning pedagogy for teaching students political science
  Ben Duke, PhD Candidate, Keele University

- What animal-assisted therapy teaches us about Politics
  Zolna Virginas, PhD Candidate, University of Debrecen

PANEL 3: 12:30 -14:00
Title: Democracy and Diplomacy

Chair: Venetia Papa, Adjunct Lecturer, Cyprus University of Technology
Discussant: Odysseas Christou, Assistant Professor, University of Nicosia

- An Empirical Framework for Evaluating the EU Democratic Deficit: an additive-theory approach
  Alexandros Kyriakidis, PhD Candidate, University of Macedonia

- The twofold split of the Communist Party of Greece and the re-identification of the Greek left during the eighties
  Aimilia Vilou, PhD Candidate, Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences

- The Problem lies with the people. The culturalization of politics in the Greek press during the Crisis
  Iasonas Zarikos, PhD Candidate, Kings College London

- Defence Diplomacy by the Republic of Cyprus: a dynamically nascent policy
  Marinos Papaioakeim, PhD Candidate, University of Cyprus

14:00 -15:00 – Lunch Break
ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION: 15:00 - 16:30
Title: Social and Political Research Methodology

Moderator: Giorgos Charalambous, Adjunct Lecturer, University of Cyprus

- Quantitative research methods in social and political science research
  Iasonas Lamprianou, Assistant Professor, University of Cyprus

- Discourse analysis in political communication and beyond
  Dimitris Trimithiotis, Adjunct Lecturer, University of Cyprus

- Interdisciplinary research methods
  Nicos Trimikliniotis, Professor, University of Nicosia

- Activism as methodological tool
  Maria Hadjimichael, Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Cyprus

20.00: Conference Dinner at local restaurant

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