

Save the date for the Tajfel Seminar in Warsaw: July 11

Contemporary world faces large scale social problems: wars, conflicts, migrations, increasing social inequalities, economic crises. A shared sense of deprivation in contemporary societies can lead to destructive consequences, such as increasing prejudice, scapegoating and discrimination – but it might also have constructive outcomes: greater civic engagement and ultimately positive social change.

The Center for Research on Prejudice at the Faculty of Psychology, University of Warsaw cordially invites to the 6th Annual Tajfel Seminar: **Constructive and destructive reactions to deprivation: between collective action and prejudice**, a side event to the 2016 ISPP Annual Meeting in Warsaw.

This year's Tajfel Seminar will present relevant research conducted at the Center for Research on Prejudice (University of Warsaw), as well as talks by invited speakers who will address issues related to relative deprivation and its psychological consequences such as prejudice and collective action. The seminar includes also a data blitz session in which young researchers would present their finding in brief, 5-minute talks.

Invited lectures:

Aleksandra Cichocka, University of Kent, "What inverted U can do for your country: Is there a curvilinear relationship between system justification and political engagement?"

Katarzyna Jaśko, University of Maryland / Jagiellonian University, "Motivation to engage in collective action: The role of value and expectancy"

Anna Kende, Eötvös Loránd University, "The Social Change Motivations of Volunteers in the Refugee Crisis"

Soledad de Lemus, University of Granada, "Confrontation of sexism: Perceptions and underlying motivations of the confronter"

Craig McGarty, Western Sydney University, "Social media as political media: Identity, social change and social conflict in online settings"

Christopher Sibley, University of Auckland, "Conducting longitudinal research to study change in prejudice: Lessons from the New Zealand Attitudes and Values Study"

Susanne Veit, WZB Berlin Social Science Center, "Companions in misfortune or competitors? Socioeconomic disadvantage and attitudes towards refugees"

Conference attendance is free but **registration is required**. Please note that spaces are limited. Non-presenters register on a "first come, first served" basis. Refreshments will be provided for all registered participants. The deadline for **registration is June 15, 2016. To register, visit our [website](#)**.

Date: July 11 2016

Place: Tyszkiewicz-Potocki Palace of the University of Warsaw, Krakowskie Przedmieście st. 32, Warsaw, Poland.

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We are looking forward to seeing you in Warsaw!

