**POLTEXT Incubator Workshop**

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**PROGRAMME OUTLINE**

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| **DAY** | **TIME SLOT** | **PROGRAMME** |
| Wednesday (May 9th) | 4:00-6:00 pm | Quanteda R package tutorial by Ken Benoit (optional) |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 10:00 am | Registration starts on ground floor |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 12:45-1:00 pm | Welcome messages and kick-off  |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 1:00-2:30 pm | Panel 1-2 |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 2:45-4:15 pm | Panel 3-4 |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 4:30-6:00 pm | Panel 5-6 |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 6:00-7:00 pm | Reception |
| Thursday (May 10th) | 8:30 pm | Social night (optional) |
| Friday (May 11th) | 9:00-10:30 am | Panel 7-8 |
| Friday (May 11th) | 10:45-11:15 am | Panel 9-10 |
| Friday (May 11th) | 11:30 am-1:00 pm | Panel 11-12 |
| Friday (May 11th) | 1:00-1:45 pm | Lunch |
| Friday (May 11th) | 1:45-2:30 pm | Closing plenary feat. quanteda presentation |
| Friday (May 11th) | 2:30-3:30 pm | Grant development seminar (optional) |

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**PANELS**

**THURSDAY**

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| **1:00-2:30pm** |  | ***Methods 1 (Room 11-12)*** | ***Chair: Oul Han*** |
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|  |  | Blake A Miller | Active Learning for Text Analysis: A New Software Platform |
|  |  | Imre Kilián | Text mining through semantic indexing over political and legal corpora |
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|  |  | Sanja Hajdinjak | Understanding Corruption Through Unsupervised Machine Learning of the Media Content |
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|  |  |  | *Discussant: Alexander Baturo* |
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|  |  | ***Media 1 (Room 13-14)*** | ***Chair: Zoltán Fazekas***  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Lisa Lechner | Who wins and who loses from trade agreements? Stock market reactions to news on TTIP and TPP |
|  |  | Max Boiten | Sentiment or topics? Applying the Joint Sentiment Topic Model to UK Leader Speeches. |
|  |  | Mariken van der Velden | Don't You Like It? Using CrowdSourcing for Sentiment Analysis of Dutch and English Political Text |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Márton Gerő* |
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| **2:45-4:15pm** |  | ***Methods 2 (Room 11-12)*** | ***Chair: Nicolas Merz*** |
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|  |  | Kenneth Benoit | Detecting Meaningful Multi-word Expressions in Political Text |
|  |  | Zachary Greene | Reporting on Diversity? Using Topic Models to Measure Media Coverage of the Content of Parties’ Campaign Messages |
|  |  | István Boros | The advanced methods of text network analysis and visualisation |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Caroline Le Pennec* |
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|  |  | ***Media 2 (Room 13-14)*** | ***Chair: Shaun Bevan***  |
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|  |  | Oul Han | Young democracy is vulnerable to partisan emotionality in compensation for weakly institutionalized parties, |
|  |  | Elena Korshenko | Position-taking in the Japanese Parliament and its implications. |
|  |  | Camilo Cristancho | Emotional dynamics during the Catalan independence demonstrations and counter-demonstrations 2017 |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Mariken van der Velden* |
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| **4:30-6:00pm** |  | ***Legal 1 (Room 11-12)*** | ***Chair: Zsolt Ződi*** |
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|  |  | Philipp Meyer | Which information do courts disseminate to the public? Dissemination of information is the process in |
|  |  | Veronika Vincze | Linguistic uncertainty in legal documents |
|  |  | Adam Simon | The question proposed in this project is the following: can the quantitative analysis of the text of judicial decisions |
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|  |  |  | *Discussant: Kakia Chatsiou* |
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|  |  | ***Political 1 (Room 13-14)*** | ***Chair: Miklós Sebők*** |
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|  |  | Alexander C. Furnas | Recent work in American Politics using text analysis techniques has discovered patterns of coordination, information sharing |
|  |  | Annemieke van den Dool | Measuring legal change in China: A computational approach\* |
|  |  | Roy Gava | Legislating or Rubber-Stamping? The Impact of Parliament on Law-Making |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Blake A. Miller* |

**FRIDAY**

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| **9:00-10:30am** |  | ***Political 2 (Room 11-12)*** | ***Chair: Zsolt Boda***  |
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|  |  | Caroline Le Pennec | We build a unique dataset of 30,000 digitized electoral pamphlets issued by candidates |
|  |  | Nicolas Merz | Party Policy Plagiarism: Do Parties Copy-Paste? |
|  |  | Theresa Gessler | Taking issue with politics: Classifying how parties speak about democracy across different texts |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Alexander C. Furnas* |
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|  |  | ***Media 3 (Room 13-14)*** | ***Chair: Camilo Cristancho*** |
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|  |  | Valentin Gold | The Effects of Deliberative Dynamics in the German Mediation Committee |
|  |  | Márton Gerő | A network based method of analysing political speeches |
|  |  | Aron Buzogány | Show us the Evidence: The Use of Expertise in Parliamentary Debates and Parliamentary Questions |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Verena Kunz* |
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| **10:45-11:15am** |  | ***International 1*** ***(Room 11-12)*** |  ***Chair: Daniela Sirinic***  |
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|  |  | Alexander Baturo | Show us the Evidence: The Use of Expertise in Parliamentary Debates and Parliamentary Questions |
|  |  | Kakia Chatsiou | The US-Russian Rivalry in the General Debate of the United Nations: |
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|  |  | Moohyung Cho | United Nations Development Programme Human Development Reports Corpus: text data mining using topic classification |
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|  |  |  | *Discussant: Lisa Lechner* |
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|  |  | ***Discourse 1 (Room 13-14)*** | ***Chair: Zachary Greene*** |
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|  |  | Kazuhiro Obayashi | How Legislatures Discuss Violent Conflicts: The Case of Nigeria |
|  |  | István János Tóth | Refugees and terrorists: A quantitative content analysis of the Hungarian online portals 2010-2017 |
|  |  | Orsolya Putz | The nation in American political discourse. An attempt to train an automatic metaphor identifier. |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Daniele Guariso* |
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| **11:30am1:00pm** |  | ***International 2*** ***(Room 11-12)*** | ***Chair: Kenneth Benoit*** |
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|  |  | Daniele Guariso | Terrorist Attacks and Immigration Rhetoric: A Natural Experiment on British MPs |
|  |  | Kristin Makszin | Fallen from grace: Increased rating scrutiny over domestic politics in developed democracies since the financial crisis |
|  |  | Martin Mölder | The analysis of the political discourse of governments, particularly in foreign policy, |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Moohyung Cho* |
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|  |  | ***Discourse 2 (Room 13-14)*** | ***Chair: Valentin Gold*** |
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|  |  | Verena Kunz | Position Blurring as a Response to Competing Principals: Assessing Speech Complexity in the European Parliament |
|  |  | Adela Fofiu | An institutional vocabulary for sustainability |
|  |  | István Üveges | Are Hungarian General Terms and Conditons easy to comprehend? A Computational Linguistics Analysis |
|  |  |  | *Discussant: Orsolya Putz* |
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