

Joint Lecture Series
**Summer
2026**

**Interdisciplinary
Approaches to the
Baltic Sea Region**

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**Thursdays
18.15–19.45**

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**Apr
23**

**Andres
Reiljan
Tartu**

**Affective Polarization in
Contemporary Democracies:
Measurement, Implications
and Remedies**

**May
07**

**Josefina
Erikson
Uppsala**

**Populist Radical Right Parties
and Challenges to Gender-
Balanced Representation:
Evidence from Sweden**

**Jul
02
online only**

**Vicente
Valentim
Madrid**

**The Normalization
of the Radical Right**

**May
21**

**Marc
Helbling
Mannheim**

**Liberal Democratic Values
among Immigrants in Europe:
Socialization and Adaptation
Processes**

**Jul
07
Tuesday**

**Hanna
Folsz
Stanford**

**Economic Retaliation and the
Decline of Opposition Quality
in Democratic Backsliding**

**Jun
04**

**Kira
Renée
Kurz
Greifswald**

**The Politics of Age:
Youth Political Representation
in Comparative Perspective**

**Jul
09**

**Vello
Pettai
Flensburg**

**Ethnic Domination and its
Reversal: Soviet and Post-
Soviet Estonia**