



Interdisciplinary Workshop

The 2024 Presidential Elections in Romania: democratic process vs. digital disinformation

MARCH 10, 2025

2 - 6 p.m.

Villa Ruspoli, Aula Rossa
Piazza Indipendenza, 9 - Firenze

14:00 - WELCOME ADDRESS

Alessandra Petrucci | University of Florence, Rector
Irene Stolzi | University of Florence, DSG Director

14:30 - KEYNOTE SPEECH

Marta Cartabia | Bocconi University, Vice-President of the Venice Commission,
President Emerita Constitutional Court

14:45 - PANEL 1: UNPACKING THE ROMANIAN CASE

International and national analysis of the Romanian election, legal and regulatory analysis
Andrea Simoncini | University of Florence - Chair

Marta Achler | University of Florence / EUI
Carlos Aguilar Paredes | EBMS / CNMC
Martin Dorociak | CMS
Marina Popescu | Median Research Centre
Valeriu Stefan Zgonea | ANCOM

16:15 - COFFE BREAK

16:30 - PANEL 2: ELECTIONS AND DIGITAL PLATFORM REGULATION

The challenges to proving influence of online disinformation on election results. What are the tools provided by digital regulation for ensuring the fairness and integrity of electoral processes?
Giacomo Lasorella | AGCOM - Chair

Marco Giorello | European Commission
John Evans | CNAM
Susanne Lackner | KommAustria
Walter Quattrociocchi | University of Rome
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CONCLUSIONS

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