Democratic Innovations Workshop Series
2022-2023

Democratic Innovations is a new interdisciplinary ISPS program bringing together social scientists from a variety of fields to think about the factors that affect government policy and decision-making, and to analyze novel institutions that might support improvements in representation and government performance. This workshop features the presentation of current research that tests innovative ideas for improving the quality of democratic representation and governance.

Faculty Organizer: **Alan Gerber**, Sterling Professor of Political Science and Director of ISPS

Fall 2022

OCT 14	Andrew Hall Professor of Political Economics, Stanford Graduate School of Business "Building Democracies for Online Platforms"
DEC 2	Ian Turner, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Yale University "Motivated Reasoning and Democratic Accountability"

Spring 2023

FEB 3	Peter Buisseret, Assistant Professor in Government, Harvard University "Politics Transformed? Electoral Competition under Ranked Choice Voting"
FEB 24	Michael Pomirchy, Postdoctoral Associate, ISPS Democratic Innovations, Yale University "Electoral Accountability and Representation: A Natural Experiment in State Legislatures"
MAR 31	Kaylyn Jackson Schiff, Postdoctoral Associate, ISPS Democratic Innovations, Yale University "Narratives and Facts in Advocacy Campaigns: An Experiment to Assess the Effectiveness of Active Transportation Advocacy"
APR 21	Alex Coppock, Associate Professor of Political Science, Yale University "Persuasion in Parallel: How Information Changes Minds about Politics" Special workshop event and book talk cosponsored by ISPS and CSAP
MAY 4	Emily Hanford, Senior Correspondent/Producer, American Public Media "How Teaching Kids to Read Went So Wrong" *This virtual workshop event is meeting on Thursday, May 4 at 4:00 pm*