

Conference Title: Politics, Physiology, and Cognition: Advances in Theory and Method
Venue: President Kennedy Room PK1140, 201 Avenue du Président-Kennedy, Montréal, QC
H2X 3Y7. Université du Québec à Montréal, Montreal, QC
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10:00 am. Opening Remarks

10:15 – 11:15 am. Moving Forward Physiology and Politics

- Aleksander Ksiazkiewicz (U of Illinois: Political Science): “Implicit Processes: Next steps in political psychology research”
- Kevin Smith, Mathias Osmundsen, and Michael Bang Petersen (U of Nebraska-Lincoln: Political Science; Aarhus University: Political Science; Aarhus University: Political Science): “Re-analysis, Replication; and Reliability: Improving the construct validity of physiological measures of ideology”

11:30 – 12:30 am. New Steps and Directions in Research

- Amos Nadler (Western University: Ivey School of Business): “Applying endocrinology research on human decision making and belief formation to our understanding of political affiliation, voting preference, and civic action”
- Clarisse Warren (U of Nebraska-Lincoln: Political Science): “Politics stresses me out, but I can’t stop watching it! How partisan media messages illicit a physiological stress response in citizens”

12:30-1:30 pm. Lunch Break

1:30 – 2:30 pm. Physiology and the Study of Politics: Connecting Theory to Practice

- Jordan Mansell and Michael Bang Petersen (U du Québec à Montréal: Political Science; Aarhus University: Political Science): “Ideological differences as adaptive strategies: Cognitive evidence from experimental games”
- Claire Gothreau, Kevin Arceneaux, Bert Bakker (Temple University: Political Science; U of Amsterdam: School of Communication Research): “Gender Differences in Emotional Responses to Partisan Cues”

3:00 – 4:30 pm. Roundtable: Politics, Physiology, Cognition: Essential Next Steps, Questions, and Limitations

Lene Aaroe (Aarhus University: Political Science)
Edward Bell (Western University: Sociology)
Luc Faucher (U du Québec à Montréal: Philosophy)
Kevin Smith (U of Nebraska-Lincoln: Political Science)
Patrick Stewart (U of Arkansas: Political Science)

4:30-5:00 pm. Concluding Remarks