The Gender & Politics Workshop:  
Women’s Parliamentary Representation in Eastern Europe

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Friday, 19th May 2017  
Small Committee Room,  
Second Floor, King’s Building  
King’s College London

9.30-9.50 – Registration; Tea/Coffee

9.50-10.00 – Welcome remarks by Dr Anna Gwiazda

10.00-10.40 – Keynote address: Prof Joni Lovenduski, Birkbeck College, University of London

10.45-12.45 – Panel 1: Descriptive Representation

Chair: Dr Anna Gwiazda, King’s College London

Prof. Milica Antić Gaber, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia  
*Legislative gender quotas in Slovenia and their influence on the descriptive representation of women in parliament*

Ms Elena Brodeala, PhD candidate, European University Institute, Florence, Italy  
*The case for legislative gender quotas in Romania after State Socialism. Historical context and political debates*

Dr Marjeta Šinko, University of Zagreb, Croatia  
*Women’s Parliamentary Representation in Croatia: Phases of ‘Invisibility’ and ‘Glass Ceiling’ followed by Regression*
12.45-13.30 – Lunch

13.30-15.00 – Panel 2: Substantive Representation

Chair: Prof. Laura Morales, University of Leicester

Prof. Gabriella Ilonszki, Corvinus University of Budapest, and Ms Adrienn Vajda, PhD Candidate, Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary
Substantive Representation in Decline. Hungary 1999-2011

Dr Cristina Chiva, University of Salford Manchester, UK
Male Dominance and women's substantive representation in Central and Eastern Europe

Ms Liana Minkova, PhD candidate, University of Cambridge, UK
Making an Appearance or Making a Difference: The Gap between Descriptive and Substantive Representation of Women in Bulgarian Parliament

15.10-16.10 – Panel 3: Substantive Representation Part II

Chair: Annalisa Cappellini, King’s College London

Ms Burtejin Zorigt, PhD Candidate, Central European University, Hungary
Men vs Women: different policy agendas: The Hungarian case

Dr Anna Gwiazda, King’s College London, UK
The substantive representation of women in Poland

16.10-16.30 – Tea/Coffee

16.30-18.00 – Panel 4: Political Parties

Chair: Annalisa Cappellini, King’s College London

Dr Ekaterina Rashkova, Utrecht University, Netherlands
Gender Politics and the Slovak Far-Right Parties

Ms Markéta Mottlová, PhD candidate, Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic
Czech Social Democrats and Adoption of Party Gender Quotas: Window of Opportunity and Effect of Quotas

Dr Jan Nemec, University of Economics, Prague, Czech Republic

Women Representation in Anti-political Establishment Parties: The Czech Case

19.30 – Dinner at the Waldorf Hilton (Homage Restaurant), Aldwych, London