

16 JANUARY | 10AM – 7PM



THE CONSTITUTIONAL ROAD TO DICTATORSHIP:

STATES OF EXCEPTION
AND AUTHORITARIANISM
IN EUROPE, 1900 – 39

PROGRAMME

10AM – 1 PM | Morning panel (in English)

Arturo Zoffmann Rodriguez (NOVA-FCSH):
“Fascism and the Liberal State: Friends or Enemies?”

George Souvlis (NOVA-FCSH):
“Who Implements the Exception? Georgios Kondylis, Sovereignty,
and Authoritarian Legality in Early 20th-Century Greece”

Aurélie Andry (NOVA-FCSH):
“States of Exception in “Colonial Democracies”: France and the UK, 1900–1939”

Aliaksandr Piahnanau (NOVA-FCSH):
“Emergency, State-Building, and Empire’s Afterlives: Rethinking Interwar Czechoslovakia.”

2:30PM – 4PM | Open debate (in English)

With Aristotelis Kallis (Keele University), on fascism, liberalism and states of exception.

5PM – 7PM | Roundtable discussion (in Portuguese)

The Crisis of Liberalism: From the Interwar Period to the Present
With: Fernando Rosas, Manuel Loff, Rita Rato, Arturo Zoffmann Rodriguez.
Moderator: Luís Trindade

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