

Study Days on Social Movements and Political Participation
IV Edition
Rome, May 29-30, 2025
Call for Papers

For the fourth consecutive year, the SISP Standing Group on Social Movements and Political Participation, in collaboration with the Institute of Political Studies "S. Pio V", the Department of Communication and Social Research - Co.Ri.S (Sapienza University of Rome) and the Open journal of Sociopolitical Studies Partecipazione e Conflitto (PaCo), is glad to announce the call for papers towards the **IV study days edition to be held on May 29-30, 2025, in Rome.**

This **IV Edition aims to explore grassroots mobilizations** in particular (but not exclusively) related to the topics of **war, climate crisis, urban extractivism, gender oppression, including touristification processes, migration issues and students' movements**, by (also) looking at the role of **media and technology** in mobilization, exploring the collective identity building, organizational and repertoire dimensions, **repression dynamics**, etc. Paper addressing actions, narratives, strategies and networks of these social movements, both in their **oppositive and prefigurative dimension** are welcome.

Additionally, we seek to engage in discussions and make room for works employing different theoretical approaches, so as to reflect more deeply on how we study grassroots political participation.

We open this Call for Paper for young researchers with an interest in social movements studies and political participation from below, particularly PhD students and post-doc research fellows (no matter if they belong to the Standing Group) who want to share their research projects. Proposals from diverse disciplines are welcome, and there are no limitations regarding geographical area or research methodologies. We encourage young scholars to share papers.

We invite those who are interested to submit a **long abstract (1000 words max) by March 31st**, including a detailed explanation of the theme addressed, the theoretical framework, and the methodology employed.

No participation fee is required. There will be a partial reimbursement for accommodation or travel expenses for precarious researchers (more information about the reimbursement and the full program will follow).

[Full Cfp HERE](#)

IN SUMMARY:

abstract 1000 words max be sendend to:
sgmovimentipartecipazione@gmail.com

Deadline for **abstract**: 31st March

Paper **acceptance**: April 9th

Submission **full paper**: May 19th

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