

European Graduation Seminar 2021

ENGAGING EUROPEAN DEMOCRACY

What can be done to increase democratic engagement in Europe? The answer depends in part on what we mean by democracy, where we look, and which actors we perceive as the most important for democratic engagement in the future of Europe. Can we draw inspiration from past and present examples?

This seminar will explore the roles played by democratic values, civil society, the judiciary, national parliaments, and local municipalities in Europe.



October 8, 2021
13.00-15.00

Malmstenssalen, The School of Business,
Economics, and Law
Vasagatan 1 (registration required on the
[CERGU](https://www.gu.se/en/european-research) website) and via [Zoom](#) webinar

All are welcome!

Moderator: Klas Grinell, Director of CERGU and
Researcher at the Department of Literature,
History of Ideas, and Religion

*What is the EU Promoting in its Democracy
Promotion Abroad?*

Ann-Kristin Jonasson, Senior Lecturer at the
Department of Political Science, University of
Gothenburg

*Promoting a Democracy Movement Among 18-24-
year-olds Living in Europe*

Urban Strandberg, Managing Director & Co-
Founder of the International Youth Think Tank
(IYTT)

*Feminist Revolution and Saving Democracy in
Europe*

Katarzyna Wojnicka, Researcher at the
Department of Sociology and Work Science,
University of Gothenburg

*The Free Church Avant-Garde of Swedish
Democracy*

Joel Halldorf, Senior Lecturer in Church History,
University College Stockholm

*Coming out of the Liberal Closet. Polish Think
Tanks as Defenders of Democracy*

Katarzyna Jezierska, Senior Lecturer at the
Division of Law, Politics, and Economics,
University West

Is Non-Democracy Also Democracy?

Andreas Moberg, Senior Lecturer at the
Department of Law, University of Gothenburg