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Papers being presented

Post-legislative scrutiny in the Scottish Parliament

Tom Caygill, Nottingham Trent University

Post-legislative scrutiny in the French National Assembly

Guillaume Bazin and Chloe Sottovia, National Assembly, France

Post-legislative scrutiny in the Ukrainian Parliament

Franklin de Vrieze, Westminster Foundation for Democracy

Lessons learned from post-legislative scrutiny from a global perspective

Maria Mousmouti, University of London

Three-to-five years on: post-legislative scrutiny of the Counter-Terrorism and Border Security Act 2019 in the UK Parliament

Lina Bikou, University of Reading, and Spyridoula-Anna Pappa, University of Law, London

Procedural reform in the Parliament of Ghana: political will, institutional inertia, and the push-pull dynamics of change across six parliamentary terms

Ernest Darfour and Ebeneza Djietror, Parliament of Ghana

The atlas of political design – mapping and explaining the legislative process in Germany

Sven T. Siefken, Hochschule des Bundes für öffentliche Verwaltung, and Frederik Kampe, Gestaltungszentrale Politik e.V.

Democracy in the details: how the UK House of Lords scrutiny of delegated legislation sets a global standard

Lina Bikou, University of Reading, and Spyridoula-Anna Pappa, University of Law, London

Evaluating the influence of non-government amendments

David Cutner, University of Lincoln

The proud and the prejudices: MPs' views on decision-making within Parliamentary Party Groups (PPGs)

Oliver Kannenberg and Christian Ignorek, Institute for Parliamentary Research, Berlin

When formal powers are not enough: practical limits and workarounds of legislative oversight in the Mexican Congress

Khemvirg Puente, UNAM-Mexico

A Review on institutionalising Prime Minister's Question Time (PMQT) in the Parliament of Malaysia

Augustine Leonard Jen, Parliament of Malaysia, and Mohd Zulhelmi bin Syafuddin Tan, Ministry of Youth and Sports, Malaysia

Appointing a Prime Minister who is not a party leader: changing the political culture of the Westminster-Whitehall parliamentary system

Hamid Ghany, University of the West Indies

Who's deputy? The continual construction of the office of deputy to the British Prime Minister

Robert Swetlick, Wayne State University

Presiding officers and the casting vote: no settled practice in Trinidad and Tobago

Hamid Ghany, University of the West Indies

Opening the gate: leadership transition, male allyship and women's pathways to Parliament in Malaysia

Azyan Shfee, Dina Miza binti Suhaimi, and Mohammad Anas B. Khairul Anuar, Parliament of Malaysia

Parliamentary Independence

Jackie Mary Fernandis, Mohamma Tarmizi Bin Ahmad and Wan Noorzaleha Binti Wan Hasan, Parliament of Malaysia

Intelligence agencies and parliamentary debates: who refers to information by intelligence authorities and why?

Topias Favorin and Tapio Raunio, Tampere University

Institutional encounters of identity and authority: exploring the duality of petitions and petitioning by First Nations Australia

Andréa Cullen, University of Sydney

Assessing the securitization of citizenship: analysis of parliamentary debate during the passage of the Deprivation of Citizenship (Effect During Appeal) Act 2025

Robert B. Swetlick, Wayne State University

Democratising legislative inquiry: a case study of parliamentary town halls on schoolchildren bullying in Malaysia

Azyan Shafee, Siti 'A'Isyah Binti Che Osmi, Parliament of Malaysia

Parliament as a school of democracy: youth leadership development and democratic learning in Malaysia

Tan Sri Dato', Speaker of the House of Representatives, Parliament of Malaysia, and Muhammad Anas Khairul Anuar, Parliament of Malaysia

From symbolic participation to institutionalised leadership: reforming youth parliaments as legislative incubators – evidence from Malaysia

Dato' Ahmad Husaini Abdul Rahman, Muhhamad Anas Khairul Anuar, and Mohd Fadli Hussin, Parliament of Malaysia

Institutionalised community participation in legislative processes: the Omani experience

Huda Alhinai, State Council of Oman

The legislative politics of the Green Deal rollback

Muihail Chiru, University of Oxford, and Thomas Daeubler, University College Dublin

Citizens in the shadow of foreign threats: framings of citizen agency in the European Parliament's rhetoric on foreign interference

Monica Brusenbauch Meislová

Parliaments at the centre of the storm: democratic control, systemic risk and Artificial Intelligence

Juan de Dios Cincunengui, Universidad Austral

Future-proofing democracy: institutional reform for parliamentary oversight of AI

Alex Read, UNDP Lao PDR

Leapfrogging legislative modernisation: through AI-enabled digitalisation for resource-constrained parliaments

Marci Harris, Aubrey Wilson, Chloe Ladd and Caitlin McNally, POPVOX

Digital governance and artificial intelligence in public policy: what role for the Parliament of Cameroon?

Bafon Joel Nshom, University of Yaounde, Bonuh Che Clement, University of Yaounde I, I, Agho Bamenju Oliver, Member of Parliament, Cameroon, and Abdulsalami Musa, University of Yaounde I

Augmented institutions: how AI becomes institutionalised in parliamentary governance
Kevin W. Settles, Institute for Parliamentary Research, Berlin

Artificial intelligence and legislative quality control: reshaping the role of Italy's legislation committees in the digital age
Gaetano Giardino

Who controls parliamentary information? Artificial intelligence and institutional mediation in legislative systems
Davide Ragone, Sapienza University

Digital tools and parliamentary public engagement in Westminster systems
Joseph Antwi-Boasiako, McMaster University

The digital transformation in Omani parliamentary assemblies: a case study of the 'Entakheb' Application
Aisha Alasmi, Maimouna Alrushheidi and Ethar Al Kharousai, Sultanate of Oman

Web accessibility evaluation of AIPA Members of Parliaments' portals: A WCAG 2.2 and HCI-informed review
Chiew Shuye, Multimedia University, Malaysia, Mohd Zulhelmi bin Syafuddin Tan, Ministry of Youth and Sports, Malaysia, and Augustine Leonard Jen, Parliament of Malaysia

Facing de-institutionalisation of parliamentary communication: MPs' egocasting, misinformation, and new paths for legislatures in digital platforms
Isabele Mitozo, Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG)

International parliamentary co-operation for development and good governance in Africa: the case of Cameroon's engagement with the international parliamentary associations

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