

## **ON PERSONALIZATION OF POWER 9:15-13:15**

### **VIU WORKSHOP IN SIX ACTS**

#### 9:15-10.10 FIRST ACT

- Luca Pes *Introduction*
- Bill Chafe on *Personality and Politics from JFK to Trump*
- A dialogue from *Ubu Roi* by Alfred Jarry, performed by Theo De Lepeleere and Elina Messfeldt (instructor: Gad Kaynar Kissinger)

#### 10:10-10:45 SECOND ACT

- Three teams of students (Sixtine Barjou, Giorgia Catalano, Theo De Lepeleere, Patrick Doyle, Jonathan Franco, Yae Stryckers, Federica Toninello, Michael Ziv) in Andrea Buratti's class *Patterns of Democracy and forms of Government*:
  - 1) *Andrew Jackson and the roots of populist democracy*
  - 2) *The strange case of Emmanuel Macron, an antipopulist populist*
  - 3) *The 5 stars movement between anti-politics and direct democracy*
- A monologue from Shakespeare's *Richard III*, performed by Lea Maria Unterseer (instructor: Gad Kaynar Kissinger)

#### 10:45-11:25 THIRD ACT

- Sara De Vido on *Personalization and Gender*
- Dario Lucchesi on *Personalization and New Media*
- Hiroshi Nishihara *The Personalization of political power as constitutional problem in Japan*
- Kevin Newmark *An Im-personal Perspective*

#### 11:25-11:50 FOURTH ACT

- Workshop on *The Personalization of Power's Language* (instructor: Federico Boschetti)
- Two words of introduction by Federico Boschetti
- Thuy Thao Suong Le: *Word clouds for Obama and Trump*
- Elisa Cugliana: *"I, me and myself": Trump vs Clinton*
- Ekaterina Mikhailova-Smolniakova: *Putin's words*
- Ilia Kozhelskii: *Translating Hitler nowadays*
- Conclusion by Boschetti
- Made possible with the assistance of Vanessa Parrinelli (University of Pisa)

#### 11:50-12:30 FIFTH ACT

- Workshop on *Staging Power - the construction of space, rituals and habitus* (instructor: Natalie Göldenboth) with Giovanni Giuliani, Natalie Göldenboth, Elias Kruithof, Susann Kühn, Christina Lotz, Valerie Tumasov, Ricarda Wolf - topics include *La Madonna dell'Arco*, *Angela Merkel*, *Hilary Clinton* and *Donald Trump in the election campaign*, *Mark Zuckerberg*, *Dalai Lama* and *Lena Dunham*

#### 12:30-12:45 TECHNICAL BREAK

#### 12:45-13:15 SIXTH ACT

- Theater Workshop on *Attaining Power*, with Jonathan Franco, Theo De Lepeleere, Elina Messfeldt, Gundula Rauch, Marlene Sichelschmidt, Valerie Tumasov, Lea Maria Unterseer, Julka Wittmann (instructor: Gad Kaynar Kissinger)