



Call for Papers

Secrecy and Society

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CFP: Secrecy and Authoritarianism, including Populist
Visions of Authoritarianism

This call for papers is a response to resurgent political trends, especially in the wake of recent world events and social movements. In Issue 2 of *Secrecy and Society*, we address the subject of secrecy and authoritarianism, including how ideology and popular beliefs are constituted through knowledge claims such as "alternative facts," disinformation, disingenuous rhetoric, "populist conspiracy theory," "post-truth," and propaganda. We welcome papers that also propose novel theories and methods that conceptualize these subjects. The inspiration for this special section is Richard Hofstadter's paranoid style in politics, history as conspiracy, and ideas on anti-intellectualism. We encourage scholars, including doctoral students, from around the globe to submit their work.

In addition to papers on the theme of secrecy and authoritarianism, submissions that address any aspect of secrecy and society will also be considered. For types of submissions accepted, including case studies and reviews, see <http://scholarworks.sjsu.edu/secrecyandsociety/about.html>

Important Dates

Deadline for abstracts: March 20, 2017

Deadline for submissions: June 15, 2017

Publication of issue: July, 2017

All submissions must be made online through the Scholarworks platform.

Secrecy and Society provides a forum for scholars, decision makers, and the public to examine secrecy in all its manifestations. For more information, including style and review process, see the Journal's Web site at:

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