

## Programme

### **9.30-12.30 MORNING SESSION**

Moderators: Hamed Jendoubi and Yvonne-Marie Rogez

**-9.30**

**Conference Launch by Jennifer Merchant**

**-9.45-10.10**

**Nicolas Audignon (Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas)**

Biden's first 100 days: Can we already assess the President's Term?

**-10.10-10.35**

**Hamed Jendoubi (Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas)**

"It won't be a bit like the army": The Biden Administration's Response to the COVID 19 Pandemic and the Limits of Executive Power

**-10.35-11.05**

**DISCUSSION and COFFEE BREAK**

**-11.05-11.30**

**Mary Fitzgerald (Non-Resident Scholar, Middle East Institute, Washington DC)**

Missing In Action? Biden and the Middle East

**-11.30-11.55**

**Martin Quenez (German Marshall Fund/Security and Defense Program)**

Biden and Europe: The Difficult Renewal of Transatlantic Relations

**-11.55-12.30 DISCUSSION**

**12.30-14.00: LUNCH**

### **14.00-17.30 AFTERNOON SESSION**

Moderator Jennifer Merchant (Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas)

**14.00-14.25**

**Phil Hostak (Lawyer, specializing in civil rights, labor rights, and constitutional litigation)**

"Will this Institution Survive the Stench?": The Roberts Court and the Rhetoric of Institutional Legitimacy

**14.25-14.50**

**Michael Stambolis-Ruhstorfer (Université Bordeaux Montaigne)**

CRT & Queer Theory & Woke, Oh My! Moral Panics and Rightwing Politics in 2021

**14.50-15.15**

**Amélie Ribeiras (Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas)**

Achieving Gender Equality: President Biden's Plan for Women and Families

**15.15-15.45 DISCUSSION**

**15.45-16.10**

**Jennifer Merchant and Yvonne-Marie Rogez (Université Paris-Panthéon-Assas)**

Tethered or Not Tethered: Viability, Parental Autonomy and Reproductive Rights

**16.10-16.35**

**Audrey Celestine (Université de Lille)**

Identity Politics in Biden's America

**16.35-17.30 DISCUSSION**