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## Abstract

### Democracy and Globalization

#### Democracy's Condition in a Globalizing World

In an increasingly globalized world, the political and economic traditions, norms, relations, and institutions developed in the latter half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century have come under severe stress.

Especially since the Global Financial Crisis, the concept and practice of democracy and the role of market economies are two such areas experiencing opposition from the rise of both populist and authoritarian political actors.

This seminar examines the role of globalization in this process with a focus on its causes and consequences.

With this foundation, we employ a political-economic approach to explore the variety of state-market relations, their evolution over the past 30 years, and possible future paths.

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