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# Lusophone Africa in World Politics

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## **Chair and Introductory Remarks**

**CORRADO TORNIMBENI - UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA**

## **Lusophone African Atlantic Politics:**

**Lourenço da Silva Mendonça's Abolition  
and Liberation Discourse, Vatican-Rome,  
XVII Century and Implication for Contemporary Africa**

**JOSÉ LINGNA NAFAFÉ - UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL**

## **Portugal and Africa: A long-lasting relationship.**

**Colonial state formation and fiscal policies (1850s-1970s)**

**KLEONIKI ALEXOPOULOU - WAGENINGEN UNIVERSITY**

## **The Political development of Portuguese-speaking Africa.**

**Legacies of Colonialism and Decolonisation**

**ANTONIO COSTA PINTO - UNIVERSITY OF LISBON**

## **Religion and politics on Lusophone Africa**

**ERIC MORIER-GENOUD - QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY BELFAST**

## **Discussant**

**ANNA MARIA GENTILI - UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA**

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