

WORKSHOP

The Evolving Role of Upper Chambers
A Franco-British ComparisonFriday 8th February 2019Sciences Po, Room Goguel
27 rue Saint-Guillaume 75007 Paris*Convenors:**Olivier Rozenberg, Sciences Po, CEE & Julie Smith, University of Cambridge**Funded by CAMPO*

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PROGRAMME

9.15-11 am: Senators & Lords

Chair: **Olivier Rozenberg**, Associate Professor, Sciences Po, CEE

Damien Connil, Chargé de recherche CNRS, Université de Pau et Pays de l'Adour (UMR 7318 DICE - IE2IA)

The Role of Non-Party Parliamentarians in Second Chambers - Comparative Perspectives

Discussant: **Dennis Grube**, Lecturer in Public Policy, University of Cambridge, POLIS Department

Benjamin Morel, Doctor in political science, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne
Second Chambers' Rules of Procedure, the Long Way of Legitimacy

Discussant: **Peter Sloman**, Cambridge University, POLIS Department and Churchill College

Anja Thomas, OXPO Post Doctoral Researcher, Oxford University

An Unholy Alliance at Westminster in the Name of Democracy? House of Lords' and House of Commons' Public Control of EU Affairs and Public EU Debate

Discussant: **Julie Smith**, Director, Cambridge University, European Centre at POLIS, Department of Politics and International Studies and member of the House of Lords

11-11.30 am: Break

11.30 am-13 pm: Upper Chambers and Democracy

Chair: **Julie Smith**

Lucia Rubinelli, Junior Research Fellow in the History of Political Thought, Cambridge University, Robinson College and Polis

Sieyes versus bicameralism

Discussant: **Luigi Gianniti**, Direttore del Servizio Studi del Senato della Repubblica, Italy

Dorothee Reignier, Maîtresse de conférences droit public, Université des Antilles, CERAPS UDL

The French Senate party Discipline, Myths and Reality (by Skype)

Discussant: **Peter Sloman**, Cambridge University, POLIS Department and Churchill College