

The Department for the Study of Modern Czech Philosophy

invites you to a

## **Round table discussion on *POPULISM***

with

**John Abromeit** (Buffalo State, State University  
of New York)

and

**Samir Gandesha** (Simon Fraser University)

What forms does populism take in the contemporary moment? Can a general definition of populism be formulated, in spite of populism's varied forms? Can a distinction between "progressive" and "reactionary" populism be justified? John Abromeit and Samir Gandesha, both experts in the critical study of populism, will present their own answers to these questions from a historical as well as political-philosophical perspective, with an eye to the contemporary significance of populism both right and left. For those interested in reading Abromeit and Gandesha's writings on populism, write to [sheikh@flu.cas.cz](mailto:sheikh@flu.cas.cz).

**Monday, June 3, 17:00**

**Academic Conference Center / Akademické konferenční centrum (AKC)**

**Husova 4a, Praha 1**

