NIG Annual Workconference  
Panel 3: Political discontent and anti-establishment politics

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Program:

The panel session will take place on Thursday, November 25th, 11.00 -15.30 hours.

The panel will start with an introduction of the topic and the program by the organizers. There is room for a brief paper presentation by the authors (5 min) and a critical reflection of each paper by a discussant (10 minutes). The author of the paper then has 5 minutes to respond, followed by a general discussion of 10 minutes per paper. In the program we have also provided time for general discussion on the cross-cutting themes of this panel. The last session of the panel is reserved to discuss future plans and draw conclusions from the panel discussions.

Given the format; all participants are expected to read all papers in advance. Please bring your own copies (and/or handouts).

Papers presented are:

- **How do you mean ‘not heard’? Understanding citizens’ evaluations of government responsiveness.**
  Author: Margit van Wessel (Wageningen University)
- **Where do Distrusting Voters Turn to if there is no Viable Exit or Voice Option?**
  Authors: Marc Hooghe (KU Leuven), Sofie Marien (KU Leuven), Teun Pauwels (ULB)
- **A vote of angry citizens? Political discontent and voting in 2006 national elections in the Netherlands.**
  Author: Claartje Brons (Tilburg University)
- **Political Fantasies and Symptoms: Diagnosing Frustrations of Dutch Citizens.**
  Author: Shivant Jhagroe (Erasmus University)
- **De geloofwaardigheid van populistische politiek in een consensusdemocratie: de casus Leefbaar Rotterdam 2002-2010.**
  Author: Julien van Ostaaijen (Tilburg University)