

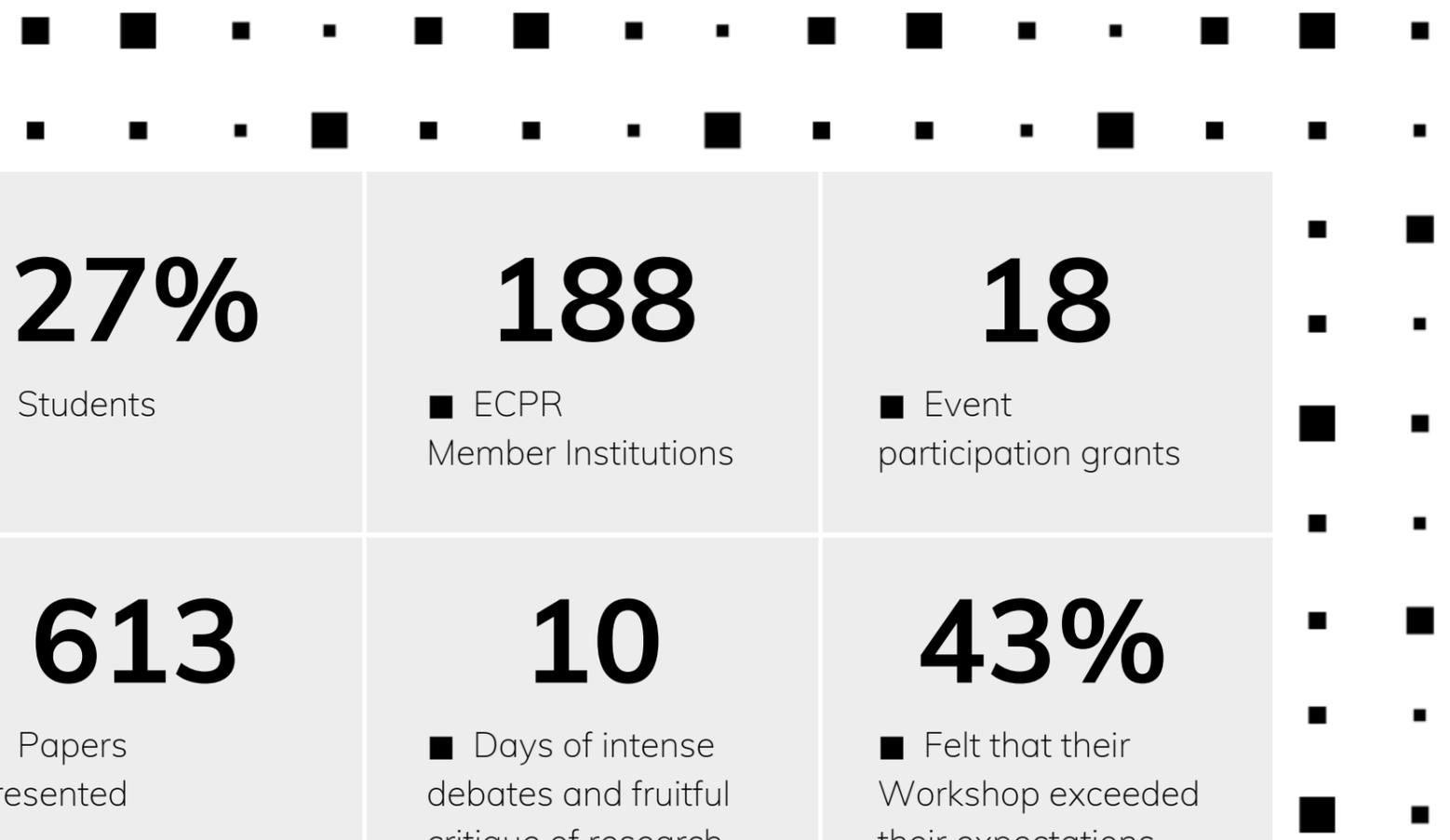
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# Virtual Joint Sessions Highlights

17 – 28 May 2021

# In numbers



Participation

**640**

■ Participants

**27%**

■ Students

**188**

■ ECPR  
Member Institutions

**18**

■ Event  
participation grants



Programme

**45**

■ Virtual  
Workshops

**613**

■ Papers  
presented

**10**

■ Days of intense  
debates and fruitful  
critique of research

**43%**

■ Felt that their  
Workshop exceeded  
their expectations



Virtual

**61**

■ Countries  
tuned in

**227**

■ Zoom meetings  
scheduled

**4.7K**

■ Items added  
to My Itinerary

**2.7K**

■ Event  
homepage visits



House Lecture – The  
Stein Rokkan Edition

**60**

■ Minutes of talk,  
followed by Q&A

**6**

■ Speakers –  
eminent scholars

**169**

■ Tuned in to the  
House Lecture LIVE

**612**

■ Watched  
on demand

# On Twitter



a truly insightful week

**brilliant  
debates**

fruitful discussions  
and valuable  
feedback

**interesting  
& rewarding**

rich contributions

amazing  
workshop

**the online  
platform  
is great!**

amazing research and many brilliant projects

**really active  
and inspiring**

learned a lot!

amazing  
workshop



**fascinating**

a super collection of  
papers among junior  
& senior scholars

amazing research and many brilliant projects

**amazingly  
interactive**

international  
collaborators

**a great  
success**

sad to end  
**#ecprjs21**

**valuable  
feedback is  
what you get**

**lively  
fun**

fully stocked up on motivation

**creative**

stimulating discussion  
with a great  
group of scholars

inspiring  
kick-off  
discussion

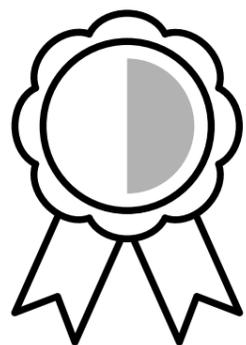
**absolutely  
wonderful  
participants**

provided  
important  
#foodforthought





# What our participants thought of their experience



## One of the best



One of the best opportunities to share and discuss work with fellow researchers.

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**One of the best conferences / research sharing and networking opportunities I've experienced both online and in-person.**

ECPR's organisation of virtual events during the global pandemic should serve as an exemplar for other professional associations.

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## Seamless



**Rich, interesting,  
informative,  
friendly and  
seamless virtual  
experience!**



I enjoyed the ECPR online Joint Sessions 2021. The online platform worked very well.

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The organisers put together a seamless digital experience that allowed scholars like me to listen to and network with scholars from other continents from the safety of my own home.

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**The platform  
worked  
perfectly.**



# Engaging

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**It has probably been the most engaging ECPR event I have attended so far.**

The ECPR team delivered another great academic online exchange: flexible to fit the needs of participants and responsive in its support. Thank you!



Of course, frustrating to be online rather than meeting the colleagues live but we made the most of it thanks to engaging discussions and nice planning.

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**This was awesome. Exceeded all my expectations.**

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