

EU – India Rapprochement: Political Logic and Academic Repercussions



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The presentation will discuss the new dynamic in EU – India relations which both parties prefer to term pragmatic, rational and depoliticized; however, the current gravitation between Brussels and New Delhi is influenced by competing political logics shaped by Russia's war on Ukraine, the new ruptures in trans-Atlantic relations, and the China factor. The case of EU – India rapprochement opens new avenues for critical analysis of such important concepts as post-colonialism and decoloniality, international democracy, multipolarity, interregionalism, and multivectoring.

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