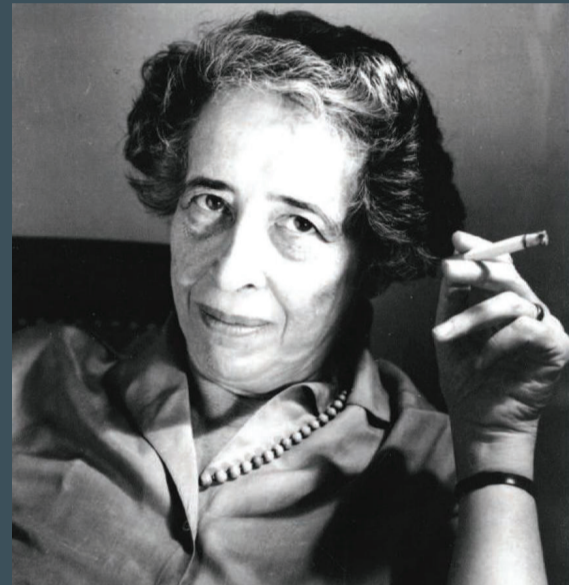




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What is transformational politics? Hannah Arendt, populism and the politicization of modern democracies

The lecture will discuss the emancipatory critique which is characterized by its attempt to expand the circle of those who benefit from the realization of the promises of democracy as a form of life. Right-wing populist movements might point out rigidified and encrusted structures of representative democracies, questionable excesses of media logic and other criticism deserving developments. But all of this critique is taking place with the intent to discriminate against other people on the basis of religion, sexual preferences, nationality, political views or ethnicity and exclude them from the circle of those who should benefit from the promises of democracy. Yet not only groups or movements who actively and directly promote democratic values should be regarded as politically "valuable".



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