

# QoG NEWS



Dear all,

This is the last newsletter of the season. As we prepare for summer vacation, we look back on an exciting and eventful spring. In the last few months, we have launched a brand new website and a new, updated, version of our Social Policy dataset. We have organized a successful practitioners conference here in Sweden and a workshop together with the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study at Harvard University entitled “Building State Capacity: The Other Side of Political Development”. We have welcomed visiting scholars and official delegations from all parts of the world and our research has been published in several articles, working papers, reports and books. Last, but not least, we have kicked off the ANTICORRP project which, to date, is the largest EU-funded social science project ever.

We want to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the work we do and wish you all a great summer.

The QoG newsletter will resume in September.

Best regards,

The QoG Team

## NEW PUBLICATIONS

[“Corruption and regulatory compliance: Experimental findings from South African small-scale fisheries”](#) by Aksel Sundström (published in Marine Policy)

[“Mass Education, State Building and Equality - Searching for the Roots of Corruption”](#) by Eric M. Uslaner & Bo Rothstein (QoG Working Paper 2012:5)

## NEW DATASET

QoG Basic Dataset (the most qualitative variables in terms of data from the QoG Standard Dataset in a more accessible package.) Read more about it and download the dataset [here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS (see our [calendar](#) for more details)

In the coming weeks and months, QoG scholars will be present at the following events:

**Almedalsveckan** (1-8 July) Visby, Sweden

**International Political Science Association (IPSA) XXII World Congress** (8-12 July) Madrid, Spain

**American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting** (30 August-2 September) New Orleans, United States