

Book Launch and Discussion

# The Russian Radical Right in Exile, 1918-1945

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**Wolfgang Mueller:** Welcome and introduction | **Zbyněk Vydra:** Presentation of the volume | **Gergely Romsics:** Commentary – The Interwar White International | **Anton Shekhovtsov:** Commentary – The Significance of the Russian Far Right Today

In the interwar period, the radical right, which represented one of the most prominent groups of Russian political exiles, was inspired by new ideologies, primarily fascism. Exile groups included monarchists, new factions such as the so called *Mladorossy* (Young Russians), Fascists, Russian military émigrés, and the Russian Orthodox Church Abroad. This volume is especially important in that contemporary right wing radicalism in Russia draws on the thinking of these right wing exiles.

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