

ENLIGHTEN - TransCrisis Roundtable

Policy Backsliding

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Enhancing the EU's Transboundary
Crisis Management Capacities



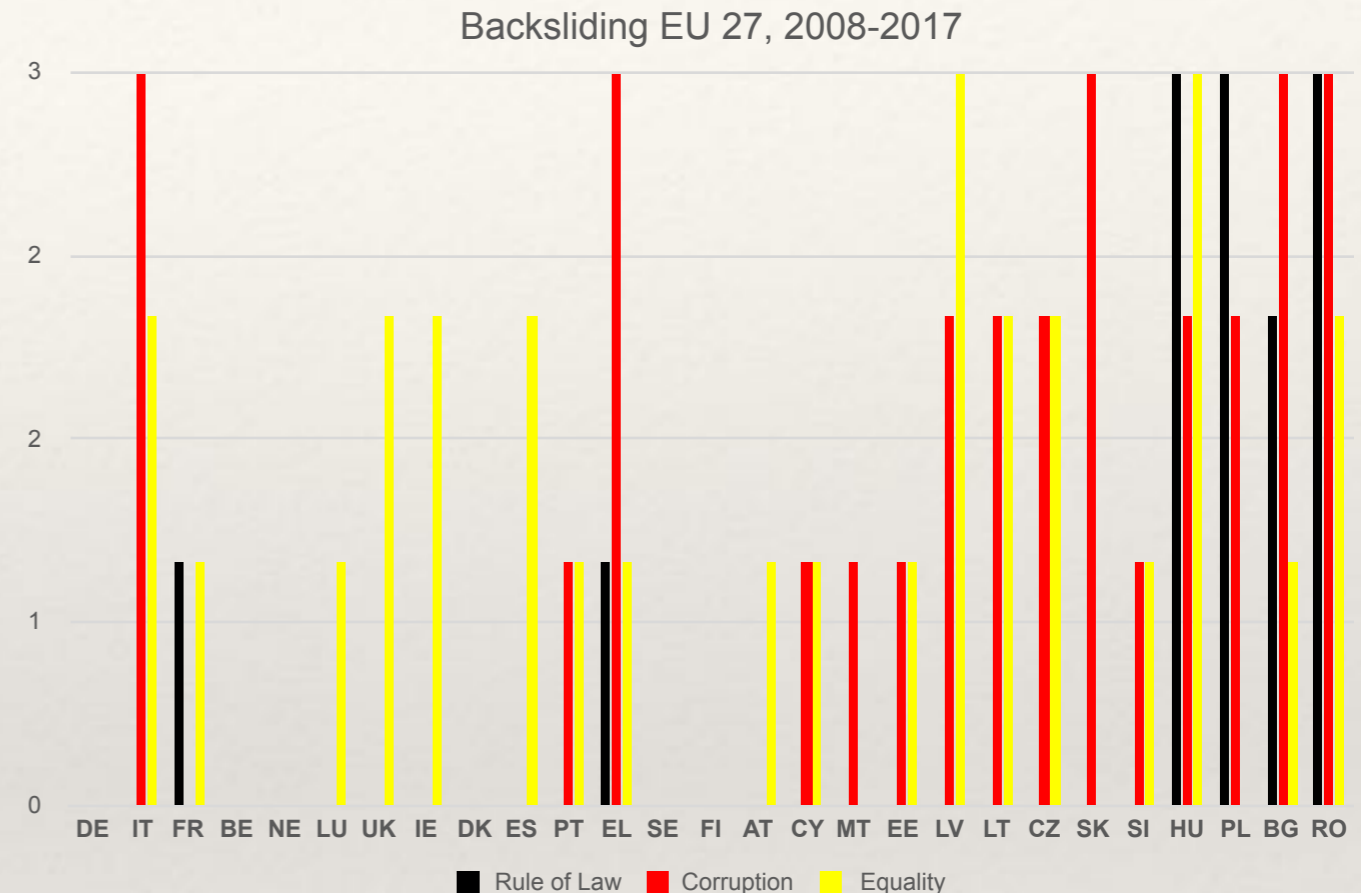
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Key questions

- ❖ Is backsliding a transboundary crisis for the EU?
- ❖ What lessons can we draw from the migration / refugee crisis?

Backsliding as transboundary crisis for the EU?

- ❖ Defining backsliding
 - ❖ rule of law
 - ❖ corruption
 - ❖ equalities
- ❖ Evidence of backsliding
- ❖ Financial crisis & backsliding?
- ❖ Managing the backsliding crisis?



Insights from the migration/refugee crisis

- ❖ EU response through existing
 - A. EU 'migration' policies
 - ❖ external migration policy (partnership with origin and transit countries)
 - ❖ Dublin asylum policy
 - ❖ external border control (coordination) policy
 - B. EU 'related migration' policies
 - ❖ Humanitarian emergency aid policy
 - ❖ Intra-EU de-bordering & Schengen (exception) policy
 - ❖ Intra-EU solidarity (policy)
- ❖ Transboundary effects of the refugee crisis on other issues (e.g., backsliding)