



# CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF DEMOCRACY

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- CSD is a network of scholars and centers that study how to make democracies work
- The faculty and students of CSD study both democratizing nations and the expansion of democratic processes in the United States and other democracies
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  - Political and economic sociology
  - Political parties
  - Social movements

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Established in 1990, the UC Irvine Center for the Study of Democracy (CSD) is committed to research and education aimed at understanding and improving the democratic process in the United States and expanding democracy around the world.

CSD supports an innovative and successful graduate Democracy Fellows Program. The select group of students admitted each year develop distinguished credentials that lead to future professional careers in teaching, public service and political analysis.

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