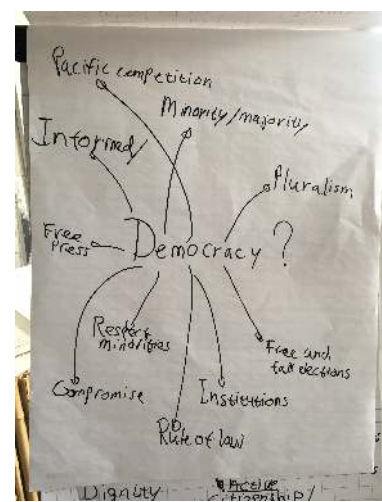
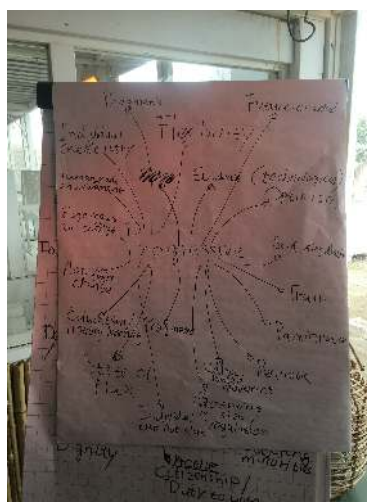
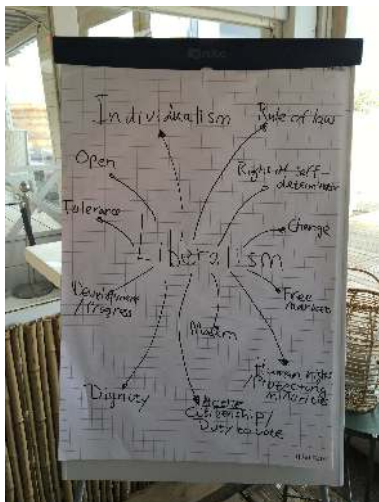


## Short report

Progressive Liberal Policy Lab, 25-26 August 2018, Scheveningen

### Party Philosophy

Facilitated by Daniel Boomsma (VSM). In this first part of the Lab, participants reflected in pairs on the concepts of *Liberalism* and of *Progressive*, before discussing it as a group. In a very short summary, consensus was on liberalism being a 'what' and progressive being a 'how'. One notion that was not mentioned during the brainstorm was the concept of *Democracy*, therefore the group took time to reflect on why it was not mentioned and what they perceive it to be.



### Policy Design

Facilitated by Dieter Feierabend (NEOS Lab). The second part of the Lab took the party philosophy a step further into policy design. After a warming up exercise in which all participants wrote their thoughts on 'policy design' on large sheets, Dieter took the group through the theory of policy design (Steenhuizen, 2012), and shared examples of the process of devising a immigration policy from NEOS. With this knowledge, the group split in two to work out a policy design process on integration. Central to both group results was the incorporation of the core values (for example openness, inclusiveness) into the design process.





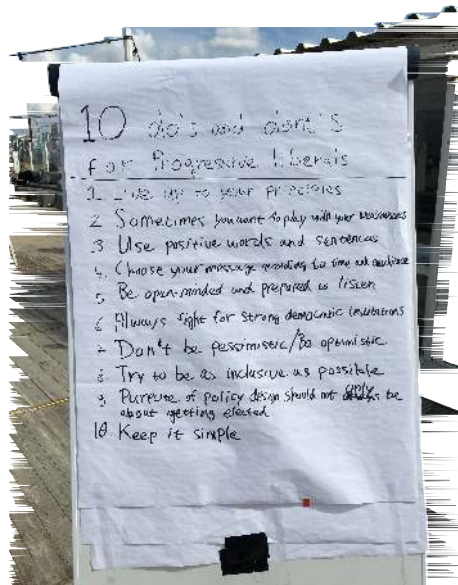
## Communication

Facilitated by Jorge San Miguel (Ciudadanos). On the second day, the Lab focussed on communication a parties values and policies to the public. With lively examples, Jorge took the group through the context of Spain and Ciudadanos. Armed with the theory and examples, smaller groups then set to work to design a framing strategy for a case.



## Concluding

Combining the input from the sessions, participants ended the Lab with making a list of the 10 do's and don't's for progressive liberals.



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