**Can I change the world? The link between political self-efficacy and civic behavior**

Political self-efficacy is one of key factors, which determine political behavior. Belief in one’s ability to impact political decisions increases willingness to participate in both protests and charity work. The levels and impact of political self-efficacy vary across different countries and cultures. In this project we research the cross-cultural differences of political self-efficacy. We aim to answer the following questions:

* What is the structure of political self-efficacy?
* What impacts political self-efficacy?
* How does political self-efficacy affect political behavior?
* What are the differences in political self-efficacy and its manifestations across various countries?
* What are the main markers of high or low level of political self-efficacy in society?

As a result of this research we would like to present a universal scale of political self-efficacy and analysis of its cross-cultural differences.