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Rhetoric, Politics and Society

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- Rhetorical Theory and Methodology: political theory, philosophy, cultural studies, queer theory, rhetoric in different disciplinary domains, rhetoric after key thinkers and in distinct sub-fields

If you have a proposal you would like to send to us or discuss, please contact any of the series editors:

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For advice from Palgrave on writing a proposal, see:

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