Modus Operandi of ECREA section “Mediatization”

Membership

1. The ECREA section “Mediatization” comprises all ECREA-members who express an interest in joining the section.

1.1 The section has been established by decision of the ECREA organization in 2015.

1.2 ECREA members can join the section by indicating their membership on the ECREA website.

1.3 All interested ECREA members can attend the business meetings of the section.

Management

2. The day-to-day running of the section is the responsibility of the Management Team (the chair and the two vice-chairs). In addition, a representative from YECREA is affiliated with the management.

2.1 The management members are chosen every two years at an ECREA-event or another event where the section convenes. The election is held through a voting procedure at the event where the yearly section business meeting will be held. A simple majority of votes is required.

2.2 Members of the section management team can serve a maximum of 3 consecutive terms (i.e. 6 years in total).

2.3 Six months before the end of the mandate of the outgoing team, members of the section can put themselves forward for election, as a team or individually, by sending an email to the chair of the section.

2.4 The results will be communicated at the section business meeting.

2.5 If no section business meeting is held, the election will nevertheless take place, but only email will be used.

Business meeting

3. The section’s business meeting is the primary decision making body regarding the general affairs of the section, determining current issues to be addressed by the section and changing the statutes or mission statement of the section.

3.1 Only members of the section have the right to vote.

3.2 Votes are decided by simple majority.
3.3 The TWG business meeting cannot take decisions that go against the spirit or the general statutes and bylaws of ECREA and the ECREA Executive Board maintains the ultimate decision powers.

**Accountability**

4. The section’s Management Team is accountable for its decisions to the ECREA Executive Board and the section’s business meeting. Decisions being made by the section’s Management Team are always provisional, until the section’s business meeting formally approves them.