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## Reception

On March 25<sup>th</sup> the project will host a reception to bring project participants and student assistants together. The reception will take place at 3 pm. Venue to be announced. All student assistants are welcome.

## Data and coding

For the Danish subproject coding of: administrative hearings, boards and committees, bill preparation, letters and deputations to parliament and appearance in news papers have started. Anne B has made an agreement securing access to press statements and Helene is looking into indicators of influence in the parliamentary arena. We now have 13 student assistants working on the project.

## Webpage

The project webpage is now online ([interestgroups.dk](http://interestgroups.dk) and soon also [interarena.dk](http://interarena.dk)). Please e-mail Anne B if you have any updates. In particular it would be great to add more planned publications and conference papers. When code books are ready these will also be made available at the webpage.

## Meeting

The next meeting of the entire research group will take place from March 23<sup>th</sup> to March 25<sup>th</sup>. Before then we will start the study group on literature. The first meetings could for example concern literature relevant for the selection of countries and of issues. Please e-mail suggested text to Anne B.

