

# **Leadership e rappresentanza femminile nelle istituzioni politiche**

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## *Leadership and Women Representation in Political Institutions*

*Abstract:* Which are the main reasons of exclusion for women in political institutions? Which are the most convincing features to get an image of a women leadership? Starting from Thomas Casadei's book that examines gender paradigm through three analytical dimensions – discriminations, stereotypes and rights – this article aims to provide a conceptual and political science perspective, at an empirical level as well, able to identify limits and obstacles to the affirmation of a women leadership both at national and local levels in politics.

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