

POLITICAL HATE SPEECH FROM THE EXTREME RIGHT ON TWITTER AND IBERO-AMERICA

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INTRODUCTION

Hate speech,
any form of expression which
propagates, incites, promotes
or justifies racial hatred,
xenophobia, anti-Semitism or
any other form of hatred
based on intolerance

Twitter,
their tweets and polemics
have great repercussions,
given that many media
outlets focus part of their
attention on the interactions
disseminated by this
medium, influencing the
social and political agenda


Human rights education,
to know how they spread on
the web, how they influence
positioning and generate
reaction trends, and what
effects they can have on
reality

OBJECTS AND METHODS

To study the dissemination of
far-right political hate speech
through the social network
Twitter.

Mixed methodology
with focus on digital
ethnography

5 campaigns linked to
political hate speech
on Twitter

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- 1) #SánchezVeteYa (Spain) [repeated spelling mistake: without the z].
 - 2) #IglesiasVeteYa (Spain).
 - 3) #AndrésNoMientrasOtraVez (Ecuador) [misspelling repeated: with the r in mentir].
 - 4) #GolpeDeEstadoK (Argentina).
 - 5) #FraundeEnMesa (Peru) [repeated spelling mistake: n added in fraud].

CONCLUSIONS

Political hate speech seems not to tend to emerge
spontaneously and randomly, but to show a clear
political intentionality, driven by certain sectors with
the aim of destabilising democratic governments or
public figures representative of them



In all cases, a common
pattern is detected: a
significant number of
fake accounts are used
to turn certain hashtags
into Twitter trends and
thus influence the state
of opinion

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