

## **GERMANY IN CRISIS**



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The September German national elections opened the door for Angela Merkel's fourth term as Chancellor, but also saw a Far-right party, the Alternative for Germany, win seats in the federal legislature for the first time since the end of the Second World War. Difficulties forming a new governing coalition raise important questions not only about the future of German politics and policy, but also about the impact of the political crisis on the EU and German-American relations. Join us for a discussion with this distinguished German expert.



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