

Review of: "Unraveling Populism: Senator Fraser Anning and the Australian Political Landscape"

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The paper's topic is interesting and gives us information on populism and populist politics in Australia. The paper explores Senator Anning's populist attitudes. However, the paper falls short in some respects.

It does not provide ample sources, and except for one source, there is no reference to Anning's speeches, writings, lectures, videos, etc. It would be helpful if the paper provided more sources and references.

It could also be helpful if the part on populism could come earlier so that the reader could understand what the author means by populism, what the difference is between populism and conservative politics, and nationalism. This part could also give briefly more context on populism in Australia, how it works in that particular context, and what the reasons are for the rise of populist politics, and how popular it is.

There is no mention of indigenous attitudes towards populism. This is particularly important because historically indigenous attitudes have been marginalised.