

Review of: "From Baking Competitions To Forced Repatriations: Patriotic Alternative And The Hybridity Of The Radical Right"

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Interest and Originality:

The article on Patriotic Alternative stands out for its interest and originality in the field of far-right studies in the UK. Allen presents evidence to support the idea that Patriotic Alternative is a highly innovative and original far-right radical group, characterised by its hybridity in combining authentic and inauthentic forms of traditional nationalism. This novel approach to the analysis of a radical far-right group in the British context is relevant and brings a new perspective to the existing literature on the subject. The detailed exploration of the formation, leadership, ideology, and activities of Patriotic Alternative demonstrates a deep engagement with the subject and a significant contribution to the field of study.

2. Extent to which Conclusions are Supported:

The article presents a thorough and detailed analysis of Patriotic Alternative, supported by a variety of sources and resources. Allen uses a sound methodological approach that includes content analysis of online and offline resources specific to Patriotic Alternative, as well as reviews of relevant literature. In addition, he complements these approaches with participatory methods that allow him to obtain additional information from professionals specialising in areas related to the far right. This combination of methods provides a solid basis for the article's conclusions and enhances the credibility of the findings presented. However, it would be beneficial if the author could provide more detail on the methodology used, including the selection of sources and the justification for the approaches adopted.

In summary, this work stands out for its originality and depth of analysis of a radical far-right group in the UK. While it presents a solid and well-founded approach, the discussion of the implications of the findings could be expanded. These improvements could strengthen the article's contribution to the field of study and increase its relevance for researchers, academics, and practitioners interested in the topic of the far right in the UK.

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