



# Democracy and trust

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1.3 Institutions work to align policies with societal evolutions

1.2 Societal progress is ensured

1.1 Elected officials act in the citizens' best interests

Legitimizes democratic institutions

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Presupposes a power/knowledge imbalance between the trusted and the trustee

2.1 Mitigated by alignment of interests

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“Paradox of democracy”  
(Moore, 2019)

4.1 Trust needed to enable effective democratic governance

4.2 Safeguards needed to control what policy-makers do when in power

4.3 Control mechanisms:  
Separations of powers  
Popular vigilance & oversight  
Pluri-partisan system

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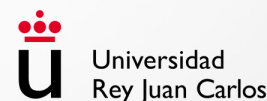
Implies a mental leap and acceptance on the part of citizens

3.1 Reliance on experts to handle complex issues

3.2 Reliance on policy-makers to implement the best knowledge into public policies



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