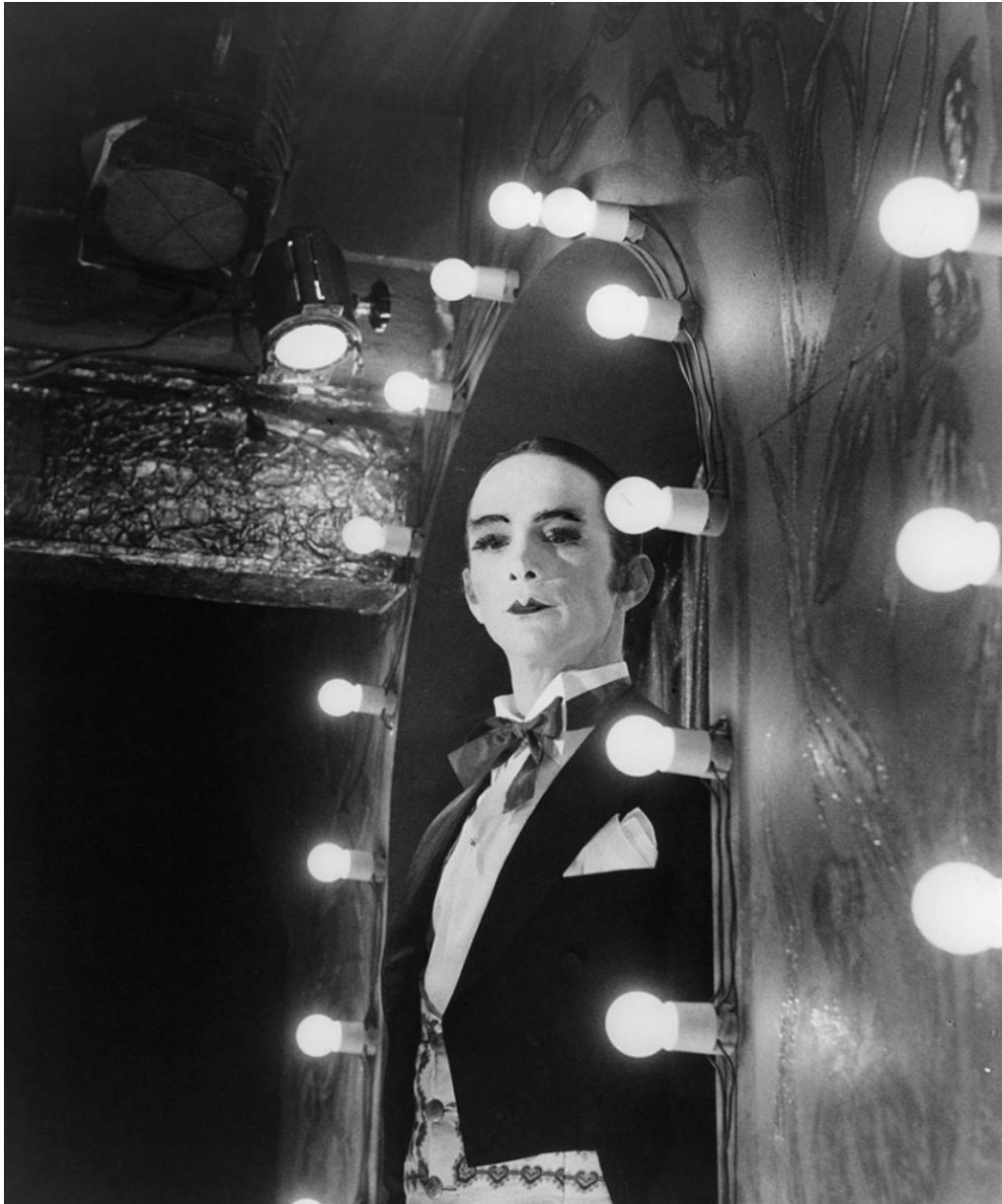




The
Democratic
Society

Open Policy in Europe



Let's start with
a challenge

Are we moving
the needle?



Increasing official
support for participation

Limited commitment
to taking it into account



Rise of parties with
democratic reform in
their core policies

Low willingness to
participate, high cynicism



We are not
reinventing
the wheel
(quite so much)

Still no common social
or technological infrastructure



Incremental progress
across many areas and
many countries

What if we need a
phase transition?



An essential
optimist?

Or a love-blind fool?





Thank you

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