Fresco or Fiasco:
Painting a Picture of the Italian Elections

On March 4, Italians will go to the polls to choose their next parliament. The emergence of the populist 5-Star Movement has muddied an already complex electoral landscape, forcing traditional parties to rethink their platforms in order to compete.

This B|Visual highlights the key issues that comprise Italy’s colorful canvas in 2018.

- **123,000**
  - Aylan Applications (2016)

- **26%**
  - Trust in Government

- **32.2%**
  - Youth Unemployment

- **10.8%**
  - Unemployment Rate

- **37%**
  - Commitment to Representative Democracy

- **65.6%**
  - Internet Penetration Rate

- **32%**
  - Sky Italia

- **40%**
  - Threshold to Form a Government

- **30%**
  - RAI

- **28%**
  - Final Polls: 5-Star Movement

- **23%**
  - Final Polls: Pd

- **15%**
  - Final Polls: Lega Nord

- **15%**
  - Final Polls: Forza Italia