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Research Interests

Comparative politics; political behaviour; political sociology; quantitative methodology

Academic Positions

PhD Researcher · European University Institute 2018 - current

Lecturer · University of Lucerne 2022

Visiting PhD Researcher · London School of Economics & Political Science 2021

Host: Dr. Chris Anderson

Education

Ph.D. in Political and Social Sciences (expected) 2023

European University Institute

Supervisor: Dr. Hanspeter Kriesi

M.Res. in Political and Social Sciences 2019

European University Institute

M.A. in Social Sciences 2018

Carlos III-Juan March Institute, University Carlos III of Madrid

First Class

B.A. in Political Science and Public Management 2016

Pablo de Olavide University (Seville, Spain)

Suma Cum Laude

B.A. in Law 2015

Pablo de Olavide University (Seville, Spain)

Suma Cum Laude

Work in Progress

"Does new party entry increase electoral turnout? Quasi-experimental evidence from the 2015 Spanish local elections" (*working paper*)

"Does parliamentary entry increase satisfaction with democracy? Comparative evidence from a three-fold study" (*working paper*)

"Braining Hearts: The Role of Electoral Experience on Ideological Moderation"
(*working paper*)

Conference & Seminar's Presentations

Research Workshop in European Studies London, LSE	2021
11th Annual Conference of the European Political Science Association (EPSA) Online	2021
12th European Graduate Network Conference Online	2021
The Transformation of European Politics Workshop Online	2020
6th Leuven-Montréal Winter School on Elections Montréal, University of Montréal	2020
Political Behaviour Colloquium Florence, EUI	2020
1st Spanish Congress of the European Social Survey Madrid, UC3M	2018

Teaching

Comparative Western European Party Systems: Continuity and Change University of Lucerne	Spring term 2022
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Additional Research Experience

Research Assistant · SOLID ERC Synergy Grant. PIs: Hanspeter Kriesi (EUI), Waltraud Schelkle (LSE), and Maurizio Ferrera (UniMi).	2020 - 2021
Research Assistant · POLCON ERC Advanced Grant. PIs: Hanspeter Kriesi (EUI).	2019 - 2020
Research Assistant · EUANDI2019 European Union's Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme 2014 - 2020. PIs: Lorenzo Cicchi (EUI), Diego Garzia (UNILU), Alexander H. Trechsel (UNILU) and Elie Michel (UNILU).	2019
Research Internship · ¿Por qué odiamos la política? Center of Andalusian Studies (CEA). PIs: Ernesto Ganuza (IESA-CSIC) and Joan Font (IESA-CSIC).	2015
Research Collaborator · Parlamentations y Sociedad Spanish Ministry of Economy. PIs: Xavier Coller (UPO).	2015
Research Collaborator · ICOSOP Andalusian Government. PIs: Xavier Coller (UPO) and Jean Baptiste Harguideguy (UPO).	2014

Complementary Academic Formation

Introduction to Teaching in Higher Education European University Institute	2020
6th Leuven-Montréal Winter School on Elections University of Montréal (Canada)	2020
RECSM-UPF Summer School in Survey Methodology Pompeu-Fabra University (Barcelona, Spain)	2019

Scholarships & Awards

Erasmus+ Scholarship for Visiting PhDs European Commission	2021
‘Salvador de Madariaga’ predoctoral Scholarship Spanish Ministry of Education and European Commission	2018 - 2022
UC3M scholarship of excellence for graduate studies University Carlos III of Madrid (Spain)	2017 - 2018
Best GPA of the Promotion Award University Pablo de Olavide (Spain)	2016
Grant for Beginner Researchers University Pablo de Olavide (Spain)	2014
Best GPA of the Promotion at the First Course Award University Pablo de Olavide (Spain)	2011

Academic Service

Chair of the panel <i>Electoral Rules and Voter Turnout</i> 11th EPSA	2021
Co-organiser of the Political Behaviour Colloquium European University Institute	2020 - 2021

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: R (advanced), Python (beginner)
Statistical Softwares: RStudio, Stata, SPSS, Excel
Surveys: Qualtrics, KoBoToolbox
Version Control System: GitHub
Text Processors: RMarkdown, L^AT_EX, Office
Reference Management: Mendeley

Languages

Spanish (native)

English (proficient)

Italian (advanced)

French (beginner)