FRANZISKA ROSCHER

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Postdoctoral Fellow
Sam Nunn School of International Affairs, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta

EDUCATION

PhD, Political Science
Department of Politics, New York University, New York
Committee: Kanchan Chandra (chair), Gwyneth McClendon, Pat Egan, Rachel Brule (BU)

MA (Honours), Political Science
Department of Civics & Politics, University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India

BSc, Economics
Department of Social Sciences, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Comparative Politics, Political Participation, Gender, Clientelism, India, Survey & Mixed-Methods Research

DISSERTATION

"Why Women Vote: When and How Clientelism Closes the Gender Turnout Gap" (Book Project)

WORKING PAPERS

"How Clientelist Party Mobilization Closes the Gender Turnout Gap: Theory and Evidence from India" (Job Market Paper)

"Exclusion Before Elections: How Faulty Voter Lists Disenfranchise Women in India"

"Voting as a Family? Investigating Individual Agency and Vote Choice in India" (with Rahul Verma, Centre for Policy Research, Delhi)

"Ethnic Identity Salience and Attitudes Toward Women - Evidence from India."

WORK IN PROGRESS

"The Challenge of Measuring the Gender Turnout Gap – New Global Evidence."

GRANTS & AWARDS

Torch Fellowship, NYU Graduate School of Arts & Science	2021–2022
George Downs Summer Research Prize, NYU Wilf Family Department of Poli	tics 2020
Political Science Research Fellowship, NYU Abu Dhabi	2019–2020
George Downs Summer Research Prize, NYU Wilf Family Department of Poli	tics 2019
Research Grant, NYU Center for Experimental Social Sciences	2018
MacCracken Fellowship, New York University	2016-2021

TEACHING

Introduction to Research Methods for Political Science (Prof. Anna Harvey) Spring 2021
Thinking, Learning and Consciousness in Humans and Machines (Prof. David Stasavage) Fall 2020

Civil Liberties (Prof. Christine Harrington) Spring 2019

Introduction to International Politics (Prof. Shanker Satyanath)

Fall 2018

FIELD RESEARCH

 Delhi, India
 02/2024–03/2024

 Uttar Pradesh, India
 12/2021–02/2022

 Delhi & Bihar, India
 01/2020–03/2020

 Delhi, India
 09/2019

PRESENTATIONS

American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting: 2021, 2022, 2023

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Meeting: 2022, 2023, 2024

Southern Political Science Association (SPSA) Annual Meeting: 2019, 2024

European Political Science Association (EPSA) Annual Meeting: 2024

UC Berkeley CCI Annual Indian Politics Workshop: 2021

Workshop on the Political Economy of South Asia (WPESA): 2021

Yale South Asia Brown Bag: 2020

Center for Experimental Social Science (CESS) Annual Experimental Political Science Conference: 2019 [poster]

LANGUAGES

English native-level
German native
Hindi intermediate

French basic

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

R, Stata, Qualtrics, zTree, LATEX

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance Journalist 2012–2014

Various German and Swiss Media, Mumbai, India

Editor 2015–2016

Handelsblatt Global Edition, Berlin, Germany