

MAX BRADLEY

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Comparative Politics, Political Behaviour, Political Economy, Climate Politics, Climate Policy

EDUCATION

European University Institute, *2022 - Expected Summer 2026*
PhD Researcher, Department of Political and Social Science,
Advisors: Prof. Filip Kostelka & Prof. Simon Hix.

European University Institute, *2022 - 2023*
MRes in Political and Social Science.

Leiden University, *2020 - 2021*
MSc (with distinction) in Political Science.

Trinity College Dublin, *2012 - 2016*
BA in Economics.

POSITIONS

Nuffield College, Oxford University, *2024*
Junior Visiting Scholar,
Host: Prof. David Rueda

Climate Vulnerability Project, Oxford University, *2024*
Visiting Scholar,
Host: Prof. Federica Genovese

RESEARCH

Peer-Reviewed Articles

- Bradley, M., & Chauchard, S. (2022). *The Ethnic Origins of Affective Polarization: Statistical Evidence from Cross-National Data*. *Frontiers in Political Science*, 4, 920615.

Revise & Resubmit

- Kostelka, F., Alberdi, M., Bradley, M., Fiselier, T., Jabbour, A., Mansour, N., Minaeva, E., Porciuleanu, S., & Rafailova, D. (2025). *Mass Attitudes towards Russia's Aggression against Ukraine: It Is Not the Economy*. **Revise & Resubmit**, *European Journal of Political Research*.
- Bradley, M., Chazottes, R., Garside, S., & Lopez-Uroz, N. (2026). *Educational Policies Can Strengthen Climate Coalitions.*, **Revise & Resubmit**, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*

Under Review

- Bradley, M. *A Threatening Climate: How Material Threat Reshapes the Educational Cleavage*.

Job Market Paper

- Bradley, M. *Adapt or Perish: How the Spatial Distribution of Human Capital Shapes the Economic and Political Effects of the Green Transition*.

Working Papers

- Alberdi, M., Bradley, M., Jabbour, A., & Kostelka, F. *Flood Insurance and Risk Socialization*.
- Bradley, M., Estruch-Garcia, C., & Grau, P. *Taking Out the Trash: Political Implications of Door-to-Door Waste Management in Catalonia*.
- Pozar, H., Miglio, M., Bradley, M., Ginsburg, B., & Hix, S. *Reducing Gender-Based Polarization: A Field Study in UK Schools*
- Bradley, M., & Bolet, D. *A Broken Union? Cohesion, Legitimacy, and the Political Consequences of Collective Action*

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Organiser, Political Behaviour Colloquium (PBC) 2023 - 2024
European University Institute.
Weekly Speaker Series, sponsored by Prof. Elias Dinas.

Reviewer for:
Environmental Politics

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Ireland Thinks Best Paper Prize 2024
Political Studies Association of Ireland
Prize awarded for best paper presented by an early career researcher at the PSAI annual conference

Early Stage Researcher Grant 2023 - 2024
European University Institute
Competitive Internal Grant for Research Expenses. Awarded €3,000

Irish EUI Grant 2022 - 2026
Department of Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science
Fully funded 4 year PhD scholarship award

MSc Thesis Prize 2021 Nominee, Leiden University Summer 2021
Awarded to the best thesis completed under each supervisor

INVITED PRESENTATIONS & CONFERENCES

APSA 2025, Paper Presentation
EPSA 2025, Paper Presentation
The Comparative Politics of Europe Workshop, Paper Presentation
Climate Pipeline Workshop 2025, Paper Presentation
European Graduate Network Conference 2025, Paper Presentation
EPSA 2024, Paper Presentation
APSA 2024, Paper Presentation
PSAI 2024, Paper Presentation
EPG Online Fall Term 2024, Paper Presentation
Climate Vulnerabilities Group, Oxford, Paper Presentation
Nuffield CPE Seminar, Oxford, Fall Term 2024, Paper Presentation

VOLUNTEERING

Election Observer,
AEGEE

February, 2021

Participated as an election observer in the 2021 Dutch National Elections

SOFTWARE SKILLS

Software

R, Stata, SPSS

Information Processors

RMarkdown, \LaTeX , GitHub

Reference Management

Zotero

REFEREES

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