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## Summary

I am completing my DPhil (PhD) dissertation in the Department of Politics and International Relations and St Hilda's College at the University of Oxford, United Kingdom. I am currently based at Oxford, working on my research. Furthermore, I am an Instructor Professor in the Management and Public Policies Department at the Faculty of Administration and Economics at the Universidad de Santiago de Chile.

Before starting the DPhil, in October 2019, I earned an MA (1st) in Political Science and a BA (2:1) in Government, both from the Universidad de Chile. Moreover, I served as a lecturer at the Universidad de Chile and a consultant for the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

My doctoral research is supervised by Professor Petra Schleiter and focuses on cabinets' stability in Latin American presidential democracies. In my DPhil project, I combine the principal-agent theory elements to evaluate the actors' incentives and strategies in presidential systems. My empirical strategy employs propensity scores and matching methods, competing risks models, and IV estimations. My research is funded by the Chilean National Agency for Research and Development.

## Expertise

**Main Interests** Cabinets composition and allocation, ministerial turnover, presidential systems, political elites, civil service systems, crisis management

**Techniques** Survival analysis and competing risks models, propensity score methods, multilevel models, spatial analysis, social network analysis, qualitative comparative analysis

## Education

<b>University of Oxford</b> <b>DPhil (PhD) in Politics</b> Professor Petra Schleiter (Supervisor)	<b>Oxford, UK</b> 2019 - ongoing
<b>Universidad de Chile</b> <b>MA in Political Science</b> Highest Distinction (1st, First-class honours)	<b>Santiago, Chile</b> 2010 - 2013
<b>Universidad de Chile</b> <b>BA in Government</b> Distinction (2:1, Second-class honours, upper division)	<b>Santiago, Chile</b> 2004 - 2009
<b>Universidad de Chile</b> <b>BPS in Public Administration</b> Distinction (2:1, Second-class honours, upper division)	<b>Santiago, Chile</b> 2004 - 2009

## Relevant Employment

<b>Universidad de Santiago de Chile</b> <b>Instructor Professor</b> Management and Public Policies Department, Faculty of Administration and Economics	<b>Santiago, Chile</b> 2019 - on leave
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**Universidad de Santiago de Chile**

**Adjunct Professor**

Management and Public Policies Department, Faculty of Administration and Economics

**Santiago, Chile**

2014 - 2018

**United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)**

**Consultant**

Democratic Governance Programme

**Santiago, Chile**

2016 - 2017

**Universidad de Chile**

**Lecturer**

School of Government and Public Management, Institute for Public Affairs

**Santiago, Chile**

2013 - 2016

## Peer-Reviewed Articles

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### SOCIAL SCIENCES CITATION INDEX (WoS-ISI/SCCI)

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2. González-Bustamante, B. (2013). The Study of the Elites in Chile: Theoretical and Methodological Approaches. *Intersticios Sociales*, (6), 1–20. [IN SPANISH]. URL: <http://ref.scielo.org>
1. González-Bustamante, B., & Henríquez, G. (2012). Digital Campaigns: Branding or Political Participation? *Más Poder Local*, (12), 32–39. [IN SPANISH]. URL: [www.researchgate.net](http://www.researchgate.net)

## Peer-Reviewed Edited Volumes

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2. González-Bustamante, B., & Luci, F. (forthcoming). Political Elites in Latin America: Socialisation, Trajectories, and Capitals. *Pléyade*.
1. González-Bustamante, B. (2016). Political, Economic, and Intellectual Elites. *Política, Revista de Ciencia Política*, 54(1). [IN SPANISH]. URL: <https://revistapolitica.uchile.cl>

## Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

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12. González-Bustamante, B. (2018). Civil Service Models in Latin America. In A. Farazmand (ed.), *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance*. Cham: Springer. doi: [10.1007/978-3-319-20928-9\\_2699](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-20928-9_2699). SocARXIV DOI: [10.31235/osf.io/mp4qd](https://doi.org/10.31235/osf.io/mp4qd)
11. González-Bustamante, B. (2018). Internet, Digital Social Networks Usage, and Participation in the Southern Cone. In P. Cottet (ed.), *Opinión Pública Contemporánea: Otras Posibilidades de Comprensión e Investigación*. Santiago: Social-Ediciones. [IN SPANISH].
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9. González-Bustamante, B., & Barría, D. (2018). Expansion of the Public Sphere in Chile: Social Networks, Electoral Campaigns, and Digital Participation. In N. Del Valle (ed.), *Transformaciones de la Esfera Pública en Chile. Luchas Sociales, Espacio Público y Pluralismo Informativo*. Santiago: RIL Editores. [IN SPANISH]. SocARXIV DOI: [10.31235/osf.io/nkftb](https://doi.org/10.31235/osf.io/nkftb)

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4. González-Bustamante, B. (2014). New Media and Digital Politics: The Case of Chilean Primary Presidential Elections 2013. In G. Sibaja (ed.), *Nuevos Medios y Comunicación Política Digital*. San Jose: Fundación Educativa San Judas Tadeo. [IN SPANISH].
3. González-Bustamante, B. (2014). Digital Activism, Social Networks, and Brokerage. En S. Millaleo & P. Cárcamo (eds.), *Mediaciones del Sistema Político frente al Activismo Digital*. Santiago: Fundación Democracia y Desarrollo. [IN SPANISH]. URL: [www.researchgate.net](http://www.researchgate.net)
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1. González-Bustamante, B., & Henríquez, G. (2013). Chile: The Digital Campaign 2009-2010. In I. Crespo & J. del Rey (eds.), *Comunicación Política & Campañas Electorales en América Latina*. Buenos Aires: Editorial Biblos. [IN SPANISH].

## Working Papers

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4. González-Bustamante, B., & Cisternas, C. (2020). Applying ForceAtlas2, a Continuous Graph Layout Algorithm, to the Elites Study. *Tufte Working Papers*, (1), 1–15. [IN SPANISH]. URL: <https://tuftepapers.com>. SocAR-Xiv DOI: [10.31235/osf.io/gxrkc](https://doi.org/10.31235/osf.io/gxrkc)
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2. González-Bustamante, B., & Olivares, A. (2016). Undersecretaries Rotation in the Chilean Cabinets (1990-2014). *Observatório de elites políticas e sociais do Brasil. NUSP/UFPR*, 3(5), 1–19. [IN PORTUGUESE]. URL: [www.researchgate.net](http://www.researchgate.net)
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## Relevant Teaching Experience

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- Department of Politics and International Relations, **University of Oxford**, Oxford, UK
  - Comparative Government (undergraduate tutorial, Prof. Petra Schleiter), Hilary 2020
- Faculty of Economics and Management, **Universidad de Santiago**, Santiago, Chile
  - Political Science I (undergraduate lecture), Spring 2014, 2018, Fall 2015-2019
  - Political Science II (undergraduate lecture), Spring 2015-2018
  - Econometrics for Public Policies (undergraduate lecture), Fall 2018
  - Workshop for Research Design (graduate seminar), Spring 2017-2018

- Research Methodology (undergraduate lecture), Spring 2014-2015, Fall 2015-2017
- School of Government and Public Management, **Universidad de Chile**, Santiago, Chile
  - Study of Political Phenomena (undergraduate lecture), Fall 2016
  - Political Analysis (undergraduate lecture), Fall 2014
  - Elite Theory and Democracy (undergraduate lecture, Prof. Alejandro Olivares), Spring 2013-2014

## Honours & Awards

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	<b>St Hilda's College at the University of Oxford Book and Travel Grants.</b>	
2020	Allowances for books and conference participation (travel grant was declined because of coronavirus pandemic), £ 745	Oxford, UK
	<b>Becas Chile Doctoral Scholarship Abroad.</b> Tuition fees, transport and living expenses for pursuing a DPhil (PhD) at the University of Oxford (ANID/PFCHA/72200340), £ 160,000	
2019		Oxford, UK
	<b>LASA Travel Grant.</b> Travel support for the XXXIV International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA/40071), £ 400	
2016		New York, USA
	<b>CESS Summer School Scholarship.</b> Financial support for the Experimental Summer School Methods at the Nuffield-USACH Centre for Experimental Social Sciences (CESS), £ 200	
2016		Santiago, Chile
	<b>ALACIP Methodological School Prize.</b> Best methodological work at the Latin American Political Association School (ALACIP)	
2015		Lima, Peru
	<b>ACCP Winter School Scholarship.</b> Financial support for the Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis at the Universidad Católica de Uruguay, awarded by the Chilean Political Science Association (ACCP), £ 300	
2015		Montevideo, Uruguay
	<b>PUC Summer School Scholarship.</b> Financial support for the Summer School in Mixed Methods at the Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (PUC), £ 170	
2014		Santiago, Chile
	<b>Comunicracia Prize.</b> Best paper of the political communication area at the XI Argentinian Congress of Political Science (double-blind peer-review), £ 170	
2013		Parana, Argentina
	<b>Highest Rating MA Dissertation.</b> The highest rating and the congratulations from the jury at the Universidad de Chile	
2013		Santiago, Chile
	<b>FONDECYT Thesis Writing Grant.</b> Financial support for MA field work (Prof. Gonzalo Delamaza, Supervisor, ANID/FONDECYT/1100877), £ 1,150	
2012		Santiago, Chile

## Selected Conference Presentations

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2021	International Political Science Association (IPSA)	[ONLINE]
2019	Latin American Studies Association (LASA)	Boston, USA
2018	Chilean Political Science Association (ACCP)	Santiago, Chile
2018	Latin American Association of Electoral Campaign Researchers (ALICE)	Murcia, Spain
2018	Chilean Political Science Association (ACCP)	Pucon, Chile

2016	Chilean Sociology Association (PreALAS)	Talca, Chile
2016	Latin American Studies Association (LASA)	New York, USA
2015	Argentine Association of Political Analysis (SAAP)	Mendoza, Argentina
2015	Latin American Political Science Association (ALACIP)	Lima, Peru
2014	Chilean Political Science Association (ACCP)	Santiago, Chile
2014	World Association for Public Opinion Research (WAPOR)	Santiago, Chile
2013	Latin American Association of Electoral Campaign Researchers (ALICE)	Toluca, Mexico
2013	Latin American Sociology Association (ALAS)	Santiago, Chile
2013	Latin American Political Science Association (ALACIP)	Bogota, Colombia
2013	Argentine Association of Political Analysis (SAAP)	Parana, Argentina
2012	Chilean Sociology Association (PreALAS)	Pucon, Chile
2012	Chilean Political Science Association (ACCP)	Santiago, Chile
2012	International Political Science Association (IPSA)	Madrid, Spain
2012	Latin American Association of Electoral Campaign Researchers (ALICE)	Madrid, Spain
2012	Latin American Political Science Association (ALACIP)	Quito, Ecuador

## Peer Reviewer & Expert

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- Varieties of Democracy Project, University of Gothenburg, Sweden, 2014, 2018-2020
- Global Academic Reputation Survey, Clarivate Analytics, USA, 2020
- Sectoral Commission for Research, Universidad de la República, Uruguay, 2016, 2018
- Times Higher Education World University Rankings, ELSEVIER, Netherlands, 2018-2019
- Reviewer in WoS-ISI/SSCI/ESCI & SCOPUS journals, since 2013
- Reviewer in SCIELO & LATINDEX journals, since 2013

## Languages & Softwares

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**Languages** Spanish (native speaker), English (fluent), Portuguese (advanced reading skills), French (elemental reading skills)

**Programming** R, Python, Stata, SPSS/PSPP, UCINET, NetDraw, RSiena, Gephi, Tosmana, Fuzzy-Sets, ArcGIS, ATLAS.ti, EndNote, Zotero, HPOP,  $\LaTeX$ , Bib $\TeX$ , JabRef, MS Office, WordPress, Moodle, HTML, CSS, XHTML, Notepad++

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References upon request.

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