

Roberto Valli

Curriculum

Education

- 09.2020– **PhD in Political Science, ETH Zurich, Switzerland.**
Supervisor: Ph.D. Lars-Erik Cederman, Chair of International Conflict Research
- 09.2018–08.2020 **M.A. in Comparative and International Studies, ETH Zurich.**
Thesis: *Empires, Nation-States and Ethnic Favoritism. Nationalism and Railway Construction in Austria-Hungary, 1855–1901.*
- 09.2014–09.2018 **B.A. in International Affairs, University of St. Gallen (HSG), Switzerland.**
- 09.2009–06.2013 **Swiss Maturity Degree, Liceo Lugano 2 (Public Highschool), Savosa, Switzerland.**
Elective focus on law and economics.

Experience

Vocational

- 07.2019–08.2020 **Student Research Assistant, Ph.D. Lars-Erik Cederman, ICR-GESS, ETH Zurich.**
- 09.2017–08.2018 **Student Research Assistant, Ph.D. Tina Freyburg, Department for Political Science, University of St. Gallen, Chair for Comparative Politics.**
- 03.2018–09.2018 **Student Research Assistant, Ph.D. Oliver Westerwinter, Department for Political Science, University of St. Gallen.**
- 07.2016–08.2016 **Assistant at Bachelor's Level, Siegfried Alberton, Department of Business Administration, SUPSI (University of Applied Sciences and Arts), Manno, Switzerland.**

Miscellaneous

- 10.2018–10.2019 **Elected students' representative, GessWho! (ETHZ), Zurich.**
Membership of MACIS Teaching Commission and Department Conference.
- 09.2016–08.2017 **Elected students' representative, Student Union (SHSG), St. Gallen.**
Membership to the Students' Parliament, and representation at the School of Humanities and Social Sciences (SHSS).
- 09.2016–05.2017 **Member of the shortlisting committee for assistant professorship in Italian Culture and Society, Student Union (SHSG), St. Gallen.**
- 07.2015–08.2015 **English School, Regent, Edimburgh, Scotland.**
Two-month summer English course.
- 10.2013–04.2014 **Military service, Swiss Army, Ground Forces, Colombier, Switzerland.**
Six-month compulsory militia service as a command support soldier.

Grants and Prizes

08.2020 **ETH Mobility**, *Six-month travel grant.*, ETH Zurich, Switzerland.

Summer Schools

07.2018–07.2018 **Social Networks Analysis**, *GSERM*, St. Gallen, Switzerland.

08.2019–08.2019 **Panel Data Analysis**, *FORS Summer School*, Lugano, Switzerland.

Language Skills

Italian Native speaker.

German Fluent in writing and speaking.

English Fluent in writing and speaking.

French Basic knowledge of spoken and written French.

IELTS 7.5

Computing Skills

Data science **R**

STATA

QGIS

Data management **Git & SVN**

Document editing **L^AT_EX**

MS Office Package