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Academic Positions

- 2019- Lecturer (Assistant Professor) in Politics and International Studies, School of Social Sciences and Humanities, Loughborough University
- 2017-2019 Marie Curie Research Fellow (Individual Fellowship), School of Governance, Utrecht University
- 2014-2017 Assistant Professor (Limited-term appointment), Department of Political Science, Aarhus University

Education

- 2008-2014 PhD in Political Science, McGill University
 • Committee: Stuart N. Soroka (Supervisor), Antonia Maioni, and Hudson Meadwell
- 2006-2007 MSc (with Merit) in Comparative Politics, London School of Economics and Political Science
- 2002-2006 BA (Summa Cum Laude) in Political Science and Law & Society, York University

Research Interests

Social Policy, Labour Market Vulnerability, Public Opinion, European Politics, Democratic Representation, Inequality.

Publications

Books (Peer-Reviewed)

- 2017 **Anthony Kevins**. *Expanding Welfare in an Age of Austerity: Increasing Protection in an Unprotected World*, Amsterdam University Press (Series: Changing Welfare States).

Journal Articles (Peer-Reviewed)

- n.d.* **Anthony Kevins** and Naomi Lightman. “Immigrant Sentiment and Labour Market Vulnerability: Economic Perceptions of Immigration in Dualized Labour Markets”, *Comparative European Politics* (OnlineFirst). doi.org/10.1057/s41295-019-00194-1
- n.d.* **Anthony Kevins**. “Race, Class, or Both? Responses to Candidate Characteristics in Canada, the UK, and the US”, *Politics, Groups, and Identities* (OnlineFirst). doi.org/10.1080/21565503.2019.1636833
- 2020 **Anthony Kevins**, Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. “Motive Attribution and the Moral Politics of the Welfare State”, *Journal of Social Policy*, 49(1): 145-165. doi.org/10.1017/S0047279419000175
- 2019 Naomi Lightman and **Anthony Kevins**. “Bonus or Burden? Care Work, Inequality, and Job Satisfaction in Eighteen European Countries”, *European Sociological Review*, 35(6): 825-844. doi.org/10.1093/esr/jcz032
- 2019 **Anthony Kevins**. “Dualized Trust: Risk, Social Trust, and the Welfare State”, *Socio-Economic Review*, 17(4): 875-897. doi.org/10.1093/ser/mwx064

- 2019 Carsten Jensen and **Anthony Kevins**. “Numbers and Attitudes Towards Welfare State Generosity”, *Political Studies*, 67(2): 496–516. doi.org/10.1177/0032321718780516
- 2019 **Anthony Kevins** and Kees van Kersbergen. “The Effects of Welfare State Universalism on Migrant Integration”, *Policy & Politics*, 47(1): 115–132. doi.org/10.1332/030557318X15407315707251
- 2019 **Anthony Kevins**, Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. “The Illusion of Class in Welfare State Politics?”, *Journal of Social Policy*, 48(1): 21–41. dx.doi.org/10.1017/S0047279418000247
- 2018 **Anthony Kevins**, Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. “Yardsticks of Inequality: Preferences for Redistribution in Advanced Democracies”, *Journal of European Social Policy*, 28(4): 402–418. doi.org/10.1177/0958928717753579
- 2018 Alexander Horn and **Anthony Kevins**. “Problem Pressure and Social Policy Innovation: Lessons from 19th-Century Germany”, *Social Science History*, 42(3): 495–515. doi.org/10.1017/ssh.2018.13
- 2018 **Anthony Kevins** and Stuart Soroka. “Growing Apart? Partisan Sorting in Canada, 1992–2015”, *Canadian Journal of Political Science*, 51(1): 103–133. doi.org/10.1017/S0008423917000713
◦ Media coverage in The Globe and Mail and Maclean’s.
- 2017 Alexander Horn, **Anthony Kevins**, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. “Peeping at the Corpus – What is Really Going on Behind the Equality and Welfare Items of the Manifesto Project?”, *Journal of European Social Policy*, 27(5): 403–416. doi.org/10.1177/0958928716688263
- 2016 Stuart Soroka, Richard Johnston, **Anthony Kevins**, Keith Banting, and Will Kymlicka. “Migration and Welfare State Spending”, *European Political Science Review*, 8(2): 173–194. doi.org/10.1017/S1755773915000041
- 2015 **Anthony Kevins**. “Political Actors and the Extension of Welfare Coverage”, *Journal of European Social Policy*, 25(3): 303–315. doi.org/10.1177/0958928715588705

Ongoing Projects

Under Review

- Anthony Kevins and Joshua Robison. “Who Should Get a Say? Race, Law Enforcement Guidelines, and Systems of Representation”, **Revise and Resubmit** at *Political Psychology*.
- Alexander Horn, Anthony Kevins, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. “How Parties (Do Not) Appeal to Social Groups: Hollowing of Democracy or Hyper-Adaptive Targeting?”, **Revise and Resubmit** at *Party Politics*.
- Anthony Kevins. “Input from Whom? Public Reactions to Different Consultation Measures”.
- Henning Finseraas and Anthony Kevins. “The Structure of Inequality and Support for Redistribution”.

Works in Progress

- “When Do Citizens Blame Politicians? The Impact of Public Consultations”, with Barbara Vis.
- “How Should the Government Treat Asylum Seekers? The Role of Labour Market Vulnerability and Ethnic Diversity in Europe”, with Naomi Lightman.
- “The Politics of Conditional Solidarity: Political Determinants and Electoral Consequences of Workfare”, with Alexander Horn and Kees van Kersbergen.
- “Decomposing Public Support for the Welfare State”, with Seonghui Lee.
- “No Party, No Problem: Inferring Partisanship from Label-less Candidate Vignettes”, with Seonghui Lee.
- “Causes and Consequences of Labour Market Exploitation”, with Rebecca Paraciani.

Grants and Fellowships

- 2017-2019 Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowship, €165 598 (Grant no. 750556)
2017 Aarhus University Departmental Research Grant (co-PI with Carsten Jensen), 45000 DKK
2013-2014 McGill Institute for Health and Social Policy Research Fellowship, \$5000
2010-2013 Guy Drummond Fellowship, \$37500
2010 Consortium on Qualitative Research Methods IQMR Funding
2008-2010 Nathan Steinberg Fellowship in Political Science, \$30000
2008-2009 Provost Graduate Fellowship, \$2000

Conference Papers (last five years)

- 2019 “Input from Whom? Public Opinion, Tax Reform, and Representation”. Annual Meeting of the European Political Science Association, Belfast, Northern Ireland.
2019 “Immigrant Sentiment and Labour Market Vulnerability: Economic Perceptions of Immigration in Dualized Labour Markets”, with Naomi Lightman. Annual Meeting of the European Political Science Association, Belfast, Northern Ireland.
2019 “Public Consultations: Do Weakened Clarity of Responsibility and Increased Perceived Responsiveness Reduce Blame Attribution?”, with Barbara Vis. Annual Meeting of the Dutch and Flemish Political Science Associations, Antwerp, Belgium.
2019 “Bonus or Burden? Care Work, Inequality, and Job Satisfaction in Eighteen European Countries”, with Naomi Lightman. Annual Conference of the Canadian Sociological Association, Vancouver, Canada.
2019 “The Politics of Conditional Solidarity: Developments and Political Determinants of the Workfare Balance in 16 Countries, 1980-2015”, with Alexander Horn and Kees van Kersbergen. Danish Centre for Welfare Studies Early Career Workshop, Odense, Denmark.
2019 “The Structure of Inequality and Support for Redistribution”, with Henning Finseraas. Workshop on Inequalities and Preference for Redistribution, Paris, France.
2019 “The Politics of Conditional Solidarity: Developments and Political Determinants of the Workfare Balance in 16 Countries, 1980-2015”, with Alexander Horn and Kees van Kersbergen. Comparative Politics Meeting of the German Political Science Association, Munich, Germany.
2018 “Who Should Have a Say?: Preferences for Differentiated Representation”. Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA.
2018 “Bonus or Burden? Care Work and Job Satisfaction in Eighteen European Countries”, with Naomi Lightman. Annual Conference of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA.
2018 “Who Should Have a Say?: Preferences for Differentiated Representation”. Annual Meeting of the Dutch and Flemish Political Science Associations, Leiden, the Netherlands.
2017 “The Illusion of the Middle Class in Welfare State Politics”, with Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. 24th International Conference of Europeanists, Glasgow, UK.
2017 “Perceived Class Position and the Welfare State”, with Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. Workshop on The Middle Class and the Welfare State, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark.
2016 “Selfish, Good-hearted, or Nasty? Motive Attribution and the Moral Economy of the Welfare State”, with Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA.

- 2016 “How Parties (Do Not) Appeal to Social Groups”, with Alexander Horn, Kees van Kersbergen, and Carsten Jensen. Annual Meeting of the Danish Political Science Association, Vejle, Denmark.
- 2015 “The Special Path? Asymmetric Federalism, Problem Pressure, and the Development of the German Welfare State”, with Alexander Horn. Annual Meeting of the Danish Political Science Association, Kolding, Denmark.
- 2015 “Yardsticks of Inequality”, with Carsten Jensen, Kees van Kersbergen, and Alexander Horn. Twenty-second International Conference of Europeanists, Paris, France.
- 2015 “Inequality, Parties, and Public Opinion”, with Alexander Horn. Network for Political Studies of Inequality Workshop, University of Southern Denmark, Odense, Denmark.
- 2015 “Peeping at the Corpus: What is Really Going on Behind the Equality and Welfare Items of the Manifesto Project?”, with Alexander Horn, Kees van Kersbergen, and Carsten Jensen. Manifesto Project User Conference, Berlin, Germany.
- 2015 “Yardsticks of Inequality”, with Carsten Jensen, Kees van Kersbergen, and Alexander Horn. 27th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, London, England.
- 2015 “The Welfare State, Statecraft, and Migration: Social Policy and Integration in Denmark and Canada”, with Kees van Kersbergen, Carsten Jensen, and Alexander Horn. Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, Ottawa, Canada.

Invited Talks

- 2019 “Public Consultations: Do Weakened Clarity of Responsibility and Increased Perceived Responsiveness Reduce Blame Attribution?”, with Barbara Vis. UvA Experimental Design Group/Hot Politics Lab, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, the Netherlands.
- 2019 “Exploring Voter Reactions to Public Consultations: Race, Issue Publics, and Blame Attribution”. Sociology Colloquium, Tilburg University, Tilburg, the Netherlands.
- 2018 “Immigrant Sentiment and Labour Market Vulnerability: Economic Perceptions of Immigration in Dualized Labour Markets”, with Naomi Lightman. Symposium on Challenges to European Integration: Welfare States and Free Movement in the EU, Leiden University, Leiden, the Netherlands.
- 2017 “Who Should Have a Say?: Preferences for Unequal Representation”. Workshop on Democratic Representation, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark.

Teaching

- Comparative European Politics, Loughborough University (200-level), Fall 2019
- Smart Scholarship, Loughborough University (100-level), Fall 2019
- Political Institutions: Western Countries, the European Union and International Institutions, Aarhus University (200-level), Spring 2016 & 2017
- Social Science Methods for Journalists, Aarhus University (Master), Fall 2016
- Democracy and Representation, Aarhus University (Master), Fall 2015
- Pragmatism and Politics, Aarhus University (Master), Spring 2015
- Politics: Contemporary Europe, McGill University (300-level), Summer & Fall 2013

Professional Training

Methodological Training: Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis (2015); the Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (2013-2014); the Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (2010); McGill University (2008-2010).

Pedagogical Training: Pedagogical Programme for Assistant Professors, Aarhus University (2016-2017); Challenges of the Multicultural Classroom in a Danish Context, Aarhus University (2016).

Language Training: French language course - Advanced (C1) Level, Alliance Française (2018-2019); Certificate of Proficiency in Written French – Workplace Communication, McGill University (2017); Danish language courses, Lærdansk (2014-2016); Explore - French Immersion Program (La Pocatière, Québec), Campus Saint-Jean, University of Alberta (2010).

Software Competencies: Stata; R; Git; Qualtrics; L^AT_EX; Markdown.

Professional Service

Professional Affiliations

- Political Institutions, Behaviour and Decision Making Workshop (2017-2019)
- Network for Political Studies of Inequality (2015-2017)
- Universalism and the Welfare State Research Group, Aarhus University (2014-2017)
- Research Fellow, McGill Institute for Health and Social Policy (2013-2014)
- Student Member, Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (2013-2014)
- Short-term Visitor, European University Institute (2013)

Community Engagement: Research outreach via The Social Policy Blog (2019), The Community Research and Development Information Service (CORDIS) (2019), Le Monde (2019), Discover Society (2019), the Policy & Politics Journal Blog (2019), and the LSE British Politics & Policy Blog (2018); Invited talk at the Department of Health and Care, Aarhus Municipality, Denmark (2015).

Panel Discussant: Annual Meeting of the Dutch and Flemish Political Science Associations (2018); Conference of Europeanists (2017); Annual Meeting of the Danish Political Science Association (2015).

Panel Chair: European Political Science Association (2019).

Association Memberships: Dutch Political Science Association.

Reviewer: American Political Science Review; Bloomsbury I.B. Tauris; British Journal of Political Science; Canadian Public Policy; Comparative Political Studies; European Journal of Political Research; European Political Science Review; European Sociological Review; Governance; International Journal of Comparative Sociology; International Journal of Public Opinion Research; Journal of European Social Policy; Journal of Politics; Journal of Public Policy; Policy Sciences; Political Studies Review; Social Policy & Administration; Socio-Economic Review.

Languages

- English: Native
- French: Advanced (C1)
- Italian: Upper intermediate (B2)
- Danish: Intermediate (B1)

Citizenship: Canadian

References

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