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Academic Positions

Utrecht University (September 2017-)

Marie Curie Research Fellow (Individual Fellowship), School of Governance

Aarhus University (2014-2017)

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

Affiliated with the UNIWEL research project

Education

McGill University (2008-2014)

· Ph.D., Political Science

· Supervisor: Stuart N. Soroka

 Committee Members: Antonia Maioni and Hudson Meadwell London School of Economics and Political Science (2006-2007)

• M.Sc., Comparative Politics (Europe)

York University (2002-2006)

· B.A. (Honours), Political Science and Law & Society

Research Interests

Social Welfare and Healthcare Policy, European Politics, Democratic Representation, Public

Opinion, Inequality.

Grants and

Marie-Skłodowska Curie Individual Fellowship (2017-2019), €165 598

Fellowships

Aarhus University, Small Research Grant (2017), 45 000 DKK, with Carsten Jensen McGill Institute for Health and Social Policy Research Fellowship (2013-2014), \$5 000

Guy Drummond Fellowship (2010-2013), \$37 500

Consortium on Qualitative Research Methods IQMR Funding (2010) Nathan Steinberg Fellowship in Political Science (2008-2010), \$30 000

Provost Graduate Fellowship (2008-2009), \$2 000

**Publications** 

**Books** 

Anthony Kevins. 2017. Expanding Welfare in an Age of Austerity: Increasing Protection in an

Unprotected World, Amsterdam University Press.

Journal Articles (Peer-Reviewed)

Anthony Kevins and Stuart Soroka. Forthcoming. "Growing Apart?: Partisan Sorting in Canada, 1992-2015", Canadian Journal of Political Science.

Alexander Horn and Anthony Kevins. Forthcoming. "Problem Pressure and Social Policy Innovation: Lessons from 19th-Century Germany", *Social Science History*.

Alexander Horn, Anthony Kevins, Kees van Kersbergen, and Carsten Jensen. 2017. "Research note: peeping at the corpus – What is really going on behind the equality and welfare items of the Manifesto project?", *Journal of European Social Policy*, (Online First).

Stuart Soroka, Richard Johnston, Anthony Kevins, Keith Banting, and Will Kymlicka. 2016. "Migration and Welfare State Spending", *European Political Science Review*, 8(2): 173-194.

Anthony Kevins. 2015. "Political Actors and the Extension of Welfare Coverage". Journal of European Social Policy, 25(3): 303-315.

### Ongoing Projects

### **Papers Under Review**

Anthony Kevins. "Dualised Trust?: Risk, social trust, and the welfare state", Revise and Resubmit status, Socio-Economic Review (January 2017).

Anthony Kevins, Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. "Yardsticks of Inequality: Median Voter Preferences for Redistribution in Advanced Democracies", Revise and Resubmit status, Journal of European Social Policy (May 2017).

Anthony Kevins and Kees van Kersbergen. "Universalism as a Tool of Statecraft: The Welfare State and the Challenge of Migration in Canada and Denmark", under review (January 2016).

Anthony Kevins, Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen. "Motive attribution and the moral politics of the welfare state", under review (December 2016).

### **Selected Works in Progress**

"Welfare, Class and Nation: Citizen Preferences in an Era of Turmoil" (book manuscript) with Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen.

"The Selfish Class?: Middle Class Preferences and Universalism", with Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen.

"Workfare and Public Opinion", with Alexander Horn and Kees van Kersbergen.

"How Parties (Do Not) Appeal to Social Groups", with Alexander Horn, Carsten Jensen, and Kees van Kersbergen.

### Conference Papers 2016 (last 5 years)

"Selfish, Good-hearted, or Nasty? Motive Attribution and the Moral Economy of the Welfare State" with Carsten Jensen and Alexander Horn, paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA.

"How Parties (Do Not) Appeal to Social Group" with Alexander Horn, Kees van Kersbergen, and Carsten Jensen, paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Danish Political Science Association, Vejle, Denmark.

#### 2015

"Inequality, Parties, and Public Opinion" with Alexander Horn, paper presented at the Network for Political Studies of Inequality, Odense, Denmark.

"The Special Path? Asymmetric Federalism, Problem Pressure, and the Development of the German Welfare State", with Alexander Horn, paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Danish Political Science Association, Kolding, Denmark.

"Yardsticks of Inequality", with Carsten Jensen, Kees van Kersbergen, and Alexander Horn, paper presented at the Twenty-second International Conference of Europeanists, Paris, France.

"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, paper presented at the Manifesto Project User Conference, Berlin, Germany.

"Yardsticks of Inequality", with Carsten Jensen, Kees van Kersbergen, and Alexander Horn, paper presented at the 27th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, London, England.

"The Welfare State, Statecraft, and Migration: Social Policy and Integration in Denmark and Canada", with Kees van Kersbergen, Carsten Jensen, and Alexander Horn, paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, Ottawa, Canada.

#### 2014

"The Strivers and the Skivers: Public Opinion, Political Discourse, and Changes to Benefit Access", paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, St. Catharines, Canada.

"Redistributive Preferences and Partisan Polarization: Canada in Comparative Perspective", with Stuart Soroka, paper presented at Canadianizing the United States? Public Opinion across the 49th Parallel, Berkeley, CA.

"The Strivers and the Skivers: Public Opinion, Political Discourse, and Changes to Benefit Access", paper presented at the Twenty-first International Conference of Europeanists, Washington, DC.

#### 2013

"Extending and Standardising Care: Healthcare Reform in France and Italy", paper presented at the Twentieth International Conference of Europeanists, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

"Migration and Welfare State Spending", with Stuart Soroka, Richard Johnston, Keith Banting, and Will Kymlicka, paper presented at the Twentieth International Conference of Europeanists, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

"Migration and Welfare State Spending", with Stuart Soroka, Richard Johnston, Keith Banting, and Will Kymlicka, paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political, Victoria, Canada.

"Political Actors and the Extension of Welfare Coverage: Benefits for the Unemployed in France and Italy", paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political, Victoria, Canada.

### 2012

"Migration and Welfare State Spending in OECD Countries", with Keith Banting and Stuart Soroka paper, presented at the Research Committee on Poverty, Social Welfare and Social Policy (RC 19), International Sociological Association, Oslo, Norway.

"Political Actors and the Extension of Welfare Coverage: Unemployment Benefit Reform in France and Italy", paper presented at the Nineteenth International Conference of Europeanists, Boston, MA.

### Teaching Courses Taught

Political Institutions, Aarhus University (200-level); Social Science Methods for Journalists, Aarhus University (Master); Democracy and Representation, Aarhus University (Master); Pragmatism and Politics, Aarhus University (Master); Politics: Contemporary Europe, McGill University (300-level).

### **Pedagogical Training**

Pedagogical Programme for Assistant Professors, Aarhus University (2016-2017)

## Methodological Training

Attended methodological courses and workshops at the Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis (2015), the Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (2010-2014), and the Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (2010).

Proficient in STATA and R.

### Professional Service

#### **Professional Affiliations**

Network for Political Studies of Inequality (2015-present)

Universalism and the Welfare State Research Group, Aarhus University (2014-present)

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)

### **Association Memberships**

American Political Science Association; Council for European Studies; Canadian Political Science Association; Danish Political Science Association.

### **Panel Discussant**

Conference of Europeanists (2017); Annual Meeting of the Danish Political Science Association (2015).

#### Reviewer

Journal of Politics; Socio-Economic Review; Journal of Public Policy.

### **Community Engagement**

Research (with Stuart Soroka) mentioned in The Globe and Mail (2015)

Invited talk at the Department of Health and Care, Aarhus Municipality, Denmark (2015)

#### Languages English: native

French: advanced Italian: advanced

Danish: lower intermediate

### Citizenship Canadian

#### References Stuart Soroka

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