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Education

Pompeu Fabra University

PH.D. IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

- Thesis Project Title: "Are we better? COVID-19 pandemic effects on political attitudes"

Barcelona, Spain

2022-present

Barcelona University

POSTGRADUATE DEGREE IN DATA ANALYSIS

Barcelona, Spain

2021-2022

Barcelona University

MSC IN POLITICAL ANALYSIS AND INSTITUTIONAL ASSESSMENT

- Thesis Title: "The entry of Vox in the Spanish political institutions and its effect on citizens' attitudes towards immigration"

Barcelona, Spain

2020-2021

Girona University

BA IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AND ADMINISTRATION

Girona, Spain

2016-2020

Research interests

- Political behavior
- Public attitudes
- Political parties and radical right parties
- Quantitative methods
- Causal inference
- Quasi-experimental methods

Participation in projects

Pompeu Fabra University

COVIDEU PROJECT

- PI: Dr. Heike Klüver (Humboldt University of Berlin)
- Website: covid.eu

Volkswagen Stiftung

2022-present

Awards and Honors

PhD Workshop Pompeu Fabra University

2ND PLACE BEST POSTER AWARD

- Selected as the second best poster of the first year PhD cohort.

Barcelona, Spain

Mar. 2022

Workshops and conferences

Pompeu Fabra University

RECSM SUMMER METHODS SCHOOL

- Multilevel I: Introduction to Multilevel Models. Instructors: Carla Rampichini and Leonardo Grilli.
- Big Data: Computational analysis of text. Instructor: Carlos Arcila.

Jul. 2022

University of Amsterdam

I PROJECT WORKSHOP

- First Workshop for the COVIDEU Project in Amsterdam.

COVIDEU Project

Jun. 2022

Pompeu Fabra University

VI PHD WORKSHOP ON EMPIRICAL RESEARCH

- Organizer: Dr. Toni Rodon
- Interuniversity PhD Workshop on Empirical Research

COVIDEU Project

Jun. 2022

Publications

Notations:

- #: derived from the candidate's thesis.
- *: derived from the candidate's master's thesis.

WORKING PAPERS

Rodríguez-López, I. (n.d.). *Crises and extremism: How the COVID-19 pandemic has affected support for the radical right.*

* Rodríguez-López, I. (n.d.). *The dangers of legitimization: Radical right party parliamentary entry effects on public attitudes towards immigration.* *

Skills

PROGRAMMING AND LANGUAGE SKILLS

Programming	R (Expert in Data Science)
Markup	Markdown/Rmarkdown, LaTeX
Natural	Spanish (native), Catalan (native), English (proficient), German (basic)

RESEARCH SKILLS

Quantitative Research Regressions, quasi-experiments, natural experiments, Diff-in-Diff, Regression Discontinuity Design