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| **Current Position** | **Hertie School & Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin** <br> Doctoral Researcher, Research Training Group DYNAMICS | *since Sep 2021* |
| **Previous Positions** | **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin & Freie Universität Berlin,** Doctoral Researcher, Cluster of Excellence SCRIPTS | *May 2021 - Jul 2022* |
| | **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin** <br> Student Assistant, Chair of Comparative Political Behavior | *Dec 2016 - Apr 2021* |
| | **Technische Universität Berlin** <br> Student Assistant, Institute of Machine Tools and Production | *May 2015 - Mar 2017* |
| **Education** | **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin** <br> PhD Candidate in Political Science | *since Sep 2021* |
| | **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin** <br> Master's in Social Sciences, *Grade*: 1.0 | *Oct 2019 - May 2021* |
| | **Northwestern University** <br> Exchange Program, Chicago (declined due to pandemic) | *Sep-Dec 2020* |
| | **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin** <br> Bachelor's in Social Sciences, *Grade*: 1.6 | *Oct 2015 - Mar 2019* |
| | **Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)** <br> Exchange Program, Mexico City | *Aug–Dec 2017* |
| | **Technische Universität Berlin,** <br> Bachelor's in Industrial Engineering and Management, *Grade*: 2.3 | *Oct 2011 - Jul 2015* |
| **Projects** | **Group Appeals towards Women on Facebook: Evidence from the 2019 EP elections** (presented at EPSA 2022) | *2022* |
| | **Issue Competition between Elections** <br> with Lukas F. Stoetzer, and Heike Klüver | *2022* |
| | **Buying Voter Support for Unpopular Policies: Evidence from German Nuclear Power Plants** <br> with António Valentim, and Heike Klüver | *2022* |
| | **The PARTYPRESS Database: A new Comparative Database of Parties' Press Releases (GitHub)** <br> with Heike Klüver and Lukas F. Stoetzer (presented at EPSA 2022) | *2022* |
| | **Election Dataset Germany 1953-2017 (GitHub)** <br> County-level results made comparable over time using geodata | *2021* |
| | **erststimme2017.de** Prediction of the district vote at the German Elections | *2017* |

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| **Conference presentations** | EPSA[2022] | |
| **Service to the discipline** | Reviewer for *The Journal of Politics*, Student Representative DYNAMICS Research Training Group 2022-2023 | |
| **Scholarships** | Fulbright Travel Grant (declined/pandemic) (EUR ~2,000) | *2020* |
| | DAAD Promos Scholarship USA (declined/pandemic) (EUR ~3,000) | *2020* |
| | DAAD Promos Scholarship Mexico (EUR ~3,000) | *2017* |
| **Teaching** | Comparative Politics and International Relations (BA) | *WS 2022/23* |

**Additional training**

**Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis** — *2022*
*Causal Inference and Experiments in the Social Sciences,*
by Prof. Ryan T. Moore, PhD (American University)

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| *Online Experiments*, by Dr. Amalia Alvarez-Benjumea (MPI) | *2021* |
| *Survey Experiments*, by Sofia Breitenstein (UAB) | *2021* |
| *Spatial Data Analysis*, by Prof. Dr. Karsten Donnay (UZH) | *2021* |
| *Beyond Counting Words: Working with Word Embeddings,* | *2021* |
| by Prof. Dr. Damian Trilling (UvA) | |

**Languages**

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| **German** | Mother tongue |
| **English** | Advanced (TOEFL iBT: 108) |
| **Spanish** | Fluent (UNIcert II) |
| **Latin and Ancient Greek** | 9 and 6 years of classes |

**Software skills**

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| **Programming** | R, Python, Stata |
| **Text processing** | LaTeX, MS Office |
| **Other technical skills** | Webscraping, Data Visualization, Quantitative Text Analysis, Automated Image Analysis |

Last updated November 11, 2022.