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RESEARCH INTERESTS	My substantive work is characterized by comparative perspectives on the political economy of political preferences, voting behavior, and political competition in consolidated multiparty democracies. My methodological interests include hierarchical and measurement models, data visualization, strategies for causal identification, and Bayesian statistics.	
CURRENT POSITION	<b>Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES)</b> , Mannheim, Germany Postdoctoral Fellow, Data and Methods Unit 09/2018 -	
EDUCATION	<b>Humboldt University of Berlin</b> , Berlin, Germany Ph.D. in Political Science, Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences (BGSS) 10/2014 - 08/2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thesis Title: <i>When Supply Meets Demand: Context-Dependent Mechanisms of Radical Right Voting.</i></li> <li>• Committee: Prof. Dr. Heike Klüver (supervisor), Prof. Ellen M. Immergut, PhD (co-supervisor), and Prof. Daniel Stegmüller, PhD (external committee member, Duke University)</li> <li>• Grade: summa cum laude</li> </ul> <b>Princeton University</b> , Princeton, NJ, United States Visiting Graduate Student, Princeton-Humboldt Exchange, 09/2015 - 05/2016 Department of Politics. Faculty Sponsor: Prof. Kosuke Imai. <b>University of Essex</b> , Colchester, Essex, United Kingdom M.Sc. Political Economy 10/2013 - 09/2014 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thesis Title: <i>Reproachful or Indifferent? Changes in Incumbent Party Support after the 2007 German Pension Reform.</i></li> <li>• Supervisor: Daniel Stegmüller, PhD</li> </ul> <b>Humboldt University of Berlin</b> , Berlin, Germany M.A. Social Sciences (temporarily enrolled) 04/2013 - 09/2013 B.A. Social Sciences 10/2009 - 03/2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thesis Title: <i>Radical Right Party Voting in Western Europe. Examining interactions between individual-level and party-level characteristics.</i></li> <li>• Supervisors: Prof. Ellen M. Immergut, PhD and Konstantin Vössing, PhD</li> </ul> <b>University of California at Berkeley</b> , Berkeley, CA, United States Undergraduate exchange student, Charles and Louise Travers Department of Political Science. 08/2011 - 05/2012	
JOURNAL ARTICLES	[2] Tarik Abou-Chadi, Denis Cohen, and Markus Wagner. 2020. "The Centre-Right versus the Radical Right: The Role of Migration Issues and Economic Grievances." Conditionally accepted at <i>Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies</i> . [1] Denis Cohen. 2019. "Between Strategy and Protest. How Policy Demand, Political Dissatisfaction, and Strategic Incentives Matter for Far Right Voting." <i>Political Science Research and Methods</i> . Online First.	

- BOOK CHAPTERS [1] Denis Cohen. 2020b. “Ökonomisches Risiko und die elektorale Anziehungskraft der AfD [Economic Risk and the Electoral Appeal of the AfD].” in *Wahlen und Wähler. Analysen aus Anlass der Bundestagswahl 2017*. Edited by Harald Schoen and Bernhard Weßels. Wiesbaden: Springer VS. Forthcoming.
- MONOGRAPHS [2] Paul C. Bauer and Denis Cohen. n.d. *Applied Causal Inference (with R)*. Chapman & Hall/CRC. Under contract, expected completion 2022.
- [1] Denis Cohen. 2018. “When Supply Meets Demand: Context-Dependent Mechanisms of Radical Right Voting.” Ph.D. Thesis, Humboldt University of Berlin.
- UNDER REVIEW [1] Werner Krause, Denis Cohen, and Tarik Abou-Chadi. 2020. “Does Accommodation Work? Mainstream Party Strategies and the Success of Radical Right Parties.” Under review.
- WORKING PAPERS [6] Denis Cohen. n.d. *Economic Risk, Anti-Immigration Preferences, and Voting for the Radical Right*. Manuscript.
- [5] Denis Cohen. n.d. *Why We Shouldn't Use 83.4% Confidence Intervals*. Manuscript.
- [4] Denis Cohen, Werner Krause and Tarik Abou-Chadi. n.d. *How To Model Multi-Party Competition in a Transforming Political Space?*. Conference Paper.
- [3] Denis Cohen. n.d. *Risk Dynamics: Economic Trajectories and Political Reactions*. Conference Paper.
- [2] Denis Cohen and Jochen Rehmert. n.d. *Gender, Candidate Nomination, and Voter Support*. Conference Paper.
- [1] Denis Cohen and Jochen Rehmert. n.d. *Public Support for Gender Equality and the Nomination of Female Candidates: Evidence from the UK, 1992-2017*. Conference Paper.
- IN PROGRESS [2] Tarik Abou-Chadi, Denis Cohen and Thomas Kurer. n.d. *Local Housing Markets, Rent Loads, and Party Preferences*. Manuscript in preparation.
- [1] Denis Cohen and Sergi Pardos-Prado. n.d. *Regional Labor Markets and the Politics of Resentment*. Manuscript in preparation.
- GRANT PROPOSAL [1] Denis Cohen. n.d. *Political Reactions to Local Housing Market Dynamics*. Grant Proposal, in preparation.
- WEB PUBLICATIONS [5] Denis Cohen, Cosima Meyer, Marcel Neunhoeffler, and Oliver Rittmann. 2020. “Efficient Data Management in R.” in *Methods Bites. Blog of the MZES Social Science Data Lab*. Blog post.
- [4] Denis Cohen. 2020a. “Applied Bayesian Statistics Using Stan and R.” in *Methods Bites. Blog of the MZES Social Science Data Lab*. Blog post.
- [3] Denis Cohen, Nick Baumann, and Simon Munzert. 2019. “Studying Politics on and with Wikipedia.” In *Methods Bites. Blog of the MZES Social Science Data Lab*. Blog post.
- [2] Denis Cohen and Simon Kühne. 2019. “Collecting and Analyzing Twitter Data Using R.” in *Methods Bites. Blog of the MZES Social Science Data Lab*. Blog post.
- [1] Julian Bernauer, Denis Cohen, Cosima Meyer, and Nick Baumann. 2019. *Methods Bites. Blog of the MZES Social Science Data Lab*. Web site.

PAST ACADEMIC POSITIONS	Research Associate, Chair for the Comparative Analysis of Political Systems, Department of Social Sciences, HU Berlin	10/2017 - 08/2018
	Teaching assistant, <i>Applied Data Analysis</i> by Prof. Mark A. Kayser, PhD Hertie School of Governance, Berlin	09/2016 - 12/2016
	Teaching assistant, <i>Hierarchical Models</i> by Prof. Jeff Gill, PhD Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis	08/2015, 08/2016
	Teaching assistant, <i>Stata &amp; Math Bootcamp Programme</i> by Dr. Alejandro Quiroz Flores Department of Government, University of Essex	10/2014
	Research assistant, DFG project 'The Impact of Electoral Vulnerability on Policy Recalibration' at the Chair for the Comparative Analysis of Political Systems. Department of Social Sciences, HU Berlin	04/2013 - 08/2013
	Research assistant, Chair for the Comparative Analysis of Political Systems. Department of Social Sciences, HU Berlin	10/2012 - 03/2013
	Teaching assistant, <i>Statistics I + II</i> by Prof. Dr. Martin Groß Research and Teaching Unit for Empirical Social Research. Department of Social Sciences, Humboldt University of Berlin	10/2010 - 07/2011
TEACHING	<i>Lecture Multivariate Analysis.</i> Graduate class (2 hrs/week), University of Mannheim.	09/2020 - 12/2020
	<i>Efficient Data Management in R.</i> (with Cosima Meyer, Marcel Neunhoeffer and Oliver Rittmann) Workshop (90 min), MZES Social Science Data Lab.	02/2020
	<i>Tutorial Multivariate Analysis.</i> Graduate class (2 hrs/week), University of Mannheim.	09/2019 - 12/2019
	<i>Introduction to the Potential Outcomes Framework.</i> Workshop (90 min), MZES Social Science Data Lab.	09/2019
	<i>Sociostructural Explanations of Political Behavior.</i> Undergraduate seminar (2 hrs/week), University of Mannheim.	02/2019 - 05/2019
	<i>Applied Bayesian Statistics Using Stan and R.</i> Workshop (90 min), MZES Social Science Data Lab.	04/2019
	<i>Introduction to R.</i> (with Julian Bernauer) Workshop (90 min), MZES Social Science Data Lab.	12/2018
	<i>Explaining Political Preferences – Theory, Empirics &amp; Applications.</i> Undergraduate specialization module (4 hrs/week), HU Berlin.	04/2018 - 09/2018
	<i>Explaining Electoral Support for Far Right Parties.</i> Undergraduate seminar (2 hrs/week), HU Berlin.	10/2017 - 03/2018
	<i>Grundkurs Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft und Internationale Beziehungen</i> (Introduction to Comparative Politics and International Relations). Undergraduate seminar (2 hrs/week), HU Berlin.	10/2017 - 03/2018

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS	MZES grant for the organization of a local conference “The Political and Societal Consequences of Status Volatility” (with Jennifer Shore), 10,000€. Workshop postponed due to COVID-19.	2020
	Doctoral fellowship, Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences.	10/2014 - 09/2017
	Travel grant, ECPR General Conference 2017 in Oslo, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD).	09/2017
	Research grant, EUROFORT Princeton-Humboldt Strategic Research Partnership, Cluster 2 (Immigration).	10/2015 - 01/2016
	Travel grant, Princeton Annual Workshop on European Integration, EUROFORT Princeton-Humboldt Strategic Research Partnership	05/2015
	Student fellowship, Heinrich Böll Foundation	10/2010 - 09/2014
	Student fellowship, German National Academic Foundation	10/2010 - 09/2014
CONFERENCE PARTICIPATIONS	Virtual Workshop <i>Social Status and the Transformation of Electoral Behavior in Western Europe</i> , University of Zurich, Switzerland.	10/2020
	ECPR Virtual Conference. <sup>P</sup>	08/2020
	Workshop <i>Recent Developments of Spatial Models of Party Competition</i> , Mannheim, Germany. <sup>P</sup>	07/2019
	EPSA Annual Conference, Belfast, UK. <sup>P,d</sup>	06/2019
	Jahrestagung AK Wahlen, Mannheim, Germany. <sup>P</sup>	05/2019
	Dreiländertagung DVPW/SVPW/GPW, Zurich, Switzerland. <sup>P</sup>	02/2019
	EPSA Annual Conference, Vienna, Austria. <sup>P,d</sup>	06/2018
	Workshop <i>Political Economy in the Computational Age</i> , Berlin, Germany. <sup>P</sup>	06/2018
	Graduate Network Conference, Berlin, Germany. <sup>P,d</sup>	03/2018
	ECPR General Conference, Oslo, Norway. <sup>P,d,c</sup>	09/2017
	EPSA Annual Conference, Milan, Italy. <sup>P,d,c</sup>	06/2017
	EPSA Annual Conference, Brussels, Belgium. <sup>P,d,c</sup>	06/2016
	MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, United States. <sup>P,d</sup>	04/2016
	Graduate Network Conference, Florence, Italy. <sup>P,d</sup>	03/2015
	ECPR Graduate Student Conference, Innsbruck, Austria. <sup>P</sup>	07/2014
<sup>P</sup> Presenter, <sup>d</sup> Discussant, <sup>c</sup> Panel Chair		
MEMBERSHIPS	European Political Science Association (EPSA) Deutsche Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaft (DVPW) Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)	
REVIEWER	American Political Science Review	2018
	British Journal of Political Science	2020
	Comparative European Politics	2020
	Comparative Politics	2019
	Electoral Studies	2020
	European Union Politics	2020 (SI)
	Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties	2019
	Research and Politics	2019 (2), 2020 (2)
	Political Research Exchange	2020

OTHER SERVICE	MZES Deputy Equal Opportunities Representative	2019-2021
ADDITIONAL TRAINING	<i>Causal Identification</i> by James Lo, PhD. Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis. Colchester, Essex, United Kingdom.	08/2016
	<i>Pooled Time-Series Cross-Sectional Analysis</i> by Robert W. Walker, PhD. Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis. Colchester, Essex, United Kingdom.	08/2015
	<i>Qualitative Comparative Analysis</i> by Markus Siewert and Jonas Buche. BGSS, Berlin, Germany.	04/2015
	<i>Structural Equations and Causal Models</i> by Prof. Dr. Peter Schmidt. Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis. Colchester, Essex, United Kingdom.	08/2014
	<i>Modeling Heterogeneity</i> by Daniel Stegmüller, PhD. Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis. Colchester, Essex, United Kingdom.	08/2014
	Advanced Methods Workshop <i>Inequality and Politics</i> by Philipp Rehm, PhD. BGSS, Berlin, Germany.	07/2014
	<i>Multilevel Modeling</i> by Andrew Fullerton, PhD. WZB Berlin, Germany.	12/2012
SKILLS	Languages: German (native), English (fluent), French (moderate), Spanish (moderate) Software: <b>R</b> , Stan, BUGS/JAGS, Stata, Unix, HTML/CSS, Office, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X	