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Education

Doctoral Studies

Research Fellow and Doctoral Candidate, since October 2018
Dissertation Project: *The Effect of Polarization on Voter Mobilization in Democracies*
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Heike Klüver, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Member of the Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences, since October 2018

Member of the Research Training Group "DYNAMICS", since September 2019

Master

M.A. Political Science, University of Potsdam, September 2018
Thesis Title: *Do pre-electoral coalitions explain voter behavior in democracies?*

Exchange Semester (incl. Fulbright Commission travel grant):
Graduate Program at the Political Science Department, Duke University, August - December 2017

Bachelor

B.A. Politics, Administration and Organization, University of Potsdam, 2016

Exchange Semester:
Political Science Department, Bogazici University Istanbul, September 2014 - January 2015

Working Papers

Coalition cabinets, radical right parties and government policy: Why coalition governments go tough on immigration

With Heike Klüver (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)
Presented 2019 at EPSA; DVPW Conference on Parliamentarism

Ethnic Discrimination and the Role of Partisanship in Legislator-Constituent Communication: Experimental evidence from Germany

With Jeyhun Alizade (Princeton University)
Presented 2019 at Freie Universität Berlin; Hertie School; Conference on Political Elites

Work in Progress

The Political Effects of Local Newspaper Decline

With Hanno Hilbig, Sascha Riaz (Harvard University), Philipp Tillmann (Analysis Group)

Policy-making in coalition governments: Intra-cabinet conflict, coalition agreements and legislative activity

With Anthea Alberto, Heike Klüver (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)

Fields of Interest

Comparative Politics, Individual Political Behavior, and Causal Inference:
Party Competition and Coalition Governance; Participation and Representation in Democracies; Origins and
Consequences of Polarisation

Prior Employment

Teaching Assistant

Prof. Mark Kayser, PhD, Professor of Applied Methods and Comparative Politics at Hertie School. Statistics 1:
Descriptives, Inference, and Regression. September - December 2019.

Student Assistant

Manifesto Project at WZB Berlin Social Science Center. November 2015 - September 2018

Prof. Dr. Ganghof, Chair of Comparative Politics, University of Potsdam. April 2015 - July 2017

Professional

Bertelsmann Foundation, Project Future of Democracy: "Policy Evaluation of the Grand Coalition", Gütersloh,
Germany. May - September 2017

Voluntary Internship, Department of Construction, Urban and Economic Development,
Municipality of Berlin-Spandau, Germany. January - March 2015

Public opinion polling Infratel for Infratest dimap, Berlin, Germany. October - December 2012

Extracurricular Activity

ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques 2019
Focus: Python, Web Scraping, Experimental Research Design

Participation in WZB's R-Learning Group
Held by Jirka Lewandowski (Data Scientist Manifesto Project)

Participation in Young Researcher Workshop at BGSS-Berlin
Held by Herbert Kitschelt (Duke University)

Participation in Quanteda - Introduction to Quantitative Text Analysis Workshop at WZB Berlin
Held by Kohai Watanabe (LSE) and Stefan Müller (Trinity College Dublin)

Skills

Languages

German (Native)

English (Fluent)

(112/120 TOEFL ibt (tested 01.2017); 12 years of tuition)

French (Basic)

(DELF-Certificates up to B1; 8 years of tuition)

Technical

R and Stata

- Frequentist Statistical Analyses
- Experimental Analyses
- Quantitative Text Analyses
- Webscraping & Automated Data Collection

LaTeX and Markdown

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