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CURRENT POSITION

Post-doctoral Researcher — 01/2022 – present
University of Cologne, Cologne Center for Comparative Politics — *Cologne, Germany*
· researcher in Prof. Sven-Oliver Proksch's ERC-funded MINORITYRULE project

EDUCATION

Structured Doctoral Program Political Science — 05/2018 – 03/2022
University of Zurich — *Zurich, Switzerland*
Supervisor: Prof. Tarik Abou-Chadi
· Thesis "Harnessing large, diverse, and multilingual text data in party competition research"
· defended in January 2022 with *summa cum laude*

Visiting Ph.D. Researcher — 09/2020 – 12/2020
Hertie School of Governance — *Berlin, Germany*

M.A. International Relations — 10/2014 – 04/2018
Freie Universität Berlin, Humboldt University Berlin, University of Potsdam — *Berlin, Germany*

Visiting student, Graduate Studies in Political Science — 08/2015 – 05/2016
Duke University — *Durham, NC, USA*

B.A. Social Sciences — 09/2011 – 09/2014
Humboldt University Berlin — *Berlin, Germany*

ERASMUS student, B.A. Peace and Development Studies — 09/2013 – 01/2014
Uppsala University — *Uppsala, Sweden*

WORKING PAPERS

Hauke Licht. **Cross-lingual classification of political texts using multilingual embeddings**. Revise and resubmit at *Political Analysis*.

Hauke Licht, Tarik Abou-Chadi, Pablo Barberá, and Whitney Hua. **Measuring parties' rhetorical strategies at scale using social media text**. Under review at *Journal of Politics*.

Hauke Licht. **The good ones into the pot, the bad ones into the crop: Corpus selection in social media texts**.

Jonathan Slapin, Julia Maynard, Maria Fanou, Denise Traber, Panos Kapotas, Vassilis Tzevelekos, Kushtrim Istrefi, *Hauke Licht*, and Nicole Baerg. **Decision-making in the European Court of Human Rights: Quantifying the European Consensus method**.

WORK IN PROGRESS

Going cross-lingual: A guide to multilingual quantitative text analysis
with Fabienne Lind

Who are you talking to? Automated measurement of group appeals in political texts
with Ronja Sczepanksi

"Clutter:" How much information do party manifestos contain?
with Daniel Bischof and Denise Traber

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

American Political Science Association	2021, 2019
European Political Science Association	2021
PolMeth Europe	2021
Swiss Political Science Association	2021, 2020

SUMMER AND WINTER SCHOOL PARTICIPATION

Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis   08/2020
Department of Government, University of Essex
· *Quantitative Methods for Causal Inference and Policy Evaluation*

ECPR Summer School on Political Parties   08/2019
Department of Political Science, University of Aarhus

ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques   02/2019
University of Bamberg
· *Introduction to Bayesian Inference*
· *Automated Web Data Collection with R*

TEACHING

Automated Web Data Collection   09/2021
co-taught with Theresa Gessler
GESIS Fall Seminar in Computational Social Science 2021

Tutor to the lecture "Theories and Systems"   03/2019 − 05/2020
University of Zurich, Department of Political Science

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Data Analyst   03/2017 − 09/2017
German Social Democratic Party, Federal Party Executive   *Berlin, Germany*
Section for Databased Campaigning/Analytics

Student Assistant   08/2016 − 03/2017
German Social Democratic Party, Federal Party Executive   *Berlin, Germany*
Section for Databased Campaigning/Analytics

Research Assistant   05/2015 – 10/2016
Humboldt University Berlin, Chair of Comparative Politics   *Berlin, Germany*
NORFACE project "The Paradox of Health Care Futures HEALTHDOX"

Research Assistant   02/2014 – 10/2016
Humboldt University Berlin, Chair of Comparative Politics   *Berlin, Germany*
DFG project "The Impact of Electoral Vulnerability on Institutional Change"

Teaching Assistant/Tutor   10/2012 – 10/2013
Humboldt University Berlin, Chair of Empirical Social Research   *Berlin, Germany*

LANGUAGES AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages	German (mother tongue), English (fluent)
Programming Languages	R, Python, SQL, shell/bash, JavaScript/ReactJS (novice)

ACADEMIC REFERENCES

Sven-Oliver Proksch — `so.proksch@uni-koeln.de`
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