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WORKING PAPERS

The Choice Between Presidential and Parliamentary Regimes

LSE Review of Books

Available here.

Agenda Control in the European Parliament

Presented at the ECPR Joint Sessions Workshop and the EPSA General Conference

Available on request

2012

BOOK REVIEWS

The Choice Between Presidential and Parliamentary Regimes

LSE Review of Books

Available here.

2012

EDUCATION

PhD Candidate, Political Science

London School of Economics and Political Science

Proposed thesis topic: The Determinants of Party Unity in Democratic Legislatures

Master of Philosophy, European Politics and Society

University of Oxford

2010 - 2012

Distinction

Thesis: Agenda Control and Party Cohesion in the European Parliament

Thesis Grade: 80

Bachelor of Science, Government

London School of Economics and Political Science

1st Class Honours

Thesis: Democratic Accountability in the European Union: The EU as a Hybrid Regime

Thesis Grade: 80

2012 - Present

2010 - 2012

2006 - 2009

EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

Dr Radoslaw Zubek, University of Oxford

• Researched and wrote a report on manifestations of agenda control in the rules of procedure and standing orders for the UK House of Commons and the Dáil Éireann.

Researcher

The Childrens Media Foundation

• Author of the report “Children’s Media Regulations: A report into state provisions for the protection and promotion of home-grown children’s media”, available here.

2011

2010

METHODS TRAINING

Applied Statistics for Political Scientists

Intermediate Social Statistics

Multilevel Modelling

Introduction to L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

2011

2011

2011

2011

COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages & Software: STATA, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

Harold Laski Scholarship, LSE

Departmental prize for best overall results in second year (£250)

2008

<i>Kelly Black-Iwaskow Prize, LSE</i>	2009
Departmental prize for best final year dissertation (£1000)	
<i>Basset Memorial Prize, LSE</i>	2009
Departmental prize for best overall degree results (£200)	
<i>Economic and Social Research Council 1+3 studentship</i>	2010 - 2014
Yearly award of tuition and college fees, plus maintenance of (£13,590)	
<i>ESRC Advanced Quantitative Methods Enhanced Stipend</i>	2011 - 2014
(£3,000 yearly)	

**ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES**      Convener, Current Research in EU Politics Seminar Series, University of Oxford  
Arts Columnist, A Younger Theatre, [ayoungertheatre.com](http://ayoungertheatre.com)

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London School of Economics and Political Science  
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