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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

#### *University College London*

- Associate Professor, Department of Political Science 2021 –
- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science 2017 – 2021

#### *London School of Economics*

- Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Methodology 2016 – 2017
- Fellow, Department of Government 2015 – 2016

### NON-ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

*UKRI Policy Fellow* 2023 – 2024  
UK Cabinet Office Evaluation Task Force

*Panel Member* 2019 –  
UK Cabinet Office What Works Trial Advice Panel

*Data Science Advisor* 2017 – 2020  
YouGov

### EDUCATION

*PhD, Political Science* 2012 - 2016  
London School of Economics and Political Science

*Visiting Scholar, Government Department and IQSS* 2014  
Harvard University

*Master of Philosophy, European Politics and Society* 2010 - 2012  
University of Oxford

*Bachelor of Science, Government* 2006 - 2009  
London School of Economics and Political Science

### FUNDING AND AWARDS

*UKRI Cabinet Office Data and Evaluation Policy Fellowship (£140,081)* 2023 - 2024  
*Leverhulme Research Fellowship (£59,917)* 2021 - 2022  
*British Academy/Leverhulme Small Research Grant (£10,000)* 2021 - 2022  
*UCL Dean's Strategic Fund (£2,500)* 2021  
*UCL Department of Political Science Research Fund (£5,000)* 2021  
*UCL Dean's Strategic Fund (£2,500)* 2020

ESRC Future Research Leaders Scheme (£184,857)	2016 - 2018
ESRC Overseas Institutional Visit Scheme (Harvard) (£3000)	2014
Electoral Reform Society (£10,000)	2013
ESRC 1+3 studentship (£46,770)	2010 - 2014
ESRC Advanced Quantitative Methods Stipend (£9,000)	2011 - 2014
Outstanding paper - ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops (€1,000)	2012
Kelly Black-Iwaskow Prize, LSE (£1000)	2009
Basset Memorial Prize, LSE (£200)	2009
Harold Laski Scholarship, LSE (£250)	2008

## TEACHING

I am a [Fellow of the Higher Education Academy](#).

<a href="#">Quantitative Text Analysis for Social Science</a> , UCL	2017–Present
<a href="#">Causal Inference for Public Policy</a> , UCL	2017–Present
<a href="#">Introduction to Quantitative Methods</a> , UCL	2017–2021
<a href="#">Applied Regression Analysis</a> , LSE	2014–2016
<a href="#">Introduction to Data Science and Big Data Analytics</a> , LSE	2016–Present
<a href="#">Introduction to Political Science</a> , LSE	2014
<a href="#">Applied Statistical Computing</a> , LSE	2014

I have supervised, or currently am supervising, the following PhD students:

- Lotte Hargrave (UCL, completed 2022)
- Michael Jacobs (UCL, ongoing)
- David Graham (UCL, ongoing)
- Lea Weidmann (London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, ongoing)

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer: *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Political Science Review*; *Journal of Politics*; *British Journal of Political Science*; *Journal of Legislative Studies*; *Journal of Peace Research*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Legislative Studies Quarterly*; *Applied Geography*; *Comparative Political Studies*; *European Journal of Political Research*; *Electoral Studies*; *Political Analysis*; *Political Behaviour*; *Science Advances*; *British Journal of Politics and International Relations*; *Comparative Political Studies*; *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society*; *Research and Politics*

## ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Convener, Political Campaigning, Messaging and Rhetoric Workshop, UCL  
 Convener, Applied Quantitative Text Analysis Conference, LSE  
 Co-Convener, Political Science and Political Economy Doctoral Workshop, LSE  
 Co-Convener, Current Research in EU Politics Seminar Series, University of Oxford  
 Actor, Various. IMDB page [here](#)