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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

## Rice University, Houston, TX

2018 - present

Assistant Professor of Political Science

**EDUCATION** 

## Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO

2013 - 2018

PhD Political Science AM Political Science

• Fields: Comparative Politics, Political Methodology

• Committee: Margit Tavits, Jeff Gill, Michael Bechtel, Matthew Gabel, Betsy Sinclair

## Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

January - June 2018

Visiting student

- Pre-Doctoral Research Fellow, Institute for Quantitative Social Science (IQSS)
- Teaching Fellow, Department of Government

## University of Essex, Colchester, UK

2011 - 2013

MRes Politics (with distinction)

## Freie Universität Berlin, Berlin, Germany

2008 - 2011

BA Political Science (equivalent to distinction)

Erasmus exchange student at the University of Essex (2010-2011)

ARTICLES

Homola, Jonathan. Forthcoming. "The Effects of Women's Descriptive Representation on Government Behavior." *Legislative Studies Quarterly*.

Homola, Jonathan, Jon C. Rogowski, Betsy Sinclair, Michelle Torres, Patrick D. Tucker, and Steven W. Webster. Forthcoming. "Through the Ideology of the Beholder: How Ideology Shapes Perceptions of Partisan Groups." *Political Science Research and Methods*.

Homola, Jonathan. 2021. "Partisanship and Perceived Threats about Immigration." Party Politics 27: 977-982.

Homola, Jonathan, Miguel M. Pereira, and Margit Tavits. 2020. "Legacies of the Third Reich: Concentration Camps and Outgroup Intolerance." *American Political Science Review* 114: 573-590.

Homola, Jonathan. 2019. "Are Parties Equally Responsive to Women and Men?" British Journal of Political Science 49: 957-975.

Homola, Jonathan, and Margit Tavits. 2018. "Contact Reduces Immigration-Related Fears for Leftist but Not for Rightist Voters." Comparative Political Studies 51: 1789-1820.

Boston, Joshua, Jonathan Homola, Betsy Sinclair, Michelle Torres, and Patrick Tucker. 2018. "The Dynamic Relationship between Personality Stability and Political Attitudes." *Public Opinion Quarterly* 82: 843-865.

Butler, Daniel M., and Jonathan Homola. 2017. "An Empirical Justification for the Use of Racially Distinctive Names to Signal Race in Experiments." *Political Analysis* 25: 122-130.

Homola, Jonathan, Natalie Jackson, and Jeff Gill. 2016. "A Measure of Survey Mode Differences." *Electoral Studies* 44: 255-274.

Ezrow, Lawrence, Jonathan Homola, and Margit Tavits. 2014. "When Extremism Pays: Policy Positions, Voter Certainty, and Party Support in Postcommunist Europe." *Journal of Politics* 76: 535-547.

Ezrow, Lawrence, Margit Tavits, and Jonathan Homola. 2014. "Voter Polarization, Strength of Partisanship, and Support for Extremist Parties." Comparative Political Studies 47: 1558-1583.

Budge, Ian, and Jonathan Homola. 2012. "How Far Have European Political Parties Followed the Americans to the Right in the Later Post-War Period? A Textual Analysis." Cambio 2: 71-86.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Gill, Jeff, and Jonathan Homola. 2018. "Issues in Polling Methodologies: Inference and Uncertainty." In: Lonna Rae Atkinson and R. Michael Alvarez (eds.): *The Oxford Handbook of Polling and Polling Methods*. Oxford: Oxford University Press: 275-298.

Working Papers

Alizade, Jeyhun, Rafaela Dancygier, and Jonathan Homola. "Structures of Bias: How the State Systematically Downplays Right-Wing Extremism." *Under review*.

Dassonneville, Ruth, Nadjim Fréchet, Alexandra Jabbour, Benjamin Ferland, and Jonathan Homola. "Are Parties Still Responsive to Public Opinion?" *Under review*.

López Álvarez, Santiago, and Jonathan Homola. "More Bullets, More Doves? The Impact of Violence on Political Behavior." *Under review*.

Tavits, Margit, Petra Schleiter, Jonathan Homola, and Dalston Ward. "Fathers' leave increases attitudinal gender equality." *Under review*.

Homola, Jonathan. "The Political Consequences of Group-Based Identities." Draft available.

Homola, Jonathan, and Jeff Gill. "A Flexible Class of Bayesian Frailty Models For Political Science Data." *Draft available*.

Homola, Jonathan, Miguel M. Pereira, and Margit Tavits. "Spatial Heterogeneity, Fixed Effects, and a Legacy of Post-Treatment Bias." OSF Preprint, DOI: 10.31219/osf.io/b945a.

Etchevarren Acquarone, Iris, and Jonathan Homola. "Closer to You? Candidate Gender and Proximity Voting." Work in progress.

Homola, Jonathan, Connor Huff, Yui Nishimura, and Amorae Times. "The Gendered Legacies of the US West and Military Enlistment Behavior." *Proposal Accepted for Special Issue, Journal of Historical Political Economy.* 

Torres, Michelle, and Jonathan Homola. "The Shades and Shapes of the Pink Wave: Visual Perspectives of the Women's March." Work in progress.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION **2021**: APSA; MPSA **2020**: APSA; MPSA\* 2019: APSA; MPSA; Gender, Politics, and Quantitative Methods Workshop

2018: APSA; PolMeth

2017: APSA; MPSA; SLAMM!; Penn Historical Women's Movements Workshop; PolMeth

2016: APSA; MPSA; PolMeth

2015: APSA; EPSA; MPSA; SLAMM!; Manifesto Project User Conference

2014: APSA; EPSA; MPSA; SLAMM!; Behavioral Models of Politics Conference

**2013**: EPSA: MPSA

**2012**: EPSA

INVITED TALKS

2021: University of Texas at Austin, Université de Montréal

2020: University of Oxford, University of Houston

2019: Princeton University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## Rice University, Houston, TX

**2018** - present

Instructor

- Undergraduate level: Introduction to Comparative Politics, Western European Democracies, Parties & Voting Behavior
- Graduate level: Representation in Contemporary Democracies, Seminar in Comparative Politics

### Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

2018

Teaching Fellow

• Courses: Bayesian Hierarchical Models (Jeff Gill)

## Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO

2014 - 2017

Instructor

• Introduction to (Statistical) Programming with R

Teaching Assistant

• Courses: Introduction to Comparative Politics (Brian Crisp), Public Policy Analysis (Daniel Butler), The Legislative Process (Daniel Butler), Generalized Linear Models (Jeff Gill), Applied Statistical Programming (Jacob Montgomery), Longitudinal and Event History Models for the Social and Political Sciences (Jeff Gill), Texts as Data (Justin Grimmer)

#### University of Essex, Colchester, UK

2013 - 2014

Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis

• Teaching Assistant for "Introduction to Stata" (René Lindstädt)

Additional Training

## Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO

Introduction to Python (3 weeks, Matthew C. Dickenson)

2014

### University of Essex, Colchester, UK

Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis

- Courses: Discrete Choice Models (Garrett Glasgow), Selection and Strategic Models (Curtis S. Signorino), Structural Equation Models (William R. Clark)

  2013
- Courses: Advanced Quantitative Data Analysis (Vera Tröger), Multilevel Analysis with Applications (Kelvyn Jones), Survival Analysis (Priscila Ferreira), Mathematics for Social Scientists II & III (Chris Saker)
   2012
- Courses: Introduction to Time Series Regression Analysis (Marco G. Ercolani), Mathematics for Social Scientists I (Chris Saker)

  2011

Work	Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO	
EXPERIENCE	Research Assistant for Margit Tavits	2013 - 2014
	University of Essex, Colchester, UK	
	Research Assistant for Lawrence Ezrow	2012 - 2013
	Research Assistant for David Reinstein	2012 - 2013
	Research Assistant for David Sanders and Thomas Scotto	2010 - 2011
	Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB), Berlin, Germany Student Assistant for the Manifesto-Project	2009 - 2011

#### Software

#### BaM (author)

The BaM R package provides functions and datasets for Jeff Gill's "Bayesian Methods: A Social and Behavioral Sciences Approach",  $1^{st}$ - $3^{rd}$  edition.

Authors: Jonathan Homola, Danielle Korman, Jacob Metz, Miguel Pereira, Mauricio Vela, and Jeff Gill

### **blockTools** (contributor)

The blockTools R package blocks units into experimental blocks, with one unit per treatment condition, by creating a measure of multivariate distance between all possible pairs of units. Authors: Ryan T. Moore and Keith Schnakenberg

#### Fieldwork

## Germany

2016

Archival research on women's voting in the Weimar Republic

#### **England and Germany**

2012 - 2013

Lab, field, and online experiments on charitable giving (with David Reinstein)

## SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

#### Sarah Burnett Teaching Award - Finalist

2022

Placed in the top 10 in the entire School of Social Sciences in instructor and course effectiveness scores

#### Creative Ventures Fund (with Connor Huff and Michelle Torres)

2021 - 2022

Project: SoWEPS – Southern Workshop in Empirical Political Science (\$9,670)

#### Sophia Meyer Farb Prize for Teaching – Finalist

2021

Selected and awarded by members of Rice's Phi Beta Kappa chapter from among all junior faculty (including NTTs) to honor outstanding work in the classroom

## Rice University Career Champion

2020

Nominated by students of the graduating class for helping in their professional development

## Creative Ventures Fund (with Leslie Schwindt-Bayer)

2019 - 2020

Project: Texas Comparative Politics Circle Workshop (\$10,200)

### Sage Best Paper Award

2019

Best comparative politics paper presented at the 2018 APSA annual conference For: "Legacies of the Third Reich: Concentration Camps and Outgroup Intolerance"

## **APSA Annual Meeting Travel Grant**

2017

### Weidenbaum Center Research Grant (with Margit Tavits)

2015 - 2016

Project: Immigration, Perceived Threats, and Partisanship (\$10,500)

#### Scholarship of the Evangelisches Studienwerk Villigst

2011 - 2013

Villigst is one of the twelve publicly funded German foundations granting scholarships to outstanding students. The scholarship covers tuition fees, a grant for living expenses as well as a wide range of academic offers.

#### University of Essex, Colchester, UK

2013

Full Colours Award – for individual sporting excellence (Basketball)

BigE Employability Award – for extra-curricular work experience and volunteering

SERVICE

Service to the discipline

Editor: POLMETH Listserv (2015-2019)

Editorial Assistant: Political Analysis (January-July 2018)

Panel Chair: APSA (2014, 2017, 2020), MPSA (2017, 2019, 2020\*, 2021)

**Discussant**: APSA (2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021), MPSA (2016, 2019, 2020\*, 2021),

PolMeth (2018)

Section Head: MPSA (2019 - Comparative Politics), SPSA (2021 - Comparative Politics)

Award Committee Member: SPSA (2022 – Marian Irish Award Committee)

Co-Convener: Texas Comparative Politics Circle (2019-present), SoWEPS – Southern Workshop in Empirical Political Science (2021-present)

Conferences organized: Texas Comparative Politics Circle (2020, with Leslie Schwindt-Bayer), Southern Workshop in Empirical Political Science (2022, with Connor Huff and Michelle Torres)

Reviewer: American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; American Politics Research; Australian Journal of Political Science; British Journal of Political Science; Comparative European Politics; Comparative Political Studies; Conflict Management and Peace Science; Electoral Studies; European Journal of Political Research; European Political Science Review; European Union Politics; Field Methods; Japanese Journal of Political Science; Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties; Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies; Journal of Experimental Political Science; Journal of Politics; Legislative Studies Quarterly; Migration Studies; National Science Foundation – Division of Social and Economic Sciences; Party Politics; PLOS One, Political Analysis; Political Behavior; Political Geography; Political Research Quarterly; Political Studies; Public Opinion Quarterly; Research & Politics; The Social Science Journal; West European Politics; World Politics

NSF Reviewer: SES – Accountable Institutions and Behavior program (2021, 2022)

University service (Rice University)

Faculty Associate: Hanszen College (2018-present)

Judge: Rice Undergraduate Research Symposium (2019, 2020, 2021)

Workshop Instructor: STaRT@Rice (2021)

Panelist: CTE Annual Teaching and Learning Symposium (2021)

Speaker Series Committee: Department of Political Science (2018-present)
Search Committee Member: Department of Political Science (2019 – IR search)

Graduate Studies Committee Member: Department of Political Science (2021-present)

Dissertation Committee Chair: Santiago López Álvarez

Dissertation Committee Member: Andy Carrizosa, Gonzalo Di Landro, Iris Etchevarren

Acquarone, Emily Elia, Dayong Lee, Andra D. Pascu-Lindner, Kaitlin Senk

Honors Thesis Advisor: Moses Glickman

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