

# Dr. Joseph Ganderson

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I am a political economist with interests and expertise in financial regulation and innovation, European economic integration and EU-UK relations. Currently a member of the ERC Synergy project SOLID, led by Profs. Maurizio Ferrera (Milan), Hanspeter Kriesi (EUI) and Waltraud Schelkle (EUI), my research on the project focuses specifically on the politics of the EU in crisis since 2008. I adopt a plural approach to social scientific research, with experience collecting and analysing elite interviews, public opinion surveys and text-as-data; and my publications use quantitative, qualitative and mixed methods. I have also taught, mentored and supervised undergraduate and graduate students in the UK and Germany, with my contributions winning and being nominated for awards by both my students and fellow faculty.

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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**Research Officer, SOLID (ERC Synergy Project)** Sep 2019 – Present  
**European Institute, London School of Economics**

*Principal Investigators:* Prof. Waltraud Schelkle, Prof. Maurizio Ferrera, Prof. Hanspeter Kriesi  
*Specialisations:* European Union Politics, Brexit and UK-EU Relations, Survey Design and Processing, Mixed-Method Research Designs

- Published and presented individual and co-authored research in leading area journals and at conferences
- Lectured, taught, supervised and marked LSE European Institute graduate students
- Designed and developed with project public datasets on EU crisis politics
- Assisted with project administration, tendering, expenses and ethical guidelines

## EDUCATION

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**MRes, DPhil - Social and Political Sciences** Sep 2015 – Sep 2020  
**European University Institute** Florence, Italy

*Thesis:* 'Politics by Association - Party Competition and Post-Crisis Bank Structural Reform in the UK, the Netherlands and Germany'

*Supervisor:* Prof. Pepper Culpepper, *Panel:* Prof. Anton Hemerijck, Prof. Lucia Quaglia, Dr. Scott James

*Specialisations:* Financial Regulation, Political Parties, Qualitative Research Methods

*Erasmus Exchange:* LSE European Institute, Michaelmas 2018-19

**MA - International Political Economy** Sep 2011 – Jul 2012  
**Dept. of European & International Studies, King's College London**

*Pass with Distinction*

*KCL Arts & Humanities Innovation Scholarship (£6,000)*

**BA - International Relations and Politics** Sep 2008 – Jul 2011  
**University of Sheffield**

*First-Class Honours*

PUBLICATIONS

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**Editorial**

**2024.** W. Schelkle, **J. Ganderson**, A. Kyriazi, A. Altiparmakis, ‘Brexit: The Crisis that Wasn’t for the EU?’, Special Issue, *West European Politics* (47:5), pp. 997-1020, DOI

**Journal Articles** (Corresponding author first)

**2024.** **J. Ganderson**, A. Kyriazi, ‘Braking and Exiting: Referendum Games, European Integration and the Road to the UK’s Brexit Vote’, *Political Studies Review* (Online First), DOI

**2024.** W. Schelkle, **J. Ganderson**, A. Kyriazi, A. Altiparmakis, ‘Brexit: The Crisis that Wasn’t for the EU?’, *West European Politics* (47:5), pp. 997-1020, DOI

**2024.** **J. Ganderson**, N. Donati, M. Ferrera, A. Kyriazi, Z. Truchlewski, ‘A Very European Way Out: Polity Maintenance and the Design of Article 50’, *Government & Opposition* (Online First), DOI

**2023.** A. Kyriazi, **J. Ganderson**, A. Altiparmakis, and J. Miró, ‘Quiet Unity: Salience, Politicisation and Togetherness in the EU’s Brexit Negotiating Position’, *West European Politics* (47:5), pp. 1045-1071, DOI

**2023.** K. Alexander-Shaw, **J. Ganderson** and W. Schelkle, ‘The Strength of a Weak Centre: Pandemic Politics in the European Union and the United States’, *Comparative European Politics* (21:4), pp. 448-469, DOI

**2023.** **J. Ganderson**, Z. Truchlewski and W. Schelkle ‘Who is Afraid of Emergency Politics? Public Opinion on European Crisis Management during Covid-19’, *Comparative European Politics* (21:4), pp. 470-490, DOI

**2023.** **J. Ganderson**, ‘Exiting after Brexit: Public Perceptions of Future European Union Member State Departures’, *West European Politics* (47:5), pp. 1199-1222, DOI

**2022.** **J. Ganderson**, ‘Prawn Cocktails and Cold Shoulders: Labour, the Conservatives and the City of London since the 1990s’, *Political Quarterly* (93:2), pp. 209-217, DOI

**2021.** Z. Truchlewski, **J. Ganderson** and W. Schelkle, ‘Buying Time for Democracies? European Union Emergency Politics in the Time of COVID-19’, *West European Politics* (44:5-6), pp. 1353-1375, DOI

**2020.** **J. Ganderson**, ‘To Change Banks or Bankers? – The Politics of Bank Structural Regulation in the UK and the Netherlands’, *Business & Politics* (22:1), pp. 196-223, DOI

**2019.** L. Seelkopf, **J. Ganderson**, P. Genschel, J. Limberg, Y. Mnaili, E. Ehmanis, ‘The Rise of Modern Taxation: A New Comprehensive Dataset of Tax Introductions Worldwide’, *Review of International Organizations* (16), pp. 239-263, DOI

**Book Chapters**

**2021.** **J. Ganderson** and J. Limberg, ‘The Rise of General Consumption Taxes’, in P. Genschel and L. Seelkopf (Eds.) *Global Taxation: How Modern Taxes Conquered the World*, Oxford: OUP. pp. 199-222, DOI

**2021.** **J. Ganderson**, ‘Fighting for Fintech: Competition, Regulation and Accountability in a Europe of Financial Innovation’, in A. Héritier and J. Karremans (Eds.). *Regulating Finance in Europe: Policy Effects and Political Accountability*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar. pp. 101-125, DOI

**2021.** **J. Ganderson**, A. Héritier and A. Smolenska (2020) ‘The Impacts of Technological Innovation on Regulatory Structure: Fintech in Post-Crisis Europe’. Chapter, in M. Schoeller and A. Héritier (Eds.) *Governing Finance in Europe: A Centralization of Rulemaking?*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar. pp. 164-189. DOI

**Policy Reports**

**2019.** ‘The Entrepreneurship 2020 Action Plan: Practical Steps for Renewal’, *Policy Briefing Spitzenkandidaten Debates*, April 2019. *89 Generation Think Tank Report*. Report

**Datasets**

**2019.** **TID: Tax Introduction Database**, J. Ganderson, L. Seelkopf, P. Genschel, J. Limberg, Y. Mnaili, E. Ehmanis, M. Bubek. Dataset

Historical year, rate, contextual data for introduction of six modern taxes in all countries  
Specialist regions: Western Europe, Asia-Pacific

## SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

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**Research:** Case Studies and Controlled Comparisons; Mixed Methods Research Designs; Elite Interviewing; Survey Design; Data Wrangling and Processing; Advanced Process Tracing Methods (ECPR Winter School); Regression Analysis; Text as Data

**Statistical & Programming Software:** R/RStudio (Tidyverse, GGPlot, RQDA, Quanteda), MS Excel, Stata (basic)

**Office/Teaching:** Canvas, Moodle, Zoom/Skype/MS Teams Classrooms, MS Office, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

**Languages:** English (native), Italian (CEFR - B2), French (B1)

## TEACHING

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**Undergraduate:** ‘Ten Years On: The Financial Crisis in Retrospect’ (Department of Social Sciences, Heinrich Heine University, 2019)

**Graduate:** ‘Political Economy of Finance in Europe’, ‘Politics & Policies of Brexit’ (LSE European Institute, 2020-22)

**Supervision:** 16 MSc Political Economy of Europe graduate students (LSE European Institute, 2020-24)

**Marking:** Graduate modular essays and MSc dissertations (LSE European Institute, 2020-22)

**Awards:** *Nominated:* ‘Exceptional Teaching in an Unprecedented Year’, LSESU (2020-2021)

*Awarded:* ‘Highly Commended’, LSE Class Teacher Awards (2021-22)

**Training:** Introduction to Teaching in Higher Education (EUI, 2019)

## SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

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**Doctoral: 2018.** Erasmus Exchange - European Institute, London School of Economics

**2015–19.** UK Dept. of Education - Doctoral Funding - €72,000

**Graduate:** King’s College London, School of Arts & Humanities Innovation Scholarship - £6,000 (2011-12)

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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### Invited Talks

**2022.** ‘The Delicate Party Politics of the City of London’ – Z/Yen Webinar to finance industry members, April. [Recording]

**2018.** ‘Banking Structural Reform around the World: Design and Implications’, Presentation to Bank of England staff, November 2018.

### Research Assistance

**2019.** Elite interviews, financial regulation at EU institutions (Prof. Adrienne Héritier, EUI)

**2017–19.** Historical and archival research - Tax Introduction Database (Prof. Philipp Genschel, Dr. Laura Seelkopf, EUI)

**2016–18.** Legislative research (financial regulation) and copyediting (Prof. Pepper Culpepper, EUI/University of Oxford)

**Peer Review:** European Journal of Political Research (EJPR), European Political Science Review (EPSR), Financial Innovation, Government & Opposition, Journal of Common Market Studies (JCMS), Journal of European Public Policy (JEPP), Politics & Governance, Regulation & Governance, Review of International Political Economy (RIPE), Socio-Economic Review

**Membership:** Political Studies Association (PSA), Council of European Studies (CES), European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)

**Blogs:** LSE Europp, Political Quarterly, LSE Review of Books, ERC-SOLID Website

**Conferences**

CES Annual Conference, Lyon, July 2024  
PSA Pre-EPOP Workshop, Southampton, September 2023  
CES Annual Conference, Reykjavik, June 2023  
PSA Annual Conference, Liverpool, April 2023  
CES Annual Conference, Lisbon, June-July 2022  
ECPR Joint Sessions, LUISS, Rome, June 2022  
CES Virtual Conference, July 2021  
ECPR Virtual Conference, August 2020  
CES Virtual Conference, July 2020  
EUSA Biennial Conference, Denver, May 2019  
EUI Conference on the Development of the Modern Tax State, November 2018  
ECPR Joint Sessions, Nicosia, April 2018

REFERENCES & CERTIFICATION

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Available upon request.