

# LUIS SATTELMAYER

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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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**University of Innsbruck, Austria** incoming 04/2026  
Postdoctoral Researcher  
GAEPD Project - Group Appeals in Electoral and Parliamentary Debates (PI: Hauke Licht)

## EDUCATION

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**SciencesPo Paris, France** 09/2022 – today  
PhD Candidate in Political Science supervised by Jan Rovny  
Dissertation Title: *Competition Between Equals: Mainstream Party Decline and Far-Right Ascent in Western Europe*

**SciencesPo Paris, France** 09/2020 – 09/2022  
M.A. Political Science, Major: Comparative Politics, Cum Laude  
Thesis Title: *Engaging the Far-Right's Salient Issue: Explaining Mainstream Parties' Issue Engagement with the Far-Right's Salient Issue* (supervised by Jan Rovny, Grade: 18/20)

**Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland** 09/2019 – 08/2020  
Erasmus Exchange

**SciencesPo Paris, French-German Campus, Nancy, France** 09/2017 – 08/2020  
B.A. Political Science, Political Humanities

## PUBLICATIONS

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**More than Symbols: The Effect of Symbolic Policies on Climate Policy Support** (2025), with Théodore Tallent and Malo Jan (*Forthcoming in the American Political Science Review*)  
▪ discussed in [Le Monde](#), [Deutschlandfunk Kultur](#)

**PartySOME I** (2025): A Comprehensive Dataset on Political Parties' SOcial MEdia Activity, with Malo Jan (*Party Politics*)

## DATASETS

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**Baromètre Ecologie Environnement 2024**: Panel on environmental attitudes and behaviors in France, with Éric Pautard, Nicolas Sauger, Luc Rouban, Maël Ginsburger, Emiliano Grossman, Malo Jan, Théodore Tallent, Lucien Thabourey, Simon Audebert

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## WORKING PAPERS

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**United We Stand, Divided We Fall:** Mainstream Party Agreement and Vote Switching to Competitors, 1st PhD chapter

**Muddle instead of Music:** The electoral consequences of divergent intra-party positions on immigration, 2nd PhD chapter

**Competition Between Equals:** Strategic Issue Diversification and the Impact on Electoral Fortunes of Radical Right Parties, 3rd PhD chapter

**Diversity and Democracy:** Ethnic Minorities and the Support for Democracy in Europe, with [Jan Rovny](#) and [Elena Cossu](#)

**PartySOME II:** A Comprehensive Dataset on Issue Salience of Political Parties on Social Media, with [Malo Jan](#)

**Picking Up The Cordon Sanitaire:** Investigating strategic voting against the far-right in the 2024 French legislative elections, with [Malo Jan](#) (*under review at Electoral Studies*)

**Not in the Picture:** Visual Descriptive Representation and Gender Gaps in Parties' Visual Communication in 38 Countries, with [Malo Jan](#) and [Noémie Piolat](#)

## TEACHING

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<b>Inter-semester Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Introduction to Computational Social Science</i> , together with Malo Jan, 24h	01/2026 – 01/2026
<b>Inter-semester Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Introduction to Computational Social Science</i> , together with Malo Jan, 24h	06/2025 – 06/2025
<b>Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Quantitative Methods II – RStudio Labsessions</i> , 24h	01/2025 – 05/2025
<b>Inter-semester Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Introduction to Computational Social Science</i> , together with Malo Jan, 24h	01/2025 – 05/2025
<b>Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Quantitative Methods II – RStudio Labsessions</i> , 24h	01/2024 – 05/2024
<b>Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris, Nancy Campus <i>Introduction to Political Science</i> , 24h	01/2024 – 05/2024
<b>Teaching Assistant</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Introduction to Political Science</i> , lecture given by Samuel Hayat, 16h	01/2024 – 05/2024
<b>Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris, Nancy Campus <i>Comparative Politics</i> , 48h	09/2023 – 12/2023
<b>Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Quantitative Methods II – RStudio Labsessions</i> , 24h	01/2023 – 05/2023
<b>Seminar</b> , SciencesPo Paris, Nancy Campus <i>Introduction to Political Science</i> , 24h	01/2023 – 05/2023
<b>Teaching Assistant</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Introduction to Political Science</i> , lecture given by Samuel Hayat, 16h	01/2023 – 05/2023
<b>Teaching Assistant</b> , SciencesPo Paris <i>Social Inequalities in Western Democracies</i> , lecture given by Carlo Barone, 16h	09/2022 – 01/2023

## WORKSHOPS

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**GESIS Workshop** Cologne, taught by Hauke Licht & Fabienne Lind  
*Going Cross-Lingual: Computational Methods for Multilingual Text Analysis*

12/2023

**SICSS** Paris, taught by Etienne Ollion  
*Summer Institute in Computational Social Science*

06/2023

## CONFERENCES

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Comptext, CIVICA PoBI, EPSA, EUSA 2025  
Comptext 2024

## SEMINARS/INVITED TALKS

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Zentrum für Zivilgesellschaftsforschung (WZB, Berlin) 2025

*Competition Between Equals: Strategic Issue Diversification and the Impact on Electoral Fortunes of Radical Right Parties*

AI & Social Science Seminar (CREST, Ecole Polytechnique, Paris) 2024  
*Using Natural Language Inference for Text Classification*

NLP & Social Science Seminar (CREST, Ecole Polytechnique, Paris) 2024  
*Party Issue Linkages in French and German Newspapers*

## GRANTS

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**Research Grant**, Royal Swedish Academy of Science, 200.000 SEK (18.000 €), with [Felix Lehmann](#) 2025

**Travel & Research Grant**, CIERA, 3900 € 2025

**Travel & Research Grant**, University of Gothenburg, 12.400 SEK (1200 €), *declined* 2025

## VISITING STAYS

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**Visiting PhD Researcher at Wissenschaftszentrum für Sozialforschung**, Berlin 10/2025 – 12/2025

**Visiting PhD Researcher at Centre Marc Bloch**, Berlin 10/2025 – 03/2026

## REVIEWS

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*Comparative Political Studies*

## SOFTWARE SKILLS

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**Programming Languages:** RStudio (advanced), Python (intermediate), STATA (beginner)

**Text Processing:** L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Quarto, Markdown, MS Office

**Computer Languages:** HTML, regex, Revealjs

## MEDIA OUTREACH

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**France Culture**, [Allemagne : des élections à haut risque](#) 02/2025

**Deutschlandfunk Kultur**, [Narrative in der Klimapolitik](#) 11/2024

**CNBC**, French election could overhaul country's foreign policy agenda 06/2024

## LANGUAGES

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**German:** Mother tongue

**English:** Mother tongue

**French:** Native Level Fluency

**Russian:** Beginner

**Polish:** Beginner