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| Education           | <b>University of Oslo</b><br>Ph.D. Fellow in Political Science<br>The Evolution of Rule of Law Enforcement in the EU<br><br><b>University of Toronto</b><br>Visting Ph.D. Student at Department of Political Science<br><br><b>Leiden University</b><br>Erasmus Mundus Joint M.A. in European Politics and Society<br>With Charles University & Jagiellonian University.<br>Honors: <i>Cum Laude</i> , Thesis Grade: 9.0, GPA: 3.9/4.0<br><br><b>Tecnológico de Monterrey (ITESM)</b><br>B.A. in International Relations<br>Honors: <i>Magna Cum Laude</i> , GPA: 3.89/4.0<br>Activities: IR Student Association, Enactus, Fanzine Student Magazine   | Oslo, Norway<br>2022–Present<br><br>Toronto, Canada<br>2025<br><br>Leiden, Netherlands<br>2020–2022<br><br>Querétaro, México<br>2015–2019 |
| Work Affiliations   | <b>ARENA Centre For European Studies</b><br>Doctoral Research Fellow  | Oslo, Norway<br>2022–Present  |
| Additional Training | ECPR Methods School, Machine Learning Methods, Online, 2024<br>Oxford Spring School, Causal Inference, University of Oxford, 2023<br>Komex Mathematics for Political Science, University of Konstanz, 2023<br>Europeaum Spring School on Law and Power, Oxford, 2022<br>ECPR Methods Summer School, Python for Research, KU Leuven, 2021<br>Oxford Spring School, Qualitative Methods, University of Oxford, 2021   |   |
| Work in Progress    | <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. “The Apex Court’s Dilemma: Rulemaking Alignment Under Hierarchical and Political Constraints”. <a href="#">[Preprint]</a></li><li>2. “In the Mood for Law: Shifting Sentiments of Legal Scholars About the EU Legal Order.” (with R. Daniel Kelemen &amp; Tommaso Pavone). <i>In Progress</i>.</li><li>3. “Conceptual Chimeras: Upstream Bias in Causal Inference.” <i>In Progress</i>.</li><li>4. “The Grammar of EU Law: Linearizing Complex Legal Data Representation.” <i>In Progress</i>.</li></ol>   |   |
| Publications        | PEER-REVIEWED<br><ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. <b>Mandujano Manriquez, M.</b> &amp; Tommaso Pavone. 2024. “<a href="#">Follow the Leader: The European Commission, the European Court of Justice, and the EU’s Rule of Law Revolution</a>”. In <i>Journal of European Public Policy</i>.</li></ol><br>OPEN ACCESS PRE-PRINTS<br>2021. “ <a href="#">Political Gains by Judicial Means: Institutional Conversion of the EU’s Rule of Law Policy</a> .” Presented at Spring School ‘Law and Power’ 19-21 April 2022 in Oxford.<br>2019. “ <a href="#">New World Leadership: Jacinda Ardern Through the Leadership Trait Analysis Framework (LTA)</a> .” <i>Foreign Policy Analysis: Academia.edu</i> . <a href="#">[Top 3%]</a><br>OTHER |   |

12 April 2024. Follow the leader: the European Commission, the European Court of Justice, and the EU's rule of law revolution: *Taylor & Francis. Manriquez, Mauricio Mandujano; Pavone, Tommaso. [Dataset]*

11 July 2022. The EU Rule of Law Crisis: Normativity and Harsh Reality: *The Common Room. [Podcast]*

31 March 2022. The Science of Democracy Demands Scientific Thinking: *The Loop: ECPR. [Blogpost]*

18 March 2022. Where has the Sovereign gone? Human Security and the Entrenchment of State Power: *European Waves. [Blogpost]*

17 October 2021. Article 19(1) TEU: A new route for protecting the Rule of Law: *European Waves. [Blogpost]*

Teaching Teaching Assistant, Digital Data in Political Science (graduate) – [STV4030A](#).  
Co-Instructor & Teaching Assistant, Between Authoritarianism and Democracy in the Post-communist Region (undergraduate) – [STV2380](#).  
Coding & Methods Assistant, Social Science Data Analysis and Programming (undergraduate) – [STV2020](#).  
Coding & Methods Assistant, Text as Data (undergraduate) – [STV2022](#).

Guest Lectures “EU Institutions I: The Commission and the ECJ” at the University of Toronto Mississauga, Toronto, Canada. In 2025. [\[Slides\]](#)  
“Foreign Policy Analysis, Leadership Trait Analysis and Profiler Plus,” at the Tecnológico de Monterrey, Querétaro, México. In 2020 and 2021. [\[Slides\]](#)

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| Awards & Scholarships | UiO Doctoral Fellowship <i>4-year</i> – Research Council of Norway (RCN) | 2022–2026 |
|                       | Overseas Grant for stay at the University of Toronto \$16,000 – RCN      | 2024      |
|                       | APSA 2022 Travel Grant (Declined)  | 2022      |
|                       | EMJMD Scholarship €52,500  | 2020–2022 |
|                       | ECPR Summer School Grant £930  | 2021      |
|                       | ITESM Academic Excellence Scholarship \$36,000                           | 2015–2019 |
|                       | ITESM Integral Development Award   | 2019      |
|                       | ITESM IR Cohort Leader   | 2019      |

Presentations CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- APSA Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC, Canada, September 11-14, 2025.
- EUSA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, USA, May 8-10, 2025.
- Emerging Scholars Conference in Public Law, Austin, TX, March 6-7, 2025.
- ECPR General Conference, Dublin, Ireland, August 12-14, 2024.
- ECPR SGEU, Biannual Meeting, Lisbon, Portugal, June 18-20, 2024.
- Law and Society Association, Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, June 6-9, 2024.

WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- *ENROL Advisory Board Meeting*, Faculty of Law, University of Oslo, 5 October 2023.
- *Nuffield Early Career Workshop in Socio-legal Studies*, Nuffield College, Oxford University, 16 June 2023.
- *Judges Under Stress*, Faculty of Law, University of Oslo, 17-18 November 2022.
- *Digital Society Initiative*, Digital Democracy Lab, University of Zurich, 27-28 October 2022.
- *Spring School–‘Law and Power’*, Maison Française & St Antony’s College, Oxford 19-21 April 2022.

## ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

- “Fact-insensitiveness and electoral alignment in WEIRD Societies” Presentation for the Barcelona Research Seminar II, Universitat Pompeu Fabra January 17-18, 2022.
- “The Logic of Legitimation of Government Systems” Presentation for the Barcelona Research Seminar I, Universitat Pompeu Fabra January 18-19, 2021.

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| Selected Professional Experience | <b>European Waves</b>  | Leiden, Netherlands |
|                                  | Staff Writer – Founding Member<br>Founding member and contributor of the student-led news platform European Waves.<br>Researched and published articles on European issues regarding global governance including the rule of law and environmental policy. Developed and maintained the website.   | 2021 - 2022         |
|                                  | <b>Ethos Public Policy Lab</b>   | Mexico City, México |
|                                  | Public Policy Analyst – Internship<br>Developed a methodological tool to assess corruption risks in Federal social programs. Identified potential instances of corruption in the lifecycle of policymaking and deployment of social programs. Implemented the assessment tool in close coordination with the Secretariat of the Civil Service. | 2020                |
| Professional Memberships         | <i>American Political Science Association (APSA)</i><br><i>European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)</i><br><i>Law and Society Association (LSA)</i><br><i>European Union Association Studies (EUSA)</i><br><i>Erasmus Mundus Association</i>  |                     |
| Service                          | <i>Journal of European Public Policy</i> , Reviewer  | 2023 – Present      |
|                                  | MA Thesis Committee at University of Oslo, Co-Evaluator (one student)  | 2024                |
|                                  | IUropa Workshop on Law and Courts, Convener  | 2024                |
|                                  | Decision-making on the bench at ECPR SGEU, Panel Co-Chair  | 2024                |
| Software                         | Text Ranking Tool: For comparative text analysis. <a href="#">Public Releases</a>  | 2025                |
| Languages                        | <i>Human:</i> English (Fluent), Spanish (Native), French (Advanced), and Norwegian (basic).<br><i>Machine:</i> Python (Pandas, Selenium, SciPy, sklearn,), R (tidyverse), L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X, SQL, Git, RegEx, Shell, G-suite.  |                     |
| Activities                       | Contributor, <a href="#">IUropa DB Platform</a> – November 2022 - Present.   | Remote              |
|                                  | Reporter, Prague Media Point – December 1-10, 2020.  | Prague, Czechia     |
|                                  | Reporter, <a href="#">Forum 2000 Foundation</a> – October 11-13, 2020.   | Prague, Czechia     |
|                                  | Academic Delegate, WSIS Forum 2017 – June 12-16, 2017.   | Geneva, Switzerland |
| Volunteering                     | Project Coordinator Rural Community Development – June 2018  | Querétaro, Mexico   |
|                                  | Volunteer Translator, Tzu Chi Foundation – September 2017  | Mexico City, Mexico |
| References                       | Available Upon Request.  |                     |

(September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025)