

# Pablo Argote

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## EMPLOYMENT

- **2023–Present**

Provost Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Political Science, University of Southern California

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Behavior • Political Attitudes • Immigration • Ideology • Latin America • Quantitative Methods

## EDUCATION

- **Ph.D. in Political Science**, Columbia University, 2023  
Major: Comparative Politics; Minor: Quantitative Methods
- **Master in Public Policy**, New York University, 2015
- **B.A. in Sociology**, Universidad Católica de Chile, 2010

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. Argote, P. & Perelló, L. (2024). “Explaining the Impact of South-South Migration: Evidence from Chile’s Immigration Boom.” *Journal of International Migration & Integration*.
2. Argote, P. & Daly, S. (2024). “The Formation of Attitudes Toward Immigration in Colombia.” *International Interactions*, 1–15.
3. Argote, P. & Alcaíno, M. (2024). “Politics Matter: How Political Experience Mitigates School Disruption on Children Outcomes.” *RSF: The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences*, 10(1), 181–204.
4. Blair, R., Gottlieb, J., Argote, P., Stainfield, C., Paler, L., & Nyhan, B. (2023). “Interventions to Counter Misinformation: Lessons from the Global North and Applications to the Global South.” *Current Opinion in Psychology*.
5. Argote, P. & Visconti, G. (2023). “Anti-Elite Attitudes and Support for Independent Candidates.” *PLOS ONE*, 18(10).
6. Argote, P., Marshall, J., Daly, S., Pocasangre, O., Barham, E., & Gerez, J. (2021). “The Shot, the Message, and the Messenger: COVID-19 Vaccine Acceptance in Latin America.” *npj Vaccines*, 6(1), 1–9. .
7. Argote, P., Barham, E., Daly, S.Z., Pocasangre, O., Marshall, J., & Gerez, J. (2021). “Messaging Interventions that Increase COVID-19 Vaccine Willingness in Latin America.” *PLOS ONE*, 16(10).

8. Argote, P. (2021). “Does Voluntary Voting Enhance Partisan Bias? Evidence from Chile.” *Journal of Latin American Studies*, 53(3), 547–571.
9. Argote, P. (2020). “Incumbency Advantage and Shocks in the Electorate: The Adoption of Voluntary Voting.” *European Political Science Review*, 12(2), 173–197.
10. Argote, P. & Navia, P. (2018). “Do Voters Affect or Elect Policies? Within-Coalition Competition in the Chilean Electoral System.” *Journal of Politics in Latin America*, 10(1), 3–28.

## WORK IN PROGRESS

- The Anti-Left Legacy of the Pinochet Dictatorship (with Elsa Voytas) – Accepted, Comparative Political Studies.
- Causes and Consequences of Ideological Persistence: The Case of Chile (with Giancarlo Visconti) – Accepted, Latin American Politics and Society.
- Shade-grown Authoritarianism (with Perelló & Navia) – Accepted, Democratization.
- Thick and Thin Ideology (with Visconti & de la Cerda)
- Ideology in Two-Round Elections (with Visconti & Rivera)
- COVID-19 and Immigration Attitudes (with Sarah Daly)
- Internet Access and Gender Attitudes (with Daniela Urbina)
- Unpacking the Voting Gender Gap (with Lisa Basil)
- Authoritarian Indoctrination (with Jaime Lindh)
- Labor Informality and Immigration (with Miguel Carreras)

## BOOK PROJECT

*Ideology Without Parties: Voting Behavior in Chile* (with Giancarlo Visconti)

## BOOK CHAPTERS (IN SPANISH)

- Argote, P. & Eguiguren, J.M. (2022). In *Diálogos Constitucionales*. CED & Konrad Adenauer.
- Argote, P. (2022). In *Partidos Políticos en Chile*. CED & Konrad Adenauer.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- USC: *Introduction to Comparative Politics* (Instructor, Fall 2024, Fall 2025)
- Oxford: *Evidence in Public Policy* (Seminar Leader, 2023)
- Columbia: TA for *Quantitative Methods I, Causal Inference, Research Design, Multivariate Regression Analysis, Scope and Methods* (2018-2021)
- UC Chile: TA for *Introduction to Political Theory* (2008–10)

## AWARDS & GRANTS

- Center for International Studies, USC (2023–24): \$3K
- ISERP, Columbia (2020): \$20K
- Columbia Dissertation Grant (2020): \$1.8K
- ILAS Grant, Columbia (2019): \$2K
- Dean’s Fellow, Columbia (2017–22)
- Becas Chile (2013–15)

## PRESS

**In Spanish:** La Tercera, Ex-Ante, Tercera Dosis, Contrafactual (2020–21)

**In English:** *Columbia News*, May 2021

## RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS

- Prof. Sarah Daly (Columbia, 2019–21)
- Prof. Cyrus Samii (NYU, 2015–17)
- Prof. Sean Corcoran (NYU, 2015–16)

## CONFERENCES

EPSA (2025) • APSA (2024) • MPSA (2018–25) • PIPE USC (2023) • ECPR Joint Sessions (2022)

## INVITED TALKS

USC (2024, 2025), Claremont (2024), Universidad Adolfo Ibañez (2022), Universidad de Talca (2021), UC Chile (2020)

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Consultant, Doble A Chile (ongoing)  
Designed and implemented survey research, developed sampling strategies, conducted data analysis, and designed survey experiments.
- RA, USAID DRG Center (2023)  
Conducted literature review on global misinformation interventions. Supervisor: Prof. Jessica Gottlieb.
- Quantitative Consultant, NYU Data Services (2014–17)  
Provided statistical support to students using STATA and R for quantitative research projects.
- Analyst, Presidential Campaign (Chile, 2012–13)  
Led electoral data analysis and provided strategic insights to campaign leadership.

- Analyst, Ministry of Education, Chile (2011–13)  
Designed and analyzed national education surveys to inform curriculum reform policy.

## **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

- Coordinator, Columbia Comparative Politics Seminar (2018–19)
- Chief Coordinator, Chile Policy Summit NYC (2017)
- Organizer, Chile Policy Summit Chicago (2016)

## **REFeree SERVICE**

AJPS • CPS • Political Studies • JPLA • Vaccine • PLOS ONE • ICS • Democratization • Political Behavior

## **LANGUAGES & SOFTWARE**

**Languages:** Spanish (native), English (fluent)

**Software:** STATA, LaTeX, R (Advanced); QGIS, Python (Basic)