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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. & Voytas, E. (2025). “The Anti-Left Legacy of the Pinochet Dictatorship.” *Comparative Political Studies*.
Paper [here](#).
2. Visconti, G. & Argote, P. (2025). “Chile 2024: The Resilience of Ideology and the Rise of Anti-Elite Attitudes.” *Revista de Ciencia Política*, 45(2).
Paper [here](#).
3. Perelló, L., Argote, P., & Navia, P. (2025). “Shade-Grown Authoritarianism? Revisiting Coffee as a Curse in Latin America and the Caribbean.” *Democratization*, 1–25.
Paper
4. Argote, P. & Perelló, L. (2024). “Explaining the Impact of South-South Migration: Evidence from Chile’s Immigration Boom.” *Journal of International Migration & Integration*.
Paper [here](#).
5. Argote, P. & Daly, S. (2024). “The Formation of Attitudes Toward Immigration in Colombia.” *International Interactions*, 1–15.
Paper [here](#).
6. 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.
Paper [here](#).

7. 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*.
Paper [here](#).
8. Argote, P. & Visconti, G. (2023). “Anti-Elite Attitudes and Support for Independent Candidates.” *PLOS ONE*, 18(10).
Paper [here](#).
9. 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.
Paper [here](#).
10. Argote, P., Marshall, J., Daly, S., Pocasangre, O., Barham, E., & Gerez, J. (2021). “Messaging Interventions that Increase COVID-19 Vaccine Willingness in Latin America.” *PLOS ONE*, 16(10).
Paper [here](#).
11. Argote, P. (2021). “Does Voluntary Voting Enhance Partisan Bias? Evidence from Chile.” *Journal of Latin American Studies*, 53(3), 547–571.
Paper [here](#).
12. Argote, P. (2020). “Incumbency Advantage and Shocks in the Electorate: The Adoption of Voluntary Voting.” *European Political Science Review*, 12(2), 173–197.
Paper [here](#).
13. 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.
Paper [here](#).

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Causes and Consequences of Ideological Persistence: The Case of Chile (with Giancarlo Visconti) – Accepted, *Latin American Politics and Society*.
- 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. (2022). “Propuestas para Mejorar el Presidencialismo Multi-Partidista.” In *Partidos Políticos en Chile*. CED & Konrad Adenauer Foundation.
- Argote, P. & Eguiguren, J.M. (2022). “Modelos de Democracia y Sistema Político.” In *Diálogos Constitucionales*. CED & Konrad Adenauer Foundation.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- USC: *Introduction to Comparative Politics* (Instructor, Fall 2024, Fall 2025, Spring 2026)
- University of Oxford: *Evidence in Public Policy* (Seminar Leader, 2023)
- Columbia University: 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 (CIS), USC (2025): Grant to study voting gender gaps in the United States.
- 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.

In English: *Columbia News*, May 2021.

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)