**SP20: Meeting with Advisor**

Date: 2/5/2020, Starts from 14:30 ~

1. **Research: Authoritarian Welfare State Paper: Write a Note here.**

* **Break the section: The Primacy of coalitions**
  + Organize: The primacy of coalitions
    - subsection1: Variety of classes
      * Focus on how classes are different and distinctive in terms of their interests and mobilization (social pressure)
    - subsection2: Temporal dynamics of classes
      * However, their aggregation and representation of interests or levels of mobilization varies depending on the time.
  + Summarize the section of coalitions → Next section of A coalition theory of welfare provision in autocracies.
* **Visualization style:**
  + Now: PI density plots by classes.
  + Change: One plot X: year, Y: numbers, group: Key classes (urban middle, working, Party elites, the military)
* **Alternative explanations (or hypotheses?)**
  + Effects of institutionalized parties on welfare:
    - Indirect relationship between Institutionalized party and performances: Bizzaro et al. (2018) WP. “Party Strength and Economic Growth.”
    - From the indirect association, Knutsen and Rasmussen (2018) CPS, Rasmussen and Knutsen (2019) BJPS, Yan and Lin. (2019) EJPH, “A Dictator’s Gift: Dominant party regimes and health expenditures.”
    - Based on the previous literature,
  + Logical evidence of the Interaction between classes and institutions:
    - Rasmussen and Pontusson (2017) CPS. “Working-Class Strength by Institutional Design?”

1. **Walter Institute: Student Scholarship and Grants**

* **Plan**
  + Research Question: Why states break mutually beneficial bilateral agreements?
  + Case selection: GSOMIA disputes between South Korea and Japan
  + Due by Feb 15th: Online
* **Need to investigate trade models, which presume the game as non-zero sum.**
* **Note:**