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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Postdoctoral researcher, Faculty of Social Sciences, **Goethe University Frankfurt**
(2021–Present)
Instructor, International Program in Survey and Data Science, **University of
Mannheim** and **University of Maryland** (2021–Present)

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science (Dr. rer. soc, summa cum laude), Graduate School of
Decision Sciences, **University of Konstanz** (2021)
M.A., Politics and Public Administration, **University of Konstanz** (2017)
B.A., Political Science, **University of Bremen** (2014)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Digital Technology and Politics, Political Participation, Public Opinion,
Automated Data Collection, Text as Data, Statistical Methodology

PUBLICATIONS

Monographs

Göbel, Sascha. 2021. Methodological Contributions to the Study of Political
Participation. Konstanz: University of Konstanz. Ph.D. Thesis.

Journal articles (peer-reviewed)

Göbel, Sascha and Simon Munzert. Forthcoming. "The Comparative Legislators
Database." *British Journal of Political Science*.

Göbel, Sascha. 2021. "Voting and Social Media-Based Political Participation."
Journal of Quantitative Description: Digital Media 1: 1–93.

Selb, Peter, **Sascha Göbel**, and Romain Lachat. 2020. "How To Poll Runoff
Elections." *Public Opinion Quarterly* 84(3): 776–787.

Göbel, Sascha and Simon Munzert. 2018. "Political Advertising on the Wikipedia
Marketplace of Information." *Social Science Computer Review* 36(2): 157–175.

Wonka, Arndt and **Sascha Göbel**. 2016. "Parliamentary Scrutiny and Partisan
Conflict in the Euro Crisis. The Case of the German Bundestag." *Comparative
European Politics* 14(2): 215–231.

WORKING PAPERS

Göbel, Sascha and Simon Roth. "Does Communication Signal Voter Preferences
and Participation?"

Göbel, Sascha and Richard Traunmüller. "Public Opinion Polarization Across
Rural-Urban Europe (1980–2021)."

WORK IN progress

"Does Online Hate Speech Regulation Work? Evidence from the German Network
Enforcement Act." (with Friederike Quint and Richard Traunmüller)

	<p>"A Closer Look at Voters' Engagement with Untrustworthy News Websites on Twitter." (with Philipp M. Lutscher)</p> <p>"Using Structural Topic Modeling to Identify Substantive Differences Between Voters and Nonvoters."</p> <p>"Geographic Patterns of Online Media Diets." (with Eunji Kim and Simon Munzert)</p> <p>"Political Predictors of Misclassification in Rural-Urban Self-Identification." (with Enrique Hernández and Guillem Rico)</p> <p>"Rural-Urban Disparities in Political Science Research. A Systematic Review." (with Antonia Lang)</p>
INVITED TALKS	"Integrated US Voter Record and Twitter Data." Digital Democracy Lab Zurich (2020)
CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	<p>Conference on Comparative Research on Political Elites, Berlin (2019)</p> <p>Big Data Meets Survey Science Conference of the European Survey Research Association, Barcelona (2018)</p> <p>Workshop on Citizen and Elite Activity on Wikipedia, Berlin (2017)</p> <p>General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research, Oslo (2017)</p> <p>General Online Research Conference, Berlin (2017)</p> <p>General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Brussels (2016)</p> <p>Pan-European Conference on the European Union of the European Consortium for Political Research, The Hague (2014)</p>
SOFTWARE	legislatoR: R interface to the Comparative Legislators Database. (with Simon Munzert)
TEACHING	<p><i>Instructor</i></p> <p>Web Scraping and APIs (professionals), University of Mannheim and University of Maryland (2021)</p> <p>Web Data Collection with R (graduate-level), University of Konstanz (2020)</p> <p>Multilevel Modeling (graduate-level), University of Konstanz (2018, 2019)</p> <p><i>Teaching Assistant</i></p> <p>International Relations and European Integration (undergraduate-level), University of Konstanz (2014)</p> <p>Introduction to Academic Research and Writing (undergraduate-level), University of Bremen (2013)</p>
AFFILIATIONS & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE	<p>Research Affiliate, Chair of Empirical Democracy Research, University of Mannheim (2021–Present)</p> <p>Research Affiliate, Center for Data and Methods and Graduate School of Decision Sciences, University of Konstanz (2017–2021)</p> <p>Co-organizer Conference on Comparative Research on Political Elites, Berlin (2019)</p> <p>Reviewer for PS: Political Science and Politics, Public Opinion Quarterly, Scientific</p>

Data, General Online Research Conference (2018, 2019), Annual Conference of the Association of Internet Researchers (2016)

SKILLS

Software: R, Python, Stan, Keras/TensorFlow, XPath, \LaTeX , Stata
Languages: German (native), English (fluent, IELTS band: 8.5/9).

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