

# SEONGHUI LEE

## Curriculum Vitae

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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Aarhus University	July 2015 – present
Pre-/Post-doctoral Research Fellow, University of Zürich	September 2014 – June 2015

### EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, Rice University	2015
M.A. Political Science, Rice University	2010
B.A. & M.A. Political Science, Yonsei University, Seoul, South Korea	2008
<i>Other Professional Training</i>	
EITM Summer Institute, University of Houston	2014
Essex/Nuffield CESS Experimental Summer School, University of Oxford	2013
Summer Institute in Political Psychology (SIPP), Stanford University	2010

### AREAS OF INTERESTS

**Comparative Politics & Political Behavior:** Comparative political behavior, Comparative political institutions, Political psychology, Public opinion, Political parties and elections

**Methodology:** Survey methods and measurements, Experimental design, Multilevel modeling

### PUBLICATIONS

**Lee, Seonghui** and Akitaka Matsuo. 2018. "Decomposing Political Knowledge: What Is Confidence in Knowledge and Why It Matters." *Electoral Studies* 51: 1-13.

**Lee, Seonghui**, Agustina Haime, and Randy Stevenson. 2017. "Measuring Knowledge of Parties' Legislative Seat Shares." *Political Science Research and Methods* (DOI: 10.1017/psrm.2017.31).

**Lee, Seonghui**, Carsten Jensen, Christoph Arndt, and Georg Wenzelburger. 2017. "Risky Business? Welfare State Reforms and Government Support in Britain and Denmark." *British Journal of Political Science* (DOI: 10.1017/S0007123417000382).

Jensen, Carsten, Christoph Arndt, **Seonghui Lee**, and Georg Wenzelburger. 2017. "Policy Instruments and Welfare State Reform." *Journal of European Social Policy* (DOI: 10.1177/0958928717711974).

Jensen, Carsten, **Seonghui Lee**, Christoph Arndt, and Georg Wenzelburger. 2016. "Hvordan reagerer vælgerne på velfærdsforringelser? [How Do Voters Respond to Welfare State Retrenchment?]" *Politica* 48(3): 303-319. [In Danish]

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**Lee, Seonghui**, Nick Lin, and Randy Stevenson. 2016. "An Expanded Empirical Evaluation of Cross-National Comparability of Survey Measures of Political Interest Using Anchoring Vignettes: A Research Note." *Electoral Studies* 44: 423-428.

**Lee, Seonghui**, Nick Lin, and Randy Stevenson. 2015. "Evaluating the Cross-National Comparability of Survey Measures of Political Interest Using Anchoring Vignettes." *Electoral Studies* 39: 205-218.

**Lee, Seonghui**. 2014. "Party Responsiveness to the Collective Judgment of the Electorate: The Case of Presidential Popularity in Latin America." *Comparative Political Studies* 47(14): 1973-1999.

**Lee, Seonghui** and Young-jae Jin. 2006. "Party Policy Differentiation after DLP's Entry in the Legislative Process." *Korean Journal of Legislative Studies* 22: 223-255. [In Korean]

#### GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Research Grant, Department of Political Science, Aarhus University (DKK 45,000), 2017.

Interacting Minds Centre (IMC) Seed Research Grant, Aarhus University (DKK 30,000), 2017.

Interacting Minds Centre (IMC) Seed Research Grant, Aarhus University (DKK 30,000), 2016.

National Science Foundation (NSF) Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant: SES-1264275 (USD 20,862), 2013.

Academic Research Grant, Yonsei University, Office of Graduate Studies, South Korea, Spring 2007.

Research Fellowship, Korea Research Foundation, South Korea, 2006 – 2007.

#### ORIGINAL MASS SURVEYS AND SURVEY EXPERIMENTS FIELDIED

2018    Germany, Denmark, Netherlands, United Kingdom (scheduled)

2017    Canada, United Kingdom, USA

2015    Argentina, Canada, China, Chile, Denmark, Germany, Japan, S. Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Poland, United Kingdom, USA

2014    Denmark, Germany, Italy, USA

2013    United Kingdom, USA

#### WORK IN PROGRESS

Political Systems and Political Interest: How Differences in Political Institutions Promote or Suppress Political Interest (with Randy Stevenson), Book Manuscript in Preparation.

Multi-dimensional Policy Preferences in the 2015 UK General Election: A Conjoint Analysis (with Akitaka Matsuo) – *Invited to Revise and Resubmit*

Mass Media Attention to Welfare State Reforms: Evidence from Britain, 1996-2014 (with Carsten Jensen) – *Under review*

The Magic of Nine Months: How Governments Strategically Time Welfare State Reforms (with Georg Wenzelburger, Carsten Jensen, and Christoph Arndt) – *Under review*

The Nature and Origins of Voters' Perceptions of the Left-Right Positions of Parties (with Randy Stevenson and Philip Santoso)

Explaining Cross-National Differences in Political Interest: The Role of Partisan and Ideological Cues (with Randy Stevenson)

Belief Strength and Updating Party Policy Positions (with Carsten Jensen)

Political Information at the Border of Factual Knowledge and Subjective Beliefs (with David J. Hendry and Akitaka Matsuo)

The Role of Coping Potential in Enhancing Interest: An Experimental Study of Cognitive Appraisal Theory of Political Interest

Sources of Confidence in Political Knowledge and Judgment: An experimental study on the role of information accessibility and relevance

Modeling Political Knowledge and Uncertainty (with Benjamin Lauderdale and Akitaka Matsuo)

Voice and Exit of the Dissatisfied Electorates in Plurality Elections: The Effects of Electoral Contexts

#### **CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION (SELECTED RECENT)**

"Paths to false beliefs: Ignorance, partisan motivation, and conspiracy mentality" (with David Hendry and Akitaka Matsuo)

- European Political Science Association Annual Meeting, June 2018, Vienna, Austria.

"The Nature and Origins of Voters' Perceptions of the Left-Right Positions of Parties" (with Randy Stevenson and Philip Santoso)

- European Political Science Association Annual Meeting, June 2018, Vienna, Austria.

"Mass Media Attention to Welfare State Reforms: Evidence from Britain, 1996-2014" (with Carsten Jensen)

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, September 2017, San Francisco, CA.

"Sources of Confidence in Political Knowledge and Judgment: An Experimental Study on the Role of Information Accessibility and Relevance"

- European Political Science Association Annual Meeting, June 2017, Milan, Italy.

"Engaged: Married or Divorced? Why Changes in Marital Status Matter for Women's Political Engagement" (with Tiffany D. Barnes)

- European Conference on Politics and Gender, June 2017, Lausanne, Switzerland.
- European Political Science Association Annual Conference, June 2013, Barcelona, Spain.

"Explaining Cross-National Differences in Political Interest: The Role of Partisan and Ideological Cues" (with Randy Stevenson)

- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2017, Chicago, IL.

"Multi-dimensional Policy Preferences in the 2015 UK General Election: A Conjoint Analysis" (with Aki Mastuo)

- European Political Science Association Annual Meeting, June 2016, Brussels, Belgium.
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2016, Chicago, IL.

"Government Support and Welfare State Reforms" (with Carsten Jensen, Christoph Arndt, and Georg Wenzelburger)

- ECPR General Conference, September 2016, Prague, Hungary.
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2016, Chicago, IL.

"Politics Will Be Interesting If You Can Cope With It: The Role of Political Heuristics in Enhancing Political interest"

- Political Psychology Conference, ASCoR, December 2015, Amsterdam, the Netherlands.
- IBH Workshop on Political Behavior, University of Konstanz, May 2015, Germany.
- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2014, Washington DC.

"Gender-Matching and the Validity of Anchoring Vignette Technique: An Application to Political Interest" (with Nick Lin and Randy Stevenson)

- Asian Political Methodology Meeting, January 2015, Taipei, Taiwan.

"Evaluating the Cross-National Comparability of Survey Measures of Political Interest Using Anchoring Vignettes" (with Nick Lin and Randy Stevenson)

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2014, Washington DC.

"Does 'How Much You Know about What You Know' Matter?: The Use of Self-Assessed Correctness in Political Knowledge Research" (with Akitaka Matsuo)

- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2014, Chicago, IL.
- Asian Political Methodology Meeting, January 2014, Tokyo, Japan.

## **INVITED TALKS**

2018     University of York, University of Essex

2017     Royal Holloway University of London, University of Exeter

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Apples and Oranges: How to Make Valid Comparisons in Political Research, Aarhus University

- Instructor: Fall 2016 (Graduate Level)

Political Motivations, Engagement and Democracy in Comparative Perspective, Aarhus University

- Instructor: Spring 2016 (Graduate Level)

Political Institutions: Western Countries, EU, and Foreign Policy, Aarhus University

- Team teaching: Spring 2016

Introduction to American Politics, University of Zürich

- Teaching Assistant: Fall 2014

American Government and Politics, Rice University

- Teaching Assistant: Spring 2013, Fall 2012, Spring 2010, Fall 2010

Introduction to Comparative Politics, Rice University  
· Teaching Assistant: Spring 2012

*Pedagogical Training*

Completion of Teacher Training Program (adjunktpædagogikum), Center for Teaching and Learning, Aarhus University, January 2017.

Completion of Teaching Workshop Certificate Program, Rice University Office of Graduate & Post-doctoral Studies, November 2012.

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

**Member:** American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, European Political Science Association, Danish Political Science Association

**Referee:** *The Journal of Politics* (2015, 2016, 2017)

**COMPUTING AND PROGRAMMING SKILLS**

R, Stata, Wolfram Mathematica, z-Tree Experimental Software, Inquisit, Qualtrics

**REFERENCES**

*Available upon request*