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🏛 EDUCATION

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| Aug 2021 - Present | Ph.D. in Governance Hertie School Data Science Lab | BERLIN, GERMANY Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Simon Munzert |
| Jun 2020 | Master of Public Policy (MPP), Policy Analysis Hertie School | BERLIN, GERMANY |
| May 2017 | B.A in Political Science and Government Sociology Stony Brook University | STONY BROOK, NY, US |

📖 PUBLICATIONS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

1. Simon Munzert, **Sebastian Ramirez-Ruiz**, Andrew M. Guess, Pablo Barberá, and JungHwan Yang. "Who's Cheating on Your Survey? A Detection Approach with Digital Trace Data" *Political Science Research and Methods*, forthcoming.
2. Simon Munzert, **Sebastian Ramirez-Ruiz**, Başak Çalı, Lukas F. Stoetzer, Anita Gohdes, and William Lowe. "Prioritization preferences for COVID-19 vaccination are consistent across five countries." *Humanities and Social Sciences Communications* forthcoming.
3. Simon Munzert and **Sebastian Ramirez-Ruiz**. "Meta-Analysis of the Effects of Voting Advice Applications." 2021. *Political Communication*. (2021); 691-706

WORKING PAPERS

1. "Uncertainty and Conflict Termination Preferences: Evidence from Colombia."
2. "Mapping the Online News Environment: Leveraging survey and web-tracking data for audience networks"
3. "A Framework for Publishing Combined Web Tracking and Survey Data." (in collaboration with Simon Munzert, Oliver Watteler, Johannes Breuer, Veronika Batzdorfer, Christina Eder, and Deborah Wiltshire)

🏢 RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| Jun 2020 - Present | Research Associate to Prof. Simon Munzert | HERTIE SCHOOL |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• "Media Exposure and Opinion Formation in an Age of Information Overload" (Simon Munzert, Pablo Barberá, Andrew Guess, JungHwan Yang Volkswagen Stiftung)• "Global Preferences for Online Hate Speech Regulation" (Simon Munzert, Richard Traummüller Facebook) | |
| Jan 2020 - Present | Teaching Assistant - Causal Inference and Statistical Modeling | HERTIE SCHOOL |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student assessments : 8.9/10 (Spring 2022) 9.6/10 (Spring 2021) 9.3/10 (Fall 2020) 8.9/10 (Spring 2020) | |
| Sep 2019 - May 2020 | Research Assistant to Prof. Slava Jankin Mikhaylov | HERTIE SCHOOL |
| Sep 2019 - May 2020 | Research Assistant to Prof. Simon Munzert | HERTIE SCHOOL |
| Sep 2016 - Dec 2016 | Teaching Assistant - World Politics | STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| Jan 2018 - May 2018 | Program Assistant - Consultant | MALTESER INTERNATIONAL AMERICAS New York, NY, USA |
| Sep 2017 - May 2018 | Adviser to the Ambassador | PERMANENT MISSION OF THE SOVEREIGN ORDER OF MALTA TO THE UN New York, NY, USA |
| Jan 2017 - Aug 2017 | Diplomatic Intern | PERMANENT MISSION OF THE SOVEREIGN ORDER OF MALTA TO THE UN New York, NY, USA |

HONORS

Hertie School Doctoral Stipend
 DAAD - Colfuturo Scholarship
 Provost Award for Academic Excellence - Stony Brook University
 Colombian Education Fund Scholarship
 SUNY Empire State and NCC Foundation Diversity Honor Scholarship
 Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

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| 2022 | CIVICA Data Science Days (Florence, IT), EPSA (Prague, CZ), PolMeth Europe (Hamburg, DE), Media Exposure and Opinion Workshop (Princeton, US), Latin American Peace Science Society Annual Conference (Remote) |
| 2020 | AFK-Empirical Peace and Conflict Workshop (Berlin, DE) |

CERTIFICATES

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|---------------------|---|-------------------|
| Jan 2020 | Hertie School | BERLIN, GERMANY |
| | Introduction to Teaching in Higher Education | |
| Sep 2017 - May 2018 | New York University | NEW YORK, NY, USA |
| | Diploma in Monitoring and Evaluation: Project Management for the UN, Government, and NGOs | |

SKILLS

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| R, \LaTeX , Git, HTML | <i>Advanced</i> |
| Python, CSS, JS, SQL | <i>Intermediate</i> |
| C++ | <i>Basic</i> |

LANGUAGES

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| Spanish, English | ●●●●● |
| Italian | ●●●●● |
| German | ●●●●● |

REFERENCES

Upon request

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