Analysis of previous/following position of AAGs and FTC Commissioners

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Merging nomination data with personnel Excel

Identifying renominated individuals

Updating dataframe with new data

Data reshaping and calculations

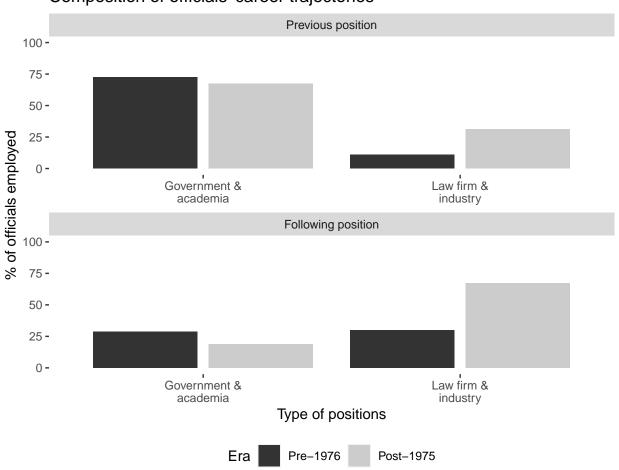
Previous positions

Following positions

Summarizing revolving door

Create figures

Composition of officials' career trajectories



Nomination analysis

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Nomination data split by president

Nomination data split by type of position and president

Nomination data split by type of position

Nomination data split by decade

Nomination data split by party in control of Senate

Nomination data split by era and party in control of Senate

Did the NYT cover nominations/hearings?

Table 1: Nomination hearing data by decade

| | | | NYT coverage of: | |
|------------------|--------|------------|------------------|---------|
| Name | Agency | Start year | Nomination | Hearing |
| David Dennison | FTC | 1970 | No | No |
| David Clanton | FTC | 1976 | Yes | No |
| John Shenefield | DOJ | 1977 | Yes | No |
| Robert Pitofsky | FTC | 1978 | No | No |
| William Baxter | DOJ | 1981 | Yes | No |
| James Miller | FTC | 1981 | No | No |
| Douglas Ginsburg | DOJ | 1985 | Yes | No |
| Andrew Strenio | FTC | 1986 | Yes | No |
| Dennis Yao | FTC | 1991 | No | No |
| Charles James | DOJ | 1992 | No | No |
| Anne Bingaman | DOJ | 1993 | Yes | No |
| Sheila Anthony | FTC | 1997 | No | No |
| Timothy Muris | FTC | 2001 | Yes | No |
| Pamela Harbour | FTC | 2003 | No | No |
| Thomas Barnett | DOJ | 2005 | No | No |
| William Kovacic | FTC | 2006 | No | No |
| William Baer | DOJ | 2012 | Yes | Yes |
| Makan Delrahim | DOJ | 2017 | Yes | No |
| Christine Wilson | FTC | 2018 | No | No |
| Noah Phillips | FTC | 2018 | Yes | No |