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Education

Ph.D., *Politics*, Princeton University, 2021-
M.A., *Politics*, Princeton University, 2023
M.A., *Political Science & Public Administration*, Universität Konstanz, 2021
M.A., *Political Science*, Rutgers University, 2020
B.A., *Political Science & Public Administration*, Universität Konstanz, 2018
Erasmus exchange, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, 2016-2017

Publications

1. GERDA: German Election Database. 2025. (with Hanno Hilbig, Florian Sichart, and Andreas Wiedemann). *Nature: Scientific Data*, 12: 618 (2025).

Working Papers

1. The Green Transition and Political Polarization Along Occupational Lines (with Hanno Hilbig and Erik Voeten). R&R, *American Political Science Review*.
2. Climate Exposure Drives Firm Political Behavior: Evidence from Earnings Calls and Lobbying Data (with Christian Baehr and Fiona Bare). R&R, *American Journal of Political Science*.
3. Place-Based Policies, Local Responses, and Electoral Behavior (with Hanno Hilbig and Andreas Wiedemann).
4. Long-run Political Change after the Great Recession (with Hanno Hilbig).
5. Economic Insecurity Increases Polarization and Decreases Trust (with Joanna B. Bryson).

Selected Work in Progress

- **Dissertation:** Building Coalitions: The Partisan Politics of Housing Supply.
- The Polarization of the Immigration Debate: Evidence from 9 National Parliaments (with Ran Abramitzky, Leah Boustan, Rafaela Dancygier, and Ahra Wu).
- Housing Financialization as Political Opportunism (with Rafaela Dancygier and Andreas Wiedemann).

Awards and Grants

Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies Research Grant (\$3,000), 2024
Princeton Research in Experimental Social Science Grant (\$1,500), 2024
Princeton Language and Intelligence Seed Grant (\$49,000), 2024
Stafford Award (\$1,200), 2022-2025
Andlinger Center for Energy and the Environment Grant (\$1,150), 2023
Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance Grant (\$2,000), 2021 & 2023
Dexheimer Preis, Universität Konstanz, 2020

European Student Policy Competition Winner, Yale University, 2020

International Study and Training Partnerships (12,275€), German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), 2019

Teaching

Comparative Political Economy – POL 352 Undergrad
TA for John Londregan, Princeton, Spring 2025

Empirical Research Methods for Political Science – POL 571 Grad
TA for Jonathan Mummolo, Princeton, Fall 2024

Senior Thesis Research Presentation – POL 983 Undergrad
Head coordinator, Princeton, Fall 2023

Introduction to Quantitative Social Science - POL 345 Undergrad
TA for Arthur Zeyang Yu, Princeton, Spring 2023

International Relations and European Integration – Undergrad
TA for Katharina Holzinger, Konstanz, Fall 2018/19

Presentations

Invited Talks

2025: Transformations of Democracy Junior Scholars Workshop WZB Berlin

2024: Copenhagen Housing Workshop, Migration and Diversity Colloquium WZB Berlin, Political Economy of Europe APSA Pre-Conference, Princeton Political Economy of Climate Change Conference, Transformations of Democracy Junior Scholars Workshop WZB Berlin

2023: Northeast Regional Workshop in European Politics

Annual Meetings

2025: APSA, EPSA, MPSA

2024: APSA, EPSA, IPES, NEWEPS

2023: APSA, EuroWEPS, IPES, IPSA, ISA, NEWEPS

2022: APSA, ISA

2021: ISA

Affiliations

Graduate Student Affiliate, Initiatives on Contemporary European Affairs, Princeton University, 2024-2025

Graduate Student Affiliate, Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance, Princeton University, 2021-2025

Visiting Researcher, Humboldt University of Berlin (Host: Heike Klüver), 2025

Visiting Researcher, WZB Berlin Social Science Center (Host: Daniel Ziblatt), 2023, 2024

Visiting Researcher, Hertie School Berlin (Host: Joanna Bryson), 2021, 2022

Referee Service

American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics

Languages

German (Native), English (Fluent), Spanish (Fluent), Latin (advanced proficiency)