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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Economy, Accountability, Representation, Quantitative Political Methodology

EDUCATION

London School of Economics and Political Science 09/2022 – (Expc.) 09/2023
M.Sc. Political Science and Political Economy London, UK

- Courses on Political Economy, Causal Inference, Machine Learning, and Climate Change.
- Elected to the *Staff Student Liaison Committee*.

Freie Universität Berlin 10/2019 – 08/2022
B.A. Political Science Berlin, Germany

- Final GPA: 1.3 out of 5.
- BA thesis advised by Prof. Dr. Throsten Faas and Prof. Dr. Thomas Rixen and given best possible grade of 1.0. A copy is available upon request.
- Minor in Economics including (voluntary) courses such as: Micro I, Macro I, Econometrics I, Public Economics, Game Theory, and Causal Inference.

Georg-Herwegh-Gymnasium 08/2012 – 06/2019
Abitur (High School Diploma) Berlin, Germany

- Graduated with a 1.4 GPA taking advanced modules in English and Physics, with further examinations in Mathematics, Politics, and Biology.
- Study abroad in Vassar, MI, USA in the 2016/2017 school year.
- Extracurricular: Student representative in final two years.

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Institute for Parliamentary Studies (IParl) 08/2020 – 08/2022
Student Research Assistant Berlin, Germany

- Assisted Dr. Benjamin Höhne with analysis and visualisation of quantitative and qualitative data for work that was published in peer-reviewed journals (*G & O*, *ZPol*).

PAPERS

PUBLISHED

(Non peer-reviewed)

1. A Baumgartner, H Klepper, CE Müller, A Paillette-Liettilä, M Wessels, **F Wortmann Callejón**, A Souris (2022). “Demokratie im Krisenmodus: Parlamente in der Corona-Pandemie“. *Refubium FU Berlin*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.17169/refubium-36176>

UNDER REVIEW

2. AS Heinze, B Höhne, **F Wortmann Callejón**. “What Drives the Intra-Party Democracy of the “Alternative for Germany”: Populist Ideology, Low Institutionalisation or Lacking Party Unity?”. *R&R*
3. **F Wortmann Callejón** "Regional election in Berlin, 12 February 2023" *Under review at: Electoral Bulletins of the European Union*.

WORKING PAPERS

4. A Köneke, **F Wortmann Callejón**. “Second-Order Effects in German State Elections: Quasi-Experimental Evidence from Berlin.”
5. **F Wortmann Callejón**. “When The Levee Breaks: On the Perils of Using Natural Disasters for Causal Inference.”
MSc thesis supervised by Dr. Melissa Sands.

Updated: May 7, 2023

CONFERENCE & (INVITED) SEMINAR PARTICIPATIONS

Annual Meeting of the GPSA Analytical Political Theory Group 06/2023

Title: *"Second-Order Effects in German State Elections: Quasi-Experimental Evidence from Berlin."* w/ Anton Könneke.

Berlin University Alliance Conference for Student Research 10/2022

Panels: *COVID-Times, The Issue of CO₂.*

SCHOLARSHIPS

Heinrich-Böll-Foundation

07/2021 – 10/2023

Study grant

Berlin, Germany and London, UK

- The Heinrich-Böll-Foundation is supporting my studies with a monthly stipend. Furthermore, the foundation covers about 10,000€ of my tuition fees and living expenses at the LSE.

LEADERSHIP/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Working Group "Quo vadis, EU?"

04/2022 – 08/2023

Co-Organiser

Heinrich-Böll-Foundation

- As co-organiser of the working group on the future of Europe ("Quo vadis, EU"), I connect Böll-Fellows with policy stakeholders and researchers on topics concerning the European Union. I have organised three in-person meetings of the group, which included contacting speakers, coordinating contents, and summarising our work in a policy paper.

Berlin Adler and Spanish U19 National Team

06/2014 – 08/2019

Team Captain

Berlin, Germany and Madrid, Spain

- Played American Football at the Berlin Adler club for more than four years, winning the team MVP award in my last U19 season, when I was also team captain for my club and for the Spanish U19 national team.

LANGUAGES AND FURTHER SKILLS

Languages: German (native), Spanish (native), English (C2/8.5 IELTS Band Score), French (basic proficiency).

Statistical Software: R (Expert), STATA (Proficient), SPSS (Proficient).

Software: L^AT_EX; R Markdown; MS Word, PowerPoint, and Excel; Adobe InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop.

REFERENCES

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