# Research Proposal

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### **Research Question**

\* Does asset still determine individual trade-policy preferences towards trade barriers in this post-financial crisis, anti-globalization administration situation?

#### **Previous Work**

- \* Scheve, Slaughter (2000)
  - \* Main theoretical framework (factor type, asset)
- \* Irwin (1994, 1996) and Magee (1978)
  - \* Evidence for preferences determined by industry
- \* Beaulieu (1996, 1998), Balistreri (1997), Rogowski (1987, 1989)
  - \* Evidence for factor type dominants

#### **Dataset**

- \* American National Election Study
- \* Census Occupation Code
- \* Census Industry Code
- \* Housing value in every county

## Methodology

- \* Logistic regression
- \* Possible tree-based method depending on the dataset