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Academic Positions

- 2019- **School of Social and Political Sciences; University of Glasgow**
Professor of Politics and Research Methods
- 2013-2019 **School of Politics & International Relations; University of Nottingham**
 - 2016-2019 Associate Professor (Reader) in Politics and Research Methods
 - 2013-2016 Assistant Professor in Politics and Research Methods
- 2010-2012 **Nuffield College; University of Oxford**
Post-doctoral Prize Research Fellow

Other Academic Affiliations

- 2026- Project Manager, "Education and Indoctrination", V-Dem Project
- 2025- Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences
- 2015- Associate Fellow, Higher Education Academy
- 2015-2019 Associate Member, ESRC Centre for Micro-Social Change; University of Essex
- 2014-2019 Co-Director & founder, Nottingham Interdisciplinary Center of Economic & Political Research
- 2013-2022 Associate Member, Nuffield College; University of Oxford

Research Interests

My research examines how political regimes, institutions and formative political experiences shape citizens' democratic attitudes and behaviour. I focus particularly on political socialisation, civic education, support for democracy, democratic resilience and the attitudinal legacies of authoritarianism and regime change. My research also addresses electoral behaviour, political persuasion and the role of education and information in strengthening democratic citizenship.

Methodologically, I specialise in comparative and longitudinal research designs, including cross-national survey research, field and survey experiments, cohort and age-period-cohort analysis, panel-data methods, multilevel modelling and latent-variable measurement.

Educational Background

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| 2006-2010 | University of Essex, UK.
Doctor of Philosophy in Politics.
Supervisory Board: Prof. Paul Whiteley, Prof. David Sanders. |
| 2005-2006 | University of Essex, UK.
Master of Arts in Public Opinion and Polling (with distinction). |
| 2002-2005 | University of Mannheim, Germany.
Undergraduate Study in Political Science, Sociology, and Economics.
(Diplom Sozialwissenschaften; no degree obtained) |

Publications

Google Scholar profile

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

1. Neundorf, A., Finkel, S., Öztürk, A., and E. Rascón Ramírez. "Promoting Democracy Online: Evidence from a 33-Country Experiment." **American Political Science Review** (accepted).
2. Neundorf, A., Gerschewski, J., Lindstaedt, N., Olar, R.G., and R. Shorrocks. "Learning Democracy: The Lasting Effects of Political Education on Democratic Support." **European Journal of Political Research** (accepted).
3. Facchini, G., Neundorf, A., Pardos-Prado, S., and C. Testa. "Regional Deprivation, Individual Prospects, and Political Resentment." **British Journal of Political Science** (accepted).
4. Tertychnaya, K., Kim, W., Neundorf, A., Nazrullaeva, E., and K. Northmore-Ball. "Power Personalization and Indoctrination in Dictatorships." **Political Science Research and Methods** (accepted).
5. Öztürk, A., Neundorf, A., Finkel, S., and E. Rascón Ramírez. (2026). "Keep Positive and Defend Democracy: Framing Democratic Messages Under Authoritarianism." **European Journal of Political Research** (online first).
6. Kim, W., Nazrullaeva, E., Neundorf, A., Northmore-Ball, K., and Tertychnaya, K. (2026). "Strategies of political control and regime survival in autocracies." **Democratization**, 1–25.
7. Yameogo, S., and A. Neundorf. (2026). "The Impact of Terrorism on Democratic Support in Africa." **Journal of Conflict Resolution**, 70(7-8), 1326-1353.
8. Neundorf, A., Dahlum, S., Skaaning Fredriksen, K., and A. Öztürk. (2026). "Elections Without Constraints? The Appeal of Electoral Autocracy Across the World." **British Journal of Political Science**, 56, e1.
9. Yameogo, S., Neundorf, A., and A. Öztürk. (2025). "Promoting Democracy in the Context of Terrorism: Experimental Evidence from Burkina Faso." **Political Science Research and Methods** (online first).

10. Del Río Rodríguez, A., Kim, W., Knutsen, C.H., Nazrullaeva, E., Neundorf, A., and A. Paglayan. (2025). "Enhancing Transparency and Replicability in Data Collection: Lessons from Three Education Datasets." **Perspectives on Politics** (online first).
11. Eroğlu, M., Finkel, S., Neundorf, A., Öztürk, A., and E. Rascón Ramírez. (2025). "Choosing Democracy Over Party? How Civic Education Can Mitigate the Anti-democratic Effects of Partisan Polarization." **British Journal of Political Science**, 55, e65.
12. Neundorf, A. and S. Pardos-Prado. (2025). "Historical memory and radical right voting: VOX and the legacy of Francoism." **Journal of Politics**, 88 (1), 419-425.
13. Neundorf, A. and K. Northmore-Ball. (2025). "Learning to vote in democratic and authoritarian elections." **Electoral Studies**, 98.
14. Neundorf, A. and A. Öztürk. (2025), "Advertising Online Surveys on Social Media: How Your Advertisements Affect Your Samples." **Public Opinion Quarterly**, 89(2), 335-360.
15. Neundorf, A. and R.G. Olar. (2025). "Winds of change: Democratic transitions and long-term democratic support." **Democratization**, 32(1): 123-145.
16. Neundorf, A., Öztürk, A., Northmore-Ball, K., Tertytchnaya, K., and J. Gerschewski. (2025). "A Loyal Base: Support for Authoritarian Regimes in Times of Crisis." **Comparative Political Studies**, 58(9): 1854-1889.
17. Claassen, C., Ackermann, K., Bertsou, E., Borba, L., Carlin, R. E., Cavari, A., Dahlum, S., Gherghina, S., Hawkins, D., Lelkes, Y., Magalhães, P. C., Mattes, R., Meijers, M. J., Neundorf, A., Oross, D., Öztürk, A., Sarsfield, R., Self, D., Stanley, B., and E.J. Zechmeister. (2024). "Conceptualizing and Measuring Support for Democracy: A New Approach." **Comparative Political Studies**, 58(6): 1171-1198.
18. Neundorf A., Nazrullaeva E., Northmore-Ball K., Tertytchnaya K., Kim W. (2024). "Varieties of Indoctrination: The Politicization of Education and the Media around the World." **Perspectives on Politics**, 22(3): 771-798.
19. Finkel, S., Neundorf, A., and E. Rascón Ramírez. (2024). "Can Online Civic Education Induce Democratic Citizenship? Experimental Evidence from a New Democracy." **American Journal of Political Science**, 68(2): 613-630.
20. Neundorf, A. and A. Öztürk, (2023). "How to Improve Representativeness and Cost-effectiveness in Samples Recruited through Meta: A Comparison of Advertisement Tools." **PLOS ONE**, 18(2): e0281243.
21. Cavaillé, C. and A. Neundorf. (2023). "Elite Cues and Economic Policy Attitudes: The Mediating Role of Economic Hardship." **Political Behavior**, 45: 1355-1376.
22. Neundorf, A. and R. Shorrocks. (2022). "Revisiting the Impact of Modernization on Support for Women Politicians: The Role of Women's Political Empowerment." **Comparative Political Studies**, 55(8), 1298-1331.
23. Neundorf, A. and S. Pardos-Prado. (2022). "The Impact of Covid-19 on Trump's Electoral Demise: The Role of Economic and Democratic Accountability." **Perspectives on Politics**, 20(1):170-186.
24. McLaren, L., Neundorf, A., and I. Patterson. (2021). "Diversity and Perceptions of Immigration: How the Past Influences the Present." **Political Studies**, 69(3): 725-747.

25. Evans, G. and A. Neundorf. (2020). "Core political values and the long-term shaping of partisanship." **British Journal of Political Science**, 50(4):1263-1281.
26. Neundorf, A. and G. Pop-Eleches. (2020). "Dictators and Their Subjects: Authoritarian Attitudinal Effects and Legacies." **Comparative Political Studies**, 53(12): 1839-1860.
27. Neundorf, A., Gerschewski, J. and R.G. Olar. (2020). "How do inclusionary and exclusionary autocracies affect ordinary people?" **Comparative Political Studies**, 53(12): 1890-1925.
28. Tilley, J., Neundorf, A. and S. Hobolt. (2018). "When the pound in people's pockets matters: How actual income and employment changes affect voters' party preferences." **Journal of Politics**, 80(2): 555-569.
29. Neundorf, A. and J. Adams. (2018). "The micro-foundation of party competition and issue ownership: The reciprocal effects of citizens' issue salience and party attachments." **British Journal of Political Science**, 48(2): 385-406.
30. Neundorf, A. and S. Soroka. (2018). "The Origins of Redistributive Policy Preferences: Political Socialization With and Without a Welfare State." **West European Politics**, 41(2): 400-427.
31. Neundorf, A., Niemi, R. and K. Smets. (2016). "The Compensation Effect of Civic Education on Political Engagement: How Civics Classes Make Up for Missing Parental Socialization." **Political Behavior** 38(4): 921-949.
32. Neundorf, A. and R. Niemi. (2014). "Beyond political socialization: New approaches in age, period, cohort analysis." **Electoral Studies**, 33: 1-6.
33. Smets, K. and A. Neundorf. (2014). "The hierarchies of age-period-cohort research: Political context and generational turnout patterns." **Electoral Studies**, 33: 41-51.
34. Neundorf, A., Smets, K. and G. Garcia Albacete. (2013). "Homemade citizens: The development of political interest during young adolescence and young adulthood." **Acta Politica** 48(1): 92-116.
35. Abney, A., Adams, J., Clark, M., Easton, M., Ezrow, L., Kosmidis, S. and A. Neundorf. (2013). "When does valence matter? On heightened valence effects for governing parties during election campaigns." **Party Politics** 19(1): 61-82.
36. Mueller, T. and A. Neundorf. (2012). "The role of the state in the repression and revival of religiosity in Central Eastern Europe." **Social Forces**, 91(2): 559-582.
37. Neundorf, A., Stegmueller, D. and T.J. Scotto. (2011). "The individual level dynamics of bounded partisanship." **Public Opinion Quarterly** 75(3): 458-482. [Award: SOEP Best Scientific Publication 2012/2013].
38. Neundorf, A. (2011). "Die Links-Rechts-Dimension auf dem Prüfstand: Ideologisches Wählen in Ost- und Westdeutschland 1990-2008." [Testing the left-right dimension: Ideological voting in East and West Germany, 1990-2008]. **Politische Vierteljahresschrift** 45 (special issue 'Voting in Germany'): 227-250.
39. Neundorf, A. (2010). "Democracy in transition: A micro perspective on system change in post-Soviet societies." **Journal of Politics** 72(4): 1096-1108.

40. Neundorf, A. (2009). "Growing up on different sides of the Wall – A quasi-experimental test: Applying the left-right dimension to the German mass public." **German Politics** 18(2): 201-225.

Edited Volumes

1. Neundorf, A. and G. Pop-Eleches (eds) (2020), 'Dictators and their citizens: The legacy of authoritarian regimes on civil society'. Special issue of **Comparative Political Studies**, Vol. 53(12).
 2. Neundorf, A. and R. Niemi (eds) (2014), 'Beyond political socialization: New approaches in age, period, cohort analysis'. Special issue of **Electoral Studies**, Vol. 33.
 3. Neundorf, A., Zeller, J. and J. Zado (eds) (2009), 'Hochschulen im Wettbewerb: Innenansichten über die Herausforderungen des deutschen Hochschulsystems' [Universities in competition: Analysing the challenges of Germany's higher education system]. Bonn: Dietz-Verlag.
- (Book Review: Zeitschrift für Politikwissenschaften, Journal of Political Science; 05/2010)

Data

1. Neundorf, A., Nazrullaeva, E., Northmore-Ball, K., Tertytchnaya, K., Kim, W., Benavot, A., Bromley, P., Knutsen, C.H., Lutscher, P., Marquardt, K., Paglayan, A., Pemstein, D., Seim, B., and O. Rydén. (2023), "Varieties of Political Indoctrination in Education and the Media (V-Indoc) Dataset V1." DEMED Project.

Other Publications

1. Neundorf, A. (2026), "Reclaiming Democracy Through Online Civic Education." FES Democratic Expedition policy briefing, CEU Democracy Institute. Online.
2. Neundorf, A. (2026), "Online Democracy Education Can Work, New Evidence Shows." *Democracy Without Borders*. Online.
3. Neundorf, A. (2026), "New Spotlight Series: Anja Neundorf." Authoritarian Political Systems Group Spotlight Series. Online.
4. Neundorf, A. (2026), commissioned evidence review on civic education interventions and democratic outcomes in developing, emerging and fragile contexts. German Institute for Development Evaluation (DEval).
5. Neundorf, A. and A. Öztürk (2021), "Recruiting Research Participants Through Facebook Advertisements: A Handbook." OSF Preprints. doi:10.31219/osf.io/87rg3.
6. Neundorf, A. and K. Smets (2017), "Political Socialization: The making of citizens." **Oxford Handbooks Online**. Oxford University Press.
7. Neundorf, A. (2012), 'Political leaders and democratic elections' (edited by Kees Aarts, André Blais and Hermann Schmitt). **West European Politics** 35(2): 434-435.

Doctoral Thesis

Neundorff, A. (2010), 'The post-socialist citizen: Adjusting to a new political system', University of Essex.

Awards & Scholarships

2026	International Visiting Fellowship, Cluster of Excellence "The Politics of Inequality", University of Konstanz. Value: 22,500€.
2025	Elected Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences.
2013	SOEP Best Scientific Publication (Second Prize), DIW Berlin, Ger. Value: 500€.
2010	Best PhD research achievement in 2009-2010; University of Essex, UK. Value: £100. Master of Arts by resolution; University of Oxford, UK.
2008	Box-Steffensmeier Award (fee waiver for ICPSR Summer Program). Value: \$2,500.
2007-2010	PhD Scholarship; Friedrich-Ebert Foundation, Germany. Value: 45,000€.
2006-2009	ESRC +3 Quota Award; British Economic and Social Research Council, UK. Value: £11,000.
2006-2008	Department of Government Scholarship; University of Essex, UK. Value: £3,000.
2004-2006	Scholarship (BA and MA); Friedrich-Ebert Foundation, Germany. Value: 23,000€.

Teaching*Quantitative Methods and Research Design*

BA Seminar and Computer Lab: Designing Political Research (Nottingham).

BA Seminar and Computer Lab: How Voters Decide (Nottingham).

BA Seminar and Computer Lab: Political Analysis (Essex).

MA Seminar: Designing Political Enquiry (Nottingham).

PhD course: Research Design (Glasgow).

PhD Workshop: Intermediate Quantitative Analysis (Nottingham Doctoral Training Centre).

PhD Workshop: Latent Class Analysis (Nottingham Doctoral Training Centre).

PhD Workshop: Cohort Analysis (True European Voter Winter School, Mannheim).

PhD Workshop: Intermediate and Advanced Programming in SPSS (Frankfurt Summer School).

PhD Course: Longitudinal Data Analysis (Essex Summer School).

PhD/MA Course: Introduction to Panel Data Analysis (University of Vienna).

PhD Course: Introduction to Panel Data Analysis (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona).

PhD Computer Lab: Causal Models and Structural Equations (Essex Summer School).

Political Behaviour

BA Seminar: Voters and Elections (Nottingham).

BA Tutorials: Political Sociology (Oxford).

BA Computer Lab: Political Culture in Germany (Mannheim)

MA Seminar: Political Sociology (Oxford).

Comparative Politics

MA (Honours) course: Authoritarianism (Glasgow).

BA Lectures and Seminar: Introduction to Comparative Politics (Nottingham).

BA Lectures: Introduction to European Politics (Nottingham).

Thesis Supervision

Glasgow: current PhD supervision of Kutlu Acun; 1 completed PhD and numerous MA and BA. Hosted visiting PhD researchers from the University of Konstanz and the University of Barcelona (2025–26).

Nottingham: Several PhD (4 completed; 2 incomplete when leaving), numerous MA and BA.

Oxford: 1 MPhil dissertation.

Researcher Development and Mentoring

Day-to-day leadership and mentoring of the DEMED research team; mentoring of Leverhulme Early Career Fellow Wooseok Kim; support for colleagues preparing ERC applications through proposal feedback and mock interviews; advice to new ERC grantees on project set-up and administration; session for International Relations PGT students on becoming an academic.

PhD Thesis Examinations (external)

Trinity College Dublin; University of Oxford; King's College London; University College London; Copenhagen Business School; Aarhus University; University of Amsterdam; European University Institute; University of Konstanz; University of Pittsburgh; Science Po Paris; University of Stuttgart.

Visiting Positions

2027	International Visiting Fellow, Cluster of Excellence "The Politics of Inequality", University of Konstanz.
2023-24	Pompeu Fabra University; Barcelona (invited by Prof. Ignacio Lago).
2022	Pompeu Fabra University; Barcelona (invited by Prof. Ignacio Lago).
2018	Science Po, Paris (invited by Dr. Jan Rovny). Paul Lazarsfeld Guest Professorship, University of Vienna
2017	Government Department, University of Essex (invited by Dr. Natasha Ezrow).

	Berlin Social Science Centre (WZB) (invited by Prof. Bernhard Wessels).
2016	RECSM, Pompeu Fabra University; Barcelona (invited by Prof. Mariano Torcal).
2015	Institute of Economic and Social Research at the University of Essex (invited by Prof. Mike Brewer).
	Pompeu Fabra University; Barcelona (invited by Prof. Romain Lachat).
2012	University of California, Davis (invited by Prof. James Adams).
2010	Mannheim Centre of European Social Research. (invited by Prof. Thomas Gschwend).
2009	European University Institute. (invited by Prof. Mark Franklin).
2008	Mannheim Centre of European Social Research. (invited by Prof. Jan van Deth).

Grants

2021-2024	Research Project: When will citizens defend democracy? (DefDem) Funded by: Norwegian Research Council (Value: 992,000€). Role: Co-I.
2020-2026	Research Project: Democracy under Threat: How Education can Save it (DEMED) Funded by: ERC Consolidator Grant (Value: 1,995,024€). Role: PI.
2020-2023	Research Project: The Economic Roots of Populism Funded by: Volkswagen Stiftung (Germany) (Value: 980,600€). Role: Co-I.
2020-2021	Research Project: The economy, COVID-19, and the future of liberal democracy Funded by: British Academy (UK) (Value: £9,600). Role: Co-I.
2019	Research Project: Social Media for Civic Education: Experiments in Tunisia Funded by: MEPI, US State Department (USA) (Value: \$338,705). Role: Co-I.
2018	Workshop: Ordinary Citizens in Autocracies. Funded by: Research Priority Area Development Fund; University of Nottingham. (Value: £11,415). Role: PI.
2016-2017	Research Project: The Legacy of Authoritarian Regimes. Funded by: ESRC Secondary Data Analysis Initiative. (Value: £195,257). Role: PI.
2016	Workshop: Modelling individual dynamics with political science data Funded by: ESRC Research Centre on Micro-Social Change, Understanding Society, the UK Household Longitudinal Study at the University of Essex and the Political Science Association (Value: £10,000). Role: PI.
2015	Research Centre: Nottingham Interdisciplinary Center for Economic & Political Research. Funding application: University's Research Board Discipline Bridging Award (Value: £25,000). Role: Co-I.
2014-2018	Research Project: The Impact of Ethnic Diversity on the Demand for Welfare Services. Funded: NORFACE Welfare State Futures (Value: 1,321,876€). Role: Co-I
2014	Workshop: The New Generation of British Voters . Funded by: International Collaboration Fund, Nottingham and School of Politics

- and IR, Nottingham (Value: £7,635). Role: PI.
- 2012 Workshop: New Approaches in Age, Period, Cohort Analysis.
Funded by: Department of Politics and IR, Oxford and Nuffield College, Oxford
(Value: £2,550). Role: PI.
- 2008, 2011, 2014 APSA Travel Grant (Value: £800).

Impact and Policy Engagement

Lead investigator for a UK adult media-literacy research and impact programme with Shout Out UK, working with libraries, local authorities and community organisations across England, Scotland and Wales (2026–present).

German-language training for pro-democracy civil-society activists, including Omas gegen Rechts, on responding to far-right narratives (Oct 2025).

Member, Academic Advisory Group on Political and Media Literacy, UK All-Party Parliamentary Group (2024–present).

Member, Academic Advisory Group on Votes at 16 and democratic engagement, Elections Directorate, UK Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government (2025–present).

Organised a one-day workshop on "Promoting democratic citizenship online: Challenges and New Directions in Civic Education" with 30 representatives from international and local civic-society organisations in Istanbul (Sep 2024).

Invited Non-Academic Talks

- 2026 Friedrich Ebert Stiftung Democracy Talk, Vienna (Mar)
Council of Europe, European Forum on Digital Citizenship Education, Strasbourg (May)
- 2025 UK Ministry of HCLG and Department for Education (Apr)
Center for New Ideas (Belarusian think tank) (Apr)
NECE Campus Session (Apr)
Network for European Civic Education Festival, Oslo (Sep)
Brussels Democracy Dialogue (Oct)
Keynote lecture at final policy conference of the Horizon-funded DEMOCRAT project "Education for democracy" conference, Barcelona (Nov)
- 2021 USAID Civil Society and Media Team (Aug)
- 2019 Workshop: "Making Europe Resilient to Authoritarian and Illiberal Challenges: From Knowledge to Action", WZB, Berlin (Oct)
Keynote lecture at the Networking European Civic Education Conference, Glasgow (Nov)

Professional Activities

(Legend: O - Organisation; P - Paper; Po - Poster; C - Panel Chair; D - Discussant)

General Conferences

APSA: 2008(Po), 2009(P), 2010(P), 2011(P), 2014(P), 2015(P); 2018(3xP;D); 2020 (P); 2021 (3P); 2022 (2P); 2023 (3P); 2024 (3P)

MPSA: 2009(P), 2011(2xP), 2012(2xP;C;D), 2013(2xP;D), 2017 (P;Po;D;C); 2023 (P)

EPSA: 2011(P;C;D), 2012(P;C;D), 2013(P;C), 2014(P), 2015(O;2xP;C;D), 2016(P;C;D), 2017(2xP;D), 2018 (2xP;D); 2019(1P); 2020 (2P); 2021 (2P); 2023 (3P); 2024 (3P); 2025 (3P)

EPSS: 2026 (2P)

PSA - EPOP: 2010(O;P), 2011(2xP), 2012(P;C), 2017(P); 2018(2xP); 2019 (P;C); 2021 (P)

PSA - Polmeth: 2015(P), 2017(P)

Polmeth Europe: 2021(P)

ECPR: 2009 (P)

Workshops

2026	"Emerging Trends of Resistance and Repression in an Autocratizing World", University of Oxford: P. (forthcoming)
	"Political Socialization in Turbulent Times", Goethe University Frankfurt: P.
	"EPOP Research Cluster Annual Workshop", O, P.
2025	"Mass Attitudes and the Resilience of Democracy", Barcelona: O, P.
	"Contesting the Far Right, Safeguarding Democracy", Budapest: P
	"Inaugural EPOP Research Cluster Workshop", O, P.
2024	"Authoritarian Politics Study Group workshop", Cologne: P.
2022	"Innovations in Education Data", University of Oxford: O, P.
2021	Webinar series "Facebook as a Research Tool": O, P.
2020	"European Workshop in Empirical Political Science (EuroWEPS)" (virtual): P.
2019	"The economic roots of populism" (Nottingham): O; P.
2018	"Ordinary citizens in autocracies" (Nottingham): O; P.
	"NICEP Annual Conference" (Nottingham): O.
2017	"ECPR Joint Sessions" (Nottingham): O; P.
	"Putting young people at the center: How to build democratic citizenship in transitioning countries?", International IDEA, Stockholm: O, P.
	"Policy Dialogue Day 2017 - From Knowledge to Action: Current Insights on Democracy, Governance and Armed Conflict", Gothenburg
	"Age-Period-Cohort Workshop", University of Oxford: P.
	"The New Politics of Authoritarianism", University of Oxford: P.

- "The Social Legitimacy of our Future Welfare State", Gothenburg: P.
- 2016 "Modelling Individual Dynamics with Political Science Data", Uni. of Essex: O; P.
 "NICEP Inaugural Conference", University of Nottingham: O; P.
 "Age-Period-Cohort Workshop", University of Oxford: P.
- 2015 "Inequalities, Insurance, Incentives and Immigration: Challenges and Solutions for the Welfare State", University of Uppsala: P.
 "Launch event of the PSA Specialist Group in Political Methodology", Oxford: P.
 "The Crisis for Contemporary Youth - Opportunities and Civic Values in Comparative, Longitudinal and Inter-generational Perspective", UCL: P.
- 2014 "The New Generation of British Voters", Nottingham: O; P.
 "Young People's Politics", Lincoln: P
- 2013 "PSA Quantitative Method Network Launch Event", Oxford: P
 "Politics in Crises?", University of Nottingham: C
 "Issues in Latent Structure Analysis using Survey Data", Uni of Nottingham: P
- 2012 "New Approaches in Age, Period, Cohort Analysis", Oxford: O; P
 "Reason and Decision Making", Oxford: D
 "Change in Political Attitudes: Panels and Experiments", Barcelona: P
 "Workshop for Teachers of Quantitative Methods for Social Science", Oxford
- 2011 "Popular Reactions to the Great Recession", Oxford; UK: C
- 2008 "Youth and Politics", Bruges; Belgium: P

Invited Academic Talks

- 2026 Applied Economics Seminar Series, University of Glasgow (Apr)
 WZB Berlin (Jun)
- 2025 Newcastle University (Mar)
 LSE Political Behaviour Seminar (Jun)
 University of Uppsala (Sep)
 Keynote lecture at the 10th Conference on Citizenship Education, Münster (Oct)
 University of Stuttgart (Nov)
- 2024 University College London (Jan)
 Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (Jan)
 University of Hamburg (Jan)
 University of Edinburgh (Feb)
 Copenhagen Business School (Mar)
 Aarhus University (Mar)
 Pompeu Fabra University Barcelona (May)
 Keynote lecture in Swiss Summer School in Democracy Studies in Zurich (Sep)
 University of Southampton (Nov)
- 2023 University of Frankfurt (Apr)
 ECPR SG Political Culture (Apr)
 University of Konstanz (June)

- University of Barcelona (Nov)
- 2022 Keynote lecture at INPESS 2022 (Nov)
EuroPOW (Nov)
- 2021 NYU Abu Dhabi Political Science Speaker Series (Feb)
Comparative Politics Department, University of Bergen (June)
Virtual Workshop of Authoritarian Regimes (Sep)
Keynote: "The current state and the future of women in Political Methodology"
in the Women in Political Methodology Speaker Series (Oct)
Carlos III-Juan March Institute in Madrid (Nov)
Politics Department, University of Leicester (Nov)
- 2020 University College London (Jan)
Center for Social Media and Politics, New York University (virtual) (April)
POLECONUK Network (virtual) (July)
Keynote: "Democracy Under Pressure" conference, University of Manchester
(virtual) (Sep)
LSE Political Behaviour Seminar (virtual) (Oct)
Swedish Institute for Social Research (virtual) (Oct)
- 2019 Political Science Department, University of Oslo (May)
Hertie School of Governance, Berlin (May)
V-Dem Annual Conference, University of Gothenburg (May)
- 2018 Center for Research on Social Dynamics and Public Policies; Bocconi University.
Science Po, Paris.
Department of Government; University of Vienna.
School of Politics and IR; University of Reading.
Centre for Post-Conflict Societies; University of Nottingham.
- 2017 Kellogg Institute; Notre Dame University.
Social Science Centre, Berlin.
Department of Politics; Humboldt University, Berlin.
Varieties of Democracy Institute; University of Gothenburg.
Department of Politics; University of Glasgow.
- 2016 School of Government & Public Policy; University of Strathclyde.
Cologne Center for Comparative Politics; University of Cologne.
School of Social Science; University of Manchester.
Department of Political Science; Trinity College Dublin.
Evening lecture; Essex Summer School.
RECSM, Pompeu Fabra University; Barcelona.
- 2015 Higher School of Economics; National Research University, Moscow, Russia.
Institute of Social Science; Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany.
Nuffield Politics Seminar; University of Oxford, UK.
Institute of Economic and Social Research at the University of Essex, UK.
Department of Politics; Pompeu Fabra University; Barcelona, Spain.
- 2014 Department of Politics; University College London, UK.
- 2013 Department of Political Methodology; University of Vienna, Austria.

Department of Politics; University of Sheffield, UK.

- 2012 Department of Politics; University of California, Davis; USA.
- 2011 Department of Politics, Royal Holloway, University of London; UK.
Nuffield Politics Seminar; University of Oxford; UK.
Postgraduate Seminar 'Comparative Democratisation' (course director: Laurence Whitehead and Timothy Power), University of Oxford; UK.
- 2010 PhD Colloquium in Political Science, University of Essex; UK.
- 2009 Political Behaviour Colloquium, European University Institute; Italy.
Workshop 'Integration through Education', Friedrich-Ebert Foundation; Germany.
- 2008 Mannheim Centre of European Social Research; Germany
Nuffield Graduate Workshop in Political Science, University of Oxford; UK.

Professional Services

Book Series

CUP Elements Series on Comparative Political Behavior: Co-editor (2022-present)
Perspectives on Politics special issue "Politics and the University": Co-editor (2025-present)

Journals

Political Studies: Associate Editor (2013-2017)
Political Studies Review: Associate Editor (2013-2014)
Political Science Research and Methods: Associate Editor (2018-2022)
Political Science Research and Methods: Editorial Board Member (2013-present)
Electoral Studies: Editorial Board Member (2016-present)
Perspectives on Politics: Editorial Board Member (2019-present)
Comparative Political Studies: Editorial Board Member (2020-present)
Canadian Journal of Political Science: Editorial Board Member (2024-present)

Associations

American Political Science Association: Vice President of the APSA section "Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior" (2024-present); leading the Early-Career Fellowship competition.

European Political Science Society: Elected Member of Council (2026-present); Co-Chair, 2027 Annual Conference.

European Political Science Association: Elected member of the Council and Co-Programme Chair (2014-2016)

Reviewer

American Political Science Review; American Journal of Political Science; Journal of Politics; British Journal of Political Science; Political Science Research and Methods; European Journal of Political Research; Political Studies; Research & Politics; Politische Vierteljahresschrift; Acta Politica; West European Politics; Social Science Research; Comparative Political Studies; World

Politics; Canadian Journal of Political Science; Journal of Conflict Resolution; Public Opinion Quarterly; Political Psychology; Electoral Studies; Political Behavior; Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties; Public Choice; Comparative European Politics; Politics and Governance; International Studies Quarterly; Journal of Longitudinal and Life Course Studies; Political Communication; Governance; Democratization; Journal of European Public Policy; Journal of European Political Economy; South European Society and Politics; Scientific Data.

Funding bodies:

European Research Council; Research Foundation - Flanders; Carnegie Foundation; Israel Science Foundation; Economic and Social Research Council (Member of National Review Committee); Leverhulme Trust.

Additional service: regular external tenure and promotion evaluations; mentoring of colleagues preparing ERC proposals, including mock interviews.

Professional Memberships

American Political Science Association
European Political Science Society
European Political Science Association (until 2025)
'Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties' (Specialist Group, Political Studies Association)

Administrative Duties

University of Glasgow

Committee Memberships:

Postgraduate Training Board (2019-2020)
Postgraduate Taught Committee (2019-2020)

Administrative roles:

Co-lead, EPOP Research Cluster; lead organiser of the annual workshop (2025-present)
Director of Postgraduate Research Training (2019-2020)

University of Nottingham

Committee Memberships:

School Executive Group (2017-2019)
Curriculum Committee (2013-2014; 2016-2019)
Research Committee (2014-2016)
Postgraduate Training Board (2014-2015)
Postgraduate Taught Working Group (2013-2014)
Research Working Group (2013-2014)

Administrative roles:

Director of Curriculum (2017-2019)
REF-Coordinator (2016)
Doctoral Training Centre Cluster Leader for Politics (2014-2015)
Head of Comparative Politics Teaching Group (2013-2014; 2016-2017)

Personal Tutor (2013-2019)
Environmental Champion (2013)

Nuffield College, University of Oxford

Junior Dean (2011-2012)
Member: Governing Body and Welfare Committee (2011-2012)
Editor: 'Nuffield Working Papers in Politics' (2011-2012)
Organiser: Nuffield Postdoctoral Seminar (2010-2011).

Methods and Teaching Training

- 2013-2015 **University of Nottingham**
Postgraduate Certificate in Higher Education (30 credits).
- 2008 **Summer Program in Quantitative Methods (ICPSR)**
Courses: Structural equation modelling (by Doug Baer), advanced maximum likelihood estimation (by Bradford Jones), missing data analysis (by Triellore Raghunathan).
- 2007 **University of Essex**
Quantitative research design seminar (by Thomas Plümper).
- 2007 **Institute of Education**
Multilevel analysis with latent variables using Mplus (by Bengt Muthén).
- 2006, 2007, and 2009 **Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis**
Courses: Mathematics for social scientists (by Chris Saker and Edd Codling); multilevel analysis (by Kelvyn Jones); time-series data analysis (by Harold Clark and Guy Whitten); structural equation modelling (by Peter Schmidt); latent class analysis (by Allan McCutcheon); maximum likelihood and limited dependent variable models (by Dan Wood).

Other Skills

Languages: German (native), English (fluent), Catalan (beginner).

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