

## **Seminar: Advanced Topics in Comparative Politics: Political Behavior in Context**

**HWS 2021**

**via Zoom: ZOOM 03**

**Time:** Tuesday, 12.00-13.30

**Start:** 7. September 2021

**Lecturer:** Professor Dr. Harald Schoen

### **Outline:**

Political behavior takes place in context. This statement is a truism and implies several challenges at the same time. Context is a multidimensional concept comprising – inter alia – social, political, and institutional features. At the theoretical level, the diversity of dimensions requires careful consideration of how to integrate contextual features into individual-level models of political behavior. Moreover, combining data from different levels of aggregation to examine the role of contexts in individual-level behavior raises several methodological issues. In this seminar, we will address the conceptual, theoretical, and methodological issues in the analysis of contextual effects on individual-level political behavior. Students will review the latest empirical studies in the field and prepare research papers in which they analyze specific questions using available data sets.

**Recommended for:** M.A. Students in Political Science (3rd semester) and GESS-graduate students

### **Requirements:**

Oral presentation of a literature review and active participation during the sessions

**Examination:** Term Paper (ca. 8.000 words)

**Registration:** via Student Portal

**Office hours:** via appointment only

## Course Plan

### Session 1 (7 Sep): Introduction

- Jones, Bradford S. 2008. Multilevel Models. In: Janet M. Box-Steffensmeier, Henry E. Brady, and David Collier (eds.). *Oxford Handbook of Political Methodology*. Oxford: Oxford University Press: 605- 623.
- McGraw, Kathleen, M. 2006. Why and How Psychology Matters. In: Robert E. Goodin, and Charles Tilly (eds.). *Oxford Handbook of Contextual Political Analysis*. Oxford: Oxford University Press: 131-156.
- Schoen, Harald, Sigrid Roßteutscher, Rüdiger Schmitt-Beck, Bernhard Weßels, and Christof Wolf. 2018. Voters and Voting in Context: An Introduction. In: Harald Schoen, Sigrid Roßteutscher, Rüdiger Schmitt-Beck, Bernhard Weßels, and Christof Wolf (eds.). 2017: *Voters and Voting in Context: Multiple Contexts and the Heterogeneous German Electorate*. Oxford: Oxford University Press: 1-12.
- Shapiro, Ian. 2002. Problems, Methods, and Theories in the Study of Politics, or What's Wrong with Political Science and What to Do about It. *Political Theory* 30: 596-619.

### Session 2 (14 Sep): Campaigns

- Beach, Derek, Kasper M. Hansen, and Martin V. Larsen. 2018. How Campaigns Enhance European Issues Voting During European Parliament Elections. *Political Science Research and Methods* 6: 791-808.
- Gerber, Alan S., James G. Gimpel, Donald P. Green, and Daron R. Shaw. 2011. How Large and Long-lasting are the Persuasive Effects of Televised Campaign Ads? Results from a Randomized Field Experiment. *American Political Science Review* 105: 135-150.
- Pianzola, Joëlle, Alexander H. Trechsel, Kristjan Vassil, Guido Schwerdt, and R. Michael Alvarez. 2019. The Impact of Personalized Information on Vote Intention: Evidence from a Randomized Field Experiment. *Journal of Politics* 81: 833-847.

#### Further Reading:

- Bhatti, Yosef, Jens Olav Dahlgaard, Jonas Hedegaard Hansen, Kasper M. Hansen. 2019. Is Door-to-Door Canvassing Effective in Europe? Evidence from a Meta-Study Across Six European Countries. *British Journal of Political Science* 49: 279-290.
- Bonilla, Tabitha, and Alvin A. Tillery jr. 2020. Which Identity Frames Boost Support for and Mobilization in the #BlackLivesMatter Movement? An Experimental Test. *American Political Science Review* 114: 947-962.
- Bright, Jonathan, Scott Hale, Bharath Ganesh, Andrew Bulovsky, Helen Margetts, Phil Howard. 2020. Does Campaigning on Social Media Make a Difference? Evidence From Candidate Use of Twitter During the 2015 and 2017 U.K. Elections. *Communication Research* 47: 988-1009.
- Chong, Alberto, Gianmarco León-Ciliotta, Vivian Roza, Martin Yaldivia, and Gabriel Vega. 2019. Urbanization Patterns, Information Diffusion, and Female Voting in Rural Paraguay. *American Journal of Political Science* 63: 323-341.
- Galasso, Vincenzo, Tommaso Nannicini, and Salvatore Nunnari. 2021. Positive Spillovers from Negative Campaigning. *American Journal of Political Science* [[doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12610](https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12610)].

- Hager, Anselm, Johannes Hermle, Lukas Hensle, and Christopher Roth. 2021. Does Party Competition Affect Political Activism? *The Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Jäger, Kai. 2020. When Do Campaign Effects Persist for Years? Evidence from a Natural Experiment. *American Journal of Political Science* 64: 836-851.
- Kalla, Joshua L., and David E. Broockman. 2018. The Minimal Persuasive Effects of Campaign Contact in General Elections: Evidence from 49 Field Experiments. *American Political Science Review* 112: 148-166.
- Lopez-Moctezuma, Gabriel, Leonard Wantchekon, Daniel Rubenson, Thomas Fujiwara, and Cecilia Pe Lero. 2021. Policy Deliberation and Voter Persuasion: Experimental Evidence from an Election in the Philippines. *American Journal of Political Science* [[doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12566](https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12566)]
- Preißinger, Maria. 2017. Always Late? Stability and Change in Individuals' Time of Vote Decision. In: Schoen, Harald, Sigrid Roßteutscher, Rüdiger Schmitt-Beck, Bernhard Weßels, and Christof Wolf (eds.). *Voters and Voting in Context: Multiple Contexts and the Heterogeneous German Electorate*. Oxford: Oxford University Press: 230-248.
- Schoen, Harald, Hans Rattinger, Maria Preißinger, Konstantin Gavras, and Markus Steinbrecher (assisted by Elena Werner). 2017. *Election Campaigns and Voter Decision-Making in a Multi-Party System: The 2009 and 2013 German Federal Elections*. Baden-Baden: Nomos.
- Valenzuela, Ali A., and Melissa R. Michelson. 2016. Turnout, Status, and Identity: Mobilizing Latinos to Vote with Group Appeals. *American Political Science Review* 110: 615-630.

### **Session 3 (21 Sep): Media coverage**

- Blais, André, Elisabeth Gidengil, and Neil Nevitte. 2006. Do Polls Influence the Vote?, in: Brady, Henry E., and Johnston, Richard (eds.). *Capturing Campaign Effects*. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press: 263-279.
- De Benedictis-Kessner, Justin, Matthew H. Baum, Adam J. Berinsky, and Teppei Yamamoto. 2019. Persuading the Enemy: Estimating the Persuasive Effects of Partisan Media with the Preference-Incorporating Choice and Assignment Design. *American Political Science Review* 113: 902-916.
- Sørensen, Rune. 2019. The Impact of State Television on Voter Turnout. *British Journal of Political Science* 49: 257-278.

#### Further Reading:

- Dahlgaard, Jens Olav, Jonas Hedegaard Hansen, Kasper M. Hansen, and Martin V. Larsen. 2017. How Election Polls Shape Voting Behaviour. *Scandinavian Political Studies* 40: 330-343.
- Dilliplane, Susanna. 2014. Activation, Conversion, or Reinforcement? The Impact of Partisan News Exposure on Vote Choice. *American Journal of Political Science* 58: 79-94.
- Garz, Marcel, and Gregory J. Martin. 2021. Media Influence on Vote Choice: Unemployment News and Incumbents' Electoral Prospects. *American Journal of Political Science* 65: 278-293.
- Giebler, Heiko, Sylvia Kritzinger, Georgios Xezonakis, and Susan Banducci. 2017. Priming Europe: Media Effects on Loyalty, Voice and Exit in European Parliament Elections. *Acta Politica* 52: 110-132.
- Johann, David, Katharina Kleinen-von Königslöw, Sylvia Kritzinger, and Kathrin Thomas. 2017. Intra-Campaign Changes in Voting Preferences: The Impact of Media and Party Communication. *Political Communication* 35: 261-286.

Peisakhin, Leonid, and Arturas Rozenas. 2018. Electoral Effects of Biased Media: Russian Television in Ukraine. *American Journal of Political Science* 62: 535-550.

#### **Session 4 (28 Sep): Political institutions I**

Hobolt, Sara, James Tilley, and Susan Banducci. 2013. Clarity of Responsibility: How Government Cohesion Conditions Performance Voting. *European Journal of Political Research* 52: 164-187.

Kosmidis, Spyros. 2018. International Constraints and Electoral Decisions: Does the Room to Maneuver Attenuate Economic Voting? *American Journal of Political Science* 62: 519-534.

Tolbert, Caroline J., and Daniel A. Smith. 2005. The Educative Effects of Ballot Initiatives on Voter Turnout. *American Politics Research* 33: 283-309.

#### Further Reading:

Anderson, Christopher J. 2000. Economic Voting and Political Context: A Comparative Perspective. *Electoral Studies* 19: 151-170.

Carlin, Ryan E., Gregory J. Love, and Cecilia Martínez-Gallardo. 2015. Security, Clarity of Responsibility, and Presidential Approval. *Comparative Political Studies* 48: 438-463.

Duch, Raymond M., and Randy Stevenson. 2005. Context and the Economic Vote: A Multilevel Analysis. *Political Analysis* 13: 387-409.

Kittilson, Miki Caul, and Christopher J. Anderson. 2010. Electoral Supply and Voter Turnout, in: Russell J. Dalton and Christopher J. Anderson (eds.). *Citizens, Context, and Choice: How Context Shapes Citizens' Electoral Choices*. Oxford: Oxford University Press: 33-54.

Sanders, David, Harold D. Clarke, Marianne C. Stewart, and Paul Whiteley. 2011. Simulating the Effects of the Alternative Vote in the 2010 UK General Election. *Parliamentary Affairs* 64: 5-23.

Talving, Liisa. 2017. The Electoral Consequences of Austerity: Economic Policy Voting in Europe in Times of Crisis. *West European Politics* 40: 560-583.

#### **Session 5 (5 Oct): Political institutions II**

Bechtel, Michael M., Dominik Hangartner, and Lukas Schmid. 2016. Does Compulsory Voting Increase Support for Leftist Policy. *American Journal of Political Science* 60: 752-767.

Braconnier, Céline, Jean-Yves Dormagen, and Vincent Pons. 2017. Voter Registration Costs and Disenfranchisement: Experimental Evidence from France. *American Political Science Review* 111: 584-604.

Kostelka, Filip. 2017. Does Democratic Consolidation Lead to a Decline in Voter Turnout? Global Evidence Since 1939. *American Political Science Review* 111: 653-667.

#### Further Reading:

Fatke, Matthias. 2014. Participation and Political Equality in Direct Democracy: Educative Effect or Social Bias. *Swiss Political Science Review* 21: 99-118.

Freitag, Markus, and Stadelmann-Steffen, Isabelle. 2011. Stumbling Block or Stepping Stone? The Influence of Direct Democracy on Individual Participation in Parliamentary Elections. *Electoral Studies* 29: 472-483.

Grumbach, Jacob M., and Charlotte Hill. 2021. Rock the Registration: Same Day Registration Increases Turnout of Young Voters. *The Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).

Harris, J. Andrew, Catherine Kamindo, and Peter van der Windt. 2021. Electoral Administration in Fledgling Democracies: Experimental Evidence from Kenya. *The Journal of Politics* 83: 947-960.

- Karp, Jeffrey A., and Susan A. Banducci. 2008. Political Efficacy and Participation in Twenty-Seven Democracies: How Electoral Systems Shape Political Behaviour. *British Journal of Political Science* 38: 311-334.
- Kim, Jeong Hyun. 2019. Direct Democracy and Women's Political Engagement. *American Journal of Political Science* 63: 594-610.
- Söderlund, Peter. 2017. Candidate-centred Electoral Systems and Voter Turnout. *West European Politics* 40: 516-533.

### **Session 6 (12 Oct): Policies**

- Imai, Kosuke, Gary King, and Carlos Velasco Rivera. 2020. Do Nonpartisan Programmatic Policies Have Partisan Electoral Effects? Evidence from Two Large-Scale Experiments. *Journal of Politics* 82: 714-730.
- Kogan, Vladimir. 2021. Do Welfare Benefits Pay Electoral Dividends? Evidence from the National Food Stamp Program Rollout. *Journal of Politics* 83: 58-70.
- Lindgren, Karl-Oskar, Sven Oskarsson, and Mikael Persson. 2019. Enhancing Electoral Equality: Can Education Compensate for Family Background Differences in Voting Participation? *American Political Science Review* 113: 108-122.

#### Further Reading:

- Clinton, Joshua D., and Michael W. Sances. 2018. The Politics of Policy: The Initial Mass Political Effects of Medicaid Expansion in the States. *American Political Science Review* 112: 167-185.
- Croke, Kevin, Guy Grossman, Horacio A. Larreguy, and John Marshall. 2016. Deliberate Disengagement: How Education Can Decrease Political Participation in Electoral Authoritarian Regimes. *American Political Science Review* 110: 579-600.
- Finseraas, Henning, and Marte Strom. 2021. Voter Responses to Refugee Arrivals: Effects of Settlement Policy. *European Journal of Political Research* (forthcoming).
- Markovich, Zachary, and Ariel White. 2021. More Money, More Turnout? Minimum Wage Increases and Voting. *The Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Cavaille, Charlotte, and John Marshall. 2019. Education and Anti-Immigration Attitudes: Evidence from Compulsory Schooling Reforms across Western Europe. *American Political Science Review* 113: 254-263.
- Hjortskov, Morten, Simon C. Andersen, and Morten Jakobsen. 2018. Encouraging Political Voices of Underrepresented Citizens through Coproduction: Evidence from a Randomized Field Trial. *American Journal of Political Science* 62: 597-609.
- Kumar, Tanu. 2021. Home-price subsidies increase local-level political participation in urban India. *The Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Ternullo, Stephanie. 2021. The Electoral Effects of Social Policy: Expanding Old-Age Assistance, 1932-1940. *The Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).

### **Session 7 (19 Oct): Economic context**

- Grasso, Maria T., and Marco Giugni. 2016. Protest Participation and Economic Crisis: The Conditioning Role of Political Opportunities. *European Journal of Political Research* 55: 663-680.
- Solt, Frederick. 2008. Economic Inequality and Democratic Political Engagement. *American Journal of Political Science* 52: 48-60.

Tilley, James, Anja Neudorf, and Sara B. Hobolt. 2018. When the Pound in People's Pocket Matters: How Changes in Personal Financial Circumstances Affect Party Choice. *The Journal of Politics* 80: 555-569.

#### Further Reading:

Ahlquist, John, Mark Copelovitch, and Stefanie Walter. 2020. The Political Consequences of External Economic Shocks: Evidence from Poland. *American Journal of Political Science* 64: 904-920.

Alt, James E., David D. Lassen, and John Marshall. 2015. Credible Sources and Sophisticated Voters: When Does New Information Induce Economic Voting? *Journal of Politics* 78: 327-342.

Amat, Francesc, and Pablo Beramendi. 2020. Democracy Under High Inequality: Capacity, Spending, and Participation. *The Journal of Politics* 82: 859-878.

Aytac, Selim Erdem. 2018. Relative Economic Performance and the Incumbent Vote: A Reference Point Theory. *Journal of Politics* 80: 16-29.

Aytac, Selim Erdem. 2018. Beyond Opportunity Costs: Campaign Messages, Anger and Turnout among the Unemployed. *British Journal of Political Science* (forthcoming).

Baccini, Leonardo, and Stephen Weymouth. 2021. Gone For Good: Deindustrialization, White Voter Backlash, and US Presidential Voting. *American Political Science Review* 115: 550-567.

Becher, Michael, and Michael Donnelly. 2013. Economic Performance, Individual Evaluations, and the Vote: Investigating the Causal Mechanism. *Journal of Politics* 75: 968-979.

Carlin, Ryan E., Gregory J. Love, and Cecilia Martínez-Gallardo. 2015. Cushioning the Fall: Scandals, Economic Conditions, and Executive Approval. *Political Behavior* 37: 109-130.

Colantone, Italo, and Piero Stanig. 2018. The Trade Origins of Economic Nationalism: Import Competition and Voting Behavior in Western Europe. *American Journal of Political Science* 62: 936-953.

Duch, Raymond M., and Stevenson, Randy. 2010. The Global Economy, Competency, and the Economic Vote. *Journal of Politics* 72: 105-123.

Kurer, Thomas, Silja Häusermann, Bruno Wüest, and Matthias Enggist. 2019. Economic Grievances and Political Protest. *European Journal of Political Research* 58: 866-892.

Larsen, Martin V., Frederik Hjørth, Peter Thisted Dinesen, and Kim Mannemar Sønderskov. 2019. When Do Citizens Respond Politically to the Local Economy? Evidence from Registry Data on Local Housing Markets. *American Political Science Review* 113: 499-516.

Schafer, Jerome, Enrico Cantoni, Giorgio Bellettini, and Carlotta Berti Ceroni. 2021. Making Unequal Democracy Work? The Effects of Income on Voter Turnout in Northern Italy. *American Journal of Political Science* ([doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12605](https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12605))

Schaub, Max. 2021. Acute Financial Hardship and Voter Turnout: Theory and Evidence from the Sequence of Bank Working Days. *American Political Science Review* (first view) <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0003055421000551>

Yoder, Jesse. 2020. Does Property Ownership Lead to Participation in Local Politics? Evidence from Property Records and Meeting Minutes. *American Political Science Review* 114: 1213-1229.

#### **Session 8 (26 Oct): Social networks and context I**

Dahlgaard, Jens Olav, Bhatti, Yosef, Jonas Hedegaard Hansen, and Kasper M. Hansen. 2021. Living Together, Voting Together: Voters Moving in Together Before an Election Have Higher Turnout. *British Journal of Political Science*, 1-18 (forthcoming).

- Hangartner, Dominik, Elias Dinas, Moritz Marbach, Konstantinos Matakos, and Dimitrios Xefteris. 2019. Does Exposure to the Refugee Crisis Make Natives More Hostile? *American Political Science Review* 113: 442-455.
- Singh, Shane P., and Kris Dunn. 2015. Authoritarianism, Socioethnic Diversity and Political Participation Across Countries. *European Journal of Political Research* 54: 563-581.

Further Reading:

- Andersson, Henrik, Nazita Lajevardi, Karl-Oskar Lindgren, and Sven Oskarsson. 2021. Effects of Settlement into Ethnic Enclaves on Immigrant Voter Turnout. *Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Anoll, Allison. 2018. What Makes a Good Neighbor? Race, Place, and Norms of Political Participation. *American Political Science Review* 112: 494-508.
- Beck, Paul Allen, Russell J. Dalton, Steven Greene, and Robert Huckfeldt. 2002. The Social Calculus of Voting: Interpersonal, media, and Organizational Influences on Presidential Choices. *American Political Science Review* 96: 57-73.
- Bhatti, Yosef, Bolette Danckert, and Kaspar Møller Hansen. 2017. The Context of Voting: Does Neighborhood Ethnic Diversity Affect Turnout? *Social Forces* 95: 1127-1154.
- Bode, Leticia, Emily K. Vraga, Porismita Borah, and Dhavan V. Shah. 2014. A New Space for Political Behavior: Political Social Networking and its Democratic Consequences. *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication* 19: 414-429.
- Dahlgaard, Jens Olav. 2018. Trickle-Up Political Socialization: The Causal Effect on Turnout of Parenting a Newly Enfranchised Voter. *American Political Science Review* 112: 698-705.
- Dahlgaard, Jens Olav, and Kasper M. Hansen. 2021. Twice the Trouble: Twinning and the Cost of Voting. *Journal of Politics* 83: 1173-1177.
- Fieldhouse, Edward, and David Cutts. 2020. Do as I Say or Do as I Do? How Social Relationships Shape the Impact of Descriptive and Injunctive Norms of Voting. *British Journal of Political Science*, 1-13. doi:10.1017/S0007123420000058
- Foos, Florian, Peter John, Christian Müller, and Kevin Cunningham. 2021. Social Mobilization in Partisan Spaces. *Journal of Politics* 1190-1197.
- Maxwell, Rahsaan. 2019. Cosmopolitan Immigration Attitudes in Large European Cities: Contextual or Compositional Effects? *American Political Science Review* 113: 456-474.
- Newman, Benjamin J., Yamil Velez, Todd K. Hartman, and Alexa Bankert. 2015. Are Citizens “Receiving the Treatment”? Assessing a Key Link in Contextual Theories of Public Opinion and Political Behavior. *Political Psychology* 36: 123-131.
- Rudolph, Lukas, and Markus Wagner. 2021. Europe’s Migration Crisis: Local Contact and Out-group Hostility. *European Journal of Political Research* (forthcoming).
- Ryan, John Barry, and Caitlin Milazzo. 2015. The South, the Suburbs, and the Vatican Too: Explaining Partisan Change Among Catholics. *Political Behavior* 37: 441-463.
- White, Ariel. 2019. Family Matters? Voting Behavior in Households with Criminal Justice Contact. *American Political Science Review* 113: 607-613.

**Session 9 (2 Nov): Social networks and context II**

- Arias, Eric, Pablo Balán, Horacio Larreguy, John Marshall, and Pablo Querubín. 2019. Information Provision, Voter Coordination, and Electoral Accountability: Evidence from Mexican Social Networks. *American Political Science Review* 113: 475-498.
- Larson, Jennifer M., Jonathan Nagler, Jonathan Ronen, and Joshua A. Tucker. 2019. Social Networks and Protest Participation: Evidence from 130 Million Twitter Users. *American Journal of Political Science* 63: 690-705.

Steinert-Threlkeld, Zachary C. 2017. Spontaneous Collective Action: Peripheral Mobilization During the Arab Spring. *American Political Science Review* 111: 379-403.

Further Reading:

- Aidt, Toke, Gabriel Leon, and Max Satchell. 2021. The Social Dynamics of Collective Action: Evidence from the Diffusion of the Swing Riots, 1830-31. *Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Alt, James E., Amalie Jensen, Horacio A. Larreguy, David D. Lassen, and John Marshall. 2021. Diffusing Political Concerns: How Unemployment Information Passed Between Social Ties Influences Danish Voters. *Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Atwell, Paul, and Noah L. Nathan. 2021. Channels for Influence or Maps of Behavior? A Field Experiment on Social Networks and Cooperation. *American Journal of Political Science* <https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12586>
- Bond, Robert M., Christopher J. Fariss, Jason J. Jones, Adam D. I. Kramer, Cameron Marlow, Jaime E. Settle, and James H. Fowler. 2012. A 61-million-person Experiment in Social Influence and Political Mobilization. *Nature* 489: 295-298.
- Carlson, Taylor N. 2019. Through the Grapevine: Informational Consequences of Interpersonal Political Communication. *American Political Science Review* 113: 325-339.
- Cruz, Cesi, Julien Labonne, and Pablo Querubín. 2020. Social Network Structures and the Politics of Public Goods Provision: Evidence from the Philippines. *American Political Science Review*, 114: 486-501.
- Opp, Karl-Dieter, and Christiane Gern. 1993. Dissident Groups, Personal Networks, and Spontaneous Cooperation: The East German Revolution of 1989. *American Sociological Review* 58: 659-680.
- Pietryka, Matthew T., and Donald A. Debats. 2017. It's Not Just What You Have, but Who You Know: Networks, Social Proximity to Elites, and Voting in State and Local Elections. *American Political Science Review* 111: 360-378.

**Session 10 (9 Nov): Events**

- Bali, Valentina A. 2007. Terror and Elections: Lessons from Spain. *Electoral Studies* 26: 669-687.
- Bechtel, Michael M., and Jens Hainmueller. 2011. How Lasting is Voter Gratitude? An Analysis of the Short- and Long-Term Electoral Returns to Beneficial Policy. *American Journal of Political Science* 55: 852-868.
- Heath, Oliver. 2008. Triggers for Protest: Modeling Responses to the Political Context in Britain, 2000-2002. *European Journal of Political Research* 47: 489-509.

Further Reading:

- Böhmelt, Tobias, Vincenzo Bove, and Enzo Nussio. 2020. Can Terrorism Abroad Influence Migration Attitudes at Home? *American Journal of Political Science* 64: 437-451.
- Breton, Charles, and Gregory Eady. 2021. Does International Terrorism affect Public Attitudes toward Refugees? Evidence from a Large-scale Natural Experiment. *Journal of Politics* (forthcoming).
- Bridgman, Aengus, Costin Ciobanu, Aaron Erlich, Danielle Bohonos, and Christopher Ross. 2021. Unveiling: An Unexpected Mid-campaign Court Ruling's Consequences and the Limits of Following the Leader. *Journal of Politics* 83: 1024-1029.
- Dimock, Michael A., and Gary C. Jacobson. 1995. Checks and Choices: The House Bank Scandal's Impact on Voters in 1992. *Journal of Politics* 57: 1143-1159.



- Enos, Ryan, Aaron R. Kaufman, and Melissa L. Sands. 2019. Can Violent Protest Change Local Policy Support? Evidence from the Aftermath of the 1992 Los Angeles Riot. *American Political Science Review*, 113(4), 1012-1028.
- Hazlett, Chad, and Matto Mildemberger. 2020. Wildfire Exposure Increases Pro-Environment Voting within Democratic but Not Republican Areas. *American Political Science Review*, 114: 1359-1365.
- Hersh, Eitan D. 2013. Long-term Effect of September 11 on the Political Behavior of Victims' Families and Neighbors. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America* 110: 20959-20963.
- Klasnja, Marko, Joshua A. Tucker, and Kevin Deegan-Krause. 2016. Pocketbook vs. Sociotropic Corruption Voting. *British Journal of Political Science* 46: 67-94.
- Mader, Matthias, and Harald Schoen. 2019. The European Refugee Crisis, Party Competition, and Voters' Responses in Germany. *West European Politics* 42: 67-90.
- Meyer, Marco, and Harald Schoen. 2017. Avoiding Vote Loss by Changing Policy Positions: The Fukushima Disaster, Party Responses, the German Electorate. *Party Politics* 23: 424-436.

**Session 11 (16 Nov): Student presentations**

**Session 12 (23 Nov): Student presentations**

**Session 13 (30 Nov): Student presentations**

**Session 14 (7 Dec): Concluding session**