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**Current Positions**      **Hertie School of Governance and Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin,**      *starting Sep 2021*  
Doctoral Researcher, Research Training Group DYNAMICS

**Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin**      *since May 2021*  
Doctoral Researcher, Cluster of Excellence SCRIPTS

**Previous Positions**      **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin**      *Dec 2016 - Apr 2021*  
Student Assistant, Chair of Comparative Political Behavior

**Technische Universität Berlin**      *May 2015 - Mar 2017*  
Student Assistant, Institute of Machine Tools and Production

**Education**      **Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin**      *starting Sep 2021*  
PhD candidate in Political Science

**Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin**      *Oct 2019 - May 2021*  
Master's in Social Sciences, *Grade: 1.0*

**Northwestern University**      *Sep-Dec 2020*  
Exchange Program (cancelled due to pandemic)      Chicago

**Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin**      *Oct 2015 - Mar 2019*  
Bachelor's in Social Sciences, *Grade: 1.6*

**Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)**      *Aug-Dec 2017*  
Exchange Program      Mexico City

**Technische Universität Berlin,**      *Oct 2011 - Jul 2015*  
Bachelor's in Industrial Engineering and Management, *Grade: 2.3*

**Projects**      **Parties Evolving Issue Agendas (GitHub)**      2021  
with Heike Klüver and Lukas F. Stoetzer <sup>1</sup>

**Election Dataset Germany 1953-2017 (GitHub)**      2021  
County-level results made comparable over time using geodata

**Between Persuasion and Mobilization**      2021  
Political Parties' Advertising Strategies Online (MA Thesis)

**Accountable and Professional?**      2020  
Early Glance at the End of the Mexican Reelection Ban

**What are We Missing?**      2020  
Validation of Protest Measurement through News Articles

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<sup>1</sup>Draft presented at EPSA 2021 by co-author.

<b>The Effect of the Electoral System</b>	2019
Communication Strategies of Members of the Bundestag (BA Thesis)	
<b>Discriminating Female Candidates under Gender Parity Rules</b>	2018
Selection Strategies of Mexican Parties	
<b>erststimme2017.de</b>	2017
Prediction of the district vote at the German Federal Elections 2017	

<b>Languages</b>	<b>German</b>	Mother tongue
	<b>English</b>	Advanced (TOEFL iBT: 108)
	<b>Spanish</b>	Fluent (UNICert II)
	<b>Latin and Ancient Greek</b>	9 and 6 years of classes

<b>Software skills</b>	<b>Programming</b>	R, Python, Stata
	<b>Text processing</b>	LaTeX, MS Office
	<b>Other technical skills</b>	Webscraping, Data Visualization, Quantitative Text Analysis

<b>Scholarships</b>	Fulbright Travel Grant (declined/pandemic)	(EUR ~2,000)	2020
	DAAD Promos Scholarship USA (declined/pandemic)	(EUR ~3,000)	2020
	DAAD Promos Scholarship Mexico	(EUR ~3,000)	2017

<b>References</b>	<b>Prof. Dr. Heike Klüver</b>	<b>Prof. Thomas M. Meyer, Ph.D.</b>
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