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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor, School of Politics and International Relations (University of Nottingham, United Kingdom), 2018-

Assistant Professor, School of Politics and International Relations (University of Nottingham, United Kingdom), 2016-2018

Research Fellow, School of Politics and International Relations (University of Nottingham, United Kingdom), 2013-2016

Project: “The Institutionalization of European Party Systems: Explaining Party Competition in 48 Democracies (1848-2015)” (whogoverns.eu)

Post-doctoral Fellow, Institute of Political Science (Leiden University, The Netherlands), 2010-2013

Project: “Party Law in Modern Europe”
Director: Prof. Ingrid van Biezen

EDUCATION

Higher Education Academy Associate Fellowship (United Kingdom), 2018

Ph.D. Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute (Florence, Italy), 2011

Field: Comparative Politics

Dissertation: “The Institutionalization of Party Systems in East Central Europe: Explaining Variation”

Committee: Prof. Peter Mair (supervisor), Prof. László Bruszt, Prof. Ferdinand Müller-Rommel and Prof. Leonardo Morlino

MRes. Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute (Florence, Italy), 2007

M.A. Central and Eastern European Studies, Centre for European Studies, Jagiellonian University (Cracow, Poland), 2006 (*magna cum laude*)

M.A. Political Science, University of Salamanca (Spain), 2004 (*cum laude*)

M.A. Law, University of Navarra (Pamplona), 1998 (*cum laude*)

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2015 “Multiple Regression Analysis: Estimation, Diagnostics, and Modelling”, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques (Ljubljana, Slovenia)
 “Introduction to R”, ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques (Bamberg, Germany)
- 2009 “Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets”, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques (Ljubljana, Slovenia)

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Comparative Politics: Government, Cleavages, Democratization
 Institutions: Party Systems, Political Parties, Electoral Systems, Types of Regime
 Party Law: European Constitutions and Party (Funding) Laws
 Methodology: Process-tracing and Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA)

PUBLICATIONS

Books and edited volumes

- 2022 *Money Rules: Parties, Oligarchs and Funding Regulation in Post-Soviet Countries* (with Levan Tsutskiridze), Abingdon/New York: Routledge
- Party Politics in Micro-states* (with Patrick Dumont), Abingdon/New York: Routledge
- 2021 *Party Systems Closure: Party Alliances, Government Alternatives and Democracy in Europe* (with Zsolt Enyedi), Oxford: Oxford University Press
- 2018 *The Regulation of Post-communist Party Politics* (with Ingrid van Biezen), Abingdon/New York: Routledge
- 2016 *Party Politics and Democracy in Europe: Essays in Honour of Peter Mair* (with Ferdinand Müller-Rommel), Abingdon/New York: Routledge
- 2015 *Partidos, Sistema de Partidos y Democracia. La Obra Esencial de Peter Mair* [Parties, Party Systems and Democracy. Peter Mair’s Essential Works] (with Gerardo Scherlis), Buenos Aires: EUDEBA
- 2014 *The Regulation of Party Politics in Southern Europe* (with Ingrid van Biezen), Special Issue in *South European Society and Politics*, v. 19, n. 1, pp. 71-152
- Party Regulation and Party Politics in Post-communist Europe* (with Ingrid van Biezen), Special Issue in *East European Politics*, v. 30, n. 3, pp. 295-427

Articles

- Forthcoming “The Future is Not What it Used to Be: The Failure of Bipolarization” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *Irish Political Studies*
- 2021 “On the Causes of Electoral Volatility in Asia since 1948” (with Don S. Lee), *Party Politics*, First View Online

- “The Antiestablishment Challenge” (with José Rama), *Journal of Democracy*, v. 31, n. 1, pp. 37-51
- “Paying for Appeasement: On the Moderating Role of Public Subsidies in East Central European Party Politics” (with José Rama), *Party Politics*
- “Who Governs Europe? A New Historical Dataset on Governments and Party Systems since 1848” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *European Political Science*
- “Polarization: What Do We Know and What Can We Do About It?” (with José Rama), *Frontiers in Political Science*, 3:687695
- 2020 “Party Decline or Social Transformation? Economic, Institutional and Sociological Change and the Rise of Anti-Political-Establishment Parties in Western Europe” (with José Rama), *European Political Science Review*, v. 12, n. 4, pp. 503-523
- “Are Anti-Political-Establishment Parties a Peril for European Democracy? A Longitudinal Study from 1950 till 2017” (with José Rama), *Representation*, v. 56, n. 3, pp. 387-410
- 2019 “Restrained Change: Party Systems in Times of Economic Crisis” (with Till Weber), *Journal of Politics*, v. 81, n. 1, pp. 233-245
- “Parties between Thresholds: State Subsidies and Party Behavior in Post-communist Democracies” (with Maria Spirova), *Party Politics*, v. 25, n. 2, pp. 233-244
- “The Calm Before the Storm. Explaining the Institutionalization of Southern European Party Systems before the Great Recession”, *European Politics and Society*, v. 20, n. 5, pp. 567-590
- 2018 “Institutionalization and De-institutionalization in Post-communist Party Systems” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *East European Politics and Societies*, v. 32, n. 3, pp. 422-450
- “The Three Waves of Party System Institutionalization Studies: From Multi- to Uni-dimensionality and Back”, *Political Studies Review*, v. 16, n. 1, pp. 60-72
- “¿Democracia en Crisis? El Futuro de los Partidos Políticos y de la Democracia Representativa” [Democracy in Crisis? The Future of Political Parties and Representative Democracy] (with José Rama), *Revista de las Cortes Generales*, v. 100-102, pp. 249-273
- 2017 “The Volatility of Volatility: Measuring Change in Party Vote Shares” (with Kevin Deegan-Krause and Tim Haughton), *Electoral Studies*, v. 50, pp. 142-156
- “It’s Been Mostly About Money: A Multi-method Research Approach to the Sources of Institutionalization”, *Sociological Methods and Research*, v. 46, n.

4, pp. 683-714

“Prescribing Democracy? Party Proscription and Party System Stability in Turkey, Germany and Spain” (with Angela Bourne), *European Journal of Political Research*, v. 56, n. 2, pp. 440-465

“Political Parties or Party Systems? Assessing the ‘Myth’ of Institutionalization and Democracy”, *West European Politics*, v. 40, n. 2, pp. 402-429

“Mapping ‘Militant Democracy’: Variation in Party Ban Practices in European Democracies (1945-2015)” (with Angela Bourne), *European Constitutional Law Review*, v. 13, n. 2, pp. 221-247

“Separation, Divorce or Harakiri? The ‘Crisis’ of Asian Democracies in Comparative Perspective”, *Journal of Northeast Asian History*, v. 14, n. 2, pp. 63-94

“Institucionalización y Democracia: ¿un Peligro para España?” [Institutionalization and Democracy: Is Spain in Danger?], *Cuadernos de Pensamiento Político FAES*, v. 53, pp. 61-68

2016

“Party System Closure and Openness: Conceptualization, Operationalization and Validation” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *Party Politics*, v. 22, n. 3, pp. 265-277

“Regulating Party Politics in the Western Balkans: the Legal Sources of Party System Development in Macedonia” (with Dane Taleski), *Democratization*, v. 23, n. 3, pp. 545-567

“La Financiación Pública de los Partidos Políticos: España en Perspectiva Comparada” [Public Party Funding: Spain in Comparative Perspective] (with Juan Rodríguez Teruel), *Presupuesto y Gasto Público*, v. 82, n. 1, pp. 159-178

“Party Funding Regulation in Poland (1990-2015): An Appraisal”, *Politologia*, v. 1, n. 1, pp. 47-89

2014

“Party Systems and Cleavage Structures Revisited: A Sociological Explanation of Party System Institutionalization in East Central Europe”, *Party Politics*, v. 20, n. 1, pp. 16-36

“The World Upside Down: De-legitimising Political Finance Regulation” (with Fransje Molenaar, Daniela Piccio and Ekaterina Rashkova), *International Political Science Review*, v. 35, n. 3, pp. 355-375

“Party Regulation in Post-authoritarian Contexts: Southern Europe in Comparative Perspective” (with Ingrid van Biezen), *South European Society and Politics*, v. 19, n. 1, pp. 71-87

“The Carrot and the Stick: Party Regulation and Politics in Democratic Spain” (with Oscar Barberà, Astrid Barrio and Juan Rodríguez Teruel), *South European Society and Politics*, v. 19, n. 1, pp. 89-112

- “Party Regulation and Party Politics in Post-communist Europe” (with Ingrid van Biezen), *East European Politics*, v. 30, n. 3, pp. 295-314
- “Regulating Polish Politics: ‘Cartel’ Parties in a Non-Collusive Party System” (with Marcin Walecki), *East European Politics*, v. 30, n. 3, pp. 330-350
- “The Limits of Regulation: Party Law and Finance in Slovakia (1990-2012)” (with Kevin Deegan-Krause and Peter Učen), *East European Politics*, v. 30, n. 3, pp. 351-371
- 2013 “Post-communist Politics: on the Divergence (and/or Convergence) of East and West”, *Government and Opposition*, v. 48, n. 3, pp. 398-433
- 2012 “Parties, Regime and Cleavages: Explaining Party System Institutionalization in East Central Europe”, *East European Politics*, v. 28, n. 4, pp. 452-472
- 2010 “Pártverseny-mintázatok Kelet-Közép-Európában, 1990-2008” [Party System Configurations and Bloc Politics in Eastern-Central Europe, 1990-2008] (with Zsolt Enyedi), *Politikatudományi Szemle [Hungarian Political Science Review]*, v. 19, n. 1, pp. 7-30

Book chapters

- Forthcoming “Political Financing” (with Sergiu Lipcean), in Luis de Sousa and Susana Coroado (eds.) *Encyclopaedia of Corruption*. Edward Elgar Publishing Limited
- “Party Regulation and Finance (1975-2019)” (with Ingrid van Biezen), in Pedro Magalhães, António Costa Pinto and Jorge Fernandes (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Portuguese Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press
- “Political Parties” (with Oscar Barberà and Juan Rodríguez Teruel), in Laura Chaqués-Bonafont and Jacint Jordana (eds.) *Policy Analysis in Spain*. Bristol: The Policy Press
- “Party Systems and Party System Change” (with Zsolt Enyedi), in Neil Carter, Dan Keith, Gyda Sindre and Sofia Vasilopoulou (eds.) *The Routledge Handbook of Political Parties*. Abingdon/New York: Routledge
- 2021 “Increasing Instability: Politics in the Oldest, Smallest Party Democracy in the World”, in Fernando Casal Bértoa and Patrick Dumont (eds.), *Party Politics in Micro-states*, Abingdon/New York: Routledge
- 2020 “Party Systems: Types, Dimensions and Explanations” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *Oxford Research Encyclopaedia of Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press
- 2018 “Earthquake or Hurricane? The Rise and Fall of Populist Parties in Poland” (with Simona Guerra), in Steven Wolinetz and Andrej Zaslove (eds.) *Absorbing the Blow. Populist Parties and Their Impact on Parties and Party Systems*, London/New York: Rowman and Littlefield [Partially translated into Spanish in Ángel Rivero, Javier Zarzalejos y Jorge del Palacio (eds.) “La

Geografía del Populismo. Un Viaje al Universo del Populismo desde sus Orígenes hasta Trump”, Madrid: Tecnos/Faes

“From Stability to Change? The Evolution of the Party System in Spain” (with Oscar Barberà, Astrid Barrio and Juan Rodríguez Teruel), in Marco Lisi (ed.), *Party System Change, the European Crisis and the State of Democracy*, Abingdon/New York: Routledge

“Cuarenta Años de Financiación de Partidos Políticos en España” [Forty Years of Political Party Funding in Spain] (with Juan Rodríguez Teruel), en Benigno Pendás (ed.) *Cuarenta Años de Constitución (1978-2018). Trayectorias y Perspectivas* [Forty Years of Constitution (1978-2018). Trajectories and Perspectives]. Madrid: Centro de Estudios Políticos y Constitucionales

“Party Regulation and Party Politics in Post-communist Europe” (with Ingrid van Biezen), “Party Regulation and the Reshaping of Party Politics in Poland” (with Marcin Walecki), and “The Three Laws to Rule Them All: The Consolidation of Slovakia’s Party Regulation 1990-2106” (with Kevin Deegan-Krause and Peter Učen), in Fernando Casal Bértoa and Ingrid van Biezen (eds.), *The Regulation of Post-communist Party Politics*, Abingdon/New York: Routledge

2016 “Party System Institutionalization. A Travelling Concept?”, in Ferdinand Müller-Rommel and Fernando Casal Bértoa (eds.), *Party Politics and Democracy in Europe: Essays in Honour of Peter Mair*, Abingdon/New York: Routledge

2015 “Po Dwudziestu Latach: Jak Zinstytucjonalizowane są Postkomunistyczne Systemy Partyjne?” [Twelve Years on: How Institutionalized Post-communist Party Systems are?] (with Peter Mair), in Wojciech Gagattek and Katarzyna Grzybowska-Walecka (eds.) *Oblicza Demokracji. Dzieła wybrane Petera Maira* [The Face of Democracy. Peter Mair’s Selected Works], Warsaw: Centre for Europe (Warsaw University)

2014 “Party Laws in Comparative Perspective: Evidence and Implications” (with Daniela Piccio and Ekaterina Rashkova), in Ingrid van Biezen and Hans-Martien ten Napel (eds.) *Regulating Political Parties: European Democracies in Comparative Perspective*, Leiden: Leiden University Press

2012 “Party System Institutionalization across Time in Post-Communist Europe” (with Peter Mair), in Ferdinand Müller-Rommel and Hans Keman (eds.) *Party Government in the New Europe*, London: Routledge [Translated into Spanish in Fernando Casal Bértoa and Gerardo Scherlis (eds.) *Partidos, Sistema de Partidos y Democracia. La Obra Esencial de Peter Mair*, Buenos Aires: EUDEBA]

2011 “Patterns of Inter-Party Competition (1990-2009)” (with Zsolt Enyedi), in Paul G. Lewis and Radosław Markowski (eds.) *Europeanizing Party Politics? Comparative Perspectives on Central and Eastern Europe*, Manchester: Manchester University Press

“Resursele statului și bani de buzunar: Finanțarea partidelor politice românești în perioada postcomunistă” [State Resources and Pocket Money: Funding of Romanian Political Parties during Post-communism] (with Sergiu Gherghina and Mihail Chiru), in Sergiu Gherghina (ed.) *Voturi și politici: dinamica partidelor românești în ultimele două decenii* [Votes and Policies; The Dynamic of the Romanian Political Parties in the most Recent Two Decades], Iasi: Editura Institutul European

2010 “Spain” (with Mónica Ferrín and Sergi Pardos Prado), in Wojciech Gagatsek (ed.) *The 2009 Elections to the European Parliament – Country Reports*. Florence: European University Institute

Book reviews

2017 “Gobernando el Vacío: la Banalización de la Democracia Occidental”, *Revista Española de Ciencia Política*, v. 44, pp. 303-306

2016 “New Parties in Old Party Systems”, *Perspectives on Politics*, v. 14, n. 4, pp. 1234-1236

2012 “The Politics of Party Funding”, *Acta Politica*, v. 47, n. 4, pp. 478-480

Opinions

2021 “Joint Opinion on Amendments to the Electoral Code, Law on Political Association of Citizens and the Rules of Procedure of the Parliament of Georgia” (with Nicos Alivizatos, Josep Maria Castella Andreu, Michael Frenedo, Don BissonaAnd Alice Thomas), *Venice Commission and OSCE/ODIHR*, Venice (Italy), 2021

2020 “Opinion on the Draft Law on Political Parties (Kyrgyz Republic)” (with Alice Thomas, Lolita Cigane and Barbara Jouan-Stonestreet), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

“Joint Opinion on Draft Amendments to the Legislation Pertaining to Political Party Regulation [in Armenia]” (with Richard Barrett, Lolita Cigane, Nicolae Esanu, Pere Vilanova), *Venice Commission and OSCE/ODIHR*, Venice (Italy)

2019 “Opinion on the Draft Law on Political Parties and Article 19 of the Constitution [in Mongolia]” (with Richard Katz and Tamara Otiashvili), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

“Opinion on the Act on Amendment of the Act on the 2019 State Budget of the Republic of Bulgaria” (with Lolita Cigane, Ömer Faruck Gençkaya and Richard Katz), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

“Preliminary Analysis of Draft Registration Requirements for the Establishment of Political Parties in Mongolia” (with Tamara Otiashvili), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

“Opinion on the Constitutional Law of the Republic of Armenia on Political Parties” (with Lolita Cigane and Richard Katz), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

2018 “Opinion on Certain Provisions of the Law on Funding of and Control of Funding of Political Campaigns [in Lithuania]” (with Barbara Jouan-Stonestreet and Richard Katz), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

2017 “Joint Opinion on the Legal Framework of the Republic of Moldova Governing the Funding of Political Parties and Electoral Campaigns” (with Philip Dimitrov, Michael Frendo, Pieter van Dijk, Richard Katz, Tatyana Hilscher-Bogussevich, Alice Thomas and Alvis Vilks), *Venice Commission and OSCE/ODIHR*, Venice (Italy)

“Opinion on Laws Regulating the Funding of Political Parties in Spain” (with Ingrid van Biezen, Ömer Faruck Genckaya, Barbara Jouan-Stonestreet, Richard Katz, Lisa Klein and Alice Thomas), *OSCE/ODIHR*, Warsaw (Poland)

Reports

2022 “Post-legislative Scrutiny of Election Campaign Finance Legislation” (with Sergiu Lipcean), Commissioned by the Westminster Foundation for Democracy

2021 “The 2013 Political Parties Act in Fiji: Comparative Analysis and Recommendations”, Commissioned by the United Nations Development Programme

“Reforming European Political Parties: Improved Regulation Through Best Practices” (with Louis Dronau), Commissioned by OSCE/ODIHR

“Party Institutionalization in Mongolia” (with Bat-Orgil Altankhuyag and Batkhishig Gankhuyag), Commissioned by the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

“The Regulation of Party Politics in Kazakhstan: 25 Recommendations for a New Legislative Framework”, Commissioned by Revanta (The Hague)

2020 “On the Perils of Popular Presidential Elections”, Commissioned by the Armenian Constitutional Reform Commission (and sponsored by the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung)

“The Regulation of Party Politics in Sudan”, Commissioned by the Westminster Foundation for Democracy

“Public and Private Funding Regulation in the EU and UK: Available Options for Albania”, Commissioned by the Council of Europe

“Public Funding of Political Parties”, Commissioned by the Mongolian Parliament (and sponsored by the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung)

- 2019 “Registration, Funding and Oversight: ‘Best Practices’ in Old and New Europe”, Commissioned by OSCE/ODIHR
- “Public Funding of Political Parties: What Is It Good For?”, Commissioned by the Armenian Parliament (and sponsored by the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung)
- “Political Party Finance Regulation in 13 African Countries” (with Edalina Sanches), Commissioned by the Conservative Party (and sponsored by the Westminster Foundation for Democracy)
- “Integrity of Political Finance Systems in Asia – Tackling Political Corruption” (with Erik Moberg and Yukihiko Hamada), Commissioned by International IDEA
- “Polarization: What Do We Know About It And What Can We Do To Combat It?”, *Policy Brief No. 30*, Commissioned by the Georgian Institute of Politics (GIP)
- 2018 “Political Finance in Mongolia: Assessment and Recommendations” (with Catalina Uribe Burcher), Commissioned by International IDEA
- 2017 “Party Politics and the Future of Democracy: Georgia in Comparative Perspective”, Commissioned by Democracy Reporting International (DRI)
- “Political Party Funding in Europe, East and West: A Comparative Analysis” (with Juan Rodríguez Teruel), Commissioned by OSCE/ODIHR
- 2016 “The Reformed Ukrainian Party Law (2015): A Comparative Analysis”, Commissioned by OSCE/ODIHR
- 2015 “Ser o No Ser? La Crisis de los Partidos Políticos y El Futuro de la Democracia Representativa [To Be or Not to Be? The Crisis of Political Parties and the Future of Representative Democracy]”, Commissioned by IDEA-NIMD (Quito, Ecuador)

OTHER WORKS

- Under review “Presidential Elections and European Party Systems (1848-2020)” (with Till Weber)
- “Oxford Handbook of Polish Politics” (with Katarzyna Grzybowska-Walecka and Simona Guerra)
- “Covid-19 on Electoral Participation: The Dog that Failed to Bark” (with José Rama and Andrés Santana)
- “Party System Closure and Liberal Democracy: A Double-edged Sword” (with Zsolt Enyedi and Martin Mölder)

“Preaching in the Desert? The Effects of Anti-political-establishment Parties and Party System Fragmentation on Electoral Turnout” (with Piotr Zagórski and Jose Rama)

“On the Relationship between Party and Party System Institutionalization” (with Zsolt Enyedi and Martin Mölder)

In progress “It is not a Question of Size: A Comprehensive Explanation to Electoral Fluidity in Democratic Micro-States” (with Mariano Torcal and José Rama)

“Electoral Systems, Fragmentation and Closure: An Institutional Explanation (and its Mechanisms) of Party System Development in Europe” (with Airo Hino)

“Splitting the Difference: a New Way to Calculate Electoral Volatility Worldwide” (with Kevin-Deegan Krause and Tim Haughton)

DATABASES

2022 *Database on WHO GOVERNS in Europe and Beyond, PSGo*. Available at: whogoverns.eu

CONFERENCE PAPERS

2007-2021 Various papers presented at different national (AECPA 2013; APCP 2012, 2018; PSA 2008, 2014, 2019; SAAP 2017) and international conferences (ALACIP 2017; APSA 2009, 2013, 2015-2017, 2019, 2021; CES 2012-2017, 2019; CESS 2014, 2017; ECPR Joint Sessions 2009, 2011-2016, 2018, 2021; ECPR General 2009, 2011, 2014, 2019; ECPR Graduate 2008, 2010; ECPR-IPSA 2012; EPOP 2012, 2016, 2017; EPSA 2014, 2019; ICCEES 2010, 2015; IPSA 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018; ISA 2022; MPSA 2010, 2013, 2015, 2021; summer schools (ECPR 2007, 2008) and workshops.

HONORS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS

2019 Routledge Award of the Research Network on "Elections, Parties and Party Systems" for the Best Paper Presented at the Council for European Studies (CES) Annual Conference (Madrid, 20-22 June)

International Collaboration Fund Grant, Nottingham University

Foundation Francisco Manuel dos Santos (Lisbon, Portugal). Research team member

Visiting Fellowship at the Waseda Institute for Advanced Studies (WIAS), Waseda University (Japan) (declined)

Visiting Scholar at the V-Dem Institute, University of Gothenburg (Sweden)

2018 Nottingham University Knowledge Exchange and Impact Awards (runner-up)

- University of Nottingham Vice-chancellor's Medal
- Gordon Smith and Vincent Wright Memorial Prize
- 2017 AECPA "Best Article" Award
- Birmingham-Nottingham Strategic Collaboration Fund
- 2016 UK-Mexico Visiting Chair: Mobility Grant
- Senior Fellowship at the APELLA Institute for Policy Analysis and Dialogue (Yerevan, Armenia)
- 2015 Visiting Fellowship at Waseda University (Tokyo, Japan)
- Leadership Programme for Early Career Researchers. University of Nottingham
- Research Board Discipline Bridging Award (collectively to the Nottingham Institute for Comparative Economic and Political Research). University of Nottingham. Role: NICEP co-director and co-applicant)
- 2013-2016 Research Fellowship. University of Nottingham
- 2013 EUROLAB Grant. GESIS-Leibniz Institute (declined)
- Workshop Directors' Grant. European Consortium for Political Research
- 2012 LeidCeu Outbound Scholarship. Leiden University
- 2010 Scholarship to attend the International Greifswald Ukrainian Summer School. Alfried Krupp Wissenschaftskolleg Greifswald (declined)
- 2009 International e-Democracy Award. Project: EUProfiler, directed by Prof. Alexander Trechsel (European University Institute, Florence). Role: Country co-leader (Spain)
- PSA Overseas Conference Grant. Political Studies Association
- ECPR Scholarship Fund. European Consortium for Political Research
- DAAD Research Fellowship. German Academic Exchange Service
- Erasmus Scholarship. European Academic Exchange Service
- Salvador de Madariaga Scholarship. Spanish Ministry of Education
- "Short-Stay" Research Scholarship. Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation

- 2008 Paderewski Scholarship. College of Europe (Natolin)
- 2008-2010 Ph.D. Scholarship. Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation
- 2006-2008 Ph.D. Scholarship. Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 2004-2006 Post-graduate Studies Scholarship. Foundation “Caja Madrid” (Spain)
- 2003 Socrates Scholarship. European Academic Exchange Service
- 1994-1998 Graduate Studies Scholarship. Spanish Ministry of Education

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2017- Course (MA level): Comparative Democratic Development (module convenor)
- Course (BA level): Political Parties and Party Systems around the Globe (module convenor and seminar tutor)
- 2021 Course (BA level): From Dictatorship to Democracy, and Back (module convenor and seminar tutor)
- Masterclass at the University San Pablo CEU (Madrid, Spain), November 11th
- Main Speaker at the People’s Party (PP) and Konrad Adenauer Foundation (KAS) “Sessions of Analysis” on “The Future of Centre-right Parties in Europe”, November 10th
- Research Seminar at the Department of Political Science of the Autonomous University in Madrid (Spain), November 8th
- Keynote speech at the Mexican Society of Electoral Systems/SOMEE, October 12th
- Keynote speech at the Czech Political Science Association (Brno), September 10th
- Panellist at the IMPETUS and Europe House-Skopje’s Webinar on “Monitoring Elections to Reduce Corruption” (North Macedonia), June 21st
- Panellist at the National Democratic Institute (NDI) Workshop on “Movement-based Parties” (Washington D.C., USA), 2nd June
- ECPR Stein Rokkan Lecture panellist, ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops (Prague, Czechia), 25th May
- AMECIP Course on “Political Parties and Party Systems”, University of Guadalajara (Mexico), 15th May-24th July

Presentation at “Robert Elgie” Brown Bag Seminars on Politics, Sapienza University of Rome (Italy), April 7th

Visiting Lecture at King’s College London (UK), March 16th

Visiting Lecture at the University San Pablo CEU (Madrid, Spain), March 8th

Speaker at the Roundtable on “The Transformation and the Future of Party Systems” at the “Revisiting Linkages between Citizens and Politicians in Contemporary Europe” International Workshop, University of Prague (Czechia), January 29th

Speaker on “Public Funding of Political Parties: What’s It Good For?” at the “Democratic Challenges in Asia and Mongolia” International Conference, National University of Mongolia, January 28th

Lecture on “Party System Institutionalization: Causes and Consequences” (with Radivoje Grujić) at the ECPR/ODIHR Winter School (Warsaw, Poland), January 16th

2020 Course (BA level): Politics of Democratic Backsliding in East and Central Europe (module co-convenor and seminar tutor)

Course (BA level): Introduction to Comparative Politics (seminar tutor)

Presentation on “The Perils of Popular Presidential Elections” at the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung’s Webinar on “Kyrgyzstan at the Tipping Point” (Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan), December 17th

Guest Lecture on “La democracia representativa está enferma: ¿hay cura?” at the Department of Political Sciences and Public Administration, University of Valencia (Spain), November 27th

Presentation on “The Volatility of Volatility” at the Department of Political Science Seminar Series, Wayne State University (Detroit, USA), November 19th

Keynote speech at Workshop on “Revisiting Linkages between Citizens and Politicians in Contemporary Europe”, University of Prague (Czechia), November 19th

Speech at the Bolivian Political Science Association Seminar (La Paz), September 1st

Lecture on “Party System Institutionalization: Causes and Consequences” (with Zsolt Enyedi) at the ECPR/ODIHR Summer School (Warsaw, Poland), August 18th

Mini-course (BA level) on “Party Politics and Elections” (with Don Lee) at the National Taiwan University (Taipei), 11-15 May

Visiting Lecture at the University San Pablo CEU (Madrid, Spain), February 27th

Lecture on “Party System Institutionalization: Causes and Consequences” at the ECPR/ODIHR Winter School (Warsaw, Poland), January 21st

2019 Lecture at ODIHR Academic Conference on “The Role of Money in Ukrainian Politics and Elections” (Kharkiv, Ukraine), November 25th

Research Seminar at the Department of Political Science of the LUISS University (Rome, Italy), October 31st

Lecture on “Perils of Presidential Elections for Party System Institutionalization” at *Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México* (UNAM, City of Mexico), August 6th

Lecture on “Democratic Crisis and Populist Wave” at the FAES-UCM Summer School (El Escorial, Spain), July 4th

Lecture on “Money in Politics” at the Ukrainian School of Political Studies (Odessa, Ukraine), June 7th

MUNI Seminar on “The Rise of APEp and the Crisis of Liberal Democracy: Can We Fix It?” at the University of Brno (Czechia), April 9th

Visiting lecture on “The Crisis of Political Parties and Representative Democracy” at Ilia State University (Tbilisi, Georgia), April 5th

Lecture on “Political Parties, Party Systems and Democracy” (with Andryi Meleshevich) and “Party Funding, Transparency and Corruption” (with Marcin Walecki) at the ECPR/ODIHR Winter School (Warsaw, Poland), January 14th and 15th

Panellist in a Roundtable on “The Life and Work of Peter Mair” at the University of Warsaw (Poland), January 15th

2018 Presentation at the *Communicathon 2018*, organized by DRI/GYLA/ForSet (Tbilisi, Georgia), December 21st

Research Seminar at the Institute of Social Sciences (ICS) of the University of Lisbon (Portugal), December 5th

Panellist in Panel on “Reaching Back: Continuities and Discontinuities of Democratic State Building in Central and Eastern Europe” at the Institute for Human Studies-IWM (Vienna, Austria), November 30th

Panellist in a Plenary Panel on “Democracy, Illiberal Democracy and Neo-authoritarianism?” at the Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University (Warsaw, Poland), November 29th

Lecture on “The Crisis of Representative Democracy” at *University of Montenegro* (Podgorica), November 18th

Keynote speech at the Mexican Association of Political Science/AMECIP (Puebla), August 9th

Lecture (with Andryi Meleshevich) at the ECPR/ODIHR Summer School on “Parties and Democracy” (Warsaw, Poland), July 10th

Keynote speech at the Hungarian Political Science Association Annual Conference (Budapest), June 8th

Research Seminar at the Department of Political Science of the Autonomous University in Madrid (Spain), March 13th

Panellist in a Roundtable on “Crisis and Change: Europe and Spain Face the Populist Wave” organized by the Autonomous University in Madrid (Spain), March 12th

2017 Course (BA level): Crises and Controversies in European Politics (seminar tutor)

Keynote speech at the International Model United Nations/NottsMUN Conference (Nottingham, UK), November 17th

Visiting Lecture at the International Black Sea University (Tbilisi, Georgia), November 15th

Visiting Lecture at the Moldovan State University (Chisinau, Moldova), October 16th

Lecture (with Zsolt Enyedi) at the ECPR Summer School on “Political Parties” organized by the University of Nottingham (UK), September 18th

Keynote speech at the 25th “School of Political Leaders” (Warsaw, Poland), June 23rd

Lecture on “The Crisis of Political Parties” at *Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México* (UNAM, City of Mexico), May 23rd

2016 Course (BA level): Introduction to Comparative Politics (seminar tutor)

Research Seminar at the Department of Political and Economic Studies of the University of Helsinki (Finland), September 26th

Lecture on “The Effects of Constitutional Reform for Party System Development in Armenia” at the American University (Yerevan, Armenia), July 11th

Research Seminar at the Department of Political Science of *Vrije Universiteit Brussel* (Belgium), June 1st

Panellist in a Inter-parliamentary Conference on “Interaction of Political Groups, Parties and Government in the EU Accession Process” at the European Parliament (Brussels, Belgium), May 30th

Guest Lecture at Dr. Juan Rodríguez Teruel’s Seminar on “Types of Regime and Party System Institutionalization in Europe (1848-2014)” at the Department of Political Sciences and Public Administration, University of Valencia (Spain), April 29th

Research Seminar at the Department of Political Science of the University of Florence (Italy), April 28th

Guest Lecture at Dr Cristina Ares’s Seminar on “Presidential Elections and Party System Institutionalization” at the Faculty of Political Sciences and Public Administration, University of Santiago de Compostela (Spain), April 6th

Panellist in a Roundtable on “Parties and Mobilization” at the 1st Atlantic Forum of the IAdG [Atlantic Institute of Government] (Madrid, Spain), January 13th

2015 Research Seminar at the Centre for the Study of Politics (CEVIPOL) of the *Université Libre de Bruxelles* (Belgium), September 23rd

Training lecture at the FutureLab Europe Annual Forum in Brussels (Brussels), September, 22nd

Lecture (with Zsolt Enyedi) at the ECPR Summer School on “Political Parties and Party Systems” organized by the Centre for the Study of Democracy (CSD), Leuphana University (Lüneburg, Germany), September 17th

Various Visiting Lectures at the Institute of Political Economy of Waseda University (Tokyo, Japan), August 5th

Training Lecture at the Workshop for Experts in Political Party Finance (Kiev, Ukraine), July 16th

Keynote Speaker at the “Political Party Expert Workshop” (Kiev, Ukraine), July 14th

Panellist in a Roundtable on “Regulatory Models, Common Problems and Examples to Learn from Other Types of Toxic Fundings” at the UIMP [Menéndez Pelayo International University] Summer School on "Party and Campaign Funding (Barcelona, Spain), July 7th

Research Seminar at the Department of Political Economy of King’s College London (United Kingdom), June 17th

- 2014 Visiting Lecture at the University of Zagreb organized by the Faculty of Political Science and the NGO “GONG” (Croatia), December 10th
- Guest Lecture at Dr. Goran Čular’s Seminar on “Political Parties” at the Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb (Croatia), December 10th
- Visiting Lecture at the Faculty of Political Science of the University of Montenegro (Podgorica, Montenegro), December 9th
- Research Seminar at the Department of Comparative Politics of the University of Bergen (Norway), December 3rd
- Visiting Lecture at the Academy of Public Administration (Chisinau, Moldova), October 22nd
- Lecture at the ECPR Summer School on “Political Parties and Party Systems” organized by the Centre for the Study of Democracy (CSD), Leuphana University (Lüneburg, Germany), September 11th
- Guest Lecture at the Summer School on “Internal Democracy within Parties and Citizen Movements” organized by the National University of Kiev-Mohyla Academy (Ukraine) and the Institute of German and International Party Law and Party Research of the University of Düsseldorf (Germany), National University of Kiev-Mohyla Academy (Kiev, Ukraine), May 26th
- 2013 Training Lecture at the General Meeting of the European Political Party Foundations and Institutes Network-EPPFI (Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina), November 2nd
- Guest Lecture at the European Policy Centre (Brussels, Belgium), June 25th
- Course (BA level): Party Systems in New Democracies
- 2012 Courses (BA level): Comparative Politics, Political Psychology
- Guest Lecture at the Centre for the Study of Imperfections in Democracies (DISC), Central European University (Budapest, Hungary), November 7th
- Guest Lecture (MA level) at the University of Salamanca (Spain), March 1st
- 2010 Training Lecture at the Working Meeting of the General Secretaries of the Central and South-Eastern European Centre-Right Political parties (Ohrid, Macedonia), October 23rd
- 2009 Guest Lecture at Prof. Vello Pettai’s Seminar on “Theories and Methods in Comparative Politics” at the Leuphana University (Lüneburg, Germany). December 10th
- Lecture on “Training during the Doctoral Studies” at the Free University in Brussels (Belgium). November 24th

Research Fellow at the Centre for the Study of Democracy (ZDEMO).
Leuphana University (Lüneburg, Germany). June-December

Visiting Student at the Political Science Department. Central European
University (Budapest, Hungary). January-April

2008 Teacher Training at the European University Institute

Lecture on Baltic Politics at the Centre for Baltic Studies (Riga, Latvia).
November 21st

SUPERVISION AND MENTORSHIP

2022 Tonis Saarts (University of Tallin, Estonia – Visiting Fellow)

2020 Hakan Yavuzyilmaz (Hacettepe University, Turkey – Postdoctoral Fellow)

Norah Leah (ESRC PhD. candidate)

Manuel Hernández-González (PhD. candidate)

2019 Anna M. Bagaini (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milan - Visiting
Fellow)

2018 Anna Silander (PhD. candidate)

2017 Luz Ramírez Franco (University of Salamanca - Doctoral Fellow)

Katarzyna Grzybowska-Walecka (Stefan Wyszyński University, Warsaw -
Visiting Fellow)

José Rama Caamaño (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid – FPU Doctoral
Fellow)

2016 Juan Rodríguez Teruel (University of Valencia - Visiting Fellow)

2014 Leyre Burguera Ameave (UNED, Madrid - Visiting Fellow)

EDITORSHIPS AND EDITORIAL BOARDS

2020- Member editorial board *Studia Politologiczne*

2017- Member editorial board *Journal of Comparative Politics, Electoral Politics*

2016- Editor of the *Routledge Book Series* on “Political Parties and Party Systems”

Member editorial board *Debates* (Málaga University Press)

2016-2017 Associate Editor of *Political Studies* (SAGE Press)

2015- Member editorial board *East European Quarterly*, *CIVIS* (Montenegrin Journal of Political Science), *Politologia*

EXPERT ADVISOR

2021- United Nations Development Program (Pacific Region) expert

Georgian Institute of Politics (GIP) Advisory Board member

LUISS Guido Carli University Selection Board (Rome, Italy)

2020 OSCE Academy Selection Board (Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan)

2019- National Science Centre (Warsaw, Poland)

State Research Agency-AEI (Madrid, Spain)

2018- Council of Europe expert

Consultant for International IDEA (Stockholm, Sweden)

2017- Member of the OSCE/ODIHR “Core Group of Political Party Experts”

2017 National Science Centre (Warsaw, Poland)

International IDEA (Stockholm, Sweden)

Liberal International (Oxford, UK)

Constitutional Reform Commission (Tbilisi, Georgia)

2016 Czech Science Foundation (Prague, Czech Republic)

2014-2016 Political party expert for OSCE/ODIHR (Warsaw, Poland)

2014 Fund for Scientific Research-FNRS (F.R.S.-FNRS) - Brussels (Belgium)

Global Integrity (Washington, USA)

“Party Financing and Referendum Campaigns in EU Member States” survey (University of Amsterdam) – Study prepared for the Committee of Constitutional Affairs (European Parliament)

Czech Science Foundation (Prague, Czech Republic)

Austrian Central Bank (OeNB Anniversary Fund) – Vienna (Austria)

2012 Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO, Belgium)

- 2011 “EPAC – Ethno-nationalism in Party Competition” dataset (ETH Zurich and University of Cologne)
- “Political Finance” database (International IDEA, Stockholm)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2021 PhD. Thesis Committee Member at Brunel University (London, UK), 1st October
- MPhil. Thesis Committee Member at King’s College London (UK), 29th July
- Co-director of the ECPR Joint Sessions Workshop on “Ethic Self-Regulation in Politics: Norms, Oversight and Enforcement” (Prague), 25-28 May
- 2020 PhD. Thesis Committee Member at the European University Institute (Florence, Italy), 26th June
- 2019- Co-director of the ECPR-ODIHR Winter School on “Parties and Democracy” (OSCE/ODIHR, Warsaw, Poland)
- Co-director of the SOMEE Summer School on Political Parties (UNAM, Mexico)
- 2019 PhD. Thesis Committee Member at King’s College London (UK), 9th December
- MA Thesis Committee Member at UNAM-Mexico
- Member of the AECPA Awards Selection Committee (Madrid)
- 2018- Co-director of the Research Centre for the Study of Parties and Democracy (REPRESENT)
- Co-director of the ECPR-ODIHR Summer School on “Parties and Democracy” (OSCE/ODIHR, Warsaw, Poland)
- 2018 Co-director of the ECPR Joint Sessions Workshop on “Rethinking ‘Militant Democracy’: Democratic Dilemmas in the Age of Populism” (Nicosia), 10-14 April
- 2016-2018 Co-director of the ECPR Summer School on “Political Parties and Party Systems” (University of Nottingham, UK)
- 2015-2018 Co-chair of the “Political Parties, Party Systems and Elections” Research Network of the Council for European Studies (Columbia, USA)
- Research theme director of the Nottingham Interdisciplinary Centre for Economic and Political Research (NICEP), School of Politics and International Relations (University of Nottingham, UK)

- 2017 Main Rapporteur at the World Forum for Democracy held at the Council of Europe (Strasbourg, 9-10 November)
- Senior International Political Expert for Democracy Reporting International (DRI)
- Member of the Organisation Committee of the ECPR Joint Sessions held at the University of Nottingham (UK), 25-30 April
- 2016 Evaluator of the Spanish National Evaluation and Foresight Agency (ANEP)
- 2015 PhD. Thesis Committee Member at the Autonomous University of Barcelona (Spain), 5 November
- 2014 Co-director of the Centre for Comparative Political Research (CCPR), School of Politics and International Relations (University of Nottingham, UK)
- PSA delegate at the IPSA World Congress (Montreal, Canada)
- 2013 Co-director of the ECPR Joint Sessions Workshop on “Developing a Comprehensive Framework for Party Change and Party System Volatility” (Mainz), 11-16 March
- 2012 Co-director of the ECPR Research Session on “A Comprehensive Framework on Party System Change” (Florence), 19-22 June
- 2010 Research Assistant. Social and Political Science Department, European University Institute (Florence, Italy). March-June
- 2009 Academic Collaborator. European Union Democracy Observatory, European University Institute (Florence, Italy). September-November
- Administrative Organizer of the 19th ECPR Summer School on “Political Parties and European Democracy”, European University Institute (Florence, Italy), 15-26 September
- Academic Collaborator. Department of Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute (Florence, Italy). April-June
- Post-Graduate Student Representative. Department of Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute (Florence, Italy)
- 2008 Post-Graduate Student Representative. Department of Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute (Florence, Italy)
- 2003 Graduate Student Representative. Department of Political Science, University of Salamanca (Spain)

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

- 2021 “Third Time Lucky? Understanding Bulgaria’s Endemic Party System Turmoil” (with Zsolt Enyedi and Teodora Yovcheva), *The Globe Post*, 9th November
- “What Explains the Destabilisation of the German Party System?” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *EUROPP* (LSE Blog), 28th October
- Interview for *Veja* (Brazil), 2nd October
- Interview for *TVG* (Galician TV), 27th September
- “Party System Closure and Its Impact on Democracy” (with Zsolt Enyedi), *The Loop* (ECPR blog), 12th August
- Interview for *Current Time* (Kazakh TV program), 30th July
- Interview for Georgian Institute of Politics (GIP), 28th June
- “Election Game” (with Teodora Yovcheva), *Dnevnik* (Bulgarian national newspaper), 6th June
- Interview for *Dagens Nyheter* (Swedish national newspaper), 25th June
- Interview for *El Correo Gallego* (one of Galicia’s leading newspapers), 22nd June
- “Are Presidential Elections Putting Mongolian Democracy in Peril?” (with Bat-Orgil Altankhuyag), *The Diplomat*, 12th May
- Interview for *TVG* (Galician TV), 5th May
- Interview for *El Correo Gallego* (one of Galicia’s leading newspapers), 5th May
- Interviews for *Observador*, 16th April and 4th May
- Debate on *CIVILNET TV* (Armenia’s leading digital TV), 2nd March
- “Facing the Antiestablishment Challenge: Three Remedies, but Only One Solution” (with José Rama), *openDemocracy*, 26th January
- “La Regeneración Política como Solución a la Ola Populista” (with José Rama), *Piedras de Papel*, 26th January
- 2020 “Direct Presidential Elections Undermine Stable Party Politics” (with Harout Manougian), *EVN Report*, 15th December

“Serbia’s Ruling Party Just Scored and Landslide Victory: Here’s Why the Opposition Boycotted the Election” (with Boban Stojanović), *The Washington Post*, 30th June

“Mongolia’s Dance with Democracy: Some Steps Back, Some Forward” (with Bat-Orgil Altankhuyag), *The Globe Post*, 30th June

“President Duda’s Bittersweet Victory in Poland’s presidential elections” (with Piotr Zagórski), *Agenda_Pública.El País*, 29th June

“Five Paradoxes of Polish Presidential Elections” (with Piotr Zagórski), *EUROPP* (LSE Blog), 27th June

“Democratic Backsliding, Poland’s Election and COVID-19: What Needs to Be Considered?” (with Simona Guerra), *EUROPP* (LSE Blog), 24th April

Interview for *The Defacto Gazette* (Mongolia), 7th February

Interview for *Radio Galega* (Galician radio), 12th January

2019 Interview for VTV (Mongolian TV), 20th December

“La Vida Sigue Igual...O Peor”, *Faro de Vigo*, 11th November

Interview for *Cadena Ser* (Spanish leading radio station), 10th November

Interview for *Phileleftheros* (Cyprus’ largest newspaper), 10th November

“Divide y Vencerás: Ley y Justicia Revalida el Gobierno Polaco” (with Piotr Zagórski), *Agenda_Pública.El País*, 13th October

Interview for *EVN Report*, 26th September

“¿Coalición Gubernamental o Repetición Electoral?”, *Agenda_Pública.El País*, 4th September

“¿Está Realmente en Peligro la Democracia?” (with José Rama), *Agenda_Pública.El País*, 27th August

“Five Takeaways from Spain’s Incredible Fragmented Elections” (with Juan Rodríguez Teruel), *The Washington Post*, 7th May

Interview for *Veja* (Brazil), 3rd May

“Orbanization of Serbia: Vucic’s Path Towards Competitive Authoritarianism” (with Boban Stojanović), *The Globe Post*, 29th April

Interview for *Voice of America-Georgia*, 26th and 27th April

Interview for *Denik N* (Czechia), 25th April

- Interview for *Phileleftheros* (Cyprus' largest newspaper), 21st April
- “Israel elections: four key factors that led to Netanyahu’s historic victory” (with Anna M. Bagaini), *The Conversation*, 12th April
- “Sartori, fragmentación y polarización política” (with José Rama), *Agenda Pública.El País*, 18th March
- Interview for *Voice of America-Georgia*, 27th January
- 2018 Radio interview for *Corresponsales en Línea* (collaborating with Clarín and La Nación in Argentina) , 25th November
- Interview for *Kodex* (Montenegrinian newspaper), 18th November
- “Defender la democracia o dejarla languidecer?” (with Alberto Fernández Gibaja), *El Periódico*, 23rd September
- Appearance on the news in various Georgian TV channels, 26th June
- Interview for *Observatorio* and *Noticias ao Minuto*, 16th June
- Interview for *Eagle 22* (Mongolian TV channel), 26th May
- “How Populism Can Be Turned into an Opportunity, Not a Threat” (with Nic Cheeseman, Susan Dodsworth and Lise Storm), *The Conversation*, 24th May
- Interview for *El Faro de Vigo* (one of Galicia’s leading newspapers), 22nd April
- Interview for *CIVILNET* (one of Armenia’s leading digital newspaper), 20th April
- Interview for *Iranian Labour News Agency*, 17th April
- Interview for *El Correo Gallego* (one of Galicia’s leading newspapers), 30th March
- Interview for *La Voz de Galicia* (Galicia’s leading newspaper), 28th February
- 2017 Interview for *Radio Sputnik* (Russian TV channel), 23rd December
- “Representative Politics in an Era of Everyday Mobilisation”, *openDemocracy*, 1st December
- “No, the Populist Surge Does Not Mean European Democracy is Collapsing” (with José Rama), *The Washington Post*, 17th November
- Interview for DIA TV (Georgian TV channel), 16th November

“To Ban or Not to Ban? That Is the Question” (with Angela Bourne), *openDemocracy*, 27th October

Interview for *Voice of Islam UK*, 26th October

Interview for *Iberia TV* (Georgian TV channel), 24th October

Interview for *La Razón*, 13th October

Interview for *Daily Express*, 6th October

Interview for *LRT* (Lithuania’s public radio station), 2nd October

Interview for *La Voz de Galicia* (Galicia’s leading newspaper), 27th September

“Germany no Longer Bans Extremist Parties. But Which European Democracies Do, and Why?” (with Angela Bourne), *Democratic Audit UK*, 25th September

“¿Maremoto o Tormenta?” (with José Rama), *El Pais*, 26th July

Interview for *El Mercurio* (one of Chile’s leading newspaper), 20th June

“Elecciones Generales de Reino Unido” (with José Rama), *Diálogo Atlántico* (Instituto Franklin), 12th June

Interview for *La Razón*, 11th June

Brief opinion article on the “2017 French Presidential Elections” in *El Correo Gallego*, 29th May

“Serbia’s Primer Minister just Became President. What’s Wrong with this Picture?” (with Boban Stojanović), *The Washington Post*, 4th April

Interview for *Voice of America-Georgia*, 31st March

Appearance on the news in various Georgian TV channels, 29th March

Interview for *El Mercurio* (one of Chile’s leading newspaper), 28th March

“Quo Vadis, Armenia?”, *EVN Report*, 16th March

Interview for *Voice of America-Georgia*, 27th January

Appearance on the evening news in various Georgian TV channels, 24th January

2016 “What Holds a Democracy Together? – Political Parties, or the Party System Itself?”, *Democratic Audit UK*, 19th October

Interview on *CIVILNET TV* (Armenia’s leading digital TV), 13th July

“Spain’s June 26 Elections: ‘Life Remains the Same’”, *The Washington Post*, 29th June

Brief opinion article on the “Brexit Referendum” in *El Correo Gallego*, 25th June

Interview for *EiTB Radio* (Basque Country’s leading radio station), 24th June

“Six Months After its Last Election, Spain Is Having Another. Here’s What You Need to Know”, *The Washington Post*, 22nd June

Interview for *Tempos Novos* (one of Galicia’s leading cultural magazines), 23rd May

“There Are 4 Reasons Countries Dissolve Their Parliaments. Here’s Why Serbia Did” (with Boban Stojanović), *The Washington Post*, 22nd April

Interview for *El Correo Gallego* (one of Galicia’s leading newspapers), 9th April

“Europe Wades into Debate over Poland’s Constitutional Crisis” (with Simona Guerra), *The Conversation*, 27th January

Roundtable (streamed online) at the 1st Atlantic Forum of the Atlantic Institute of Government (IAAdG), Madrid (Spain), 13th January

Note on the 2015 Polish Elections (with Simona Guerra), *The Conversation*, 2nd January

2015

“After Spain’s startling election, here are the five ways it can form a government”, *The Washington Post*, 22nd December

Commentator during the “EUROPP” (LSE Blog) live-coverage of the Spanish 2015 elections, 20nd December

“Polish Politics in 2015: All the Power to the Right”, *The Plot* (European Political Studies Association Blog), 9th December

“How Poland’s Political Landscape Was Redrawn Overnight” (with Simona Guerra), *The Conversation*, 27th October

Interview for *CIVILNET* (one of Armenia’s leading digital newspaper), 26th October

“Portuguese Elections: Portugal Is Now a Country Caught between Stability and Disaffection” (with Luís de Sousa), *EUROPP* (LSE Blog), 9th October

“Shake-up in Spain: Reform Parties Have Broken the Old Two-party Cartel”,
The Washington Post, 19th June

Interview for HTV (Croatian TV, equivalent to BBC1), 21st January

“Regulating European Party Politics: Causes and Consequences”, *Ballots and Bullets* (UoN Blog), 15th February

2014 “Are Political Finance Regulations Helping to Combat Party Corruption in Europe and Latin America?”, *Ballots and Bullets* (UoN Blog), 1st September [translated into Spanish for *Eldiario.es* (one of Spain’s leading digital newspaper), 29st October]

Interview for *INFOBAE* (one of Argentina’s leading digital newspaper), 31st May

REVIEWER

European Journal of Political Research, East European Politics, Acta Politica, Democratization, Regional and Federal Studies, Comparative European Politics, Government and Opposition, Political Studies Review, European Political Science Review, Comparative Politics, American Journal of Political Science, Australian Journal of Political Science, Yearbook of Polish European Studies, Political Behaviour, Party Politics, Political Studies, Parliamentary Affairs, Problems of Post-communism, Europe-Asia Studies, PARTECIPAZIONE e CONFLITTO, The Annals of the University of Bucharest, Central European Political Studies Review, European Political Science, West European Politics, American Political Science Review, Comparative Balkan Politics, Southeast European and Black Sea Studies, Polish Political Science Yearbook, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties, Brazilian Political Science Review, International Peacekeeping, Policy Studies, British Journal of Political Science, Revista de Estudios Políticos, Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics, Italian Political Science Review, African Journal of Political Science and International Relations, Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas, Perspectives on Politics, International Political Science Review, ECPR Press, Comparative Political Studies, Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft, Journal of Information Technology and Politics, Populism, Regulation and Governance, Palgrave, Electoral Studies, European Politics and Society, Political Research Quarterly, Oxford Research Encyclopaedia of Politics, Revista de Ciencia Política, Routledge, World Development, Journal of Contemporary African Studies, Czech Journal of Political Science, Journal of Comparative Politics, Nationalities Papers, Nations and Nationalism, East European Politics and Societies, Journal of Politics in Latin America, Latin American Research Review, Economics of Transition

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

Asociación Española de Ciencia Política (AECPA), Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies (ASEEES), American Political Science Association (APSA), British Association for Slavonic and East European

Studies (BASEES), Council for European Studies (CES), European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), International Political Studies Association (IPSA), Midwest Political Studies Association (MPSA), Political Studies Association (PSA), European Society for Central Asian Studies (ESCAS), Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties (EPOP), Asociación Mexicana de Ciencia Política (AMECIP), International Studies Association (ISA)

LANGUAGES

Spanish and Galician: native
English, Polish, Italian and Portuguese: fluent
French and Dutch: passive (i.e. reading) knowledge

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