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Previous Academic Positions

Vice President (Pro-Director) for Research, London School of Economics, 2018-21
Harold Laski Professor of Political Science, London School of Economics, 2015-21
Academic Director, School of Public Policy, London School of Economics, 2017-18
Head of Department, Department of Government, London School of Economics, 2012-15
Professor of European and Comparative Politics, London School of Economics, 2005-15
Lecturer/Senior Lecturer/Reader in EU Politics and Policy, London School of Economics, 1996-2005
Lecturer in European Politics, Brunel University, 1996-97

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PhD in Political and Social Science, European University Institute, Florence, 1995
MSc(Econ) in West European Politics, London School of Economics, 1992
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Kevin Cunningham, Simon Hix and Michael Marsh. 2014. PollWatch2014.eu. Website forecasting the results of the 2014 European Parliament elections.
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Research Grants

EuroVote2024, European University Institute Research Council, 2024
EU Commission, Horizon 2020, CIVICA Research Network, 2020
EU Commission, Horizon 2020, Integrating Diversity in the European Union (InDivEU), 2018
UK Economic and Social Research Council, A Survey of EU Referendum Preferences, 2015
UK Economic and Social Research Council, Senior Fellowship, 2015
The Leverhulme Trust, A Survey of the Members of the 2014-19 European Parliament, 2014
Electoral Reform Society, A Survey Experiment on Open List Elections to the EP, 2013
LSE Seed Fund, A Survey Experiment on Open List Elections to the EP, 2013
The Leverhulme Trust, Study Abroad Fellowship, 2012
Norwegian Foreign Ministry, Career Paths of MEPs, 2011
STICERD, LSE, Experimental Analysis of Electoral Systems, 2010
Asian Development Bank, Regional Integration in East Asia: Lessons from the EU, 2009
UK Economic and Social Research Council, A Survey of the 2009-14 EP, 2009
Burson-Marsteller, Brussels, Predicting the 2009 European Parliament Elections, 2009
The Nuffield Foundation, Computerised Collection of Legislative Data, 2006
UK Economic and Social Research Council, A Survey of the 2004-09 EP, 2005
Migration Policy Group, Determinants of Voting on Migration Issues in the EP, 2004
US-UK Fulbright Commission, Fulbright Distinguished Scholar Award, 2004
The Nuffield Foundation, A Global Ranking of Political Science Departments, 2003
EU Commission, FP5, Domestic Structures and European Integration (DOSEI), 2002
The Leverhulme Trust, Research Fellowship, 2001
The Nuffield Foundation, How MEPs Vote, 2001
UK Economic and Social Research Council, How MEPs Vote, 1998

Honours and Prizes

Honour, President, European Political Science Society, 2026-28
Honour, invited to give the annual Max Weber Lecture, Carlos III University of Madrid, 2026
Prize, best paper at the 2023 EUSA biennial conference, 2025
Honour, invited to give the Laufer Annual Lecture, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, 2024
Honour, invited to give the Jörgen Westerståhl Annual Lecture, University of Gothenburg, 2022
Honour, nominated for LSE Teaching Award, for Mentoring and Personal Development, 2021
Honour, nominated for 2 LSE Teaching Awards, for Inspirational Teaching, and Mentoring, 2020
Honour, invited to give the annual Peter Mair Lecture, Political Studies Association of Ireland, 2019
Honour, named in "Top EU digital influencers", by EurActiv.com and ZN Consulting, 2017, 2018, 2019
Prize, LSE Excellence in Education Award, for Outstanding Teaching, 2018
Prize, LSE Teaching Excellence Award, for Inspirational Teaching, 2018
Honour, invited to give Annual Lecture, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 2018
Honour, elected Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, 2016
Honour, appointed as the inaugural Harold Laski Chair in Political Science at LSE, 2015
Doctor Honoris Causa, National Univ. of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest, 2015
Honour, nominated for LSE Teaching Excellence Award, for Outstanding Teaching, 2015
Honour, "Super Reviewer", *American Journal of Political Science*, 2015
Honour, named 37th "most influential Briton on EU policy", by EurActiv.com, 2012

Prize, *Journal of Common Market* Studies, Best Article in the decade 2002-2011, 2012
Honour, elected Fellow of the British Academy, 2011
Honour, American Political Science Association (APSA), elected to the governing Council, 2010
Prize, European Union Studies Association, Honourable mention (second), best book in 2007 or 2008
Prize, APSA, Fenno Prize, Legislative Studies Section, best book in 2007
Honour, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, Best Article in Vol. 44 of the journal, 2006
Prize, APSA, Longley Prize, Representation and Electoral Systems Section, best article in 2004
Prize, UK Political Studies Association, Bernard Crick Prize for Outstanding Teaching, 2000
Prize, LSE, for Outstanding Teaching, 2000
Prize, European University Institute, Florence, Prize for best Doctoral Thesis in 1993-95, 1995
Prize, European University Institute, Florence, PhD awarded with Distinction, 1995
Prize, LSE, MSc(Econ) awarded with Distinction, 1992
Honour, Honorary Student for Life, LSE Students' Union, 1989

Teaching: Courses

Undergrad: Introduction to Political Science / Comparative Politics / EU Politics / British Politics
Masters: Political Science for Public Policy / Comparative Politics / EU Politics / Designing Democracy
PhD: Replicating Research in Political Science / Scope and Theory in the Study of Politics / Comparative Politics / EU Politics / Parties and Party Systems /
Executive: Applied Political Science / Political Science for Public Policy / EU Politics and Regulation

Teaching: Completed PhD Supervision (main or co-supervisor only)

Diego Varela Pedreira (2002), Associate Prof & Jean Monnet Chair, Alexandru Ioan Cuza Univ., Iași
Stephan Stetter (2004), Professor, Bundeswehr University of Munich
Bjørn Høyland (2005), Professor, University of Oslo
Michael Wagemans (2005), Partner, Head of Sustainability, KPMG in Belgium, Brussels
David Bailey (2005), Associate Professor, University of Birmingham
Hendrik Kraetzschmar (2005), Professor, University of Leeds
Giacomo Benedetto (2005), Reader & Jean Monnet Chair, Royal Holloway, Univ. of London
Achim Goerres (2006), Professor, University of Duisburg-Essen
Sara Hagemann (2006), Professor, Copenhagen University
Andreas Warntjen (2007), Senior Data Scientist, coconet Group, Düsseldorf
Kamilah Khatib (2008), Senior Regulatory Impact Assessment Officer, Health Authority of Abu Dhabi
Naonori Kodate (2008), Professor, University College Dublin
Raya Kardasheva (2009), Lecturer, King's College London
Markus Wagner (2009), Professor, University of Vienna
Gabriele Birnberg (2009), Partner, PA Consulting, London
Cecile Hoareau McGrath (2010), Management Consultant, Public Policy, ICF, London
Sarah McLaughlin (2010), Policy Officer, European Commission, Brussels
Nick Vivyan (2010), Professor, Durham University
Jan-Emmanuel De Neve (2011), Professor, Saïd Business School, University of Oxford
Katjana Gattermann (2012), Associate Professor in Political Communication, University of Amsterdam
David Marshall (2012), Professor, University of Reading
Lila Caballero-Sosa (2012), Head of Programme, Policy, Research and Learning, Christian Aid, London
Julia Pomares (2012), Chief Advisor to the Governor, Government of the City of Buenos Aires
Jessica Tarlov (2012), Political Strategist and Co-Host, Fox News, New York City
Ulrike Theuerkauf (2012), Associate Professor, University of East Anglia
Ignazio De Ferrari (2014), Private Consultant, Lima, Peru
Ting Luo (2014), Associate Professor, University of Birmingham
Micheal O'Keeffe (2015), Senior Advisor to the President of the Eurogroup, Dublin
Kenneth Bunker (2015), Associate Professor, University of San Sebastian, Santiago, Chile
Jack Blumenau (2016), Associate Professor, University College London

Jens Flanding (2016), Program Chief, International Monetary Fund, Washington, DC
Wang Leung Ting (2016), Lecturer in Comparative Politics, University of Reading
Nicola Mastrorocco (2017), Associate Professor of Economics, University of Bologna
Robert van Geffen (2018), Policy Officer, DG FISMA, European Commission
Diane Bolet (2020), Assistant Professor, Sciences Po, Paris
Pedro Martín-Cadenas (2025), Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Bremen
Ieva Hofmane (2025), Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Latvia
Fotini-Maria Vassou (2025), Lecturer, Leiden University
Lauren Leek (2025), Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Reading
Ingvild Zinober (2025), Postdoctoral Researcher, EUI
Victor Ellenbroek (2026), Lecturer and Researcher, University of Groningen
Joris Frese (2026), Postdoctoral Prize Research Fellow, Nuffield College, Oxford
Max Bradley (2026), Postdoctoral Fellow, Brown University, Providence, RI
Tarek Jaziri Arjona (2026), Researcher & Data Analyst, More in Common, Madrid
Pau Grau-Vilalta (2026), Postdoctoral Fellow, Princeton University
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Teaching: PhD and Habilitation Examinations (non-supervisees)

Elisa Roller (LSE), Patricia Garcia-Duran (LSE), Raymond Keitch (LSE), Sean Carey (Essex), Richard Whitaker (Manchester), Berthold Rittberger (Oxford), Björn Lindberg (Uppsala), Rory Costello (Trinity College Dublin), Harmen Binnema (VU Amsterdam), Tim Veen (Nottingham), Nikoleta Yordanova (EUI), Mogens Hobolth (LSE), David Willemsen (EUI), Jessica Kunert (Lüneburg), Julian Hörner (LSE), Moritz Osnabrügge (Mannheim), Eri Bertsou (LSE), Kathalijne Buitenweg (Amsterdam), Miriam Sorace (Trinity College Dublin), Pieterjan Vangerven (Leuven), Chris Wratil (LSE), Edward Poole (LSE), Harmen van der Veer (Amsterdam), Thomas Fleming (Oxford), Maurice Dunaiski (LSE), Francesco Colombo (EUI), Leonardo Carella (Oxford), Joe Kendall (EUI), Rebecca Kittel (EUI), Jan Fabian Dollbaum (EUI), Anne Sofie Nielsen (EUI), Nerea Gándara Guerra (EUI), Mafalda Pratas Fernandes (Harvard), Mirko Wegemann (EUI), Susanna Garside (EUI), Jessica Lang (EUI), Leon Küstermann (EUI), Costanza Marcellino (LUISS), Toine Fiselier (EUI); Stephanie Bailer (Zurich, Habilitation).

Visiting Academic Appointments

Non Resident Fellow, Institute for European Policymaking, Bocconi University, 2022-26
Visiting Professor, Institut d'études politiques (Sciences Po), Paris, 2025
Visiting Fellow, European Council on Foreign Relations, London, 2019
Visiting Scholar, University of California, San Diego, CA, 2012
Visiting Professor, Institute for Advanced Studies (IHS), Vienna, 2009
Visiting Professor, Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, 2004-09
Visiting Professor, Barcelona Institute of International Studies (IBEI), 2008
Fulbright Distinguished Scholar, University of California, Berkeley, CA, 2004-05
Visiting Scholar, Korean Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP), Seoul, 2005
Visiting Professor, Institut d'études politiques (Sciences Po), Paris, 2003
External Professor, College of Europe, Bruges, 2002-03
Visiting Scholar, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA, 2001
Visiting Scholar, University of California, San Diego, CA, 2000-01
External Professor, Norwegian School of Management, Oslo, 1999-2000

University Administration (main roles)

Chair, Appeals Committee, EUI, 2022-26
Vice President (Pro-Director) for Research, LSE, 2018-21
Academic Director, School of Public Policy, LSE, 2017-18
Head of Department, Department of Government, LSE, 2012-15
Member, Management Committee, LSE Institute of Public Affairs, 2012-15
Member, LSE Provost/Deputy Director Selection Committee, 2013
Deputy Head of Department, LSE, 2009-12
Member, Promotions Committee, LSE, 2009-11
Founding Director, Political Science and Political Economy group, LSE, 2006-11
Co-Director, MRes/PhD in Political Science, Department of Government, LSE, 2001-11
Co-Director, MSc in Politics and Government in the European Union, LSE, 2002-07

Service to the Profession and Society

President-Elect, European Political Science Society, 2025-26
Lifetime Member, European Political Science Society, 2025-Present
Editorial Board, *Political Science Research and Methods*, 2012-Present
Editorial Board, *British Journal of Political Science*, 2003-Present
Associate Editor, *European Union Politics*, 2000-Present
APSA Representation and Electoral Systems, Lawrence Longley Award Committee, USA, 2026
External, Appointment of Director for the Study of Democracy, Social Science Center (WZB), Berlin, 2025
External, Appointment of Head of the Dep't, European & Int'l Studies, King's College London, 2025
External, Appointment of Assistant/Associate Professor, University of Geneva, 2025
APSA European Politics Section, Best Book Prize committee, USA, 2025
President's Reform Group, European Political Science Association, 2024-25
Mentor, Science for Ukraine Mentoring initiative, 2024-25
Editorial Board, *Political Analysis*, 2010-24
Editorial Board, Univ. of Michigan Press series on New Comparative Politics, 2006-24
Chair, APSA Comparative Politics Lijphart-Przeworski-Verba Dataset Award committee, USA, 2023
2022 Boris Mints Institute Prize Committee, 2022-23
External Reviewer, Political Science Department, University College London, 2022
Expert Board, EUGenDem project, 2019-22
Co-Founder and Chairman, VoteWatch.eu, (not-for-profit) AISBL in Belgium, 2009-22
Chair, APSA Charles Merriam Award committee, USA, 2021
Steering Group that designed and launched #SHAPE, British Academy, 2019-21
Vice-Chair of Governor Board (elected), West London Free School, UK, 2014-19
Advisory Board, Citizens' Assembly on Brexit, UK, 2017
Co-Chair, Politics and Policies Section, EPSA conference, Vienna, 2015
Director, European Parliament Research Group, 1997-2015
QAA Subject Benchmark review group for Politics and International Relations, UK, 2013-14
APSA Task Force on Electoral Rules and Democratic Governance, USA, 2011-13
Elected member, Council of the American Political Science Association, USA, 2010-12
Editorial Board, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 2010-12
Governor (elected), Wimbledon Park Primary School, UK, 2005-12
Chair, EU Politics Section, EPSA Conference, Dublin, 2011
Advisory Board, Political Institutions section, *Social Science Research Network*, 2007-10
Editorial Board, *Journal of Politics*, 2006-10
External Assessor, School of Social Sciences and Philosophy, Trinity College Dublin, 2009
Chair, Section on EU Democracy, ECPR EU Standing Group conference, Bologna, 2004
Chair, EUSA Best Dissertation Prize committee, 2003

Papers at Professional Conferences

European Political Science Association/Society, 2011, 2013-18, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026
American Political Science Association, 1998-2003, 2006-15, 2017-20, 2023, 2024, 2025
European Union Studies Association (biennial), 1995-2009, 2022, 2023, 2025
Elections, Public Opinion and Parties (EPOP), 2010, 2024
Midwest Political Science Association, 2012
European Consortium for Political Research, 1993, 1994, 1997, 1999, 2003, 2004
Public Choice Society, 2002
Political Studies Association of the UK, 1999, 2000
Universities Association of Contemporary European Studies, 1996, 2000
Council for European Studies, 1998
International Studies Association, 1997
European Community Studies Association-Canada, 1996

Invited Lectures, Research Presentations and Seminars

2026 Annual Max Weber Lecture, Carlos III University of Madrid
Bocconi University, Milan
Luiss University, Rome
London School of Economics and Political Science

2025 Bocconi University, Milan
Sciences Po, Paris

2024 University of Lisbon
University of Pittsburgh (virtual)
Vision Forum, Conference on the Future of Europe, Pontignano & Siena
Laufer Annual Lecture, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
Heinrick Böll Stichtung, Brussels (virtual)
LSE-NYU Political Science and Political Economy conference, London
University of Oslo
Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies, Stockholm
ETH Zurich/University of Zurich
Keynote Lecture, Annual Conference, Central European University, Vienna
Foundation for European Progressive Studies and Renner Institut, Brussels
Room for Discussion, University of Amsterdam
Bocconi University, Milan
EUmatrix, Brussels

2023 University of Konstanz
La Sapienza University of Rome
University of Oxford
University of Copenhagen
Bocconi University, Milan
Korea University, Seoul
Seoul National University
Stanford University
Sciences Po, Paris
Progressive Politics in the 21st Century Network conference, University of Zurich

2022 Jörgen Westerståhl Annual Lecture, University of Gothenburg
University of Bergen
Inaugural Annual Lecture, Democracy and Elections, Royal Holloway University of London
Keynote Speech, CIVICA dissemination conference, Florence (virtual)

2021 Robert Schuman Centre, European University Institute, Florence
Bologna Book Club, talk on “What’s Wrong with the Europe”, Bologna (virtual)
HM Home Office, London (virtual)
Keynote, European Governance and Politics annual conference, EUI, Florence (virtual)

Brexit and Higher Education, LSE (virtual)
Syracuse University, Transatlantic Roundtable (virtual)
UK in a Changing Europe, London (virtual)
Mansfield College, Oxford (virtual)

2020 VoteWatch/BCW, Brussels (virtual)
Keynote Presentation, European Liberal Forum, Brussels (virtual)
Keynote Address, Foundation for European Progressive Studies, Brussels (virtual)

2019 Chatham House, London
European Council on Foreign Relations, Berlin
Morningstar Investment Conference, London
Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies, Stockholm
University of Stockholm
Helmut Schmidt Stiftung, Hamburg
CEPS Ideas Lab, Brussels
Keynote Annual Peter Mair Lecture, Political Studies Association of Ireland, Maynooth
Hong Kong Forum
Bank of Thailand, Bangkok
Keynote Lecture, on the future of social democracy, Amsterdam

2018 Carlos III University of Madrid
T20 summit (think-tank summit ahead of the G20 Summit), Buenos Aires
King's College London
Journal of Common Market Studies Annual Lecture, Portcullis House, London
Waseda University, Tokyo
University of Tokyo
Keynote Lecture, Athens Chamber of Commerce
University College London

2017 Private seminar for S&D group leaders and Commissioners, Brussels
Princeton University

2016 Keynote Lecture, Swiss European Union Studies Association, Zurich
Spinelli Group seminar on the Future of Europe, Warsaw
EPP Study Days, Nice
University of Amsterdam
Leicester University
Nuffield College, Oxford
ESRC conference on UK media coverage of the EU, British Academy, London
LSE-Europe Forum, Zurich
ESRC conference on What Influence? The UK and 'Europe', King's College London

2015 Birmingham University
National University of Political Studies and Public Administration (SNSPA), Bucharest
Inaugural Harold Laski Chair lecture, LSE
Conservative Party Conference, Manchester
Labour Party Conference, Brighton
Annual Hans-Dieter Klingemann Lecture, Leuphana University Lüneburg

2014 University of Essex
European Parliament, Brussels
British Bankers' Association, London
Maastricht University
Stanford University
Keynote Address, CEPS Ideas Lab Conference, Centre for European Policy Studies, Brussels
Free University Brussels (VUB)
Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies, Stockholm
European Council on Foreign Relations, London
European Parliament Office, London
European Parliament Office, Edinburgh

Bocconi University, Milan
McDougall Trust, London
Catholic University Leuven (KU Leuven)

2013 Tel Aviv University
European Council on Foreign Relations, London
University College London

2012 University of Oxford
Leiden University
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European Central Bank
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Sciences Po, Paris
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2011 University of Copenhagen
New York University
University of Oslo
European University at St. Petersburg
Dahrendorf Symposium, Berlin
McDougall Trust, London
Foreign and Commonwealth Office, London

2010 University of California, San Diego
Washington University, St Louis
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