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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Comparative politics: party competition, voting behaviour, democracy and representation Political sociology: social class, political attitudes, and political conflict Regional studies on south European politics & society	
CURRENT POSITION	Doctoral Researcher in the SPS Department, European University Institute POLCON Project, European University Institute	
EDUCATION	European University Institute (EUI), Florence PhD in Social and Political Sciences <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thesis Topic: <i>The Restructuring of Political Conflict in Southern Europe in the Shadow of the Great Recession</i>• Supervisor: Hanspeter Kriesi• Expected Completion: December 2018 Master of Research in Political and Social Sciences, 2015 Barcelona Institute for International Studies (IBEI-UPF), Barcelona M.A. in International Relations, 2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dissertation: <i>"It's the economy, stupid": A Study of Southern European Political Attitudes in the Context of the European Economic Crisis</i>• Selected Coursework: Comparative Politics, Global Governance, Peace Processes & Conflict Resolution, Poverty, Inequality and Growth Utrecht University School of Economics (USE), Utrecht B.Sc. Economics, 2010 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Selected Coursework: Economics of European Integration, Political Economy, Advanced Macroeconomics, Econometrics, Economics of the Public Sector	
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	European University Institute (EUI), Florence Researcher, south European specialist in the POLCON Project – Political Conflict in Europe in the Shadow of the Great Recession <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The ERC research program POLCON assesses the contemporary development of European democracies and the politicization of the European integration process in the shadow of the Great Recession. To grasp the political consequences of the economic crisis, the project proposes a combination of a comparative-static analysis of thirty European countries and a dynamic analysis of political conflict in a selected number of cases. It intends to link the study of elections to the study of political protest, covering Western, Southern, as well as Central and Eastern European countries. Barcelona Institute for International Studies (IBEI-UPF), Barcelona Research Assistant to Prof. Diego Muro <ul style="list-style-type: none">• WAYS OUT project funded by the Spanish Ministry of Education on the ways out of disengagement from terrorism in Spain.• Data Analyst in the Fritz Thyssen Stiftung funded project on the impact of the EU on secessionism in Scotland and Catalonia.	

- VISITING POSITIONS IC3JM - Instituto Carlos III-Juan March de Ciencias Sociales, Spring 2017.
- PUBLICATIONS (PEER-REVIEWED) 2018. "Challenging business as usual? The rise of new parties in Spain in times of crisis." *West European Politics* 41(2): 261-286.
2018. "Old versus new politics: The political spaces in Southern Europe in times of crises." *Party Politics* 24(1): 10-22, with Swen Hutter and Hanspeter Kriesi.
2016. "Political mistrust in southern Europe since the Great Recession." *Mediterranean Politics* 22(2): 197-217, with Diego Muro.
- BOOK CHAPTERS 2018 "Out with the Old: Restructuring Spanish Politics" in *Restructuring European Party Politics in Times of Crisis*. eds. Swen Hutter and Hanspeter Kriesi. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. With Irene Sanchez-Vitores.
- 2018 "Paths of Change: A Comparative Analysis of the Political Consequences of Europe's Multiple Crises" in *Restructuring European Party Politics in Times of Crisis*. eds. Swen Hutter and Hanspeter Kriesi. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. With Swen Hutter and Argyrios Altiparmakis.
2018. "From Boom to Bust: A Comparative Analysis of Greece and Spain." in *Living Under Austerity*. eds. Aimee Placas and Doxis Doxiadis. New York: Berghahn. With Bjorn Bremer.
- WORKING PAPERS "Conflict Activation in Times of Crisis: The Case of Catalonia"
- "Types of Democrats: Critical, Satisfied, Alienated and Indifferent" with Hanspeter Kriesi
- "Dualism, Welfare State, and the Populist Radical Right" with Jorge Galindo
- "Does the Prospect of International Recognition Matter for Support for Secession? A Survey Experiment in Catalonia and Scotland" with Diego Muro and Martijn Vlaskampf
- "What the Fact? An Experiment on the Political Persuasiveness of Experts' Advices." with Berta Barbet and Antoni-Italo de Moragas
- CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS (SELECTION) "The Political Consequences of the Great Recession" European University Institute, Florence, October 2018.
- "Unchallenged democracy? The political legacy of the economic crisis in Europe." University of York, York, June 2018.
- "The Future of Political Parties" Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, May 2018.
- CES 23rd Annual Conference of Europeanists, Philadelphia, April 2016.
- UACES 45th Annual Conference, University of Deusto, Bilbao, September 2015.
- XII Annual Congress AECPA -Asociación Española de Ciencia Política, San Sebastián, July 2015.
- "New Frontiers of Automated Content Analysis in the Social Sciences" University of Zurich (with POLCON project), Zurich, July 2015.
- "Southern European Countries in a Comparative Perspective" IC3JM & IBEI, Madrid, November 2014.

AWARDS & GRANTS	<p>Survey experimental design award for young researchers, 2016 Political Sciences Experimental Research Network (Polexp) and Netquest, Spain</p> <p>Salvador de Madariaga Grant for Doctoral Studies, 2014-2018 Ministry of Education, Spain</p>		
LANGUAGES	Spanish (native), Catalan (native), English (fluent), Italian (fluent), French (intermediate), Dutch (basic)		
SERVICE	<p>Journal Reviewer: <i>European Journal of Political Research</i> <i>Government and Opposition</i> <i>Party Politics</i> <i>South European Society and Politics</i> <i>Social Indicators Research</i></p> <p>Book manuscript reviewer: <i>Manchester University Press</i></p> <p>Workshop organizer: <i>Southern Europe in Crisis: A Comparative Perspective</i>, May 2017, European University Institute. Two-day workshop with 18 participants. Co-organised with Reto Bürgisser.</p>		
EXTRA TRAINING & SKILLS	<p>25th ECPR Summer School on "Political Parties and Democracy". University of Leuphana. September 2015, Lünenburg, Germany.</p> <p>Other workshops:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Causal Inference, March 2018 (Elias Dinas) • Panel Data, January 2018 (Hannes Kröger) • Innovations in Quantitative Content Analysis, February 2015 (Sven Hutter, Wouter van Attefeldt, Peter Makarov) • Categorical Data Analysis, January 2015 (Hannes Kröger) <p>Teacher training certificate, European University Institute, October 2016.</p> <p>Software: Stata, SPSS, LaTeX, currently learning R</p>		
REFERENCES	<table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>HANSPETER KRIESI Stein Rokkan Chair of Comparative Politics Department of Political and Social Sciences, European University Institute Email: Hanspeter.Kriesi@eui.eu</p> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>SWEN HUTTER Professor in Political Sociology Department of Political and Social Sciences, Freie Universität Berlin Vice-director Center for Civil Society Research, WZB Berlin Social Science Center Email: Swen.Hutter@wzb.eu</p> </td> </tr> </table>	<p>HANSPETER KRIESI Stein Rokkan Chair of Comparative Politics Department of Political and Social Sciences, European University Institute Email: Hanspeter.Kriesi@eui.eu</p>	<p>SWEN HUTTER Professor in Political Sociology Department of Political and Social Sciences, Freie Universität Berlin Vice-director Center for Civil Society Research, WZB Berlin Social Science Center Email: Swen.Hutter@wzb.eu</p>
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