

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore, Singapore

Assistant Professor, 2024-

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Bobst Center, 2023-2024

EDUCATION

University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

Ph.D. Political Science, 2023

M.A. Political Science, 2020

University of Trento, Trento, Italy

M.A. European and International Studies, 2016, *Summa cum laude*

University of Trento, Trento, Italy

B.S., M.S. Civil Engineering, 2005

PUBLICATIONS

[Personalization of Party Politics? Reevaluating the Role of Leaders in Voting Decisions](#). *Comparative Political Studies* (2026).

What Electability Means to Voters and How it Affects their Decisions. Conditionally accepted at *Political Science Research and Methods*. With Mayya Komisarichik.

[Amplifying the Message? The Effect of Endorsements in the 2020 Democratic Primary](#). *Electoral Studies* 99 (2026) 103020. With Mayya Komisarichik.

[Coalition Policy in Multiparty Governments: Whose Preferences Prevail](#). *Political Science Research and Methods* 12.2 (2024): 318-335.

WORKING PAPERS

[Gender Gaps in Political Information, But Not Political Sophistication](#). With Jamie Druckman.

Status Quo Bias Weakens Policy-Opinion Congruence More for Women Than for Men.

[From Naturalization to Nation: The Effect of Citizenship Laws on Immigrants' National Identification](#). With Carles Boix.

Women Talk About Politics When It Counts: The Electoral Closing of the Gender Discussion Gap. With Jamie Druckman.

POLICY EXPERIENCE

Committee Member, Environmental and Urban Planning Committee, District #8 Municipality of Trento, Italy, 2009-2015

Council Member and Majority Party Leader, District #8 Municipality of Trento, Italy, 2005-2009

Committee Member, Social Policy Committee, District #8 Municipality of Trento, Italy, 1999-2005

TEACHING

National University of Singapore:

Policy Analysis Exercise, 2025, 2026, Graduate

Research Methods in International Affairs, 2024, 2025, Graduate

University of Rochester (Teaching Assistant):

Introduction to Comparative Politics, Fall 2022, Undergraduate (two sections)

Senior Honors Seminar, Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Undergraduate

Probability and Inference, Fall 2019, Graduate

Game Theory, Spring 2019, Undergraduate (two sections)

Identity, Ethnicity and Nationalism, Fall 2018, Undergraduate

HONORS & AWARDS

Democracy Center Graduate Fellowship, University of Rochester, 2022-2023 (\$4.000)

Prize for Excellence in Teaching by a Graduate Student, University of Rochester, 2021-2022 (\$125) W. Allen Wallis

Institute of Political Economy Fellowship, 2018-2019 (\$26.000)

GRANTS

Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior APSA Section Travel Grant, 2023 (\$400)

Peter D. Watson Peace Center Fund Travel Grant, University of Rochester, 2022 (\$900)

G. Bingham Powell and Lynda W. Powell Applied Research Grant, University of Rochester, 2022 (\$2.000)

AS&E GSA Conference Travel Grant, University of Rochester, 2022 (\$500)

Charles E. Lanni Research Fellowship, University of Rochester, 2017 (\$2.000), 2018 (\$1.100), 2020 (\$3.000), 2021 (\$3.750)

Peter D. Watson Peace Center Fund Research Grant, University of Rochester, 2016 (\$500)

INVITED TALKS

University of Alabama, 2025

Princeton University, Nationalism in the Global South Conference, 2024

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2019, 2021 (poster), 2022, 2024, 2025
Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior APSA Section Annual Conference, 2023, 2024
Toronto Political Behavior Workshop, 2022 (poster), 2023 (poster)
European Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2019, 2021, 2022
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2019, 2021, 2022
Society for Political Methodology Annual Meeting, 2020 (poster), 2021 (poster)
Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2021
Harvard Experimental Political Science Conference, 2021
NYU CESS Conference on Experimental Political Science, 2021 (poster)

LANGUAGES

English (fluent), Italian (native), Spanish (intermediate), German (beginner)

SOFTWARE

R, Stata, MATLAB, Mathematica, Python, L^AT_EX

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Senior Manager, I.T.E.A. SpA, Trento, Italy, 2009-2016
Manager, I.T.E.A. SpA, Trento, Italy, 2007-2009
Manager, Metro Srl, Trento, Italy, 2007
Manager, Fabbrica Engineering Srl, Rovereto, Italy, 2006
Designer, Civil Engineering Srl, Arco, Italy, 2003, 2004-2005

REFERENCES

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