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# Education University of Oslo

Oslo, Norway

Ph.D. Fellow in Political Science

2022-Present

The Evolution of Rule of Law Enforcement in the EU

# Leiden University

Leiden, Netherlands

Joint M.A. in European Politics and Society

2020 - 2022

With Charles University & Jagiellonian University. Honors: Cum Laude, Thesis Grade: 9.0, GPA: 3.9/4.0

Thesis: Fact-insensitiveness and Electoral Alignment across WEIRD Societies

Supervisor: Dr. Dennie Oude Nijhuis,

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# Tecnológico de Monterrey (ITESM)

Querétaro, México

B.A. in International Relations

2015-2019

Honors: Magna Cum Laude, GPA: 3.89/4.0

Activities: IR Student Association, Enactus, Fanzine Student Magazine

Exchange: Universiteit Ghent Summer 2017

# Affiliations

### **ARENA** Centre For European Studies

Oslo, Norway

Doctoral Research Fellow

2022-Present

# Additional Training

Oxford Spring School, Causal Inference, University of Oxford, 2023 Komex Mathematics for Political Science, University of Konstanz, 2023

Europeaum Spring School on Law and Power, Oxford, 2022 ECPR Methods Summer School 2021, KU Leuven, 2021

Oxford Spring School, Qualitative Methods, University of Oxford, 2021

# Working Papers

- 1. "Follow the Leader: The European Commission, the European Court of Justice, and the EU's Rule of Law Revolution". Joint paper with Tommaso Pavone. *Under Review*.
- 2. "The Science of Democracy demands scientific thinking." To be announced. Extended version of my article on the The Loop's Science of Democracy series from the ECPR.

#### Publications

#### OPEN ACCESS PRE-PRINTS

2021. "Political Gains by Judicial Means: Institutional Conversion of the EU's Rule of Law Policy." Presented at Spring School 'Law and Power' 19-21 April 2022 in Oxford.

2019. "New World Leadership: Jacinda Ardern Through the Leadership Trait Analysis Framework (LTA)." Foreign Policy Analysis: Academia.edu. [Top 3%]

2019. "Invisible Politics: Transcending Human Capabilities and the Politicization of the Unknown." International Relations Seminar: Academia.edu.

#### OTHER.

11 July 2022. The EU Rule of Law Crisis: Normativity and Harsh Reality. *The Common Room.* [Podcast]

31 March 2022. The Science of Democracy Demands Scientific Thinking. *The Loop: ECPR.* [Blogpost]

18 March 2022. Where has the Sovereign gone? Human Security and the Entrenchment of State Power. European Waves. [Blogpost]

17 October 2021. Article 19(1) TEU: A new route for protecting the Rule of Law. *European Waves*. [Blogpost]

# Teaching

STV4030A - Digital Data in Political Science. Teaching Assistant to professor Øyvind Stiansen.

STV2380 - Between Authoritarianism and Democracy in the Post-communist Region. Teaching Assistant to professor Elisabeth Bakke and Maryna Povitkina.

STV2020 - Social Science Data Analysis and Programming. Coding and methods assistance in R.

# Guest Lectures

"Foreign Policy Analysis, Leadership Trait Analysis and Profiler Plus," at the Tecnológico de Monterrey, Querétaro, México March 24, 2021.

"Foreign Policy Analysis: Jacinda Ardern Through the LTA Framework," at the Tecnológico de Monterrey, Querétaro, México March 24, 2020.

# Presentations

#### CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

• Law and Society Association, Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, forthcoming.

#### WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- ENROL Advisory Board Meeting, Faculty of Law, University of Oslo, 5 October 2023.
- Nuffield Early Career Workshop in Socio-legal Studies, Nuffield College, Oxford University, 16 June 2023.
- Judges Under Stress, Faculty of Law, University of Oslo, 17-18 November 2022.
- Digital Society Initiative, Digital Democracy Lab, University of Zurich, 27-28 October 2022.
- Spring School-'Law and Power', Maison Française & St Antony's College, Oxford 19-21 April 2022.

### ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

- "Fact-insensitiveness and electoral alignment in WEIRD Societies" Presentation for the Barcelona Research Seminar II, Universität Pompeu Fabra January 17-18, 2022.
- "The Logic of Legitimation of Government Systems" Presentation for the Barcelona Research Seminar I, Universität Pompeu Fabra January 18-19, 2021.

# Awards & Scholarships

UiO Doctoral Fellowship 4-year – Research Council of Norway (RCN)	2022-2026
APSA 2022 Travel Grant (Declined)	2022
EMJMD Scholarship €32,000	2020-2022
ECPR Summer School Grant £930	2021
ITESM Academic Excellence Scholarship \$36,000	2015–2019
ITESM Integral Development Award	2019
ITESM IR Cohort Leader	2019

Professional Experience **European Waves** 

Staff Writer – Board Member

Leiden, Netherlands

2021 - 2022

Founding member and contributor of the student-led news platform European Waves. Researched and published articles on European issues regarding global governance including the rule of law and environmental policy. Developed and maintained the website.

Ethos Public Policy Lab

Mexico City, México

Public Policy Analyst – Internship

2020

Developed a methodological tool to assess corruption risks in Federal social programs. Identified potential instances of corruption in the lifecycle of policymaking and deployment of social programs. Implemented the assessment tool in close coordination with the Secretariat of the Civil Service.

Professional Memberships American Political Science Association European Consortium for Political Research

Law and Society Association

Service

Journal of European Public Policy, Reviewer

2023 - Present.

Languages

Human: English (Fluent), Spanish (Native), and French (Advanced)

Machine: Python (Pandas, Plotly, NumPy, SciPy), LATEX, SQL, Git, R(tidyverse,

shiny), G-Suite.

Activities

Reporter, Prague Media Point – December 1-10, 2020. Prague, Czechia Reporter, Forum 2000 Foundation – October 11-13, 2020. Prague, Czechia Academic Delegate, WSIS Forum 2017 – June 12-16, 2017. Geneva, Switzerland

Volunteering

Project Coordinator Rural Community Development – June 2018 Querétaro, Mexico Volunteer Translator, Tzu Chi Foundation – September 2017 Mexico City, Mexico

References

Available Upon Request.