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ARCARONS, Albert	Visiting researcher, Centre for Demographic Studies, Barcelona, Spain	18/12/2017	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	Second-Generation Immigrants and Social Inequality: A Comparative Study of Southern Europe
ARES ABALDE, Macarena	Postdoc, University of Zurich, Switzerland	29/11/2017	Hanspeter Kriesi	A new working class? A cross-national and a longitudinal approach to class voting in post-industrial societies
BRUGIER, Camille	Lecturer, University of Toulouse, France	07/06/2017	Ulrich Krotz	Soft-Balancing the United States, Forum-Shopping or Prestige Diplomacy? Explaining the Rise and Expansion of EU-China Trade Relations
BULFONE, Fabio	Research assistant, RSCAS, Florence, Italy	17/11/2017	Pepper Culpepper	The State Strikes Back: Industrial Policy, State Power and the Emergence of Competitive Multinational Enterprises in Italy and Spain
CINI, Lorenzo	Research fellow, COSMOS, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, Italy	10/02/2016	Donatella della Porta	The Contentious Politics of Higher Education. Struggles and Power Relations within the English and Italian Universities
COLOMBO, Céline	Postdoc, University of Zurich, Switzerland	03/05/2016	Hanspeter Kriesi	Partisan, not Ignorant - Citizens' Use of Arguments and Justifications in Direct Democracy
COMOLLI, Chiara	Postdoc, SUDA (Stockholm University Demography Unit), Sweden	27/04/2016	Fabrizio Bernardi	Fertility in time of economic crisis. The Great Recession effects on childbearing in the United States
COTTA, Benedetta	Postdoc, University of Lueneburg, Germany	12/01/2016	László Bruszt	The "business" of compliance
CUPAC, Jelena	Postdoc, WZB, Berlin Social Science Centre, Germany	02/06/2016	Christian Reus-Smit	International Organizations as Order Making Practices. Towards a Practice Understanding of the Post-Cold War Transformation of International Security Organizations (OSCE, UN, and NATO)
DAHL, Justina Miina Ilona	Postdoc, KTH Royal institute of of Technology, Division of history of science, Stockholm, Sweden	02/06/2016	Christian Reus-Smit	Seeing Like a State in a Society of States. The social role of science and technology in the northward expansion of the international society
DÄMMRICH, Johanna	Research Scientist, Leibniz-Gemeinschaft, Berlin, Germany	01/03/2016	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	Gender differences in the labor market. A comparative study of contemporary societies
DE ANGELIS, Andrea	Postdoc, University of Lucerne, Switzerland	21/06/2017	Alexander Trechsel	Bridging Troubled Water: Electoral Availability in European Party Systems in the aftermath of the Great Recession (2009-2014) An application of Bayesian Ideal Point Estimation
DE VRIES, Bouke	Postdoc fellow, Max Planck Institute Göttingen, Germany	14/11/2016	Rainer Bauböck	The Garden of Liberalism. A Theory of Liberal Neutrality and Toleration
DENNISON, James	Research Fellow, EUI/RSCAS, Migration Policy Center, Florence, Italy	07/07/2017	Hanspeter Kriesi	Re-Thinking Turnout Explaining Within-Individual Variation in Electoral Participation
DRAEGE, Jonas	Postdoc, Harvard Kennedy School of Government, Cambridge, USA	05/09/2017	Donatella della Porta	The Aftermath of Turkey's Gezi Protests. How Political Parties Respond to Social Movement
DRAPALOVA, Eliska	Postdoc, Hertie School, Berlin, Germany	05/02/2016	Pepper Culpepper	Good Apples on Bad Trees. Explaining Variation in Levels of Corruption in South-European Local Government
GARCIA PORTOS, Martin	Research fellow, COSMOS, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, Italy	17/02/2017	Donatella della Porta	Voicing Outrage, Contending with Austerity: Mobilisation in Spain Under the Great Recession
GEREKE, Johanna	Postdoc, ERC project Bocconi University, Milan, Italy	19/07/2016	Diego Gambetta	Deciding to Migrate: The Role of Social Preferences, Biased Beliefs and Superstition in a Risky Choice
HABERSTROH, Charlotte	Postdoc, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford, UK	14/06/2016	Pepper Culpepper	The Politics of Equal Opportunities in Education: Partisan Governments and School Choice Reform in Sweden, England, and France, 1980-2010
HAKELBERG, Lukas	Postdoc, University of Bamberg, Germany	14/11/2016	Adrienne Héritier	Power in International Tax Policy. The Preconditions and Redistributive Consequences of Credible Sanction Threats...

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HALL, Bogumila	Research fellow, COSMOS, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, Italy	27/05/2016	Donatella della Porta	Subaltern Rightful Struggles. Comparative ethnographies of the Bedouin villagers in the Naqab and the akhdam slum dwellers in San'a
HÄMÄLÄINEN, Saara Marika	Research Fellow, University of Southampton, UK	26/06/2017	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	The Role of Social Policy in Poverty Reduction: A Comparative Study on Life Course Changes and the Dynamics of Poverty in Germany and the United Kingdom.
HERNANDEZ PEREZ, Enrique	Postdoc, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), Spain	21/10/2016	Hanspeter Kriesi	Europeans ' Democratic Aspirations and Evaluations: Behavioral Consequences and Cognitive Complexity
HOLTMANN, Anne Christine	Research fellow, WZB, Berlin, Germany	30/10/2017	Fabrizio Bernardi	Why are children from disadvantaged families left behind? The impacts of families, schools, and education systems on students' achievement
JENNE, Nicole	Assistant Professor, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Chile	31/05/2016	Christian Reus-Smit	The Domestic Origins of No-War Communities. State capacity and the management of territorial disputes in South America and Southeast Asia
KARREMANS, Johannes	Postdoc, University of Lisbon, Portugal	31/03/2017	Pepper Culpepper	State Interests vs Citizens' Preferences: On which Side do (Labour) Parties Stand?
KOSYAKOVA, Julia	Postdoc, Institut für Arbeitsmarkt und Berufsforschung (IAB), Nürnberg, Germany	14/04/2016	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	The regime change and social inequality. Educational and job careers in the Soviet and post-Soviet Era
KUTMANALIEV, Joldon	Postdoc, University of Tuebingen, Germany	29/09/2017	Donatella della Porta	Ethnic violence and peace in southern Kyrgyzstan: Intragroup policing and intergroup non-aggression pacts.
LEAL, Hugo	Research Associate, Centre for Research in Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities (CRASSH), University of Cambridge, UK	27/11/2017	Donatella della Porta	A Complexity Approach to the Emergence of Social Movements in the Middle East and North Africa Region: The Case of Egypt
LECOQUIERRE, Marion	Teaching and Research Assistant, Aix-Marseille University, France	05/02/2016	Donatella della Porta	Holding on to Place. Spatialities of resistance in Israel and Palestine: the cases of Hebron, Silwan and al-Araqib
LEOPOLD, Liliya	Postdoc, University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands	04/05/2017	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	Education and Health Across Lives, Cohorts, and Countries - A Study of Cumulative (Dis)advantage in Germany, Sweden, and the United States
LESTRA, Martin	Postdoc, Laboratoire LLA-CREATIS, Université Toulouse-Jean Jaur, France	07/12/2017	Olivier Roy	To What Extent Does the EU Engage With Political Islam? EU Development Policy and Faith-Based Organizations in the Aftermath of the Arab Spring
LUBOW, Alexis	European Commission, DG GROW, Brussels, Belgium	18/05/2017	Adrienne Héritier	Taming Regulatory Competition: Interest Groups v. Joint-Decision Trap Four EU Policy Cases on Workers Mobility
LUNDSTEDT, Ludvig	Researcher, Research Institute of the Swedish Trade Union Confederation, Stockholm, Sweden	13/12/2017	László Bruszt	The Implementation of European Union Directives: A Study on How Institutions Affect the Implementation Rate
MASULLO, Juan	Postdoc, Bremen International Graduate School of the Social Sciences (BIGSSS), Germany	24/10/2017	Donatella della Porta	Thesis defence: A Theory of Civilian Noncooperation with Armed Groups. Civilian Agency and Self-Protection in the Colombian Civil War
MATLAK, Michal	Parliamentary assistant, European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium	20/10/2017	Olivier Roy	The Forms of Secularism and the Nature of European Integration
MCMULLIN, Patricia	Postdoc, University of Turku, Finland	23/05/2016	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	Onwards or Upwards? Pathways and persistent inequality in the United Kingdom's comprehensive education system
MEISSNER, Katharina Luise	Assistant Professor, Institute of European Integration Research, University of Vienna, Austria	13/06/2016	Adrienne Héritier	Competing for Economic Power. South America, Southeast Asia, and Commercial Realism in European Union Foreign Policy
MELLOR, Ewan Edwar	Student Services Advisor, Oxford College of Marketing, UK	05/04/2017	Christian Reus-Smit	Just and Unjust Distributions in War: The Moral Equality of Combatants and the Normative Structure of War
MICHEL, Elie	Scientific Officer, National Center of Competence in Research –The Migration-Mobility Nexus (NCCR), University of Neuchatel, Switzerland	15/05/2017	Hanspeter Kriesi	Welfare Politics and the Radical Right The Relevance of Welfare Politics for the Radical Right's Success in Western Europe

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MOES, Jeroen	Lecturer Research Methods, University College Maastricht, Netherlands	24/11/2017	Martin Kohli	Imagining Europe. Identities, Geography, and Method
MORISI, Davide	Postdoc, University of Vienna, Austria	04/11/2016	Diego Gambetta	The subtle influence of information on voting behaviour. Referendums and political elections in Italy and the UK
MUSTONEN, Liina	Field Research, Beirut, Lebanon	31/05/2017	Olivier Roy	Cosmopolitanism and its Others: Social Distinction in Egypt in the aftermath of the Revolution of 2011
NETTERSTROM, Kasper	External Lecturer, University of Copenhagen, Denmark	10/07/2017	Olivier Roy	Essays on the Revolution in Tunisia
NOYON, Sanne	Researcher, Research and Documentation Centre (WODC) of the Dutch Ministry of Security and Justice, The Hague, Netherlands	05/06/2017	Sven Steinmo	A Sociocognitive Perspective on Attitudes Toward Immigrants
OBAIDI, Milan	Postdoc, Uppsala University, Sweden	23/03/2016	Olivier Roy	The Psychology of Terrorism Revisited: An Integrated Model of Radicalization and Terrorism
OIKONOMAKIS, Leonidas	Research fellow, COSMOS, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, Italy	07/11/2016	Donatella della Porta	Which way to social change compas? Exploring how revolutionary movements form their political strategies through the experiences of the Zapatistas and the Bolivian Cocaleros
PANOV, Trajche	Research Associate, Global governance programme, EUI, Florence, Italy	09/06/2016	Alexander Trechsel	Who Stops Voting and Why? Party Ideology Shift and Voter Demobilisation
RATHGEB, Philip	Postdoc, University of Konstanz, Germany	12/09/2016	Hanspeter Kriesi	Strong Governments, Precarious Workers: Labour Market Policy-Making in the Era of Liberalisation
REBANE, Marit	Guest Lecturer, Talinn University of Technology, Estonia	28/11/2017	Fabrizio Bernardi	The Start of Inequality: Evidence from Time-Use Data
ROCHE, Frederique	Intern, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium	28/01/2016	Adrienne Héritier	European Cooperation in Sensitive Areas. The Case of Migrant Integration Policy
ROOS, Jerome	Postdoc, University of Cambridge, UK	19/05/2016	Pepper Culpepper	"Why Not Default? The Structural Power of Finance in Sovereign Debt Crises"
ROSSI SILVANO, Agustin	Global Policy Director, Public Knowledge, Washington DC, USA	19/09/2016	Sven Steinmo	"Internet Privacy in the European Union and the United States: Three Essays on Privacy, the Internet, Politics, Implementation, Business Power, and Surveillance in the European Union and the United States"
SALO, Sanna	Postdoc, Department of Sociology, Stockholm University, Sweden	31/03/2017	Hanspeter Kriesi	The Curious Prevalence of Austerity: Economic Ideas in Public Debates on the Eurozone Crisis in Ireland and Finland, 2008-2012
SANCHEZ GUERRERO, Laia	Postdoc, Tübingen University, Germany	16/05/2017	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	A Chip off the old block: Privilege and Upper Class Educational Opportunities in the United States, South Korea and Germany
SCHAUB, Max	Postdoc, ERC project Bocconi University, Milan, Italy	18/11/2016	Diego Gambetta	Cooperation under threat. The mobilizing force of ethnic competition
SCHLOSSER, Pierre	Research Associate, Florence School of Banking and Finance/Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, Florence, Italy	20/12/2016	Stefano Bartolini	Resisting a European Fiscal Union: The Centralized Fragmentation of Fiscal Powers
SCHOELLER, Magnus Gregor	Post-doctoral fellow at the Institute of European Integration Research at the University of Vienna, Austria	17/10/2016	Adrienne Héritier	Explaining Political Leadership: The Role of Germany and the EU Institutions in Eurozone Crisis Management
SCHÜHRER, Susanne	Research Scientist, Federal Office for Migration and Refugees, Nuremberg, Germany	27/11/2017	Hans-Peter Blossfeld	Is It All in Your Head? Personality in the Context of Intergenerational Reproduction of Inequality
SCHULZ, Daniel	Postdoc, University of Victoria, Canada	06/06/2017	Sven Steinmo	Too Little, Too Late? How Central Bankers' Beliefs Influence What They Do
SICZEK, Tomasz	Postdoc, University of Zurich, Switzerland	21/03/2016	Stefano Bartolini	Citizens' Knowledge of Parties' Left-Right and EU Integration Conflicts: The Role of Cognition, Affect, and Political Parties
VALBRUZZI, Marco	Research Associate, University of Bologna, Italy	19/05/2017	Stefano Bartolini	Government Alternation in Western Europe: A Comparative Exploration

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VAN DITMARS, Mathilde	Postdoc, University of Leiden, Netherlands	13/09/2017	Alexander Trechsel	Family & Politics The enduring influence of the parental home in the development and transmission of political ideology
WARNECKE, Andrea	Senior Researcher, Austrian Study Centre for Peace and Conflict Resolution, Stadtschlaining, Austria	30/05/2016	Christian Reus-Smit	Peace without agency? The emergence and persistence of peacebuilding as a depoliticized practice
WATMOUGH, Simon	Postdoctoral fellow, University of Graz, Austria	07/04/2017	Christian Reus-Smit	Democracy in the Shadow of the Deep State Guardian Hybrid Regimes in Turkey and Thailand
WITAJEWSKA BALTVILKA, Baiba	Postdoc, Institute of Structural Research, Warsaw, Poland	29/04/2016	Hanspeter Kriesi	Why Do Political Parties Compete Over Some Issues and Remain Silent About Others? Explaining Polity/Policy Issue Competition in the Electoral Arenas of Contemporary European Democracies
WOLFFBERG, Rebecca	Head Of Section, Danish Defence Acquisition and Logistics Organization, Danish Ministry of Defence, Copenhagen, Denmark	12/02/2016	Adrienne Héritier	Bridge over troubled voters? Coordination between EU governments and European Parliamentarians
ZARAGOZA, Jonathan	Project Manager, Humanitarian NGO in Africa	08/06/2016	Rainer Bauböck	Empowerment through migration control cooperation. The Spanish-Moroccan case
ZAVADSKAYA, Margarita	Associate Professor of Political Science, European University St. Petersburg, Russia	15/09/2017	Alexander Trechsel	When Elections Subvert Authoritarianism Failed Cooptation and Russian Post-Electoral Protests of 2011-12