



## CV Tarik Abou-Chadi

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<b>Academic Employment</b>	<b>Associate Professor</b> ▪ Nuffield College, University of Oxford	2021 -
	<b>Assistant Professor</b> ▪ University of Zurich, Department of Political Science	2017 - 2021
	<b>Postdoctoral Researcher and Lecturer</b> ▪ Humboldt University Berlin, Department of Social and Political Sciences	2015 - 2017
	<b>Visiting Fellow</b> ▪ University of Amsterdam, Research Unit Challenges to Democratic Representation	2015
<b>Education</b>	<b>PhD in Political Science</b> Humboldt University Berlin, summa cum laude	2015
	<b>Global Visiting Scholar</b> New York University	2011 - 2012
	<b>M.A. in Social and Political Sciences</b> Humboldt University Berlin	2012
	<b>Visiting Student</b> Université Libre de Bruxelles	2007 - 2008
	<b>B.A. in Social and Political Sciences</b> Humboldt University Berlin	2009
<b>Publications</b>		
<b>Monographs</b>	Wählerschaft und Perspektiven der Sozialdemokratie in der Schweiz (with Silja Häusermann, Reto Bürgisser, Matthias Enggist, Reto Mitteregger, Nadja Mosimann, Delia Zollinger). <i>NZZ Libro</i> . 2022	
<b>Journal articles</b>	International Studies and Struggles for Inclusion (with Kanisha Bond, Cassy Dorff, Jamie Hagen, Cullen Hendrix, Cameron Thies). <i>International Studies Review</i> : Conditionally Accepted. 2023	
	Democracy Challenged. How Different Party Families Emphasize Different Democratic Principles (with Sarah Engler, Theresa Gessler, Lucas Leemann). <i>Journal of European Public Policy</i> : Forthcoming. 2023	
	Does Accommodation Work? Mainstream Party Strategies and the Success of Radical Right Parties (with Werner Krause, Denis Cohen). <i>Political Science Research and Methods</i> : 11(1): 172-179. 2023	
	The Centre-Right versus the Radical Right: the Role of Migration Issues and Economic Grievances (with Denis Cohen, Markus Wagner). <i>Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies</i> : 42(2): 366-384. 2022	

- Economic Risk within the Household and Voting for the Radical Right (with Thomas Kurer). *World Politics*: 73 (3): 482-511. 2021
- Democracy in times of the pandemic: Explaining the variation of public health policies against COVID-19 across European democracies (with Sarah Engler, Palmo Brunner, Roman Loviat, Lucas Leemann, Daniel Kübler, Andreas Glaser). *West European Politics*: 44 (5-6): 1077-1102. 2021
- Brahmin Left vs. Merchant Right? Education, Class, Multi-Party Competition and Redistribution in Western Europe (with Simon Hix). *British Journal of Sociology. Special Issue on Piketty's Capital and Ideology*: 72 (1): 79-92. 2021
- Parties' policy adjustments in response to changes in issue saliency (with Christoffer Green-Pedersen, Peter B. Mortensen). *West European Politics*: 43 (4): 749-771. 2020
- How Parties React to Voter Transitions (with Lukas Stoetzer). *American Political Science Review*: 114 (3): 940-945. 2020
- The Causal Effect of Radical Right Success on Mainstream Parties' Policy Positions - a Regression Discontinuity Approach (with Werner Krause). *British Journal of Political Science*: 50 (3): 829-847. 2020
- Electoral Fortunes of Social Democratic Parties: Do Second Dimension Positions matter? (with Markus Wagner). *Journal of European Public Policy*: 27 (2): 246-272. 2020
- Not so Responsive after all: European Parties do not Respond to Public Opinion Shifts across Multiple Issue Dimensions (with Tom O'Grady). *Research & Politics*: 6 (4): 1-7. 2019
- The Electoral Appeal of Party Strategies in Post-Industrial Societies: When Can the Mainstream Left Succeed? (with Markus Wagner). *Journal of Politics*: 81 (4): 1405-1419. 2019
- Recalibrating Social Protection: Electoral Competition and the New Partisan Politics of the Welfare State (with Ellen M. Immergut). *European Journal of Political Research*: 58 (2): 697-719. 2019
- Rights for Same-Sex Couples and Public Attitudes toward Gays and Lesbians in Europe (with Ryan Finnigan). *Comparative Political Studies*: 52 (6): 868-895. 2019
- Electoral Competition, Political Risks, and Parties' Responsiveness to Voters' Issue Priorities. *Electoral Studies*: 58 (5): 99-108. 2018
- How Immigration Reforms Affect Voting Behavior (with Marc Helbling). *Political Studies*: 66 (3): 687-717. 2018
- It's not easy being green: Why voters punish parties for environmental policies during economic downturns (with Mark Kayser). *Electoral Studies*: 45 (2):201-207. 2017
- Political and Institutional Determinants of Immigration Policies. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*: 42 (13):2087-2110. 2016
- Moderate as Necessary. The Role of Electoral Competitiveness and Party Size in Explaining Parties' Policy Shifts (with Matthias Orłowski). *Journal of Politics*: 78 (3):868-881. 2016
- Winner of the 2017 APSA Lawrence Longley Award for Best Article on Representation and Electoral Systems
- Niche Party Success and Mainstream Party Policy Shifts - How Green and Radical Right Parties Differ in Their Impact. *British Journal of Political Science*: 46 (2):417-436. 2016

Political Institutions and the Distributional Consequences of Suffrage Extension (with Matthias Orłowski). *Political Studies*: 63 (S1):55-72. **2015**

How electoral vulnerability affects pension politics: Introducing a concept, measure and empirical application (with Ellen Immergut). *European Journal of Political Research*: 53 (2):269–87. **2014**

#### **Book chapters**

The Supply Side. Mainstream Right Party Policy Positions in a Changing Political Space in Western Europe (with Werner Krause). In: Tim Bale/Cristobal Rovira Kaltwasser (eds.): *Riding the Populist Wave. Europe's Mainstream Right in Crisis*. Cambridge University Press: forthcoming. **2021**

Das Thema europäische Integration und die Wahlentscheidung bei der Bundestagswahl 2013. In: Heiko Giebler/Aiko Wagner (eds.): *Wirtschaft, Krise und Wahlverhalten*. Nomos: p. 84-106. **2015**

The Sustainability of Democracy: The Impact of Electoral Incentives on the Input and Output Legitimacy of Democracies (with Ellen Immergut and Matthias Orłowski). In: Volker Schneider/Burkhard Eberlein (eds.): *Complex Democracy. Varieties, Crises, and Transformations..* Springer: p. 247-262. **2015**

#### **Work in progress**

Getting the most out of comparative vote switching data. A new framework for studying dynamic multi-party competition (with Denis Cohen, Werner Krause). Revise and resubmit at *Journal of Politics*.

The Limits of Issue Entrepreneurship: How the German Greens Failed to Win in 2021 (with Jonne Kamphorst). Revise and resubmit at *Electoral Studies*.

Measuring parties' rhetorical strategies at scale using social media text (with Hauke Licht, Pablo Barbera, Whitney Hua). Decline and resubmit at *Journal of Politics*.

Trade-offs of social democratic party strategies in a pluralized issue space: a conjoint analysis (with Silja Häusermann, Reto Mitteregger, Nadja Mosimann, Markus Wagner). Under Review.

The political consequences of #metoo (with Magdalena Breyer, Theresa Gessler). Conference Paper.

Post-Material Voting and the Economic Cycle (with Mark Kayser). Conference Paper.

The political economy of rental housing (with Denis Cohen, Thomas Kurer). Conference Paper

Stepping Out of the Comfort Zone: (How) Can Niche and Challenger Parties Expand Their Electorate (with Jonne Kamphorst)? Conference Paper

Cultural Backlash? Political reactions to progressive policy change – The case of the Swiss referendum on marriage equality (with Magdalena Breyer, Thomas Kurer, Reto Mitteregger). Conference Paper

“Feminisation” of work and radical right backlash (with Diane Bolet, Sergi Pardos-Prado). Conference Paper

## Grants & Awards

### Grants

- “Electoral trade-offs in post-industrial societies” 2023 – 2026  
Einstein BUA-Oxford Visiting Fellowship, EUR 499,620  
Principal Investigator
- “Equality of Opportunity. Module: Social Change” 2021 – 2028  
University Research Priority Project, University of Zurich, CHF 4 Million  
with Silja Häusermann, Stefanie Walter
- “Social Status and the Transformation of Electoral Behavior in Western Europe” 2019 – 2023  
Swiss National Science Foundation project funding, CHF 707,484  
Principal Investigator
- “Quality of democracy and public health measures against Covid-19” 2020  
University of Zurich Seed Funding, CHF 40,000  
with Daniel Kübler, Andreas Glaser, Lucas Leemann
- “Populism and the Erosion of Liberal Democracy” 2020  
Humboldt University of Berlin & University of Zurich Joint Seed Funding, EUR 10,000  
with Heike Klüver
- “Causes and Consequences of Challenger Party Success in European Democracies” 2018  
University of Zurich, GRC Grant for Workshop, CHF 5000
- “Party Competition and Challenges to Democracy” 2016  
Humboldt University, KOSMOS Grant for Workshop, EUR 5000
- “Research Working Group on Party Competition” 2012 – 2017  
Humboldt University, BGSS Grant for Workshop, 4 x EUR 1500

### Awards & fellowships

- *Henrik Enderlein Prize* for Research Excellence in the Social Sciences 2021
- *APSA Lawrence Longley Award* for Best Article on Representation and Electoral Systems 2017
- *Fulbright* Travel Grant for academic year at New York University 2011 – 2012
- *Doctoral scholarship*, Berlin Graduate School of Social Sciences 2011 – 2014
- Scholarship holder of *Friedrich Ebert Stiftung* 2010-2011

## Teaching

### University of Oxford

- Comparative Government (Graduate core course)
- European Politics and Society (Graduate core course)
- Introduction to Statistics (Graduate)
- Politics in Europe (Undergraduate)

### European University Institute

- Transformation of European Politics (2-day graduate workshop)

### University of Zurich

- Democracy Studies (Undergraduate Lecture)
- Development and Crisis of European Social Democracy (BA)
- The Politics of Post-Industrial Societies (MA)
- The Radical Right as a Political Challenger in Western Europe (BA)

### Humboldt University Berlin

- Understanding the US Presidential Election 2016 (BA)
- Introduction to Comparative Politics and International Relations (BA)
- The Radical Right as a Political Challenger in Western Europe (BA)
- The Politics of Post-Industrial Societies (MA)
- Introduction to Statistics and Data Analysis Using Stata (Graduate summer course)
- Elections and political competition in democracies (BA)

### WZB Berlin

- Analyzing Time-Series Cross-Section Data Using Stata (Three day workshop)

## PhD supervision

- Tobias Roemer (University of Oxford) since 5/2022
- Magdalena Breyer (University of Zurich) since 10/2019
- Hauke Licht (University of Zurich) 5/2018 - 1/2022

## Service

### Editorial board

- British Journal of Political Science
- West European Politics
- European Journal of Politics and Gender
- Global Studies Quarterly

### Service in professional organizations

- European Political Science Association Diversity Committee
- APSA. European Politics and Society Section. Committee for best published article in 2020

## Reviews

**Journals:** *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Electoral Studies*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *European Union Politics*, *Journal of Elections Public Opinion and Parties*, *Journal of European Public Policy*, *Journal of European Social Policy*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Social Policy*, *Party Politics*, *Political Science Research and Methods*, *Political Communication*, *Political Studies*, *Swiss Political Science Review*, *West European Politics*, *World Politics*

**Grants:** *Frith Thyssen Stiftung*, *Swiss National Science Foundation (Exzellenza Grant)*, *la Caixa Foundation*, *Partizipative Wissenschaftsakademie*

## Invited Talks (selection)

- Yale University, Comparative Politics Seminar 03/2023
- New York University, Identities and Ideologies Project 03/2023
- University of Manchester, Political Science Seminar 01/2023
- Copenhagen Business School, Seminar Series 05/2022
- University of Gothenburg, Party Politics Seminar 03/2022
- Trinity College Dublin, Politics Seminar 02/2022
- London School of Economics and Political Science, Ralph Miliband Programme 11/2021
- University of Konstanz, CPPE Series 05/2021
- WZB Berlin Social Science Center, Transformations of Democracy Group 05/2021
- University of Oslo, CIR Seminar Series 03/2021
- Stanford University, European Politics Seminar Series 11/2020
- Universidad Carlos III Madrid, Juan March Institute Seminar Series 10/2020
- University of Montreal, UdeM Seminar Series 10/2020
- Free University Berlin, Contestation of the Liberal Script Opening Workshop 02/2020
- University of Amsterdam, Social Democratic Parties in the 21st Century 11/2019
- WZB Berlin Social Science Center, Berlin Democracy Conference 11/2019
- University of Lucerne, Department of political science 11/2019
- University of Mannheim, Department of social sciences 10/2019
- London School of Economics and Political Science, Understanding Populism 09/2019
- Duke University, Frontiers of Political Science 04/2018

## Media

### Own contributions

- Teaching and research podcast series *Transformation of European Politics* – 18 episodes
- *Rechts nur noch die Wand?* (with Werner Krause, Denis Cohen), *Verfassungsblog* 02/2023
- Copying the far right doesn't help mainstream parties. But it can boost the far right (with Werner Krause, Denis Cohen), *Guardian* 04/2022
- It's not just in Britain – across Europe social democracy is losing its way. (with Jane Gingrich), *Observer* 05/2021
- Could the German Greens win – and change European politics for good? *Washington Post*, 04/2021
- Why Germany – and Europe – can't afford to accommodate the radical right, *Washington Post*, 09/2019
- A Cure for the Crisis of Social Democracy? (with Markus Wagner), *Agenda Magasin*, 09/2019
- No, America. Angela Merkel is not a progressive champion, *Washington Post*, 06/2019
- Radical right success and mainstream parties' anti-immigrant policy shifts (with Werner Krause), *Democratic Audit UK*, 07/2018

### **Mentions and interviews (selection)**

- *New York Times* Germany has a problem. 02/2023
- *De Standaard* Interview: Alleen een progressievere politiek kan de sociaaldemocraten redden. 08/2022
- *Republik* Interview: Olaf Scholz hat unglaublich viel richtig gemacht. 12/2021
- *Financial Times*, Europe's social democrats are back - but for how long? 10/2021
- *Aftonbladet*, Tyskarna pratar om klimat - inte migration. 09/2021
- *Die Zeit*, FDP. Zum Regieren gezwungen. 03/2021
- *The Economist*, Charlemagne. Last of the centre-lefties. 09/2020
- *Sueddeutsche*, 40 Jahre Grüne: Was zur Volkspartei fehlt. 01/2020
- *Trouw*, In Europa gaan we vaker naar de stembus, voor minder democratie. 11/2019
- *Financial Times*, Europe shaken as political systems splinter. 01/2019
- *Libération*, En Allemagne, l'AfD fait même déraiper la gauche. 09/2018
- *The Atlantic*, How Far Can Germany's Social Democrats Bend Before They Break? 01/2018
- *Washington Post*, Germany's far right establishes a beachhead in Parliament. 09/2017
- *Le Monde*, En Allemagne, l'AfD et Die Linke rivalisent pour capter le vote anti-Merkel. 09/2017
- *New York Times*, How Martin Schulz's Campaign Against Angela Merkel Fizzled. 09/2017