

# Jérôme Pablo Schäfer

## CONTACT

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## EMPLOYMENT

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Since May 2018 | LMU Munich  
Assistant Professor of Political Science

## EDUCATION

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2012-2018 | Yale University  
Ph.D. in Political Science

2005-2010 | Sciences Po Paris  
B.A. and M.A. in Political Science

## PUBLICATIONS

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1. Hirvonen, Salomo, Jerome Schafer, and Janne Tukiainen (2023). Policy Feedback and Voter Turnout: Evidence from the Finnish Basic Income Experiment. Conditionally Accepted. *American Journal of Political Science*.
2. Bellettini, Giorgio, Carlotta Berti-Ceroni, Enrico Cantoni, Chiara Monfardi, and Jerome Schafer (2023). Modern Family? The Gendered Effects of Marriage and Childbearing on Voter Turnout. *British Journal of Political Science*.
3. Schafer, Jerome, Enrico Cantoni, Giorgio Bellettini, and Carlotta Berti Ceroni (2022). Making Unequal Democracy Work? The Effects of Income on Voter Turnout in Northern Italy. *American Journal of Political Science* 66, no. 3: 745-761.
4. Cantoni, Enrico, Ludovica Gazzè, and Jerome Schafer (2021). Turnout in Concurrent Elections: Evidence from Two Quasi-Experiments in Italy. *European Journal of Political Economy* 70: 102035.
5. Schafer, Jerome (2021). Delayed Gratification in Political Participation. *American Politics Research* 49, no. 3: 304-312.
6. Schafer, Jerome and John Holbein (2020). When Time Is of the Essence: a Natural Experiment on How Time Constraints Influence Elections. *Journal of Politics*, 2, 418-432.
7. Holbein, John, Jerome Schafer, and David Dickinson (2019). Insufficient Sleep Reduces Voting and Other Pro-Social Behaviors. *Nature Human Behaviour*, 3, 492-500.
8. Schafer, Jerome (2014). European Commission Officials' Policy Attitudes. *JCMS: Journal of Common Market Studies*, 52(4), 911-927.

## SELECTED WORKS IN PROGRESS

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1. Cantoni, Enrico, Vincent Pons, and Jerome Schafer (2023). Voting Rules, Turnout, and Economic Policies. Manuscript in preparation for the *Annual Review of Economics*.
2. Caro, Florian, Jerome Schafer, and Fabian Kosse (2023). Are Conservatives Happier than Liberals? Political Context and Subjective Well-Being. *Submitted*.

3. Bellettini, Giorgio, Carlotta Berti-Ceroni, Giovanni Prarolo, Jerome Schafer, and Antonio Schiavone (2023). Economic Voting during the Great Recession: Evidence from Matched Registry and Survey Data.
4. Hirvonen, Salomo, Jerome Schafer, and Janne Tukiainen (2023). Does Education Reduce Political Inequality? Evidence from Finland.

## POLICY WORK

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1. “The Association Between Income and Turnout in the Regional Elections in Schleswig-Holstein und Nordrhein-Westfalen 2022”. June 2022. Technical Report (in German) commissioned by Stiftung Grundeinkommen: [Link](#)
2. “The Effect of Unconditional Cash Transfers on Voting Participation: Evidence from the Finnish Basic Income Experiment”. March 29, 2022. Working paper commissioned by Stiftung Grundeinkommen: [Link](#)
3. “Myopic Voters and the Samaritan’s Dilemma”. April 23, 2015. Blog contribution Yale ISPS: [Link](#)

## TEACHING

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Winter 2018	Comparative Political Economy (LMU Munich) <i>M.A. seminar.</i>
Winter 2018 and 2019	Advanced Quantitative Methods: Causal Inference (LMU Munich) <i>M.A. seminar.</i>
Winter 2019 -2023	Research Design (LMU Munich) <i>B.A. seminar.</i>
Summer 2021 -2023	Quantitative Comparative Politics (LMU Munich) <i>B.A. seminar.</i>
Summer 2019 -2021	Comparative Political Behavior (LMU Munich) <i>B.A. seminar.</i>
Summer 2019 -2023	Introduction to American Politics (LMU Munich) <i>B.A. seminar.</i>
Fall 2017	Political Parties in the American System (Yale College) <i>Teaching Assistant to John Henderson</i>
Spring 2016	Public Opinion (Yale College) <i>Teaching Assistant to Sam DeCanio</i>
Fall 2014 and 2015	Introduction to Statistics (Yale College) <i>Teaching Assistant to Jonathan Reuning-Scherer</i>
Spring 2015 and 2018	The New Europe (Yale College) <i>Teaching Assistant to David Cameron</i>

## ADDITIONAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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- 2014-2016 | Yale Institution for Social and Policy Studies  
*Lead Replication Archivist*  
Conducted replication and archiving of 20 studies. Assisted Lynn Vavreck (UCLA) with publication of CCAP 2008 data set.
- 2009-2010 | Sciences Po Center for European Studies  
*Research Assistant*  
Conducted 10 face-to-face interviews with MPs for project studying French legislators.

## FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

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- 2023-2026: Junior Fellow Bavarian Academy of Sciences 36k EUR  
2021: LMU Junior Research Grant 30k EUR  
2021: Stiftung Grundeinkommen 30k EUR (co-PI)  
2019-22: University of Bologna visiting fellowships 9k EUR  
2017: Leitner Program in Political Economy Grant 5k USD  
2017: Yale CSAP Grants 4k USD  
2014: Yale ISPS Policy Fellowship 3k USD  
2012-2018: Yale Graduate Fellowship  
2008-2010: German National Merit Fellowship (Studienstiftung)

## SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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- 2024: American University of Paris, King's College London, Princeton CSDP  
2023: NYU Experiments, Sciences Po, Copenhagen, Turku  
2022: Bologna, Zurich, APSA  
2020: Montreal, Toulouse IAST, EPSA  
2019: EUI, Bologna, CESifo, EUWEPS, APSA  
2017: APSA, Behavioral Models of Politics, MPSA  
2016: MPSA, EPSA, NYU Experiments, SPSA  
2015: EITM

## REFeree SERVICE

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American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, British Journal of Political Science, Political Science Research and Methods, Nature Human Behaviour, Political Psychology, Electoral Studies, Political Behavior, Journal of Elections Public Opinion and Parties, Politics and the Life Sciences, Social Problems, European Political Science Review, German Journal of Comparative Politics, Economics and Politics, European Journal of Political Economy, Public Choice, Economic Inquiry, Journal of Common Market Studies, Journal of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Review of Economics and Statistics, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy

## SKILLS

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- LANGUAGES: French (native), German (native), English (near native), Polish (advanced)  
PROGRAMMING: LaTeX, STATA, R, ArcGis, z-tree

## PERSONAL

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Born December 14, 1987, in Calais, France.  
French and German citizen

## REFERENCES

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