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FIELDS OF INTEREST

Policy Evaluation, Public Policy, Legislative Behavior, Survey Methodology

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

08/2018 -	IDHEAP, University of Lausanne Assistant Professor
05/2017 - 07/2018	University of Bern Postdoctoral Researcher
10/2016 - 03/2017	University of California, Los Angeles Visiting Graduate Researcher
06/2015 - 09/2015	University of Geneva Short Term Visiting Scholar
01/2013 - 09/2016	University of Zürich Ph.D. Candidate and Research Assistant

EDUCATION

2017	University of Zürich Ph.D. in Political Science (<i>summa cum laude</i>)
2012	University of Bern M.A. in Political Science
2011	University of Zürich B.A. in Social Sciences
2009/2010	University of Copenhagen Erasmus

ARTICLES

2018. "Policy Evaluation in Parliament: Interest Groups as Catalysts?", *International Review of Administrative Sciences*, with Frédéric Varone and Roy Gava.

2018. "Parliamentarians' Strategies for Policy Evaluations", *Evaluation and Program Planning* 69(3): 130-138.

2018. "Varieties of Accountability. How Attributes of Policy Fields Shape Parliamentary Oversight", *Governance* 31(1): 163-183.

2017. "Between Occupation and Politics: Legislative Professionalization in the Swiss Cantons", *Swiss Political Science Review* 23(1): 1-20, with Daniela Eberli and Sarah Bütikofer.

2016. "Self-Selection and Misreporting in Legislative Surveys", *Political Science Research and Methods*, with Frédéric Varone, Roy Gava and Thomas Widmer. Forthcoming.

2016. "What Do We Know About the Demand for Evaluation? Insights from the Parliamentary Arena", *American Journal of Evaluation* 37(4): 522-541.

→ Winner of the 2016 Young Scholar Award of the German Evaluation Society

2016. "Forschung über Evaluation in der Schweiz. Stand und Aussichten", *LeGes - Gesetzgebung & Evaluation*, 27(3): 459-483, with Thomas Widmet et al.

BOOK CHAPTERS & OTHER PUBLICATIONS

2018. "Zwischen Beruf und Politik: Die Professionalisierung in den Parlamenten", in: Adrian Vatter (ed.). *Das Parlament in der Schweiz - Macht und Ohnmacht der Volksvertretungen*. Zürich: NZZ Verlag, with Daniela Eberli and Sarah Bütikofer. Forthcoming.

2018. "Professionalizzazione nei parlamenti cantonali", in: Andrea Pilotti and Oscar Mazzoleni (eds.). *Tra milizia e professionalizzazione. Cambiamenti e persistenza in politica in Svizzera*. Locarno: Armando Dadò editore, with Daniela Eberli and Sarah Bütikofer. Forthcoming.

2017. "Parlament und Evaluation: Guts Meets Brain", in: Fritz Sager, Thomas Widmer and Andreas Balthasar (eds.). *evaluation im politischen System der Schweiz - Entwicklung, Bedeutung und Wechselwirkungen*. Zürich: NZZ Verlag: 243-278, with Daniela Eberli.

2017. "Seeking Power with Truth. The Role of Evaluation in Parliaments", Dissertation at the Center for Comparative and International Studies (CIS), ETH Zurich and University of Zurich.

→ Winner of the 2017 Best PhD Thesis Award, Department of Political Science, University of Zurich

2017. "What Do We Know About the Demand for Evaluation? Insights From the Parliamentary Arena. Kurzfassung des mit dem DeGEval-Nachwuchspreis ausgezeichneten Artikels", *Zeitschrift für Evaluation* 16(1): 202-205.

EVALUATIONS & RESEARCH REPORTS

2015. *Qualität der IFES-Schulevaluationen und deren Nutzung im Kanton Zürich*. Zürcher Politik- & Evaluationsstudien Nr. 13. Zürich: Institut für Politikwissenschaft, with Thomas Widmer, Kathrin Frey, Nadja Rüegg, Cornelia Stadter and Jeffrey Stein.

2014. *Befragung Parlamente und Evaluationen. Ergebnisbericht*. Universität Zürich, with Daniela Eberli, Kathrin Frey and Thomas Widmer.

2014. *Befragung Parlamente und Evaluationen. Methodenbericht*. Universität Zürich, with Daniela Eberli, Kathrin Frey and Thomas Widmer.

2014. *Potentialanalyse zur Initiative actionsanté*. Schlussbericht vom 26. Mai 2014. Bern: Bundesamt für Gesundheit, with Thomas Widmer, Kathrin Frey, Christine Zollinger, Mikaël Rédin and Heiri Gander.

WORKING BOOKS

"Das Milizamt. Analysen zum politischen Kapital der Schweiz", with Markus Freitag and Martina Flick.

WORKING PAPERS

"Does Evaluation Quality Enhance Evaluation Use?", with Kathrin Frey and Thomas Widmer. *Invited to revise and resubmit.*

"Economic Hardship and Social Capital in Europe. A Comparative Analysis of 27 Democracies", with Markus Freitag. *Under review.*

"Does the Nature of a Policy Matter? A Policy-Centred Approach to European Integration", with Michael A. Strebelt.

"The Wolf in Sheep's Clothing? Policy Preferences and Party Switching in Parliaments", with Elisa Volpi.

"Personality and Ideological Positions of Political Candidates", with Kathrin Ackermann.

"Instrumental or Conceptual Use? A Quasi-Experiment to Measure Evaluation Influence"

TEACHING

Values, Attitudes, and Political Behavior, Spring 2018. [Syllabus]
University of Bern, Switzerland

Volunteering, Public Spirit, and the Militia System, Fall 2017. [Syllabus]
University of Bern, Switzerland

The (Dys-)Function of Political Institutions in Switzerland, Fall 2017 & Fall 2018 [Syllabus]
University of Zürich, Switzerland

AWARDS

Best PhD Thesis Award, Department of Political Science, University of Zürich, 2017.

Young Scholar Award, German Evaluation Society, 2016.

Best Student Paper Award, European Evaluation Society, 2014.

Neue Zürcher Zeitung Master Thesis Award (4th Place), 2012.

GRANTS

Doc.Mobility Scholarship, Swiss National Science Foundation, CHF 34'600, 2016-2017.

Short Mentorship Abroad Scholarship, University of Zurich, Department of Political Science, CHF 1'500, 2015.

Grant for the Peer Mentoring Group poliTics, University of Zürich, Graduate Campus, CHF 6'675 and CHF 6'125, 2014-2015.

MEDIA

DeFacto. "Das grosse Comeback der FDP? - Die Bilanz der kantonalen Parlamentswahlen seit 2011", Blog Post, October 14, 2015.

joiz. "Wer Angst hat, geht an die Urne", Live Television Studio guest, February 10, 2014.

CONFERENCES

AEA (2016), CAP (2018), ECPR (2017), ECPR Joint Sessions (2018), ECPR SG-Parliaments (2016), EES (2014), EPSA (2017, 2018), ESRA (2015), DeGEval, (2016), IPSA (2016, 2018), MPSA (2015), SEVAL (2014, 2016), SPSA (2016, 2018)

INVITED TALKS

Center of Competence for Public Management, University of Bern, Guest Lecture, December 2017.

foraus, Swiss Forum on Foreign Policy, Input Talk, November 2017.

Department of Political Science, University of Zürich, Guest Lecture, April 2017 and November 2015.

SEVAL Kongress, University of Basel, Sinergia Project Presentation, September 2016.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer for: *American Journal of Evaluation*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Public Policy*, *Evaluation and Program Planning*

Committee member, Young Scholar Award of the German Evaluation Society 2017

Elected Representative, Peer Mentoring Group poliTics 2014-2015

LANGUAGES

Romansh (native), German (native), English (fluent), French (good), Danish (basic)

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