

Curriculum Vitae

Steven Eichenberger

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

- 02.2019 – **University of Geneva, CH**
Lecturer: Swiss Politics and Public Policy
- 01.2018 – 01.2019 **University of Lausanne, CH**
Junior Lecturer: Swiss politics, Interest groups, Public policy
- 02.2014 – 12.2017 **University of Lausanne, CH**
Ph.D. in Political Science, with distinction (Faculty Prize 2018)
Dissertation title: “Interest Groups' Access to Policy Venues. The Rise of Citizen Groups in Switzerland?”, 340 pages.
Committee: André Mach (Lausanne, supervisor), Frédéric Varone (Geneva, co-supervisor), Anne Binderkrantz (Aarhus), Ioannis Papadopoulos (Lausanne), Pascal Sciarini (Geneva)
- 09.2008 – 09.2010 **Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (IHEID), CH**
MA in International Studies (Political Science)
- 10.2005 – 07.2008 **University of Geneva, CH**
BA in International Relations (Political Science, Economy)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching assistant for the undergraduate seminar “Interest groups and political strategies”: WT 2014, 2015, 2018; ST 2017, with Prof. André Mach (University of Lausanne)

Teaching assistant for the undergraduate seminar “Interest group leaders: political ties and associational careers”: ST 2018, with Prof. André Mach (University of Lausanne)

Teaching assistant for the undergraduate seminar “Empirical approaches to urban policies”: WT 2018, with Dr. Julie Pollard (Senior Lecturer, University of Lausanne)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 08.2011 – 01.2014 **Europeans United for Informed Action**, Geneva, CH
Director Organizational Development
In charge of finances, human resources, organizational development and operational responsibility for the planning and execution of educational projects with up to 800 participants supported by over 50 organizations.
- 11.2010 – 07.2011 **Tax Justice Network**, London, UK
Research assistant
Data collection, input and extraction; Statistical analyses and writing of reports.
- 08.2010 – 07.2011 **MAVA Foundation**, Gland, CH
Database developer
Development of an MS Access database for centralized management of funding requests.

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 07.2015 6th ECPR Standing Group Summer School on Interest Groups. Interest groups and public policy: mobilization, lobbying strategies, and influence. University of Hamburg, July 20-28, 2015.
- 07.2014 5th ECPR Standing Group Summer School on Interest Groups. Political Advocacy in Multi-Level Governance Systems. VU Amsterdam and University of Amsterdam, July 1-9, 2014.

COMPUTER SKILLS

Databases: FileMaker Pro, Microsoft Access: advanced knowledge
Statistics: R: sound knowledge (multiple and logistic regression, visualization with ggplot2 and vcd)
MS Office: advanced knowledge

LANGUAGES

German mother tongue
English mother tongue
French fluent
Spanish basic knowledge (B1)

REFERENCES

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Prof. Anne Skorkjær Binderkrantz, University of Aarhus, ASB@ps.au.dk, +45 8 716 57 06
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PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles

- Eichenberger, S., & Mach, A. (2017). Formal ties between interest groups and members of parliament: Gaining allies in legislative committees. *Interest Groups & Advocacy*, 6(1), 1–21. <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41309-017-0012-2>
- Gava, R., Varone, F., Mach, A., Eichenberger, S., Christe, J., & Chao-Blanco, C. (2017). Interests groups in Parliament: Exploring MPs' interest affiliations (2000-2011). *Swiss Political Science Review*, 23(1), 77–94. <https://doi.org/10.1111/spsr.12224>
- Varone, F., Gava, R., Jourdain, C., Eichenberger, S., & Mach, A. (2018). Interest groups as multi-venue players. *Interest Groups & Advocacy*, 7(2), 173–195. <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41309-018-0036-2>
- Weiler, F., Eichenberger, S., Mach, A., & Varone, F. (2019). More equal than others: Assessing economic and citizen groups' access across policymaking venues. *Governance*, 32(2), 277–293. <https://doi.org/10.1111/gove.12372>

Book chapters

- Eichenberger, S., Pilotti, A., Mach, A., & Varone, F. (2016). Parlement de milice et groupes d'intérêt (1970-2010): professionnalisation et diversification des liens d'intérêt? In G. Hürlimann, A. Mach, A. Rathmann-Lutz, & J. M. Schaufelbuehl (Eds.), *Lobbying - Les antichambres du pouvoir*. Retrieved from <http://dx.doi.org/10.5169/seals-632479>

CONFERENCES

- ECPR General Conference: 2016, 2017, 2018
ECPR Joint Sessions: 2015
Annual Congress of the Swiss Political Science Association (SVPW-ASSP): 2016, 2017, 2019
Annual Congress of the Swiss Society of Economic and Social History (SGWSG-SSHES): 2014
HKU-USC-IPPA Conference on Public Policy: 2016