

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### CURRENT POSITION

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10/2017 – Assistant professor (Akademischer Rat auf Zeit), Geschwister Scholl Institute of Political Science, Ludwig Maximilians University of Munich, Chair of Political Systems and European Integration

11/2017 – External fellow, Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES), University of Mannheim

### EMPLOYMENT

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03/2016 – 09/2017 Post-doctoral researcher, Project ‘COHESIFY: The Impact of Cohesion Policy on European Identification’, Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (project coordinated by John Bachtler, University of Strathclyde)

03/2015 – 02/2016 Researcher, Project ‘Where Is My Party? Determinants of Voter Agreement about the Ideological Positions of Political Parties’, Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (DFG-project coordinated by Marc Debus, University of Mannheim, Zeynep Somer-Topcu, University of Texas at Austin, Margit Tavits, Washington University in St. Louis)

10/2013 – 09/2014 Researcher, Project ‘Going Local: Determinants of Institutional Changes of Local Government and their Implications for Political Participation and Political Decision-Making in West European Democracies’, Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (project coordinated by Marc Debus, University of Mannheim)

- 09/2012 – 02/2016 Research and Teaching Assistant, Professorship of Political Science III, Comparative Government, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim
- 04/2012 – 09/2012 Lecturer (Lehrbeauftragter), Chair of ‘The Political System of Germany’, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena
- 04/2011 – 09/2011 Lecturer (Lehrbeauftragter), Chair of ‘The Political System of Germany’, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena
- 10/2010 – 03/2011 Research and Teaching Assistant, Chair of ‘Deutsche Regierungssysteme im europäischen Vergleich’, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena
- 10/2009 – 03/2010 Lecturer (Lehrbeauftragter), Chair of ‘Deutsche Regierungssysteme im europäischen Vergleich’, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena
- 03/2008 – 07/2008 Student Assistant, Project ‘Demokratiemuster in den deutschen Bundesländern und ihre politischen, gesellschaftlichen und ökonomischen Auswirkungen’ (DFG-project coordinated by Markus Freitag and Adrian Vatter), University of Konstanz
- 12/2007 – 12/2007 Student Assistant, Chair of International Relations and Conflict Management, Department of Politics and Public Administration, University of Konstanz

## **EDUCATION**

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- 07/2015 Friedrich Schiller University Jena  
PhD in Political Science (Dr. phil.). Title of dissertation: *Koalitionsbildungsprozesse auf kommunaler Ebene: Schwarz-Grün in deutschen Großstädten* (summa cum laude; Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Torsten Oppelland; Prof. Dr. Marc Debus)
- 12/2010 – 07/2015 Friedrich Schiller University Jena  
Ph.D. candidate in political science
- 10/2008 – 09/2010 Friedrich Schiller University Jena  
Master of Arts in ‘Geschichte und Politik des 20. Jahrhunderts’
- 10/2005 – 09/2008 University of Konstanz  
Bachelor of Arts in Political and Administrative Science

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

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Party competition, coalition politics and policy outputs in multi-level systems; Local politics; EU Cohesion policy; Political representation and responsiveness; Text analysis

## PUBLICATIONS

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### *Books*

- Gross, Martin** (2016): *Koalitionsbildungsprozesse auf kommunaler Ebene. Schwarz-Grün in deutschen Großstädten*. Wiesbaden: Springer VS.
- Gross, Martin** (2011): *Große Koalition, große Folgen? Die Auswirkungen schwarz-roter Regierungsbündnisse auf die Parteiensysteme in Bund und Ländern 1946 bis 2009*. Marburg: Tectum Verlag.

### *Articles in peer-reviewed journals*

- Gross, Martin/Debus, Marc** (2018): Does EU regional policy increase parties' support for European integration? *West European Politics* 41 (3): 594-614.
- Gross, Martin/Marc Debus** (2018): Gaining new insights by going local: determinants of coalition formation in mixed democratic polities. *Public Choice* 174 (1-2): 61-80.
- Gross, Martin/Niendorf, Tim** (2017): Determinanten der Bildung nicht-etablierter Koalitionen in den deutschen Bundesländern, 1990–2016. *Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft* 11 (3): 365-390.
- Gross, Martin** (2017): 'Sowing the Seeds of Love'? Determinants of Local Coalition Formation and Termination between the CDU and the Greens, 1994-2016. *German Politics* (online first).
- Baumann, Markus/Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2017): Strength of weakness? Innerparteiliche Heterogenität, divergierende Koalitionspräferenzen und die Ergebnisse von Koalitionsverhandlungen in den deutschen Bundesländern. *Politische Vierteljahresschrift* 58 (2): 179-204.
- Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2016): Coalition formation at the local level: Institutional constraints, party policy conflict, and office-seeking political parties. *Party Politics* 22 (6): 835-846.
- Gross, Martin** (2014): Koalitionsbildung in deutschen Großstädten: Empirische Befunde aus Nordrhein-Westfalen. *Zeitschrift für Politikwissenschaft* 24 (1-2): 109-143.

### *Articles in other journals*

- Gross, Martin** (2011): Auswirkungen Großer Koalitionen auf die Parteiensysteme in Bund und Ländern zwischen 1946 und 2009. *Mitteilungen des Instituts für Deutsches und Internationales Parteienrecht und Parteienforschung* 17: 17-28.

### *Articles in edited volumes*

- Gross, Martin** (2017): Machtstrukturen in der lokalen Politik. In: Markus Tausendpfund and Angelika Vetter (eds.): *Politische Orientierungen von Kommunalpolitikern im Vergleich*. Wiesbaden: Springer VS: 111-149.
- Gross, Martin** (2017): Großstadt ist nicht gleich Großstadt: Erklärungsfaktoren für die Unterschiede bei kommunalen Koalitionsverhandlungen und Koalitionsvereinbarungen. In: Marlon Barbehön and Sybille Münch (eds.): *Variationen des Städtischen – Variationen lokaler Politik*. Wiesbaden: Springer VS: 193-219.

### *Other publications / websites*

**Gross, Martin/Debus, Marc** (2015): Local politicians take the party affiliation of directly elected mayors into account when forming coalitions. *Democratic Audit UK*, 3 August 2015 [<http://www.democraticaudit.com/?p=14998>].

### *Working Papers*

Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2017): Positions on and issue emphasis of European integration and EU Cohesion policy: Analysing (sub-)national party manifestos. *COHESIFY research paper 4*.

Baumann, Markus/**Gross, Martin** (2016): Where Is My Party? Introducing New Data Sets on Ideological Cohesion and Ambiguity of Party Positions in Media Coverage. *MZES Working Papers* 167. Mannheim: Mannheim Centre for European Social Research.

### *Book Reviews*

“Schwarz-grüne Koalitionen in Deutschland. Erfahrungswerte aus Kommunen und Ländern und Perspektiven für den Bund” by Christoph Weckenbrock. Portal für Politikwissenschaft. 2017.

“Gemeinden als Rettungsanker der EU? Individuelle und kontextuelle Faktoren der Zustimmung der Bürgerinnen und Bürger zur Europäischen Union” by Markus Tausendpfund. Portal für Politikwissenschaft. 2013.

“Gründung und Untergang von Staaten und Kulturen durch Mythen und deren Fehlen. Weltgeschichtliche Betrachtungen” by Jürgen Bellers and Markus Porsche-Ludwig. Portal für Politikwissenschaft. 2011.

“Der Bundeskanzler als politischer Führer. Potenziale und Probleme deutscher Regierungschefs aus interdisziplinärer Perspektive” by Henrik Gast. Portal für Politikwissenschaft. 2011.

“Die CDU. Entstehung und Verfall christdemokratischer Geschlossenheit” by Franz Walter, Christian Werwath and Oliver D’Antonio. Portal für Politikwissenschaft. 2011.

## **WORK IN PROGRESS**

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[list excludes all work currently under review]

### *Local politics*

“Analyzing Local Party Competition in Multi-Level Democracies: Introducing the Local Manifesto Project (LMP)” (with Michael Jankowski)

“Party systems and political competition at the local level (with Michael Jankowski)

“What are they talking about? Topic coverage of coalition agreements in multi-level settings” (with Svenja Krauss)

“Portfolio allocation on the local level” (with Alejandro Ecker)

### *European integration and EU Cohesion policy*

“Does anyone care? Explaining the variation in sub-national parties’ emphasis on European issues and EU Cohesion policy”

“Programmatic Europeanization revisited: the role of EP election proximity, EU support and Eastern European patterns” (with Dragos Adascalitei and Mihail Chiru)

### *Party behaviour*

“The Role of the Euro Crisis and Euroscepticism in the 2014 EP elections” (with Constantin Schäfer)

“How do voters punish or reward parties?” (with Zeynep Somer-Topcu and Margit Tavits)

## **CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS**

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**Gross, Martin**/Jankowski, Michael (2018): *Party Competition in Multi-Level Democracies: Evidence from the Local Manifesto Project*. Paper presented at the workshop “Manifesto Coordination in Multi-Level Settings”, Brussels, Belgium, March 9-10, 2018.

**Gross, Martin**/Schäfer, Constantin (2017): *What moves party systems in times of crises? Economic conditions, public opinion and the domestic electoral arena*. Paper presented at the conference “Change and Future Viability of Party Democracy in Europe”, Düsseldorf, Germany, October 12-14, 2017.

**Gross, Martin**/Jankowski, Michael (2017): *Analyzing Local Party Manifestos in Multi-Level Democracies*. Paper presented at the 7<sup>th</sup> EPSA Annual Conference, Milan, Italy, June 22-24, 2017.

**Gross, Martin**/Jankowski, Michael (2017): *Analyzing Local Party Manifestos in Multi-Level Democracies*. Paper presented at the Jahrestagung of the DVPW-Arbeitskreis “Handlungs- und Entscheidungstheorie”, Mannheim, Germany, June 8-9, 2017.

Baumann, Markus/Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2017): *Economic hardship and the policy emphases of political parties in the last weeks of an election campaign: Evidence from nine European countries*. Paper presented at the 75<sup>th</sup> MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, USA, April 6-9, 2017.

Baumann, Markus/Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2017): *Economic hardship and the policy emphases of political parties in the last weeks of an election campaign: Evidence from nine European countries*. Paper presented at the MZES workshop “Comparative Campaign Dynamics Project”, Mannheim, Germany, March 12-13, 2017.

**Gross, Martin** (2017): *Does anyone care? Explaining the variation in sub-national parties’ emphasis on European issues and EU Cohesion policy*. Paper presented at the 1<sup>st</sup> regional research and networking conference “Exploring the Rhein-Neckar-Connection in Political Science”, Heidelberg, Germany, January 27, 2017.

**Gross, Martin** (2017): *Anpassen oder ignorieren? Wie Parteien auf die globale Wirtschafts- und Finanzkrise und die Eurokrise reagiert haben*. Presentation of two working papers at the Workshop “Responsivität”, Duisburg, Germany, January 20, 2017.

**Gross, Martin**/Debus, Marc (2016): *EU regional policy and the support for European integration among political parties*. Paper presented at the MZES-Workshop “Vices and Virtues of Decentralization in European multi-level democracies”, Mannheim, Germany, November 25-26, 2016.

- Gross, Martin** (2016): *Sub-national party positions on European integration and EU cohesion policy: An exploratory analysis*. Paper presented at the 3-Länder-Tagung Politikwissenschaft: “Regionalismus in einer entgrenzten Welt” of the DVPW, ÖGPW, and SVPW, Heidelberg, Germany, September 29 – October 1, 2016.
- Schäfer, Constantin/**Gross, Martin** (2016): *What Moves Voters and Parties in Times of Crisis? A Macro-Level Analysis on the Euro Crisis Effects on Euroscepticism*. Paper presented at the 3-Länder-Tagung Politikwissenschaft: “Regionalismus in einer entgrenzten Welt” of the DVPW, ÖGPW, and SVPW, Heidelberg, Germany, September 29 – October 1, 2016.
- Gross, Martin** (2016): *Spending other people’s money? Sub-national party positions on European integration and EU cohesion policy*. Paper presented at the ECPR General Conference, Prague, Czech Republic, September 7-10, 2016.
- Baumann, Markus/Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2016): *Innerparteiliche Zerstrittenheit, divergierende Koalitionspräferenzen und Ergebnisse von Koalitionsverhandlungen*. Paper presented at the Jahrestagung of the DVPW-Arbeitskreis “Handlungs- und Entscheidungstheorie”, Cologne, Germany, May 20-21, 2016.
- Gross, Martin** (2015): *Who gets in? The determinants of coalition membership on the local level*. Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> EPSA Annual Conference, Vienna, Austria, June 25-27, 2015.
- Calca, Patrícia/**Gross, Martin** (2015): *To adapt or to disregard? Parties’ reactions to external shocks*. Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> EPSA Annual Conference, Vienna, Austria, June 25-27, 2015.
- Baumann, Markus/**Gross, Martin** (2015): *Country Presentation: Germany*. Presentation at the workshop “Where’s my party?”, Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES), University of Mannheim, Germany, March 29-30, 2015.
- Gross, Martin** (2015): *Kommunale Koalitionsverhandlungen und Koalitionsvereinbarungen: Handeln lokale politische Akteure wie ihre nationalen Pendants?* Paper presented at the Jahrestagung of the DVPW-Arbeitskreis “Lokale Politikforschung”, Heidelberg, Germany, January 30-31, 2015.
- Debus, Marc/**Gross, Martin** (2014): *Institutional Constraints, Party Policy Conflict and Coalition Formation in Multilevel Systems: Evidence from the German Local Level*. Paper presented at the SVPW Annual Convention 2014, Basel, Switzerland, January 30-31, 2014.
- Gross, Martin** (2013): *The Formation and Non-Formation of Coalitions between the CDU and the Greens at the Local Level, 1993-2011: Evidence from German Cities*. Paper presented at the conference on “Qualitative Comparative Analysis – Applications and Methodological Challenges”, Frankfurt, Germany, November 22-23, 2013.
- Gross, Martin** (2013): *Kommunale „Politik der Vielfalt”? Koalitionsbildung in 29 nordrhein-westfälischen Großstädten*. Paper presented at the 3-Länder-Tagung Politikwissenschaft: “Politik der Vielfalt” of the DVPW, ÖGPW, and SVPW, Innsbruck, Austria, September 19-21, 2013.
- Gross, Martin**/Debus, Marc (2013): *Institutional Constraints, Party Policy Conflict and Coalition Formation at the Local Level: Evidence from 29 German Cities*. Paper presented at the 3<sup>rd</sup> EPSA Annual Conference, Barcelona, Spain, June 20-22, 2013.

**Gross, Martin** (2013): *Koalitionen auf kommunaler Ebene zwischen CDU und Bündnis 90/Die Grünen: Befunde aus deutschen Großstädten*. Presentation of the Ph.D.-Project at the “Vierte Düsseldorfer Graduiertenkonferenz Parteienwissenschaften”, Düsseldorf, Germany, February 8-9, 2013.

## **AWARDS AND GRANTS**

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- 2017 Conference “Party Competition and Democratic Life Cycles in European Multi-Level Systems” (Mannheim Centre for European Social Research): € 10,000 (with Markus Baumann and Alejandro Ecker)
- 2016 Award for the best dissertation in political science (Auszeichnung mit dem Promotionspreis 2016 des Fördervereins des Instituts für Politikwissenschaft der Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena e. V.)
- 2011 Award for the master thesis (Auszeichnung mit dem Examenspreis des Fördervereins des Instituts für Politikwissenschaft der Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena e. V. für die wissenschaftliche Leistung im Rahmen der Masterarbeit)
- 04/2011 – 08/2012 Ph.D. Scholarship from the Jenaer Graduierten-Akademie for Doctoral Research at the Friedrich Schiller University Jena

## **METHODS TRAINING**

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- 08/2013 ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, University of Ljubljana  
Course: *Qualitative Comparative Analysis and Fuzzy Sets: Basics and Advances Issues in Set-Theoretic Methods*
- 02/2013 ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, University of Vienna  
Course 1: *Statistical Modelling of the Spatial Theory of Voting*  
Course 2: *Introduction to STATA*
- 05/2012 GESIS Mannheim  
Course: *Qualitative Data Analysis with MAXQDA*
- 02/2012 ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, University of Vienna  
Course 1: *Working with Comparative Survey Design*  
Course 2: *Introduction and Data Management with SPSS*
- 01/2012 Graduate Academy, Friedrich Schiller University Jena  
Course: *Multilevel Analysis: A Brief Introduction and SPSS-Tutorial*
- 10/2011 GESIS Mannheim  
Course: *Meet the data: Bundes- und Landtagswahldaten bei GESIS*

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- Summer 2018      *Übung: Koalitionsregierungen in vergleichender Perspektive*  
[Exercise: Coalition governments in comparative perspective]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, University of Munich  
*Seminar: The European Union and its Citizens – Institutional Structure, Public Opinion and Democratic Quality*  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, University of Munich
- Winter 2017/2018      *Grundkurs: Das politische System Deutschlands* [Basic course: The political system of Germany]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, University of Munich, Evaluation grade: 1.37 (1=best, 5=worst)  
*Debatten in der Governance-Forschung: Local Governance in Multi-Level Systems*  
Course in MA Programme Political Science, University of Munich, Evaluation grade: 1.66 (1=best, 5=worst)
- Fall 2015      *Ausgewählte Themen der Vergleichenden Regierungslehre: Politische Systeme in vergleichender Perspektive* [Selected Topics in Comparative Government: Political Systems in Comparative Perspective]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.17 (1=best, 6=worst)  
*Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten* [Academic Research and Writing]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.56 (1=best, 6=worst)
- Fall 2014      *Methods of Comparative Government: Theoretical and Empirical Perspectives on Government Formation in Multi-Level Settings*  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.62 (1=best, 6=worst)
- Spring 2014      *Selected Topics in Comparative Government: Scaling Down: Polity, Policy, and Politics on the Sub-national Level*  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.39 (1=best, 6=worst)
- Fall 2013      *Methoden der Vergleichenden Regierungslehre: Parteiensysteme, Parteienwettbewerb und Koalitionsbildung* [Methods of Comparative Government: Party Systems, Party Competition and Coalition Formation]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.80 (1=best, 6=worst)



- Spring 2013 *Einführung in die Vergleichende Regierungslehre: Parteien und Parteienwettbewerb in europäischen Mehrebenensystemen* [Introduction into Comparative Government: Parties and Party Competition in European Multi-level Systems]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.75 (1=best, 6=worst)
- Fall 2012 *Methoden der Vergleichenden Regierungslehre: Forschungsdesigns und Daten in der Koalitionsforschung* [Methods of Comparative Government: Research Designs and Data in Coalition Research]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, School of Social Sciences, University of Mannheim, Evaluation grade: 1.67 (1=best, 6=worst)
- Summer 2012 *Methoden der empirischen Sozialforschung I* [Methods of Empirical Social Research I]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, no course evaluation conducted
- Summer 2011 *Methoden der empirischen Sozialforschung I* [Methods of Empirical Social Research I]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, no course evaluation conducted
- Winter 2010/2011 *Methoden der empirischen Sozialforschung II* [Methods of Empirical Social Research II]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, no course evaluation conducted
- Winter 2009/2010 *Methoden der empirischen Sozialforschung II* [Methods of Empirical Social Research II]  
Course in BA Programme Political Science, Faculty of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Political Science, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, no course evaluation conducted

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

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01/2018 – Social Media Editor, *West European Politics*

### *Referee*

Australian Journal of Political Science • British Journal of Political Science • Comparative Political Studies • Government and Opposition • Local Government Studies • Political Behavior • Public Choice • Scandinavian Political Studies • Zeitschrift für Politikwissenschaft

### *Chair/Discussant*

Chair and discussant at 1<sup>st</sup> regional research and networking conference “Exploring the Rhein-Neckar-Connection in Political Science” (2017)

Chair and discussant at ECPR General Conference (2016)

Discussant at SVPW Annual Convention (2014)

### *Invited Lectures and Talks*

“Hail to the chief? The determinants of local government membership”. *Invited Talk* (Prof. Dr. Markus Tepe). Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg, Germany, June 14, 2017)

“Wahlprogramme und Koalitionsverträge – Bedeutung, Inhalt und Codierung”. *Guest Lecture, Vorlesung: Einführung in die Parteienforschung* (Prof. Dr. Torsten Oppelland). Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Germany, June 6, 2016)

“Koalitionsbildung in deutschen Großstädten: Empirische Befunde aus Nordrhein-Westfalen“. *Invited Talk* (Niko Switek). NRW School of Governance, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany, June 24, 2014)

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

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Deutsche Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaft (DVPW) • Deutsche Vereinigung für Parlamentsfragen e. V. (DVParl) • Förderverein des Instituts für Politikwissenschaft der Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena e.V. • European Political Science Association (EPSA) • European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) • Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

## **SCIENTIFIC SOFTWARE**

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Stata, fsQCA	experienced user
SPSS	intermediate user
R, LaTeX, MAXQDA	basic skills

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

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German	native
English	fluent
Spanish, French	advanced
Italian	basic skills