

# Ruth Dassonneville

Département de science politique  
C.P. 6128 succursale Centre-ville  
QC H3C 3J7 Montréal, Canada

[www.chairedemocratie.ca](http://www.chairedemocratie.ca)  
[ruth.dassonneville@umontreal.ca](mailto:ruth.dassonneville@umontreal.ca)  
(+1) 514-343-6111 #0931

## Research interests

Voting behaviour; Electoral volatility; Dealignment; Election campaigns; Economic voting; Election forecasting; Political parties; Political participation; Compulsory voting.

## Academic position

Canada Research Chair in Electoral Democracy Département de science politique Université de Montréal, Canada	2016–
Assistant professor Département de science politique Université de Montréal, Canada	2015–

## Education

PhD, Social Sciences PhD Fellow of the Research Foundation Flanders (2011-2015) University of Leuven, Belgium	2015
MA, Comparative and International Politics University of Leuven, Belgium	2010
MA, History University of Leuven, Belgium	2009
BA, History University of Leuven, Belgium	2008

## Research stays abroad

Visiting Fellow School of Politics and International Relations, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia	May–Jun 2017
Visiting PhD student Université de Montréal, Montréal, Canada	Jul–Aug 2014

Visiting PhD student Université de Montréal, Montréal, Canada	Jan–Jun 2013
Visiting PhD student University of Twente, Enschede, The Netherlands	March 2012

## Additional training

Introduction to Structural Equation Modeling Québec Inter-University Center for Social Statistics	2013
Modeling Heterogeneity Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis, University of Essex	2012
Political Parties in Modern Democracies ECPR Standing Group Summer School, Vrij Universiteit Brussel – Université Libre de Bruxelles	2012
Event History Analysis Quantitative Analysis in the Social Sciences Program, University of Leuven	2011
Multiple Regression Analysis ECPR Summer School on Methods and Techniques, University of Ljubljana	2011
Multilevel Analysis ICES Course in Statistics, Ghent University	2011
Election Forecasting ECPR Summer School on Methods and Techniques, University of Ljubljana	2010

## Publications

### Special journal issues (edited)

2. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (Eds.) (2017). The Effect of Electoral Rules on Electoral Behaviour *West European Politics*, 40(3).  
\* Re-published in book format: Dassonneville, R., Hooghe, M. & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (Eds.) (2017). [Electoral Rules and Electoral Behaviour: The Scope of Effects](#). London: Routledge.
1. **Dassonneville, R.** & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (Eds.) (2014). The Economic Voter and Economic Crisis. *Acta Politica*, 49(4).

### Peer reviewed publications

55. **Dassonneville, R.**, Nugent, M., Hooghe, M. & Lau, Richard (forthcoming). Do Women Vote Less Correctly? The Effect of Gender on Ideological Proximity Voting and Correct Voting. *Journal of Politics*, accepted.

54. Nadeau, R., **Dassonneville, R.**, Lewis-Beck, M.S. & Mongrain, P. (forthcoming). Are Election Results More Unpredictable? A Forecasting Test. *Political Science Research and Methods*, accepted.
53. Blais, A., Daoust, J.-F., **Dassonneville, R.** & Pélouquin-Skulski, G., (forthcoming). What is the Cost of Voting? *Electoral Studies*, in press. DOI: 10.1016/j.electstud.2019.02.011
52. Hooghe, M., **Dassonneville, R.** & Oser, J. (forthcoming) Public Opinion, Turnout and Social Policy: A Comparative Analysis of Policy Congruence in European Liberal Democracies. *Political Studies*, in press. DOI: 10.1177/0032321718819077
51. Ferland, B. & **Dassonneville, R.** (forthcoming). Shifting Parties, Rational Switchers – Are Voters Responding to Ideological Shifts by Political Parties. *Party Politics*, in press. DOI: 10.1177/1354068819829207
50. Stiers, D. & **Dassonneville, R.** (forthcoming). Do Volatile Voters Vote Less Correctly? An Analysis of Correct Voting Among Switchers in U.S. Presidential Election Campaigns. *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties*, in press. DOI: 10.1080/17457289.2018.1515210
49. **Dassonneville, R.**, Blais, A., Hooghe, M. & Deschouwer, K. (forthcoming). The Effects of Survey Mode and Sampling in Belgian Election Studies A Comparison of a National Probability Face-to-Face Survey and a Non-Probability Internet Survey. *Acta Politica*, in press. DOI: 10.1057/s41269-018-0110-4
48. Voogd, R. & **Dassonneville, R.** (forthcoming). Are the Supporters of Populist Parties Loyal Voters? Dissatisfaction and Stable Voting for Populist Parties. *Government and Opposition*, in press. DOI: 10.1017/gov.2018.24
47. Arel-Bundock, V., Blais, A. & **Dassonneville, R.** (forthcoming). Do Voters Benchmark Economic Performance? *British Journal of Political Science*, accepted.
46. **Dassonneville, R.** & Lewis-Beck, M. S. (2019) A Changing Economic Vote in Western Europe? Long-Term vs. Short-Term Forces. *European Political Science Review*, 11(1): 91–108. DOI: 10.1017/S1755773918000231
45. **Dassonneville, R.**, Feitosa, F., Hooghe, M., Lau, Richard R. & Stiers, D. (2019). Compulsory Voting Rules, Reluctant Voters and Ideological Proximity Voting. *Political Behavior*, 41(1): 209–230. DOI: 10.1007/s11109-018-9448-6
44. Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2018). Explaining the Trump vote: The Effect of Racism and Anti-Immigrant Sentiments. *Political Science and Politics*, 51(3): 528–534.
43. **Dassonneville, R.** (2018). Electoral Volatility and Parties' Ideological Responsiveness. *European Journal of Political Research*, 57(4): 808–828.
42. **Dassonneville, R.** & McAllister, I. (2018). Gender, Political Knowledge and Descriptive Representation: The Impact of Long-Term Socialization. *American Journal of Political Science*, 62(2): 249–265.
41. Daoust, J.-F., & **Dassonneville, R.** (forthcoming). Beyond Nationalism and Regionalism: The Stability of Economic Voting in Canada. *Canadian Journal of Political Science*, in press. DOI: 10.1017/S000842391800001X
40. Vallée-Dubois, F., & **Dassonneville, R.** & Godbout, J.-F. (forthcoming). About Time: Age, Period and Cohort Effects on Support for Quebec Sovereignty. *Nations and Nationalism*, in press. DOI: 10.1111/nana.12378

39. Stiers, D. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2018). Affect versus Cognition: Wishful Thinking in an Exit Poll. *International Journal of Forecasting*, 34(2): 199–215.
38. **Dassonneville, R.** & Grieb, A. (2018). Partisanship and Political Sophistication in and outside of Election Times. A Longitudinal Analysis using the German–SOEP survey 1984–2012. *German Politics*, 27(1): 44–65. DOI: 10.1080/09644008.2017.1302430
37. **Dassonneville, R.** & Stiers, D. (2018). Electoral Volatility in Belgium (2009–2014). Is there a Difference between Stable and Volatile Voters? *Acta Politica*, 53(1): 68–97. DOI: 10.1057/s41269-016-0038-5
36. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2018). Indifference and Alienation. Diverging Dimensions of Electoral Dealignment in Europe. *Acta Politica*, 53(1): 1–23.
35. Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2018). A Spiral of Distrust. A Panel Study on the Relation between Political Distrust and Protest Voting in Belgium. *Government & Opposition*, 53(1): 104–130. DOI: 10.1017/gov.2016.18
34. Meeusen, C., Boonen, J. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2017). The Structure of Prejudice and its Relation to Party Preferences in Belgium: Flanders and Wallonia Compared. *Psychologica Belgica*, 57(3): 52–74.
33. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2017). The Noise of the Vote Recall Question. The Validity of the Vote Recall Question in Panel Studies in Belgium, Germany and the Netherlands. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, 29(2): 316–338. DOI: 10.1093/ijpor/edv051
32. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2017). Economic Indicators and Electoral Volatility: The Effect of the State of the Economy on Electoral Volatility, 1950–2013. *Comparative European Politics*, 15(6): 919–943. DOI: 10.1057/cep.2015.3
31. **Dassonneville, R.**, Lewis-Beck, M.S. & Mongrain, P. (2017). Forecasting Dutch Elections. An Initial Model from the March 2017 Legislative Contests. *Research & Politics*, 4(3). DOI : 10.1177/2053168017720023
30. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (2017). Do Electoral Rules have an Effect on Electoral Behaviour? An Impact Assessment. *West European Politics*, 40(3): 503–515.
29. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Miller, P. (2017). Compulsory Voting, Inequality, and Quality of the Vote: The Impact of Compulsory Voting on Accountability and Proximity Voting. *West European Politics*, 40(3): 621–644.
28. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2017). Voter Turnout Decline and Stratification. Quasi-Experimental and Comparative Evidence of a Growing Educational Gap. *Politics*, 37(2): 184–200.  
★ Winner of the 2017 [Politics prize](#) for the best article published in *Politics*.
27. **Dassonneville, R.** & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (2017). Rules, Institutions and the Economic Vote: Clarifying Clarity of Responsibility. *West European Politics*, 40(3): 621–644.
26. Dejaeghere, Y. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2017). A Comparative Investigation into the Effects of Party-System Variables on Party Switching using Individual-Level Data. *Party Politics*, 23(2): 110–123.
25. Miller, P. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2016). High Turnout in the Low Countries: Partisan Effects of the Abolition of Compulsory Voting. *Electoral Studies*, 44: 132–143. DOI: 10.1016/j.electstud.2016.07.009

24. **Dassonneville, R.** (2016). Volatile Voters, Short-Term Choices? An Analysis of the Vote Choice Determinants of Stable and Volatile Voters in Great Britain. *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties*, 26(3): 273-292.
23. **Dassonneville, R.**, Claes, E. & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (2016). Punishing Local Incumbents for the Local Economy. Economic Voting in the 2012 Belgian Municipal Elections. *Italian Political Science Review*, 46(1): 3-22.
22. Marien, S., **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2015). How Second Order are Local Elections? Voting Motives and Party Preferences in Belgian Municipal Elections. *Local Government Studies*, 41(6): 898-916.
21. Lewis-Beck, M.S. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2015). Comparative Election Forecasting: Further Insights from Synthetic Models. *Electoral Studies*, 39(3): 275-283.
20. **Dassonneville, R.**, Blais, A. & Dejaeghere, Y. (2015). Staying with the Party, Switching or Exiting? A Comparative Analysis of Determinants of Party Switching and Abstaining. *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties*, 25(3), 387-405.
19. Hooghe, M., **Dassonneville, R.** & Marien, S. (2015). The Impact of Education on the Development of Political Trust. Results from a Five Year Panel Study among Late Adolescents and Young Adults in Belgium. *Political Studies*, 63(1), 123-141.
18. Lewis-Beck, M.S. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2015). Forecasting Elections in Europe: Synthetic Models. *Research and Politics*, 2(1). DOI: 10.1177/2053168014565128
17. **Dassonneville, R.** (2014). Political Sophistication and Vote Intention Switching. The Timing of Electoral Volatility in the 2009 German Election Campaign. *German Politics*, 23(3), 174-195.
16. **Dassonneville, R.** & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (2014). The Economic Voter and Economic Crisis. *Acta Politica*, 49(4), 369-371.
15. **Dassonneville, R.** & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (2014). Macroeconomics, Economic Crisis and Electoral Outcomes: A National European Pool. *Acta Politica*, 49(4), 372-394.
14. **Dassonneville, R.** & Dejaeghere, Y. (2014). Bridging the Ideological Space. A Cross-National Analysis of the Distance of Party Switching. *European Journal of Political Research*, 53(3), 580-599.
13. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Vanhoutte, B. (2014). Partisan Dealignment in Germany: A Rejoinder to Russell Dalton. *German Politics*, 23(1/2), 145-155.
12. **Dassonneville, R.** & Dejaeghere, Y. (2014). Onderzoek uitgelicht: De ideologische afstand tussen partijen. Een vergelijkende studie naar de overbrugde afstand bij partijwissels. *Res Publica: Tijdschrift voor Politicologie*, 56(3), 408-411.
11. Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2014). Party Members as an Electoral Linking Mechanism. An Election Forecasting Model for Political Parties in Belgium, 1981-2010. *Party Politics*, 20(3), 368-380.
10. **Dassonneville, R.** & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (2013). Economic Policy Voting and Incumbency: Unemployment in Western Europe. *Political Science Research and Methods*, 1(1), 53-66.

9. **Dassonneville, R.** (2013). Questioning Generational Replacement. An Age, Period and Cohort Analysis of Electoral Volatility in the Netherlands, 1971–2010. *Electoral Studies*, 32(1), 37–47.
8. Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2013). Voters and Candidates of the Future. The Intention for Electoral Participation among Adolescents in 22 European Countries. *Young: the Nordic Journal of Youth Research*, 21(1), 1–28.
7. **Dassonneville, R.** (2012). Electoral Volatility, Political Sophistication, Trust and Efficacy: A Study on Changes in Voter Preferences during the Belgian Regional Elections of 2009. *Acta Politica*, 47(1), 18–41.
6. **Dassonneville, R.**, Quintelier, E., Hooghe, M. & Claes, E. (2012). The Relation between Civic Education and Political Attitudes and Behavior: A Two-Year Panel Study among Belgian Late Adolescents. *Applied Developmental Science*, 16(3), 140–150.
5. **Dassonneville, R.** (2012). Ontzuiling van kiesgedrag. Een proces van generationele vervanging gedreven door cognitieve mobilisatie? Een age-period-cohort analyse van stemmen voor CDA en PvdA in Nederland, 1971–2010. *Res Publica: Tijdschrift voor Politicologie*, 54(3), 333–360.
4. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Vanhoutte, B. (2012). Age, Period and Cohort Effects in the Decline of Party Identification in Germany. An Analysis of a Two Decade Panel Study in Germany (1992–2009). *German Politics*, 21(2), 209–227.
3. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2012). Election Forecasting under Opaque Conditions. A Model for Francophone Belgium, 1981–2010. *International Journal of Forecasting*, 28(4), 777–788.
2. Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2011). The Effects of Civic Education on Political Knowledge. A Two Year Panel Survey among Belgian Adolescents. *Educational Assessment, Evaluation and Accountability*, 23(4), 321–339.
1. **Dassonneville, R.** (2010). Negatieve verkiezingscampagnes en de gevolgen op kiesintenties. De Vlaamse regionale verkiezingen van juni 2009. *Res Publica: Tijdschrift voor Politicologie*, 52(3), 353–372.

## Other journals

5. Deschouwer, K., Baudewyns, P., **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M., Pilet, J.-B., Rihoux, B. & Walgrave, S. (2015). Gechochel met 'dode zielen'? *Samenleving en Politiek*, 22(2), 76–80.
4. **Dassonneville, R.** & Baudewyns, P. (2014). Transferts de voix, flux électoraux et électeurs mobiles. *Courrier hebdomadaire du CRISP*, nr. 2225, 9–19.
3. **Dassonneville, R.** & Baudewyns, P. (2014). Volatiliteit: veel beweging, geen aardverschuiving. *Samenleving en Politiek*, 21(9), 5–16.
2. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2013). Waar komen de lokale N-VA kiezers vandaan? *Samenleving en Politiek*, 20(1), 65–75.

1. Quintelier, E., Verhelst, J. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2011). Hoe 'traditioneel' zijn socialistische kiezers? *Samenleving en Politiek*, 18(8), 32-39.

## Edited books

2. Pilet, J.-B., **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Marien, S. (Eds.) (2014). *L'électeur local. Le comportement électoral au scrutin communal de 2012*. Bruxelles: Editions de l'Université de Bruxelles.

1. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M., Marien, S. & Pilet, J.-B. (Eds.) (2013). *De lokale kiezer: Het kiesgedrag bij de Belgische gemeenteraadsverkiezingen van oktober 2012*. Brussel: ASP.

## Book chapters

19. **Dassonneville, R.** (2018). La montée du populisme est-elle réelle? In: *La politique en questions*. Montréal: Presses de l'Université de Montréal.

18. **Dassonneville, R.** (2018). Accountability and Responsiveness at the Municipal Level – Limitations and opportunities. In: S. Breux and J. Coutûre (eds.) *Do Responsiveness and Accountability Matter at the Municipal Level?* Montréal: McGill-Queen's University Press.

17. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Debus, M. (2017). Economic Voting in a Federal Country: Overcoming the Limited Clarity of Responsibility. In: K. Deschouwer (ed.) *Mind the Gap: Political Participation and Representation in Belgium*. London: Rowman & Littlefield International.

16. **Dassonneville, R.**, Baudewyns, P., Debus, M. & Schmitt-Beck, R. (2017). The Time of the Vote Choice in Belgium. Causes and Consequences of Late Deciding. In: K. Deschouwer (ed.) *Mind the Gap: Political Participation and Representation in Belgium*. London: Rowman & Littlefield International.

15. **Dassonneville, R.** (2017). Economics and Political Behavior. In: F. Moghaddam (Ed.). *SAGE Encyclopedia of Political Behavior*. Thousand Oaks: Sage Publications.

14. **Dassonneville, R.** (2017). Age and Voting. In: Arzheimer, K., Evans, J. & Lewis-Beck, M.S. (Eds.), *The Handbook of Electoral Behavior*. Thousand Oaks: Sage Publications (pp. 137-158).

13. **Dassonneville, R.**, Baudewyns, P. & Willocq, S. (2015). La volatilité électorale. In: Deschouwer, K. et al. (Eds.), *Décrypter l'électeur. Le comportement électoral et les motivations du vote*. Lannoo Campus: Tielt (pp. 42-57).

12. **Dassonneville, R.**, Baudewyns, P. & Willocq, S. (2015). Personalisering en electorale volatiliteit. In: Deschouwer, K. et al. (Eds.), *De kiezer ontcijferd*. Lannoo Campus: Tielt (pp. 41-56).

11. **Dassonneville, R.** & Baudewyns, P. (2014). Volatility: Much Movement but no Earthquake. In: Vermeersch, W. (Ed.), *Behind the Landslide Elections of May 2014* (pp. 5-15). Ghent: Stichting Gerrit Kreveld.

10. Marien S., Hooghe M., **Dassonneville R.** (2014). Préférences locales et préférences nationales. Une analyse de l'écart potentiel entre le vote aux communales et le vote aux élections fédérales. In: Pilet J., Dassonneville R., Hooghe M., Marien S. (Eds.), *L'électeur local. Le comportement électoral au scrutin communal de 2012*, Chapt. 3, (pp. 51-67). Brussels: Editions de l'Université de Bruxelles.

9. **Dassonneville R.**, Hooghe M., Marien S. (2014). Loyauté partisane et volatilité lors des élections locales. In: Pilet J., Dassonneville R., Hooghe M., Marien S. (Eds.), *L'électeur local. Le comportement électoral au scrutin communal de 2012*, Chapt. 2, (pp. 27-49). Brussels: Editions de l'Université de Bruxelles.
8. Pilet J., **Dassonneville R.**, Hooghe M., Marien S. (2014). Les élections communales du 14 octobre 2012. Tendances générales. In: Pilet J., Dassonneville R., Hooghe M., Marien S. (Eds.), *L'électeur local. Le comportement électoral au scrutin communal de 2012*, Chapt. 1, (pp. 7-26). Brussels: Editions de l'Université de Bruxelles.
7. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M., Marien, S. & Pilet, J. (2013). De gemeenteraadsverkiezingen van 14 oktober 2012. Algemene tendensen. In: Dassonneville R. et. al. (Eds.), *De lokale kiezer: Het kiesgedrag bij de Belgische gemeenteraadsverkiezingen van 2012*, Chapt 1 (pp. 9-33). Brussel: ASP.
6. **Dassonneville, R.**, Hooghe, M. & Marien, S. (2013). Partijtrouw en volatiliteit in lokale verkiezingen. In: Dassonneville R. et. al. (Eds.), *De lokale kiezer: Het kiesgedrag bij de Belgische gemeenteraadsverkiezingen van 2012*, Chapt 2 (pp. 35-66). Brussel: ASP.
5. Marien, S., Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2013). Het belang van lokale argumenten en loyaliteiten: Het verschil tussen federale en lokale stemvoorkeuren. In: Dassonneville R. et. al. (Eds.), *De lokale kiezer: Het kiesgedrag bij de Belgische gemeenteraadsverkiezingen van 2012*, Chapt 3 (pp. 67-91). Brussel: ASP.
4. **Dassonneville, R.** & Hooghe, M. (2013). Determinants of Electoral Volatility. Where did the N-VA find its Local Support? In: Vermeersch, W. (Ed.), *As Ever, In Between Elections* (pp. 19-26). Gent: Stichting Gerrit Kreveld.
3. Quintelier, E., **Dassonneville, R.** & Claes, E. (2012). De invloed van burgerschapsopvoeding op school op politieke houdingen. In: Hooghe, M. (Ed.), *Jongeren, politiek en burgerschap. Politieke socialisatie bij Belgische jongeren*, Chapt 1 (pp. 21-33). Leuven: Acco.
2. Hooghe, M. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2012). De invloed van lessen over politiek op politieke kennis bij jongeren. In: Hooghe, M. (Ed.), *Jongeren, politiek en burgerschap. Politieke socialisatie bij Belgische jongeren*, Chapt 6 (pp. 95-109). Leuven: Acco.
1. Quintelier, E., Verhelst, J. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2011). How Traditional is the Flemish and Walloon Socialist Electorate? In: Vermeersch, W. (Ed.), *Belgian Society and Politics 2011 - The Left amidst a Nationalist Surge* (pp. 102-110). Gent: Stichting Gerrit Kreveld.

## Datasets

5. **Dassonneville, R.** (2015). *Net Volatility in Western Europe: 1950-2014* [Dataset]. Leuven: Centre for Citizenship and Democracy. Available at <http://soc.kuleuven.be/web/staticpage/11/95/eng/1197>
4. **Dassonneville, R.**, Falk Pedersen, E., Grieb, A. & Hooghe, M. (2014). *Belgian Elections of May 25, 2014: Leuven Exit Poll* [Dataset]. Leuven: Centre for Citizenship and Democracy.
3. **Dassonneville, R.**, Falk Pedersen, E., Grieb, A. & Hooghe, M. (2014). *Belgian Election Panel 2009-2014* [Dataset]. Leuven: Centre for Citizenship and Democracy.
2. **Dassonneville, R.**, Marien, S. & Hooghe, M. (2012). *PartiRep Exit Poll 2012* [Dataset]. Leuven: Centre for Citizenship and Democracy.



1. Hooghe, M., Havermans, N., Quintelier, E. & **Dassonneville, R.** (2011). *Belgian Political Panel Survey (BPPS), 2006–2011* [Dataset]. Leuven: Centre for Citizenship and Democracy.

## Grants

- CRSH Développement Savoir. Two year grant for the project 'Elections as a Linkage Mechanism between Public Opinion and Policy Outcomes: A Comparative Longitudinal Analysis', 44 370 CAN\$, 2017–2019.
- Concours UdeM–CRSH, 'Prédire le vote : Une étude de cas de la Grande-Bretagne' (P.I.: Claire Durand), 4 950 CAN\$, 2017.
- Research Project Grant of the Research Foundation Flanders (P.I.: Marc Hooghe) for a project on Accountability in Belgian Elections, €284 400, 2017–2021.
- CSDC Workshop funding for the organization of the workshop 'Voters Adrift. Consequences of Electoral Dealignment in Representative Democracies, 2 000 CAN\$, 2016.
- Canada Research Chair in Electoral Democracy, (Tier 2). Five year grant to finance scientific research and MA and PhD students, 500 000 CAN\$, 2016–2021.
- FRQSC Établissement de nouveaux professeurs–chercheurs. Three year grant to investigate 'Electoral behaviour in a context of dealignment', 49 994 CAN\$, 2016–2019 .
- FWO PhD Research Fellowship, 4 year full time grant, €152 000, 2011–2015.
- FWO Grant for participation in an international conference (APSA), €1 253, 2014.
- FWO Travel Grant for a long stay abroad (Université de Montréal), €9 966, 2013.
- EPOP conference, graduate student bursary, £100, 2012.
- True European Voter conference grant, Cost Action ISO0806, €250, 2011.

## Awards

- Winner of the Marian Irish Award for the Best Paper on Women and Politics presented at the 2018 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Meeting, for 'Gender Gap in Voter Turnout: Longitudinal Analysis of European Parliament Elections' (with Filip Kostelka)
- Winner of the Politics Prize for the best paper published in the journal *Politics* in 2017, for 'Voter turnout decline and stratification: Quasi-experimental and comparative evidence of a growing educational gap' (with Marc Hooghe).
- Shortlisted for the ECPR Jean Blondel Prize for the best dissertation in political science, 2016.
- (Co-)winner of the *Jaarprijs politicologie* for the best political science dissertation in Belgium and the Netherlands, 2016.
- ECPR Party Politics Award for the best student paper presented at the ECPR Summer School on Political Parties in Modern Democracies (Peter Mair Prize), 2012.

## Teaching experience

### Université de Montréal

POL6002, Les élections, Graduate course , Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Winter 2018.

POL2005/POL3015, Les élections, Undergraduate course, Winter 2016, Winter 2017, Fall 2017, Fall 2018.

### Winter School on Elections

Co-organizer of the Leuven-Montréal Winter School on Elections (with André Blais, Patrick Fournier, Marc Hooghe and Sofie Marien), 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018.

*Graduate student program supported by the ECPR standing Group on Public Opinion and Voting Behaviour in a Comparative Perspective, the Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship and ICPSR.*

### University of Leuven

Module of three lectures on local elections (in Political Sociology course), Fall 2013, 2014.

### PartiRep II PhD Training

Lecture on 'Datasources, references and managing your research project.'

## Conference presentations

Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Austin (2019); Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston (2018); Annual Meeting of the European Political Science Association, Vienna (2018); Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans (2018); Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco (2017); Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago (2017); Workshop on "The Responsible Party Model in Times of Dealignment", Leuven (2016); Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia (2016); Annual Conference of the European Political Science Association, Brussels (2016); Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, Calgary (2016), Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago (2016); Conference 'Comparative Perspectives on Electoral Behaviour', Rome (2015); European Consortium for Political Research - General Conference, Montréal (2015); European Consortium for Political Research - Joint Sessions of Workshops, Warsaw (2015); Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington DC (2014); Annual Conference of the European Political Science Association, Edinburgh (2014); Annual Conference of the Elections, Public Opinion and Parties Specialist Group, Edinburgh (2014); Belgian-Dutch Political Science Conference, Maastricht (2014); Citizens, Parties, and Electoral Contexts Pre-IPSA Workshop, Montréal (2014); World Congress of Political Science Conference, Montréal (2014); Conference on Methodological Innovations in the Study of Elections in Europe and Beyond, College Station (TX) (2014); General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research, Bordeaux (2013); Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association (2013); European Consortium for Political Research - Joint Sessions of Workshops, Mainz (2013); Annual Conference of the Elections, Public Opinion and Parties Specialist Group, Oxford (2012); Conference on Change in Political Attitudes: Panels and Experiments, Barcelona (2012); Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago (2012); Belgian-Dutch Political Science Conference, Amsterdam (2012); Conference

'What Happened to Incumbency Voting', Leuven (2012); Conference on Valence Politics and the Continuing Economic Crisis in Comparative Perspective, College Station (TX) (2012); Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Conference, Seattle (2011); European Conference on Comparative Electoral Research, Sofia (2011); General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research, Reykjavik (2011); Belgian-Dutch Political Science Conference, Amsterdam (2011); Belgian-Dutch Political Science Conference, Leuven (2010).

## Invited talks

- PSAC Lecture, Department of Government, Cornell University, United States. March 2019
- BIBU Tackling Biases and Bubbles in Participation, University of Helsinki, Finland. June 2018
- Institutions in Context Workshop  
North American Studies Program, University of Tampere, Finland. June 2018
- European Elections in Times of Crisis workshop,  
Munk School, University of Toronto, Canada. May 2018
- Centre for Citizenship and Democracy, University of Leuven, Leuven December 2017
- School of Politics and International Relations (SPIR) Seminar Series,  
Australian National University, Canberra May 2017
- American Election Recap Panel, Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship,  
McGill University, Montréal December 2016
- Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES), Mannheim June 2016
- 'Do Responsiveness and Accountability Matter at the Municipal Level',  
INRS Centre Urbanisation Culture Société, Montréal May 2015
- Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship Speaker Series, Montréal December 2015
- Behavioral Ethics Lab, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia November 2015

## Affiliations

- Member, Centre d'études et de recherches internationales (CERIUM), Montréal
- Member, Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (CSDC), Québec
- Member, American Political Science Association
- Member, Canadian Political Science Association
- Member, Southern Political Science Association
- Member, ECPR Standing Group on Public Opinion and Voting Behaviour in a Comparative Perspective
- Council member, APSA Forecasting Group
- Board member, ECPR Standing Group on Political Methodology

## Service to the discipline

### Service at conferences

- Section chair of the Political Behaviour/Sociology section at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Vancouver, 2019.
- Section chair of the 'Comparative Politics: Political Behavior' section at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Austin, 2019.
- Section co-chair of the 'Political Behavior, Parties and Elections' section at the EPSA Annual Meeting, Brussels, 2016.
- Chair of the panel 'Stability of Political Attitudes and Values' at the ECPR General Conference, Montréal, 2015.
- Co-organizer of session 'Accountability Without Parties? The Effects of Dealignment on Accountability in Decision-Making' at the ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshop, Warsaw, 2015.
- Co-organizer of session 'Dealigned Electorates – Short-Term Vote Choice Determinants' at the Dutch-Belgian Political Science Conference, Maastricht, 2014.
- Co-organizer of session 'Voting Behavior in the Low Countries' at the Belgian-Dutch Political Science Conference, Ghent, 2013
- Co-organizer of conference 'What Happened to Incumbency Voting?', Leuven, 2012.
- Co-organizer of session 'Voter Dealignment and Realignment' at the Dutch-Belgian Political Science Conference, Amsterdam, 2012.
- Co-organizer of session 'Electoral Volatility: Party Systems Adrift?' at the Dutch-Belgian Political Science Conference, Amsterdam, 2011.
- Discussant at the APSA Annual Meeting (2016, 2017 and 2018), the ECPR General Conference (2015), the EPSA Annual Meeting (2014) and the MPSA Annual Conference (2012, 2013, 2016 and 2017). Discussant at the 2018 'Building Better Elections' pre-APSA workshop.

### Committee and jury memberships

- Committee member for the George H. Hallett Award of the Representation and Electoral Systems Section of the American Political Science Association, 2019.
- Jury member of the Book Prize in Comparative Politics of the Canadian Political Science Association, 2018.
- Committee member of APSA EPOVB Best Article award for the best article published in *Political Behavior* in 2017.
- Jury member of the 3-minute thesis competition at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, Calgary, 2016.

## Editorial board

- Electoral Studies 2018–
- European Journal of Political Research 2019–
- European Political Science Review 2018–
- French Politics (associate editor) 2018–
- Political Science Research and Methods 2019–

## Book and manuscript reviewer

Acta Politica; American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; British Journal of Political Science; Canadian Journal of Political Science/Revue canadienne de science politique; Communication Research; Comparative Political Studies; Czech Journal of Political Science; Electoral Studies; European Journal of Political Research; European Political Science Review; European Political Science; German Politics; International Journal of Communication; International Journal of Forecasting; Italian Journal of Applied Statistics; International Journal of Public Opinion Research; Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties; Journal of Politics; Oxford University Press; Palgrave Macmillan; Party Politics; PLOS One; Politics & Policy; Political Behavior; Political Communication; Political Research Quarterly; Political Studies; Political Science Research and Methods; Public Choice; Public Opinion Quarterly; Research & Politics; Res Publica; Revue internationale de politique comparée; Sage Handbook of Electoral Behaviour; Scandinavian Political Studies; Sociétés et politiques; Survey Research Methods; The International Journal of Press/Politics; Young.

★ See my [Publons profile](#) for more information on reviews.

## Other reviews

Reviewer for the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), the Research Foundation Flanders (FWO), the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) and the Swiss National Science Foundation.

## Computer software

Stata, SPSS, R, HLM

Microsoft Office software and  $\text{\LaTeX}$

## Languages

Dutch (native), English (advanced), French (advanced), German (notions)

Last update: March 18, 2019