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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS**

**University of São Paulo:** Postdoctoral researcher, 2017-2019.

- Institute of International Relations (IRI)
- Supervisor: Professor Amâncio Oliveira
- Project: Measuring attitudes about Venezuelan refugees in Roraima
- Financed by CAPES, Brazilian federal research organization

**University of Brasília:** Junior Collaborating Researcher, 2014-2017

- Political Behavior and Public Opinion (COMPOP)
- Supervisor: Professor Mathieu Turgeon

**EDUCATION**

**University of Texas at Austin,** Ph.D., Government, 2016

- Dissertation: Explaining Resilience in Clientelist Voting
- Dissertation Committee: Robert C. Luskin (supervisor), Zachary Elkins, Robert Wilson, Michael Findley, Henry Dietz
- Passed Preliminary Examinations in Comparative Politics (Winter 2013) and Methodology (Summer 2013)

**University of Texas at Austin,** M.A., 2012

- M.A. Thesis: “The Decline of Traditional Clientelist Parties: The Case of the *Partido da Frente Liberal* in Brazil”

**Kenyon College,** B.A. (Magna Cum Laude with High Honors), 2010

- Senior Honors thesis: “Soul-Searching in South America: Political Learning in Chile during the Age of Pinochet”

**London School of Economics,** General Course student, 2008-2009

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- Comparative political behavior, political clientelism, mass politics, comparative party systems, Latin American politics, Brazilian politics, social science methodology.

**REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES**

- “Presidential Coattails and Electoral Coordination in Multilevel Elections: Comparative Lessons from Brazil.” *Electoral Studies* 43 (2016); 104-114 (with André Borges).

**WORKING PAPERS**

- Measuring Vote Buying through Polling Error (with Mathieu Turgeon, currently under review).
- Preaching to the Choir: The Effect of Debates on Vote Choice (with André Bello and Lúcio Rennó).
- The Diffusion of Accountability among Municipal Governments in Brazil (with Denilson Bandeira Coêlho and Lincoln Telhado).
- “Seu Petralha! Seu Coxinha!” Measuring Affective Polarization in Brazil. (with Alessandro Freire and Mathieu Turgeon).

- Malapportionment in the Representation of the Chamber of Deputies: An Analysis of the Effects on Brazil's Party System (with Pedro Cavalcante and Mathieu Turgeon).
- Explaining Resilience in Clientelist Voting: A Cross-National Analysis (with Mathieu Turgeon).
- Measuring Political Knowledge in Cross-National Contexts: Enhancing Comparability between Different Political Information Structures (with Mathieu Turgeon).

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- ["Brazil is unpredictable right now. Here are 3 possible scenarios for incoming president Jair Bolsonaro."](#) *The Washington Post: The Monkey Cage*. 7 November 2018.
- ["Brazil: the Supreme Electoral Court wiped out voters' registrations."](#) *GLOBALCIT: Global Governance Programme*. 30 October 2018.
- ["Pollin' ain't easy: why did Brazilian pollsters go so badly astray in 2018?"](#) *Vox: Mischiefs of Faction*. 26 October 2018
- ["Top Pentecostal leaders supporters the far right in Brazil's presidential campaign."](#) *Vox: Mischiefs of Faction*. 8 October 2018 (with Amy Erica Smith).
- ["Debates cristalizam preferências e ajudam na escolha de indecisos"](#) (Debates crystallize preferences and help undecided voters choose). *Folha de São Paulo*. 6 August 2018 (with Lúcio Rennó and André Bello).
- ["Brazil votes on Sunday for the first time since Rousseff was ousted. What will happen to her party?"](#) *The Washington Post: The Monkey Cage*. 30 September 2016 (with Fernando Meireles).
- ["How the Brazilian electoral system led the nation into the current political mess."](#) *The Washington Post: The Monkey Cage*. 25 May 2016 (with Carlos Oliveira).
- ["Will Brazil impeach its president? Here's a handy guide to the process and politics in play."](#) *The Washington Post: The Monkey Cage*. 31 March 2016 (with Calla Hummel).

## CONFERENCE PAPERS

- Do reductions in poverty lead to decreases in clientelist voting? Rethinking the association of poverty with clientelism. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA). Boston, MA, August 30, 2018 (with Mariana Borges).
- Preaching to the Choir: The Effect of Debates on Voter Intentions. Presented at the meeting of the *Associação Brasileira de Ciência Política* (ABCP), Curitiba, PR, Brazil, August 3, 2018 (with André Bello and Lúcio Rennó).
- The Diffusion of Accountability among Municipal Governments in Brazil. Presented at the meeting of the *Associação Brasileira de Ciência Política* (ABCP), Curitiba, PR, Brazil, August 2, 2018 (with Denilson Bandeira Coêlho and Lincoln Telhado).
- "Seu Petralha! Seu Coxinha!" Measuring Affective Polarization in Brazil. Presented at the meeting of the Brazilian Studies Association (BRASA), Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil, 25 July 2018 (with Alessandro Freire and Mathieu Turgeon).
- Explaining Resilience in Clientelist Voting: A Cross-National Analysis. Presented at the meeting of the *Asociación Latinoamericana de Ciencia*

*Política* (ALACIP), Montevideo, Uruguay, 27 July 2017 (with Mathieu Turgeon).

- Measuring Political Knowledge in Cross-National Contexts: Enhancing Comparability between Different Political Information Structures. Presented at the meeting of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Lima, Peru, 1 May 2017 (with Mathieu Turgeon).
- Vote Buying, Undecided Voters and Their Effects on Polling Error in Brazil. Presented at the meeting of the *Associação Brasileira de Ciência Política* (ABCP), Belo Horizonte, MG, Brazil, August 31, 2016 (with Mathieu Turgeon and Wladimir Gramacho).
- It's the Boca de Urna, Stupid! Undecided Voters and the Difficulty of Polling in Brazil. Presented at the meeting of the *Associação Nacional de Pós-Graduação em Ciências Sociais* (ANPOCS), Caxambu, MG, Brazil, October 27, 2015 (with Mathieu Turgeon).
- Clientelist and Programmatic Voting in Brazil. Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2014.
- The Decline of a Traditional Clientelist Party: The Case of the Partido da Frente Liberal in Brazil. Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 14, 2013.

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Instructor, BRI0039, Opinião Pública e Política Externa (Public Opinion and Foreign Policy), University of São Paulo, 2018.
- Instructor-of-Record, Spanish and Portuguese Department, University of Texas at Austin, SPN 601D (Introductory Spanish), 2012-2014.
- Teaching Assistant, Government Department, University of Texas at Austin, GV 310L (American Government) and GV 312L (Issues and Policies in American Government), 2010-2012.

### **FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

- *Coordenação de Aperfeiçoamento de Pessoal de Nível Superior* (CAPES, a federal Brazilian research-support organization), 2017-19, R\$98,400 (approximately \$26,187 as of 31 July 2018)
- Boren Fellowship, 2014-2015 (\$21,000).
- University of Texas-Austin, Professional Development Award, 2013, 2014, 2015 (\$500).
- University of Texas-Austin, Grant to attend the Institute of Qualitative and Multi-Method Research at Syracuse University, 2015.
- University of Texas-Austin, Grant to attend the Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Science Research at the University of Michigan, 2013 (\$1,500).
- Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship in Portuguese, Summer 2011 (\$2,500).

### **INVITED TALKS**

- Using Polling Error to Measure Vote Buying. University of São Paulo. 20 March 2018.
- How to Do Mixed-Methods Research. University of Brasília. 29 November 2017.
- Clientelist Voting and Natural Experiments: The Case of PRAF-II. Federal University of Minas Gerais. 17 November 2017.

## **OTHER ONGOING PROJECTS**

- *O voto obrigatório no Brasil e seu impacto no comparecimento eleitoral* (The Compulsory Vote in Brazil and its Impact on Election Turnout). With Mathieu Turgeon, André Blais, Ednaldo Ribeiro, and Julián Borba. Financed by the *Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento Científico e Tecnológico* – (National Council of Technological and Scientific Development), R\$115,000 (\$30,567) from 2017-2020.
- *Eleições presidenciais, coordenação eleitoral e formação de coalizões em sistemas políticos multipartidários e multinível* (Presidential Elections, Electoral Coordination, and Coalition Formation in Multi-party and Multi-level Political Systems). With André Borges, Mathieu Turgeon, and Adrián Albala. Financed by the *Fundação de Apoio à Pesquisa do Distrito Federal* (Federal District's Foundation for Research Support), R\$60,000 (\$15,949) from 2016-2019.

## **CONSULTING WORK**

- Foreign Policy Analytics, *The Aging Readiness & Competitiveness Report* (Brazil research), 2017.

## **PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS**

- International Political Science Association-University of São Paulo Summer School in Concepts and Methods in Political Science and International Relations, 2016-18.
- Political Behavior and Public Opinion Workshop at the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, November 21-22, 2017.
- Political Behavior and Public Opinion Workshop at the Federal University of Minas Gerais, November 30-December 1, 2015.
- Institute of Qualitative and Multi-Method Research at Syracuse University, Summer 2015.
- Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research at the University of Michigan, Summer 2013.

## **PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATES**

- Advanced Certificate, Portuguese Language Proficiency Certification for Foreigners (CELPE-BRAS).

## **LANGUAGES**

- English (native), Portuguese (fluent), Spanish (fluent).

## **STATISTICAL SOFTWARE**

- STATA, SPSS, LaTeX (intermediate), R (basic), Python (basic).

## **REFERENCES**

Robert C. Luskin, Associate Professor, Department of Government, University of Texas-Austin

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