

Eighth Annual Conference of
The Australian Society for Quantitative Political Science

9-10 December 2019, John Medley Building, University of Melbourne

Day 1: Monday 9th December 2019

Time	Linkway Meeting Room (Level 4, John Medley Building)	Room 05 (Ground Level, West Tower, John Medley Building)
8:30 – 9:00	Registration and Coffee/Tea - Linkway Meeting Room	
9:00 - 10:30	<p><u>Panel A1</u> <i>Chair/Discussant: Andrea Carson</i></p> <p>Modelling Democratic Institutions</p> <p>Promise keeping: What do Opposition Voters Expect from a Government Party? Findings of a Cross-National Survey Experiment <i>Annika Werner (ANU)</i></p> <p>Democracy Thrives in Secret? Ballot Reform and Representation in the United States <i>Daniel J. Moskowitz (University of Chicago), Jon Rogowski (Harvard)</i></p> <p>Rethinking Democratic Indices in the Era of Democratic Erosion <i>Shawn Treier (ANU), Simon Jackman (US Studies Centre)</i></p>	<p><u>Panel A2</u> <i>Chair/Discussant: Matthew Bowes</i></p> <p>Political Conflict</p> <p>The Causes of Election Violence: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis <i>Richard Frank (ANU)</i></p> <p>Authoritarian Climb Down: Interstate conflict escalation and non-competitive authoritarianism <i>Benjamin Goldsmith (ANU)</i></p> <p>Does a Patron State’s Hardline Posture Reassure the Public in an Allied State? Evidence from a Natural Experiment <i>Takeshi Iida (Doshisha University), Yasuhiro Izumikawa (Chuo University), Masaki Hata (Kyoto Prefectural University), Tongfi Kim (Vesalius College)</i></p>
10:30 – 11:00	Morning Tea	
11:00 – 12:30	<p><u>Panel A3</u> <i>Chair/Discussant: Annika Werner</i></p> <p>The Politics of Gender</p> <p>Ambivalent Sexism and Support for Policies to Increase the Presence of Women in Politics <i>Katrine Beauregard (ANU), Jill Sheppard (ANU)</i></p> <p>Sexism and Attitudes toward Social Policies in Australia and the United States <i>Mirya Holman (Tulane), Katrine Beauregard</i></p>	<p><u>Panel A4</u> <i>Chair/Discussant: Ahlam Mustafa AbuKhoti</i></p> <p>International Conflict and War</p> <p>The Determinants of Victory in Modern War, 1816-2007 <i>Dongwook Kim (ANU), Soul Park (NUS)</i></p> <p>Predicting Diversionary Use of Force: Revisiting the Relationship Between Domestic Strife and Interstate Conflict</p>

	<p>(ANU), Jill Sheppard (ANU)</p> <p>Partisan Sorting and the Feminist Gap in American Politics <i>Leonie Huddy (Stony Brook), Johanna Willmann (Stony Brook)</i></p> <p>Political Interruptus: Understanding the authority gender gap in local politics <i>Andrea Carson (La Trobe), Leah Ruppner (University of Melbourne)</i></p>	<p>Lawrence Rogers (ANU)</p> <p>The Politics of Listing Terrorist Organizations <i>Chia-yi Lee (Nanyang Technological University), Yasutaka Tominaga (Hosei University)</i></p>
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 – 15:00	<p><u>Panel A5</u> <i>Chair/Discussant: Svitlana Chernykh</i></p> <p>Understanding Party Politics</p> <p>Prominence in parliament and the incumbency advantage in Australia (1901-2019) <i>Rohan Alexander (University of Toronto)</i></p> <p>Affective Polarization in the Canadian Party System 1988-2015 <i>Richard Johnston (University of British Columbia)</i></p>	<p><u>Panel A6</u> <i>Chair/Discussant: Richard Frank</i></p> <p>Political Trust and Institutional Legitimacy</p> <p>The effects of fiscal policy on trust in government: evidence from the global financial crisis <i>Matthew Bowes (ANU)</i></p> <p>What Makes Judicial Institutions Legitimate? Evidence from a US-Based Survey Experiment <i>Jana von Stein (ANU)</i></p> <p>Keep Your (Horse) Hair on? Experimental Evidence on the Effect of Exposure to Legitimizing Symbols on Diffuse Support for the High Court <i>Ingrid Nielsen (Monash), Zoe Robinson (ANU), Russell Smyth (Monash)</i></p>
15:00 – 15:30	Afternoon Tea	
15:30 – 16:45	<p><u>Keynote Address (Linkway Meeting Room):</u> Topic: Authoritarianism in US politics <i>Stanley Feldman (Stony Brook)</i></p>	

Conference Dinner: 6.00pm, Prince Alfred Carlton, 191 Grattan Street, Carlton.

Day 2: Tuesday 10th December 2019

Time	Linkway Meeting Room (Level 4, John Medley Building)	Room 05 (Ground Level, West Tower, John Medley Building)
9:00 - 10:30	<p><u>Panel B1</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Australian Election Study Panel 1</p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Shawn Treier</i></p> <p>Policies, leaders and disaffection in the 2019 Australian federal election <i>Sarah Cameron (University of Sydney), Ian McAllister (ANU)</i></p> <p>Does Legislation Affect Political Attitudes? The Impact of Same-Sex Marriage Recognition on Voter Attitudes Towards Marriage Equality <i>Feodor Snagovsky (ANU), Ian McAllister (ANU)</i></p> <p>Understanding Voter Preferences: What Ranked Voting Can Tell Us <i>Matthew Jones (University of Melbourne)</i></p>	<p><u>Panel B2</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Political Engagement and Mobilisation</p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Ferran Martinez Coma</i></p> <p>The Political Engagement of First Generation Arab Australian Immigrants on Social Media <i>Ahlam Mustafa AbuKhoti (University of Sydney)</i></p> <p>Down Again? Electoral Turnout and the Global Financial Crisis in OECD Democracies <i>Jack Vowles (Victoria University of Wellington), Tim Hellwig (Indiana University), Yesola Kwan (Utah State University)</i></p> <p>Electoral Uncertainty and Urban Mobilization <i>Svitlana Chernykh (ANU), Henry Thomson (Arizona State University)</i></p>
10:30 – 11:00	Morning Tea	
11:00 – 12:00	<p><u>Panel B3</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Australian Election Study Panel 2</p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Katrine Beauregard</i></p> <p>Sources of political distrust in Australia <i>Intifar Chowdhury (ANU), Emily Look (ANU), Medha Majumdar (ANU), Jill Sheppard (ANU)</i></p> <p>Smartvote Australia: collecting new candidate, party and voter data in Australia <i>Patrick Dumont (ANU)</i></p>	<p><u>Panel B4</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Group Identity and Voting Behaviour</p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Dongwook Kim</i></p> <p>Language, contact and cross-group trust in the former Yugoslavia <i>Michael Kumove (ANU)</i></p> <p>Using large-scale data over two decades to trace shifts in elite political framing of the same-sex marriage debate in Australia <i>Andrea Carson (La Trobe)</i></p>
12:00 – 14:00	<p>Lunch</p> <p>Including special panel on Pollsters and the 2019 Australian Federal Election with <i>Campbell White (YouGov) & Peter Lewis (Essential Media)</i>, Chair: <i>Aaron Martin (University of Melbourne)</i>,</p>	

13.00-14.00 Linkway Meeting Room (Level 4, John Medley Building)			
14:00 – 15:30	<p><u>Panel B5</u></p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Jack Vowles</i></p> <p>Getting Turnout Right <i>Ferran Martinez Coma (Griffith)</i></p> <p>For Club or Country? An Experiment Testing Group Identity Using Football Supporter Data <i>Daniel Rubenson (Ryerson)</i></p> <p>Measuring and Explaining the Dimensionality of Party ‘Left-Right’ Perceptions <i>Royce Carroll (University of Essex), Hiroki Kubo (Meiji Gakuin University)</i></p>	<p>Group Behaviour</p>	<p><u>Panel B6</u></p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Matthew Jones</i></p> <p>Beyond belief: cross-country variation in three dimensions of public opinion on climate change <i>Sam Crawley (Victoria University of Wellington)</i></p> <p>Parched and Impatient: how drought shapes political preferences <i>Hannah Melville-Rea (NYU)</i></p> <p>Borderless Blame: Climate Change and Political Responsibility Attribution <i>Quynh Nguyen (ANU)</i></p> <p>Climate change and Weather</p>
15:30 – 16:00	Afternoon Tea		
16:00 – 17:00	<p><u>Panel B7</u></p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Jill Sheppard</i></p> <p>Māori views of Government and Politics in the New Zealand Election Study since 1990 <i>Lara Greaves (University of Auckland)</i></p> <p>Gays Don't Vote Straight: how gender mediates sexuality's effect on attitudes and the vote in Australian politics <i>Luke Mansillo (University of Sydney)</i></p>	<p>Culture, Identity, and Political Attitudes</p>	<p><u>Panel B8</u></p> <p><i>Chair/Discussant: Benjamin Goldsmith</i></p> <p>Assessing China's Global Network of Partnerships: Does China Target U.S. Allies? <i>Wei-hao Huang (Institute of Political Science at Academia Sinica), Nien-chung Chang-Liao (Institute of Political Science at Academia Sinica)</i></p> <p>Decisive or Dictatorial? Strongman-Style Leadership and Democratic Attitudes <i>Annika Werner (ANU), Feodor Snagovsky (ANU)</i></p> <p>Democracy and Authoritarianism</p>
17:00 – 17:15	End of Conference – Closing Remarks: Linkway Meeting Room (Level 4, John Medley Building)		