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## **Education**

2020 - · · · · PhD in Politics, The University of Manchester.

Thesis title: Change and continuity: rethinking patterns of economic voting in Latin American

democracies.

2015 – 2016 **MSc Political Science,** University of Chile.

2008 – 2012 **BSc Sociology,** University of Chile.

## **Academic appointments**

2024 - · · · Lecturer in Politics. School of Social Sciences, The University of Manchester.

Course convener in Comparative Politics and Quantitative Methods courses in undergraduate and postgraduate programs. Leading evaluation of courses for the Quality, Standards,

Design and Enhancement Certification.

Director of the MA Political Science, European Politics & Policy Pathway.

Supervision of postgraduate and undergraduate dissertations.

2023 – 2024 **Research Associate.** School of Social Sciences, The University of Manchester.

MOBILISE Project: "Determinants of Mobilisation at Home and Abroad: Analysing the Micro-Foundations of Out-Migration and Mass Protest".

2023 **Visiting Scholar** Faculty of Government, University of Chile.

2018 – 2023 **Research Assistant.** Department of Social Work, The University of Manchester.

Development of online data collection platform and quantitative data analyst in "The READY Study: Recording Emerging Adulthood in Deaf Youth". Quantitative analysis and writing of

academic publications.

2013 – 2014 **Project Coordinator.** Pontifical Catholic University of Chile.

Design, implementation and general coordination of social intervention in primary schools

(FONDECYT 1085217).

2013 Undergraduate research assistant. School of Social Sciences, University of Chile.

Dissertation in research project "Social Justice and inequalities tolerance: Subjective analysis of social differentiation in a mature Neo-liberal regime" project" (FONDECYT 1130276).

## **Fellowships**

2023 **Associate Fellow** of the Higher Education Academy (AFHEA).

## **Publications**

## Peer-reviewed Journal Articles

F. Espinoza, A. Young, and C. Dodds, "Political participation among Deaf youth in Great Britain," *PLoS One*, 2024. **6** DOI: 10.1371/journal.pone.0301053.

S. Peña, F. Espinoza, and P. Sierralta, "Implementing intersectoral alcohol policies at the local level in Santiago, 2014-2017," *International Journal of Alcohol and Drug Research*, 2024. **9** DOI: 10.7895/ijadr.457.

- H. Chilton, G. Squires, F. Espinoza, A. Young, and C. Dodds, "Career aspirations of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Young People: Findings from the READY Study," *Deafness & Education International*, 2025, (forthcoming).
- A. Young, F. Espinoza, C. Dodds, et al., "Introducing the READY Study: DHH Young people's Well-Being and Self-Determination," *The Journal of Deaf Studies and Deaf Education*, vol. 28, no. 3, pp. 267–279, 2023. ODI: 10.1093/deafed/enad002.
- A. Young, S. Vicary, R. Tipton, *et al.*, "Mental health professionals' (AMHPs) perspectives on Interpreter-Mediated Mental Health Act Assessments," *Journal of Social Work*, vol. 24, no. 2, pp. 219–239, 2023. ODI: 10.1177/14680173231197987.
- A. Young, F. Espinoza, C. Dodds, K. Rogers, and R. Giacoppo, "Adapting an Online Survey Platform to Permit Translanguaging," *Field Methods*, vol. 33, no. 4, pp. 388–404, 2021. ODI: 10.1177/1525822X21993966.

## Reports

- F. Espinoza and P. Cubillos Celis, "Hacia una cartografía de partidos de izquierdas en América Latina: Dimensiones de convergencia y diferenciación," [Towards a cartography of left parties in Latin America: Dimensions of convergence and differentiation], Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, 2023. URL: https://library.fes.de/pdf-files/bueros/chile/20748.pdf.
- A. Young, C. Dodds, F. Espinoza, K. Rogers, H. Chilton, and G. Squires, "The READY Study: Final Summary Report," National Deaf Children Society, 2023. @ URL: https://www.ndcs.org.uk/media/9231/e0216-ready-final-report-v3-final-web.pdf.

#### **Books**

Municipality of Santiago, 100 preguntas sobre sexualidad adolescente [100 Questions on Adolescent Sexuality]. Municipality of Santiago, 2016, (Editor), ISBN: 978-956-7751-13-6. URL: https://www.bpdigital.cl/info/00030310.

### Book chapters and proceedings

- F. Espinoza, "Discursos meritocráticos: Significados y valoraciones diferenciadas en Chile contemporáneo," in *Chilean Congress of Sociology*, 2014, ISBN: 978-956-330-048-2.
- F. Espinoza and K. Lehmann, "Izquierdas Latinoamericanas. Análisis comparado de gobiernos de coalición," in *Anuario de Investigación Estudiantil.* 2012, pp. 104–120, ISBN: 0718-7076.

### **Working papers**

- F. Espinoza, "Gender biases in the evaluation of economic performance: A comparative study," Prospective Journal: Comparative Political Studies.
- F. Espinoza, "Economic voting in unequal contexts: A comparative analysis of across sixteen Latin American democracies," Prospective Journal: Journal of Latin American Studies.
- F. Espinoza, "The gender gap on the economic voting: A study of retrospective sociotropic evaluations in Latin America," Prospective Journal: Politics & Gender.
- F. Espinoza and C. Iturriaga, "Use of translanguaging in online administered surveys," Prospective Journal: Social Science Research.
- F. Espinoza and E. Andahur, "Success of citizens' initiatives during the constitutional replacement process in chile 2022," Prospective Journal: Parliamentary Affairs.

S. Peña, C. Cuadrado, A. E. Rivera-Aguirre, *et al.*, "Polimap: A Taxonomy Proposal for Mapping and Understanding the Global Policy Response to COVID-19." **O** DOI: 10.31219/osf.io/h6mvs.

#### **Datasets**

- F. Espinoza, Membership in progressive and left-wing associations in Latin America, 2024. DOI: 10.48420/25127747.
- O. Onuch, D. Doyle, E. Ersanilli, et al., MOBILISE: National Representative Panel and Protest Surveys, 2019-2022. (2024). Ø DOI: 10.5255/UKDA-SN-856910.
- A. Young, H. Chilton, F. Espinoza, et al., The READY Study Datasets and documentation, 2022. ODOI: 10.48420/19566031.

## **Teaching and Learning**

#### Lecturer

2024 - · · · · POLI60341 Tools and Techniques of Applied Quantitative Analysis. Course convener, MA course, 15 Credits. The University of Manchester.

POLI21012 Southern European Politics. Course convener, UG Year 2 course, 20 Credits. The University of Manchester.

POLI60312 Research Design and Skills. Seminar leader, MA course, 15 Credits. The University of Manchester.

SOCS10121 Issues in PPE. UG Year 1 course, 20 Credits. The University of Manchester.

## **Teaching Assistant**

| 2021 - 2023 | POLI60341 Tools and Techniques of Applied Quantitative Analysis. MA course. The Univer- |
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|             | sity of Manchester.   |

2023 POLI20311 Politics by Numbers. The University of Manchester.

POLI10202 Introduction to Comparative Politics. The University of Manchester.

SOC-EESRU-1 Rural Sociology and Anthropology I. University of Chile.

SOC-EESRU-2 Rural Sociology and Anthropology II. University of Chile.

2009 – 2010 SOC-HC-1 Contemporary Social History. University of Chile.

## **Conferences and Presentations**

#### **Academic Conferences**

- 2025 Latin American Studies Association
- 2023 Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, UACES Graduate Forum.
- 2022 European Political Science Association.
- European Society for Mental Health and Deafness.
- 2020 Methods at Manchester, British Society for Mental Health and Deafness.
- 2016 Chilean Public Health Conference, Chilean National Congress on Adolescence.
- 2014 Chilean Sociology National Association.

#### **Invitations**

2024 Comparative Politics Research Seminar, The University of Manchester.

Seminar "Gender, Parliaments and Parties", Royal Holloway University of London.

## **Conferences and Presentations (continued)**

Faculty of Government, University of Chile.

# Relevant highlights

## **Academic Service and Leadership**

| 2024 - · · · · | <b>MA Politics - European Politics and Policy Pathway Director</b> . Department of Politics, The University of Manchester. Responsibilities include academic advising, attending the Exams board, and MA Political Science redesign. |
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| 2022 – 2024    | <b>Co-Chair of the Comparative Politics Research Cluster</b> . Department of Politics, The University of Manchester.   |
| 2024           | <b>Organisation of Latin American Studies Workshop</b> , Social Sciences PGRs and University of Chile, The University of Manchester.   |
| 2022           | UK-based Chilean Scholars Conference Organisation. Manchester, UK.   |

**PGR Conference Organisation**. Department of Politics, The University of Manchester.

## **Awards and Achievements**

2021

| 2024        | <b>Volunteer of the Year 2024</b> , The University of Manchester, as chair of The Chilean Society.                                       |
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| 2023        | Open Research Framework (PI), The University of Manchester. £2,000.  |
| 2022 – 2023 | <b>Funding from Global Doctoral Network and Students' Union</b> , as Chair of The Chilean Society, The University of Manchester. £1,000. |
|             | Fieldwork and conferences funding, The University of Manchester. £5,000.   |
| 2020 - 2024 | Full PhD Scholarship, National Research and Development Agency, Chile. £160,000.   |
| 2016        | <b>Bloomberg Philanthropies' Mayors Challenge</b> , Project Development team at the Municipality of Santiago. USD \$1,000,000.           |
| 2015 – 2016 | Master's Degree Scholarship, CONICYT, Chile. £15,000.  |
| 2008 – 2012 | Undergraduate Scholarship, Ministry of Education, Chile.   |

## Languages

Spanish Native, CEFR C2.

**English** Full professional proficiency, CEFR C1.

# Non-academic positions

| 2012 - · · · · | Methodological Consultant and Analyst. Academic projects, government, and international organisations.  Experience in empirical analysis and report writing for government, academia, and international institutions.     |
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| 2015 – 2017    | <b>Professional.</b> Municipality of Santiago, Chile.  Design, implementation and evaluation of evidence-based innovative social policies. Planning and development of a quality improvement plan for healthcare centres. |
| 2012           | Internship. United Nations Development Program, Santiago, Chile.  |