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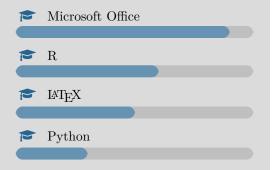
## About Me -

After a three-year long hiatus working for the EU and in consulting, I am back in academia. As a multilingual PhD candidate in the social sciences, my research focuses on European labour markets, comparative political economy and quantitative policy analysis.

## Languages



## IT Competencies -



## Professional Experience

2019-	Humboldt University of Berlin and Hertie School Berlin
2019-	Fully funded doctoral researcher in the DYNAMICS programme (Social Sciences dept.) with a focus on European comparative political economy and wage-setting.
2020-2021	Hertie School Berlin Teaching assistant in graduate courses in Economics and Statistics
2017 - 2019	Boston Consulting Group (BCG)  Analyst in the Financial Institutions Practice Area  Zurich/Frankfurt
2017	European Investment Bank Luxembourg Traineeship in the Corporate Credit Risk Division
2016 – 2017	<b>European Parliament</b> Brussels Traineeship in the Cabinet of the President of the European Parliament (M. Schulz)
2015	University of Oxford Research assistant to Dr. Angela Cummine (Dept. of Politics and International Relations) on a publication on sovereign wealth funds
2015	Royal Bank of Scotland (RBS)  Internship in Compliance and Risk Departments  London
2015	European Studies Centre, University of Oxford Student and research assistant Oxford
2014	UK Parliament, House of Commons Parliamentary assistant and research to John Pugh (MP)

### Education

#### Study

2014 - 2016	University of Oxford MPhil in European Politics, with a focus on EU politics a	Oxford and tax
	governance.	
2011 - 2014	King's College London	London
	BA in History, Graduated with a First Class with <i>Distinction</i>	n.

#### Graduate training

2020 University of Essex

University of Essex Summer School in Panel Data Analysis for Comparative Research

### **Publications**

Cova, Joshua (2022), 'Re-considering the drivers of country-specific recommendations: The Commission's ideological preferences on wage policies', European Union Politics, 24(3)

### **Awards and Certificates**

#### Awards

2019 CELTA - Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other

Languages

2014 Upper Intermediate French Language Exam DELF B2