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EMPLOYMENT

King's College London

Associate Professor in Department of Political Economy 2019–..
Assistant Professor in Department of Political Economy 2015–2019

Visiting Fellow in **Paris School of Economics**, 2019
Certificate in Teaching in Higher Education from the British Academy, 2018

Université de Montréal

Postdoctoral Fellow in Research Chair in Electoral Studies 2012–2015

EDUCATION

UCLouvain

PhD in Political Science 2013
MA in Political Science 2007
BA in Political and Social Sciences 2005

Visiting PhD Student in **European University Institute**, 2011
Postgraduate Certificate in Statistics, 2008
Erasmus Exchange Student in **Universitetet i Bergen**, 2006

PUBLICATIONS

See [Google Scholar](#) for Google citations
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Peer-reviewed articles

41. **Damien Bol** (2019). Putting Politics in the Lab: A Review of Lab Experiments in Political Science. *Government and Opposition* 54(1): 167–190.
40. **Damien Bol** and Marco Giani (2019). It's a (Coarsened Exact) Match! Non-Parametric Imputation of Abstainers' Vote. *Political Science Research and Methods*. First View.
39. **Damien Bol**, Kostas Matakos, Orestis Troumpounis, and Dimitrios Xefteris (2019). Electoral Rules, Strategic Entry, and Polarization. *Journal of Public Economics* 178(104065): 1–12.
38. **Damien Bol**, André Blais, Xavier Gillard, Lidia Nunez, and Jean-Benoit Pilet (2018). Voting and Satisfaction with Democracy in Flexible-List PR. *Electoral Studies* 56: 23–34.
37. **Damien Bol**, André Blais, and Simon Labbé St-Vincent (2018). Which Matters Most: Party Strategic Exit or Voter Strategic Voting? A Laboratory Experiment. *Political Science Research and Methods* 6(2): 229–244.
36. **Damien Bol**, André Blais, and Jean-François Laslier (2018). A Mixed-Utility Theory of Vote Choice Regret. *Public Choice* 176(3): 461–478.

35. Jean-François Daoust and **Damien Bol** (2018). Polarization, Partisan Preferences, and Strategic Voting. *Government and Opposition*. First View.
34. Mike Medeiros, **Damien Bol**, and Richard Nadeau (2018). Democratic Legitimacy or Regional Representation: Support for Upper Chamber Reform in Scotland and Quebec. *Parliamentary Affairs* 71(4): 738–759.
33. Camille Bedock, **Damien Bol**, and Thomas Ehrhard (2017). Political Scientists and Electoral Reforms in Europe and Canada: What They Know, What They Do. *Election Law Journal* 6(3): 335–340.
32. **Damien Bol**, Arnaud Dellis, and Mandar Oak (2017). Candidatures endogènes dans les élections pluralitaires : quelques explications du nombre de candidats et de leur polarisation. *L'Actualité Économique* 93(1-2): 141–171.
31. Sona Golder, Laura Stephenson, Karine Van der Straeten, André Blais, **Damien Bol**, Philipp Harfst, and Jean-François Laslier (2017). Votes for Women: Electoral Systems and Support for Female Candidates. *Politics & Gender* 13(1): 107–131.
30. Alexandre Morin-Chassé, **Damien Bol**, Laura Stephenson, and Simon Labbé St-Vincent (2017). How to Survey About Electoral Turnout? The Efficacy of the Face-Saving Response Items in Different Contexts. *Political Science Research and Methods* 5(3): 575–584.
29. Pedro Riera and **Damien Bol** (2017). Ticket-Splitting in Mixed-Member Systems: On the Importance of Seat Linkage Between Electoral Tiers. *West European Politics* 40(3): 584–597.
28. Tom Verthé, **Damien Bol**, Stefanie Beyens, and André Blais (2017). Making Votes Count in Parliament or Government? *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties* 17(4): 389–412.
27. **Damien Bol** (2016). Electoral Reform, Values and Party Self-interest. *Party Politics* 22(1): 93–104.
26. **Damien Bol**, Philipp Harfst, André Blais, Sona Golder, Jean-François Laslier, Laura Stephenson, and Karine Van der Straeten (2016). Addressing Europe's Democratic Deficit: An Experimental Evaluation of the Pan-European District Proposal. *European Union Politics* 17(4): 525–545.
25. Alrik Thiem, Michael Baumgartner, and **Damien Bol** (2016). Still Lost in Translation! A Correction of three Misunderstandings Between Configurational Comparativists and Regressional Analysts. *Comparative Political Studies* 49(6): 742–774.
24. **Damien Bol**, Jean-Benoit Pilet, and Pedro Riera (2015). The International Diffusion of Electoral Systems: The Spread of Mechanisms Tempering Proportional Representation across Europe. *European Journal of Political Research* 54(2): 384–410.
23. Jean-François Laslier, André Blais, **Damien Bol**, Sona Golder, Philipp Harfst, Laura Stephenson, and Karine Van der Straeten (2015). The EuroVotePlus Experiment. *European Union Politics* 16(4): 601–615.
22. Laurie Beaudonnet, André Blais, **Damien Bol**, and Martial Foucault (2014). The Impact of Election Outcomes on Satisfaction with Democracy under a Two-Round System. *French Politics* 12(1): 22–35.
21. **Damien Bol** (2014). De l'intérêt de la régression multi-niveau en politique comparée. *Revue Internationale de Politique Comparée* 21(2): 81–95.

20. **Damien Bol** and Francesca Luppi (2013). Confronting Theories Based on Necessary Relations: Making the Best of QCA Possibilities. *Political Research Quarterly* 66(1): 205–210.
19. Benoît Rihoux, Priscilla Alamos-Concha, **Damien Bol**, Axel Marx, and Ilona Rezsóhazy (2013). From Niche to Mainstream Method? A Comprehensive Mapping of QCA Applications in Journal Articles from 1984 to 2011. *Political Research Quarterly* 66(1): 175–184.
18. Jean-Benoît Pilet and **Damien Bol** (2011). Party Preferences and Electoral Reform: How Time in Government Affects the Likelihood of Supporting a Change. *West European Politics* 34(3): 568–586.
17. Benoît Rihoux, Patrick Dumont, Lieven Dewinter, Serge Deruette, and **Damien Bol** (2011). Belgium, 2010 Political Data Yearbook. *European Journal of Political Research* 51(7-8): 913–921.
16. Benoît Rihoux, Ilona Rezsóhazy, and **Damien Bol** (2011). Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) in Public Policy Analysis: An Extensive Review. *German Policy Studies* 7(3): 9–82.
15. Benoît Rihoux, Patrick Dumont, Lieven Dewinter, Serge Deruette, and **Damien Bol** (2010). Belgium, 2009 Political Data Yearbook. *European Journal of Political Research* 50(7-8): 899–908.
14. Benoît Rihoux, Patrick Dumont, Lieven Dewinter, Serge Deruette, and **Damien Bol** (2009). Belgium, 2008 Political Data Yearbook. *European Journal of Political Research* 49(7-8): 903–912.
13. Benoît Rihoux, Patrick Dumont, Lieven Dewinter, **Damien Bol**, and Serge Deruette (2008). Belgium, 2007 Political Data Yearbook. *European Journal of Political Research* 48(7-8): 917–928.

Book chapters

12. **Damien Bol** (2020). Experiments. In Jean-Frédéric Morin, Christian Olsson, and Ece Ozlem Atikcan (eds.) *Research Methods in the Social Sciences: A A-Z of Key Concepts*. Oxford University Press.
11. **Damien Bol** and Tom Verthé (2019). Strategic Voting Versus Sincere Voting. In David Redlawsk (ed.) *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Political Decision Making*. Oxford University Press.
10. Philipp Harfst, André Blais, and **Damien Bol** (2018). Voting Strategically in a Two-Vote Election. In John Aldrich, André Blais, and Laura Stephenson (eds.) *The Many Faces of Strategic Voting*. University of Michigan Press, pp. 225–255.
9. **Damien Bol**, André Blais, Jean-François Laslier, and Antonin Macé (2016). Electoral System and Number of Candidates: Candidate Entry under Plurality and Majority Runoff. In André Blais, Jean-François Laslier, and Karine Van der Straeten (eds.) *Voting Experiments*. Springer, pp. 303–321.
8. **Damien Bol**, Arnaud Dellis, and Mandar Oak (2016). Comparison of Voting Procedures Using Models of Electoral Competition with Endogenous Candidacy. In Maria Gallego and Norman J. Schofield (eds.) *The Political Economy of Social Choices*. Springer, pp. 21–54.
7. **Damien Bol**, Simon Labbé St-Vincent, and Jean-Michel Lavoie (2016). Recruiting for Laboratory Voting Experiments: Exploring the (Potential) Sampling Bias. In André Blais, Jean-François Laslier, and Karine Van der Straeten (eds.) *Voting Experiments*. Springer, pp. 271–286.
6. **Damien Bol** and Marian Bohl (2015). Negative Campaigning in Proportional Representation –Yet Non-coalition– Systems: Evidence from Switzerland. In Alessandro Nai and Annemarie Walter

(eds.) *New Perspectives on Negative Campaigning: Why Attack Politics Matters*. ECPR Press, pp. 113–125.

5. **Damien Bol** and Elisabeth Dupoirier (2015). André-Paul Frogner : un chercheur exigeant, un électoraliste pionnier. In Benoît Rihoux, Virginie Van Ingelgom, and Samuel Defacqz (eds.) *La légitimité de la science politique : construire une discipline au-delà des clivages*. Presses Universitaires de Louvain, pp. 41–50.

4. André-Paul Frogner and **Damien Bol** (2015). Modèles électoraux et vote en Wallonie : Plus de 20 ans d'analyse électorale. In Pierre Baudewyns (ed.) *Etre électeur en Wallonie*. Presses Universitaires de Louvain, pp. 15–36.

3. **Damien Bol** and Ferdinand Teuber (2013). L'adoption des étiquettes partisans. In Régis Dandoy, Jérémy Dodeigne, Geoffrey Matagne, and Min Reuchamps (eds.) *Les élections communales de 2012 en Wallonie*. Vanden Broele, pp. 47–58.

2. André-Paul Frogner, **Damien Bol**, and Marc Swyngedouw (2012). Une démocratie multipartisane. Flandre - Wallonie : 20 ans d'analyse des comportements électoraux. In Astrid Von Busekist (ed.) *Singulière Belgique*. Fayard, pp. 135–145 [Translated in Dutch in Astrid Von Busekist (ed.) *Belgie begrijpen*. De Bezige bij Antwerpen.]

1. Benoît Rihoux, Charles Ragin, Sakura Yamasaki, and **Damien Bol** (2009). Conclusions - The Way(s) Ahead. In Benoît Rihoux and Charles C. Ragin (eds.) *Configurational Comparative Methods: Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA) and Related Techniques*. Sage, pp. 167–177.

TEACHING

Courses

Comparing Political Systems, KCLondon, Undergraduate Year 1	2017–..
Elections and Voting Behavior, KCLondon, Undergraduate Year 3	2017–..
Statistics for Political Science II, KCLondon, Undergraduate Year 2	2016–..
Statistics for Political Science I, KCLondon, Undergraduate Year 1	2016
Comparative Political Institutions, UCLouvain, Graduate	2010–2011

PhD supervisions

Andrew Hunter, KCLondon	2018–..
Aurelia Nugroho, KCLondon	2016–..
Alban Versailles, UCLouvain (second supervisor)	2016–..

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS

Research grants (>5k)

(BE) Fonds National de la Recherche Scientifique (FNRS): Research Credit (€39k)	2019
(UK) KCLondon Faculty of Social Sciences and Public Policy: Research Methods Grant (£10k)	2019
(UK) British Academy/Leverhulme: Small Research Grant (£10k)	2017
(UK) KCLondon Faculty of Social Sciences and Public Policy: Gainshare Grant (£10k)	2016
(CA) Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship: Seed Grant (\$7.5k)	2015

Fellowships/scholarships

(FR) PSE Visiting fellowship	2019
(BE) FNRS Postdoc fellowship (declined)	2015–2018

(CA) MEDW Postdoc fellowship	2012–2015
(BE) FNRS PhD scholarship	2008–2012

Awards/prizes

(BE) Fonds Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek, Invited expert	2020
(BE) Belgian Political Science Association, Best paper from a PhD student	2012

SERVICES

Leadership

Directing Research Group in Quantitative Political Economy, KCLondon	2019–..
Convening Standing Group in Comparative Political Institutions, ECPR	2017–..
Directing BA/BSc Program in Politics, KCLondon	2017–2019

Publication

<i>Electoral Studies</i> (Editorial Board Member)	2020–..
<i>Frontiers in Political Science</i> (Review Editor)	2020–..
<i>Canadian Journal of Political Science</i> (Advisory Board Member)	2016–..
<i>Election Law Journal</i> (Special Issue Editor)	2017
Refereeing, see Publons	

Datasets

Bol et al. European Political Institution Survey	2021
Bol et al. MEDW 2014 Belgian National Election Study	2017
Stephenson et al. Making Electoral Democracy Work Aggregate Study	2017

External presentations (last 5 years)

PSA Methods, U de Montréal, EPSA (?), EPOP (?), City University of London (?)	2020
Sciences Po Paris, Paris School of Economics, Leuphana, EPSA	2019
PSA Methods, ECPR, EPOP, Essex, Cologne, UC3Madrid	2018
London School of Economics, MPSA, U de Montréal, APSA, Belgium: State of Federation	2017
MPSA, EPSA, U de Montréal, ECPR, Essex	2016