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Academic employment

2025-: Postdoctoral researcher, Jacques Delors Centre, Hertie School

2023-2025: Postdoctoral Research Fellow/work package leader, ARENA, Centre for European Studies

2023-2026: Researcher affiliated with ARENA project COMPLEX

2021-2026: Researcher affiliated with ARENA project SINGLEMARKETS

2020-2023: PhD research fellow, ARENA, Centre for European Studies

2017 - 2018: Master's Research Fellow, ARENA, Centre for European Studies

Education

Ph.D in Political Science, University of Oslo (2023)

MA, Political Science, University of Oslo (2018)

BA, European Studies, University of Oslo (2016)

BA, Journalism, Volda University College (2012)

Publications

Monographs and edited volumes

Custodi, J., Moland, M. and Trenz, H-J. (eds.) (forthcoming) *Journalism, Disinformation and Europe's Response*, Routledge, London; New York

Peer-reviewed journal articles

Moland, M., Bach, T., Jacobs, N.F. and Parsons, C.A. (accepted by *European Political Science Review*) 'New or Old Politics? Understanding public preferences for an EU single market'

Custodi, J., Trenz, Hans-Jörg and Moland, Martin. (2025) "Countering Post-Truth: A Comparative Study of Journalists' Responses to Disinformation Challenges", *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*, doi: 10.1177/10776990251393745

Jacobs, N.F., Moland M. and Parsons, C.A. (2025) 'Postfunctionalism across the Atlantic: The "New Politics" in European Integration and US Federalism', *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, volume 55, no. 4, pp. 702-731

Jacobs, N.F., Moland M. and Parsons, C.A. (2025) 'Do Citizens Have Views about Single Market Governance?', *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, volume 55, no. 4, pp. 671-701

Moland, M., Custodi, J. and Trenz, H-J (2025) Reinforcing or Rethinking? What do News Consumers Want from Journalism in the Post-Truth Era?, *Media and Communication*, volume 13, doi: https://doi.org/10.17645/mac.8823

Moland, M. (2025) 'Opting out of an EU identity? The effects of differentiated integration on European identity', *Journal of European Public Policy*, doi:10.1080/13501763.2024.2402869, volume 32, no. 10, pp. 2515-2538

Moland, M. (2024) Comparing elite and citizen attitudes towards the differentiated implementation of EU law: Evidence from a large-N survey of citizens, politicians and bureaucrats, *West European Politics*, doi: 10.1080/01402382.2024.2421661, pp. 1-24

Moland, M. (2024) 'Past political asymmetry and present public opinion: How has the asymmetrical federation of the EU shaped popular opinion of its optimal shape?', *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, volume 54, no. 2 (Spring 2024), pp. 361-385, doi:10.1093/publius/pjae001

Moland, M. and Michailidou, A. (2024) 'Testing causal inference between social media news reliance and (dis)trust of EU institutions with an Instrumental Variable Approach: Lessons from a null-hypothesis case', *Political Studies Review*, volume 22, no. 2, pp. 412-426, doi:10.1177/14789299231183574

Moland, M. (2024) 'Opting for opt outs? National identities and support for a differentiated EU', *JCMS: Journal of Common Market Studies*, volume 62, no. 1, pp. 55–73, doi:10.1111/jcms.13478

Moland, M. (2023) 'Constraining Dissensus and Permissive Consensus: Variations in Support for Core State Powers', *West European Politics*, volume 46, no. 6, pp. 1133-1155, doi:10.1080/01402382.2022.2104052

Book chapters

Moland, M., Custodi, J. and Trenz, H-J. (forthcoming in *Reclaiming Liberal Democracy in the Postfactual Age*, DeGruyter Brill) 'Journalism as a Solution to the Post-Truth Challenge?'

Moland, M and Ólafsson, J.G. (forthcoming in *Journalism, Disinformation and Europe's Response*, Routledge, London; New York) ' The state of journalism in Norway and Iceland in a time of fake news and disinformation: Highly trusted yet still threatened'

Moland, M. and Michailidou, A. (2024) 'United, we tweet': Belonging and solidarity in German and Greek Twitter-spheres. In: Fossum, JE and Batora, J. (eds) *EU Differentiation and the Question of Domination: From the Financial Crisis to COVID-19*, Routledge.

Manuscripts under review

Moland, M., Leiren, M.D. and Trondal, J. 'The multilevel nature of EU climate policyand its impact on popular legitimacy' (under review)

Manuscripts in preparation

Moland, M., Jacopo Custodi, Hans-Jörg Trenz and Asimina Michailidou 'News Credibility in the Age of Misinformation - Writing style, ideology and beliefs about political misinformation'

Moland, M. (manuscript complete) 'Did Troika conditionality increase nationalist sentiment? Investigating the link between imposed austerity and national identity'

Moland, M. and Fjørtoft, T.N. (manuscript complete) How do Politicians Appeal to the Single Market? Evidence from the European Parliament

Working papers and reports

Moland, M., Custodi J. and Trenz, H-J. (2025) 'News Credibility in the Age of Misinformation', *RECLAIM Working Paper 2025/3*, available from: https://reclaim.hi.is/is/publication/172/

Moland, M., and Michailidou, A. (2021). News, Misinformation and Support for the EU: Exploring the Effect of Social Media as Polarising Force or Neutral Mediators. *EU3D Research Paper*, (10).

Moland, M (2018). Legitimacy and trust as victims of institutionalized austerity-A statistical analysis of persistent effects of austerity on trust in and support for the EU, *ARENA Report* 1/18, https://www.sv.uio.no/arena/english/research/publications/arena-reports/2018/arena-report-1-18.html

Presentations

Invited talks

Moland, M. (November, 2025) The importance of Europeanization and domestic narratives for climate policy views: A study of citizens' perceptions [Invited talk], Aalborg University, Aalborg

Moland, M. (April, 2025) International organizations, national autonomy and cosmopolitan identity: How do international constraints on national autonomy shape national identity? [Invited talk] Jacques Delors Centre, Berlin

Moland, M. (April, 2024) New or Old Politics? Understanding public preferences for an EU single market [Invited Talk] ARENA, Centre for European Studies

Conference presentations

Moland, M. and Trym Nohr Fjørtoft (May, 2025) How do Politicians Appeal to the Single Market? Evidence from the European Parliament. [Conference presentation], European Union Studies Association Biannual Conference 2025, Philadelphia

Moland, M. (May, 2025) International organizations, national autonomy and cosmopolitan identity: How do international constraints on national autonomy shape national identity? [Conference presentation], European Union Studies Association Biannual Conference 2025, Philadelphia

Moland, M., Nicholas F. Jacobs and Craig Parsons (May, 2025) Economic benefit and political opinions [Conference presentation], European Union Studies Association Biannual Conference 2025, Philadelphia

Moland, M., Tobias Bach, Nicholas F. Jacobs and Craig A. Parsons (September, 2024) What Do Europeans Really Think about the Single Market? [Conference presentation]. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia.

Moland, M. (August, 2024) Comparing elite and citizen attitudes towards the differentiated implementation of EU law: Evidence from a large-N survey of citizens, politicians and bureaucrats. ECPR General Conference 2024, Dublin

Moland, M., Jacopo Custodi, Hans-Jörg Trenz and Asimina Michailidou (June, 2024) Journalistic style, fake news and media trust [Conference presentation]. Bi-annual conference of the ECPR Standing Group on the European Union, Universidade NOVA, Lisbon.

Moland, M., Tobias Bach, Nicholas F. Jacobs and Craig A. Parsons (June, 2024) New or Old Politics? Understanding public preferences for an EU single market [Conference presentation].

Bi-annual conference of the ECPR Standing Group on the European Union, Universidade NOVA, Lisbon.

Moland, M., Jacopo Custodi, Hans-Jörg Trenz and Asimina Michailidou (2023) Journalistic style, fake news and media trust [Conference presentation]. ECPR General Conference 2023, Charles University, Prague.

Moland, M., Nicholas F. Jacobs and Craig Parsons (2023) Different federations, same views? Comparing US and EU popular support for a single market [Conference presentation]. 29th International Conference of Europeanists (Council for European Studies), Reykjavik, Iceland.

Michailidou, A., Moland, M. **(presenting author)**, Trenz, H-J. and Umit R. (2023) European public spheres in the digital era: lessons about EU differentiation from the analysis of professional news coverage and Twitter debates [Conference presentation]. EU3D Concluding conference, Krakow, Poland.

Moland, M. (2022) Does differentiation beget differentiation: Examining the link between exposure to and support for differentiation[Conference presentation]. ECPR General Conference, Innsbruck, Austria.

Moland, M. (2022) Domination and public support for differentiation: Examining the connection between mode of implementation and support for differentiated integration [Conference presentation]. ECPR Standing Group on European Union Biannual Conference 2022, Rome, Italy.

Moland, M. (2022) Opting for opt-outs – Untangling the role of identity in shaping support for differentiated integration [Conference presentation]. EUSA 17th Biannual Conference, Miami, Florida.
Moland, M. (2021) Opting for opt-outs – Constraining dissensus and permissive consensus: variations in support for core state powers [Conference presentation]. ECPR Joint Sessions, digital event.

Teaching and supervision

Teaching

Guest lecturer, The EU in the Public sphere: "Post-truth politics and the EU: What is post-truth politics and what can the EU do to combat it?", January 21 2026, Freie Universität Berlin

Guest lecturer, Offentlig politikk og administrasjon: "EU – oppgaver, organisering og utviklingstrekk og EUs forhold til Norge", October 29 2024, Oslo Metropolitan University

Guest lecturer Survey Data Analysis and Design in Political Science: "Survey Databases and Survey Analysis", September 10-11th 2024, University of Oslo

Supervision

University of Oslo

2024-2025: Supervised two MA students at the Department of Political Science.

Examination duties

External examiner

University of Tromsø (BA and MA level) and Norwegian University of Science and Technology (MA and BA level)

PhD committees

November 2025: Francesca Minetto. Thesis: 'Shaping Brussels from the Outside In: The Role of International Institutions in EU Policymaking' (other committee members: Prof. Christine Reh, Prof. Frank Schimmelfennig, Prof. Sandra Lavenex)

September 2025: Kinga Koranyi. Thesis: 'The Power of the Weak: Strategic Framing and Selective Compliance in Asymmetric Redistributive Negotiations' (other committee members: Prof. Markus Jachtenfuchs, Prof. R. Daniel Kelemen and Dr. Sean Müller)

Institutional service

2025-: Member of the PhD Board, Postdoctoral representative, Hertie School

2022-2023: Board member of ARENA, Centre for European Studies

Public outreach

'Hva mener forvaltningen om internasjonalisering av lovverket?' [Outreach seminar to civil service practicioners]. Web stream available from: https://www.uio.no/om/samarbeid/samfunn-og-naringsliv/partnerforum/arrangementer/aktualitet/2025/2025-02-24%20Internasjonalisering%20av%20lovverket

'Over halvparten med EU-nei: – Kan skape uventede allianser' [Newspaper interview, in Norwegian], Dagsavisen, January 4th 2025. Available from: https://www.dagsavisen.no/nyheter/over-halvparten-med-eu-nei-kan-skape-uventede-allianser/9778913

'EU-valgets siste dag' [Radio interview, in Norwegian], NRK P2, June 9th, 2024. Available from: https://tv.nrk.no/serie/helgemorgen-tv/sesong/202406/episode/DNRR62004624

'Journalism as a Public Good: Assessing Evolving Demands in European News Consumption' [Panel debate], Institute of International Relations Prague, Prague, March 13, 2024.

'What's the story? Narratives of EU reforms in parliaments and the media' [Panel debate] Bruegel, Brussels, March 28, 2023.

Professional service and leadership

Chair, ECPR Research Network for Differentiated integration

Section co-chair, "Differentiated integration in times of crises and conflict", ECPR General Conference 2024

Steering committee member of the ECPR Research Network for Differentiated integration

Reviewer for *American Political Science Review*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, *West European Politics*, *Journal of European Public Policy*, *Media and Communication*, *Journalism*, *European Politics and Society*, *Scandinavian Political Studies* and *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*

Skills

R statistical programming

Tidyverse

Multilevel modeling

Quantitative text analysis and natural language processing

Statistics

Quasi-experimental causal inference
Factor analysis
Survey design

Languages

Norwegian (native)
English (fluent)
French (basic)