

Curriculum Vitae, Henrik Bech Seeberg

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

- 2013 PhD-degree in Political Science on the dissertation, "*The Power of the loser: opposition policy influence through agenda-setting*", Department of Political Science, Aarhus University. Supervisors: Christoffer Green-Pedersen and Peter Mortensen.
- 2011 MSc "Political Science", Department of Political Science, Aarhus University
- 2008 MSc "Politics and Government in the European Union", London School of Economics and Political Science (UK)
- Note: Since I defended my PhD in November 2013, I have been on paternity leaves and sick leaves in 365 days in total.*

POSITIONS

- 2017- Associate Professor, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University
- 2014-2017 Assistant Professor, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2024-2027 DFF Sapere Aude leader (850,000€) to research youth political representation and political parties' youth wings.
- 2020-2023 270,000€ from Aarhus Research Council (AUFF, no. 33693) to research which societal problems political parties pay attention to.
- 2016 10,000€ from AUFF to research the causes and consequences of negative campaigning.
- 2020 *Winner of the Gordon Smith and Vincent Wright Memorial Prize for the best article published in West European Politics during 2020.*
- 2013 Best paper award at the 'Centre for European Studies Conference' in Washington in the 'Welfare States and Political Economy Division'. Paper published in *Socio-Economic Review* with Carsten Jensen.

SUPERVISION AND ASSESSMENT

- 2021-2024 Supervisor of two postdocs, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University
- 2019- Supervisor of two PhD-students, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University
- 2013- Supervisor of 30 master thesis students, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University

TEACHING (most recent, at Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University)

- 2013-2021 Coordinator and lecturer in 'Determinants of Public Policy' for 280 students
- 2021, 2022 Teaching master-level seminar on 'Party Competition in European Democracies'
- 2019, 2022 Teaching bachelor-thesis seminar on 'How Parties Respond to Societal Problems'

ORGANISATION OF SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS (most recent)

- 2020, 2021 Organizer of the Comparative Policy Agenda Project Conference in Aarhus
- 2021, 2022 Organizer of the ECPR Summer School on Political Parties in Aarhus
- 2020- Organizer of speaker series at the "Party Politics Workshop" at Dept. of Pol. Sc. in Aarhus

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- 2023- Editorial board member, European Journal of Political Research
- 2020- Chair of three PhD assessment committees, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University
- 2019- Chair of two Postdoc assessment committees, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University
- 2018- Union representative, Dept. of Political Science, Aarhus University

INVITED TALKS (most recent)

- 2023 University of Mannheim, University of Vienna

2022 University of Antwerp
2020 University of Vienna, University of Gothenburg

PUBLICATIONS (articles and books; full list on website: www.henrikbechseeberg.com)

- Binderkrantz, Anne, Losinno, Massimo, Jensen, Carsten and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2023). 'No, political actors do not get their message into the news: an analysis of the effect of interest group press releases', *Interest Groups & Advocacy*.
- Seeberg, Henrik (2022). 'The power of the loser: Evidence on an Agenda-Setting Model of Opposition Policy Influence on six issues in Britain, 1979-2015', *European Journal of Political Research*.
- Mortensen, Peter, Loftis, Matt, and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2022). *Explaining local policy agendas: Institutions, problems, elections, and actors*. Palgrave Macmillan.
- Frantzeskakis, Nikolaos and Henrik Seeberg (2022). 'Flattening the Curve: Democratic Development and Legislative Output in African Democracies', *Legislative Studies Quarterly*. Forthcoming.
- Kristensen, Thomas, Green-Pedersen, Christoffer, Mortensen, Peter, and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2022). 'The policy agenda effects of problem indicators. A comparative study in seven countries', *Journal of Public Policy*. Forthcoming.
- Kristensen, Thomas, Green-Pedersen, Christoffer, Mortensen, Peter, and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2022). 'Avoiding or Engaging Problems? Problem Indicators, Party Preferences and Issue Competition', *Journal of European Public Policy*. Forthcoming.
- Seeberg, Henrik (2021). 'Avoidance and Engagement: Do Societal Problems Fuel Political Parties' Issue Overlap?', *Party Politics*. (3.0) doi:<https://doi.org/10.1177/13540688211066415>
- Seeberg, Henrik (2021). 'First avoidance, then engagement: Political parties' issue competition in the electoral cycle', *Party Politics*. doi:[10.1177/1354068820970353](https://doi.org/10.1177/1354068820970353).
- Seeberg, Henrik (2020). 'Issue ownership attack: How a political party can counteract a rival's issue ownership'. *West European Politics*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01402382.2019.1625242>.
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- Jensen, Carsten & Henrik Seeberg (2020). 'On the enemy's turf: exploring the link between macro- and micro-framing in interest group communication', *Journal of European Public Policy*, 27(7), 1054-1073
- Lefevere, Jonas, Seeberg, Henrik and Stefaan Walgrave (2020). 'Negatively affecting voters' triple issue considerations. An experimental study of parties' attack communication', *Political Communication*, 37(6): 812-831.
- Seeberg, Henrik and Alessandro Nai (2020). 'Undermining a Rival Party's Issue Competence through Negative Campaigning: Experimental Evidence from the USA, Denmark, and Australia'. *Political Studies*. doi:[10.1177/0032321720916162](https://doi.org/10.1177/0032321720916162).
- Bækgaard, Martin, Mortensen, Peter, and Henrik Seeberg (2018). 'The Bureaucracy and the Policy Agenda', *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 28(2): 239-253.
- Seeberg, Henrik (2018). 'The Impact of Opposition Criticism on the Public's Evaluation of Government Competence', *Party Politics*, 26(4): 484-495.
- Stubager, Rune, So, Florence and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2018). 'One Size Doesn't Fit All: Voter Decision Criteria Heterogeneity and Vote Choice', *Electoral Studies*, 52: 1-10.
- Nai, Alessandro, and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2018). A series of persuasive events. Sequencing effects of negative and positive messages on party evaluations and perceptions of negativity. *Journal of Marketing Communications*, 24(4): 412-432.
- Seeberg, Henrik (2017a). 'What Can a Government Do? Government Issue Ownership and Real-World Problems', *European Journal of Political Research*, 56(2): 346-363.

- Seeberg, Henrik (2017b). 'How Stable is Political Parties' Issue Ownership? A Cross-time, Cross-national Analysis', *Political Studies*, 65(2): 475-492.
- Seeberg, Henrik, Slothuus, Rune and Rune Stubager (2017). 'Do Voters Learn? Evidence that Voters Respond Accurately to Changes in Political Parties' Policy Positions', *West European Politics*, 40(2): 336-356.
- Stubager, Rune and Henrik Seeberg (2016). 'What can a party say? How parties' communication can influence voters' issue ownership perceptions', *Electoral Studies*, 44: 162-171.
- Seeberg, Henrik Bech (2016). 'Opposition Policy Influence through Agenda-setting: The Environment in Denmark, 1993–2009', *Scandinavian Political Studies*, 39(2): 185-206.
- Christiansen, Flemming and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2016). 'Cooperation between counterparts in parliament from an agenda-setting perspective: legislative coalitions as a trade of criticism and policy', *West European Politics*, 39(6): 1160-1180.
- Mortensen, Peter, and Henrik Bech Seeberg (2016). 'Why Are Some Policy Agendas Larger than Others?', *Policy Studies Journal*, 44(2): 156–175.
- Jensen, Carsten and Henrik Seeberg (2015). 'The Power of Talk and the Welfare State: Evidence from 23 Countries on an Asymmetric Opposition-Government Response Mechanism', *Socio-Economic Review*, 13(2): 215–233.
- Best paper award at the 'Centre for European Studies' conference in Washington in April 2013.*
- Seeberg, Henrik (2013). 'Parties and Policies. On the Opposition's Influence on Policy Through Issue Politicization', *Journal of Public Policy*, 33:1, 89–117.