

ELISE ANTOINE

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POSITIONS

Assistant Professor in Public Policy Bennett School of Public Policy, Cambridge University	2026–present
Fellow in Public Policy and Administration Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science	2023–2026

RESEARCH EXPERTISE

Topics: public policy; digital governance

Methods: multilevel and generalised linear modelling; text analysis and natural language processing; elite interviews

EDUCATION

King's College London, London Ph.D., Politics Thesis: "The politics of internet privacy regulation in a globalised world: An examination of regulatory agencies' autonomy, politicisation, and lobbying strategies"	2024
Panthéon-Sorbonne University, Paris M.Phil., Political Science (merit)	2018
Panthéon-Sorbonne University, Paris B.A., Political Science and Economics (dual degree, merit)	2016

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Antoine, E. (2026). Who's behind the wheel? Assessing internet regulatory agencies' autonomy from corporate interests. *Internet Policy Review*, 15(1).

Antoine, E. (2025). Lobbying global venues: sitting in or speaking out? *Governance*, e12903. (ECPR Standing Group on Interest Groups Annual Best Paper Award)

Antoine, E. (2023). The Politicisation of Internet privacy: An Examination of the Impact of 'Focusing Events' on Issue Salience, Actor Expansion and Actor Diversity. *European Journal of Political Research*, 52: 530-550.

Antoine, E., Atikcan, O., Chalmers, A., (2023). Politicisation, Business Lobbying, and the Design of Preferential Trade Agreements. *Journal of European Public Policy*, 31(1), 239–268.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Journal Article

Antoine, E., Chalmers A. (2026). How countries write their AI strategies – mapping the many models of governance. *LSE Business Review*.

Antoine, E., Chalmers, A. (2026). Two AI Strategies, One day: Challenging what we think about East vs West, *Global Policy*.

Reference Works

Antoine, E. (forthcoming). Outside lobbying. In: Newmark, A., Nownes, A. (eds) *Encyclopedia of Interest Groups and Lobbying*. SAGE

Antoine, E., Chalmers, A. W. (2021). Interest Groups and Social Media. In: Harris P., Bitonti A., Fleisher C.S., Binderkrantz A.S. (eds) *The Palgrave Encyclopedia of Interest Groups, Lobbying and Public Affairs*. Palgrave Macmillan, Cham.

Book Review

Antoine, E. (2022). Book review: David Coen, Alexander Katsaitis & Matia Vannoni, Business Lobbying in the European Union. *International Review of Public Policy*.

R&R

The (Un)heavenly Virtual Chorus: How Interest Groups in the European Union Utilise Twitter (with Anne Rasmussen, Tobias Heide-Jørgensen and Andreu Casas), in *Political Communication*.

UNDER REVIEW AND IN PREPARATION

Who You Know, What You Say, or When You Speak: Mapping the Global Diffusion of AI Governance (with Adam Chalmers), under review in *Regulation & Governance*.

Managing Uncertainty through Revolving Doors: Evidence from Global Board Appointment (with Matia Vannoni).

Speaking on Whose Behalf? How Interest Groups Frame Representation Online (with Tom Barton, Anne Rasmussen and Lise Rodland).

Giving AI Policy Teeth: an Examination of AI Governance Substance.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Small Research Grant, British Academy/Leverhulme (PI) 2025–2026
£10,000 — “AI Rules the World: Examining AI Policies Across Borders”

ECPR Standing Group on Interest Groups Annual Best Paper Award 2025
“Speaking on Whose Behalf? How Interest Groups Frame Representation Online”

ECPR Standing Group on Interest Groups Annual Best Paper Award 2023
“Lobbying Global Venues: Sitting in or Speaking out?”

London Interdisciplinary Social Science Doctoral Training Partnership 2021–2023
Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), £48,070

Research Training Support Grant 2022
Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), £3,200

SERVICE & PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Public engagement

x.Machina (co-founder) nomosmachina.org 2026
- Develop an open-access platform mapping AI strategies and regulations worldwide
- Highlight relevant academic work and experts in the field

Co-organiser of the LSE outreach day (prospective students from local secondary schools) 2025

Academic service

Reviewer for *Regulation & Governance*, *European Journal for Political Research*, *Political Science Research Methods*, *Interest Groups & Advocacy*, *Journal of Public Policy*, *Policy & Internet*

Co-organiser of the LSE Early Career Researcher Workshop 2026

Section chair of the ECPR Standing Group on Interest Groups 2025

Co-organiser of the King’s Public Policy and Regulation Workshop 2023

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Module Convenor 2023–2026

“Policy Advice in Theory and Practice” (postgraduate level)

Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science

Responsibilities include designing and delivering lectures, leading seminars, and coordinating practitioner workshops

Seminar Leader 2023–2026

“Approaches and Issues in Public Policy and Administration” (postgraduate level)

Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science

Seminar Leader 2025

“Policy Analysis” (undergraduate level)
Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science

Seminar leader

2023

“Corporate Lobbying in the Global Economy” (undergraduate level)
Department of Political Economy, King’s College London

SUPERVISION & MENTORSHIP

Supervised 36 MSc dissertations in Public Policy, Regulation, and Political Science

Mentored 40 BSc and MSc students

Supervised and trained 4 Research Assistants

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

University of Copenhagen and Copenhagen Business School Money in Politics	Nov 2025
“Political Representation” seminar, Copenhagen	
International Political Science Association World Congress, Seoul	Jul 2025
European Consortium for Political Conference General Conference, Thessaloniki	Aug 2025
European Consortium for Political Conference General Conference, Dublin	Aug 2024
European Consortium for Political Conference General Conference, Prague	Sep 2023
Midwest Political Science Association 80th Annual Conference, Chicago	Apr 2023
European Consortium for Political Research General Conference, Innsbruck	Aug 2022

REFERENCES

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