

Amy Janzwood

Curriculum vitae (Updated May 2024)

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ACADEMIC POSITION

2023- Assistant Professor, McGill University, Department of Political Science and the Bieler School of the Environment

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Comparative politics; Canadian politics; public policy; political economy; environmental politics and governance; energy politics and infrastructure; contentious politics

EDUCATION

- 2020 Ph.D., Political Science and Environmental Studies, University of Toronto
Dissertation: The Contentious Politics of Mega Oil Sands Pipeline Projects
Committee: Steven Bernstein, Kate J. Neville, and Stefan Renckens
External Reader: George Hoberg, University of British Columbia
- 2014 M.A., Global Governance, Balsillie School of International Affairs
- 2013 Hons. B.A., Political Science, King's University College, Western University

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Articles

- 2023 Elliott, Christian, **Amy Janzwood**, Steven Bernstein, and Matthew Hoffmann. "Rethinking Complementarity: The Co-Evolution of Public Interventions and Private Governance Responses in Corporate Climate Disclosure," *Regulation & Governance*, 1-18, <https://doi.org/10.1111/rego.12550>
- 2023 Do, Minh, **Amy Janzwood**, and Kristen Pue. "Multilevel Governance, Climate (In)Justice, and Settler Colonialism—Evidence from First Nations Disaster Evacuations in So-Called Canada," *Critical Policy Studies*, 1-24, <https://doi.org/10.1080/19460171.2023.2232863>
- 2023 **Janzwood, Amy** and Kathryn Harrison. "The Political Economy of Fossil Fuel Production in the Post-Paris Era: Critically Evaluating Nationally Determined Contributions," *Energy Research & Social Science* 102 (103095): 1-12, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.erss.2023.103095>
- 2023 **Janzwood, Amy**, Kate J. Neville, and Sarah J. Martin. "Financing Energy Futures: The Contested Assetization of Pipelines in Canada," *Review of International Political Economy*, 30(6): 2333-2356, <https://doi.org/10.1080/09692290.2022.2161111>
- 2022 Renckens, Stefan, Kristen Pue, and **Amy Janzwood**. "Transnational Private Rule-Makers as Lobbyists," *Global Environmental Politics* 22(3): 136-170, https://doi.org/10.1162/glep_a_00665
- 2022 **Janzwood, Amy** and Heather Millar. "Bridge Fuel Feuds: The Competing Interpretive Politics of Natural Gas in Canada," *Energy Research & Social Science* (88): 102526, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.erss.2022.102526>

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- 2020 **Janzwood, Amy.** “Explaining Variation in Oil Sands Pipeline Projects.” *Canadian Journal of Political Science* 53(3): 540-559, <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0008423920000190>
- 2018 Hannah, Erin, **Amy Janzwood**, James Scott, and Rorden Wilkinson. “What Kind of Civil Society? Debating Trade at the WTO Public Forum.” *Journal of World Trade* 52(1): 113-142, <https://bit.ly/3mXqOOX>

Book Chapters

- 2020 Abbott, Kenneth W., Steven Bernstein, and **Amy Janzwood.** “Orchestration.” In *Architectures of Earth System Governance: Institutional Complexity and Structural Transformation*, edited by Frank Biermann and Rakhyun Kim, Cambridge University Press: 233-252, <https://bit.ly/3jOTVmX>

Book Reviews & Essays

- 2023 **Janzwood, Amy.** “Pipeline Politics and the Future of Environmental Justice Struggles in North America” (Review of *Pipeline Populism* [Bosworth 2022]; *Public Responses to Fossil Fuel Export* [Boudet and Hazboun 2022], and *The Resistance Dilemma* [Hoberg 2021]), *Global Environmental Politics* 23(3): 120-126, https://doi.org/10.1162/glep_r_00731
- 2017 **Janzwood, Amy.** “TTIP, ‘Truth’ and the Future of Global Trade” (Review of *TTIP: The Truth About the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership* by Ferdi de Ville & Gabriel Siles-Brügge). *Global Justice* 10(2), <https://bit.ly/37J0a7T>

Manuscripts in Submission

Janzwood, Amy, Kathryn Harrison, and Angela Carter. “Canada’s Climate Policy Crossroads” (Under review)

Janzwood, Amy, Kathryn Harrison, and Angela Carter. “No Just Transition without Managed Decline: Facing Reality in a Petro State,” in *Justice in Canada’s Energy Transition*, edited by Laura Tozer, Cheryl Teelucksingh, Julie MacArthur, and Jenny Lieu (Submitted)

Janzwood, Amy. “The Paris Agreement.” In *Energized: Keywords for a New Politics of Energy and Environment*, edited by Imre Szeman and Jennifer Wenzel, West Virginia University Press, Energy and Society Series (In press)

Manuscripts in Progress

Janzwood, Amy. *Mega Pipelines, Mega Resistance: Social Movements, Tar Sands, and Pipeline Purgatory in North America* (under review with UBC Press)

Janzwood, Amy, Erynne Gilpin, and Sarah Marie Wiebe (co-editors). *The End of Extraction As We Know It? Learning from Extractive Resistance for Sustainable Futures*

Millar, Heather, and **Amy Janzwood.** “Catalyzing Climate Action or Delay? Electric Utilities as Claim Makers in Canadian Energy Politics”

Rowan, Sam and **Amy Janzwood.** “Does capping pollution fuel discord? How Climate Policy Instruments Affect Support for Canadian Decarbonization”

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Public Writing

- 2024 Janzwood, Amy. “The Trans Mountain Expansion pipeline is still a bad deal for Canadians – and the world,” The Conversation Canada, 22 May, <https://bit.ly/3WM8vTs>
- 2023 Indigenous Climate Action (contributor). “Chapter 3. Identifying and Addressing Barriers to Indigenous-led Climate Policy,” in Decolonizing Climate Policy in Canada, 37-57, <https://www.indigenousclimateaction.com/publications>
- 2023 Medicoff, Josh, and Amy Janzwood. “Managing your climate anxiety spiral – McGill edition,” Teaching for Learning @ McGill University, 13 April, <https://bit.ly/3GIUk8W>
- 2023 Janzwood, Amy, Sam Rowan, and Josh Medicoff. “Canada’s oil and gas industry faces an existential crisis, and a weak emissions cap won’t save it.” The Hill Times, 8 March, <https://bit.ly/3ZZxotk>.
- 2022 Sharma, Sarah, Amy Janzwood, and Colleen Kaiser. “Four Steps to Jump-start Canadian Climate Policy,” Policy Options, 19 December, <https://bit.ly/3Xa7RM4>
- 2022 Janzwood, Amy and Heather Millar. “A Bridge to Nowhere: Natural gas will not lead Canada to a sustainable energy future” The Conversation Canada (republished in The National Post, The Narwhal, and The Tyee). 11 September, <https://bit.ly/3qy7Jba>
- 2022 Janzwood, Amy. “14 Lessons for Social Movement Success.” Cascade Institute. Report #2022-1, v1.0: 1-11, January <https://cascadeinstitute.org/14-lessons/>
- 2021 Janzwood, Amy. “A Just Border Carbon Adjustment? A Primer.” The Monitor, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives, April 21, <https://bit.ly/3aJGnrk>
- 2021 Janzwood, Amy. “Wake-Up Call or Final Straw? What the Biden Presidency means for Alberta’s Oil Sands,” Energy Humanities Project, 8 February, <https://bit.ly/2ZaM8It>
- 2020 Janzwood, Amy. “Business Leadership in Carbon Pricing: The Case of the Carbon Pricing Leadership Coalition.” Working Paper Series, Environmental Governance Lab, <https://bit.ly/385TF0G>
- 2020 Tienhaara, Kyla, Amy Janzwood, and Angela Carter. “How to Build a Better Canada after COVID-19: Launch a Fossil-free Future,” The Conversation, 30 June, <https://bit.ly/380NVW1>
- 2019 Janzwood, Amy. “Bill C-69 Can’t Fix What’s Really Plaguing Pipelines.” The Hill Times, 6 June, <https://bit.ly/2WeNuxK>
- 2019 Janzwood, Amy, and Scott Janzwood. “Redrawing the Battle Lines in the Fight over Canada’s Price on Carbon.” OpenCanada, 14 March, <https://bit.ly/2TmzTmt>
- 2019 Janzwood, Amy, and Caitlin Scott. “Will Science-Based Targets Save Us? Insights from the Global Food Industry.” Global Policy Next Generation Opinion, 5 February, <https://bit.ly/2MnhSff>

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

- 2024 Bieler Undergraduate Research Award (BURA) \$6,500; McGill Centre for Innovation in Storage and Conversion of Energy (McISCE) Summer Internship Award (\$2,200)
- 2023-2026 SSHRC Partnership Development Grant, “Canadian Climate Policy Partnership,” Co-Applicant (\$178,000)

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2023-2024	Internal Social Sciences and Humanities Development (SSHHD) Grant, McGill University, “The Contentious Politics of Decarbonization in Canada” (\$7,000)
2021-2022	Visiting Fellowship, Centre for Global Studies, University of Victoria (\$5,000)
2021-2022	SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship (\$90,000)
2020-2021	Visiting Fellowship, Centre for Global Studies, University of Victoria (\$1,700)
2015-2020	Faculty of Arts and Science Fellowship, University of Toronto (\$21,558)
2019-2020	Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$15,000)
2016-2019	Joseph-Armand Bombardier Doctoral Canada Graduate Scholarship (\$105,000)
2020	Doctoral Completion Award, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, University of Toronto (\$5,000)
2020	Alan H. Weatherley Graduate Fellowship in Environmental Leadership, University of Toronto (\$3,000)
2019	Beatrice and Arthur Minden Award, University of Toronto (\$2,450)
2019	Noah Blackstein Graduate Fellowship in Political Economy (\$2,500)
2019	Faculty of Arts and Science Program-Level Fellowship (\$1,000)

TALKS & PRESENTATIONS

Conference & Workshop Papers Presented (select)

“Does Capping Pollution Fuel Discord? How Climate Policy Instruments Affect Support for Canadian Decarbonization” (with Sam Rowan), American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, 2 September 2023; Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA) Annual Conference, McGill University, Montreal, 12-14 June, 2024; Environmental Politics & Governance, Université Laval, Québec City, 18-21 June, 2024

“Canada’s Climate Policy Crossroads” (with Kathryn Harrison and Angela Carter), Justice in Canada’s Energy Transition Book Workshop, University of Toronto, 31 May 2023

“Catalyzing Climate Action or Delay? Electric Utilities as Claim Makers in Canadian Energy Politics,” with Heather Millar, Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA) Annual Conference, Toronto, 30 May 2023

“Conclusion” (In *Mega Pipelines, Mega Resistance*), Advancing Climate Policy Workshop, Concordia University, Montréal, 15-16 May 2023

“The International Political Economy of Fossil Fuel Supply,” with Kathryn Harrison, International Conference on Fossil Fuel Supply and Climate Policy, 26-27 September 2022, Oxford (non-presenting co-author); Conference on Earth System Governance, Toronto, 21-24 October 2022; International Studies Association (ISA), virtual, Nashville, 30 March – 2 April 2022

“Canada’s Climate Policy Crossroads,” with Kathryn Harrison and Angela Carter, American Political Science Association (APSA), Montréal, 15-18 September 2022; CPSA Annual Conference, virtual, 30 May 2022

“Public Interventions and Private Governance Responses in Corporate Carbon Disclosure,” with Christian Elliott, ISA West Region Annual Conference, virtual, 23 September 2021

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“Many Bridges, Different Destinations: The Competing Interpretive Politics of Natural Gas in Canada,” with Heather Millar, CPSA Annual Conference, virtual, 7 June 2021

“Contesting Infrastructure—Pipeline Finance and Claim-Making,” with Sarah J. Martin and Kate J. Neville, 2020 Democratizing Infrastructures Workshop, Durham University, 23-24 January

“Explaining Variation in Contentious Oil Pipeline Projects in and through Canada,” 2019 Public Policy Workshop, University of Toronto, 15 March; 2019 Qualitative Comparative Analysis Workshop, Antwerp Management School, 24 May; CPSA Annual Conference, Vancouver, 4-6 June 2019; ISA Annual Convention, Toronto, 27-30 March 2019

“Transnational Private Rule-Makers as Lobbyists,” with Stefan Renckens (presenter) and Kristen Pue, ISA Annual Convention, Toronto, 27-30 March 2019

“Disclosure and Decarbonization: The Case of CDP,” Transformative Policy Pathways to Decarbonization Workshop, Environmental Governance Lab, Toronto, 15-16 May 2019

Invited & Departmental Talks (select)

- 2023 “Mega Pipelines, Mega Resistance,” Faculty of Law, McGill University, 14 June
- 2023 “Financing Energy Futures: The Contested Assetization of Pipelines in Canada,” L’atelier d’Écologie Sociale du Capitalisme Avancé (ESCA), Université du Québec à Montréal, 14 April
- 2022 “Mega Pipelines, Mega Resistance,” Department of Political Science, McGill University, 13 January
- 2021 “Public Interventions and Private Governance Responses in Corporate Carbon Risk Disclosure,” Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy, Environmental Governance Lab, with Christian Elliott, November 19
- 2021 “Reflecting on the Canadian Election,” Centre for Global Studies, University of Victoria, September 22 (roundtable panellist)
- 2021 “The Contentious Politics of Mega Oil Sands Pipelines.” Comparative and Canadian Politics Colloquium, Department of Political Science, University of British Columbia, 7 April; School of Public Policy, Simon Fraser University, 12 March
- 2021 “Pipeline Purgatory and the Social Construction of Commercial Viability,” North American Colloquium Climate Webinar Series, with Sarah J. Martin and Kate J. Neville, February 25
- 2021 “The Contentious Politics of Mega Oil Sands Pipelines.” Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy, Environmental Governance Lab, 22 January
- 2020 “The Contentious Politics of Mega Oil Sands Pipelines.” University of Victoria, Centre for Global Studies, 10 November
- 2019 “Explaining Variation in Contentious Oil Pipeline Projects in and through Canada.” School of Public Policy, University of Calgary, 26 April

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

McGill University, Department of Political Science

POLI524: Seminar: Developed Areas – The Contentious Politics of Energy Transitions (20 students)

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POLI350: Global Environmental Politics (~150 students), Fall 2023, Fall 2024

McGill University, Bieler School of the Environment

ENVR400: Environmental Thought (~75 students), Winter 2023, Winter 2024

University of Victoria, Department of Political Science

Issues in Comparative Politics—Climate Crisis Politics and Policy (~50 students), Fall 2021

Guest Lectures

- 2024 “Pipelines, resistance, and just transition?” McGill University (POLI 321: Issues: Canadian Public Policy), March 22
- 2024 “Explaining Variation in Oil Sands Pipeline Projects,” McGill University (ENVR 301: Environmental Research Design), 27 February
- 2023 “Technology, climate and ecological crisis,” McGill University (POLI 444: Technology and World Politics), 20 November
- 2023 “Climate Anxiety & Care” (with Josh Medicoff), McGill University (FSCI 198: Climate Crisis and Climate Actions), 18 September
- 2023 “Pipelines, resistance, and just transition?” McGill University, 22 March (POLI 321: Issues: Canadian Public Policy)
- 2021 “Mega Pipelines, Mega Resistance,” University of Colorado Boulder, September 9
- 2021 “Navigating the Canadian Policy Landscape.” Workshop developed for the Ivey Management and Policy Forum, Ivey Business School, June 3
- 2021 “Civil Disobedience and Social Movements: Learning from Pipeline Resistance.” University of Colorado Boulder, 13 April
- 2021 “Private Governance, Disclosure, and Decarbonization.” Memorial University, 6 April
- 2021 “Agenda Setting and the Policy Process.” School of Public Policy, Simon Fraser University, 12 March
- 2019 “Energy: Cross-Border and Inter-Provincial Relations.” University of Toronto, Domestic Environmental Policy, 8 March
- 2019 “Pipeline Politics in North America: A Comparative Perspective.” University of Toronto, Comparative Public Policy, 25 February
- 2019 “Power, Pipelines and Politics.” University of Toronto, Business and Politics: Power in a Global World, 12 February
- 2019 “The Political Economy of Regional Trade Agreements.” University of Waterloo, International Political Economy, 30 January

SUPERVISION

MA Supervision/Advising

Supervisor: Jackie Bastianon (Political Science, McGill, Fall 2024-)

Second Reader/Examiner: Jaymes MacKinnon (Political Science, McGill, 2024); Michelle Hahn-Baker (Geography, McGill, 2024)

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PhD Supervision/Advising

Co-supervisor (PhD): Oriana Grosbusch (Political Science, McGill, Fall 2024-)

Dissertation committee member (PhD): Laurianne Debanné (Geography, McGill, 2024-); Devon Reynolds (Environmental Studies, University of Colorado Boulder, 2021-)

Examiner (PhD): Stephanie H. Leclerc (Urban Planning, McGill, 2024)

Undergraduate Supervision/Advising

Honours theses: Janaé Allen (Completed, 2023); Elianta Jaillet (Completed, 2024); Keira Cassidy (Completed, 2024); Lola Milder (2024-)

Independent study: Elizabeth Seliverstov (Completed, 2023)

Internship for academic credit: Alice Brotel (Completed, 2023), Arwen Low (2024-)

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

University

2023- University Affairs Committee, Bieler School of the Environment, McGill University

2023- McGill College of Graduate Mentorship

2023- Local Arrangements Coordinator (LAC) committee for Canadian Political Science Association Conference, Department of Political Science, McGill University

2023- Welcome & Events Committee, Department of Political Science, McGill University

External

2024- Associate Editor, Earth System Governance Journal

2023- Director (Board of Directors), Canadian Political Science Association

2023- Political Economy Section Co-Head, Canadian Political Science Association

2023- Research Mentor, Research for the Front Lines (R4FL)

2023- Vice Chair, Steering Committee, Women & Inclusivity in Sustainable Energy Research (WISER)

2022-2023 Steering Committee, Women & Inclusivity in Sustainable Energy Research (WISER)

2021-2023 Nominations Committee, Environmental Studies Section, International Studies Association

Reviewer

Canadian Journal of Political Science; Climate Policy; Energy Research & Social Science; Environmental Politics; Global Environmental Politics; Marine Policy; International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction

Conference Activity

2024 Panel organizer (with Sam Rowan), “Navigating the Political Economy of Climate Change: Comparative Insights from Canadian Decarbonization,” CPSA Annual Conference, Montreal, 12-14 June (accepted)

2023 Co-organizer. “Teaching and Learning for Hopeful Futures,” Montreal 2140: Hopeful Futures in Science and Storytelling, October 13

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- 2023 Roundtable panellist and co-organizer. “Opposition to Renewables Siting and Fossil Infrastructure Limits,” Climate Social Science Network (CSSN) Global Climate Governance in the Face of Obstruction Conference, 1 June
- 2023 Panel organizer (with Heather Millar). “Contentious Energy Politics? Movements and Countermovements,” CPSA Annual Conference, Toronto, 30 May
- 2023 Discussant. Early Career Workshop on Advancing Climate Policy, Concordia, Montréal, 15-16 May
- 2023 Discussant. International Political Economy of Renewable Energy, ISA, Montréal, 15-18 March
- 2022 Symposium coordinator. “Policy Change, Energy Democracy, and Inclusive Energy Policies,” in partnership with WISER, Smart Prosperity Institute (SPI), and Women in Renewable Energy (WiRE), virtual, 17 November
- 2022 Panel organizer. “Just Energy Transitions in Canada,” CPSA Annual Conference, virtual, 30 May-3 June
- 2022 Panel organizer (with Kathryn Harrison). “Fossil Fuel Supply and the Climate Crisis,” International Studies Association (ISA), Nashville, virtual, 28 March
- 2021 Discussant. “Domestic Responses to Transnational Crises.” Political Science Graduate Student Association Conference, UBC, virtual, 7 May
- 2020 Discussant. “Debating Energy Futures on Lewis: Energy Transitions, Emergent Politics, and the Question of the Commons.” Democratizing Infrastructures Workshop, Durham University, 23-24 January (by Annabel Pinker)
- 2019 Panel organizer (with Anastasia Ufimtseva). “Upping the Ante: Examining Contentious Stakeholder Politics and the Evolution of Energy Governance.” CPSA Annual Conference, Vancouver, 4-6 June
- 2019 Discussant. “Rebel Parties’ Electoral Participation in Africa: Approaching Institutional Context Conditions by Using fsQCA.” QCA Paper Development Workshop, Antwerp Management School, 24 May (by Nora Schrader-Rashidkhan)

Media Engagement

- 2024 Quoted in Des scientifiques pressent Ottawa d’imposer un plafond sur les émissions dès 2025, Le Devoir; La Presse Canadienne, 7 May 2024 (by Stéphane Blais), <https://bit.ly/4aB6Ov7>
- 2024 Canada’s Climate Policy Crossroads, Sage Video, 31 January 2024, <https://sk.sagepub.com/video/skpromo/MpgKW6/canadas-climate-policy-crossroads>
- 2023 Quoted in “How the natural gas pipeline debate is dividing one rural community,” CBC News, 15 November 2023 (by Ben Andrews), <https://bit.ly/3SeWwtD>
- 2023 Quoted in “Montreal students take to the streets demanding climate action.” The Tribune, 3 October 2023 (by Galia Pakman Arrojo), <https://bit.ly/48N4RMi>
- 2023 Quoted in, “Oilsands giants pushed feds to delay and weaken emissions cap rules,” The Narwhal, 5 July (by Carl Meyer), <https://thenarwhal.ca/pathways-alliance-emissions-cap/>
- 2022 “Is the ‘natural gas as bridge fuel’ narrative running on fumes?” Interview with Markham Hislop of Energi Media, 14 September 2022, <https://bit.ly/3UioaWS>
- 2021 Quoted in “Baby Bust: More Victorians Aren’t Having Kids. Here’s Why We Should Care,” Capital Daily, 30 November (by Jolene Rudisuela), <https://bit.ly/3xDCzly>

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- 2021 Quoted in “Republicans Are Making a Line 5 Shutdown Seem Imminent: It’s Not,” Detroit Free Press, 15 November (by Todd Spangler), <https://bit.ly/3qG76hb>
- 2021 Quoted in “None of the Major Parties will Cancel TMX, Despite Heated Opposition in B.C.,” Ricochet Media, 10 September (by Chen Zhou), <https://bit.ly/3CjFZv5>
- 2021 Quoted in “Conservative Climate Rewards Program, Carbon Tariffs Don’t Stand up to Scrutiny,” Ricochet Media, 26 August (by Chen Zhou), <https://bit.ly/38kVVjr>
- 2021 Scholar Spotlight, *Global Policy Journal* Next Generation, June, <https://bit.ly/3nrpve7>
- 2019 Interview on Canadian pipeline politics with Markham Hislop of Energi Media, 1 August, <https://bit.ly/3vqi89A>

Awards & Recognition

- 2024 Outstanding Reviewer Award 2023, *Energy Research & Social Science*
- 2024 Professor of the Year, Political Science Students’ Association, McGill University
- 2020 Shortlisted for the 2021 John McMenemy Prize, Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA)

LANGUAGES, CERTIFICATES, SOFTWARE, & FIELDWORK

- Languages: French (written and reading proficiency)
- Certificates: University of Toronto Teaching Fundamentals Certificate
- Software: Quantitative data analysis and qualitative comparative analysis (R/RStudio; SPSS), qualitative data analysis (MAXQDA; NVivo; Discourse Network Analyzer)
- Fieldwork: London, UK (virtual interviews, August-October 2021; September 2022), Ottawa (August 2019), Vancouver (May-June 2019), Calgary (April 2019)