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Mid-term Seminar Presentation Guidelines

Due Date: June 28, 2018

Please prepare a 10-minute presentation of your final project with a maximum of 6 slides. This presentation should be based on the data you have collected. Presentations without data analyses will not receive full credit. Please send the dataset you will use for your final project by email to lorena.barberia@gmail.com.

Slide 1. Objective and Framing

Summarize your research question and the main hypotheses. Identify how your research contributes to the study of a larger question in a particular field of study (e.g. political behavior, comparative politics, political economy, public policy, etc.).

Slide 2. Research Challenges and Limitations

Describe the most appropriate research design for testing your hypotheses and the type of data you would like to have to answer your main question from an inferential perspective. How far is your study from the ideal research design? Given the solutions you had to adopt from a feasibility perspective, what are the limitations of your study?

Slide 3. Data

Describe the sample you selected to answer your research question and justify why the particular sample is well-suited to answer your question (e.g. countries, years, etc.).

Slide 4. Methodology

Describe the model and the main hypothesis tested.

Slide 5. Results

Describe the results of your statistical analysis for your most important hypothesis.

Slide 6. Conclusion

Summarize major insights