Robustness Check: Hypothesis 1

Data Source: Americas Barometer, Latin American Public Opinion Project (LAPOP), 2010

Table 5: Random Intercept Logistic Regression Models, DV=Left-Right Response

	Model 0 b/se		Model 1 b/se		Model 2 b/se	
Fragmentation			-1.388		-1.433	
			1.062		1.078	
Polarisation			1.327	†	1.352	†
			0.831		0.841	
Vote Buying			-0.620	†		
			0.394			
Patronage					-0.592	†
					0.401	
Programme			-0.393		-0.390	
			0.522		0.521	
Personalism			0.318		0.253	
			0.376		0.363	
Education (ED)			1.227	***	1.227	***
			0.179		0.179	
Political Interest (POL1)						
a little			0.393	***	0.394	***
			0.101		0.101	
some			0.648	***	0.647	***
			0.105		0.105	
a lot			1.021	***	1.020	***
			0.126		0.126	
Voter (VB1, VB2)			0.014		0.014	
			0.105		0.105	
Age (Q1)			0.641		0.635	
			0.616		0.616	
Age (squared)			-0.664		-0.660	
			0.747		0.747	
Poor-Rich (Q10)			0.450	**	0.451	**
			0.189		0.189	
Rural-Urban (UR)			-0.073		-0.074	
			0.100		0.100	
Constant	2.133	***	1.636	*	1.686	*
	0.226		0.851		0.878	
Variance (countries)	0.848	***	0.644	***	0.662	***
	0.322		0.245		0.250	
Variance (parties)	0.042		0.019		0.017	
	0.033		0.027		0.027	
Log Likelihood	-2816.415		-2710.438		-2710.623	
BIC	5659.667		5572.953		5573.324	

Note: † $p<0.15$, * $p<0.10$, ** $p<0.05$, *** $p<0.01$. N (countries) = 18, N (parties) = 73, N (individuals) = 7675. Political Interest reference category = 'not at all' interested in politics. LAPOP items are reported in parenthesis after the variable names.