### Supplementary Materials 1. Parties Included in Empirical Analyses

**Austria**
- BZÖ Alliance for the Future of Austria (2007-2010)
- GRÜNE The Greens (1996-2010)
- SPÖ Austrian Social Democratic Party (1996-2010)
- ÖVP Austrian People’s Party (1996-2010)

**Belgium**
- AGALEV Live Differently (1982-2010)
- CVP Christian People’s Party (1977-2010)
- ECOLO Ecologists (1982-2010)
- LDD List Dedecker (2008-2010)
- MR Reform Movement (2004-2010)
- PVV Party of Liberty and Progress (1977-2010)
- SF Socialist People’s Party (1977-2010)
- V Liberals (1977-2010)

**Bulgaria**
- ATAKA National Union Attack (2006-2008)
- BSP Bulgarian Socialist Party (2006-2008)
- DSB Democrats for a Strong Bulgaria (2006-2008)
- KzB Coalition for Bulgaria (2005-2008)
- ODS United Democratic Forces (2005-2008)

**Cyprus**
- DIKO Democratic Party (2005)
- DISY Democratic Coalition (2005)
- KISOS Social Democrats’ Movement (2005)

**Czech Republic**
- KSCM Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia (2005-2010)
- ODS Civic Democratic Party (2005-2010)

**Denmark**
- CD Centre Democrats (1977-2006)
- DF Danish People’s Party (1999-2010)
- DKP Danish Communist Party (1977-1987)
- KF Conservative People’s Party (1977-2006)
- NY New Alliance (2008-2010)
- RV Radical Party (1977-2010)
- SD Social Democratic Party (1977-2010)
- SF Socialist People’s Party (1977-2010)
- V Liberals (1977-2010)

**Estonia**
- EER Estonian Greens (2008-2010)
- ER Estonian Reform Party (2005-2010)
- IL Pro Patria Union (2005-2006)
- K Estonian Center Party (2005-2010)
- M People’s Party Moderates (2005-2010)
- RP Union for the Republic (2005-2010)

**Finland**
- KK National Coalition (1994-2010)
- LKP Liberal People’s Party (1994)
- NSP Progressive Finnish Party, also known as Young Finns (1996-1998)
- SKL Finnish Christian Union (1994-2010)
- SSDP Finnish Social Democrats (1994-2010)
- VAS Left Wing Alliance (1994-2010)
- VL Green Union (1994-2010)

**France**
- CDP Centre, Democracy and Progress (1977)
- CNIP National Centre of Independents and Peasants – Conservatives (1977-1992)
- FN National Front (1987-2010)
- GE Ecology Generation (1977-2010)
- MR Reformers’ Movement (1977)
- PCF French Communist Party (1977-2010)
- PS Socialist Party (1977-2010)
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RPR Rally for the Republic – Gaullists (1977-2001)  
UDF Union for French Democracy (1979-2010)  
UMP Union for the Presidential Majority (2003-2010)

Germany
90/Greens Alliance’90/Greens (1984-2010)  
CDU/CSU Christian Democratic Union/Christian Social Union (1977-2010)  
FDP Free Democratic Party (1977-2010)  
LINKE The Left (2010)  
SPD Social Democratic Party of Germany (1977-2010)

Great Britain
Conservative Party (1977-2010)  
Labour Party (1977-2010)  
Liberal Party (1977-2010)  

Greece (1981-2007)
DIKKI Democratic Social Movement (1997-1999)  
KKE Communist Party of Greece (1981-2006)  
ND New Democracy (1981-2007)  
Pola Political Spring (1994-1999)  
SYRIZA Coalition of the Left, Movements and Ecology (2005-2006)

Hungary
FiDeSz-MPSz Federation of Young Democrats - Hungarian Civic Union (2005-2010)  
FiDeSz-MPSz-KDNP Alliance of Federation of Young Democrats - Hungarian Civic Union - Christian Democratic People's Party (2007-2010)  
MDF Hungarian Democratic Forum (2005-2009)  
MSzDP Hungarian Social Democratic Party (2007-2010)  
MSzP Hungarian Socialist Party (2005-2010)  
SzDSz Alliance of Free Democrats (2005-2009)

Ireland
DLP Democratic Left Party (1993-2001)  
Family of the Irish (1977-2010)  
Green Party (1990-2010)  
Labour Party (1997-2010)  
PD Progressive Democrats (1988-2010)  
Soldiers of Destiny (1977-2010)  
WP Workers’ Party (1982-1992)

Italy
AD Democratic Alliance (1995-2000)  
CCD Christian Democratic Centre (1997-2000)  
DC Christian Democrats (1977-2000)  
Fi Go Italy (1995-2007)  
FdV Green Federation (1988-2007)  
House of Freedom (2002-2005)  
IdV List Di Pietro - Italy of Values (2002-2010)  
LN Northern League (1993-2010)  
M-DL Daisy Democracy is Freedom (2002-2005)  
MSI-DN Italian Social Movement-National Right (1977-2007)  
NPSI New Italian Socialist Party (2002-2007)  
Olive Tree (2002-2007)  
PCI Italian Communist Party (1977-2005)  
PD Democratic Party (2009-2010)  
PI Pact for Italy (1995)  
PLI Italian Liberal Party (1977-1993)  
PR Radical Party (1977-2000)  
PRI Italian Republican Party (1977-1993)  
PSDI Italian Democratic Socialist Party (1977-1993)  
PSI Italian Socialist Party (1977-1995)  
PdCI Party of Italian Communists (2002-2007)  
PdL People of Freedom (2009-2010)  
RI Italian Renewal (1977-2000)  
RnP Rose in the Fist (2007)  
The Girasole (Sunflower) (2002-2005)  
UdC Union of the Center (2007-2010)  
White Flower (2002-2005)

Latvia
JL New Era (2005)  
LC Latvian Way Union (2005)
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LPP Latvia’s First Party (2005)
PCTVL For Human Rights in a United Latvia (2005)
TP People’s Party (2005)

Luxembourg
CSV/PCS Christian Social People’s Party (1977-2010)
DP/PD Democratic Party (1977-2010)
GAP Green Alternative (1985-1993)
GLEI Green Left Ecological Initiative (1990-1993)
LSAP/POSL Socialist Workers’ Party (1977-2010)
The Greens (2005-2010)
The Left (2010)

Netherlands
CU Christian Union (2003-2010)
DS’70 Democratic Socialists’70 (1977-1980)
D’66 Democrats’66 (1977-2010)
GL Green Left (1990-2010)
LN Livable Netherlands (2003-2005)
LPF List Pim Fortuyn (2003-2005)
PPR Radical Political Party (1977-1988)
PVV Party of Freedom (2007-2010)
PvdA Labour Party (1977-2010)
SP Socialist Party (1995-2010)
VVD People’s Party for Freedom and Democracy (1977-2010)

Norway

Poland
LPR League of Polish Families (2005-2006)
PO Civic Platform (2005-2010)
PiS Law and Justice (2005-2010)
SLD Democratic Left Alliance (2006)

Portugal
BE Left Bloc (2000-2010)
CDS Social Democratic Center Party (1986-2010)
CDU Unified Democratic Coalition (1992-2008)
ID Democratic Intervention (1988-1990)
MDP Popular Democratic Movement (1986)
PCP Portuguese Communist Party (1986-2010)
PS Socialist Party (1986-2010)
PSD Social Democratic Party (1986-2010)
UDP Popular Democratic Union (1986-1990)

Romania
PDL Democratic Liberal Party (2009-2010)
PNL National Liberal Party (2009-2010)

Slovakia
ANO Alliance of the New Citizen (2005)
HZDS Movement for a Democratic Slovakia (2005-2010)
KDH Christian Democratic Movement (2005-2010)
KSS Communist Party of Slovakia (2005)
SDKÚ-DS Slovak Democratic and Christian Union - Democratic Party (2005-2010)
SDL' Party of the Democratic Left (2005)
Smer Direction-Social Democracy (2005-2010)

Slovenia
For Real (2009-2010)
LDS Liberal Democracy of Slovenia (2005-2010)
SD Social Democratic Party (2005-2010)
SDS Slovenian Democratic Party (2005-2010)
SLS Slovenian People's Party (2005-2010)
SNS Slovenian National Party (2005-2010)

Spain
CDS Centre Democrats (1986-1995)
CiU Convergence and Union (1986-2010)
IU United Left (1986-2010)
PP Popular Party (1986-2010)
PSOE Spanish Socialist Workers’ Party (1986-2010)
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