

Curriculum Vitae

Prof. Dr. Alexander H. Trechsel




Prof. Dr. Alexander Trechsel completed his BA and MA in Political Science at the University of Geneva in Switzerland. In 1999, he obtained his PhD in Political Science (with the highest distinction), also at the University of Geneva. From 2005 to 2016 Professor Trechsel held the Swiss Chair in Federalism and Democracy at the European University Institute (EUI) in Florence. In addition to this, he was from 2013 to 2016 Head of the Department for Political and Social Sciences at the same institute. Also, from 2012 to 2015, he was Faculty Fellow at the Berkman Klein Center for Internet and Society at Harvard University and a Faculty Associate there since 2015. Since 2016, he is full professor for political science and as of 2018 he is also serving as Vice Rector for Research of the University of Lucerne.

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Education

- 2015 **Habilitation** as full (ordinary) professor in Italy
- 1999 **Ph.D. in Political Science** (with highest distinction), University of Geneva, Switzerland
- 1994 **M.A. in Political Science**, University of Geneva, Switzerland
- 1992 **B.A. in Political Science**, University of Geneva, Switzerland

Academic Career

- 2018 – **Vice Rector for Research**
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Lucerne
- 2017 – **Full Professor of Political Science**
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Lucerne
- 2015 – **Faculty Associate**
Berkman Klein Center for Internet and Society, Harvard University

- 2017 –18 **Chair of the Board of the Graduate School Lucerne**
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Lucerne
- 2017 –18 **Head of Department of the Department of Political Science**
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Lucerne
- 2013 – 16 **Head of the Department of Political and Social Sciences**
European University Institute, Florence (Italy)
- 2005 – 16 **Full Professor of Political Science**
Department of Political and Social Sciences, European University Institute
- 2012 – 15 **Faculty Fellow**
Berkman Klein Center for Internet and Society, Harvard University
- 2002 – 03 **Part-time Professor of Political Science**
Department of Political and Social Sciences, European University Institute
- 2002 – 03 **Chargé de cours suppléant**
Department of Political Science, University of Geneva
- 2001 **Professeur remplaçant de science politique (part-time Professor of Political Science)**
Institute of Political Science and International Relations, University of Lausanne
- 2001 – 05 **Adjunct Professor of Political Science**
Kent State University Geneva-Programme, Kent State University
- 2000 – 05 **Maître-assistant and Vice-director**
Research and Documentation Center for Direct Democracy (c2d), University of Geneva
- 1999 – 2000 **Visiting fellow** (fellowship by the Swiss National Science Foundation)
European University Institute
- 1999 **Maître-assistant and Vice-director**
Research and Documentation Center for Direct Democracy (c2d), University of Geneva
- 1993 – 99 **Research Assistant**
Research and Documentation Center for Direct Democracy (c2d), University of Geneva

Grants and awards

- Grant from the Swiss National Science Association for the research project “MICAP” (2018-2021)
- Grant from the UNDP for the research project “Participatory Democracy” (2013-2014).
- Grant as Co-Investigator from the European Commission FP7 Programme for the research project “Puzzled by Policy” (2010-2013).
- Grant as Co-Investigator from the Fundação Francisco Manuel dos Santos, Portugal, for the research project “Small States in Europe – a Comparative Perspective” (2011-2014).
- Grant from the Jean Monnet Programme for the research project “Elections in Times of Crisis” (2011-2012).

- Grant from the Jean Monnet Programme for the research project “The Euro-crisis and Democracy in the EU” (2011-2012).
- Grant as Co-Investigator (leader) from the EUI Research Council for the project “EU Democracy Observatory 2010” (2010).
- Grant as Co-Investigator from the S&D Group in the European Parliament for the research project “The Effects of the Lisbon Treaty on the EP” (2010).
- Grant from the European Economic and Social Committee for the research project “EU Member States Consultations with Civil Society on European Policy Matters” (2010).
- Grant from the Council of Europe for the research project “E-voting in Estonia: EP Elections 2009 and Local Elections 2009” (2009).
- Grant as Co-Investigator (leader) from the EUI Research Council for the research project “EU Democracy Observatory 2009” (2009).
- Winner of the World e-Democracy Forum Award, Paris, 2009, for the “EU Profiler” project.
- Grant from the EUI/RSCAS, Kieskompas, NCCR Zürich for the research project “EU Profiler” (2008-2009).
- Grant as Co-Investigator from the Swiss National Science Foundation for the research project “Smart-voting as a Tool for Electronic Campaigning” (2005-2009).
- Grant as Co-Investigator from the European Commission FP6 Programme for the research project “Enabling Citizen’s Initiative to eParticipation” (2007-2008), Co-investigator.
- Grant from the Council of Europe for the research project “E-voting in the Estonian National Elections 2007” (2007).
- Grant as Co-Investigator (leader) from the EUI Research Council for the research project “Ombudsman Studies: An Interdisciplinary Study of Multilevel Accountability and Political Effectiveness” (2007).
- Grant from the EUI Research Council for the research project “Patterns of e-Democracy in Advanced Industrial Societies” (2006).
- Grant as Co-Investigator from the Swiss National Science Foundation for the research project “Le juge Suisse et la démocratie directe” (2003-2006).
- Grant from the Council of Europe for the research project “E-voting in the Estonian Local Elections 2005” (2005).
- Grant as Co-Investigator (leader) from the Council of Europe for the research project “The Future of Democracy in Europe” (2003-2004).
- Grant as Co-Investigator (leader) from the European Parliament for the research project “E-democracy in Europe” (2003-2004).
- Grant as Co-Investigator (leader) from the European Commission’s FP5 Programme for the research project on “Internet Voting and European Parliamentary Elections” (2002).
- Grant from the Swiss National Science Foundation for the research project “Institutional Attachment and the Shaping of Attitudes Towards Europe” (2000-2002).
- Postdoctoral fellowship at the European University Institute, Florence, Italy, offered by the Swiss National Science Foundation (1999-2000).

Teaching

Main classes taught at the undergraduate (B.A.) level

- 2002/03 (Winter), University of Geneva
"Politique Suisse – La politique suisse au début du 3^{ème} millénaire" (Replacing Prof. Hanspeter Kriesi)
- 2001/02 (Spring), Université de Lausanne
"Politique Suisse" (Replacing Prof. Yannis Papadopoulos)
- 2000/01 (Fall), University of Geneva
"Politique Suisse - La politique suisse au début du 3^{ème} millénaire" (Replacing Prof. Hanspeter Kriesi)
- From 2001 to 2005: two yearly cycles of 14 classes (3 hours each) at Kent State University, Geneva campus

Classes taught at the B.A. and M.A. level

- 2016/17 (Fall), University of Lucerne
"Political Behavior and Communication"
- 2016/17 (Fall), University of Lucerne
"Federalism, Democracy and Governance in the EU"
- 2016/17 (Fall), University of Lucerne
"Party Research – old and new"
- 2016/17 (Fall), University of Lucerne
"Colloquium BA- and MA-theses"
- 2016/17 (Spring), University of Lucerne
"Introduction to Comparative Political Research"
- 2016/17 (Spring), University of Lucerne
"Comparative Political Research in Practice"
- 2016/17 (Spring), University of Lucerne
"Introduction to Philosophy, Politics and Economics PPE"
- 2016/17 (Fall), University of Lucerne
"Colloquium BA- and MA-theses"
- 2016/17 (Fall), University of Lucerne
"Frontiers of Public Opinion"

Classes taught at the graduate (Ph.D) level

- 2002/03 (Spring), European University Institute
"Comparing Federalism"
- 2004/05 (Spring), European University Institute
"Federalism and the EU"
- 2005/06 (Fall), European University Institute
"The Future of Democracy"
- 2005/06 (Spring), European University Institute
"Federalism and the EU"
- 2006/07 (Fall), European University Institute
"Comparing Democracies" (with Prof. Peter Mair)
- 2006/07 (Spring), European University Institute
"What's new in federalism – quoi de neuf en fédéralisme?" (with Prof. Jacques Ziller – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)
- 2007/08 (Fall), European University Institute
"Comparing Democracies" (with Prof. Peter Mair)
- 2007/08 (Spring), European University Institute
"EU Federalism and Democracy"

- 2008/09 (Fall), European University Institute
“Frontiers of Democracy” (with Prof. Peter Mair)
- 2008/09 (Spring), European University Institute
“European Parliamentary Elections and Beyond”
- 2009/10 (Fall), European University Institute
“Democracy’s Futures” (with Prof. Peter Mair)
- 2009/10 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet and Politics”
- 2010/11 (Fall), European University Institute
“European Democracy” (with Prof. Pepper Culpepper)
- 2010/11 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet, Law and Politics” (with Prof. Giovanni Sartor – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)
- 2011/12 (Fall), European University Institute
“Reading Peter Mair”
- 2011/12 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet, Law and Politics” (with Prof. Giovanni Sartor – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)
- 2012/13 (Fall), European University Institute
“Federalism and Democracy in the European Union”
- 2012/13 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet, Law and Politics” (with Prof. Giovanni Sartor – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)
- 2013/14 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet, Law and Politics” (with Prof. Giovanni Sartor – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)
- 2014/15 (Fall), European University Institute
“Public Opinion and Political Behavior” (with Prof. Hanspeter Kriesi)
- 2014/15 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet, Law and Politics” (with Prof. Giovanni Sartor – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)
- 2015/16 (Fall), European University Institute
“Governance and Democracy in Multilevel Systems” (with Prof. Philipp Genschel)
- 2015/16 (Spring), European University Institute
“Internet, Law and Politics” (with Prof. Giovanni Sartor – interdisciplinary class, SPS and LAW Department)

Teaching-Workshops, Graduate (Ph.D) level

- “New forms of research in political behavior” (May 2005)
- “Democracy and Accountability” (June 2005, with Profs. László Bruszt and Peter Mair)
- “Democracy Research in Practice” (December 2006, with Prof. Peter Mair)
- “Structural Equation Modeling” (June 2007, with Prof. Jaap Dronkers)
- “Electoral Forecasting Models: Experimentations, Results and Recent Advances” (September 2007, with Prof. Martial Foucault)
- “Innovations in Research on Electoral Behavior” (April 2008)
- “The Legislators of Europe” (April 2009, with Profs. Adrienne Héritier and Peter Mair)
- “Research Skills for the World of Big Data” (April-May 2013, with Dr. Jonathan Bright)

Directorship of Academic Book Series

- Co-director of the book series “Politik und Demokratie in den kleineren Ländern Europas – Politics and Governance in the Smaller European Democracies, Nomos (since 2008)

Membership on Advisory Boards of Journals

- Member of the International Scientific Board of the *Italian Political Science Review / IPSR (former RISP)* (since 2013)
- Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Election Technology and Systems / JETS* (since 2012)
- Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Information Technology and Politics / JITP* (since 2007)

Reviewer for Journals

American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Political Analysis, Journal of Politics, British Journal of Political Science, Political Communication, European Journal of Political Research, European Union Politics, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties, Journal of European Public Policy, Journal of Public Policy, West European Politics, European Political Science Review, Journal of Common Market Studies, Swiss Political Science Review, International Journal of Electronic Government Research.

Publications

Books

- Grofman, Bernhard, Suhay, Liz and Alexander H. Trechsel (eds.), 2019. *The Oxford Handbook of Electoral Persuasion*. Oxford: **Oxford University Press** (forthcoming).
- Grofman, Bernhard, Alexander H. Trechsel and Mark Franklin (eds.), 2014. *The Internet and Democracy in Global Perspective: Voters, Candidates, Parties, and Social Movements*. New York: **Springer**.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. & Andrew Glencross (eds.), 2010. *EU Federalism and Constitutionalism: The Legacy of Altiero Spinelli*. Lanham: **Lexington Books**.
- Kriesi, Hanspeter & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2008. *The Politics of Switzerland. Continuity and Change in a Consensus-Democracy*, Cambridge: **Cambridge University Press**.
- Trechsel, Alexander (ed.) (2006). *Towards a Federal Europe?* London: **Routledge**.
- Schmitter, Philippe C. & Trechsel, Alexander H. (eds.), 2004. *Green Paper on the Future of Democracy in Europe. Trends, Analyses and Reforms*. Strasbourg: **Council of Europe** (also translated into French, Italian and Albanian).
- Trechsel, Alexander & Mendez, Fernando (eds.), 2005. *The European Union and E-voting. Addressing the European Parliament's internet voting challenge*, London: **Routledge**.
- Auer, Andreas & Alexander H. Trechsel (eds.), 2001. *Voter par Internet? Le projet e-voting dans le canton de Genève dans une perspective socio-politique et juridique*, Basel, Genf & München: **Helbing & Lichtenhahn**.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2000. *Feuerwerk Volksrechte. Die Volksabstimmungen in den schweizerischen Kantonen 1970-1996*. Basel, Genf & München: **Helbing & Lichtenhahn**.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. & Uwe Serdült, 1999. *Kaleidoskop Volksrechte. Die Institutionen der direkten Demokratie in den schweizerischen Kantonen 1970-1996*. Basel, Genf & München: **Helbing & Lichtenhahn**.

Articles in peer-reviewed journals

- Pianzola, Joëlle, Alexander H. Trechsel, Kristjan Vassil, Guido Schwerdt and R. Michael Alvarez, 2019. "The impact of personalized information on vote intention: evidence from a randomized field experiment" *Journal of Politics* (accepted for publication).
- Garzia, Diego, Trechsel, Alexander H. and Andrea De Angelis, 2017. "Voting Advice Applications and Electoral Participation: A Multi-Method Study" *Political Communication*, 34: 424–443.
- Garzia, Diego, de Sio, Lorenzo and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2017. "Party placement in supranational elections: An introduction to the euandi 2014 dataset", *Party Politics* 23(4): 333-341.
- Vassil, Kristjan, Solvak, Mihkel, Vinkel, Priit, Trechsel, Alexander H. and R. Michael Alvarez, 2016. "Diffusion of Internet Voting Usage Patterns of Internet Voting in Estonia Between 2005-2015" *Government Information Quarterly* 33(3): 453-59.
- Garzia, Diego and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2015. "Systèmes d'Aide au Vote et comportement politique: tour d'horizon" *Revue internationale de politique comparée* 22(2): 231-243.
- Bright, Jonathan, Garzia, Diego, Lacey, Joseph and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2015. "Europe's voting space and the problem of second-order elections: A transnational proposal" *European Union Politics* 17(1): 184-198.
- Dinas, Elias, Trechsel, Alexander H., and Kristjan Vassil, 2014. "A Look into the Mirror. Preferences, Representation and Electoral Participation" *Electoral Studies* 36: 290-297.
- Alvarez, R. Michael, Levin, Inés, Trechsel, Alexander H. and Kristjan Vassil, 2014. "Voting Advice Applications: how useful and for whom?" *Journal of Information Technology and Politics* 11: 82-101.
- Bardi, Luciano, Bartolini, Stefano and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2014. "Responsive or responsible? The role of parties in the 21st century politics" *West European Politics* 37(2): 235-252.
- Alvarez, R. Michael, Levin, Inés, Mair, Peter and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2014. "Party preferences in the digital age – The impact of voting advice applications" *Party Politics* 20(2), 227-236.
- Bardi, Luciano, Bartolini, Stefano and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2014. "Party adaptation and change and the crisis of democracy" *Party Politics* 20(2): 151-159.
- Gasser, Urs and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2013. "Casting Votes over the Internet: What Switzerland Might Teach Us About the Future of Elections" *Harvard International Review* Spring 2013: 53-57.
- Glencross, Andrew and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2011. "First or Second Order Referendums? Understanding the Votes on the EU Constitutional Treaty in Four EU Member States" *West European Politics* 34(4): 121-145.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., and Peter Mair, 2011. „When parties (also) position themselves – an introduction to the EU Profiler" *Journal of Information Technology and Politics* 8(1): 1-20.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2010. „Reflexive Accountability and Direct Democracy" *West European Politics* 33(5): 1050-64.
- Alvarez, Michael, Hall, Thad & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2009. "Internet Voting in Comparative Perspective: The Case of Estonia" *PS: Political Science & Politics* 42(3): 497-505.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2007. "Inclusiveness of Old and New Forms of Citizens' Electoral Participation", *Representation*. 43(2): 111-121.
- Trechsel, Alexander, 2005. "How to Federalize the European Union ... and Why Bother" *Journal of European Public Policy* 12(3): 401-18.
- Trechsel, Alexander, 2005. "Introduction" *Journal of European Public Policy* 12(3): 397-40.
- Christin, Thomas & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2002. "Joining the EU? Explaining public opinion in Switzerland" *European Union Politics* 3(4): 415-443.
- Barankay, Iwan, Sciarini, Pascal & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2002. "Institutional Openness and the use of Referendums and Popular Initiatives: Evidence from Swiss cantons" *Swiss Political Science Review* 9(1): 169-199.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. & Pascal Sciarini, 1998. "Direct Democracy in Switzerland. Do Elites Matter?" *European Journal of Political Research* 33(1): 99-124.

- Sciarini, Pascal & Alexandre H. Trechsel, 1996. "Démocratie directe en Suisse: l'élite politique victime des droits populaires?" *Revue Suisse de Science Politique*. 2(2), pp. 201-232.

Book chapters

- Torcal, Mariano and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2016. "Explaining Citizens' Evaluations of Democracy", pp. 206-232 in Ferrín, Mónica and Hanspeter Kriesi (eds.), 2016. *How Europeans View and Evaluate Democracy*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Garzia, Diego, Trechsel, Alexander H., Vassil, Kristjan and Elias Dinas, 2014. "Indirect Campaigning – Past, Present and Future of Voting Advice Applications", pp. 25-41 in Grofman, Bernhard, Alexander H. Trechsel and Mark Franklin (eds.), 2014. *The Internet and Democracy in Global Perspective: Voters, Candidates, Parties, and Social Movements*. New York: Springer.
- Ritter, Daniel P. and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2014. "Revolutionary Cells: On the Role of Texts, Tweets, and Status Updates in Nonviolent Revolutions" pp. 111-128 in Grofman, Bernhard, Alexander H. Trechsel and Mark Franklin (eds.), 2014. *The Internet and Democracy in Global Perspective: Voters, Candidates, Parties, and Social Movements*. New York: Springer.
- Sudulich, Maria Laura, Garzia, Diego and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2014. "Party placement in supranational elections: The case of the 2009 EP elections" in Diego Garzia and Stefan Marschall (eds.) *Matching Voters with Parties and Candidates*, ECPR Press.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. and Josef Hien, 2013. "Einige Gedanken zur Geburtsstunde der Europäischen Bürgerinitiative", pp. 415-27 in *Festschrift zum 65. Geburtstag von Andreas Auer*, Bern: Stämpfli.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2010. "Spinelli's Heritage: An Introduction to the European Union's Post-Lisbon Challenge", pp. xv-xx in Alexander H. Trechsel and Andrew Glencross (eds.) *EU Federalism and Constitutionalism: The Legacy of Altiero Spinelli*. Lanham: Lexington Books.
- Trechsel, Alexander, 2010. „How much „second-order“ were the European Parliamentary Elections 2009?“, in Wojciech Gagatsek (ed.) *The 2009 European Parliamentary Elections – an E-Book*, Florence: European Union Democracy Observatory.
- Kersting, Norbert, Schmitter Philippe C. & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2008. „Die Zukunft der Demokratie“, pp. 40-62 in Norbert Kersting (ed.) *Politische Beteiligung. Einführung in dialogorientierte Instrumente politischer und gesellschaftlicher Partizipation*. Wiesbaden: VS Verlag für Sozialwissenschaften.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2007. "Popular votes", in Ulrich Klöti et al. (ed.) *Handbook of Swiss Politics - 2nd, completely revised edition*, Zürich: NZZ Verlag, pp. 435-461.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2007. "Direct democracy and European integration – A limited obstacle?", pp. 36-51 in Clive H. Church (ed.) *Switzerland and the European Union*, London: Routledge.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2007. "E-voting and Electoral Participation", pp. 159-182 in Claes de Vreese (ed.) *Dynamics of Referendum Campaigns – An International Perspective*, London: Palgrave.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2007. "Volksabstimmungen", in Ulrich Klöti et al. (ed.) *Handbuch Politisches System der Schweiz – 4., vollständig überarbeitete Auflage*, Zürich: NZZ Verlag, pp. 459-487.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2005. "Curing democracy's ills? Modern technology and democratic procedures", in *Reflections on the future of democracy in Europe*, Strasbourg: Council of Europe Publishing, pp. 45-50.
- Mendez, Fernando & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2005. „The European Union and e-voting: upgrading Euro-elections“, pp. 1-25 in Trechsel, Alexander and Mendez, Fernando (eds.) *The European Union and E-voting. Addressing the European Parliament's internet voting challenge*, London: Routledge.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2003. "Perspektiven der e-democracy in der EU", in Andreas Auer, Thomas Koller & Alexander H. Trechsel (Hsg.) *E-voting. Actes du colloque Informatique juridique 2002*. Bern: Stämpfli, pp. 367-387.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., Fernando Mendez & Raphaël Kies, 2002. "Remote voting via the Internet? The canton of Geneva pilot-project", in Dimitri Gritzalis (ed.) *Secure Electronic Voting*. Kluwer Academic Publishers, pp. 181-194.

- Hug, Simon & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2002. "Clivages et identification partisane" in Simon Hug & Pascal Sciarini (eds.) *Changements de valeurs et nouveaux clivages politiques en Suisse*, Paris: L'Harmattan, pp. 207-235.
- Kies, Raphaël & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2001. "Le contexte socio-politique" in Andreas Auer & Alexander H. Trechsel (eds.), 2001. *Voter par Internet? Le projet e-voting dans le canton de Genève dans une perspective socio-politique et juridique*, Basel: Helbing & Lichtenhahn, pp. 6-73.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. & Frédéric Esposito, 2001. "Why Plebiscite? A Critique of a Nebulous Concept" in Andreas Auer & Michael Bützer (eds.) *Direct Democracy: The Eastern and Central European Experience*, Aldershot: Ashgate, pp. 271-278.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2000. "Popular initiative in Europe" in Richard Rose et al. (eds.) *The International Encyclopedia of Elections*. Washington DC: Congressional Quarterly.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 1999. "Volksabstimmungen" in Ulrich Klöti (ed.) *Handbuch Politisches System der Schweiz*, Zürich: NZZ Verlag, pp. 557-588 (3. Auflage 2002, Englische Übersetzung 2004).
- Trechsel, Alexander H. & Hanspeter Kriesi, 1996. "Switzerland: the referendum and initiative as a centrepiece of the political system" in Michael Gallagher & Pier Vincenzo Uleri (eds.) *The Referendum Experience in Europe*. London: Macmillan, pp. 185-208.

Working paper and reports

- Trechsel, Alexander H., Lorenzo De Sio, and Diego Garzia, 2017. "2014 as the first (truly) European elections?" *EUI Working Papers*, San Domenico di Fiesole (FI): European University Institute. ISBN: 9781138890404.
- Bright, J., Garzia, D., Lacey, J. and Trechsel, A., 2014. "Trans-nationalising Europe's voting space". EUI Working Paper RSCAS 2014/02.
- Rose, Richard and Alexander H. Trechsel, 2013. "How Size Matters: Portugal as an EU Member", *SPP Working Paper 500*, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., Bruno de Witte, Dragana Demjanovic, Elin Hellquist & Josef Hien, 2010. „Legislating after Lisbon – New Opportunities for the European Parliament“, *EUDO Reports 2010*.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. et al., 2010. *Internet voting in Estonia - A comparative analysis of four elections since 2005. Report for the Council of Europe*. Strasbourg, Council of Europe.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. & Peter Mair, 2009. „When parties (also) position themselves – an introduction to the EU Profiler“, *EUI Working Papers RSCAS 2009/65*.
- Trechsel, Alexander H. et al., 2007. *Internet Voting in the March 2007 Parliamentary Elections in Estonia. Report for the Council of Europe*. Strasbourg, Council of Europe.
- Breuer, Fabian & Alexander H. Trechsel, 2006. *Internet Voting in the October 2005 Local Elections in Estonia. Report for the Council of Europe*. Strasbourg, Council of Europe.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., Raphaël Kies, Fernando Mendez & Philippe C. Schmitter, 2003. *Evaluation of the use of new technologies in order to facilitate democracy in Europe*. European Parliament, DG Research, STOA working paper, (116 EN, 10, 2003).
- Trechsel, Alexander H., Fernando Mendez & Raphaël Kies, 2003. "The European Parliament and the Challenge of Internet Voting", *Policy Paper of the European University Institute/The Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies*, 03 (3).
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 2002. "La politique et l'administration dans la société de l'information" in Office fédéral de la statistique (OFS), Groupement de la science et de la recherche (GSR) & Office fédéral de la communication (OFCOM) (ed.) *La société de l'information en Suisse. Etat des lieux et perspectives*. Neuchâtel: OFS, pp. 101-117.
- Trechsel, Alexander H., 1995. "Clivages en Suisse. Analyse des impacts relatifs des clivages sur l'électorat suisse lors des élections fédérales", *Etudes et Recherches*, no. 31, Université de Genève

Languages

German	Mother tongue
French	Excellent (bi-lingual French-German – mother-tongue level)
English	Excellent (C2 level in understanding, speaking and writing)
Italian	Excellent (C2 level in understanding, speaking and writing)
Spanish	Basic
Portuguese	Basic