ONLINE APPENDIX

Fiscal Policy Preferences, Trade-Offs, and Support for Social Investment

Appendix A: Distribution of different types of government spending by country
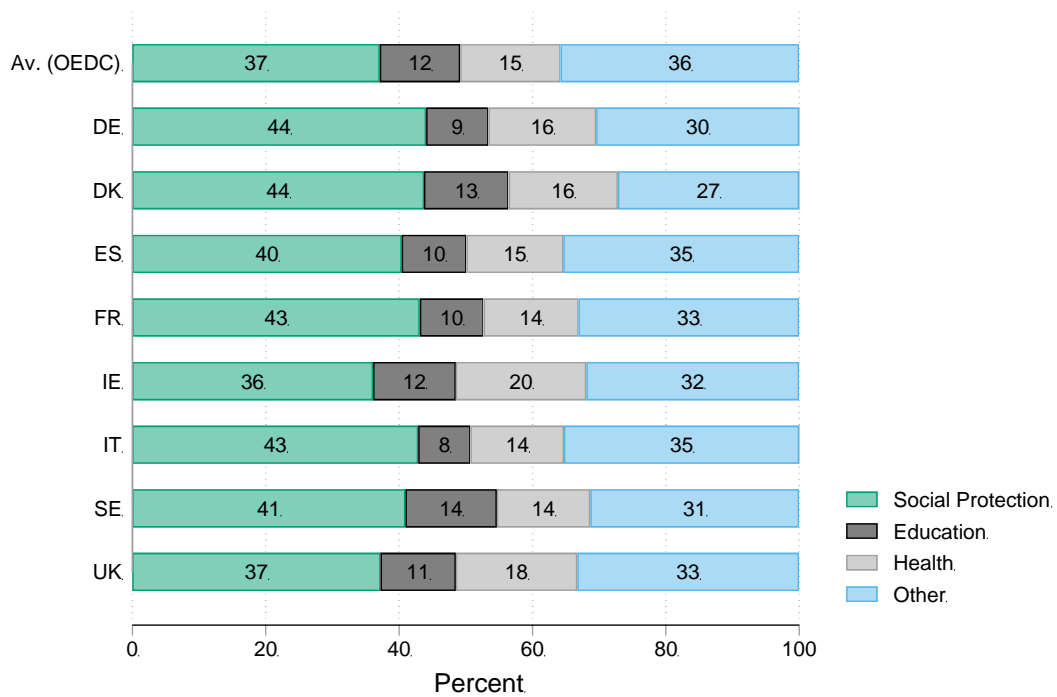

Figure A.1: Government spending in different areas as a share of total government spending in the OECD and eight West European countries

Source: OECD

Appendix B: Coding of dependent and independent variables and summary statistics

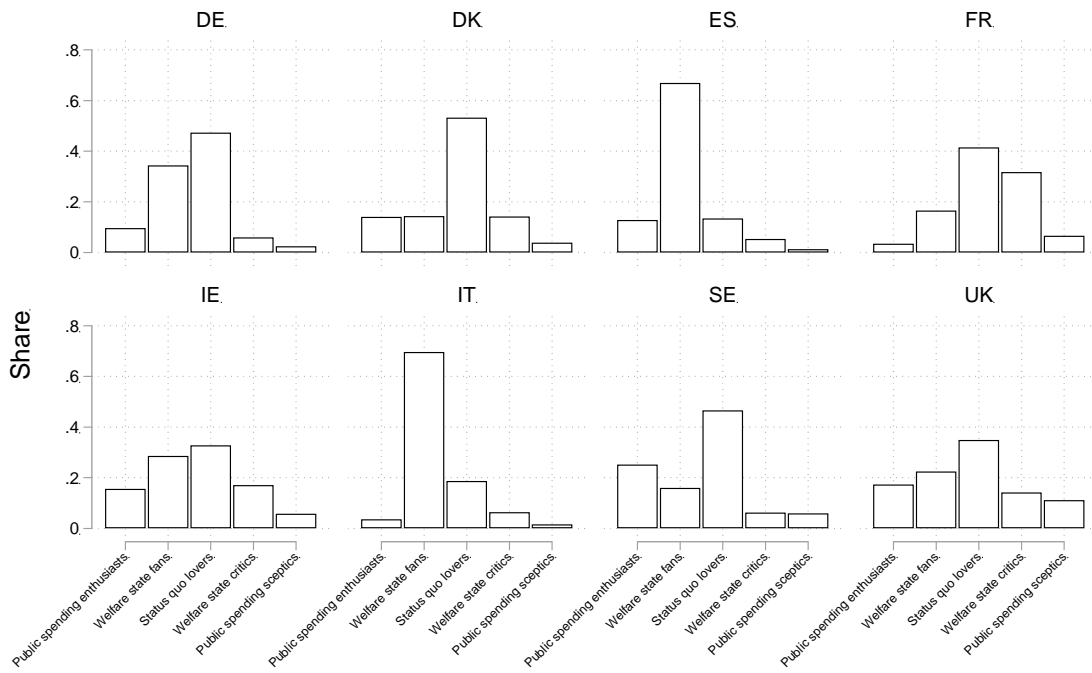**Table A.1**: Summary statistics of dependent and independent variables

	Mean	Std. Deviation	Minimum	Maximum	Observations
Fiscal type	2.64	1.02	1	5	8213
Education vs. unemployment	0.21	0.41	0	1	2261
Education vs. pensions	0.09	0.28	0	1	2164
Families vs. unemployment	0.18	0.39	0	1	2226
Families vs. pensions	0.10	0.29	0	1	2204
Education level	3.38	1.53	1	5	8856
Household income	2.63	1.36	1	5	7982
Retired	0.31	0.46	0	1	8905
Unemployed	0.05	0.22	0	1	8894
Student	0.04	0.19	0	1	8894
Age	54.31	16.72	18	96	8881
Female	0.54	0.50	0	1	8904
Small children	0.14	0.35	0	1	8872
Union member	0.26	0.44	0	1	8867
Left-right position	4.82	2.33	0	10	8152
Government performance	2.51	1.19	1	5	8736
N	8905				

Appendix C: Balance of respondents according to their socio-economic profile across treatment groups

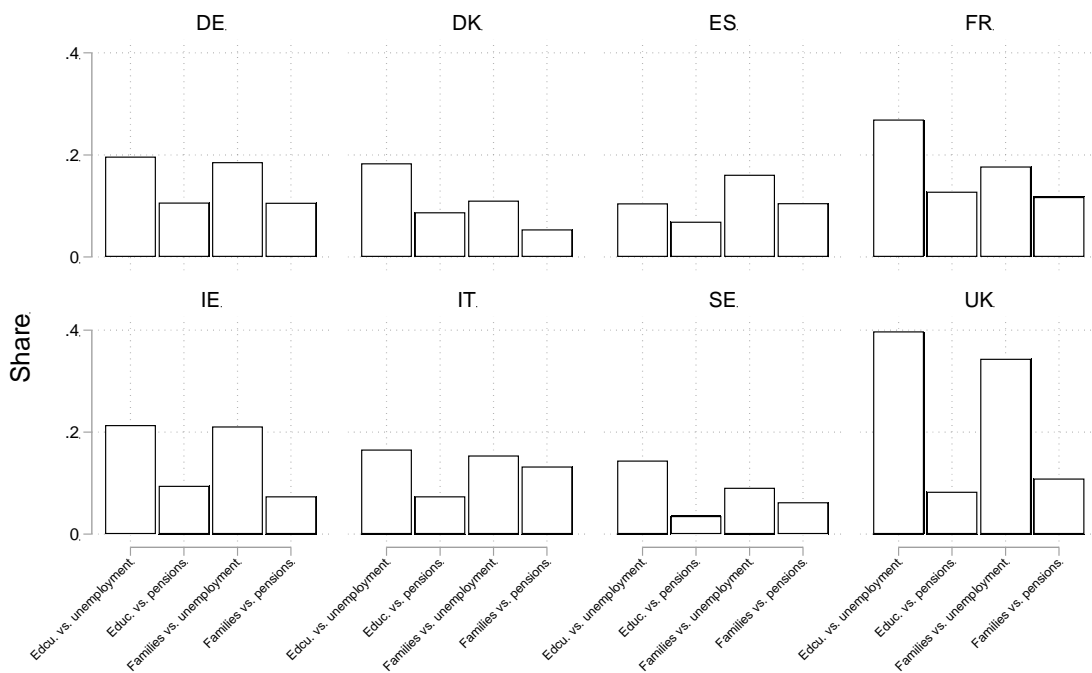**Table A.2**: Means and standard deviation for possible confounding variables across groups

	Education vs. unemployment		Education vs. pensions		Families vs. unemployment		Families vs. pensions	
	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Fiscal type	2.64	1.03	2.65	0.98	2.65	1.03	2.62	1.02
Education level	3.37	1.54	3.36	1.53	3.39	1.54	3.37	1.52
Household income	2.60	1.36	2.63	1.35	2.63	1.36	2.64	1.37
Retired	0.30	0.46	0.32	0.47	0.31	0.46	0.30	0.46
Unemployed	0.05	0.23	0.05	0.21	0.06	0.23	0.04	0.21
Student	0.04	0.21	0.03	0.18	0.03	0.18	0.04	0.19
Age	54.00	16.53	54.83	16.40	54.19	16.96	54.11	17.01
Female	0.55	0.50	0.54	0.50	0.54	0.50	0.54	0.50
Small children	0.13	0.34	0.13	0.34	0.15	0.36	0.14	0.34
Union member	0.27	0.44	0.27	0.44	0.26	0.44	0.26	0.44
Left-right position	4.75	2.35	4.85	2.33	4.88	2.30	4.82	2.34
Gov. perf.	2.54	1.21	2.53	1.19	2.51	1.20	2.48	1.17
N	2261		2164		2226		2204	

Appendix D: Distribution of fiscal types and attitudes towards trade-off scenarios by country

Graphs by country

Figure A.2: Distribution of different fiscal types by country

Graphs by country

Figure A.3: Support for trade-offs across the four different scenarios by country

Appendix E: Additional analyses and robustness tests

Complementing the analysis in the main text, we conducted additional analyses to test the robustness of our results. First, we used different model specifications to replicate Table 4. Particularly, we treated the dependent variable as linear and calculated OLS regression models (Table A.3). Alternatively, we treated the dependent variable as an ordered categorical variable and used ordered logit regression models (Table A.4). The main results reported in the main text do not change.

Second, in the regression models in the main text, we did not use survey weights because the independent variables control directly for differences in the dependent variable related to these characteristics (e.g. age, gender). Yet, as a robustness test, we also calculated all regression models including the survey weights. Our expectation was that the substantive results are unaffected by this but that the significance levels will decrease due to higher standard errors. This is exactly what Table A.5 and A.6 indicate: the significance levels decrease, but the effects still point in the same direction as those in Table 3 and 4, respectively.

Third, we calculated additional models to check whether the results depend on the operationalization and selection of the specific control variables included in the analysis. We operationalized some important control variables differently (e.g. education, income) and included additional variables (e.g. socio-economic class). The reported results remain the same.

Finally, we used a Jackknife resampling approach which systematically drops observations from one country from the analysis and re-estimates the regression models. The results are shown in Table A.7 and A.8, which suggest that our results are not exclusively driven by observations from one particular country.

Table A.3: Replicating Table 4 with OLS regression models

	Dependent variables: Trade-off scenarios							
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	Educ vs. unemployment	Educ vs. pensions	Families vs. unemployment	Families vs. pensions	Educ vs. unemployment	Educ vs. pensions	Families vs. unemployment	Families vs. pensions
Public spending enthusiasts	0.462**	0.166*	0.339**	0.0616	0.340**	0.166*	0.295**	-0.0111
	(3.87)	(2.87)	(4.18)	(1.03)	(3.88)	(2.62)	(4.17)	(-0.15)
Welfare state fans	0.127	0.265**	0.131	0.0690	0.0761	0.245**	0.117	0.0268
	(1.27)	(5.34)	(1.79)	(1.54)	(0.80)	(4.87)	(2.08)	(0.81)
Welfare state critics	-0.432***	0.150	-0.489**	0.0669	-0.465***	0.156	-0.466**	0.0221
	(-6.54)	(1.34)	(-3.94)	(1.33)	(-7.83)	(1.26)	(-3.56)	(0.53)
Public spending sceptics	-0.264	-0.00621	-0.270	0.0912	-0.333	-0.0175	-0.246	0.139
	(-1.68)	(-0.12)	(-0.87)	(1.26)	(-1.78)	(-0.25)	(-0.74)	(1.83)
Education level	-0.00428	-0.0642**	-0.0186	0.0155	0.00233	-0.0631**	-0.0204	0.0103
	(-0.15)	(-4.32)	(-1.35)	(1.28)	(0.08)	(-3.79)	(-1.04)	(0.88)
Household income	-0.00781	-0.0208	0.000968	-0.0661*	0.00652	-0.0203	0.0134	-0.0486
	(-0.32)	(-1.28)	(0.03)	(-3.08)	(0.25)	(-1.19)	(0.35)	(-2.04)
Retired = 1	-0.314	-0.360**	-0.178**	-0.233*	-0.284	-0.374**	-0.141*	-0.198*
	(-2.25)	(-5.02)	(-4.85)	(-3.29)	(-1.85)	(-5.17)	(-3.47)	(-2.57)
Unemployed = 1	0.210	0.0628	0.369*	-0.0216	0.168	0.0732	0.340	-0.0174
	(1.21)	(1.04)	(2.45)	(-0.44)	(0.94)	(1.34)	(2.08)	(-0.16)
Student = 1	-0.0529	0.0132	-0.264	0.183	-0.113	0.0404	-0.189	0.189
	(-0.67)	(0.11)	(-1.74)	(1.23)	(-1.16)	(0.33)	(-1.51)	(1.23)
Age	0.0214***	0.0146**	0.0127***	0.0159***	0.0213***	0.0153***	0.0131***	0.0159***
	(5.81)	(5.40)	(5.80)	(13.61)	(5.79)	(5.88)	(6.07)	(12.27)
Female = 1	0.000272	0.0278	0.0721	0.0982	-0.0486	0.00721	0.0493	0.0730
	(0.00)	(0.70)	(1.67)	(2.21)	(-0.64)	(0.17)	(0.96)	(1.54)
Small children = 1	0.0677	-0.136*	-0.145	-0.104	0.0458	-0.113	-0.139	-0.0674
	(0.76)	(-2.57)	(-2.36)	(-1.09)	(0.52)	(-1.71)	(-2.02)	(-0.67)
Union member = 1	-0.0463	0.0391	0.0990	0.0943	-0.0577	0.0337	0.101	0.0698
	(-0.66)	(0.94)	(1.28)	(1.53)	(-0.74)	(0.91)	(1.21)	(1.54)
Left-right position					-0.0487**	0.0122	-0.0347**	-0.00103
					(-4.21)	(1.40)	(-3.88)	(-0.09)
Government performance					-0.126*	-0.0779*	-0.0750*	-0.124***
					(-3.49)	(-3.11)	(-2.60)	(-6.67)
Constant	2.440***	3.385***	2.842***	3.052***	3.057***	3.523***	3.174***	3.419***
	(12.26)	(23.54)	(12.54)	(27.46)	(13.91)	(20.77)	(13.75)	(22.29)
Observations	1831	1806	1824	1806	1691	1678	1680	1682
R^2	0.158	0.076	0.130	0.067	0.185	0.086	0.146	0.086
Adjusted R^2	0.149	0.066	0.120	0.056	0.175	0.074	0.135	0.074
AIC	5393.8	4860.1	5229.7	4941.3	4932.2	4506.7	4807.2	4541.1
BIC	5432.4	4898.6	5268.2	4979.8	4970.2	4544.7	4845.2	4579.1

t statistics in parentheses
* p < 0.05, ** p <0.01, ** p <0.001

Table A.4: Replicating Table 4 with ordered logistic regression models

	Dependent variables: Trade-off scenarios							
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	Educ vs. unemployment	Educ vs. pensions	Families vs. unemployment	Families vs. pensions	Educ vs. unemployment	Educ vs. pensions	Families vs. unemployment	Families vs. pensions
Public spending enthusiasts	0.813***	0.302**	0.607***	0.195	0.591***	0.297*	0.482***	0.0750
	(3.96)	(2.63)	(3.75)	(1.42)	(3.72)	(2.43)	(3.63)	(0.45)
Welfare state fans	0.216	0.534***	0.256*	0.153*	0.133	0.477***	0.217*	0.0751
	(1.31)	(5.62)	(2.00)	(2.02)	(0.85)	(5.43)	(2.32)	(1.34)
Welfare state critics	-0.687***	0.373	-0.841***	0.242*	-0.773***	0.403	-0.830***	0.171*
	(-6.74)	(1.81)	(-3.88)	(2.43)	(-8.45)	(1.82)	(-3.60)	(2.32)
Public spending sceptics	-0.413	-0.00886	-0.388	0.279*	-0.522	0.00611	-0.381	0.339*
	(-1.29)	(-0.08)	(-0.66)	(2.30)	(-1.35)	(0.05)	(-0.58)	(2.56)
Education level	-0.0146	-0.106***	-0.0356	0.0113	-0.00641	-0.0999*	-0.0395	0.00399
	(-0.31)	(-3.30)	(-1.51)	(0.44)	(-0.13)	(-2.56)	(-1.16)	(0.16)
Household income	-0.00857	-0.0490	-0.0145	-0.133**	0.0148	-0.0448	0.0120	-0.100*
	(-0.22)	(-1.56)	(-0.22)	(-3.08)	(0.33)	(-1.25)	(0.17)	(-2.13)
Retired = 1	-0.566*	-0.723***	-0.351***	-0.408**	-0.514*	-0.734***	-0.292***	-0.343*
	(-2.52)	(-4.90)	(-5.11)	(-2.87)	(-2.02)	(-4.82)	(-3.52)	(-2.30)
Unemployed=1	0.472	0.224	0.627*	-0.0505	0.396	0.270	0.571	-0.0603
	(1.52)	(1.26)	(2.17)	(-1.14)	(1.31)	(1.53)	(1.85)	(-0.38)
Student=1	-0.0778	0.0749	-0.505*	0.260	-0.168	0.139	-0.411	0.248
	(-0.63)	(0.40)	(-1.97)	(0.91)	(-1.10)	(0.68)	(-1.90)	(0.83)
Age	0.0374***	0.0304***	0.0230***	0.0294***	0.0383***	0.0317***	0.0242***	0.0295***
	(6.79)	(6.07)	(5.71)	(12.13)	(6.77)	(6.51)	(5.67)	(10.55)
Female=1	-0.0260	-0.0104	0.0888	0.177*	-0.116	-0.0512	0.0474	0.124
	(-0.22)	(-0.12)	(1.06)	(1.98)	(-0.96)	(-0.58)	(0.47)	(1.32)
Small children=1	0.158	-0.216	-0.270*	-0.223	0.118	-0.169	-0.269*	-0.169
	(0.92)	(-1.83)	(-2.39)	(-1.26)	(0.72)	(-1.24)	(-2.17)	(-0.89)
Union member = 1	-0.0677	0.0789	0.225	0.158	-0.0912	0.0696	0.223	0.125
	(-0.57)	(0.94)	(1.57)	(1.39)	(-0.70)	(0.88)	(1.45)	(1.38)
Economic left-right (right)					-0.0923***	0.0183	-0.0693***	0.00511
					(-4.10)	(1.52)	(-4.69)	(0.20)
Government performance					-0.249***	-0.177***	-0.161***	-0.278***
					(-4.12)	(-3.57)	(-3.42)	(-6.89)
Observations	1831	1806	1824	1806	1691	1678	1680	1682
Pseudo R^2	0.057	0.031	0.046	0.028	0.070	0.035	0.054	0.038
AIC	5056.1	4381.5	5003.5	4574.2	4615.3	4072.2	4602.0	4208.0
BIC	5094.7	4420.0	5042.1	4612.7	4653.3	4110.2	4639.9	4245.9

t statistics in parentheses, cut points not shown
* $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, ** $p < 0.001$

Table A.5: Replicating Table 3 with survey weights

	Dependent variable: Fiscal type							
	(1)				(2)			
	Sending enthusiasts	Welfare state fans	Welfare state critics	Spending sceptics	Spending enthusiasts	Welfare state fans	Welfare state critics	Spending sceptics
Education level	0.0481	-0.0425	-0.0986*	-0.115	0.0276	-0.0347	-0.0835	-0.0718
	(0.92)	(-1.17)	(-2.07)	(-1.73)	(0.49)	(-0.90)	(-1.64)	(-1.03)
Household inc.	-0.159**	-0.180***	0.0836	0.00435	-0.138*	-0.171***	0.0844	-0.0350
	(-2.88)	(-4.24)	(1.59)	(0.06)	(-2.39)	(-3.80)	(1.46)	(-0.49)
Retired = 1	-0.0284	-0.0729	0.216	0.628*	-0.0129	-0.0307	0.284	0.572
	(-0.11)	(-0.44)	(0.98)	(2.00)	(-0.05)	(-0.18)	(1.20)	(1.73)
Unempl. = 1	0.367	0.484*	-0.242	0.412	-0.181	0.416	-0.150	0.434
	(0.92)	(2.01)	(-0.77)	(0.97)	(-0.46)	(1.52)	(-0.45)	(0.97)
Student = 1	0.187	-0.298	-0.0178	-1.431	0.142	-0.441	0.0544	-1.399
	(0.46)	(-0.92)	(-0.04)	(-1.94)	(0.34)	(-1.30)	(0.13)	(-1.89)
Age	0.00513	-0.00162	-0.00316	-0.0319***	0.00703	-0.00279	-0.00411	-0.0327***
	(0.67)	(-0.34)	(-0.47)	(-3.58)	(0.88)	(-0.54)	(-0.56)	(-3.64)
Female = 1	-0.0779	0.370***	0.0316	0.0773	-0.0935	0.285**	0.0267	0.0767
	(-0.56)	(3.70)	(0.24)	(0.43)	(-0.64)	(2.68)	(0.19)	(0.41)
Small children = 1	-0.345	-0.145	-0.0531	-0.540*	-0.281	-0.115	-0.0176	-0.626*
	(-1.74)	(-0.97)	(-0.29)	(-2.06)	(-1.34)	(-0.72)	(-0.09)	(-2.41)
Union member = 1	0.410*	-0.0627	0.0584	0.132	0.326	-0.128	0.0176	0.182
	(2.52)	(-0.49)	(0.31)	(0.57)	(1.95)	(-0.91)	(0.09)	(0.76)
Left-right position					-0.245***	-0.111***	0.134***	0.0745
					(-6.57)	(-4.60)	(4.03)	(1.59)
Government performance					-0.297***	-0.277***	-0.286***	-0.227*
					(-4.30)	(-5.45)	(-4.47)	(-2.45)
Constant	-1.453**	0.327	-1.975***	-1.137*	0.458	1.727***	-1.836**	-0.825
	(-2.84)	(1.03)	(-4.10)	(-2.06)	(0.82)	(4.46)	(-3.00)	(-1.20)
Observations	7366				6808			

t statistics in parentheses
* p < 0.05, ** p <0.01, *** p <0.001

Table A.6: Replicating Table 4 with survey weights

	Dependent variables: Trade-off scenarios							
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	Educ vs. unemployment	Educ vs. pensions	Families vs. unemployment	Families vs. pensions	Educ vs. unemployment	Educ vs. pensions	Families vs. unemployment	Families vs. pensions
Public spending enthusiasts	-0.713	0.536	-0.529	0.659	-1.230**	0.402	-0.549	1.205**
	(-1.84)	(1.08)	(-1.43)	(1.47)	(-2.96)	(0.80)	(-1.34)	(2.81)
Welfare state fans	-0.164	-0.255	-0.00330	-0.0539	-0.0291	-0.423	0.0800	0.165
	(-0.63)	(-0.66)	(-0.01)	(-0.15)	(-0.11)	(-1.00)	(0.28)	(0.45)
Welfare state critics	0.517	-0.137	1.337***	0.713	0.516	-0.148	1.380***	1.014*
	(1.85)	(-0.36)	(4.87)	(1.79)	(1.72)	(-0.37)	(4.87)	(2.38)
Public spending sceptics	0.509	0.182	0.758	0.291	0.819*	0.376	0.753	0.354
	(1.39)	(0.32)	(1.84)	(0.57)	(2.26)	(0.66)	(1.77)	(0.63)
Education level	0.0403	0.142	-0.0257	0.0538	-0.0122	0.148	-0.0183	0.0647
	(0.56)	(1.31)	(-0.33)	(0.54)	(-0.16)	(1.18)	(-0.22)	(0.63)
Household income	0.0574	0.123	0.121	0.0167	0.0654	0.158	0.0845	0.0101
	(0.73)	(0.93)	(1.36)	(0.17)	(0.77)	(1.13)	(0.90)	(0.10)
Retired = 1	0.894**	1.122*	0.548	0.891*	1.041**	1.266*	0.367	0.850
	(2.65)	(2.28)	(1.70)	(2.10)	(2.95)	(2.51)	(1.07)	(1.91)
Unemployed = 1	0.589	0.527	-0.971*	0.517	0.337	-0.735	-0.951	0.472
	(1.29)	(0.66)	(-2.01)	(0.94)	(0.73)	(-1.08)	(-1.88)	(0.71)
Student = 1	0.421	-0.426	-0.0547	0.249	0.699	-0.331	-0.102	0.173
	(0.88)	(-0.63)	(-0.10)	(0.43)	(1.48)	(-0.47)	(-0.19)	(0.30)
Age	-0.0308***	-0.0323*	-0.0308***	-0.0300**	-0.0298***	-0.0360*	-0.0286**	-0.0308**
	(-3.49)	(-2.27)	(-3.39)	(-2.66)	(-3.50)	(-2.37)	(-3.03)	(-2.66)
Female = 1	-0.378	-0.829**	-0.156	-0.302	-0.213	-0.718*	-0.143	-0.126
	(-1.90)	(-2.80)	(-0.79)	(-1.18)	(-1.01)	(-2.32)	(-0.68)	(-0.48)
Small children = 1	0.0751	0.0857	0.276	0.313	0.183	-0.106	0.228	0.0632
	(0.28)	(0.26)	(1.04)	(0.98)	(0.64)	(-0.31)	(0.82)	(0.19)
Union member = 1	0.221	-0.637	0.212	-0.595	0.270	-0.513	0.165	-0.411
	(0.89)	(-1.74)	(0.86)	(-1.49)	(1.02)	(-1.38)	(0.62)	(-1.05)
Left-right position					0.0728	0.0412	0.0375	0.0441
					(1.41)	(0.73)	(0.67)	(0.76)
Government performance					0.0615	0.0684	0.0212	0.323**
					(1.38)	(0.28)	(-0.21)	(3.03)
Constant	-0.122	-1.234	-0.286	-0.990	-0.682	-1.536	-0.537	-2.362**
	(-0.21)	(-1.35)	(-0.46)	(-1.38)	(-0.99)	(-1.52)	(-0.66)	(-2.62)
Observations	1851	1818	1849	1815	1706	1687	1699	1689

Table A.7: Replicating Table 3 with a Jackknife resampling approach (by country)

	Dependent variable: Fiscal type							
	(1)				(2)			
	Public spending enthusiasts	Welfares state fans	Welfare state critics	Public spending sceptics	Public spending enthusiasts	Welfare state fans	Welfare state critics	Public spending sceptics
Education level	0.0562	-0.132*	-0.0465	-0.00477	0.0665	-0.116*	-0.0153	0.0288
	(1.22)	(-2.79)	(-1.00)	(-0.11)	(1.35)	(-2.50)	(-0.31)	(0.75)
Household inc.	-0.163*	-0.189**	0.0211	-0.0867	-0.112	-0.152**	0.0672	-0.0800
	(-2.39)	(-4.90)	(0.35)	(-1.15)	(-1.58)	(-4.46)	(1.79)	(-1.32)
Retired=1	0.0240	-0.365	0.0271	0.246	0.116	-0.275	0.0770	0.216
	(0.19)	(-2.14)	(0.10)	(0.85)	(1.03)	(-1.72)	(0.31)	(0.79)
Unemployed=1	0.0747	0.617*	-0.120	-0.0460	-0.191	0.546	-0.108	-0.157
	(0.34)	(2.45)	(-0.55)	(-0.23)	(-0.65)	(2.25)	(-0.50)	(-0.60)
Student=1	0.350	-0.455	-0.272	-1.064	0.330	-0.435	-0.123	-1.030
	(0.97)	(-1.67)	(-0.89)	(-2.09)	(0.86)	(-1.46)	(-0.40)	(-1.93)
Age	0.00245	-0.00324	-0.00390	-0.0227*	0.00332	-0.00332	-0.00404	-0.0238*
	(0.66)	(-0.49)	(-0.48)	(-2.40)	(0.68)	(-0.48)	(-0.54)	(-2.55)
Female=1	-0.0353	0.274**	-0.0499	0.190*	-0.0646	0.213	-0.0769	0.165
	(-0.44)	(3.80)	(-0.61)	(2.38)	(-0.78)	(2.35)	(-0.93)	(1.73)
Small children=1	-0.0654	-0.0323	0.0913	-0.130	-0.0562	-0.0478	0.00205	-0.172
	(-0.43)	(-0.39)	(0.91)	(-1.00)	(-0.36)	(-0.54)	(0.02)	(-1.27)
Union memb.=1	0.503	-0.306	-0.444	-0.223	0.461	-0.311	-0.388	-0.159
	(2.31)	(-0.99)	(-1.45)	(-1.00)	(1.97)	(-1.03)	(-1.40)	(-0.65)
Left-right position					-0.236***	-0.111**	0.178***	0.108**
					(-8.34)	(-4.85)	(6.18)	(3.71)
Government performance					-0.418**	-0.332*	-0.465*	-0.299*
					(-4.94)	(-2.88)	(-2.41)	(-2.77)
Constant	-1.109*	1.040	-0.648	-0.603	0.830	2.288*	-0.661	-0.440
	(-3.24)	(1.99)	(-2.28)	(-1.43)	(1.56)	(3.00)	(-1.71)	(-1.07)
Observations	7366				6808			
R2	0.0247				0.0664			
AIC	20177.8				17898.7			
BIC	20226.1				17946.5			

t statistics in parentheses

* p < 0.05, ** p < 0.01, *** p < 0.001

Table A.8: Replicating Table 4 with a Jackknife resampling approach (by country)

	Dependent variable: Trade-off scenarios							
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
	Education vs. unempl.	Education vs. pensions	Families vs. unempl.	Families vs. pensions	Education vs. unempl.	Education vs. pensions	Families vs. unempl.	Families vs. pensions
Spending enthusiasts	-0.953**	-0.723*	-0.559*	0.350	-0.940***	-0.795*	-0.643	0.540
	(-4.66)	(-2.64)	(-2.40)	(1.27)	(-7.33)	(-2.81)	(-2.24)	(1.76)
Welfare state fans	-0.207	-0.545*	-0.00357	0.227	-0.0705	-0.519	0.0580	0.317
	(-0.81)	(-2.39)	(-0.01)	(0.95)	(-0.28)	(-1.79)	(0.23)	(1.19)
Welfare state critics	0.993***	0.104	1.124**	0.526	1.037***	0.109	1.144**	0.585*
	(6.20)	(0.39)	(4.26)	(1.82)	(7.16)	(0.35)	(4.43)	(2.57)
Spending sceptics	0.831*	0.0402	1.108	0.449	0.966*	0.147	1.134	0.223
	(2.64)	(0.13)	(1.47)	(1.21)	(2.46)	(0.42)	(1.37)	(0.45)
Education level	0.0493	0.191*	0.0141	-0.0842*	0.0180	0.221**	0.0152	-0.0963*
	(0.80)	(2.84)	(0.40)	(-3.13)	(0.28)	(3.96)	(0.37)	(-2.87)
Household inc.	0.0308	0.0336	0.0157	0.0436	0.0209	0.0439	-0.00260	0.0406
	(0.50)	(0.65)	(0.24)	(0.71)	(0.29)	(0.72)	(-0.04)	(0.59)
Retired=1	0.432	0.546	0.153	0.609*	0.378	0.660	-0.000244	0.538
	(1.11)	(1.99)	(0.83)	(2.83)	(0.89)	(2.15)	(-0.00)	(2.09)
Unemployed=1	-0.245	-0.119	-0.784	-0.0376	-0.154	-0.208	-0.739	-0.0305
	(-0.48)	(-0.20)	(-1.87)	(-0.08)	(-0.30)	(-0.22)	(-1.75)	(-0.05)
Student=1	0.210	0.202	0.149	-0.600	0.370	0.244	0.0495	-0.617
	(0.82)	(0.61)	(0.45)	(-1.19)	(1.21)	(0.80)	(0.15)	(-1.21)
Age	-0.0326**	-0.0236	-0.0233*	-0.0319**	-0.0313**	-0.0269*	-0.0232*	-0.0320**
	(-4.03)	(-2.33)	(-2.76)	(-5.01)	(-3.52)	(-2.45)	(-2.79)	(-4.19)
Female=1	-0.101	-0.562*	-0.258*	-0.438**	-0.0206	-0.521*	-0.252*	-0.436**
	(-0.66)	(-3.46)	(-2.63)	(-3.85)	(-0.13)	(-3.34)	(-2.48)	(-3.59)
Small children=1	-0.0541	0.439**	0.272	0.155	-0.0148	0.352*	0.244	0.0450
	(-0.26)	(4.85)	(2.12)	(0.89)	(-0.06)	(3.20)	(1.62)	(0.20)
Union memb.=1	-0.110	-0.291	-0.251	-0.353	-0.138	-0.237	-0.306	-0.269
	(-0.54)	(-2.18)	(-0.78)	(-1.53)	(-0.60)	(-2.01)	(-0.92)	(-1.29)
Left-right position					0.0980**	-0.0273	0.0440	0.0404
					(4.26)	(-0.68)	(1.40)	(1.27)
Government performance					0.163	0.0742	0.0936	0.159
					(2.02)	(0.62)	(1.21)	(2.34)
Constant	0.0886	-1.616	-0.443	-0.485	-0.867	-1.736	-0.814	-1.101*
	(0.19)	(-2.22)	(-0.70)	(-1.22)	(-1.43)	(-2.25)	(-1.14)	(-2.93)
Observations	1851	1818	1849	1815	1706	1687	1699	1689
R2	0.110	0.0748	0.112	0.0493	0.125	0.0830	0.124	0.0552
AIC	1733.3	990.0	1577.7	1129.6	1570.5	907.7	1450.9	1031.0
BIC	1771.9	1028.5	1616.4	1168.2	1608.6	945.7	1488.9	1069.0

t statistics in parentheses
* p < 0.05, ** p < 0.01, ** p < 0.001