Correction to: Ni gauche ni droite? Positioning the candidates in the 2017 French presidential election

Pascal D. König¹ · Thomas Waldvogel²

Published online: 21 May 2021
© Springer Nature Limited 2021

Correction to: Fr Polit

<https://doi.org/10.1057/s41253-018-0059-8>

The following corrections are made to this article:

All instances of “Boussole Présidentielle” throughout the article are corrected to the proper acknowledgement, “La Boussole présidentielle®” as this is trademarked. In addition, all instances in reference to the media partner “20 min” are corrected to the full name of “20 Minutes”.

In reference to the way the authors gathered the data the authors of the article use the word “extracting” to describe this work. To clarify, “extraction” in this context does not refer to data generation/collection but to the statistical operations that have been used in the paper. This is also described in methodological part of the paper.

It should be clear that the use of the word ‘arbitrary’ to describe the selection of items in VAAs is not a specific criticism of the work of the team that developed La Boussole présidentielle® but instead refers to a limitation of VAA in general – as other scholars have also argued (e.g. Otjes and Louwerse 2014; Germann et al. 2015; Gemenis 2013).

The original article can be found online at <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41253-018-0059-8>.

✉ Pascal D. König
p.koenig@soz.uni-frankfurt.de

Thomas Waldvogel
thomas.waldvogel@politik.uni-freiburg.de

¹ Institut Für Politikwissenschaft, Fachbereich Gesellschaftswissenschaften, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt Am Main, Theodor-W.-Adorno Platz 6, 60323 Frankfurt am Main, Germany

² Seminar Für Wissenschaftliche Politik, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg, Werthmannstr. 12, 79098 Freiburg im Breisgau, Germany

References

- Gemenis, Kostas. 2013. Estimating parties' policy positions through voting advice applications: Some methodological considerations. *Acta Politica* 48: 268–295.
- Germann, Micha, Fernando Mendez, Jonathan Wheatley, and Uwe Serdült. 2015. Spatial maps in voting advice applications: The case for dynamic scale validation. *Acta Politica* 50: 214–238.
- Otjes, Simon, and Tom Louwerse. 2014. A special majority cabinet? Supported minority governance and parliamentary behavior in the Netherlands. *World Political Science* 10 (2): 343–363.

Publisher's Note Springer Nature remains neutral with regard to jurisdictional claims in published maps and institutional affiliations.