

Part-time research assistant for project on infrastructure investment:

Professor Alisha Holland (Government) is conducting a study of electoral cycles in infrastructure contracting in the developing world. I am looking for a student with a strong command of Stata to help build and analyze a dataset of international infrastructure contracts. The basic question is whether politicians sign infrastructure contracts early in their term (when projects are more likely to be completed) or at the end of the term (when politicians need campaign finance from contractors). This part-time position is for ~10 hours per week for the fall semester, with substantial flexibility in the hours and timing. Pay is \$20/hr. Knowledge of Spanish is a plus. If interested, please contact Alisha Holland ([aholland@fas.harvard.edu](mailto:aholland@fas.harvard.edu)).