**Additional Data Manipulation**

File: tj\_vox\_data.csv

*Screening*:

Respondents were screened out if they indicated that they (1) did not have Spanish nationality; (2) failed the attention check [quality\_check]; (3) if the respondent was under 18

*Adjusting variables:*

* Responses coded as 98/99 was recoded as an NA (for example, education)
* Variable labels were adjusted to increase recognizability with questionnaire
* Numeric variables for parties and regions were re-coded to reflect the actual party/region indicated by the respondent

*Creation of new variables:*

Columns 51-69 were created after data collection.

1. *treat* indicates which treatment group a respondent was assigned to
   1. (0 – control; 1 – adding infrastructure honoring victims; 2 – removing infrastructure honoring perpetrators; 3 – education guidelines to honor victims; 4 – education guidelines to ban honoring perpetrators)
2. *inf* indicates whether the respondent was exposed to an infrastructure-based vignette
3. *edu* indicates whether the respondent was exposed to an education-based vignette
4. *victim* indicates whether the respondent was exposed to a victim-based vignette
5. *perpetrator* indicates whether the respondent was exposed to a perpetrator-based vignette
6. *same\_region* indicates whether a respondent is from the region in which the vignette is based in (for example, someone from Extremadura reads story about policy in Extremadura)
7. *treated* is a binary indicator of whether someone got any of the ‘treatment’ (non-placebo) conditions
8. *voteVox* is a binary indicator of whether someone is most likely to vote for Vox if elections were held today vs. any other response
9. *engageVox* is a binary indicator of whether someone is interested in seeing Vox’s reaction to the news story vs. any other response
10. *votePP* is a binary indicator of whether someone is most likely to vote for the PP if elections were held today vs. any other response
11. *polarization* is calculated as the difference in feeling thermometer scores on the affective polarization question between their highest rated voting group and their lowest rated voting group
12. *engageLEFT* is a binary indicator of whether someone is interested in seeing Podemos or Sumar’s reaction to the news story vs. any other response
13. *date\_dummy* is a binary indicator of whether someone took the survey on or after June 13th (1) vs. before (0)
14. *date\_dummy2* is a binary indicator of whether someone took the survey after June 13th (1) vs. before (0), with respondents on June 13th considered NAs
15. *date\_dummy3* is a binary indicator of whether someone took the survey after June 13th (1) vs. before (0), with respondents on June 12th or 13th considered NAs
16. *day* simply the date of taking the survey (removing time)
17. *daybin* respondents assigned to a 2-day period for when they took the survey (number day of the month)
18. *timer* is the number of seconds spent on the treatment page
19. *text* is the qualitative text reaction to reading a vignette