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## Appendix

Table A.1.

Descriptive statistics					
Statistic	N	Mean	St. Dev.	Min	Max
Politicization of Justice	45,632	0.2	0.4	0	1
Fairness of Justice	45,968	6.1	2.0	0	10
Education	49,933	2.7	1.9	0	6
Trust in politics	47,889	3.4	2.3	0.0	10.0
Ideological radicalism	41,840	1.5	1.5	0	5
Political winner	29,574	0.5	0.5	0	1
Economic loser	40,413	0.2	0.4	0	1
Constitutional court	50,164	0.7	0.5	0	1
Lower court independence	50,164	1.95	1.07	-0.90	3.50
Romano - Germanic system	50,164	0.7	0.4	0	1
Age of democracy in 2010	50,164	47.5	28.2	20	100

Table A.2. Empty model and model with individual predictors only for ‘Justice not influenced by politics’.

<b>Justice not influenced by politics</b>		
	<b>Model 1</b>	<b>Model 2</b>
(Intercept)	-1.65*** (0.16)	-2.80*** (0.14)
Education		0.12*** (0.01)
Political trust		0.21*** (0.01)
Ideological extremism		0.01 (0.01)
Political winner		0.14*** (0.04)
Economic loser		-0.07 (0.05)
AIC	40074.72	20538.75
BIC	40092.18	20594.63
Log Likelihood	-20035.36	-10262.38
Num. obs.	45632	21645
Num. groups: Country	26	26
Var: Country (Intercept)	0.71	0.44

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

Table A.3. Empty model and model with individual predictors only for ‘Fairness of Justice’.

<b>Fairness of Justice</b>		
	<b>Model 1</b>	<b>Model 2</b>
(Intercept)	6.09*** (0.15)	5.14*** (0.13)
Education		0.08*** (0.01)
Political trust		0.21*** (0.01)
Ideological extremism		0.01 (0.01)
Political winner		0.04 (0.03)
Economic loser		-0.14*** (0.03)
AIC	189015.41	86908.19
BIC	189041.61	86972.07
Log Likelihood	-94504.70	-43446.09
Num. obs.	45968	21714
Num. groups: Country	26	26
Var: Country (Intercept)	0.61	0.39
Var: Residual	3.56	3.18

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

Table A.4. Logistic multilevel models for ‘Justice not influenced by politics’ removing the countries with 100 years of democracy.

<b>Justice not influenced by politics</b>		
	<b>Model 1</b>	<b>Model 2</b>
Constitutional court	-0.63* (0.26)	-0.61*** (0.18)
Lower court independence	0.22* (0.09)	0.14+ (0.08)
Romano - Germanic	-0.36 (0.30)	
Age of democracy		0.01** (0.00)
Education	0.12*** (0.01)	0.12*** (0.01)
Political trust	0.20*** (0.01)	0.20*** (0.01)
Ideological extremism	0.01 (0.01)	0.01 (0.01)
Political winner	0.18*** (0.04)	0.18*** (0.04)
Economic loser	-0.10+ (0.05)	-0.10+ (0.05)
(Intercept)	-2.59*** (0.29)	-3.34*** (0.30)
AIC	17301.26	17294.54
BIC	17379.75	17373.04
Log Likelihood	-8640.63	-8637.27
Num. obs.	18945	18945
Num. groups: Country	23	23
Var: Country (Intercept)	0.16	0.11

\*\*\* p < 0.001, \*\* p < 0.01, \* p < 0.05, +p < 0.1

Table A.5. Linear multilevel models for 'Fairness of Justice' removing the countries with 100 years of democracy.

<b>Fairness of Justice</b>		
	<b>Model 1</b>	<b>Model 2</b>
Constitutional court	-0.39 <sup>+</sup> (0.22)	-0.57 <sup>**</sup> (0.18)
Lower court independence	0.29 <sup>***</sup> (0.07)	0.25 <sup>**</sup> (0.08)
Romano - Germanic	-0.54 <sup>*</sup> (0.25)	
Age of democracy		0.01 <sup>+</sup> (0.00)
Education	0.08 <sup>***</sup> (0.01)	0.08 <sup>***</sup> (0.01)
Political trust	0.21 <sup>***</sup> (0.01)	0.21 <sup>***</sup> (0.01)
Ideological extremism	0.01 (0.01)	0.01 (0.01)
Political winner	0.05 <sup>+</sup> (0.03)	0.05 <sup>+</sup> (0.03)
Economic loser	-0.14 <sup>***</sup> (0.04)	-0.14 <sup>***</sup> (0.04)
(Intercept)	5.22 <sup>***</sup> (0.24)	4.63 <sup>***</sup> (0.29)
AIC	75929.14	75938.29
BIC	76015.49	76024.65
Log Likelihood	-37953.57	-37958.14
Num. obs.	18974	18974
Num. groups: Country	23	23
Var: Country (Intercept)	0.11	0.12
Var: Residual	3.18	3.18

\*\*\* p < 0.001, \*\* p < 0.01, \* p < 0.05, + p < 0.1