

Table A2

Descriptive statistics from data set 1

	N	M	SD	Min	Max	Skew	Kurtosis
Mentionings	183	4.29	12.94	0	110	5.56	36.26
In parliament	183	.14					
Challenger	171	.32					
Merger or successor	183	.16					

Note: As 'In parliament', 'Challenger' and 'Merger or successor' are dichotomies, their means represent the proportion.