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#### DARK PERSONALITIES AND CANDIDATE EVALUATION

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#### Highlights

- Dark personalities evaluate dark characteristics in politicians less negatively
- Dark personalities perceive nice (vs. dark) politicians as less relatable
- Dark personalities show a reduced preference for nice (vs. dark) politicians
- Findings supported and extended political congruency theory

Abstract

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