

Chasen Jeffries

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Education

CLAREMONT GRADUATE UNIVERSITY

PhD International Political Economy and Computational Analytics
4.0 GPA

Claremont, CA
August 2021 -

-Passed International Political Economy Qualifying Exam

Spring 2023

HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY

B.A. History

Study Abroad: University of Salamanca - Spain, Summer 2019

High Point, NC
August 2015 - December 2019

Research Experience

Claremont Graduate University

Research Assistant

Claremont, CA
September 2022-

- Conducted open-source research, making use of English and Spanish language skills, to build an original dataset (cross-national time series data) that will allow us to investigate understudied phenomena.
- Extracted datasets from a variety of sources including: the World Bank, Latinobarometer, and the UN that were compiled into a master dataset to conduct original research. Enabled us to conduct individual and country level analyses.
- Cleaned, updated, and iterated the combined dataset into the master dataset which resolved underlying dataset issues.
- Created an up-to-date and accurate codebook. This provided supplementary context to the master dataset.

Independent Study

Researcher/Writer – (Dr. Jacqueline Arthur-Montagne)

High Point, NC
January 2019 – July 2020

- Partnered with faculty to conduct original research into the previously underexplored topic of ancient Spartan bribery.
- Researched primary source documents (Herodotus, Xenophon, and Thucydides) to accurately contextualize secondary sources.

Professional Experience

Red 5 Security

Threat Researcher and Analyst

McLean, VA
March 2020 – February 2021

- Developed advanced open source researching skills. Led me to double my reports processed.
- Conducted fast-paced, high-level threat analysis to provide specific, accurate conclusions. Led to actionable reports
- Created precise, comprehensible reports on the research and analysis undertaken.
- Collaborated with team members on high-priority client requests and projects, which balanced the need for immediate reports with excellent research and analysis.
- Trained a new team member in the research, analysis, and communication methods of our project. They were up and running as an active team member within two weeks.

Publications

- Chasen Jeffries & Karina Y. Kowarsch. Book Review: Demystifying China's Innovation Machine: Chaotic Order, by Marina Zhang, Mark Dodgson, and David Gann. Oxford University Press, 2021, 304 pp. Journal of Policy Analysis and Management.
- Chasen Jeffries. Spartan Austerity and Bribery. Colombia Journal of History, Summer 2020 (Volume IV: Issue II)

Presentations

- International Congress on Information and Communication Technology (2023)
- American Historical Association (2020)
- State of North Carolina Undergraduate Research and Creativity Symposium (2019)

Leadership Experience

Graduate Student Council

Student Representative for the School of Social Science, Policy & Evaluation (SSSPE)

Claremont Graduate University
August 2022 –

- Representative for my department within the Claremont Graduate University
- Actively engaged in dialogue with other representatives and peers to build a better campus and put on campus events
- Helped establish a python workshop for the SSSPE

Skills

Computer: Proficiency: R, Netlogo

Basic: SAS, Python, Html, SQL, Tableau

Language: Basic Spanish Skills, TEFL Certified

Internet: ChatGPT, OSINT

Interests: Soccer, drawing, game design

Awards

CGU Department of International Studies:

DPE Board of Advisors Outstanding Scholar Fund Winner 2022

Luther J. Lee Jr. Memorial Award Winner 2022

Research Assistant of the Year Award 2022-2023