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SUMMARY Conflict management graduate with experience in research and adaptive education. I am passionate about using technology to help humans to learn, cooperate and adapt.

EDUCATION

University of Oxford
Advanced Diploma, IT Systems Analysis and Design, October 2019

Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced Intl. Studies (SAIS)
M.A., Conflict Management and Economics, May 2019 GPA 3.58/4.00
Thesis, *Adaptation for Optimal Learning in Conflict*, grade A

Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
B.A., Comparative Literature and Philosophy, November 2016 GPA 4.00/4.00

EXPERIENCE

Short Course Instructor Johns Hopkins SAIS
February 2019 – Present
Developed and co-teach Computational Applications to Policy and Strategy, a six-session course on AI, human factors and strategy. Adapted the course over two prior semesters with 50+ enrolled students. Secured funding for the course from Johns Hopkins Technology Ventures. Mentored by former Under Secretary of State for Civilian Security, Democracy and Human Rights, Sarah Sewall.

Graduate Research Assistant Johns Hopkins SAIS
September 2018 – Present
Conduct research on hybrid conflict resolution mechanisms for Professor Sinisa Vukovic. Contribute research on situated learning to forthcoming publication in Group Decision and Negotiation. Build game theoretical models of conflict resolution in Python.

Graduate Research Assistant Johns Hopkins University
August 2018 – March 2019
Performed a range of natural language processing tasks (topic modeling, linguistic style matching) in Python for Professor Brian Gunia. Assisted with the integration of quantitative results into qualitative research framework.

Co-Founder Saiss2stechnology.com
February 2018 – Present
Building student-to-student education, focused on technology and global policy. Lead a team of six students on content creation for various workshops on computational thinking. Host events with InQTel, OpenAI, among others. Support policy students wishing to enter the technology sector with career advice and basic technological literacy.

Actor Munich Kammerspiele
April 2015 – December 2015
Contracted to play a lead role in a German classic in one of the countrys top theaters with 20+ performances for an average audience of 250. Learned about fast and fluent adaptation.

PUBLICATIONS

L Klenner. 2019. Opponent Modeling of the Taliban in Afghanistans Emerging Peace Talks. Accepted as a full oral presentation to the International Association for Conflict Management (IACM) conference 2019. [Draft].

L Klenner. 2018. Strategy and Turning Points. Full oral presentation at IACM 2018. [Draft], [slides] and [conference abstract].