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Education **University of Missouri**

Ph.D., Political Science, 2021 (Expected).

- Dissertation: “Gimme the Power: Protests and Crisis of Democracy in Latin America”
- Concentrations: Comparative Politics (Popular Mobilization, Political Party, Democratization, Latin American Politics), and Public Policy (Policy Change).

Kobe University (Japan)

M.A., Political Science, 2015.

- Thesis: “Determinants of Successful Participatory Institutions in Brazil”

B.S., Maritime Science and Technology, 2012.

Research **Publications**

Pre-reviewed articles

- “Echoes of a Fading Past: Authoritarian Legacies and Far-Right Voting.” (with Nikolaos Frantzeskakis) *Electoral Studies* (Forthcoming).
- “Elite Coordination and Popular Protest: The Joint Effect on Democratic Change.” (with Michael Wahman) *Democratization* 26 (2019): 1419-1438.
- “Determinants of Successful Participatory Institutions in Brazil.” *Journal of the Japan Society of Social Science on Latin America* 49 (2015): 39-60.

Book

- *Transformation of Democracy and the Role of Civil Society: the Experience of Participatory Institutions in Brazil*. Tokyo: Fukyosha, 2016 (Japanese).

Working Projects

- “Stability and Change in the Foreign Aid Policy: The Role of Political and Bureaucratic Veto Players.” with Kentaro Sakuwa
- “Protest and State Policy Agendas: Marches and Gun Policy After Parkland.” with Jake Haselswerdt
- “Protest and Crisis of Democracy: A Comparative Study in Latin America.”
- “Politics and the Variation of Protest in Latin America.” with Moisés Arce

Conference Presentations and Invited Talk

- “Protest and State Policy Agendas: Marches and Gun Policy After Parkland.” Presented at the Annual Conference of the Southern Political Science Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico, January 9-11 (with Jake Haselswerdt).
- “Stability and Change in the Foreign Aid Policy: The Role of Political, Bureaucratic, and Societal Veto Players.” Presented at the Annual Conference of the International Studies Association Midwest, St. Louis, November 22-23, 2019 (with Kentaro Sakuwa).

- “Military Coup or People’s Revolution?: Rethinking the Effect of Protests on Democratization.” Presented at the Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 4-7, 2019; the Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., Aug. 28-Sep.1, 2019.
- “Echoes of a Fading Past: Authoritarian Legacies and Far-Right Voting.” Presented at the invited talk at the Department of Political Science, Aoyama Gakuin University, 2019; the Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 4-7, 2019 (with Nikolaos Frantzeskakis).
- “Oppositional Mobilization and Presidential Fall in Latin America.” Presented at the Annual Conference of the Latin American Studies Association, Barcelona, May 23-26, 2018.
- “Elite Coordination and Popular Protest: The Joint Effect on Democratic Change.” Presented at the Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 5-8, 2018 (with Michael Wahman).
- “Popular Mobilization and Oppositional Coalition in Democratic Reform.” Presented at the Annual Conference of the Japan Association for Comparative Politics, Tokyo, June 17-18, 2017.

Teaching

Department of Political Science, University of Missouri

- Teaching Assistant, American Government (PS 1100), Fall 2019.
- Graduate Workshop, “Introduction to Bayesian Analysis.” Spring 2019
- Teaching Assistant, United States Health Politics and Policy (PS 4390), Spring 2019.
- Teaching Assistant, American Foreign Policies (PS 4540), Fall 2018.

Graduate School of International Cooperation Studies, Kobe University

- Teaching Assistant, Quantitative Analysis in Political Science, Spring 2016.
- Teaching Assistant, Special Lecture on Political and Social Development, Fall 2015.

Awards and Support

- Research Grant (US \$1,405), Kinder Institute of Constitutional Democracy at the University of Missouri, 2020.
- Department Research Grant (US\$1,600), Department of Political Science at the University of Missouri, 2020.
- Pay it Forward Workshop at ISA-Midwest, Provides a mentoring program designed for female-identifying graduate students and travel funds for attending the 2019 Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association Midwest in St. Louis.
- APSA Travel Grant, To attend the 2019 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, D.C.
- J.G. Heinberg Award, Provides one semester free from assistantship duties in the 2019-20 academic years to focus on research, Department of Political Science at the University of Missouri, 2019.
- Department Support for ICPSR Attendance, University of Missouri, 2018.
- Yarwood Award, Department of Political Science at the University of Missouri, 2018.
- Supplemental Graduate Fellowship (US\$1,000), Department of Political Science at the University of Missouri, Summer 2017.
- Robin Remington Award, Department of Political Science at the University of Missouri, 2017.
- Keidanren Ishizaka Memorial Foundation Scholarship (US\$57,300), 2016.
- K. Matsushita International Scholarship (US\$21,000), 2013.

Further Trainings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visiting Scholar, University of São Paulo (São Paulo, Brazil), January-March 2020. • IPSA Summer School in Concepts, Methods and Techniques in Political Science and International Relations (São Paulo, Brazil), January 2020. Course: Causal Inference and Experiments • ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research (University of Michigan), June-July 2018. Courses: Bayesian Modeling of Social Science I and Applied Multilevel Modeling • CIEE Summer Language School (Salvador, Brazil), July 2017. • Visiting Scholar, University of Brasília (Brasília, Brazil), April 2013-March 2014. • IPSA Summer School in Concepts, Methods and Techniques in Political Science and International Relations (São Paulo, Brazil), January 2014. Course: Process Tracing Case Study Methods
Languages and Skills	Japanese (native), English (fluent), Portuguese (intermediate) R, Stata, L ^A T _E X
Fieldworks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brazil (2013-2014; 2020): conducted interviews with government officials, academics, NGO organizers, and political party leaders. • Philippines (2012): conducted interviews with staffs and customers of the microfinance organization, government officials, and researchers of the Asian Development Bank.
Professional Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reviewer: <i>Democratization</i> and <i>Democracy and Security</i>

References

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