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EDUCATION

- 2012 – 2017 **Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology**, *Department of Sociology*,
(expected) Columbia University, New York, NY.
- 2011 – 2012 **Master of Science in Sociology**, *Nuffield College*, University of
Oxford, England, United Kingdom.
Result *Second Class, Division One (2:1)*
Thesis *The Social Brain of a Philosophical Anarchist: Friends and Roles in the
Diaries of William Godwin*
Supervised by Dr Wojtek Przepiorka
- 2007 – 2010 **Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics**, *St.
Anne's College*, University of Oxford, England, United Kingdom.
Result *Second Class, Division One (2:1)*
Thesis *Small Worlds, Sour Grapes and Social Movements: the computational
application of Peter Hedström's DBO theory*
Supervised by Professor Peter Hedström
- 2005 – 2007 **International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme**.
2006 – 2007 United World College of the Atlantic, Wales, United Kingdom
2005 – 2006 International School of Sophia-Antipolis, France
Result *International Baccalaureate Diploma: 41/45*
Higher Level Physics (6), Higher Level Chemistry (6), Higher Level
Economics (7), Standard Level Mathematics Methods (7), Standard
Level English (6), Standard Level French A (7), Extended Essay and
Theory of Knowledge (2)

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2012 – 2017 **Paul F. Lazarsfeld Fellowship**, *Columbia University*.
2011 **Nuffield Funded Studentship**, *Nuffield College, University of
Oxford*.
2010 **Gibbs Thesis Prize for Politics**, *University of Oxford*.
2005 – 2006 **Head Prefect and Physics Prefect**, *International School of
Sophia-Antipolis, France*.

LECTURES AND ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- September 2012 – Present **Teacher**, *Software Carpentry*.
- June 2012 **Presentation: New ways with e-books**, *Beyond Books: There and Back Again*, Oxford, UK.
- September 2011 – Present **Research Assistant**, *The Diaries of William Godwin*, Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford.
- September 2011 – Present **Digital Humanities Developer**, *Old English Course Pack*, Faculty of English, University of Oxford.
- July 2011 **Lecture: EPUB3 Multimedia Features: A Lightning Overview**, *Digital Humanities@Oxford Summer School 2011*, Oxford, UK.
- July – September 2011 **Multimedia EPUB Intern**, *Oxford University Computing Services*.
- December 2010 **Lecture: Tor is Peace, Software Freedom is Slavery, Wikipedia is Truth: The Political Philosophy of the Internet**, *27th Chaos Communication Congress*, Berlin, Germany.

OTHER POSITIONS

- September 2011 – September 2012 **Webmaster**, *Politics in Spires Blog*, Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford.
- June – September 2010 **Production Team**, *Death and the Powers*, Director: Professor Tod Machover, Media Lab. Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 2009 – 2010 **Secretary**, *University of Oxford Computer Society*.

SKILLS

- Natural languages Bilingual in English (native language) and French; Spanish (Basic)
- Programming languages Python (primary language), R, JavaScript, XQuery/XPath/XSLT

Research Interests

Computational social science; social network analysis; agent-based modelling; analytical sociology; data science; digital humanities.