

Curriculum Vitae

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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Harvard University, MA, US

Ph.D., Political Economy and Government

2020-Present

Boston University, MA, US

M.A., Political Science (started as a PhD student, transferred to Harvard)

May, 2020

Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey

M.A., Political Science and International Relations (Distinction)

Sept, 2018

B.A., Economics (Dean's High Honors)

Jan, 2017

B.A., Political Science (Dean's High Honors)

Jan, 2017

Robert College, Istanbul, Turkey

American High School

June, 2012

PREPRINTS

[Social Media Narratives across Platforms in Conflict: Evidence from Syria](#) (with Erin Walk, Elizabeth Parker-Magyar, Kiran Garimella, Fotini Christia). Journal of Politics. Accepted manuscript.

[Language-Agnostic Bias Detection in Language Models with Bias Probing](#) (with Abdullatif Köksal, Omer Faruk Yalcin, M. Tahir Kilavuz, Anna Korhonen, Hinrich Schütze). EMNLP. Preprint.

WORKING PAPERS

“Conditional Hospitality: How International Aid Shapes Local Attitudes toward Refugees” (with Melani Cammett)

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Debunking Misinformation to Foster Inclusion of Refugees: A Comprehensive Approach towards Integration and Empowerment”

“How Does Exposure to Discordant Media Sources Affect Political Attitudes and Behavior? Experimental Evidence from Turkey” (with Jeremy Bowles, Horacio Larreguy, Shelley Lui)

“How Income Affects Immigrants’ Social Segregation: Evidence from Refugee Call Detail Records” (with Tugba Bozcaga)

PRESENTATIONS

Conditional Hospitality: How International Aid Shapes Local Attitudes toward Refugees

Paper Presentation at APSA

2023

Social Media Narratives on Conflict from northern Syria

Paper Presentation at Households in Conflict Network

2020

Paper Presentation at APSA

2021

How Does Exposure to Discordant Media Sources Affect Political Attitudes and Behavior?

Paper Presentation at APSA

2022

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS	JPAL Governance Initiative	2024
	The Harvard Weatherhead Research Cluster on Migration Doctoral Fellows Program	2023-24
	JPAL Governance Initiative	2023
	The Stone Program in Wealth Distribution, Inequality, and Social Policy	2022
	Institute for Quantitative Social Science (IQSS) Research Grant	2022, 2023
	GSAS Division of Social Sciences Fund	2022
	Dean's Fellowship, Boston University	2018-2020
	Dean's High Honor List, Bogazici University	2017
ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE	Harvard University, MA, US	
	<i>as Teaching Assistant</i>	
	Data (by Matt Blackwell)	Spring 2023
	Survey Research Methods (by Chase Harrison)	Fall 2023
	Spatial Models of Social Science (by Jill Kelly)	Fall 2022
	International and Global Affairs (by Matthew Bunn)	Fall 2022
	Boston University, MA, US	
	<i>as Teaching Assistant</i>	
	Quantitative Research Methods (by Taylor Boas)	Fall 2019
	<i>as Summer Research Fellow</i>	
SKILLS	Pardee Center for the Study of the Longer-Range Future	Summer 2019
	<i>Software:</i> L ^A T _E X, R, Python	
REFERENCES	Available upon request.	