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| CONTACT INFORMATION | Stanford University Department of Political Science 616 Serra Mall, Encina Hall West Stanford, CA 94305 | email: alaa@stanford.edu |
| EDUCATION | Stanford University Ph.D. in Political Science Fields: Comparative Politics and International Relations | <i>Expected: 2021</i> |
| | Dartmouth College B.A., Government Magna Cum Laude and High Honors in Government | 2014 |
| PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS | Authoritarian Media and Diversionary Threats: Lessons from Thirty Years of Syrian State Discourse (with Lisa Blaydes) <i>Conditionally accepted at Political Science Research and Methods</i> Attitudes Toward Migrants in a Highly-Impacted Economy: Evidence from the Syrian Refugee Crisis in Jordan (with Andrea Dillon, Scott Williamson, Jens Hainmueller, Dominik Hangartner, and Jeremy Weinstein) <i>Conditionally accepted at Comparative Political Studies</i> “Maintaining Sovereignty and Preserving the Regime: How Saudi Arabia Views Strategic Stability” in Lawrence Rubin and Adam N. Stulberg, eds., <i>The End of Strategic Stability</i> . Georgetown University Press. 2018. | |
| WORKING PAPERS | Do Donor Motives Matter? Investigating Perceptions of Foreign Aid in the Conflict in Donbas (with Rachel Myrick and Isaac Webb) <i>Revise and Resubmit</i> To Pardon or To Prosecute? Experimental Evidence on Attitudes towards Post-Conflict Justice in Ukraine (with Rachel Myrick) <i>Under Review</i> Can Celebrities Reduce Prejudice? Estimating the Effect of Mohamed Salah on Islamophobic Attitudes and Behaviors (with Will Marble, Salma Mousa, and Alexandra Siegel) <i>Under Review</i> Using Transnational Media as Soft Power Tools: Evidence from <i>Alarabiya</i> and <i>Aljazeera</i> | |
| WORK IN PROGRESS | The Enemy of my Enemy: How Autocrats Use Media to Manipulate Security Threats The Cult of Personality in Authoritarian Media: Evidence from Egypt, Saudi Arabia, and Qatar Understanding the Dynamics of Refugee Return (with Daniel Masterson, Marine Casalis, Dominik Hangartner, and Jeremy Weinstein) State Immigration Policy and Immigrant Health (with Vicky Fouka, Jens Hainmueller, Dan Hopkins, Michael Hotard, Duncan Lawrence, and Rita Hamad) Permission to Secede? The Impact of Foreign Powers on Separatist Movements (with Rachel Myrick) | |

Credit Claiming in Dictatorships (with Scott Williamson)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

“Jordan shut out out 60,000 Syrian refugees and then saw a backlash. This is why.” (with Scott Williamson) *Monkey Cage Blog, Washington Post*. 2018.

“Data Analysis: How did Jordanians Respond to the Formation of Al-Razzaz’s Government?” *Niber.com*. 2018.

“Jordan’s Danger Zone: The Perils of Building a Safe Haven in Syria.” *Foreign Affairs*. 2015.

“Taking on Operation Dawn: The Creeping Advance of the Islamic State in Western Libya.” (with Frederic Wehrey) *Diwan, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2015.

“Splitting the Islamists: The Islamic State’s Creeping Advance in Libya” (with Frederic Wehrey) *Diwan, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2015.

“Rising Out of Chaos: The Islamic State in Libya.” (with Frederic Wehrey) *Diwan, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2015.

“Public Outrage in Jordan at Murder of Pilot” (with Frederic Wehrey) *Diwan, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2015.

“Fighting Fire With Fire: Jordan’s Risky Strategy Against the Islamic State.” *Diwan, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2014.

“An Elusive Courtship: The Struggle for Iraq’s Sunni Arab Tribes”. (with Frederic Wehrey) *Diwan, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2014.

“Saudi Rattles Its Saber.” (with Jeffery Lewis) *Nuclear Threat Initiative*. 2014.

“Backdrop to an Intervention: Sources of Egyptian-Libyan Border Tension” (with Frederic Wehrey and David Bishop). *Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*. 2014.

“Jordan’s Transition to Democracy” *Niber.com*. 2011

HONORS & AWARDS

Stanford PACS Small Grants (\$2,250) 2019
Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society at Stanford University

Diversity Dissertation Research Opportunity (\$2,250) 2019
Office of the Vice Provost for Graduate Education at Stanford University

Goldsmith Research Grant (\$3,800) 2019
The Stanford Center on International Conflict and Negotiation

IPA’s Peace and Recovery Program (P&R) (\$149,578) 2019
Funding to conduct a study on the dynamics of refugee return (Co-PI)

Kenneth E. Boulding Award 2018
Runner Up for Best Graduate Paper with Rachel Myrick, ISA Annual Meeting

Graduate Student Grant (\$4,000) 2018
Abbasi Program in Islamic Studies, Stanford University

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| | Small Grant for Survey Experiments (\$1,000) Institute for Research in the Social Sciences, Stanford University (Co-PI) | 2018 |
| | Graduate Student Grant (\$2,890) The Europe Center, Stanford University (Co-PI) | 2017 |
| | Collaborative Research Fellowship (\$3,500) Immigration Policy Lab | (2017; 2018) |
| | Spectrum Grant (\$20,000) Stanford Center for Clinical and Translational Education and Research (Co-PI) | 2016 |
| | George P. Schultz Grant (\$15,300) The Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research (Co-PI) | 2016 |
| | Comparative Politics Thesis Prize (\$500) Dartmouth College | 2014 |
| | John Rosenwald Jr. Fund (\$4,000) Dartmouth College | 2013 |
| | Shelby Davis Fellowship (\$4,500) James Martin Center for Nonproliferation Studies | 2012 |
| CONFERENCES & TALKS | Webinar, M&E Thursday Talk, Search for Common Ground | 2019 |
| | Arab Political Science Network, Inaugural Meeting | 2019 |
| | American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting | 2017; 2018 |
| | International Studies Association, Annual Meeting | 2017; 2018 |
| | Berkeley Law Migration Workshop | 2018 |
| | Empirical Studies in Conflict, Annual Meeting | 2018 |
| | The Arab Center for Research and Policy Studies | 2018 |
| | Stanford Arab Studies Table | 2017 |
| PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE | Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Junior Fellow, Middle East Program | 2014-2015 |
| | Middle East Institute Research Assistant | 2013 |
| | Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey Davis Fellow, Center for Nonproliferation Studies | 2012 |
| TEACHING | TA, International Negotiation and Decision-Making (Stanford Law School) | 2017; 2018 |
| | TA, War and Peace in American Foreign Policy (Professor Kenneth Schultz) | Spring 2018 |
| | TA, Middle Eastern Politics (Professor Lisa Blaydes) | Fall 2017 |
| | TA, Islam, Iran, and the West (Professor Abbas Milani) | Spring 2017 |
| | TA, U.S. Relations with Iran (Professor Abbas Milani) | Fall 2016 |
| PROFESSIONAL SERVICE | Reviewer for International Organization Reviewer for Terrorism and Political Violence | |
| LANGUAGES & SKILLS | Arabic (native), English (fluent) R, Python, Stata, L ^A T _E X, Qualtrics | |