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Academic Experience

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, *Penn State University*, July, 2015 -
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, *Penn State University*, 2010 –June, 2015
Research Fellow, Department of Political Science, *Penn State University*, Jan-June, 2010
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, *University of Notre Dame*, 2007 – 2010
Faculty Fellow, Kellogg Institute, *University of Notre Dame*, Aug 2007-June, 2010

Other Positions

Visiting Fellow, *Indian School of Business*, July – December, 2016
Post-Doctoral Research Fellow, Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance, Woodrow Wilson
School, *Princeton University*, 2006-07

Education

Ph.D., Political Science, Department of Political Science, *Yale University*, CT, Dec, 2006

M.A., Applied Economics (Development), Department of Agricultural & Applied Economics,
University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI, 1999

B.S., Economics (Math), *University of Wisconsin-Madison*, WI, 1995

Other

EITM Workshop July 2003. University of Michigan-Ann Arbor
Qualitative Research Methods Workshop, January 2008. Arizona State University

Publications

Books

2016. Vineeta Yadav and Bumba Mukherjee. *The Politics of Corruption in Dictatorships*.
Cambridge University Press

2014. Vineeta Yadav and Bumba Mukherjee. *Democracy, Electoral Systems and Judicial
Empowerment in Developing Countries*. University of Michigan Press

2011. *Political Parties, Business Groups and Corruption in Developing Countries*.
Oxford University Press

- Winner of 2013 Leon Epstein Outstanding Book Prize

(Best book published on parties and political organizations in the last 2 years)
Political Organizations and Parties Section, *American Political Science Association*

- *Winner of 2012 Rosenthal Book Prize*
(Best book by young scholar on applied legislative research)
Legislative Studies Section , *American Political Science Association*
- *Honorable Mention, 2012 Best Book Award*
(Best book published on comparative democratization in the last year)
Comparative Democratization Section, *American Political Science Association*

Articles

“Studying Legislative Party Politics in Data Scarce Environments: A New Empirical Approach”
Party Politics January, 2015 doi:10.1177/135406881456481

Benjamin E. Bagozzi, Thomas Brawner, Bumba Mukherjee, and Vineeta Yadav. “Regional International Organizations and Individual Immigration Attitudes: Results from Finite Mixture Models.” *International Interactions* June, 2014 40(3): 350-375

Bumba Mukherjee, Vineeta Yadav and Sergio Bejar. “Electoral Particularism, Bank Concentration, and Capital Account Liberalization in Developing Democracies” *Comparative Political Studies* 2014 47(6): 851-877

Bumba Mukherjee, Vineeta Yadav, and Sergio Bejar. “Candidate-centered systems, public banks and equity market restrictions in developing democracies” *Review of International Political Economy* 2014 21(3): 670-709

“Legislative Institutions and Corruption in Developing Country Democracies” *Comparative Political Studies*. August, 2012 45 (8): 1027-58

“Business lobbies and policymaking in developing countries: The contrasting cases of India and China” *Journal of Public Affairs*. February 2008. 8: 67-82.

Book Chapter

“The Political Economy of Special Economic Zones and Internal Displacement in India”
Forthcoming in *Governance and Internal Migration: A Cross-Regional Study* Eds. William Ascher, Shane Barter, Michael Lofchie

Under Review

Articles

“Party Institutionalization and Lobbying Tactics in Developing Countries”

“Islamist Parties and Political Moderation: Does Experience Moderate? Evidence from a Natural Experiment in Egypt”

“Autocratic Institutions and Democratic Lessons: Evidence from Egypt”

“Policy Advocacy in Reforming Economies: Winners, Losers and Changing Tactics in India”

Current Book Project: Islamist Parties, Autocratic Legacies and Political Liberalization

This book manuscript examines whether and how political participation by Islamist parties influences democratization and democratic consolidation in Muslim-majority countries. It argues that the extent and type of political experience Islamist parties have and the institutional legacy they inherit influences the level of democracy, the independence of the judiciary and de facto human rights in the contexts of democratic and autocratic systems. The empirical analysis combines statistical analysis of a global dataset of all Muslim-majority countries with in-depth analysis of two country cases – Egypt and Turkey using unique elite level surveys from these countries.

Working Papers

“Divided Civil Societies, Legal Mobilization and Judicial Independence in Muslim Majority Democracies”

With Amanda Fidalgo. “Political Islam and Intra-Party Authoritarianism: Evidence from Turkey”

“Political Islam, Islamist Parties and Elite Support for Democracy”

“Who Doesn’t Know About Corruption? Understanding Non-Response Patterns for Different Corrupt Practices”

National Awards

- 2013 Leon Epstein Outstanding Book Prize, Political Organizations and Parties Section, APSA
- 2012 Alan Rosenthal Book Prize, Legislative Studies Section, APSA
- 2012 Honorable Mention, Best Book Award, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA

Other Honors

- Nominated by Dept. Of Economics, UW-Madison, for Louise Troxell Achievement award
- Nominated by College Of Engineering, UW-Madison for SWE Engineering Award
- Deans List, College of Engineering, UW-Madison

Fellowships

- Visiting Fellow, *Indian School of Business*, July – December, 2016
- Niehaus Fellowship, 2006-2007, Niehaus Center for Globalization & Governance, *Princeton University*
- Annie Garland Fellowship, *Yale University*, Sep 2003-May 2004
- Smith Richardson Research Fellowship, Institute for International Security Studies, *Yale University*, Sep. 2003-May, 2004
- EITM Scholarship, EITM Summer Training Institute at *University of Michigan-Ann Arbor*, National Science Foundation, June-July, 2003
- Yale University Bunker Fellowship, *Yale University*, 1999 – 2003
- Coca-Cola World Fund Fellowship, *Yale University*, Summer, 2000, 2002

Research Grants

- Research Grant, Law and Governance Section, Azim Premji Foundation, India, April, 2016 (\$30,000)
- National Science Foundation, Division of Social and Economic Sciences, USA, Nov., 2015 (\$56,758)

- National Science Foundation, Division of Social and Economic Sciences, USA, July, 2015 (\$43,888)
- Faculty Research Grant, Kellogg Institute, University of Notre Dame, 2007, 2009 (\$10,000)
- Research Grants, Leitner Program in Intl Political Economy, Yale University, 2000-2006
- Smith Richardson Grant for Fieldwork, Yale University, Summer 2005
- John Enders Fieldwork Grant, Yale University, Summer 2005

Language Competence

Mandarin: Basic oral and written

Urdu: Oral intermediate and basic written skills

German: Basic oral and written

Bengali: Oral fluency and written intermediate skills

Hindi: Oral and written fluency

Selected Invited Talks

Duke University, Political Institutions Workshop, October 26, 2016

Autocratic Institutions and Democratic Lessons: Evidence from Egypt

Cornell University, Fall Speaker Series, September 23, 2016

Autocratic Institutions and Democratic Lessons: Evidence from Egypt

University of Rochester, Workshop on Comparative Politics, March 16, 2016

A Natural Experiment in Political Learning: Evidence from Egypt

Emory University, Conference on Institutions and Lawmaking, February 21-22, 2014:

Democratic Transitions and Judicial Independence: The Puzzling Case of Egypt

U. of Pennsylvania Law School, Conference on Empirical Legal Research, October 24-25, 2013:

Political Competition, Electoral Institutions and Judicial Independence

Department of Agricultural Economics and Asian Studies Program, Rutgers University, April, 2012:

Political Organizations and Representation

Global Asias Conference, Pennsylvania State University, October 2, 2009:

Economic Reforms, Representation and Democracy: The Rise of Economic Elites in China & India

Pennsylvania State University, Nov 20, 2008:

Legislative Rules, Political Lobbying and Corruption

International Political Economy Society Conference, Stanford University, Nov 9-10, 2007: Special

Interest Lobbying - Sectors, Organizations or Institutions? Evidence from Brazil & India

Colloquium Series, Center for Migration and Development, Princeton University, May 9, 2007:

Urbanization, Information Differentials and their Impact on Development

University of Michigan – Ann Arbor, Dec 13, 2006: Information Markets, Institutions and Interest Group

Behavior: A Comparative Study of Brazil and India

University of Texas – Austin, Dec 5, 2006: Information Markets, Institutions and Interest Group

Behavior: A Comparative Study of Brazil and India

*University of Connecticut, Nov 25, 2006: Information Markets, Institutions and Interest Group Behavior:
A Comparative Study of Brazil and India*

*University of Notre Dame, Nov 13, 2006: Information Markets, Institutions and Interest Group
Behavior: A Comparative Study of Brazil and India*

*University of Massachusetts – Amherst, Nov 9, 2006: Information Markets, Institutions and Interest
Group Behavior: A Comparative Study of Brazil and India*

*University of Colorado – Boulder, Nov 6, 2006: Information Markets, Institutions and Interest Group
Behaviour: A Comparative Study of Brazil and India*

*International Relations Faculty Colloquium, Princeton University, Oct 9, 2006: Information Markets,
Institutions and Interest Group Behavior: A Comparative Study of Brazil and India*

*Leitner Political Economy Seminar Series, Yale University, March 20, 2006:
Democratization of Financial Lobbying in Developing Countries: The Impact of Reforms*

*Comparative Political Economy Workshop, Harvard University, October 7, 2005:
Policy Impact of Party vs. Politician Oriented Lobbying: Brazil and India- An Empirical Contrast*

Conference Presentations

American Political Science Association Meetings: 2015, 2014, 2010, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2003

Midwest Political Science Association Meetings: 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006

International Political Economy Society: 2007

Society for Empirical Legal Studies: 2014, 2013

Center for the Study of Law, Institutions and Economics: 2014

Graduate Students Advised

Amanda Fidalgo, Current Doctoral Student, Advisor

Minhyung Joo, Doctoral Student, Co-Advisor

Jinny Park, Advisor

Omer Yalcin, Advisor

Chasen Erlanger, Advisor

Dissertation Committee

Shan-Jan Sarah Liu

Laurie Tumaneng

Jiso Yoon, 2011. Currently Assistant Professor, University of Kansas

M.A. Theses

Gustavo Lara, 2014

Amanda Fidalgo, 2013, Chair

Chasen Erlanger, 2012, Chair

Honors Thesis

Ava Lederer, Penn State University

John Pollock, University of Notre Dame

Teaching Experience

Graduate Courses

Political Institutions in Comparative Political Economy

Politics of Development

Seminar in Asian Studies

Comparative Public Policy

Undergraduate Courses

Politics of Development

Governance and Politics of China

Governance and Politics of South Asia

Comparative Study of Business-Government Relations

Introduction to Game Theory

Service

Committee Service

Graduate Studies Committee (2015), Program in Comparative Politics (2015), Graduate Admissions Committee, Penn State University (2013-2015); Graduate Examiner Comparative Politics (2012-2014); Graduate Program Committee, Penn State University (2011- 12); Comparative Political Economy and Asian Politics Search Committee, Penn State University (2012); Department of Political Science Speaker Series Coordinator, Penn State University, (2010-2013); Global Asias Conference Panel Organizer, Department of Asian Studies, Penn State University (2011); Kellogg Institute Fellowship Committee, University of Notre Dame 2007-2009); Undergraduate Honors Thesis Award Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Notre Dame; Rosenthal Award Committee, Legislative Studies Section, American Political Science Association (2013).

Manuscript Reviewer

American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, Journal of Comparative Politics, Electoral Studies, Political Research Quarterly, Journal of Asian and African Studies, Development Policy Review, International Journal of Public Administration, Oxford University Press.

Professional Affiliations

American Political Science Association

Society for Empirical Legal Studies

