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EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

Ph.D. Candidate, Political Science

Fields: International Relations, Methodology and Formal Theory, Comparative Politics

Qualifying Exams in International Relations and Comparative Politics

Jan 2019

M.A. Political Science

2018

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

2011

B.A., Political Science and Statistics

PRESENTATIONS

"Status in Token United Nations Peacekeeping Contributions" *Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, January 18, 2019

"Where Did They Go? The Decline of Mercenaries in the 19th and 20th Centuries" *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Boston, MA, August 30, 2018

WORKING PAPERS

"Status in Token United Nations Peacekeeping Contributions"

"Where Did They Go? The Decline of Mercenaries in the 19th and 20th Centuries"

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Data Science Contractor YouGov America

2018-Present

Research Assistant, Berkeley Program on Security Institutions and Violent Instability

2017

Research Assistant, RAND Corporation

2014-2016

TEACHING

Graduate Student Instructor, Introduction to Comparative Politics, M. Steven Fish

2019

Graduate Student Instructor, Introduction to Quantitative Methods, Andrew Little

2018

Graduate Student Instructor, War!, Ron Hassner

2018

AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICE

Student Coordinator, International Relations Colloquium, UC Berkeley

2018-19

Member: American Political Science Association, Southern Political Science Association

TECHNICAL TOOLS

Main Computer Languages

R, Python

Other Software & Tools

Stata, Git, Bash