

# CHRISTOPHER BARRIE

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

*DPhil Candidate in Sociology, University of Oxford*  
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## INTERESTS

Social Movements; Collective Action; Democratization; Conflict and Political Violence; Middle East Politics; Political Sociology; Historical Sociology

## EDUCATION AND AWARDS

*2016–Present* DPhil Sociology, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD  
*University of Oxford* Dissertation on the dynamics of revolution and conflict. Mixed methods research using extensive hand-coded datasets of protest during the Egyptian and Tunisian revolutions, alongside survey and qualitative interview data. Other ongoing projects include work on anti-Christian violence in Egypt, and an experimental study of identity dynamics in Iraq after the fall of Mosul.

*2015–2016* MSc Sociology, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD  
*University of Oxford* Distinction. A.H Halsey Prize for Best Overall Performance. A.H. Halsey Prize for Best MSc Dissertation.  
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*2014–2015* MSc Middle East Politics, SCHOOL OF ORIENTAL AND AFRICAN STUDIES  
*SOAS* Distinction.  
Reference: Charles RH TRIPP +44(0)20 7898 4748 · [ct2@soas.ac.uk](mailto:ct2@soas.ac.uk)

*2009–2014* BA European and Middle Eastern Languages  
UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD  
*University of Oxford* First Class. Mustafa Badawi Prize in Modern Arabic Literature. Rhonda A. Saad Prize for Best Graduate Paper in Modern and Contemporary Arab Art.  
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## PUBLICATIONS

*Nations and Nationalism* “The contentious politics of nationalism and the anti-naturalization campaign in Tunisia, 1932-1933” *Nations and Nationalism*. 2017. 23(4):707-725.

*Mobilization* [with Neil Ketchley]“Opportunity without Organization: Labour Mobilization in Egypt after the 25th January Revolution” *Mobilization*. 2018. 23(2):181-202.

## IN PROGRESS

*Under Review* “Sect, Nation, and Identity after the Fall of Mosul: Evidence from a Natural Experiment”

*Under Review* [with Neil Ketchley]“Days of Protest, Fridays of Revolution: Focal Points and Mass Mobilization in Egypt and Tunisia”

## PEER REVIEWER

*European Sociological Review*

## CONFERENCES, SEMINARS, AND LECTURES

<i>November 2016, Chicago</i>	<i>Social Science History Association Conference</i> Origins and Forms of Labor Resistance in Comparative Perspective
<i>February 2017, London</i>	King's College London, Department of Middle Eastern Studies Public Lecture Series
<i>May 2017, San Diego</i>	<i>Mobilization Journal Conference</i> on Social Movements and Protest
<i>November 2017, Montreal</i>	<i>Social Science History Association</i> Labor Movements and Labor Mobilization in Comparative Perspective
<i>November 2017, Washington DC</i>	<i>Middle East Studies Association</i> After the Spring: Contentious Politics and Political Processes beyond 2011
<i>June 2018, London</i>	<i>British Society for Middle Eastern Studies</i> New Approaches to Contentious Politics in the MENA

## UPCOMING CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

<i>August-September 2018, Boston</i>	<i>American Political Science Association</i> Mass Protest in Comparative Perspective: New Directions in Methods & Empirics
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## AWARDS AND GRANTS

UK Economic and Social Research Council, Doctoral Training Studentship, (approx. \$75,000), 2015–

Nuffield College Travel Research Grant, (approx. \$1,250), 2016

## COMPUTER SKILLS

<i>Basic</i>	HTML, JAVASCRIPT, MARKDOWN, PYTHON
<i>Intermediate</i>	R, SHINY, STATA, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X

## LANGUAGES

MODERN STANDARD ARABIC	· Advanced (reading, writing, speaking)
LEVANTINE ARABIC DIALECT	· Intermediate (reading, writing, speaking)
FRENCH	· Advanced (reading, writing, speaking)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

<i>2017</i>	Graduate Teaching Assistant, KING'S COLLEGE LONDON
<i>King's College London</i>	Graduate teaching assistant for course 6SSJ0001 "Social Movements and Collective Protest".
<i>2017</i>	Guest Lecturer, KING'S COLLEGE LONDON
<i>King's College London</i>	Guest lecturer for course 6SSJ0001 "Social Movements and Collective Protest"

on topic of labour activism.

#### OTHER EMPLOYMENT AND EXPERIENCE

<i>University of Oxford</i>	<i>2015-2016</i>	Research Assistant, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD Research assistant for Dr Neil Ketchley, coding protest events from two Egyptian newspapers ( <i>Shorouk</i> and <i>al-Masry al-Youm</i> ) for the period 25 January onwards.
<i>University of Winchester</i>	<i>2014-2015</i>	Research Assistant, UNIVERSITY OF WINCHESTER Research assistant for Dr Xavier Guégan, translating and analysing Arabic articles from the <i>Revue d'Histoire et de Civilisation du Maghreb</i> .
<i>Nawaat, Tunisia</i>	<i>2012</i>	Journalist and Translator, NAWAAT, TUNISIA Journalist and translator at the influential online newspaper and blog <i>Nawaat</i> for a period of three months during the summer of 2012. <b>One article</b> selected for publication in the Arab Studies Journal's ezine <i>Jadaliyya</i> .

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