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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, August 2014

Ph.D. in Political Science

Dissertation: Political Institutions and the Causes of Military Spending

Committee: James D. Morrow (chair), Allan C. Stam, Robert Franzese, Walter Mebane

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, May 2014

Masters in Political Science

CARLETON COLLEGE, June 2005.

BA with Distinction in Political Science/International Relations, magna cum laude

EMPLOYMENT

NYU SHANGHAI

Global Postdoctoral Fellow, September 2014-Present

CARLETON COLLEGE

Visiting Instructor, January 2013 – June 2013

PUBLICATIONS

"Fear and Attitudes Towards Torture and Preventive War." *Twin Research and Human Genetics*, Volume 15, Number 1, 2012. Coauthored with Allan C. Stam and Alton B. H. Worthington.

"Why State Constitutions Differ in their Treatment of Same-Sex Marriage." *Journal of Politics*. 72 (04). 2010. Coauthored with Yanna Krupnikov, Adam Levine, Arthur Lupia, and Spencer Piston

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Military Spending, Democracy, and the Likelihood of Conflict" Under Review

"Domestic Politics and Arming in Autocracies: Military Regimes and Military Spending" *Under Review*

"Threat Environment and Alliance Formation." Coauthored with Paul Poast and James D. Morrow. *Under Review*

"The Foreign Origins of Military Spending: Threat and Alliances as Sources of Interstate Contagion"

"Regime Characteristics and Conditional Interdependence in Interstate Politics"

"Great Powers in East Asia: Interdependence and Military Spending"

"Stay the Course, Defect, or Adjust? Analyzing Intra-alliance Behavior." Coauthored with Paul Poast and James D. Morrow.

"Combat Environment, Trauma, and the Long-term Costs of War." Coauthored with Allan C. Stam and Alton B. H. Worthington.

TEACHING

Solo Instructor

- Introduction to International Relations. Carleton College, Winter 2013, Spring 2013. University of Michigan, Spring 2011.
- The Costs of Conflict. Carleton College (Mid-level course on the costs of war), Winter 2013.
- Methods of Political Science. Carleton College, Spring 2013

Global Postdoctoral Fellow

• Global Perspectives on Society, Fall 2014

Graduate Student Mentor

Political Science 993 (professionalization course for 1st year graduate students), Winter 2014

Graduate Student Instructor

- Introduction to World Politics. University of Michigan. Fall 2008.
- Junior Honors Pro-seminar in Research Design. University of Michigan. Winter 2010, Fall 2010, Fall 2011, Winter 2012, Fall 2012.
- Introduction to Chinese Politics. University of Michigan. Winter 2009, Fall 2009.

AWARDS

Rackham Graduate School One Term Dissertation Fellowship. 2014

Zimmerman Award. Department of Political Science, University of Michigan. 2013

(\$3,000 grant of summer funding awarded in honor of Prof. Bill Zimmerman).

John W. Kingdon Award for Outstanding Teaching. Department of Political Science, University of Michigan. 2012

Department of Political Science Fourth Year Fellowship. Fall 2010

Section Award from State Politics and Policy Section for Best Paper presented at APSA 2009 ("Why State Constitutions Differ in their Treatment of Same-Sex Couples." with Lupia, Krupnikov, Levine and Piston)

Bailey Award for Best Paper on LGBT politics presented at APSA 2009 ("Why State Constitutions Differ in their Treatment of Same-Sex Couples." with Lupia, Krupnikov, Levine and Piston)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014 International Studies Association Annual Meeting, 2014 Peace Science Society Annual Meeting, 2010, 2013

INVITED TALKS

"An American Political Science Perspective on International Law." Zhejiang Gongshang University, School of Law.

"Sustainable Development in China and India: Education, Health, Environment, and Food Security." Panelist, November, 2014. International Conference on Development, Governance, and Law in China and India, hosted by O.P. Jindal Global University

"Quantitative Reasoning in Context." 2013. Learning and Teaching Center, Carleton College "Reading and Understanding Academic Literature." 2012, 2013. Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program, University of Michigan

SERVICE

Organizer of the interdisciplinary Faculty Lunch Speaker Series, NYU Shanghai. 2014-2015 Graduate Affairs Committee. Political Science, University of Michigan. 2011-2012 President, Graduate Association of Political Science. University of Michigan. 2010-2011 Reviewer for: *Journal of Conflict Resolution, Conflict Management and Peace Science*

REFERENCES

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