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Academic Positions

Assistant Professor, 2013 - Present

- University of Southampton, Department of Politics and International Relations, United Kingdom

Education

Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA

- Ph.D., Political Science, May 2014
- M.A., Political Science, May 2011
- B.A. (Honors, *Magna Cum Laude*), Political Science and Economics, 2008

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA

- Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program in Quantitative Methods, 2012

Dissertation

Mass Media and the Domestic Politics of Economic Globalization

- Abstract: This dissertation argues that the mass media have played a critical but misunderstood role in the variety of national political responses to economic globalization around the world since the 1960s. Specifically, a combination of quantitative and qualitative methods in three article-length studies demonstrates how mass media have played a variety of anti-democratic roles which have gone largely unnoticed by political scientists. The first article, "Mass Media and the Domestic Politics of Economic Globalization," argues that the mass media make welfare spending less responsive to domestic groups harmed by economic globalization. Statistical tests on state-level economic data as well as individual-level survey data are found to be consistent with this theory. The second article, "Media Ownership and the Social Construction of Economic Globalization," argues that the response of mass publics toward the global economic exposure of their country varies according to

the degree of foreign ownership in the national media market. Statistical analysis of state-level media ownership data and aggregate public opinion data, combined with qualitative analyses of newspaper content before and after an increase in foreign ownership, provides mixed evidence for the theory. The third article, "Why are the Most Trade-Open Countries More Likely to Repress the Media?" argues that different components of economic globalization exert contradictory pressures on state-media relations. Statistical analysis of economic data and media freedom data combined with process-tracing in Argentina and Mexico provide evidence for the theory.

- Committee: Christopher Wlezien (chair), Orfeo Fioretos (chair), Roselyn Hsueh, Miguel Glatzer (external reader)
- Fields: International Relations, Political Theory, Quantitative Methods

Article Under Review "Mass Media and the Domestic Politics of Globalization," under review at American Journal of Political Science

Working Papers "Media Ownership and the Social Construction of Globalization"

"Economic Globalization, Civil War, and The Pacifying Effects of Mass Media"

"Domestic Press Freedom and the International Shaming of Human Rights Abuse"

Conference Participation "Mass Media and the Domestic Politics of Globalization," presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, 2013

Northeast Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 2011

Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, 2011

Comparative Politics Workshop, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, 2010

Professional Memberships American Political Science Association, Member

International Studies Association, Member

Professional Training

- Advanced Regression (III), David Armstrong, ICPSR, 2012
- Maximum-Likelihood Estimation, ICPSR, Dean Lacy, ICPSR, 2012
- Social Network Analysis, ICPSR, Ann McCranie, ICPSR, 2012
- Time-Series Modeling, Chris Wlezien, Temple University, 2011
- Teaching Methods, Robin Kolodny, Temple University, 2011
- Formal Modeling, Ryan Vander Weilen, Temple University, 2011
- Political Statistics II, Kevin Arceneaux, Temple University, 2011
- Political Statistics I, Michael Hagen, Temple University, 2010

Grants and Awards

Program Scholar at the Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, Department of Political Science, Temple University, 2012, \$2,300

Graduate Student Travel and Research Award, College of Liberal Arts, Temple University, 2011

Graduate Student Travel and Research Award, Department of Political Science, Temple University, 2011

Diamond Scholar, College of Liberal Arts, Temple University, 2008, \$2,700

Teaching Experience

Instructor of Record, Temple University

- Introduction to Quantitative Methods, Political Science 0825 (Fall 2012, Spring 2013)

Teaching Assistant, Temple University

- Introduction to Quantitative Methods, Political Science 0825 (Fall 2011, Spring 2012)
- Foreign Governments and Politics, Political Science 1201 (Spring 2010)

University Service

Instructional workshop “A Practical Introduction to R for Political Scientists”, presented to the Department of Political Science, Temple University, 2013

Instructional workshop “Pierre Bourdieu and Correspondence Analysis in the Social Sciences,” presented to the Social Science Data Library Brown-bag Luncheon, Temple University, 2010

Software and Programming

- R
- Stata
- L^AT_EX
- SPSS
- UCINET
- Python
- HTML

References

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