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Education	Princeton University Ph.D. (expected 2024), Department of Politics <i>Subfields:</i> International Relations, Formal Theory and Quantitative Analysis, and Political Economy (joint with Department of Economics) Princeton University M.A., Department of Politics Marist College B.S., <i>magna cum laude</i> , School of Management
Publications	Preventive War and Sovereign Debt with Colin Krainin, Kristopher Ramsay, and Bella Wang <i>Conflict Management and Peace Science</i> , 2022, 39 (5): 487–519
Working Papers	What Makes a World War? Economic Networks and Distributions of Power “Best Graduate Student Paper” — <i>Formal Models of Conflict Conference</i> Bargaining, War, and Cooperation in the Long Run Some for the Price of One: Targeted Redistribution and Social Structure with Perry Carter
Work in Progress	Economic Growth in the Shadow of Power Economic Origins of Autocratic War and Peace: The Role of Tycoons with Roya Talibova Incentives for Conflict in Interdependent Systems Leveraging Armageddon: Nuclear Weapons in Crisis Bargaining with Perry Carter
Workshops & Invited Talks	International Political Economy Society (IPES) Meeting Georgetown University, October 2023 Formal Models of Conflict Conference University of Pittsburgh, October 2023

Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology (PolMeth)
Stanford University, July 2023

Comparative Politics and Formal Theory Conference
University of Rochester, June 2023

Political Economy and International Relations Workshop
IE University with University of Rochester, May 2023

Aix-Marseille School of Economics, Seminar Series, May 2023

Political Economy of International Security Workshop
University of Southern California with Vanderbilt University, April 2023

Empirical Models of Political Economy Conference
California Institute of Technology, February 2023

Comparative Politics and Formal Theory Conference
Harvard University, June 2022

Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Summer Institute
Participant, Duke University, July 2021

**Annual
Conferences**

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting
2023, 2022, 2021

International Studies Association Conference
2023, 2022

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting
2023, 2022

Service

Organizer for [Northeast Workshop in Empirical Political Science \(NEWEPS-22](#), Princeton, Spring 2024)

Mentoring Faculty in Residence for [Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models \(EITM\) Summer Institute](#) (Princeton University, July 2023)

Organizer for Princeton University [Research Program in Political Economy](#)
Seminar Series (2021–2023)

Referee: *Quarterly Journal of Political Science*, *World Politics*, *Conflict Management and Peace Science*

Teaching	<i>Princeton University</i>	
	Political Economy (Pol 349 UG) with Germán Gieczewski Formal Political Analysis I (Pol 575 Grad) with Gleason Judd Formal Political Analysis II (Pol 576 Grad) with Germán Gieczewski	
	<i>Marist College</i>	
	Investment: Equity Securities (Bus 426 UG) with Brian Haughey	
Work Experience	Quantitative and Analytical Models Consultant <i>Princeton University</i>	2022–present
	Research Assistant for Matias Iaryczower <i>Princeton University</i>	2022, 2020
	Research Assistant for Kristopher Ramsay <i>Princeton University</i>	2019
	Analyst, Structured Finance <i>DBRS (Morningstar)</i>	2015–2017
	Associate, Financial Institutions <i>KPMG</i>	2014–2015
Fellowships & Awards	<i>Princeton University</i>	
	Quantitative and Analytical Political Science Fellowship	2020–present
	Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance Associate	2019–present
	William S. Carpenter Fellowship	2021–2022
	Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance Fellowship	2018–2019
	<i>Marist College</i>	
	Beta Gamma Sigma, International Business Society	2014
	Beta Alpha Psi, International Honor Organization	2012
	Presidential Scholarship, Marist’s highest merit scholarship	2010–2014
Software	R, Python, MATLAB, Mathematica, Julia, Stata	
References	Kristopher Ramsay, Professor, Princeton University ✉ kramsay@princeton.edu	
	Matias Iaryczower, Professor, Princeton University ✉ miaryc@princeton.edu	
	Germán Gieczewski, Assistant Professor, Princeton University ✉ germang@princeton.edu	