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EDUCATION

Columbia University

New York, NY

Postdoctoral Research Scientist Lamont-Doherty Earth Observatory September 2024

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cambridge, MA

PhD

Earth, Atmospheric and Planetary Sciences With Prof. Oli Jagoutz August 2024

**Princeton University** 

Princeton, NJ

A.B.

June 2018

Concentration in Geosciences. Certificate in Applications of Computing

#### **Publications**

• Sedimentary constraints on silicate weathering during the Taconic orogeny in Newfoundland Joshua Murray, Kristin Bergmann, Oliver Jagoutz. In prep

With Prof. Peter Kelemen

- Olivine alteration and the loss of Mars' early carbon Joshua Murray, Oliver Jagoutz. Science Advances (2024)
- Palaeozoic cooling modulated by ophiolite weathering through organic carbon preservation Joshua Murray, Oliver Jagoutz. Nature Geoscience (2023)
- Eruption history of the Columbia River Basalt Group constrained by high-precision U-Pb and <sup>40</sup>Ar/<sup>39</sup>Ar geochronology

Jennifer Kasbohm, Blair Schoene, Darren Mark, Joshua Murray, Stephen Reidel, Dawid Szymanowski, Dan Barfod, Tiffany Barry. Earth and Planetary Science Letters, 617, 118269 (2023)

### PRESS AND SCIENCE COMMUNICATION

- Mars' missing atmosphere could be hiding in plain sight
- The Independent; Newsweek; MIT News
- A mineral produced by plate tectonics has a global cooling effect

Business Today; Phys.org; MIT News; Presented, by invitation, at Concord-Carlisle High School

- The natural levers of Earth's long-term climate
- Poster at New England Aquarium Carlson lecture 2022

#### Talks and Presentations

- Invited: Ultramafic weathering and the carbon cycle of Earth and Mars
- Princeton University Solid Earth Brown Bag April 2024
- Invited: Glaciations induced by ophiolite weathering through clay formation
- Stanford University Earth & planetary science seminar February 2024
- Invited: Ophiolite obduction and clay formation as a driver of Paleozoic glaciations

Brown University geochemistry, mineralogy, and petrology seminar - Fall 2023

- Increased organic carbon burial through ophiolite obduction
- NSF-FRES Climate-tectonics workshop 2023 Talk
- A sedimentary sink for Mars' early carbon
- AGU Fall Meeting 2022 Talk
- Ophiolite-derived clays enhance organic carbon burial
- AGU Fall Meeting 2022 Poster
- Silicate weathering products of mafic and ultramafic rocks as a control on steady state climate AGU Fall Meeting 2021 - Talk

September 30, 2024

| Honours and Awards  |                |
|---|----------------|
| MIT EAPS Award for Excellence in Teaching  * Awarded to teaching assistants 'who have met the highest levels of performance'  | 2021           |
| • MIT Presidential Fellowship Funds tuition and living costs for the first academic year at MIT   | 2018-2019      |
| William Bonini '48 Teaching Award  Awarded to Princeton Geosciences Senior for commitment to teaching   | 2018           |
| • Smith-Newton Environmental Scholar • Research funding and support from the High Meadows Environmental Institute   | 2016-2018      |
| • Fulbright Sutton Trust US Programme Supports first-generation, low-income UK state school students in attending university in the US                                      | 2012-2014      |
| Teaching Experience   |                |
| MIT 12.116 - Analysis of Geologic Data  **TA. Lead digitization of field maps. Work through cross sections, stratigraphic columns, final report etc.                        | Spring 2024    |
| • MIT 12.115/12.482 - Field Geology  TA. Organised 3-week trip to Muddy Mountains, NV. Instructed mapping techniques, paper and digital.                                    | January 2024   |
| • MIT 12.001 - Introduction to Geology  TA. Organised Western MA trip. Led labs and some lectures. Wrote exam questions. Graded.  | 020, Fall 2022 |
| • MIT 12.S597 - Seminar on Teaching in Earth Science Participant in seminar on pedagogical concepts & strategies for teaching equitably, course design, feedback.           | January 2022   |
| • Princeton GEO 370 - Sedimentology TA. Organised trip to Shark Bay, Australia. Assisted problem sets.  | Spring 2018    |
| • Princeton GEO 373 - Structural Geology • Field TA. Helped students with mapping and observation in Southern California.   | Fall 2017      |
| Languanges and Skills   |                |
| • Coding MATLAB, Java, HTML, R  |                |
| • Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, Premiere, InDesign  |                |
| • Mapping GIS, MATLAB Mapping Toolbox, Paper & pencil   |                |
| • Driving Automatic, Manual, Field vehicles etc.  |                |
| <ul> <li>Laboratory Mineral separation, Petrographic microscope, Mineral dissolution</li> <li>Interests Film photography, ultimate (frisbee), cooking and baking</li> </ul> |                |
| Mentoring and Service   |                |
| Geodynamics Seminar Organiser  Talks include geodynamics, geochemistry, palaeoclimatology, volcanology.   | 2024-          |
| • Reviewer PNAS; JGR  | 2024           |
| * COG3 Seminar Organiser One of two organisers of MIT's seminar in Chemical Oceanography, Geology, Geochemistry, and Geobiology   | 2022-2023 $gy$ |
| • President - EAPS Student Advisory Committee (ESAC)  Liaise with students and leadership to build meaningful community through events and dialogue                         | 2020-2021      |
| Mentor - Fulbright Sutton Trust US Programme Mentor  Mentored two first-generation British students each year through US university and financial aid apps                  | 2019-          |
| • Assistant Coach - MIT Men's Ultimate  Lead practices, logistics, and strategy over short-term (tournaments) and long-term (seasons)                                       | 2019-2024      |
| Mathey College RCA of the Year  **Acknowledged for my work building community within the residential college system   | 2017-2018      |
| • President - Princeton Undergraduate Geologic Society (PUGS) • Organised community building events and a 40 person department field trip to Scotland                       | 2017-2018      |

## FIELD EXPERIENCE

- Isle of Arran, Scotland 1 week, November 2013
- Owens Valley, CA 1 week, March 2015
- Columbia River Basalt 11 weeks total. Summer 2015, 2016, 2017
- Orocopia Mountains, CA 3 weeks total, October 2015, 2017
- Andros Island, Bahamas 2 weeks, March 2016
- Iceland 1 week, Summer 2016
- Altiplano, Bolivia 4 weeks, Summer 2016
- Shark Bay, Australia 2 weeks, March 2018
- Western Scotland 1 week, May 2018
- Piute Mountains, CA 3 weeks, January 2020
- White Mountains, NH 1 week, April 2021
- Newfoundland, Canada 2 weeks, November 2021
- Muddy Mountains, Nevada 3 weeks, January 2024