# JUSTIN MELNICK

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#### **EDUCATION**

New York University

2020 - Present

Ph.D., Politics

University of Pennsylvania

2016 - 2020

B.A., magna cum laude, International Relations (with distinction) and Economics

### **PUBLICATIONS**

1. Justin Melnick and Alastair Smith. "International Negotiations in the Shadow of Elections." 2023. *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 67(7-8): 1452-1481.

### WORKING PAPERS

- 1. Justin Melnick. "Domestic Inequality and Exit from International Agreements." (under review)
- 2. Justin Melnick, Alastair Smith, and Bruce Bueno de Mesquita. "Political Life Cycles." (under review)
- 3. Justin Melnick. "The Deleterious Effects of the Paris Agreement: Climate Change Mitigation, Information Dissemination, and Electoral Selection."

### WORK IN PROGRESS

- 1. Justin Melnick. "The Domestic Political Consequences of Free Allowances in the European Union's Emissions Trading System."
- 2. Martin Castillo-Quintana and Justin Melnick. "A Theory of the Consequences of Private Military Companies."
- 3. Justin Melnick and Joohyun Shon. "Foreign Aid, Transparency, and Electoral Accountability."

### PRESS AND MEDIA

- 1. Farah Jan and Justin Melnick. "China's Challenge to America's Political and Economic Liberal Order." *The National Interest*, January 6, 2020.
- 2. Farah Jan and Justin Melnick. "After Trump's Hong Kong Democracy Act, China is Still Winning." Foreign Policy, December 2, 2019.

### **TEACHING**

Quantitative Analysis I (Ph.D.) for Prof. Neal Beck
Quantitative Analysis I (M.A.) for Prof. Pat Egan
Summer 2021; Summer 2022; Summer 2023
Strategic Thinking (Game Theory) (M.S.) for Prof. Mike Ting (Columbia)
Fall 2023
International Politics (Undergraduate) for Prof. Nicole Simonelli
Fall 2023
Politics of Climate Change (Undergraduate) for Prof. Eric Dickson
Spring 2023
Research Methods for Politics (Undergraduate) for Prof. Anna Harvey
U.S. Politics and Policy in 2022 and Beyond (Undergraduate) for Prof. Pat Egan
January 2022

# RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

2022; 2023
2023
2023
2023
2021
2020-2021
2018-2020

# AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

EGAP Politics of Climate Policy Case Study Grant (\$4000)	2023
NYU Dean's Conference Travel Fund (\$500)	2023
Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Summer Institute	2023
Bradley Fellowship (\$5000)	2023
MacCracken Award, New York University	2021 -
Norman D. Palmer Thesis Award, University of Pennsylvania (\$300)	2020
Rose Undergraduate Research Award, University of Pennsylvania (\$1000)	2020
College Alumni Society Prize in IR, University of Pennsylvania (\$300)	2020
Global Eminence Fellow, Kyung Hee University	2018

# **PRESENTATIONS**

# **Invited Presentations**

Harvard Political Economy Workshop; Pitt Formal Models of Conflict; Empirical Implications of Theo-	2023
retical Models; NYU International Relations Workshop; NYU Comparative Politics Workshop; GSIPE;	
NYU Graduate Political Economy Workshop	
NYU International Relations Workshop; NYU Graduate Political Economy Workshop	2022
NYU International Relations Workshop	2021

# **Conference Presentations**

APSA (2023)

### **SERVICE**

# Reviewer

Journal of Conflict Resolution

# Convenor

NYU Graduate Political Economy Workshop (Spring 2023)