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Education

Ph.D., Government, University of Texas at Austin	2018
M.A., Political Science, Villanova University	2011
B.A., Greek & Latin, The Ohio State University	2007

Academic Positions

Arizona State University, Assistant Professor	2019-
University of Missouri, Postdoctoral Fellow	2018 – 2019

Book Project

Liberating Faith: American Grand Strategy and the origins of International Religious Freedom, Project supported by Smith Richardson Grant

- "Hard Power and Religious Freedom: IRFA and the long-tail fo Cold War strategy" International Studies Association—Midwest Annual Conference, St. Louis 2021
- "Building the Strategy of Freedom: Carter, Reagan, and International Religious Freedom" Southern Political Science Association Annual Conference, Austin 2019
- "Defender of the Faith: Dwight Eisenhower and the Origins of International Religious Freedom" *International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Conference*, St. Louis 2018
- "For (God and) Country: Religious Liberty as Grand Strategy" Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago 2017

Refereed Articles

2019. "Assessing Support for International Religious Freedom: Evidence from the 2018 Cooperative Congressional Election Survey," International Journal of Religious Freedom

Invited Talks

- "Cyber Realism and Just War," Just War Colloquium, The Wheaton Center for Faith, Politics & Economics, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL, March 28, 2021 (presented via zoom due to covid-19)
- "Assessing Support for International Religious Freedom: Evidence from the 2018 Cooperative Congressional Election Survey," Conference on the Impact of Religious Freedom

- Research, International Institute for Religious Freedom, Brussels, Belgium (Hosted on Zoom due to covid-19)
- "Liberating Faith: American Grand Strategy and the foundations of international religious freedom" Notre Dame International Security Center, Emerging Scholars on Grand Strategy, May 23-25, 2018
- "The U.S. Constitution in a Global Context" Pan-African Youth Leadership Program (PAYLP) July 24, 2017
- "Rhetoric, the Socratic Method, and Pedagogy" Students Partnering for Undergraduate Rhetoric Success (SPURS), Texas High School Teacher's Winter Conference, Jan 14, 2017
- "Understanding the Syrian Refugee Crisis" *Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership* (HOBY), Texas Gulf Coast Annual Seminar, June 11, 2016

Working Papers

(with Julianne Windham) "What's Hierarchy Got to do with It? The role of the US in Advancing Human Rights"

"Cyber Realism and Just War"

(with Aron Kushner) "John Locke's Natural Right to Immigration"

Grants, Fellowships, & Awards

- Research Grant, America and the World Consortium, \$5,000 2021
- Strategy Policy Fellows, Smith Richardson Foundation, Grant No. 2019-2123, \$60,000 2019
- Graduate Fellow, Clements Center for National Security, University of Texas at Austin 2015–2018
- Graduate Fellow, Center for Politics and Governance, University of Texas at Austin 2015–2017
- Research Grant (Travel: Richard Nixon Library, Henry M. Jackon Library) 2017
- Stephen F. Austin Summer Writing Grant 2017
- Graduate Fellowship, Rumsfeld Foundation 2016–2017
- Professional Development Award, University of Texas at Austin 2013, 2014
- Diversity Recruitment Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin 2011
- Travel Grant (Rome, Italy), Latino Caucus of the APSA 2009

Service and Professional Activities

- Committee Member, Dave Robinson Award for best History and Politics Section paper at APSA Annual Meeting 2021–2022
- Committee Member, Search Committee for *Political Research Quarterly* Editorial Team 2020

•	Director, "Kinder Scholars," Kinder Institute at University of Missouri	2019
•	Faculty Co-Facilitator, "Freshman Interest Group," University of Missouri	2019
•	Mentor, University of Texas Intellectual Entrepreneur Program	2015-2016
•	Chair and Co-Organizer, "Perspectives on Drone Warfare" (Panel 13.08)	2014
	Western Political Science Association Annual Conference	
•	Group Leader, Veterans' Voices, Texas Humanities	2013

Published Commentary

"Jacksonians, Progressives, & America's Anti-Theology, " $Providence\ Journal,\ 24$ April 2018

Teaching Experience

•	Just War, Arizona State University	2020
•	American Grand Strategy, Arizona State University	2020
•	Great Ideas in Politics & Ethics, Arizona State University	2019
•	American Foreign Policies, University of Missouri	2019
•	Introduction to American and Texas Government, University of Texas at Austin	ı 2017-
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•	Introduction to Rhetoric and Writing, University of Texas at Austin, 201	5-2017

Additional Training

2016

•	James Buchanan Political Economy Summer Workshop, Hosted by Michael I	Munger
	and Duke PPE	2019
•	Posse Plus Retreat, Posse Foundation	2016
•	Summer Study on China, SAIS-Philip Merrill for Strategic Studies	2016
•	Introduction to Regression, Summer Statistics Institute, University of Texas at	Austin

[&]quot;Blindside-U.S. Foreign Policy," RealClearPolitics, 13 October 2015