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EDUCATION

Yale University
Ph.D., Political Science (expected May 2020)
M.Phil., Political Science December 2017
M.A., Statistics May 2017

Woodrow Wilson School
M.P.A., Economics and Public Policy May 2011

Grinnell College
B.A., Anthropology May 2005

PUBLICATIONS

Peter M. Aronow and Molly R. Offer-Westort. "Understanding Ding's Apparent Paradox." *Statistical Science* (in press).

Peter M. Aronow, Lauren Pinson, Molly R. Offer-Westort, and Ana C. Perez-Gea. "Information and Access to United Nations Diplomatic Missions: Results from a Randomized Field Experiment." *Applied Economics Letters* (2016): 1-4.

WORKS IN PROGRESSS

"Within vs. Between Subjects Designs in Survey Experiments." With Vivekinan Ashok, Gregory Huber, Gautam Nair, Kyle Peyton, and Jerome Schafer.

"Determinants of Public Resource Allocations in Uganda." With Guy Grossman and Pia Raffler.

POSTERS AND PRESENTATIONS

"Shrinkage Estimation for Factorial Experiments" (with Peter M. Aronow)
Poster, Atlantic Causal Inference Conference, 2015

AWARDS, HONORS, and FELLOWSHIPS

Graduate Policy Fellow, Institution for Social and Policy Studies, Yale   2016-2017

Frazier Jelke Fellowship Fund in International Studies   2015-2016

SERVICE

Manager, ISPS Behavioral Research Lab   2016-present

Co-manager, ISPS Behavioral Research Lab (with Vivekinan Ashok and Kyle Peyton)
2015-2016

Reviewer: Journal of Causal Inference, Journal of Survey Statistics and Methodology,
Review of Economic Studies, Institute for Evaluation of Labour Market and Education
Policy (IFAU)

TEACHING

Theory of Statistics, Teaching Fellow   Spring 2017
Graduate and undergraduate level, with Andrew Barron, Statistics and Data Science,
Yale

Statistical Case Studies, Teaching Fellow   Spring 2017
Graduate and undergraduate level, with Xiaofei (Susan) Wang, Statistics and Data Science, Yale

Probability and Statistics, Teaching Fellow   Fall 2017
Graduate and undergraduate level, with Joseph Chang, Statistics and Data Science, Yale

Game Theory and International Relations, Teaching Fellow   Spring 2017
Undergraduate level, with Alexandre Debs, Political Science, Yale

Introduction to Game Theory, Teaching Fellow   Fall 2016
Graduate Level, with Alexandre Debs, Political Science, Yale

ACADEMIC CONSULTING

EGAP-USAID 2016 Impact Evaluation Clinic   2016

Center on International Cooperation, New York University, NY   2010 – 2011

Princeton University and Clinton-Bush Fund for Haiti   2010 – 2011

Princeton University and Greater Donnelly Initiative   2009 – 2010

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Office of Queen Máxima of the Netherlands, UN Secretary General's Special Advocate
for Inclusive Finance for Development, Researcher
New York, NY   2011 – 2014

Freelance Data Analyst (Mercy Corps, CRS, USAID)   2013 – 2014
Mali, Nigeria, Liberia, Uganda, Mauritania, Niger

World Bank Development Impact Evaluation Initiative, Field Coordinator 2011 – 2013
Washington, DC and Dakar, Senegal

United States Peace Corps Madagascar   2007 – 2009

Grinnell Corps Lesotho   2005 – 2006

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