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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Stanford University

Stanford, CA

Visiting Scholar, The Europe Center

October 2017 – Present

Postdoctoral Scholar, The Europe Center

September 2015 – September 2017

University of Aberdeen

Aberdeen, Scotland

Honorary Research Fellow, School of Social Sciences

September 2017 – Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science

University of Pittsburgh, 2015

Examining Fields: *Comparative Politics (Europe)*
 International Relations

Dissertation: *Citizens, Residents, and Guest Workers: A Transatlantic Analysis of Immigrant Rights and Political Cleavages*

Description: My dissertation examines the effect of migrant rights on the immigration policy-making process. It demonstrates that the political coalitions that form over questions of immigration vary as a function of the bundles of rights granted to a group of migrants. In so doing, it presents a theory of immigration policy making that is grounded in the political economy literature on the cross-border flows of factors and commodities but also accounts for the non-economic impact of migrants. Empirical evidence is drawn from the United States and European Union member states and is analyzed at the elite and state levels.

Committee: Jude C. Hays (Chair), B. Guy Peters, Michael Goodhart, Despina Alexiadou (University of Strathclyde), and Nita Rudra (Georgetown University)

M.A., Political Science

University of Pittsburgh, 2012

M.S., International Affairs

Georgia Institute of Technology, 2009

B.S., International Affairs and Modern Languages (French) Georgia Institute of Technology, 2006

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Citizens, Residents, and Guest Workers: A Transatlantic Analysis of Immigrant Rights and Political Cleavages." (*Book Project.*)

"Immigration Attitudes and Varieties of Immigration Policies."

"The Role of Migrant Rights in Congressional Immigration Politics."

"Migrant Rights as Societal Membership: A Conceptual Framework."

"Immigration Policy, International Interdependence, and the Geography of Citizenship Regimes."
With Jude C. Hays

"Political Coalitions and Immigration in the European Union."

"Hesitantly Normative: The Extension of the Freedom of Movement in the EU to the Fifth Enlargement States."

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

"Immigration Attitudes and Varieties of Immigration Policies." *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*. San Francisco, CA. 31 August – 3 September 2017.

"Immigration Policy Preferences and Varieties of Immigration Policies." *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*. Philadelphia, PA. 1-4 September 2016.

"Immigration Policy Preferences and Varieties of Immigration Policies." *European Political Science Association 6th Annual General Conference*. Brussels, Belgium. 23-25 June 2016.

"Immigration Policy, International Interdependence, and the Geography of Citizenship Regimes." With Jude C. Hays. *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*. San Francisco, CA. 3-6 September 2015.

"Support for Immigration: Economic and Cultural Cleavages." *European Political Science Association 4th Annual General Conference*. Edinburgh, Scotland. 19-21 June 2014.

"Political Coalitions and Immigration in the European Union." Presented at the *European Union Studies Association 13th Biennial International Conference*. Baltimore, MD. 9-11 May 2013.

"Some are More Equal than Others: Variations in the Free Movement of People in the EU." *International Studies Association Annual Convention*. San Diego, CA. 1-5 April 2012.

"Hesitantly Normative: The Extension of the Freedom of Movement in the EU to the Fifth Enlargement States." *International Studies Association Annual Convention*, San Diego, CA. 1-5 April 2012.

"Some are More Equal than Others: Variations in the Free Movement of People in the EU." *World Politics Workshop*, University of Pittsburgh. 20 January 2012.

"Some are More Equal than Others: Variations in the Free Movement of People in the EU." *Comparative Politics Reading Group*, University of Pittsburgh. 6 December 2011.

"Some are More Equal than Others: Variations in the Free Movement of People in the EU." *2nd Annual Georgia Tech EUCE-CIBER Doctoral Consortium in partnership with Johns Hopkins University – SAIS and the American Consortium on European Studies*. Washington, D.C. 15-17 May 2011.

"The Determinants of Migration Under the Freedom of Movement: Lessons from the European Union." *European Union Studies Association's 12th Biennial International Conference*. Boston, MA. 3-5 March 2011.

"The EU as a Normative Power: The Cases of the European Neighborhood Policy and Energy Policy." *The EU as a Global Actor: Perspectives on Power*. Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA. 19 September 2008.

"Promoting Regional Stability through the Incentive of European Union Membership." *Georgia Political Science Association Annual Meeting*. Savannah, GA. 16-18 November 2006.

TEACHING

Independent Courses – University of Pittsburgh

PS 0300: Comparative Politics (Spring 2012, Spring 2014, Spring 2015)

PS 0500: World Politics (Summer 2012)

Recitation Instructor – University of Pittsburgh

PS 0300: Comparative Politics (Laura Paler, Fall 2014)

Teaching Assistant – University of Pittsburgh

PS 1311: Western European Politics and Government (Despina Alexiadou, Fall 2011)

OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Scholar – The Europe Center, Stanford University

Kenneth F. Scheve (2015-2017)

- Scheve, Kenneth F., and David Stasavage. 2016. *Taxing the Rich: A History of Fiscal Fairness in the United States and Europe*. Princeton, NJ and New York, NY: Princeton University Press and the Russell Sage Foundation.
- Project on the political determinants of wealth inequality.
- Project on the effect of economic shocks on political values in the United Kingdom.
- Project on the political economy of higher education.

Graduate Research Assistant – Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh

Despina Alexiadou (2011, 2013, 2014)

- Alexiadou, Despina. 2016. *Ideologues, Partisans, and Loyalists: Ministers and Policymaking in Parliamentary Cabinets*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Victoria Shineman (2013)

- Project on local elections in the United States.

Aníbal Pérez-Liñán (2013)

- Project on democratic backsliding.

Library Research Advisor –European Studies Center, University of Pittsburgh

Phil Wilkin, West European Studies Archivist (2010-2011)

- Advising students on Europe-related research projects.
- Assisting with the Archive of European Integration and the European Union Delegation Collection.

Graduate Student Assistant – European Union Center of Excellence, Georgia Institute of Technology

Vicki L. Birchfield (2008)

- Birchfield, Vicki L. 2008. *Income Inequality in Capitalist Democracies: The Interplay of Values and Institutions*. Philadelphia, PA: University of Pennsylvania Press.
 - Grant writing assistant for the European Union Center of Excellence.
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AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND HONORS

Social Science Dissertation Development Fellowship, 2012-2013

European Studies Center Travel Grants (2011 [two awards], 2012, 2013, 2014)

Arts & Sciences PBC Travel Grant (2014)
EUSA Travel Grant (2011)
ACLS Slavic Language Scholarship (Bulgarian), Summer 2010
Dean's Research Award (Fellowship), 2007-2008

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES

Referee

European Political Science Review
State Politics and Policy Quarterly

Discussant

European Political Science Association 2014

Panel Chair

European Political Science Association 2014

Conferences

Graduate Student Conference on the European Union
Chair (2011)
Organizing Committee (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015)

Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh

European Politics Search Committee
Graduate Student Representative (2012-2013)

Graduate Student Executive Committee
Cohort Representative (2010-2011)

Professional Organization Membership

American Political Science Association
European Political Science Association
European Union Studies Association
International Studies Association

Sam Nunn School of International Affairs, Georgia Institute of Technology

International Security Policy Forum
Student Assistant (2006, 2008)

International Affairs Graduate Organization
Member (2007-2009)

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

French (Advanced)
Bulgarian (Beginner)

REFERENCES

Dr. Jude C. Hays

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