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#### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Politics, New York University (Expected 2022)

Dissertation: "Essays on the Political Economy of Criminal Prosecutions" Committee: Sanford Gordon (chair); Anna Harvey; David Stasavage Additional training: Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (2019)

M.A. in Politics, New York University (2018)

B.A. in Economics, New York University Abu Dhabi (2014, with highest distinction)

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Jeffrey Jensen and Sidak Yntiso, "Democratic Reversals and the Size of Government," European Journal of Political Economy 58 (2019): 21-49.

#### **UNDER REVIEW**

Anna Harvey, and Sidak Yntiso, "Racial Bias in Criminal Appeals." Revised and Resubmitted, Journal of Legal Studies.

Sanford Gordon, and Sidak Yntiso, "A Silent Corrupting Force? Recall Elections and Criminal Sentencing"

#### WORKING PAPERS

Sanford Gordon and Sidak Yntiso, "Attributable Risk to Waste: Correcting Bias in Measures of Partisan and Racial Gerrymandering"

Sean Kates, Tine Paulsen, Joshua Tucker and Sidak Yntiso, "Bridging the Grade Gap: Reducing Assessment Bias in a Multi-Grader Class"

## **TEACHING**

# New York University (2018-19)

Thinking, Learning, and Consciousness in Humans and Machines (Fall 2020) with David Stasavage  $\,$ 

Causal Inference (Spring 2020) with Anton Strezhnev

Senior Honors (Fall 2019) with Anna Harvey

Data Assistant for Politics Department (Spring 2019)

Teaching Assistant for Comparative Politics, with Joshua Tucker (Fall 2018)

## New York University Abu Dhabi (2014-15)

Teaching Assistant for Economic Development, with Robert Buckley (Winter 2015); Yaw Nyarko (Spring 2015)

Teaching Assistant for Principles of Microeconomics, with Christopher Paik (Fall 2014), Lucas Siga (Spring 2015) and Nikos Nikiforakis (Summer 2015)

## **AWARDS & GRANTS**

SPSA Prestage-Cook Travel Award (2020); Bradley Fellow for 2019-20

NYU George Downs Grant, \$2500 (2018)

NYUAD Research Enhancement Fund (REF) award for the project "Donor Strategies in Conflict and Disaster-Prone Areas", with PIs Michael Harsch and Muhammet Bas (2018-20)

NYU GSAS Dean's Student Travel Grant, \$500 (2018)

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NYU Henry H. MacCraken Fellowship (2016-21)

NYUAD Global Academic Fellowship, \$25,000 (2014 -15)

### **INVITED TALKS & PRESENTATIONS**

2020: SPSA; WPSA; MPSA

2019: APSA; MPSA; NYU Race, Crime, and Policing Workshop; Princeton Political Economy

and Public Law (PEPL); 14th Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies

2018: APSA; MPSA; International Studies Association

2017: APSA; Politics and History at Columbia-Harvard-NYU-Princeton-Yale; MPSA; Inter-

national Studies Association; EPSA

### **SERVICE**

Internal: Co-Organizer of CAPERS (2019); Graduate Political Economov Seminar (2018-2019)

Editor: European Journal of Political Economy

# LANGUAGES & SKILLS

R, Stata, Python (proficient)

English, Amharic