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Education

Ph.D., Political Science, University of Missouri, *Expected 2019*.

Concentrations: Comparative Politics and International Relations (both qualifying exams passed with distinction)

Dissertation: “*Extractivism, Resistance, and Religious Networks in Central America*.”

Committee: Moisés Arce (chair), Jonathan Kriekhaus, Bryce Reeder, and Jere Gilles (Rural Sociology).

Graduate Certificates: Grantsmanship, Public Management, Nonprofit Management, and Global Public Affairs.

M.A., Political Science, University of Missouri, 2016.

Concentrations: Comparative Politics and International Relations.

Graduate Minor: International Development.

B.A., International Relations, University of Delaware, 2011.

Concentration and Specialization: International Development and European Studies.

Undergraduate Minors: Spanish Studies, History, Business Administration.

Study Abroad: El Centro de Lenguas Modernas—Granada, Spain. 2009.

Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador—Quito, Ecuador. 2009.

Research

Peer Reviewed Publications

- “Help is Close at Hand? Proximity and the Effectiveness of Peacekeepers” co-authored with Edward Goldring, *Research and Politics*, forthcoming.
- “Resource Wealth and Political Decentralization” co-authored with Moisés Arce, *Oxford Encyclopedia of Latin American Politics* (Oxford University Press), forthcoming.

Papers Under Review

- “Peacekeeping Deployment Patterns and Conflict Mitigation Efforts: A Theory of Local-Level Peacekeeping Effectiveness” co-authored with Edward Goldring and Bryce Reeder. Under review.
- “Playing to Win: How Expected Effectiveness Influences United Nations Members’ Peacekeeper Contributions” co-authored with Edward Goldring. Under review.
- “How Chinese FDI Shapes Latin Americans’ Public Opinion of China” co-authored with Adriana Boersner-Herrera and Cody Drolc. Under review.

Book Project

- *Understanding Opposition and Support for Resource Extraction* co-authored with Moisés Arce and Marc Polizzi.
 - The book examines variation in attitudes over resource extraction. The book will include a cross-national analysis of citizens’ attitudes across Latin American countries, and case study

chapters of the Tia Maria mining project in Peru, the Fuleni mining project in South Africa, and the Rancho Grande mining project in Nicaragua. Using original survey data, I am primarily responsible for the work on Nicaragua. I explore how citizens believe their religion, particularly Christianity through Catholicism and Evangelicalism, help them motivate, organize, and sustain protest activities against mining.

Working Paper Manuscripts

- “Using Public Perceptions towards China to Predict Voting Behavior in Latin America” co-authored with Adriana Boersner-Herrera and Cody Drolc.
- “The Two-Stage Political Economy of FTAs: Veto Players as Both Facilitators and Barriers” co-authored with Jonathan Kriekhaus and Chika Yamamoto-Rosenbaum.

Research Awards

- Jeffrey D. Byrne Outstanding Graduate Student in Political Science Award, University of Missouri, 2018-2019.
- Brady Deaton International Development Scholar, University of Missouri, 2018.
- J. G. Heinberg Political Theory and Comparative Politics Scholarship Award, University of Missouri, 2017-2018.
- Sigma Iota Rho, Honor Society for International Relations, University of Delaware, 2011.

Field Research Experience

- Nicaragua, January 2017.
Conducted interviews related to extractive protests in Nicaragua’s mining communities and mining industry.

Research Grants

- **\$3,075**, University of Missouri, Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy, Field Research in Nicaragua, 2016-2017.
- **\$10,000**, University of Missouri, Office of Research, Survey Research in Nicaragua, 2016-2017.

Travel Awards

- **\$300**, University of Missouri, Graduate Professional Council, Conference Travel, 2018.
- **\$800**, University of Missouri, Department of Political Science, Conference Travel, 2018.
- **\$400**, University of Missouri, Department of Political Science, Conference Travel, 2017.

Academic Conferences

- “How Chinese FDI Shapes Latin Americans’ Public Opinion of China,” co-authored with Adriana Boersner-Herrera and Cody Drolc. FLACSO-ISA Joint International Conference, Quito, Ecuador, July 2018.
- “Mineral Wealth, Political Fragmentation and Subnational Protest,” co-authored with Moisés Arce. Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2017.

Research Experience

- Research Assistant for Professor William Horner, Spring 2018.
 - Created the Index for *Saturday Night Live and the 1976 Presidential Election: A New Voice Enters Campaign Politics*, McFarland & Company Inc. (2018).
- Research Assistant for Jonathan Kriekhaus, Summer 2017, Spring 2018, Summer 2018.
 - Copy edited and ran statistical analyses for *Geopolitical Economy: The South Korean FTA Strategy*, University of Michigan Press (2019).

- Research Assistant for Professor Moisés Arce, Spring 2015, Summer 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Summer 2016.
 - Researched extractive protests in mining communities in Peru and South Africa. Coded characteristics and created datasets and surveys for a working book manuscript tentatively titled *Understanding Opposition and Support for Resource Extraction*.
- Research Assistant for Professor Jay Dow, Spring 2015.
 - Researched and coded characteristics for *Electing the House: The Adoption and Performance of the U.S. Single-Member District Electoral System*, University Press of Kansas (2017).

Academic Organizations and Associations

- International Studies Association, 2017-present.
- Latin American Studies Association, 2016-present.
- Midwest Political Science Association, 2016-present.

Additional Research Training and Certificates

- CITI Certificate, Institutional Review Board, University of Missouri. 2016.
- Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative. February 2016.
- L^AT_EX: An In-Person Primer. September 2014.

Teaching

Instructor of Record

- *Comparative Political Systems*, Spring 2019, University of Missouri.
- *Politics of the Illicit Global Economy*, Fall 2018, University of Missouri.
- *Teaching English as a Foreign Language* (tertiary), 2014, United States Peace Corps (China), Guizhou Vocational and Technology Institute-Guiyang.
 - Taught four English courses in Tourism, Hotel Management, and Aviation Services.
- *Teaching English as a Foreign Language* (secondary), 2011-2013, United States Peace Corps (Nicaragua), Ministry of Education-San Marcos.
 - Taught English in three different Nicaraguan high schools from grades 7-11.

Lab Instructor

- *Comparative Political Systems*, Fall 2017, Professor Michael Wahman, University of Missouri.

Teaching Assistant—University of Missouri

- *Politics and the Media (online)*, Spring 2018, Professor William Horner.
- *The American Presidency (online)*, Spring 2018, Professor William Horner.
- *American Government (online)*, Spring 2018, Professor William Horner.
- *Comparative Political Systems*, Fall 2017, Professor Michael Wahman.
- *Politics and the Media-Writing Intensive (online)*, Spring 2017, Professor William Horner.
- *Politics and the Media (online)*, Spring 2017, Professor William Horner.
- *The American Presidency (online)*, Spring 2017, Professor William Horner.
- *American Government (online)*, Spring 2017, Professor William Horner.
- *Latin American Politics*, Fall 2016, Professor Moisés Arce.
- *American Government*, Spring 2016, Professor Marvin Overby.
- *Latin American Politics*, Fall 2015, Professor Moisés Arce.
- *American Government*, Fall 2014, Professor William Horner.

Tutor

- *Teaching English as a Secondary Language*, English Language Institute, 2010-2011, University of Delaware.

Mentor

- *Mentored Four Policy Interns*, Missouri Science and Technology (MOST) Policy Fellowship, Summer 2018, University of Missouri.
- *Study Abroad Student*, Visiting High School Student from Taiwan, 2014-2015, CCI Greenheart.

Invited Lectures—University of Missouri

- “Budgeting Your Time Effectively.” Graduate Association of Political Science, Department of Political Science.
- “Natural Resources, Extractivism, and Protests.” PS4004-*Environmental Conflict and Security*, Spring 2018, Professor Bryce Reeder.
- “The Rise of the Left in Latin America.” PS4600-*Latin American Politics*, Fall 2016, Professor Moisés Arce.
- “American Political Institutions.” *Global Crossings*, Fall 2016, Department of Education.
- “The American Presidency.” PS1100-*American Government*, Spring 2016, Professor Marvin Overby.
- “The Cuban Revolution.” PS4600-*Latin American Politics*, Fall 2015, Professor Moisés Arce.
- “Peace Corps Experiences.” *Peace Corps Prep*, Fall 2014, Spring, 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Office of Service Learning.

Teaching Awards and Distinctions

- Donald K. Anderson Teaching Assistant Award Nominee, University of Missouri, 2018.

Additional Teaching Training and Certifications

- International Studies Association—Innovative Pedagogy Conference. November 2018.
- Green Dot: Relationship and Sexual Violence Prevention Training. February 2017.
- RESPOND: Partnering for Campus Mental Health. April 2015.
- On-Line Teaching: An In-Person Primer. April 2015.
- Teaching Certificate, United States Peace Corps. 2013.

Leadership and Service

University Leadership and Service

- Graduate and Professional Student Representative for University of Missouri’s Chancellor’s Search Committee, 2017.
- Co-Founder and Co-Director for Missouri Science and Technology Policy Fellowship (MOST), 2016-present.
- Director of State Affairs for University of Missouri Graduate Professional Council, 2016-2018.
- University of Missouri Graduate Professional Council Representative for the Associated Students of the University of Missouri (ASUM), 2016-2018.
- University of Missouri Graduate Professional Council National Affairs Internal Committee, 2015-2018.
- University of Missouri Graduate Professional Council Persons with Disabilities External Committee, 2015-2016.
- Graduate Association of Political Science Representative for University of Missouri’s Graduate Professional Council, 2015-2016.

Community Development and Policy Grants

- **\$2,932**, Research!America Bipartisan Candidate Engagement Initiative, Missouri Science Policy Cafes, 2018.
- **\$5,000**, Peace Corps Partnership-Ministry of Education San Marcos, Special Needs Playground, 2013.

Honor Societies and Fellowships

- Cambio Center Fellow, University of Missouri, 2015-present.
- Paul D. Coverdell Peace Corps Fellow, University of Missouri, 2014-2016.
- Omicron Delta Kappa, Honor Society for Leaders, University of Delaware, 2010-2011.

Professional Experience and Volunteer Service

- Services for Independent Living, *Latin American Outreach Coordinator*. Columbia, MO. 2014-2016.
- CCI Greenheart, *Local High School Study Abroad Monitor*. Columbia, MO. 2014-2015.
- United States Peace Corps, *Teaching English as a Foreign Language Teacher and Trainer*. Guiyang, Guizhou, China. 2014.
- United States Peace Corps, *Teaching English as a Foreign Language Teacher and Trainer*. San Marcos, Carazo, Nicaragua. 2011-2013
- Students Helping Honduras, *Volunteer*. San Pedro Sula, Honduras. 2011.
- University of Delaware-English Language Institute, *English Tutor*. Newark, DE. 2010-2011.
- Coordinated Approach to Children's Health, *Supervisor of Counselors*. Newark, DE. 2010-2011.
- Delaware Department of Justice, *Intern*. Wilmington, DE. 2010.
- Tucci and Tatulli Law Firm, *Intern*. Long Branch, NJ. 2010.
- U.S. Representative Frank Pallone, Jr. District Office, *Intern*. Long Branch, NJ. 2009.
- Rodney Strong Wine Estates, *Intern for North East Sales Department*. NJ. 2008.
- St. Vincent DePaul Society, *Volunteer*. Long Branch, NJ. 2007-2011.

Professional Conferences

- "Advocacy Summit and Legislative Action Days." National Association of Graduate-Professional Students Fall Conference, Washington D.C., September 2016 and October 2017.
- "Latinos in the Heartland: Building Bridges, Dialogue, and Opportunity." Cambio de Colores Annual Conference, Columbia, MO, June 2016.

Professional Organizations and Associations

- Missouri National Education Association, 2016-present.
- Cambio de Colores Conference Planning Committee, 2015-2016.
- Central-Missouri Returned Peace Corps Association, 2014-present.
- Graduate Association of Political Science, 2014-present.

Skills

Languages

- English (native)
- Spanish (advanced)
- Mandarin (novice)

Statistical and Computer Software

- Stata
- SPSS
- L^AT_EX

References

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