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## APPOINTMENTS

University of Rochester

2016-  
2015-16 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Political Science  
**Postdoctoral Associate**, Wallis Institute of Political Economy

## EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

2010-15 **Ph.D.**, Department of Political Science, 2015  
**M.A.**, Department of Economics, 2014  
**M.A.**, Department of Political Science, 2011

Duke University

2013-15 Visiting Scholar in the Department of Political Science

University of Virginia

2006-10 **B.A.**, Economics (Highest Distinction), Politics, Mathematics (minor)

## RESEARCH

Peer-reviewed  
articles

"Strategic Power Sharing: Commitment, Capability, and Authoritarian Survival"  
Accepted at *Journal of Politics*.

"Strategic Civil War Aims and the Resource Curse"  
Accepted at *Quarterly Journal of Political Science*

"The Dictator's Power-Sharing Dilemma: Countering Dual Outsider Threats."  
Forthcoming, *American Journal of Political Science*.

"Ethnic Violence in Africa: Destructive Legacies of Pre-Colonial States."  
*International Organization*, 2019, 73(3): 645-683.

"Democratic Contradictions in European Settler Colonies."  
*World Politics*, 2019, 71(3): 542-585.

"Redistributive Political Transitions: Minority Rule and Liberation Wars in Colonial  
Africa." *Journal of Politics*, 2019, 81(2): 505-523.

"Economic Grievances and Civil War: An Application to the Resource Curse."  
*International Studies Quarterly*, 2019, 63(2): 244-258.

"British Colonialism and Democracy: Divergent Inheritances and Diminishing  
Legacies" (with Alexander Lee). *Journal of Comparative Economics*, 2019, 47(3): 487-503.

"What Were the Consequences of Decolonization?" (with Alexander Lee).  
*International Studies Quarterly*, 2019, 63(2): 406-416.

"Qualitative Investigation of Theoretical Models: The Value of Process Tracing" (with  
Peter Lorentzen and M. Taylor Fravel). *Journal of Theoretical Politics*, 2017, 29(3): 467-491.

"Rethinking the Conflict 'Resource Curse': How Oil Wealth Prevents Center-Seeking Civil  
Wars." *International Organization*, 2016, 70(4): 727-761.

"Set-Theoretic Comparative Methods (STCM): Less Distinctive Than Claimed."  
*Comparative Political Studies*, 2016, 49(6): 703-741.

Invited  
submissions

"Uses and Abuses of Formal Models in Political Science" (with Scott A. Tyson).  
2020. *SAGE Handbook of Political Science: A Global Perspective*, Chapter 11.

"Still Searching for the Value-Added: Persistent Concerns About Set-Theoretic  
Comparative Methods." *Comparative Political Studies*, 2016, 49(6): 793-800.

Under review

- "Organizing Authoritarian Coercion: Trading Off Insider and Outsider Threats"  
(R&R at *American Political Science Review*)
- "Democracy by Deterrence: Strategic Self-Entrenchment in U.S. Elections"  
(R&R at *American Journal of Political Science*; with Gretchen Helmke and Mary Kroeger)
- "The Great Revenue Divergence" (R&R at *International Organization*; with Alexander Lee)
- "International Warfare, Cooperative Statebuilding, and European Parliaments"  
(R&R at *International Organization*; with Brenton Kenkel)
- "Rebel Regimes and Military Powersharing: Consequences of Conflict for Authoritarian Durability" (with Anne Meng)

#### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- 2020 Cornell University – Peace and Conflict Institute Reading Group, APSA Annual Meeting, SPSA Annual Meeting, University of Michigan – Conflict & Peace, Research & Development seminar, University of Chicago – Workshop on International Politics, Vanderbilt University – Conference on Formal Models of International Relations, African Politics Conference Group online workshop
- 2019 APSA Annual Meeting, SPSA Annual Meeting, ISA Annual Meeting, MPSA Annual Meeting, SIOE Annual Meeting, Harris Political Economy lunch series
- 2018 SPSA Annual Meeting, WPSA Annual Meeting, EPSA Annual Meeting, APSA Annual Meeting, Formal Theory and Comparative Politics conference (Yale University), Harris Political Economy seminar (University of Chicago)
- 2017 SPSA Annual Meeting, University of Washington Political Economy Workshop, WPSA Annual Meeting, APSA Annual Meeting
- 2016 APSA Annual Meeting, Formal Models in International Relations Conference at the University of Southern California, SPSA Annual Meeting
- 2015 APSA Annual Meeting, Polmeth Annual Meeting, University of Michigan, Working Group in African Political Economy regional meeting
- 2014 APSA Annual Meeting, Duke University Security, Peace, and Conflict seminar, Emory University, ISNIE Annual Meeting, MPSA Annual Meeting, Polmeth Annual Meeting, UC Berkeley Political Economy Research Lunch, University of Rochester
- 2013 APSA Annual Meeting, MPSA Annual Meeting, Polmeth Annual Meeting, UC Berkeley Comparative Politics Colloquium, UT Austin Workshop on Case Studies and Medium-N Analysis

#### REFEREE SERVICE

*American Economic Review, American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Politics, International Organization, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Peace Research, Journal of Politics, Notre Dame University Press, Political Research Quarterly, Political Science Research and Methods, Research & Politics, Studies in Comparative International Development, World Politics*

#### TEACHING

Undergraduate

Senior Honors Seminar, Dictatorship and Democracy, Contemporary Authoritarian Regimes

Graduate

Formal Models of Non-Democratic Politics