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## Research Interests

Comparative political economy, migration policy, state formation, economic history, identity politics, non-democratic regimes.

## Education

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Rochester, expected 2020  
Fields: international relations, comparative politics, and methods  
M.A. Political Science, University of Rochester, 2018  
B.A. French and Francophone Studies, summa cum laude, University of Kentucky, 2015  
B.A. Political Science, summa cum laude, University of Kentucky, 2015

## Publications

### 2018

"Even Generals Need Friends: How Domestic and International Reactions to Coups Influence Regime Survival." *Journal of Conflict Resolution*. Co-authored with Clayton Thyne, Jonathan Powell, and Sarah Hayden.

### *Working Papers*

"Asymmetric Enforcement: Prosecuting Presidents in Latin America." Co-authored with Gretchen Helmke, Ezgi Siir Kibris, Jae Eun Kim, and Adriana Tobar.

"Shared Territory, Regime Alignment, and Ethnic Cleansing." Co-authored with Bethany Lacina and Karen Albert.

"Everything Has a Price: The State Formation Market in England, 1300-1660." Second-year paper.

### *Working Projects*

"Founding Cities, Finding Identity: State Formation and the Nativist Movement, 1200-1800." Book-length dissertation project. Committee: Bethany Lacina, chair. Randall Stone, Hein Goemans, and Scott Abramson.

"Parlements: Judicial Polarization at the Dawn of the French Revolution." With Scott Abramson.

"States and Markets." With Scott Abramson and Sergio Montero.

"Empty Promises: Text Analysis of National Statements to the UNHCR, 2000-2015." With Anna Oltman.

## Research Experience

Research Assistant to Professor Clayton Thyne, University of Kentucky, 2012-2015  
Archival Research at the United States Holocaust Museum, May 2014  
Research Fellow, NSF-REU in Civil Conflict Management and Peace Science, 2014  
Research Assistant to Professor Bethany Lacina, University of Rochester, 2015-2017  
Research Assistant to Professor Gretchen Helmke, University of Rochester, 2016-present  
Archival Research at the British National Archives, Summer 2016  
Archival Research at the British National Archives, Summer 2017  
Archival Research at the French Archives Nationales, Summer 2017  
Research Assistant to Professor Curtis Signorino, University of Rochester, 2017  
Research Assistant to Professor Scott Abramson, University of Rochester, 2017-present  
Archival Research at the United Kingdom National Archives, March 2018  
Archival Research at the Scottish National Archives, March 2018  
Research Fellow, Adam Smith Fellowship, Mercatus Center, 2018-19

## Teaching Experience

### *Teaching Assistantships*

PSC 106 Introduction to International Relations, University of Rochester, Fall 2017  
Professor: Hein Goemans

PSC 102 Introduction to International Political Economy, University of Rochester, Spring 2018  
Professor: Randall Stone

PSC 105 Introduction to American Politics, University of Rochester, Fall 2018  
Professor: Mary Kroeger

## Grants & Fellowships

2018-19 Adam Smith Fellowship, Mercatus Center, George Mason University, \$10,000  
2018 Watson Seminar Research Grant, Department of Political Science, University of Rochester, \$1,400  
2018 Prestage-Cook Travel Award, Southern Political Science Association, \$300  
2017-18 Adam Smith Fellowship, Mercatus Center, George Mason University, \$5,000  
2017 Watson Seminar Research Grant, Department of Political Science, University of Rochester, \$3,000  
2016 Watson Seminar Research Grant, Department of Political Science, University of Rochester, \$500  
2015-20 University Fellowship, University of Rochester  
2014 Jewish Studies Research Grant, Department of Hebrew and Judaic Studies, University of Kentucky, \$800  
2014 Research and Creativity Fellowship, Office of Undergraduate Research, University of Kentucky, \$2,000  
2014 National Science Foundation-Research Experience for Undergraduates Fellowship (NSF-REU), University of North Texas, \$4,000  
2011-15 Conrad and Marcel Schlumberger Merit Scholarship, Schlumberger, Ltd., \$6,000  
2011-15 Provost Scholarship, University of Kentucky

## Conference Presentations

2018

“Everything Has a Price: The State Formation Market in England, 1300-1660.” Southern Political Science Association– New Orleans, Louisiana. January 4-6. Midwest Political Science Association– Chicago, Illinois. April 5-8.

2017

“Shared Territory, Regime Alignment, and Forced Displacement.” International Studies Association Annual Conference– Baltimore, Maryland. February 22-25.

2015

“All’s Well That Ends Better: Third-Party Intervention as a Challenge to Sovereignty.” Midwest Political Science Association– Chicago, Illinois. April 16-18.

2014

“The Influence of Post-Coup Signals on Regime Survival.” International Studies Association Annual Conference– Toronto, Ontario. March 26-29.

## Research Qualifications

### *Languages*

**French-** fluent reading and writing; conversational speaker

Attended Université de Caen. Caen, Basse-Normandie, France. Fall 2014.

Old and Middle French- fluent reading proficiency

Occitan- fluent reading proficiency

Langues d’Oil- fluent reading proficiency

**Latin-** intermediate reading and writing proficiency

**Scots-** intermediate reading proficiency

**Russian-** beginner speaking and reading proficiency

**Spanish-** beginner speaking and reading proficiency

### *Programming*

L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Stata, R, arcGIS, Python

## Department and Field Service

Reviewer: Journal of Conflict Resolution

Discussant: SPSA 2018; MPSA 2018

US Social Sciences Student Council, LexisNexis Academic, 2016

Exam Proctor

Graduate Assistant, UR Internships in Europe Programme, 2017-present

## Professional Organizations

Southern Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, American Political Science Association, Economic History Association

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