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EDUCATION

2015   UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA
Ph.D. Candidate in Political Science and International Affairs.
Major Field: International Relations
Minor Field: Quantitative Research Methodology
Dissertation: "The Concept, Measurement, and Determinants of Human Security"
Committee: Amanda Murdie, Ryan Bakker, K. Chad Clay, Daniel Hill, Jr.
Expected Date of Completion: May, 2017

2012   COLBY COLLEGE
Bachelor of Arts
Majors: Government and Psychology
Minor: Music

2008   MAHINDRA UNITED WORLD COLLEGE OF INDIA
International Baccalaureate Diploma
Higher level: Physics, Mathematics, Psychology
Standard level: English A1, Chemistry, French

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights: Key to Conflict Prevention or a Key that Opens No Doors?"
Presented at the 2014 Midwest Political Science Conference.

"The Subnational Key to EU Support: Effects of Subnational Regional Identities and the Euro Crisis on Support for the European Union"
Presented at the 2015 Midwest Political Science Conference.

"Inclusive Institutions and Equality of Law: Boon or Bane to Domestic Peace"
Presented at the 2016 Midwest Political Science Conference.

"The When and Where of EU Support: Effects of Subnational Regions on Individual Support for the European Union Before and During the Eurozone Crisis"
Presented at the 2016 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

WORKING PAPERS

"Conceptualizing and Measuring Human Security"

"Understanding the Role of Subnational Region of Residence on Support for the EU"
Paper Proposal accepted for presentation at 2016 American Political Science Association Conference

"Learning Experiences: How Past Dissent Affects Opinions Regarding Peaceful Demonstration and Expression Rights" with Amanda Murdie. Under Review for a special issue in the *Journal of Human Rights*.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

Introduction to Global Issues – Honors.
Fall 2016
University of Georgia.

Introduction to Comparative Politics.
Fall 2014, Fall 2015, and Spring 2016.
University of Georgia.

Teaching Assistant

Bayesian Modeling for the Social Sciences I: Introduction and Application
Session I 2016
Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program**.**

Introduction to Applied Bayesian Modeling
Session I 2015
Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program**.**

Introduction to American Politics
Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, and Spring 2014.
University of Georgia

Guest Lecturer

American Foreign Policy, Comparative Global Development
Lecture on South Asia and the region's foreign relations with the United States
Fall 2014 and Spring 2015

Latin American Political Systems
Lecture on impact of various historical factors, role of interest groups and political parties in Latin America,
Lecture on characteristics of Bolivian politics.
Fall 2013.

Tutor

Athletic Association, University of Georgia
Spring 2012, Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Spring 2016, Fall 2016
Clarified concepts and utilized pedagogical tools to assist student athletes who were enrolled in Introduction to International Relations, Bureaucracy, East Asian Political Systems, Introduction of Psychology, and Introduction to American Government.

RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Volunteer Research Assistant
Chapel Hill Expert Survey Team
August, 2014 – Present

- Identified and documented experts on the politics of North American, and non-European countries as part of the expansion of CHES.
- Co-designed and administered a modified expert survey about party positions in Mexico, the United States, and Canada.

Graduate Research Assistant
Department of International Affairs, University of Georgia
August, 2014 – May 2015

- Duties included researching for existing literature on topics related to Dr. Howard Wiarda's book projects, proofreading manuscripts, and contacting publishers.

PEDAGOGICAL TRAINING

GRSC 7770 Seminar on Teaching and Teaching Portfolio
Fall 2012, Fall 2015

METHODOLOGICAL TRAINING

Research Methods in Political Science, Qualitative Methods in International Relations, Introduction to Data Analysis, Intermediate Political Methodology, Causal Inference, Advanced Quantitative Methods, Introduction to Applied Bayesian Modeling

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

First-Time Attendee Host, Midwest Political Science Association 73rd Annual Conference, April 2015
In this voluntary position, I facilitated networking among new attendants of the conference, discussed methods to optimize their time at the conference.

Independent Contractor for Review and Revision of Comparative Politics Textbook, Rowman and Littlefield Publishers, Inc.
In this paid position, I independently reviewed a comparative politics textbook, and revised the questions in the textbook and test bank to be up-to-date and effective in advancing student learning.

AWARDS AND GRANTS

2016 Christopher S. Allen Graduate Student Award for Excellence in Teaching, University of Georgia
2016 Graduate Student Travel Award, University of Georgia
2015 Graduate Student Travel Award, University of Georgia
2012 Pi Sigma Alpha National Political Science Honor Society, Colby College
2012 Louise Coburn Public Speaking Prize, Colby College
2010 Psi Chi International Honor Society in Psychology, Colby College
2011 Dean's List, Colby College
2008 - 2012 Shelby Davis Scholarship to attend Colby College

PERSONAL INFORMATION AND LANGUAGE SKILLS

Citizenship: Indian
U.S. Immigration Status: Permanent Resident ("Green Card Holder")
Languages Spoken: English (advanced fluency), Malayalam (advanced fluency), Hindi (intermediate fluency), French (intermediate fluency), Tamil (functional fluency)