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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2019-
Present Adjunct Instructor, Department of Political Science, Piedmont College

EDUCATION

2020
(Expected) PhD, Political Science and International Affairs, University of Georgia
Dissertation: *From Interests to Rights: Using CEDAW to Understand the Substantive Representation of Women*
Interdisciplinary Graduate Certificate in University Teaching

2013 BA, Global Studies, University of Tennessee (Knoxville)

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Article:

2019 Hill, Daniel W., Jr. and K. Anne Watson. 2019. "Democracy and Compliance with Human Rights Treaties: The Conditional Effectiveness of CEDAW." *International Studies Quarterly* 63(1): 127-138.

RESEARCH SUBMITTED AND IN PREPARATION

Under
Review "Women, the Workforce, and the Welfare State: Women's Economic Rights in Domestic Legislation"
"Credit Where It's Due: Women's Rights and Sovereign Credit Rating" (with Stephen Bagwell)

Full Draft "Into the Words: Exploring the Discourse around Women's Rights in Parliaments"
"Reasons to Ratify: Economic Concerns and IHRT Ratification"
"Tick, Tick, Boom: Simulating Decisions on the Use of Interrogation Tactics"

- Presented “Measuring Government Effort to Respect Economic Rights” (with David L. Richards, K. Chad Clay, Stephen Bagwell, and Charles Carlie)
 “Dog-Whistle Racism: White Supremacist Rhetoric in American Politics” (with Matthew Rains)
- Data Collection “Are We Changing the Way Students Think? Simulating Decisions in a Human Rights Context.” (with K. Chad Clay)
 “A Bayesian Answer to the Question of Feminist Statistics”

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record:

- Piedmont College Graduate Global Issues, Online (Summer 2020)
 Undergraduate Global Issues, Online (Spring 2020)
 Social Sciences Senior Seminar (Spring 2020)
 Social Science Research Methods (Fall 2019)
- University of Georgia Women and World Politics (Spring 2020, Fall 2019)
 Advanced Political Simulations, Honors (Spring 2020)
 Modern Warfare: Ideology, Identity, and Terrorism (Fall 2019)
 Human Rights (Summer 2017)

Teaching Assistant:

- 2016-2017 Introduction to American Government (University of Georgia, Fall 2016, Spring 2017)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2019-2020 Clute-Nigro Research Funds. 2019. University of Georgia, School of Public and International Affairs.
- 2018-2019 Future Faculty Fellowship. University of Georgia, Graduate School.
 Travel Grant. 2019. University of Georgia, Graduate School.
 Excellence in Teaching Award. 2019. University of Georgia.
- 2017-2018 Christopher S. Allen Graduate Student Award for Excellence in Teaching. 2018. University of Georgia, Department of International Affairs.
 Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award. 2018. University of Georgia.

Travel Grant. 2018. University of Georgia, Department of International Affairs.

Travel Grant. 2018. University of Georgia, Graduate School.

Other Graduate Assistantship. 2016-present. University of Georgia, Department of International Affairs.

School of Public and International Affairs Recruitment Grant. 2014.

Graduate School Assistantship. 2014-2016. University of Georgia.

PRESENTATIONS

Conference/Workshop Presentations:

- 2020 “Dog-Whistle Racism: White Supremacist Rhetoric in American Politics.” Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois. 2020. (Accepted)
- 2019 “Women’s Rights and Sovereign Credit Rating.” Paper presented at the International Studies Association Midwest Annual Conference, St. Louis, Missouri. 23 November 2019.
- “Tick, Tick, Boom: Simulating Decision-Making in a Human Rights Context.” Poster presentation, USG Teaching and Learning Conference. 10 April 2019.
- “Into the Words: Exploring Discourse around Women’s Rights in Parliaments.” Junior Scholars Symposium presentation at Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois. 6 April 2019.
- 2018 “Measuring Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights: Effective Effort versus Conditions.” Paper presented at the International Studies Association Midwest Annual Conference, St. Louis, Missouri. 17 November 2018.
- “Women, the Workforce, and the Welfare State: Women’s Economic Rights in Domestic Legislation.” Paper presented at the Georgia Area Human Rights Network Workshop, Emory University. 12 October 2018.
- “Women in the Workforce: Welfare State Policies and Women's Economic Rights.” Poster at the Georgia Area Human Rights Network Workshop, Georgia State University. 13 April 2018.
- “The Welfare State and Women in the Economy.” Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois. 5 April 2018.
- 2017 “Reasons to Ratify: Economic Concerns and IHRT Ratification.” Poster at the Georgia Area Human Rights Network Workshop, Emory University. 19 May 2017.

- 2016 “Foreign Capital Reliance and Human Rights Treaty Ratification.” Paper presented at the International Studies Association Midwest Annual Conference, St. Louis, Missouri. 18-19 November 2016.
- “Spatial Statistics in R.” Spatial Statistics Workshop, University of Georgia. 5 November 2016.

Panels:

- 2019 “Women in Politics.” Panel, Georgia Political Review. 9 October 2019.
- “What You Need to Know About the Academic Job Market.” Panel, Departments of International Affairs and Political Science. 4 October 2019.
- “Surviving and Thriving in the UGA Methods Sequence.” Panel, Introduction to Political Methodology, Department of Political Science. 19 August 2019.
- “Accessible Course Content: Tips for Notes, Guides, and Presentation Slides.” With Jeffrey Robert, Spring Teaching Symposium, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Georgia. 2 February 2019.
- 2018 “What to Expect as a Teaching Assistant.” Panel, Seminar for Graduate Teaching, University of Georgia. 24 August 2018.
- “Getting Students to Talk.” With Yachao Li and Heidi Hadley, TA Orientation, University of Georgia. 9 August 2018.
- “Graduate Student Panel.” Panel, Recruitment Day, Department of International Affairs. 2 March 2018.
- 2017 “Top 10 List of What to Expect.” Panel, School of Public and International Affairs (SPIA) Joint Orientation for Incoming Graduate Students. 8 August 2017.

Guest Lectures:

- 2018 “Tick, Tick, Boom: Simulating the Ticking Time Bomb.” Violent Political Conflict. University of Georgia. 27 November 2018.
- “Tick, Tick, Boom: Simulating the Ticking Time Bomb.” Human Rights, University of Georgia. 30 October 2018.
- “Naming and Shaming: When It Works (And Why).” Human Rights, University of Georgia. 27 July 2018.
- “Women’s Rights: Policy and Practice.” Human Rights, University of Georgia. 20 July 2018.
- “Why Aren’t All Countries Developed? A Tale of Colonialism, Resource Wealth, and the Resource Curse.” Introduction to International Relations, University of Georgia. 3 April 2018.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Pedagogical Training:

- 2019-2020 CIRTL Scholar (in progress)
 CIRTL Associate (in progress)
- 2018-2019 International Studies Association Pedagogy Conference and Graduate Assistant
 Training. 15 November 2018.
 Graduate School Portfolio Program, University of Georgia. 14 September 2018.
 LGBT Safe Space Training, University of Georgia. Fall 2018.
 Got Your 6—Veteran Support Training, University of Georgia. Fall 2018.

Research Experience:

- 2018-2019 Archival Research Assistant, Summer 2019
 Graduate Assistant for Carter Center’s Global Access to Information Program, Fall
 2018-Summer 2019
- Other Research Assistant for Sub-National Analysis of Repression Project (NSF-funded),
 Fall 2017 – Spring 2019
 Research Assistant, Fall 2014 – Spring 2016

Technical Skills:

OLS, MLE, Panel Data, Bayesian Analysis, Spatial Analysis, Qualitative Methods, Web Scraping, R

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE

Service to the Profession:

Manuscript Referee: *International Studies Quarterly*

Undergraduate Poster Discussant: MPSA 2019

Other Activities:

- 2018-2019 GradTeach Magazine Editorial Team. Center for Teaching and Learning, University
 of Georgia. Fall 2019.
 TA Café, Organizer (with Pedro Monarrez), University of Georgia. 3 April 2019.
 Discussant, School of Public and International Affairs Undergraduate Research
 Colloquium. University of Georgia. 29 March 2019.

Georgia Area Human Rights Network (GAHRNet) Graduate Student Workshop,
Organizer (with Stephen Bagwell). March 2019.

Mid-Semester Formative Evaluations, Assistant, Fall 2018-Spring 2019.

2017-2018 Reacting to the Past Conference, Assistant. Athens, GA. Spring 2018.

Athletic Association Tutor (University of Georgia, Spring 2018)

Other Member, UGA International Affairs Graduate Workshop, 2015 – Present.

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