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Curriculum Vitae

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Ph.D. Candidate
University of Washington
Department of Political Science

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EDUCATION:

- 2014-** **University of Washington, Seattle, WA**
Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Political Science
Fields Examined (June 2017): Comparative Politics, Public Law, International Relations
Dissertation Project: Fees Rise, Class Divide: Higher Education, Human Rights, and Student Mobilization
- 2016** **University of Washington, Seattle, WA**
MA, Political Science
- 2013-14** **Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany**
J. William Fulbright Scholarship (Student)
Faculty: Political Science
- 2013** **Canisius College, Buffalo, NY** *Summa Cum Laude*
Bachelor of Arts Degrees in Political Science, German & European Studies
All-College Honors Program
- SS 2012** **Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, Germany**
Field of Study: Politics
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RESEARCH INTERESTS:

International law and courts; comparative judicial politics; constitutionalism; international organizations; regional integration; European Union; European integration; German politics; social movements; legal mobilization; welfare state politics; human rights

PUBLICATIONS

Non peer-reviewed

Beck, Jonathan, Sean Bray, Yann Koby & Jinchun Zou. "The role and competences of a Eurozone Treasury."
Review of European & Transatlantic Affairs, vol. 2, no. 1.

WORKING PAPERS:

Bürgerrecht, Grundrecht, Menschenrecht, or Privilege?: Redistribution and Human Rights in the German Movement Against Tuition Fees
The Dentist's Son and the Cleaning Lady's Daughter: Inequality, redistribution, and higher education

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & HONORS:

Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst (DAAD)
Research Grant for Doctoral Candidates (~\$20,000)
Freie Universität Berlin

September 2018-August 2019

Bridges Center Labor Research Grant

University of Washington (\$3,600)

April 2018

David J. Olson Graduate Research Grant

University of Washington, Department of Political Science (\$3,000)

December 2017

Jean Monnet Chair European Union Graduate Research Grant

University of Washington, Travel Grant to Berlin

April 2016

Departmental Summer Stipend

University of Washington, Department of Political Science

Summer 2015

J. William Fulbright Scholarship

Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany

September 2013-July 2014

AFFILIATIONS

Graduate Fellow, University of Washington International Security Colloquium (UWISC), August 2017-present.

Graduate Student Affiliate, Harry Bridges Center for Labor Studies, January 2016-present.

Graduate Fellow, Comparative Law and Societies Studies Center, University of Washington, Summer 2015-present.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, University of Washington

- Summer 2015 | European Court of Human Rights Dataset, Professor Rachel Cichowski

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor

- Summer 2018 | POLS/LSJ 367: Comparative Law and Courts
- Summer 2019 | POLS/LSJ 367: Comparative Law and Courts

Teaching Assistant, University of Washington (two biweekly sections each)

- Fall 2019 | POL S/LSJ 367: Comparative Law & Courts
- Spring 2018 | POLS/COM 306: Media, Society, and Political Identity
- Winter 2018 | LSJ 200: Intro to Law, Societies, and Justice
- Fall 2017 | LSJ 200: Intro to Law, Societies, and Justice
- Summer 2017 | POL S 321: American Foreign Policy
- Spring 2017 | POLS/COM 306: Media, Society, and Political Identity
- Winter 2017 | LSJ 200: Intro to Law, Societies, and Justice
- Fall 2016 | LSJ 200: Intro to Law, Societies, and Justice
- Summer 2016 | POL S 321: American Foreign Policy
- Spring 2016 | POL S 321: American Foreign Policy
- Winter 2016 | POL S 249: Introduction to Labor Studies
- Fall 2015 | POL S 368/LSJ 320: The Law & Politics of International Human Rights
- Spring 2015 | POL S/LSJ 367: Comparative Law & Courts
- Winter 2015 | POL S/LSJ 361: US Courts & Civil Liberties
- Fall 2014 | POL S/LSJ 367: Comparative Law & Courts

Workshop Facilitator, Center for Teaching and Learning, TA/RA Training Conference

- (Fall 2017/Fall 2016) Session: Responding to Longer Student Essays and Assigning Grades
- (Fall 2017) Session: Planning and Facilitating Discussions

- (Fall 2015) Session: Presenting Information Effectively in the Classroom

Teacher, Experience America Study Tours (Fall 2017)

- Knord Program, exchange program for Danish technical school students

German American Institute, Tübingen, Germany (Winter/Spring 2014)

- Rent an American Program (pedagogical program for local schools)

Teaching Assistant, Canisius College

- Spring 2013 | Introduction to Comparative Politics (professor: John Occhipinti)

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT

2016-17 Political Science Graduate Student President, University of Washington

2016-17 Committee Member, Equality Initiative in Political Science (EIPS)

SELECTED INVITED TALKS & CONFERENCES:

2017 Invited Talk: University of Washington International Security Colloquium, Seattle, WA “European Integration Detour: the contentious politics of EU migrant benefits”

Graduate Conference in Public Law, Austin, TX “European Integration Detour: the contentious politics of EU migrant benefits”

European Union Graduate Student Workshop, Seattle, WA “European Integration Detour: the contentious politics of EU migrant benefits”

2016 West Coast Law & Society Retreat, Irvine, CA “The Rise and Fall of Tuition Fees”

European Student Conference, New Haven, CT “The role and competences of a Eurozone Treasury”

2014 Graduate Student Conference on the European Union, Pittsburgh, PA “The Judicial Politics of Legal Integration: The German Constitutional Court and Parliamentary Sovereignty” (Accepted)

2013 New York State Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Syracuse, NY “In Pursuit of Dominance”

HONORS:

Societies:

2012 Pi Sigma Alpha, National Political Science Honor Society

2012 Alpha Sigma Nu, Honor Society of Jesuit Colleges and Universities

2011 Delta Phi Alpha, National German Honor Society

Awards:

2013 Pi Sigma Alpha Award

2013 Robert J. Butler Award for Leadership in the All-College Honors Program

2013 German Consulate New York Award for Excellence in German

2011 Robert J. Butler Award for Leadership in the All-College Honors Program

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

2012-15 Alpha Sigma Nu Board of Directors, Jesuit Honors Society