

RYAN GOEHRUNG

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Education

- PhD, Political Science** (expected) June 2024
University of Washington, Seattle, WA
Fields: Public Law, Quantitative Methods, American Politics
Dissertation: “The Substantive Effects of Increased Diversity in Legislative Institutions”
- Master of Arts, International Development** June 2015
Josef Korbel School of International Studies, University of Denver, CO
Fields: Human Rights, Global Health
- Bachelor of Arts, History** May 2009
Reed College, Portland, OR
Senior Thesis: “Power and Representation in Augustan Rome and Ovid’s *Metamorphoses*”

Teaching & Mentoring Experience

- Instructor of Record** Summer Quarter 2023
American Public Policy, Department of Political Science, University of Washington
- Co-Instructor** Academic Years 2021-2023
Center for American Politics and Public Policy Fellowship, University of Washington
- Instructor of Record** Winter Quarters 2022 & 2023
Washington State Legislative Internship Program, University of Washington
- Lead Teaching Assistant** Academic Year 2022-2023
Department of Political Science, University of Washington
- Secondary Advisor on Undergraduate Honors Theses** Academic Years 2021-2023
Department of Political Science, University of Washington
- Teaching Assistant** Academic Years 2017-2023
Political Science and Law, Societies & Justice Program, University of Washington
- Adjunct Faculty** Fall Semester 2015-2016
Peace Studies Program, Naropa University, Boulder, CO

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles

- Goehrung, Ryan** and Rachel Castellano. (2023). “Misrecognitions of Victimhood: Discretionary Power of Street-level Bureaucrats in Humanitarian Visas.” *Law & Social Inquiry* (First View): 1-30.
- Joshi, Devin and **Ryan Goehrung**. (2021). “Mothers and Fathers in Parliament: MP Parental Status and Family Gaps from a Global Perspective.” *Parliamentary Affairs* 74(2): 296-313.

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles (continued)

Goehrung, Ryan. (2021). "Evaluating the Criminal Justice Approach to Human Trafficking in Taiwan." *Journal of Human Trafficking* 7(1): 53-68.

Joshi, Devin and **Ryan Goehrung.** (2018). "Conceptualizing and Measuring Women's Political Leadership: From Presence to Balance." *Politics & Gender* 14(3): 350-375.

Goehrung, Ryan. (2017). "At Issue: Ethnicity, Violence, & the Narrative of Genocide: The Dangers of a Third Term in Rwanda." *African Studies Quarterly* 17(1): 79-100.

Edited Book Chapters

Alam, Zainab and **Ryan Goehrung.** (2023). "South and Southeast Asia" in Malliga Och (Ed.) *Women and Politics: Global Lives in Focus* (189-222). Santa Barbara: ABC-Clio.

Public-Facing Scholarship

Ahmed, Rowana, Katherine Chang, Daryl Deford, **Ryan Goehrung**, Michael Souffrant (2021). *Applying GerryChain: A User's Guide for Redistricting Problems*. eScience Institute, University of Washington: Seattle.

Works in Progress

Goehrung, Ryan. "Beyond a Seat at the Table: Policy Impacts of Diversity in the Legislature" (under submission at *Policy & Politics*)

Castellano, Rachel and **Ryan Goehrung.** "The Stories We Tell: Persistent Narratives of Human Trafficking and their Policy Consequences" (analysis complete, target journal: *Social & Legal Studies*)

Goehrung, Ryan. "Computational Modeling as a Non-Partisan Policy Tool for Congressional Redistricting" (in-progress, target journal: *Research & Politics*)

Research Experience

Dissertation Fieldwork	Summer Quarter 2022
<i>Archives of the House of Representatives, Quezon City, Philippines</i>	

Research Assistant	Summer Quarter 2022
<i>Rachel Cichowski, University of Washington, Seattle, WA</i>	
European Court of Human Rights Database Project	

Contracted Researcher	August 2015 – June 2017
<i>One Earth Future Foundation, Broomfield, CO</i>	

Research Assistant	June 2014 – July 2015
<i>Devin Joshi, Josef Korbel School of International Studies, University of Denver, CO</i>	

Grants & Fellowships

Peter May Graduate Research Grant <i>Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle, WA</i>	Spring Quarter 2022
Data Science for Social Good Fellowship <i>e-Science Institute, University of Washington, Seattle, WA</i>	Summer Quarter 2021
Bryan and Diane Jones Graduate Research Grant <i>Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle, WA</i>	Spring Quarter 2021
Dr. Lisa Sable Brown Fellowship <i>Center for Human Rights, University of Washington, Seattle, WA</i>	Spring Quarter 2020
Foreign Language Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship <i>Center for Global Studies, University of Washington, Seattle, WA</i>	Summer Quarters 2018 & 2019

Academic & Teaching Awards

Excellence in Teaching Award <i>President's Office, University of Washington, Seattle</i>	Academic Year 2022-2023
Law & Social Inquiry Graduate Student Paper Competition Winner <i>American Bar Foundation, Chicago</i>	Spring 2022
Taraknath Das Prize in Comparative & International Politics <i>Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle</i>	Spring 2020
Donald W. Hoagland Scholarship <i>Josef Korbel School of International Studies, University of Denver, CO</i>	Academic Years 2013-2015
Josef Korbel Fellow <i>Josef Korbel School of International Studies, University of Denver, CO</i>	Academic Years 2013-2015
Students for Africa Paper Competition Winner <i>College of Arts and Sciences, University of Denver, CO</i>	Spring 2015

Invited Talks & Presentations

"Inclusive Teaching Strategies" <i>2023 Teaching at UW Conference, University of Washington, Seattle</i>	September 2023
"Policy Impacts of Increased Gender Diversity in Political Representation" <i>The Bergen Exchanges on Law & Social Transformation, Bergen University, Norway</i>	August 2023
"Developing Ensemble Methods for Initial Districting Plan Evaluation" <i>Learning & Doing Data for Good Conference, e-Science Institute, Seattle</i>	September 2022

Invited Talks & Presentations (continued)

- “Hybrid Contract Grading for TAs” April 2022
18th Annual Teaching & Learning Symposium, University of Washington, Seattle
- “Misrecognitions of Victimhood: Assessing the Underutilization of T-Visas” October 2021
New Directions in Law & Society Conference, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- “The Price of Marriage and Women’s Political Representation” February 2021
Severyns Ravenholt Seminar in Comparative Politics, University of Washington, Seattle
- “Climate Change in the Philippines: Asia Dialogue” October 2018
Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs, Manila, Philippines

Service to the Department, University, & Discipline

- Endowed Seminar Series Chair** Academic Year 2023-2024
Severyns-Ravenholt Seminar, Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle
- Undergraduate Program Committee Representative** Academic Year 2022-2023
Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle
- Graduate Program Committee Representative** Academic Year 2020-2021
Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle
- Equality Initiative in Political Science Steering Committee** Academic Years 2019-2021
Department of Political Science, University of Washington, Seattle
- Peer-Reviewer for Academic Journals** 2019-2023
Journal of Human Trafficking; Third World Quarterly; British Journal of Political Science

Select Work Experience

- Free-Lance Grant Writer** July 2017 – January 2019
Seattle, WA
- Wrote grants for multiple non-profits on a contractual basis
 - Efficiently familiarized self with goals, activities, and funding structure of client organizations
 - Produced successful grants totaling \$410,000
- Health Program Associate** July 2014 – April 2015
Del Agua Health, Kigali Rwanda
- Oversaw implementation of educational workshops training 900 community health workers in 8 rural regions of Rwanda on the use of water purification and clean burning cook stove technologies, which were then distributed to thousands of households
 - Coordinated with local health worker field staff to conduct household-level smartphone surveys to collect data on uptake & use of water purification & cook stove technologies
 - Cleaned, coded, and analyzed quantitative and qualitative survey data to evaluate the impact of new technologies and developed plan for follow-up education as needed

Select Work Experience (continued)

Assistant Grants Manager

May 2013 – July 2014

Laboratory to Combat Human Trafficking, Denver, CO

- Conducted qualitative and quantitative research on incidences of human trafficking in Colorado & produced reports with recommendations on most effective potential policy responses
- Developed evidence-based educational materials to train service providers, first responders, and law enforcement on human trafficking and how best to respond
- Educated community stakeholders on human trafficking through public speaking events

Community Development Program Specialist

April 2012 – October 2012

Millennium Challenge Account, Manila, Philippines

- Surveyed community stakeholders throughout the country to assess impacts of ongoing poverty reduction efforts managed by the US & Philippines national governments
- Identified systemic issues limiting effectiveness of these national programs through focus-group discussions and devised strategies to address them by revising programmatic guidelines
- Developed simplified program guidelines for national poverty reduction efforts, subsequently utilized to direct economic empowerment programs in 3,800 communities

Coastal Resource Management Extension Worker

August 2009 – April 2012

US Peace Corps, Palawan, Philippines

- Coordinated multi-stakeholder projects to reduce illegal fishing through alternative livelihood development, education, incentives, and enforcement to ensure sustainable, community-based protection and management of marine and coral reef ecosystems
- Conducted extensive environmental education campaigns in local language (Tagalog)
- Developed 6 marine protected areas with management plans tied to local communities
- Raised over \$30,000 from US government and private sector grants to fund projects

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- **R** – Data cleaning, statistical methods, regressions, MLE, causal inference, data visualization
- **Python** – Natural language processing, GerryChain, machine learning
- **Tagalog (Filipino)** – Advanced Proficient (speaking, writing, & reading)
- **Mandarin (Chinese)** – Intermediate (speaking, writing, & reading)