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Education

PH.D. CANDIDATE, POLITICAL SCIENCE | UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON | 2021-PRESENT

- Dissertation project: *Dilemmas of Humanitarian Advocacy*
- Summary of dissertation: Analyzes how humanitarian INGOs reconcile neutrality with justice while sustaining operations. Through cases examining Eurocentrism in aid appeals for Ukraine, HINGO advocacy for LGBTQ+ rights, and humanitarian demands for climate reparations, the dissertation examines framing strategies and public attitudes to identify when advocacy costs are lowest and justice-forward approaches succeed.
- Research interests: international relations, comparative politics, non-governmental organizations, humanitarian and NGO advocacy, foreign aid, political ideology, queer studies, economic justice, environmental politics, social movements, political parties, qualitative and mixed research methods, survey methodology, experimental social science, diversity, equity and inclusion in higher education, evaluation
- Dissertation Committee: Prof. Aseem Prakash (chair), Prof. Geoffrey P.R. Wallace, Prof. Christine ‘Cricket’ Keating, Prof. Robert Pekkanen (Grad. School Rep.)
- Anticipated Graduation Date: June 2026

MA, POLITICAL SCIENCE | 2022 | UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

- MA paper: *A Shock to The System? Assessing the Party System Implications of Europe’s Austerity Doctrine*

A.B. (HONORS), POLITICAL SCIENCE | 2016 | BROWN UNIVERSITY

- Concentration track: International & Comparative Politics
- Awarded Pi Sigma Alpha Honors

Professional Experience

CURRENT APPOINTMENTS

- PhD Candidate & Teaching Assistant | UW Department of Political Science (2021-present)
 - Disciplinary subfields: International Relations, Comparative Politics, Political Economy
 - 2025-2026 Severyns-Ravenholt Fellow in Comparative Politics
 - Graduate Fellow | UW Center for Environmental Politics

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS:

- Research Assistant – UW Center for Evaluation and Research for STEM Equity, UW Department of Sociology (*March 2022-August 2025*)
 - Embedded evaluator for Regional Change Initiative and Institutional Change teams of the National Science Foundation Eddie Bernice Johnson INCLUDES Aspire Alliance (*Supervisor: Dr. Liz Litzler, Director, UW CERSE*)

- Other tasks: literature review for the Society of Women Engineers annual literature review, evaluation on the National Institutes of Health BRAINS (Broadening the Representation of Academic Investigators in NeuroSciences) project, and other projects (*Supervisor: Dr. Erin Carll, UW CERSE*)
- Research Assistant – UW Severyns-Ravenholt Seminar in Comparative Politics (*April-June 2025*)
- Research Assistantship at University of Washington with Prof. Caitlin Ainsley, *Summer 2021, Summer 2022*
- Tri-Lab Fellowship for Healthy Food Access, Brown University Swearer Center For Public Service & African Alliance Of Rhode Island (AARI), *2014*

Peer-reviewed Publications

Hock, A., **Foxe, J.**, & Litzler, L. (2025). A qualitative rubric for evaluating program sustainability. *Innovative Higher Education*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10755-025-09847-4> [open access]

Foxe, J., Oyugi, M. A., Velasco, K., Hwang, J., Banerjee, A., Darrow, M., Delk, G., Flores, B., Gregg, J., Grover, J. P., Kelly, L., Litzler, L., Ogilvie, C.A., Staehling, E. M., Turpen, C., & Wright, M. (2025). Broadening participation in STEM community college teaching: Deliberately preparing graduate students <https://doi.org/10.1080/10668926.2025.2503001> [open access]

Foxe, J., Dolšak, N., & Prakash, A. (2024). Varieties of Climate activism: Assessing public support for mainstream and unorthodox climate action in the United Kingdom. *Environmental Research Communications*. <https://doi.org/10.1088/2515-7620/ad9382> [open access]

Research Experience and Current Projects

WORKS UNDER REVIEW

- *Polarization in the Eurozone: Crisis Governance and Party System Change* (under review, *European Journal of Political Research*)
- *Comparative Homonationalisms: Far-Right Visions of LGB(TQ+) Belonging in the United States and the Netherlands* (with Jessica Sciarone) (under review, *European Journal of Politics & Gender*)
- *Is there a Taylor Swift Effect? Celebrity endorsement and the willingness to purchase carbon offsets* (with Aseem Prakash and Nives Dolšak) (*with Editor, Climatic Change*)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- *Aiding the “Civilized”: Do Humanitarian Aid Appeals for Ukraine suffer from Eurocentric bias?*
- *What determines US public support for climate reparations? Evidence from a survey experiment.*
- *Humanitarian INGOs, Homocolonialism and the Global Recession of LGBTQIA+ Rights*
- *How do different disruptive direct actions affect different social movements? Revisiting the ‘Radical Flank Effect’*
- *Do Radical Climate Groups increase support for climate action?* (with Aseem Prakash and Nives Dolšak)
- *The Benefits of BRAINS: How Community- and Identity-Centered Professional-Personal Development Shapes Careers in Neuroscience* (with Erin Carll, Joyce Yen, Claire Horner-Devine, Sheri Mizumori, Riffat Ara Shawon, and Pauline Dott)
- *Aspire Regional Collaboratives: A flexible model for cultivating a diverse and inclusive STEM faculty at community colleges and beyond* (with Jessica Gregg, Chandra Turpen, C.A. Ogilvie, Gigi Delk, Lorenzo Baber, Gianina Baker, Agniprava Banerjee, Cassie Barlow, Kathy Carrigan, Mary Darrow, Dale Fields, Rory Flinn, Benjamin Flores, Jim Grover, Jeongsan Hwang, Anthony Jones, Edward Leach, Adrienne Linnell, Anneke Lisberg, Erica Staehling, Karla Velasco, Laura Watkins, and Maria Wright)

OTHER AUTHORED PUBLICATIONS, DOCUMENTS & REPORTS:

- Beach, M., Knaphus-Soran, E., Tanveer, M., **Foxe, J.**, Dott, P. (2025). Women in Engineering and STEM: A Review of the 2023 Literature - Society of Women Engineers. *Magazine of the Society of Women Engineers*. [\[link\]](#)
- Litzler, E., **Foxe, J.**, & Hock, A. (2024). NSF EBJ INCLUDES Aspire Alliance, Year 6 Evaluation Report. National Science Foundation INCLUDES Initiative. 1-49.
- Hock, A., **Foxe, J.**, and Litzler, E. (2024). A rubric to assess sustainability of STEM reform efforts. [\[link\]](#)
- **Foxe, J.** (2023). NSF Eddie Bernice Johnson INCLUDES Aspire Alliance. Aspire Planning Meetings (APM) Observation Analysis. Unpublished internal report, 1-6.
- **Foxe, J.** & Litzler, L. (2023) NSF Eddie Bernice Johnson INCLUDES Aspire Alliance Regional Change Initiative Teaching Practicum Alumni Interviews Results Report, 1-16.
- **Foxe, J.** & Litzler, L. (2023) NSF Eddie Bernice Johnson INCLUDES Aspire Alliance Regional Change Initiative Teaching Practicum Career Outcomes and Demographics Survey Results Report.
- Rodriguez, S., Flores, B., Turpen, C., Banerjee, A., **Foxe, J.**, Grover, J., Delk, G.. (2023). Mentor Perspectives of Apprenticeships for Community College STEM Careers, American Society of Engineering Educators 2023 Conference Paper [\[link\]](#)
- Hill, L., Perez Beverly, S., Litzler, L., **Foxe, J.**, Wolfe, B., Oyugi, M., Lamm, A., Lamm, K., & Olsen, T. (2023) Year 5 Evaluation Report Formative, Developmental, and Summative Evaluation Teams, Aspire: The National Alliance for Inclusive and Diverse STEM Faculty, 1-70.
- Milton, J., Immelman, T., Hill, L., Fathema, N., Litzler, L., Abdi Nur, A., & **Foxe, J.** (2022) Year 4 Evaluation Report Formative, Developmental, and Summative Evaluation Teams, Aspire: The National Alliance for Inclusive and Diverse STEM Faculty, 1-69.

Grants, Fellowships, Awards and Honors

- University of Washington Severyns-Ravenholt Fellowship in Comparative Politics (\$2000 honorarium (total, \$1000 per quarter for two quarters) research assistantship, role of chair for the 2025-2026 Severyns-Ravenholt Seminar in Comparative Politics speaker series)
- Funding for Gender and Sexuality Graduate Research Cluster, Simpson Center for the Humanities, University of Washington (co-facilitated with Ryan DeCarsky, UW Sociology), May 2024-May 2025 (\$1000)
- Prize for Best Graduate Paper, for *A Shock To The System? Assessing the Party System Implications of Europe's Austerity Doctrine*, University of Washington Department of Political Science, June 2023 (\$500)
- Robert Kaplan and Margaret Levi Fellowship in Comparative Political Economy, University of Washington Department of Political Science, June 2023 (\$2000)
- University of Washington Department of Political Science Fellowship (Winter 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022) (relief from Academic Student Employee duties)
- University of Washington Department of Political Science Summer Scholarship, 2021, 2022 (\$10000 total, \$5000 per year)
- ISA-West travel grant, September 2022 (\$100)

Teaching Experience

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS

- Introduction to International Relations – POLS 203 | Lead instructor: Prof. Geoffrey P.R. Wallace | Fall 2025

- The Israeli-Palestinian Conflict – POLS 325 | Lead instructor: Dr. Yoav Duman | Summer 2025
- Electoral systems – JSIS 472 (reader/grader) | Lead instructor: Prof. Robert Pekkanen | Spring 2023, Winter 2024
- Introduction to Comparative Politics | Lead instructor: Prof. Asli Cansunar | Winter 2022
- Introduction to Comparative Politics | Lead instructor: Prof. James Long | Fall 2021

Professional Activities

REVIEWER

Environmental Politics

Journal of Lesbian Studies

EVENTS AND PROCEEDINGS

- 2025-2026 Graduate Student Chair – University of Washington Severyns-Ravenholt Seminar in Comparative Politics
- 2024-2025 Co-director, UW Gender & Sexualities Graduate Research Cluster
- Research Brown Bag lunch series coordinator - Center for Evaluation and Research for STEM Equity (2023-2024)
- Conference Organizer - EDIG 2020 – Equality, Diversity and Inclusion in Geoscience: A time to listen, learn and act

Conference Proceedings

- International Studies Association 2026, Columbus, OH, USA (March 2026), presenting *How do different disruptive direct actions affect different social movements? Revisiting the 'Radical Flank Effect'*
- Transforming Institutions Conference, Kansas City, MO, USA (9-11 June, 2025), presenting *Evaluating Program Sustainability* (with Liz Litzler)
- Western Political Science Association 2025, Seattle, WA, USA (April 17-19, 2025), presenting *What determines US public support for climate reparations? Evidence from a survey experiment.*
- International Studies Association 2025, Chicago, IL, USA (March 2-5, 2025), presenting *The Tortured Planet Department and the Taylor Swift Effect: Do the prosocial behaviors of celebrities influence willingness to purchase carbon offsets?*
- American Evaluation Association, Portland, OR, USA (21-26 October, 2024), presenting *Evaluating Program Sustainability* (with Liz Litzler)
- American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, USA (5-8 September, 2024), presenting *Humanitarian INGOs, Homocolonialism and the Global Recession of LGBTQIA+ Rights.*
- Environmental Politics and Governance, Quebec City, CA (withdrawn due to travel issues, June 18-21, 2024) presenting *Varieties of Climate Activism: Assessing Public Support for Mainstream and Unorthodox Climate Action* (with Aseem Prakash and Nives Dolšak)
- ADVANCE Equity in STEM Community Convening, Baltimore, MD, USA (June 2-5, 2024), presenting *Evaluating program sustainability* (with Ari Hock and Liz Litzler)
- International Studies Association 2024, San Francisco, CA, USA (April 3-7, 2024), presenting *What determines US public support for climate reparations? Evidence from a survey experiment.*

- International Studies Association 2024, Montreal, CA, USA (April 3-7, 2024), presenting *Substantive engagement or performative 'homocolonialism'? Analyzing humanitarian NGO involvement with LGBTQIA discourses*.
- American Political Science Association, Los Angeles, CA, USA (withdrawn due to strike activity, September 2023), presenting *Varieties of Climate Activism: Assessing Public Support for Mainstream and Unorthodox Climate Action (with Aseem Prakash and Nives Dolšák)*
- American Political Science Association, Los Angeles, CA, USA (withdrawn due to strike activity, September 2023), presenting *The Populist Right's Homo(trans)nationalism Dilemma*
- Aspire Alliance Summit 2023, Los Angeles, CA, USA (July 19-20, 2023), *Examining Collaborative Dynamics and Collective Impact Processes* (with Lucas Hill, Diane Coddling, Liz Litzler, Brooke Wolfe, and Millicent Oyugi)
- International Studies Association 2023, Montreal, CA (March 15-18), presenting *Aiding the "Civilized": Do Humanitarian Aid Appeals for Ukraine suffer from Eurocentric bias?*
- The Southern Region American Association for Agricultural Education (SAAAE) Conference, Oklahoma City, USA, (February 5-7, 2023) presenting Oyugi, M. A., Lamm, A. J., Litzler, E., Foxe, J. *Examining if the NSF INCLUDES Aspire Alliance mentored teaching practicum promotes underrepresented graduate mentees' community college teaching efficacy, career confidence, and skill utilization* [Poster presentation].
- American Evaluation Association 2022, presenting Hill, L.B., Litzler, E., Milton, J., Wolfe, B., & Foxe, J. *The interrelationship of developmental, formative, and summative evaluation in assessing collaborative STEM higher education reform*. Panel proposal submitted to American Evaluation Association annual meeting
- International Studies Association-West 2022, Pasadena, CA, USA, presenting *A Shock To The System: Assessing the Party System Implications of Europe's Austerity Doctrine*
- International Studies Association-West 2022, Pasadena, CA, USA, presenting *Comparative Homonationalisms of the Far-Right*
- International Studies Association 2022, presenting *A Shock To The System: Assessing the Party System Implications of Europe's Austerity Doctrine*
- European Geosciences Union 2021, presenting *Equity, Diversity, And Inclusion In Geoscience (EDIG) Initiative: A Time To Listen, Learn, And Act*
- Responsible Raw Materials Conference 2021, presenting *Equity, Diversity, And Inclusion In Geoscience (EDIG) Initiative: A Time To Listen, Learn, And Act*

INVITED TALKS

- NSF INCLUDES National Network Quarterly Webinar, Fall 2024, "Evaluating Program Sustainability", consultancy for NSF INCLUDES National Network, with Ari Hock and Liz Litzler [\[details\]](#)
- NSF INCLUDES Coordination Hub June 6th, 2024, "Evaluating Program Sustainability", consultancy for NSF INCLUDES Coordination HUB members, with Ari Hock and Liz Litzler [\[details\]](#)
- University of Washington Severyns Ravenholt Seminar in Comparative Politics (SR-SCP) February 23, 2024, "Comparative Homonationalisms of the Far-Right: How Far-Right Ideological Movements Imagine Queer Citizenship"
- EDIG 2022 – *Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Geosciences*, November 21, 2022. *Data-driven change: using data to drive EDI*, panel discussion with George Jameson and Caroline Tiddy

Professional Memberships

- American Political Science Association (APSA)
- European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)
- International Studies Association (ISA)
- Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA)
- Pi Sigma Alpha – National Political Science Honor Society

Relevant Skills

- Experience with survey experiment design, conjoint choice experiment design, focus group design, interview protocols
- Extensive experience with program evaluation, including large, complex and collaborative projects
- R statistical software to conduct statistical analyses, including multiple regression
- Qualitative and mixed analytical methodologies for text analysis including varying forms of content analysis and discourse analysis
- Qualitative Data Analysis software (Atlas.ti and Dedoose)