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Education

University of Florida

Ph.D. Political Science (ABD, degree expected 2023)

1st: Intl Relations (High Pass) 2nd: Political Theory

M.A. with Merit International Relations

University of Warwick

B.A. Political Science

Mercer University

Areas of Research and Teaching

Teaching: International Relations, Foreign Policy, Security, Political Economy, Political Theory, Gender and Politics

Research: Foucault and International Relations; Bio-politics, Governmentality and Security Techniques in the International System; U.S. Foreign Policy, Development, Resistance, and Intervention.

Academic Appointments

2022-2023 Mercer University

Visiting Instructor

2021-2022 University of Florida

Instructor of Record

2017-2021 University of Florida

Graduate Assistant

2019 Mercer University

Lecturer

2015-2017 Mercer University

Lecturer

Teaching Experience

Spring 2023 Mercer University

American Foreign Policy

Spring 2023 Mercer University

Introduction to American Politics

Spring 2023 Mercer University

Understanding Self and Others

Fall 2022 Mercer University

Introduction to American Politics (x2)

Fall 2022 Mercer University

Understanding Self and Others

Spring 2022 University of Florida

Gender and IR

Fall 2021 University of Florida

Women and World Politics

Spring 2021 University of Florida

What is the Good Life (Hy-Flex, Instructor)

Fall 2020 University of Florida

What is the Good Life (Instructor)

Summer 2020 University of Florida

Introduction to International Relations (Online, TA)

Summer 2020 University of Florida

US and World Affairs (Online, Grader)

Spring 2020 University of Florida

What is the Good Life (Instructor)

Fall 2019 University of Florida

Introduction to Political Theory (TA)

Summer 2019 Mercer University

Engaging the World: Modern Mongolia

Spring 2019 University of Florida

Introduction to International Relations (Online, TA)

Fall 2018 University of Florida

Introduction to International Relations (TA)

Spring 2018 University of Florida

Introduction to International Relations (Online, TA)

Fall 2017 University of Florida

Introduction to International Relations (TA)

Spring 2017 Mercer University

Engaging the World: "Civilizing" the Other

Fall 2016 Mercer University

Introduction to International Relations

Fall 2016 Mercer University

First-Year Student Experience

Spring 2016 Mercer University

Introduction to International Relations

Fall 2015 Mercer University

First-Year Student Experience

Professional Experience

2014-2017 Mercer University

Study Abroad Program Coordinator

2011-2013 United States Peace Corps (Mongolia)

Peace Corps Volunteer

Peer-Reviewed Publications

- “The Diplomatic Ambitions of the BRIC States: Challenging the Hegemony of the West”
Journal of International Relations and Foreign Policy, Vol. 2 No. 2, pp. 1-18 (2014)
- “Power and Representation in Global Governance”
Journal of Power, Politics, & Governance, Vol. 2 No. 2, pp. 1-17 (2014)

Peer Reviewed Book Chapters

- “Discourse Analysis”
Co-Author with Laura Sjoberg in Mitchell Brown, Shane Nordyke, and Cameron Thies, eds. *Teaching Graduate Political Methodology*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing (2022)
- “Feminist Theory”
Co-Author with Laura Sjoberg in Jamie Frueh, Jacqui Ala, Micahel Murphy, and Paul Diehl, eds. *The Handbook on the Pedagogy of International Relations Theory*, Palgrave MacMillan (Forthcoming)

Other Publications

- Book Review: *Development Discourse and Global History: From Colonialism to the Sustainable Development Goals* by Aram Ziai
Mongolia Studies (Forthcoming)
- “Conceptualizing and Assessing the State of Democracy in the World Today”
E-International Relations (2014)
- “Assessing How Far Democracy in South Africa is Liberal or Illiberal”
E-International Relations (2014)

Conference Presentations

- 2022 International Studies Association – Northeast
“Modern Imperialism: An Interpretive Analysis of the Peace Corps”
- 2022 International Studies Association – South
“The Securitization of Development in Mongolia”
- 2020 American Political Science Association
“The Limits of Gender Equality”, Co-Author with Dr. Laura Sjoberg
- 2020 APSA Interpretive Methods Short Course
“Modern Imperialism: An Interpretive Analysis of the Peace Corps”
- 2019 International Studies Association – Northeast
“Between Discourse & Practice: Incorporating a Theory of Subject Formation in Analyses of Securitization”
- 2018 International Studies Association – Northeast
“The Securitization of Development: USAID and its Governmental Technologies in Afghanistan”
- 2016 International Studies Association – Northeast
“The Good Shepherd and The Bad Shepherd: A Genealogy of the Peace Corps from 1961-2016”

Awards and Honors

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| 2021-2022 | American Center for Mongolian Studies | Field Research Fellowship |
| 2017-2022 | University of Florida | Graduate Assistantship Political Science |
| 2020 | British International Studies Association | Founders Fund |
| 2017-2020 | University of Florida | Grinter Fellowship Graduate School |
| 2019 | University of Florida | High Pass - IR Comprehensive Exam |

Organizational Leadership

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| 2019- | American Center for Mongolian Studies | At-Large Board Member |
| 2016- | Friends of Mongolia | Board Member |
| 2019-2020 | BISA-Postgraduate Network Committee | Funding Competition and Elections Officer |

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University Service

2023	Mercer University	Leader: Mercer On Mission Mongolia
2020	Mercer University	Study Abroad Program Co-Director: Dubai
2019	Mercer University	Co-Leader: Mercer On Mission Mongolia
2017-2019	University of Florida	IR Field Chair, Treasurer: Graduate Student Council
2018	Mercer University	Study Abroad Program Co-Director: Dubai

Professional Memberships

American Center for Mongolian Studies; American Political Science Association; British International Studies Association; Friend of Mongolia; International Political Science Association; International Studies Association