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1. Personal Information

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2. Academic History

Harvard University, September 2014–present
· PhD student in the Department of Government
· Carl J. Friedrich Fellow
Oberlin College, September 2010–May 2014
· B.A. in History with High Honors

3. Dissertation

Title: Frontiers of Causality in Social Science

4. Employment Record

Adobe Research, San Jose, California, 2017
Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard University, 2015–2018

5. Publications

- [7.] (with Nikos Vlassis) The Bias of Matching in the Normal Case (*Working paper*).
- [6.] Signal and Noise: Quantifying the Information Content of Elections Using Financial Data (*Working paper*).
- [5.] (with Rebecca Goldstein) Optimization-Assisted Rerandomization (*Working paper*).
- [4.] (with Gary King and Anton Strezhnev) An Improved Method of Automated Nonparametric Content Analysis for Social Science (*Working paper*).
- [3.] (with Brian Libgober) The Impact of Transportation Policy on Electoral Politics: Evidence from E-ZPass (*Working paper*).
- [2.] The EU's Democratic Deficit and Repeated Referendums in Ireland (2014). *International Journal of Politics, Culture, and Society* 27(3), 367-388.
- [1.] Ultras in Egypt: State, Revolution, and the Power of Public Space (2013). *Interface* 5(2), 240-262.

6. Research Assistance

National Identification Number Project - Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, 2015-2016
Prof. Robert Bates - Harvard University Department of Government, 2015-2016
Prof. Beth Simmons - University of Pennsylvania Political Science Department, 2015

7. Professional Societies

Member - American Statistical Association
Member - American Political Science Association

8. Professional Service

Reviewer - *American Journal of Political Science*

9. Honors and Awards

Center for American Political Studies (CAPS) Graduate Seed Grant, 2016 (Harvard University)
Carl J. Friedrich Fellowship, 2014–2016 (Harvard University)
Phi Beta Kappa, 2014
Comfort Starr Prize in History (Oberlin College), 2014
Artz Research Grant, 2013 (Oberlin College)
NSF REU Scholarship, 2013
Rhodes Scholar Finalist, 2013
US-UK Fulbright Summer Fellowship, 2012
John Frederick Oberlin Scholarship, 2010-2014

10. Teaching Experience

Gov 2003 - Topics in Quantitative Methods
Teaching Fellow, Spring 2019

Gov 2000 - Introduction to Quantitative Methods I
Teaching Fellow, Certificate of Distinction in Teaching Award, Fall 2018

Gov 62 - Research Practice in Qualitative Methods
Teaching Fellow, Certificate of Distinction in Teaching Award, Spring 2018

Gov 2002 - Topics in Advanced Quantitative Methodology
Teaching Fellow, Fall 2016

11. Other Training

ICPSR (University of Michigan), June–August 2014
· Certificates in Time Series Analysis (A+) & Maximum Likelihood Estimation (A)
NSF REU in World Politics, June–August 2013

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