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EMPLOYMENT

Princeton University

Assistant Professor, Politics and Public and International Affairs, February 2008 – present
Instructor, Politics and Public and International Affairs, July 2007 – January 2008

EDUCATION

Yale University

Ph.D., with distinction, Department of Political Science, December 2007

Dissertation: "Immigration and Conflict."

2008 Gabriel A. Almond Award for the Best Dissertation in Comparative Politics,
American Political Science Association

M. Phil Political Science, Fall 2003

Brown University

B.A. Political Science and B.A. International Relations, May 2000, with Highest Honors. Winner of the Prize for the Best Honors Thesis in Comparative Politics at Brown.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

2010. *Immigration and Conflict in Europe*. New York: Cambridge University Press (Cambridge Studies in Comparative Politics).

Winner of the 2011 Best Book Award given out by the European Politics and Society Section, American Political Science Association

Choice Outstanding Academic Title, 2011

Reviewed in: *Choice*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Comparative Politics*, *Foreign Affairs*, *International Affairs*, *Journal of Politics*, *Mobilization*, *Perspectives on Politics*, *Political Studies Review*, *Social Forces*.

Under review: *Dilemmas of Inclusion: The Political Representation of Muslims in Europe*.

Articles and Book Chapters

Forthcoming. "Why are Immigrants Underrepresented in Politics? Evidence from Sweden." With Karl-Oskar Lindgren, Sven Oskarsson, and Kåre Vernby. *American Political Science Review*.

Winner of the 2015 SAGE Best Paper Prize given out by APSA's Comparative Politics Section

2015. "Globalization, Labor Market Risks, and Class Cleavages," with Stefanie Walter. In *The Future of Democratic Capitalism*, eds. Pablo Beramendi, Silja Häussermann, Hanspeter Kriesi, and Herbert Kitschelt. New York: Cambridge University Press.

2014. "Immigration into Europe: Economic Discrimination, Violence and Public Policy," with David D. Laitin. *Annual Review of Political Science* 17: 43-64.

2014. "Attitudes Toward Immigration in Good Times and in Bad," with Michael Donnelly. In *Mass Politics in Tough Times*, eds. Nancy Bermeo and Larry M. Bartels. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

2014. "Electoral Rules or Electoral Leverage? Explaining Muslim Representation in England." *World Politics* 66(2): 229-263.

Winner of the 2015 Best Article Prize awarded by APSA's Migration & Citizenship Section

2013. "The Left and Minority Representation: The Labour Party, Muslim Candidates, and Inclusion Tradeoffs." *Comparative Politics*, 46(1): 1-21. Lead Article.

2013. "Culture, Context, and the Political Incorporation of Immigrant-origin Groups in Europe." In *Outsiders No More? Models of Immigrant Political Incorporation*, eds. Jennifer Hochschild, Jacqueline Chattopadhyay, Claudine Gay, and Michael Jones-Correa. New York: Oxford University Press.

2013. "Sectoral Economies, Economic Contexts, and Attitudes toward Immigration," with Michael Donnelly. *Journal of Politics* 75(1): 17-35.

Winner of the 2014 Best Article Prize awarded by APSA's European Politics & Society Section

2010. "Hate Crimes," with Donald P. Green, in *Handbook of Prejudice, Stereotyping, and Discrimination*, eds. John F. Dovidio, Miles Hewstone, Peter Glick, and Victoria M. Esses. London: Sage.

2007. "The Politics of Race and Immigration in Great Britain: An Uneasy Balance," in *Racism, Xenophobia, and Distribution*, John Roemer, Woojin Lee and Karine Van der Straeten. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.

2007. "Immigration and the Institutionalization of Xenophobia in France," in *Racism, Xenophobia, and Distribution*, John Roemer, Woojin Lee and Karine Van der Straeten. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.

2006. "A New Electorate? Comparing Preferences and Partisanship between Immigrants and Natives," with Elizabeth N. Saunders, *American Journal of Political Science* 50 (4): 962-981.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2015 Best Paper Prize, awarded by APSA's Comparative Politics Section for "Why are Immigrants Underrepresented in Politics? Evidence from Sweden." With Karl-Oskar Lindgren, Sven Oskarsson, and Kåre Vernby

2015 Best Article Prize, awarded by APSA's Migration & Citizenship Section for "Electoral Rules or Electoral Leverage? Explaining Muslim Representation in England."

2015 University Center for Human Values (Princeton University), support for the research project "When do Elected Officials Help Immigrants Become Citizens?" with Quinn Albaugh and Ruth Dittmann (\$42,633).

2015 Bobst Center for Peace and Justice (Princeton University); support for the research project "When do Elected Officials Help Immigrants Become Citizens?" with Quinn Albaugh and Ruth Dittmann (\$15,000).

2014 Best Article Prize, awarded by APSA's European Politics & Society Section for "Sectoral Economies, Economic Contexts, and Attitudes toward Immigration," with Michael Donnelly.

2013 Princeton University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences

2012 Cyril E. Black University Preceptorship

2011 Choice Outstanding Academic Title (for *Immigration and Conflict in Europe*)

2011 Best Book Award for *Immigration and Conflict in Europe*, European Politics and Society Section, American Political Science Association

2009 Center for the Study of Religion, Princeton University (with Mirjam Künkler)

2008 Luce Foundation and Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies grant (\$800,000) for the project on "Migration, Participation and Democratic Governance." Scholar in residence, 2009-2010 (with Amaney Jamal and Mirjam Künkler)

2008 Gabriel A. Almond Award for the Best Dissertation in Comparative Politics, American Political Science Association

2007 Princeton University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences

2006 Horowitz Foundation for Social Policy Award

2006 Georg Walter Leitner Program in International and Comparative Political Economy Grant

2004 Yale Center for International and Area Studies, International Dissertation Research Grant

2004 Georg Walter Leitner Program in International and Comparative Political Economy Grant

2002 ICPSR Summer Fellowship (awarded by the Institution for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University)

2000 William Gaston Premium Scholarship in International Relations

2000 Brown University Prize for Best Honors Thesis in Comparative Politics

2000 Phi Beta Kappa

1999 Brown University Undergraduate Teaching and Research Assistantship

CONFERENCES AND INVITED TALKS

- 2016 University of British Columbia, Political Science Department's Distinguished Speaker Series & Institute for European Studies (presenter) (scheduled)
- 2015 Yale University, Comparative Politics Seminar (presenter) (scheduled)
- 2015 Stanford University, Immigration and Integration Policy Lab (presenter) (scheduled)
- 2015 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter) (scheduled)
- 2015 Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin (WZB) and Humboldt University, Eurofort Workshop (presenter) (scheduled)
- 2015 Stanford University, Book Workshop on *Dilemmas of Inclusion*
- 2015 University of California, San Diego, Comparative Politics Seminar (presenter)
- 2014 MIT, Comparative Politics Seminar (presenter)
- 2014 Indiana University, European Institute Speaker Series (presenter)
- 2014 University of Michigan, Comparative Politics Seminar (presenter)
- 2014 Princeton University, Race and Ethnicity Workshop, Bobst Center for Peace and Justice (presenter)
- 2014 Temple University, Political Science Speaker Series (presenter)
- 2014 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter, chair, discussant)
- 2014 Stanford University, Immigration and Integration Policy Lab (presenter)
- 2014 Stanford University, Comparative Approaches to the Study of Immigration and Ethnic and Religious Diversity (presenter and discussant)
- 2014 George Washington University, European Politics Speaker Series (presenter)
- 2014 University of Wisconsin, Madison, Comparative Politics Colloquium (presenter)
- 2013 Dartmouth University, Workshop on Ethnic Politics (presenter)
- 2013 Social Science Research Council, Workshop on "Cities and Toleration" (presenter)
- 2013 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (discussant)
- 2013 MIT, Comparative Approaches to the Study of Immigration and Ethnic and Religious Diversity (presenter and discussant)
- 2013 Georgetown University, BMW Center for German and European Studies (presenter)
- 2012 Dartmouth University, Workshop on Ethnic Politics (discussant)
- 2012 Duke University, The Future of Democratic Capitalism workshop (presenter)
- 2012 Princeton University, Comparative Approaches to the Study of Immigration and Ethnic and Religious Diversity (co-organizer and presenter)
- 2012 Columbia University, Comparative Politics Seminar (presenter)
- 2012 Council for European Studies, 18th International Conference (presenter, presidential plenary)

- 2011 Yale University, Conference on Pluralism, Conflict and Co-Existence (presenter)
- 2011 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter and discussant)
- 2011 Oxford University, Nuffield College. Popular Responses to the Great Recession (presenter)
- 2011 UC Berkeley, The Political Incorporation of Immigrants (presenter)
- 2011 Princeton University, Comparative Approaches to the Study of Immigration and Ethnic and Religious Diversity (co-organizer and presenter)
- 2010 George Washington University, Ethnic Politics Workshop (presenter)
- 2010 Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, Madrid, Spain (presenter)
- 2010 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter)
- 2010 Council for European Studies, 17th International Conference (presenter)
- 2010 Princeton University, Conference on Comparative Responses to the Economic Crisis in Advanced Industrial States (discussant)
- 2009 George Washington University, Institute for Global and International Studies Research Seminar Series (presenter)
- 2009 Princeton University, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics (presenter)
- 2009 State Department, Washington DC, Workshop on “The Political Future of Muslim Communities in Western Europe” (presenter)
- 2009 Princeton University, Ethnic Identity & Ethnic Conflict Workshop (presenter)
- 2009 Princeton University, Annual Colloquium on Public and International Affairs (presenter and moderator)
- 2009 Princeton University, Workshop on “The Determinants of Muslim Incorporation in Europe” (organizer and presenter)
- 2009 UCLA Comparative Politics Workshop (presenter)
- 2009 Princeton University, Meeting for the 2009 United Nations Human Development Report on Migration (participant)
- 2008 UCLA Migration Study Group/Center for European and Eurasian Studies (presenter)
- 2008 Princeton University, Office of Population Research Notestein Seminar Series (presenter)
- 2008 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter)
- 2008 Yale University, Workshop in Comparative Political Economy (participant)
- 2008 New York University, Comparative Politics Seminar (presenter)
- 2008 University of California, Berkeley, Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Seminar (presenter)
- 2008 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter, chair, and discussant)
- 2007 Princeton University, Comparative Politics Colloquium (discussant)
- 2007 Princeton University, EU Seminar (presenter)

- 2007 Ethnicity and Democratic Governance Conference, Montreal (presenter)
- 2007 Yale University, Order, Conflict, and Violence Workshop (discussant)
- 2006 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Political Science Department (presenter)
- 2006 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy (presenter)
- 2006 Columbia University, Political Science Department (presenter)
- 2006 Northwestern University, Political Science Department (presenter)
- 2006 University of Chicago, Political Science Department (presenter)
- 2006 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter)
- 2006 Yale University, Designing Research on the Micro-Dynamics of Civil Wars (presenter and discussant)
- 2006 Yale University, Order, Conflict and Violence Workshop (presenter)
- 2006 Yale University, Leitner Program in International Political Economy (presenter)
- 2005 University of California, Irvine, Institute on International Migration (presenter)
- 2004 Yale University, Workshop in Comparative Political Economy (presenter)
- 2004 Yale University, Leitner Program in International Political Economy (presenter)
- 2004 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter, with Elizabeth Saunders)
- 2004 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter, with Elizabeth Saunders)
- 2004 Harvard University, Incorporating Minorities in Europe (presenter)
- 2003 Yale University, Comparative Politics Workshop (presenter)

TEACHING

- Comparative Politics Research Seminar (graduate)
- Politics of Inequality and Redistribution (graduate)
- Policymaking in Diverse Societies (graduate)
- Comparative Ethnic Conflict (undergraduate)
- Claims and Evidence in Policy Research (undergraduate)
- Immigration, Ethnic Politics, and Ethnic Conflict (undergraduate)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & SERVICE

Profession

- Member, Immigration and Integration Policy Lab, Stanford University
- Award Committee, American Political Science Association, Best Article, European Politics and Society, published in 2014

Political Economy Section Executive Committee Member, American Political Science Association

Steering Committee Member, European Politics & Society Section, American Political Science Association

Award Committee, American Political Science Association, Best Book, European Politics and Society, published in 2011

Award Committee, American Political Science Association, Best Paper in European Politics and Society presented at the 2008 conference

Award Committee, Midwest Political Science Association, Best Paper in Comparative Politics presented at the 2007 conference

Reviewer for: *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Sociological Review*, *American Political Science Review*, *AXA Research Fund*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Economic and Social Research Council*, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, *Journal of Politics*, *National Science Foundation*, *Political Behavior*, *World Politics*.

Editorial Board Member: *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*

Princeton University

Politics Department Junior Advisor (2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16)

Politics Department Undergraduate Program Committee to reform the undergraduate curriculum (2014-15)

Politics Department Senior Thesis Prize Committee (2011-12, 2012-13)

Politics Department Advisory Committee (2008-09, 2012-13, 2014-15)

Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, Executive Committee (2015-16)

Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies: Fung Global Fellows Faculty Fellow (2015-16)

Mahmouda S. Bobst Center, Race and Ethnicity Program, Director (2015-16)

Woodrow Wilson School Undergraduate Committee (2007-2010, 2012-2016)

Executive Committee of the Council of the Princeton University Community (2011-12)

Council of the Princeton University Community (2011-12, 2012-13, 2015-16)

Co-Organizer, "Religion, Democracy, and Conflict" Luce Speaker Series, 2009 - 2011

Co-Organizer and Co-Founder, "Comparative Approaches to Immigration and Religious and Ethnic Diversity" Workshop, 2011, 2012.

LANGUAGES

German (native speaker), French (reading)

CITIZENSHIP

Germany and United States

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