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APPOINTMENTS	<p><b>University of Pittsburgh</b></p> <p>Postdoctoral Fellow Department of Political Science, <a href="#">Text(Co)Lab</a></p>	<p>2020-</p>
EDUCATION	<p><b>The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</b></p> <p>Ph.D., Political Science</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dissertation: “Economic Stress in Self-Determination Challenges”</li><li>• Committee: Stephen Gent, Navin Bapat, Mark Crescenzi, Graeme Robertson, Dave Siegel</li><li>• Fields: <i>International Relations</i> and <i>Quantitative Methodology</i></li></ul> <p>M.A., Political Science</p> <p><b>University at Albany, SUNY</b></p> <p>B.A., Political Science, <i>summa cum laude</i></p>	<p>2020</p> <p>2016</p> <p>2013</p>
RESEARCH INTERESTS	<p>Civil conflict, violent and nonviolent tactics, repression, negotiation; quantitative research methods, formal theory</p>	
PUBLICATIONS	<p>“Hunger to Violence: Explaining the Violent Escalation of Nonviolent Demonstrations.” <i>Journal of Conflict Resolution</i>. 2020, 64(6): 1121-1145. doi:<a href="https://doi.org/10.1177/0022002719890669">10.1177/0022002719890669</a></p> <p>“A Latent Variable Approach to Measuring and Explaining Peace Agreement Strength.” <i>Political Science Research and Methods</i>, Published Online May 2019. With Rob Williams, Stephen E. Gent, and Mark J.C. Crescenzi. doi:<a href="https://doi.org/10.1017/psrm.2019.23">10.1017/psrm.2019.23</a></p> <p>“It Comes with the Territory: Why States Negotiate with Ethno-political Organizations.” <i>Studies in Conflict &amp; Terrorism</i>. 2019, 42(4): 363-382. With Victor Asal and Peter Krause. doi:<a href="https://doi.org/10.1080/1057610X.2017.1373428">10.1080/1057610X.2017.1373428</a></p>	
UNDER REVIEW	<p>“Knowing is Half the Battle: How Education Decreases the Fear of Terrorism.” With Peter Krause, Liane Young, and Jordan Theriault.</p>	

WORKING  
PAPERS

“Economic Stress, Dissent, and Repression”

“Vertical Grievances, Opposition Group Behavior, and Public Opinion Over  
Antigovernment Violence”

“Terrorism, Stealth Aggression, and Political Opportunism.” With Rob Williams  
and Navin Bapat.

“Third Party Intervention and Group Fragmentation in Civil Conflict.” With  
Stephen Gent.

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS

Peace Science Society 2016, 2019

American Political Science Association 2016, 2019

International Studies Association 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019

Southern Political Science Association 2019

Penn Political Science Graduate Student Conference 2018

Midwest Political Science Association 2013

RESEARCH  
EXPERIENCE

**External Training**

- EITM Summer Program, 2018
- ICPSR Summer Program, 2016: Advanced Bayesian Methods, Advanced  
Network Analysis

**Research Assistant**

- Stephen Gent; Fall 2015
- Cameron Ballard-Rosa; Summer 2015

**NSF Research Experience for Undergraduates**

- University of North Texas; Summer 2012; Civil conflict management and  
peace science; Faculty mentor: Paul Hensel. Graduate student advisor:  
Angela Nichols.

**Data Collection**

- Big, Allied, and Dangerous II (BAAD II), 2012-2013
- Minorities at Risk: Organization Behavior (MAROB), 2011-2012

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**

**International Relations**

- **Instructor, POLI 150 (Fall 2019, Spring 2020):** International Relations and Global Politics.
- **Graduate Research Consultant, POLI 350 (Fall 2018, Fall 2019):** Peace Science Research. Co-taught by Stephen Gent and Mark Crescenzi.
- **Teaching Assistant, POLI 150 (Spring 2017):** Introduction to International Relations under Thomas Oatley.
- **Grader, POLI 150 (Spring 2015):** Introduction to International Relations under Layna Mosley.

### **Political Methodology**

- **Instructor, POLI 281 (Spring 2018, Fall 2018):** Quantitative Research in Political Science.
- **Teaching Assistant, POLI 789 (Spring 2019):** Game Theory (Graduate) under Lucy Martin.
- **Lab Instructor, POLI 891 (Fall 2016, 2017):** Introduction to Statistical Computing and Math (Graduate).
- **Teaching Assistant, POLI 783 (Fall 2016, 2017):** Probability and Statistics (Graduate) under Stephen Gent.

### **Comparative Politics**

- **Teaching Assistant, POLI 130 (Spring 2016):** Introduction to Comparative Politics under Andy Reynolds.

## **ICPSR, University of Michigan**

### **Political Methodology**

- **Teaching Assistant, Advanced Bayesian Methods (Summer 2017, 2018, 2019):** Theoretical and applied foundations of advanced Bayesian statistical analysis. As TA, I graded assignments, held office hours, and taught three one-day workshops on computing using JAGS, Stan, and Bayesian Additive Regression Trees (BART). Course taught by Elizabeth Menninga (University of Iowa) and Daniel Stegmüller (Duke University).

## **University at Albany, SUNY**

### **Comparative Politics**

- **Teaching Assistant, T POS 260:** Violent Political Conflict under Victor Asal (Spring 2012).

PROFESSIONAL  
EXPERIENCE

**The Odum Institute, UNC**

- **Statistics Consultant (2/2017-12/2017; 3/2019-6/2019):** Provide statistical consultation to UNC students and faculty through the Odum Institute.
- **Data Verification (1/2016-3/2017):** Assisted the Odum Institute in replication and verification of manuscripts accepted for publication in *The American Journal of Political Science* and *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*.

TECHNICAL  
SKILLS

Statistical computing in **R**, Python, and Stata. Bayesian inference using Stan and JAGS. machine learning, multilevel modeling, formal modeling, typesetting in **L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X**.