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Academic Positions

Newcastle University
School of Geography, Politics, and Sociology
Lecturer in Political Theory

Stanford University
Centre for Ethics in Society
Postdoctoral Fellow

Education

University of Toronto
PhD, Political Science (2021)

Goethe University, Frankfurt
Visiting Student, Normative Orders Excellence Cluster (2018)

University of Oxford
MPhil, Politics: Political Theory (2013)
BA, Politics, Philosophy and Economics [1st] (2009)

Peer-Reviewed Articles

“Centripetal Representation,” *American Journal of Political Science* (online first).

“Civic Virtue in the Deliberative System,” *Journal of Public Deliberation* [now renamed as the *Journal of Deliberative Democracy*], Vol. 15, issue 1 (April 2019)

Work in Progress

“Kang and Kant on World Peace”, minor revisions, *Comparative Political Theory*
“Hobbesian Democracy: The Politics of Legibility” (with Zachariah Black)
“A Social Democratic Second Chamber”
“Lottocracy or Psephocracy?”
“Centripetal Elections”

Selected Prizes, Scholarships, and Grants

Robert C. Vipond Graduate Scholarship, University of Toronto, 2017
University of Frankfurt Exchange Award, University of Toronto, 2016
DPIR Studentship, University of Oxford, 2012-13
Pollock Graduate Scholarship, University of Oxford, 2011-12
Mary Somerville Prize, University of Oxford, 2009
Coombs Exhibition, University of Oxford, 2008

Presentations

Selected Conference Papers

“Centripetal Elections”

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Sept 2022

“Hobbesian Democracy” (and earlier versions with different titles)

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Sept 2022

Canadian Political Science Association Annual Meeting [online], May 2022

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2022

“Lottocracy or Psephocracy?” (and earlier versions)

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2022

Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland OR, March 2022

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, Sept 2021

Canadian Political Science Association Annual Meeting [online], June 2021

“Centripetal Representation” (and earlier versions)

Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland OR, March 2022

UBC Political Science Graduate Conference [online], May 2021

UNC Ethics and Applied Philosophy Graduate Conference [online], April 2021

Great Lakes Philosophy Conference [online], April 2021

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., Sept 2019.

“The Danger of “Capture” of Deliberative Initiatives”

Participedia.net Partners Conference [online], June 2021

“Constructivist and Deliberative Representation: Lisa Disch’s critique of Habermas”

European Consortium for Political Research Conference, Oslo. Sept 2017.

“Parochial Partisanship: On White and Ypi’s Theory of Political Parties”

Democratic Theory Beyond Deliberation, Oxford. June 2017.

“All Deliberation is Distributed: A Response to Owen and Smith”

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Sept 2016.

Discussant Roles

Goodman and Jackson, “Representation Beyond the Constructivist Turn”, Political Theory in/an/as Political Science Workshop, Stanford University, 2022

“Tracing Political Boundaries: Local and Global”, Western Political Science Association, 2022.

“Democratic Theory”, Canadian Political Science Association, 2021.

Walton, “Moral Bootstrapping: The Conservative Buddhist Political Thought of Aung San Suu Kyi”, University of Toronto Political Theory Research Workshop, 2019.

Departmental Talks

Speaker, “Teaching Political Theory: Approaches and Challenges to Deparochializing”, Department of Political Science, University of Toronto, 2019.

Professional Service

Panel Organizer, “Centripetal Democracy in America” (chair: Nenad Stojanović; presenters: Daniel Hutton Ferris, Benjamin Reilly, David Lublin, Todd Donovan, Caroline Tolbert, Justin Pottle; discussants: Donald L. Horowitz, Emilee Chapman). American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2022, Montreal, 2021.

Panel Chair, “Tracing Political Boundaries: Local and Global”, Western Political Science Association, 2022.

Panel Organizer, “Dispersed Representation and Its Discontents” (chair: Jane Mansbridge; presenters: Lisa Disch, Daniel Hutton Ferris, Ian Shapiro, and Nadia Urbinati; discussants: Melissa Williams, Samuel Hayat). American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2019, Washington D.C., 2019.

Convenor, Contemporary Political Theory Research Cluster, University of Toronto, 2016-19.

Co-convenor, Political Theory Research Workshop, University of Toronto, 2016-17

Co-chair, Graduate Association for Students in Political Science, University of Toronto, 2016-17.

Manuscript Reviewer: *Journal of Deliberative Democracy*.

Teaching Experience

Graduate

Moral Theory and Current Debates in Society and Politics, 2022
Stanford University

Undergraduate

Modern Political Thought, 2019 and 2020
The University of Toronto

Teaching Assistantships

Modern Political Thought (2018 – 2021)
Political Theory (2016 – 2018, 2020-21)
Ideas and Ideologies (2018, 2020)
Introduction to Political Theory (2015, 2020)
Democracy in Theory and Practice (2016, 2018)
Political Economy of Germany and the EU (2017)
Institutions and the Spatial Construction of Political Economy (2017)
Classic Texts in Political Theory II (2015)
Classic Texts in Political Theory I (2014)
all at the University of Toronto

Languages

Chinese (intermediate [HSK 3])
German (intermediate)

References

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