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ACADEMIC POSITIONS	Yale University , July 2011 - present Postdoctoral Research Associate, Leitner Program in International & Comparative Political Economy, The Whitney and Betty MacMillan Center for International and Area Studies	
EDUCATION	The Ohio State University , Columbus, Ohio Ph.D., Department of Political Science, August 2011 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dissertation: <i>Risk in the Regions: Bureaucratic Discretion, Policy Uncertainty and Investment across the Russian Federation</i>• Committee: Timothy Frye (Columbia University; Co-Chair), Irfan Nooruddin (Co-Chair), Marcus Kurtz, William Minozzi M.A., Department of Economics, December 2009 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Examinations: Microeconomics, Macroeconomics M.A., Department of Political Science, December 2006 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fields of Study: Comparative Politics, Political Economy, Methodology Utah State University , Logan, Utah B.A., Cum Laude, May 2004 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Majors: International Studies, English• Minor: Russian	
PUBLICATIONS	“Bureaucratic Discretion, Business Investment, and Uncertainty” (accepted at the <i>Journal of Politics</i>) <i>Related Presentations:</i> University of Rochester, Columbia (Harriman Institute), MPSA 2011, MPSA 2010	
CURRENT PROJECTS	“Raising Revenues: Fiscal Resources & Regulatory Environments in Russia’s Regions.” <i>Presented:</i> SSRC Research & Policy Forum, Washington, D.C. 2010 “Straightjackets or Smokescreens? IMF Programs & Economic Reforms in Transition Countries.” (with Byungwon Woo) <i>Presented:</i> MPSA 2010, APSA 2011 “Financial Windfalls and Social Spending in Post-Communist Countries.” (with Irfan Nooruddin and Sarah Wilson Sokhey) <i>Presented:</i> ISA 2010, MPSA 2007	

AWARDS, GRANTS
& FELLOWSHIPS

External:

Research Grant, \$3000. *Horowitz Foundation for Social Policy*, June 2008

FLAS. Full-year fellowship to study Uzbek, 2005-2006

University:

Frances Aumann Grant, \$2000. *The Ohio State University*, May 2010

Research Travel Grant, \$4300. *Mershon Center for International Security Studies*, July 2009

Phyllis Krumm Scholarship, \$2500. *The Ohio State University*, May 2009

Estella Southard Fellowship, \$2500. *The Ohio State University*, June 2008

Alumni Grant for Graduate Research & Scholarship, \$2000. *The Ohio State University*, May 2008

Junior Fellow. Program in Statistics and Methodology, 2006-2007

INVITED
PRESENTATIONS

Workshop on Postcommunist Politics. *Harriman Institute, Columbia University* (New York) Oct 2010

“Fiscal Resources & Regulatory Environments in Russia’s Region.” Research and Policy Forum. *Social Science Research Council Eurasia Program* (Washington, D.C.) May 2010

OTHER
CONFERENCE
PARTICIPATION

Panel Chair: “Political Transitions.” *Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association* (Washington, D.C.), Sept 2-5, 2010

Panel Chair and Discussant: “Getting Down to the Nuts and Bolts: Public Administration in Post-Communist Countries.” *Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association* (Chicago, IL), Apr 2-5, 2009

Participant: *Annual Conference for the Society of Political Methodology* (Ann Arbor, MI), July 23-25, 2008

Panel Chair and Discussant: *Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association* (Chicago, IL), Apr 3-6, 2008

Discussant: *OSU Workshop on Globalization, Institutions, and Economic Security*. (Columbus, OH), Nov 2007

Discussant: *OSU Comparative Politics Research Workshop* (Columbus, OH), Mar 2007

Panel Chair and Discussant: “Conflict on Russia’s Periphery.” *Midwest Slavic Conference* (Columbus, OH), Mar 2-4, 2006

Panel Discussant: *Post-Communist (In)securities: Theory and Practice Conference* (Columbus, OH), Oct 7-8, 2005

OTHER
PRESENTATIONS

“Research & International Travel.” Undergraduate Research Seminar. *Office of International Affairs* (Columbus) Oct 2009

“Putinism.” Great Decisions Series. *Columbus Council on World Affairs* (Columbus, OH) Oct 2008

“Business and Politics in Russia.” *Fisher College of Business* (Columbus, OH) Jan 2008

“Putin’s Russia.” Rising Powers Series. *Glenn Policy Forum* (Columbus, OH) Nov 2007

TEACHING AND
PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE

Instructor

- *Transitions to a Market Economy*
Political Science 597.02, Upper Level Undergraduate Course
Winter 2008, Summer 2008, Autumn 2008, Winter 2009, Spring 2009, Fall 2010, Winter 2011, Spring 2011
- *Soviet and Post-Soviet Politics*
Political Science 533, Upper Level Undergraduate Course
Summer 2007, Autumn 2007, Spring 2008
- *Chair’s Recognition for Excellent Teaching*, Summer 2008

Research Assistant

- Prof. Irfan Nooruddin. Data management and analysis, 2006 & 2008.
 - *Coalition Politics and Economic Development: Credibility and the Strength of Weak Governments*. (Cambridge University Press, 2011)
 - “Democracy Under the Gun: Understanding Post-Conflict Recovery” *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 2009, 53 (1): 3-29. (with Thomas E. Flores)
- Prof. Timothy Frye. Data management, translation assistance, editing, 2005-2006.
 - *Building States and Markets after Communism: The Perils of Polarized Democracy* (Cambridge University Press, 2010)
 - “Original Sin, Good Works, and Property Rights in Russia.” *World Politics*, 2007, 58 (4): 479-504.
 - “Governing the Banking Sector” in *The State After Communism: Governance in the New Russia*, 2006, eds. Timothy J. Colton and Stephan Holmes.

Teaching Assistant

- Prof. Irfan Nooruddin, Political Science 686: Regression Analysis, Winter 2010
- Prof. William Minozzi, Graduate Math Workshop, Summers 2009 & 2010
- Prof. Alan Wiseman, Graduate Math Workshop, Summer 2005

Human Subjects Coordinator, Dept. of Political Science, OSU, 2009-2010

PROFESSIONAL
SERVICE AND
MEMBERSHIP

Departmental Service

- Parallel Graduate Studies Committee, 2006-2007

Member

- American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (formerly AAASS)

OTHER
EXPERIENCE

Dissertation field research in Moscow, Russia, Summers 2008 & 2009.

Two years volunteer work in Russia & Belarus, 1999-2001.

SKILLS

Language:

- Russian (fluent), Uzbek (intermediate), Spanish (reading)

Statistical training:

- OLS, MLE, multilevel modeling, event history, Bayesian estimation, spatial econometrics

REFERENCES

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