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Employment

Ohio State University

Associate Professor in the Department of Political Science, June 2020 to present

Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Science, August 2013 to June 2020

Affiliated with the Center for Ethics and Human Values, the Institute for Democratic Engagement and Accountability, the Mershon Center for International Security Studies, the Department of History's thematic Constellation in "Power, Culture, and the State," and the Department of Germanic Languages & Literatures

University of Chicago

Harper-Schmidt Fellow in the Society of Fellows with appointment as Collegiate Assistant Professor in the Social Sciences, September 2010-August 2013

Affiliated Faculty, Department of Political Science

Education

Princeton University

MA, Department of Politics, May 2006

PhD, Department of Politics, August 2010

Examination Fields: Political Theory; International Relations; Modern Social Theory

Dissertation Title: Political Dispositions and Global Justice: Understanding the Duties of Individuals in an Unjust World

Committee: Charles Beitz (Politics), Jan-Werner Müller (Politics),
Stephen Macedo (Politics), & Melissa Lane (Politics)

Harvard University

BA, Summa Cum Laude, Social Studies, June 2002

Primary Teaching and Research Interests

Global Justice

Critical Theory

Liberalism & its Critics

Climate Change

Race and Politics

Populism

Research Projects and Publications

Books

Disorienting Neoliberalism: Global Justice and the Outer Limit of Freedom (Oxford University Press, 2020)

Peer-Reviewed Articles

“Kant, Coercion, and the Legitimation of Inequality”

Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy Vol. 25, No. 4 (2022): 528-550.

Winner of 2023 CRISPP Essay Prize, for the best essay in a normal issue published in Vol 25 (2022)

“Populism and Global Justice: A Sibling Rivalry?”

Global Justice: Theory Practice Rhetoric Vol. 12 No 2 (2020): 1-26.

“Ideal Theory After Auschwitz? The Practical Uses and Ideological Abuses of Utopia in Rawls and Adorno”

Journal of Politics Vol. 79, No 4 (October 2017): 1177-1190.

“Toward an Inclusive Populism? On the Role of Race and Difference in Laclau’s Politics”

Political Theory Vol. 44, No. 6 (December 2016): 797-820

“What Makes a Utopia Inconvenient? The Advantages & Disadvantages of a Realist Orientation to Politics”

American Political Science Review Vol. 110, No. 4 (November 2016): 876-888.

Chapters in Edited Volumes and Special Issues

“Supply Chains and Organizing Against Precarity”

Emancipations: A Journal of Critical Social Analysis Vol. 1, No 3., Article 7 (2022, special issue on precarity)

Available at: <https://scholarsjunction.msstate.edu/emancipations/vol1/iss3/7>

“Populism, Pluralism, and the Ordinary”

in *Mapping Populism: A Guide to Understanding and Studying Populism* Eds. Amit Ron and Majja Nadesan (Routledge, 2020): 85-95.

Review Essays, Book Reviews, and Critical Exchanges

Review of Mathias Thaler, *No other planet: Utopian visions for a climate-changed world* in *Contemporary Political Theory* (Online First, July 5, 2023): <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41296-023-00644-2>

“Rawls’s Untimely Meditations, or On the Use and Abuse of Rawlsianism for Life” (Review of Katrina Forrester, *In the Shadow of Justice: Postwar Liberalism and the Remaking of Political Philosophy*) *Political Theory* Vol. 51 No. 2 (2023): 436-442.

Review of Neil Vallely, *Futilitarianism: Neoliberalism and the Production of Uselessness and Market Civilizations: Neoliberals East and South*. Edited by Quinn Slobodian and Dieter Plehwe. *Perspectives on Politics*, vol. 21, no. 1 (2023): 350–352.

“The Political Theory of Global Supply Chains” (critical exchange about my book *Disorienting Neoliberalism* with Emma S. Mackinnon, Joseph R. Winters II, Erin R. Pineda & Paul Apostolidis), *Contemporary Political Theory* Volume 22 (September 2023): 375–405.

“The Politics of Pandemic Precarity” (critical exchange on Albenaz Azmanova’s *Capitalism on Edge*), *Contemporary Political Theory* Vol. 21 (December 2022): 640-666.

“Our Deluded Demos?” (Review of Larry Alan Busk, *Democracy in Spite of the Demos: From Arendt to the Frankfurt School*) *Radical Philosophy Review* Volume 24, Issue 2 (2021): 271-275.
doi.org/10.5840/radphilrev2021242119

Review of Steven Klein, *The Work of Politics* and response to his review of *Disorienting Neoliberalism*, *Perspectives on Politics* 19, no. 3 (2021): 952–56. [doi:10.1017/S1537592721002073](https://doi.org/10.1017/S1537592721002073).

Works in Preparation

“The Pleasures of Multiracial Left Populism”

“How to Blow Up Climate Despair”

“Sovereignty, Climate Change, and Equality”

“Ethical Gymnastics and Ethological Training: Kant and Mill on Habit, Self-Cultivation, and Immaturity”

“Visions of a Different Politics: Acknowledgement and Equality in Terrence Malick’s *The New World*”
“Populism and the Anxiety of Equality”

Teaching & Advising

Awards

2020-2021 Ohio State University College of Arts and Sciences Outstanding Teaching Award

2023-2024 Ohio State University Department of Political Science Outstanding Teaching Award

Classes Taught at Ohio State University

Political Science 2400 – Introduction to Political Theory (Spring 2023, Spring 2024)

Political Science 2400H – Honors Introduction to Political Theory (Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Spring 2016, Spring 2021)

International Studies 2800 – Introduction to Peace Studies (Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

Political Science 3460 – Global Justice (Fall 2014, Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021)

Political Science 4894H – Honors Seminar in Political Theory: “Politics of Evil” (Fall 2014, Fall 2017)

Political Science 5414 – 20th Century Political Thought (Spring 2015 [with concurrent graduate and undergraduate sections taught as Political Science 4414/6414], Spring 2017, Spring 2020, Spring 2024)

Political Science 7499 – graduate seminar on Global Justice (Fall 2016, Fall 2018, Spring 2023)

Teaching Training

“Introduction to Teaching Online” OSU Office of Distance Education and eLearning, August 2020

“But MY Class is Different: Evaluating Students Online” Workshop, Drake Institute for Teaching & Learning, July 2020

Component 1 and 2 of OSU Teaching Support Program, May 2020

Ohio State University, Graduate Advising

Political Science 7193.04 – Independent Study in Political Theory (Fall 2014, Summer 2016, Spring 2021, Summer 2021, Spring 2023, Fall 2023)

oral examiner, general examination for degree candidacy (Fall 2015, Summer 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2023)

current chair or co-chair, dissertation committees of 2 political science graduate students

current member, dissertation committees of 4 political science graduate students

past member, dissertation committees of 3 political science graduate students, 1 philosophy graduate student who successfully defended their dissertations

Ohio State University, Undergraduate Advising

Political Science 4999 – supervised undergraduate thesis research (Summer 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016)

Sexuality Studies 5191 – supervised field experience internship (Spring 2014)

Member, 5 undergraduate thesis defense committees

Mentor, Office of Diversity and Inclusion’s Post-Baccalaureate Preparation Program Second Year Faculty-Lead Mentoring Program (SFLMP) (2017 to 2018)

University of Chicago, Collegiate Assistant Professor

Social Sciences – SOSC 15100: Classics of Social & Political Thought (Fall 2010-Winter 2013)

Political Science – PLSC 22112: Political Theory After Catastrophe (Spring 2012)

Conference Presentations and Invited Talks

Invited Talks

Carnegie Mellon University Philosophy Colloquium, April 19, 2024

Stockton University, Economics Program and Global Studies Program, February 6, 2023

Erasmus School of Law, Erasmus University Rotterdam, "Power and Justice in Global Value Chains" June 27, 2022

Haverford College "Centering the Margins: New Approaches to Transnational Injustices" Workshop, April 22, 2022

University of Belgrade, Serbian Education Alliance speaker series, April 19, 2022

University of York Political Theory Workshop, March 8, 2022

Shawnee State University Constitution Day speaker, September 17, 2021

Book talk at the Seminary Coop Bookstore, co-sponsored by the University of Chicago Society of Fellows February 4, 2021

Duke University Political Theory Workshop, October 29, 2020

"Race and Populism" workshop, University of Chicago, September 16, 2020

"Socialism after Populism" conference organized by International Political Science Association's Research Committee on Political Philosophy, University of California Riverside, November 14-16, 2019

Keynote speaker, "Global Justice and Populism" workshop, organized by *Global Justice: Theory Practice Rhetoric* journal and the Global Justice Network, hosted by the Max Weber Programme, European University Institute, June 3-4, 2019

Washington University of St Louis Workshop on Politics, Economics, and Society (WPES), February 1st, 2019

Raymond C. Baumhart SJ Chair Research Workshop Series, Quinlan School of Business at Loyola University of Chicago, April 9, 2018

University of Michigan Department of Political Science Rubin Speaker Series on "Polarization, Populism, and the Future of Freedom", March 22nd, 2018

"New Direction in the Study of Populism" workshop, Arizona State University, March 16th, 2018

George Mason University Politics Philosophy & Economics Speaker Series, April 18th, 2017

UC San Diego Political Theory Workshop, March 28th, 2016

George Washington University Political Theory Workshop, March 11th, 2016

"Multinational Corporations as Political Entities" workshop, Harvard University Labor and Worklife Program, January 16, 2016

Georgetown University Political Theory Workshop, November 5th, 2015

Author-Meets-Critics Panels on *Disorienting Neoliberalism*

Global Forum on Democratizing Work, October 6, 2021, with responses from Jessica Champagne (Worker Rights Consortium), Tola Moeun (Center for Alliance of Labor and Human Rights – Cambodia), and Anne Bienias (Clean Clothes Campaign)

American Political Science Association, September 30, 2021, with Paul Apostolidis (LSE), Emma Mackinnon (University of Cambridge), Erin Pineda (Smith College), Joseph Winters (Duke), and Lisa Ellis (University of Otago)

Western Political Science Association, April 1, 2021, with Charmaine Chua (UC Santa Barbara), Andrew Dilts (Loyola Marymount University), Julie Rose (Dartmouth), and Jennifer Rubenstein (University of Virginia)

Paper Presentations

- “Liberalism, Theodicy, and Climate Change”
Philosophy, Politics and Economics Society Annual Meeting, November 2-4, 2023
- “How to Blow Up Climate Despair”
Western Political Science Association, April 6-9, 2023
American Political Science Association, September 15-18, 2022
- “Revolt of the Supply Chain Subjects”
American Political Science Association, September 15-18, 2022
- “Populism, Sovereignty, and Solidarity in the Face of Climate Crisis”
American Political Science Association, September 30-October 3, 2021
Association for Political Theory, November 11-13, 2021
Western Political Association Annual Meeting, March 10-12, 2022
- “Populism and the Anxiety of Equality”
American Political Science Association, September 9-13, 2020
Western Political Science Association, May 21-23, 2020
Association for Political Theory, October 24-26, 2019
- “Populism and Global Justice: Separated at Birth?”
American Political Science Association, August 29-September 1, 2019
- “Populism, Pluralism, and the Ordinary”
Western Political Science Association, April 18-20, 2019
Midwest Political Science Association, April 5-8, 2018
American Political Science Association annual meeting, August 30-September 2, 2018
Association for Political Theory conference, October 18-20, 2018
- “Kant and Neoliberal Legitimizations of the State”
Association for Political Theory conference, October 12-14 2017
American Political Science Association annual meeting, August 31-September 3 2017
- “When is an Injury to One an Injury to All?”
Dartmouth College Moral, Social, and Political Philosophy Workshop July 27-28, 2016
- “Violence and Legitimacy in the Global Economy”
Western Political Science Association annual meeting March 24-26 2016
American Political Science Association annual meeting, September 1-4 2016
- “Democratizing Global Supply Chains”
Western Political Science Association annual meeting April 2-4 2015
American Political Science Association annual meeting September 2-6 2015
Association for Political Theory Annual Conference October 22-24, 2015
- “The Outer Limit of Freedom”
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting April 3-5, 2014
- “The Economy of Populist Resentment”
Association for Political Theory Annual Conference October 16-18, 2014
Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 28-30, 2013
- “Disposing Individuals to Solidarity in the Theory and Practice of Global Justice”
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting August 29 - September 1, 2013
Association for Political Theory Annual Conference October 10-12, 2013
- “Political Theory After Auschwitz? The Practical Uses and Ideological Abuses of Utopian Thought”
workshop on “The Political Uses of Utopia” York University April 18-19, 2013
- “Ethical Gymnastics and Ethological Training: Kant and Mill on Habit, Self-Cultivation, and Immaturity”
Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 22-24, 2012

- Association for Political Theory Annual Conference, October 11-13, 2012
- "Who Needs Rights? Justice and the Precariousness of Social Order in the Political Realism of Raymond Geuss and Bernard Williams"
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting September 1-4, 2011
- "Political Freedom and Resentment: Equality, Difference, and Civic Friendship in Aristotle"
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting September 2-5, 2010
- "Hegel and Du Bois on Identity, Institutions, and the Global Economy"
Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 1-3, 2010
New England Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 22-24, 2010
- "Close Encounters? Power and Recognition in Terrence Malick's *The New World*"
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting September 3-6, 2009
- "The Holocaust and the Politics of Reconciliation: Rawls and Adorno on Historical Trauma and the Methods of Theory"
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting August 28-31, 2008
Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting March 19-21, 2009
- "Global Justice & the Perils of the Social Contract Tradition"
Midwest Political Science Association National Conference April 3-6, 2008
New England Political Science Association Annual Meeting April 25-6, 2008
Global Studies Association National Conference June 6-8, 2008

Other Conference Roles

- Chair, "Clinics and their Worlds" panel hosted by the Psychosocial Foundation, in conjunction with Parapraxis Magazine (September 2, 2023)
- Discussant, "New Directions in Climate Justice" panel, Western Political Science Association annual meeting (April 6-9, 2023)
- Discussant, "Rhetoric and Propaganda" panel at American Political Science Association annual meeting (September 14-18, 2022)
- Chair and discussant for iPoster session at American Political Science Association annual meeting (September 14-18, 2022)
- Chair, First Book Manuscript Workshop on Kevin Pham's *Architects of Dignity: Vietnamese Political Theories of Decolonization*, November 11, 2021
- Discussant, "The Species in Danger," Association for Political Theory, November 11-13, 2021
- Discussant, "Du Bois's Constructivist Theory of Justice", Pacific Division meeting of the American Philosophical Association, April 7, 2021
- Respondent for "Authors Meet Authors: Solidarities and Injustices" workshop, American Political Science Association, September 9-13, 2020
- Discussant, "Responding to Tyrants?" Western Political Science Association, May 21-23, 2020
- Discussant, "Populism, Populists, and Democratic Crises: Global Perspectives" Association for Political Theory, October 24-26, 2019
- Discussant, "Populism, Publicity and Public Deliberation," American Political Science Association, August 29-September 1, 2019
- Respondent for Author Meets Critics Roundtable on "Injustice: Political Theory for the Real World" by Michael Goodhart, Western Political Science Association, April 18-20, 2018
- Discussant, "Populism and Authoritarianism" panel, Western Political Science Association, April 18-20, 2018
- Discussant, "The Politics of Visibility" panel, Association for Political Theory conference, October 18-20, 2018
- Discussant, "Language and Politics" panel, American Political Science Association annual meeting, August 30-September 2, 2018

Discussant, "Ideal Theory and Its Critics," Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting April 5-8, 2018

Discussant, "Populisms: Local and Global" Association for Political Theory conference, October 12-14 2017

Discussant, "Corporations and Capitalism: Historical and Legal Perspectives" and Chair, "New Directions in Human Rights" American Political Science Association annual meeting, August 31-September 3 2017

Discussant, "Labor and Commerce" and Chair, "Human Rights and Foreign Policy" American Political Science Association annual meeting, September 1-4 2016

Discussant and Chair, "Inclusions and Exclusions in Social Justice Movements" Western Political Science Association annual meeting March 24-26 2016

Discussant and Chair, "Democracy and the 'White Problem'" American Political Science Association Annual meeting September 2-6 2015

Discussant and Chair, "Resistance and Rebellion" Western Political Science Association Annual meeting April 2-4 2015

Chair, "Political Utopia: Promise or Peril?" Workshop in Applied Ethics and Public Policy at Bowling Green State University, April 25-26, 2014

Chair, "Democratic Citizenship and the Duty to Participate" American Political Science Association Annual Meeting August 29-September 1, 2013

Discussant, "Freedom and Republicanism in Modern Political Thought," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 28-30, 2013

Discussant, "Schmitt, Althusser, and the Limits of the Political," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting September 2-5, 2010

Discussant and Chair, "Achieving Justice" Session, Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting March 19-21, 2009

Discussant, "Dilemmas in Establishing Collective Responsibility" session, Oxford/Princeton Research Collaboration on Global Norms and Global Justice, October 30-31, 2008

Discussant, "Rationalism and Relativism" panel, Princeton Graduate Conference in Political Theory, April 11-12, 2008; also served as conference co-organizer

Discussant and Chair, "New Perspectives on International Politics" Session, Midwest Political Science Association National Conference, April 3-6, 2008

Professional Activity

Service to the Discipline

Book Review Editor, *Theory and Event* (2024-present)

Member, Editorial Board, *American Political Science Review* (2024-present)

Member, Foundations of Political Theory First Book Award selection committee (2024)

Member, *Political Theory* Editorial Team Selection Committee (2022-2023)

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Politics* (2021-2024)

Member, First Book Manuscript Workshop Selection Committee, Association for Political Theory (2023)

Chair, First Book Manuscript Workshop Selection Committee, Association for Political Theory (2021)

Co-chair, Section 15: Political Theory: Critical and Normative, Western Political Science Association 2021

Member, Program Committee, Association for Political Theory annual meeting 2020

Section chair, Contemporary Political Theory, Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting 2019

Member, Siting and Engagement Committee, American Political Science Association, 2015-2018

Host Committee, Association for Political Theory annual meeting, 2016

University Service

Member, Social and Behavior Sciences Subcommittee of the College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee (2023-present)
Member, Global Arts + Humanities Discovery Theme Advisory Committee, 2022-2023
alternate representative for Political Science Department, ASC Faculty Senate (2022-2024)
representative for Political Science Department, ASC Faculty Senate (2020-2021)
Faculty advisor, Political Science Graduate Student Organization (2023-present)
Faculty advisor, OSU Students Against Sweatshops (2020-present)
Co-organizer, "Worlds in Contention: Race, Neoliberalism, and Injustice" workshop, sponsored by OSU Area Studies Center, May 7-8, 2021
Co-organizer, "Populism and Race in the Age of Trump" workshop, sponsored by Mershon Center for International Security Studies and the Institute for Democratic Engagement and Accountability, November 9-10, 2018
Co-coordinator, "Migration and Global Justice" speaker series, Mershon Center for International Security Studies, 2014-2016
Judge, Denman Undergraduate Research Forum, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2020
Elected Collegiate Faculty Co-Chair of the University of Chicago Society of Fellows, 2011-2012

Department Service

Chair, Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Committee, OSU Political Science Department (2022-present)
Member, Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Committee, OSU Political Science Department (2019-present)
Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Structural Racism, OSU Political Science Department (2020-2021)
Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, OSU Political Science Department (2019-2020)
Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, Political Science Department, Ohio State University, 2013-2021, 2022-present
Co-coordinator, Political Theory Workshop, Ohio State University, 2013-2018, 2022-present
Member, Selection Committee, William Jennings Bryan Prize for best paper in American politics or political theory by undergraduate, 2014-2018, 2020-2023
Member, Selection Committee, Henry R. Spencer Award for Outstanding Senior Honors Thesis in Political Science, 2019

For a General Audience

"Chains of Domination, Chains of Solidarity: Benjamin L. McKean on Justice, Solidarity, Supply Chains" interview with Chanda Prescod-Weinstein, *Public Books* May 26, 2023
<https://www.publicbooks.org/chains-of-domination-chains-of-solidarity-benjamin-l-mckean-on-justice-solidarity-supply-chains/>
"Delayed Christmas gifts are just the beginning. The supply chain crisis isn't going away soon." *The Monkey Cage* blog December 21, 2021 <https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2021/12/21/supply-chain-christmas-workers-climate>
"What Supply Chains Can Teach Us About Neoliberalism" Yale Law & Political Economy Project Blog, November 11, 2021 <https://lpeproject.org/blog/what-supply-chains-can-teach-us-about-neoliberalism/>
"The Boat Stuck in the Suez Canal Shut Down Global Commerce. So Could Organized Workers" on the container ship *Ever Given* in *Jacobin Magazine*, March 30, 2021
<https://jacobinmag.com/2021/03/ever-given-suez-canal-global-supply-chains-economy-workers>
Featured Guest, *New Books in Political Science* podcast, March 18, 2021 discussing *Disorienting Neoliberalism* <https://newbooksnetwork.com/disorienting-neoliberalism-1>

“We Underestimate the Far Right at Our Own Peril” on the storming of the Capitol in *Jacobin Magazine*, January 7, 2021 <https://www.jacobinmag.com/2021/01/far-right-trump-authoritarianism-capitol-building>

“What COVID-19 tells us about global supply chains” *OUP Blog* October 25th, 2020 <https://blog.oup.com/2020/10/what-covid-19-tells-us-about-global-supply-chains/>

Featured Guest, Flyover Folk Podcast, “Understanding Populism with Dr. Benjamin McKean” July 10, 2019 (episode 20); <https://www.buzzdsprout.com/94324/1395880>

Speaker, “The Rise of Populism in Europe,” Great Decisions Discussion Program sponsored by Ohio Wesleyan University, March 29, 2019

Interviewed on NPR’s Marketplace for “How socialism became the talk of the midterms” segment; September 11, 2018 <https://www.marketplace.org/2018/09/11/why-socialism-became-talk-midterms/>

Guest, Real News Network, “How Powerful is the NRA?” February 28, 2018 <https://therealnews.com/how-powerful-is-the-nra>

Guest on “Cultural Insight for the Soul” with host Dr. Linda James Myers, WVKO 1580AM Columbus, Ohio; December 16th 2017

“‘Blood Money’ and Mass Membership” on understanding the NRA as a social movement in *Jacobin Magazine* February 20th, 2018 <https://jacobinmag.com/2018/02/national-rifle-association-members-florida-school-shooting>

“A Venezuela of the North?” in the blog of *Democracy: A Journal of Ideas* October 19th, 2017; <https://democracyjournal.org/arguments/a-venezuela-of-the-west/>

“Is It Possible to Have Populism Without Racism?” *The Monkey Cage* blog, May 18th, 2016; <https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2016/05/18/is-it-possible-to-have-populism-without-racism/>

Manuscript Reviewer Service

Harvard University Press
 Polity Press
 Edinburgh University Press
 American Journal of Political Science
 American Political Science Review
 Biblioteca della Libertà
 British Journal of Politics and International Relations
 Constellations
 Contemporary Political Theory
 Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy
 Emancipations
 Ethics and Global Philosophy
 European Journal of Political Theory
 International Theory
 Journal of Applied Philosophy
 Journal of Global Ethics
 Journal of Politics
 London Review of International Law
 Perspectives on Politics

Philosophia
 Philosophy and Social Criticism
 Philosophy Compass
 Politics
 Political Research Quarterly
 Political Studies
 Political Theory
 Polity
 Populism
 Radical Philosophy Review
 Review of Politics
 Social Theory and Practice
 Theoria

Professional Affiliations

American Political Science Association
 American Society for Political and Legal Philosophy
 Association for Political Theory
 Western Political Science Association
 Midwest Political Science Association

Community and Public Service

Member, Governing Board, Worker Rights Consortium (WRC), 2008-2010

The WRC is a non-profit monitoring group that investigates wages and working conditions in the factories that produce collegiate apparel around the world.

Fellowships, Honors, and Grants

Winner of 2023 CRISPP Essay Prize for the best essay in a normal issue of Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy published in Vol 25 (2022)

New Associate Professor grant, Mershon Center for International Security Studies, 2023-2025

Faculty Fellow, Ohio State University Global Arts and Humanities Society of Fellows 2021-2022 (Theme: Extinction/Imagination)

Ohio State University Office of International Affairs (OIA) Area Studies Centers Conference Grant, 2019-20

Faculty Workshop/Conference Grant from the Mershon Center for International Security Studies, 2014-16, 2018

Mershon Faculty Research Grant, 2017-2018

Seed Grant for manuscript workshop from OSU Democracy Studies Program, 2016-2017

At the workshop, held March 6 2017, attendees read and discussed a complete draft of *Disposed to Justice*. Participants from outside OSU included Joshua Cohen (UC Berkeley), Sharon Krause (Brown University,) and Stephen K. White (University of Virginia).

Other Languages

Spanish (proficient reading and speaking); German (proficient reading, competent speaking)