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## *CURRICULUM VITAE*

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### **EDUCATION**

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- 2016-Present      **Ph.D., Political Science (expected 2021)**  
The Ohio State University  
Dissertation Title: *“Geographies of Social Cohesion: Conflict Dynamics, Migration, and the Evolving Distributions of Trust in Bosnia and Serbia”*  
Candidacy Exam, August 2018  
GPA: 3.93
- 2014-2016      **M.A., Political Science (2016)**  
University of Utah  
Thesis: *“Nonstate Armed Group Negotiation in Civil War, 1946-2011”*  
Advisors: Steven Lobell (chair), Adam Meirowitz, Tabitha Benney  
GPA: 4.0
- 2010-2014      **B.A., Political Science and Media and Communication Research (2014)**  
Freie Universität Berlin  
Thesis: *“Humor and Subversion: Jokes of the Political in a Multicultural Germany”*  
Advisor: Herrman Haarman  
GPA: 4.0
- 2012-2013      **Research Apprentice and Academic Exchange Student (2013)**  
University of California, Berkeley  
Research Apprenticeship: *The Multicultural Germany Project*  
GPA: 3.91

### **FELLOWSHIPS AND FUNDING AWARDS**

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- 2018      **Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship**  
Research fellowship awarded to support data collection in Bosnia and Herzegovina on civilian decision-making during intrastate war.
- 2018      **Ohio State University Mershon Center for International Security Graduate Research Grant**  
Research grant awarded to support field research in Bosnia and Herzegovina on conflict dynamics and migration decision-making.

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- 2018                    **Ohio State Center for Slavic and East European Studies Foreign Language and Area Studies Graduate Summer Fellowship (FLAS)**  
Awarded for fourth-year language study in Bosnian, Croatian, and Serbian and specialized in-country training to support my dissertation research.
- (2018)                    **Indiana University Title VIII Fellowship for International Advanced Study of Bosnian/Serbian/Croatian**  
Offered for fourth-year language courses and in-country language study to support my dissertation research. Declined to accept Ohio State Center for Slavic and East European Studies Foreign Language and Area Studies Summer Fellowship.
- 2017                    **Ohio State Center for Slavic and East European Studies Foreign Language and Area Studies Graduate Academic Year Fellowship (FLAS)**  
Awarded for Southeast European Area Studies and advanced language training in Bosnian, Croatian, and Serbian.
- 2017                    **University of Pittsburgh Russian and East European Studies Foreign Language and Area Studies Summer Fellowship (FLAS)**  
Awarded for summer intensive study of Bosnian, Croatian, and Serbian language and Balkan area studies at the University of Pittsburgh Summer Language Institute.
- (2017)                    **Ohio State Center for Slavic and East European Studies Foreign Language and Area Studies Summer Graduate Fellowship (FLAS)**  
Offered for Southeast European language and area studies. Declined in order to accept University of Pittsburgh Russian and East European Studies Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship.
- 2017                    **Ohio State Office of International Affairs Academic Enrichment Grant**  
Awarded for comparative international research on migration and social dynamics in post-genocide communities.
- 2017                    **Ohio State Global Mobility Project Graduate Research Grant**  
Awarded to support international field research on internal migration during termination phases of violent conflict.
- 2016                    **Ohio State Distinguished University Fellowship**  
Awarded to support PhD study on civil war spatial dynamics and conflict identities.
- 2016                    **Ohio State Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences Fellowship**

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Awarded to support summer study in the social sciences and continuing dissertation research.

- (2016)            **Pennsylvania State University Presidential Fellowship**  
Awarded to support international field research on internal migration during termination phases of violent conflict. Declined to accept the Ohio State Distinguished University Fellowship.
- 2014             **University of Utah Full Departmental Masters Funding**  
Two years of full departmental Masters support, used to fund studies and complete research on conflict dynamics and rebel peacebuilding.

### **PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCE PAPERS**

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- 2018             **Spatial Conflict Dynamics and Migration in Bosnia and Herzegovina**  
Paper presented at The Ohio State University 2018 Migration Symposium. Columbus, Ohio. March 3, 2018.
- 2018             **Spatial Conflict Progression and Mediation Onset During the Collapse of Yugoslavia, 1991-1999**  
Paper presented at the Midwestern Slavic Studies Association Conference. Columbus, Ohio. March 23, 2018.
- 2017             **Negotiation Onset in Armed Conflict: Evidence from the Wars in Bosnia and Croatia**  
Invited research presentation at the Pittsburgh Summer Language Institute for Russian and East European Languages. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. June 21, 2017.
- 2016             **Negotiation and Non-State Armed Groups: Identity, Ambitions, and Assistance and the Timing of Civil War Negotiation Pursuit, 1946-2010**  
Paper presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention. Atlanta, Georgia. March 16-19, 2016.
- 2016             **People's Right to a Culture or a Culture's Right to People? Reification, Genocide Scholarship, and the Limitations of Collectivist Accounts**  
Paper presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention. Atlanta, Georgia. March 16-19, 2016.

### **RESEARCH POSITIONS**

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- 2017-Present    **Institute of Research and Dialogue for Peace  
Kigali, Rwanda**

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*Guest Researcher*

Invited guest scholar working on a project comparing community histories, social cohesion, and migration in Rwanda and Bosnia. Managed research assistants and conducted independent field research in Kigali, Rwanda.

2012-2013

**University of California, Berkeley Department of German  
Berkeley, California**

*Research Apprentice for Professor Deniz Göktürk*

Conducted independent primary source research and contributed to trend analysis in media portrayals of immigrant and minority issues in Germany.

Spring 2012

**Политика Daily Newspaper**

**Belgrade, Serbia**

*Editorial Research Intern*

Researched international events for the editorial staff and assisted with interviews in the field. Co-authored articles published in Serbia's largest national newspaper, circulation of 125,000.

Summer 2011

**International Rescue Committee**

**Salt Lake City, Utah**

*Resource Development Intern*

Presented potential grant sources and assisted with grant applications. Researched key political events for outreach materials. Helped refugees from Bosnia and Herzegovina navigate assistance resources.

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**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Spring 2016

**Introduction to International Relations**

*Teaching Assistant to Professor Jeremy Bowling*

University of Utah, Department of Political Science

Fall 2015

**Foundations of U.S. National Government**

*Teaching Assistant to Professor Daniel Levin*

University of Utah, Department of Political Science

Spring 2015

**Introduction to International Relations**

*Teaching Assistant to Professor Brent Steele*

University of Utah, Department of Political Science

Fall 2014

**Foundations of U.S. National Government**

*Teaching Assistant to Professor Ronald Hrebenar*

University of Utah, Department of Political Science

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**LANGUAGES OF STUDY AND RESEARCH**

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English – Native

Bosnian – Advanced proficiency in reading (Cyrillic and Latin Script), writing, and speaking

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Serbian – Advanced proficiency in reading (Cyrillic and Latin Script), writing, and speaking  
Croatian – Advanced proficiency in reading, writing, and speaking  
German – Full professional proficiency in reading, writing, and speaking. German National  
Certification of College Level German Level 3 (DSH-3)