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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, McCourt School of Public Policy
Assistant Professor, 2008-present

BROOKINGS INSTITUTION, Global Economy and Development Program
Non-Resident Fellow, 2008-2010; Brookings Research Fellow, 2006-2007

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD, Nuffield College
Research Fellow, Nuffield College, 2007-2008

EDUCATION

YALE UNIVERSITY
Ph.D. in Political Science

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, John F. Kennedy School of Government
M.P.P. in Political and Economic Development

LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
A.B. in International Affairs, Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

“Institutional Portfolios and Delegation to Multilateral Aid Institutions” (with Christina Schneider), Forthcoming, *International Studies Quarterly*

“Take the Money and Run: The Determinants of Compliance with Aid Agreements” (with Desha Girod), *International Organization* Volume 70, Issue 1 (2016)

"Which Countries' Citizens Are Better Off With Trade?" (with Stephen Kosack), *World Development* Volume 76 (2015): 95-113.

“Interest Coalitions and Multilateral Aid Allocation in the European Union” (with Christina Schneider), *International Studies Quarterly*, Volume 57, Issue 1 (2013)

“When BITs Have Some Bite: The Political-Economic Environment for Bilateral Investment Treaties” (with Susan Rose-Ackerman), *The Review of International Organizations*, Volume 6, Number 1 (2011)

“A BIT is better than a Lot” (with Marc Busch), *World Politics*, Winter 2010

“Funding Self-Sustaining Development: the Role of Aid, FDI and Government in Economic Success.” (with Stephen Kosack) *International Organization*, Winter 2006.

NON PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

“Assessing the Impact of Saúde Criança: Breaking the vicious cycle of poverty and health shocks.” (with James Habyarimana and Daniel Ortega), GUI²DE working paper: <http://gui2de.georgetown.edu/document/1242806769575/scrianca-georgetown+final+report.pdf>

“Do BITs Benefit Developing Countries?” (with Susan Rose-Ackerman), *The Future of Investment Arbitration*, R.P. Alford & C. A. Rogers eds. 2009.

“Foreign Direct Investment and the Business Environment in Developing Countries: the Impact of Bilateral Investment Treaties.” (with Susan Rose-Ackerman) Working paper, William Davidson Institute WP No. 587, 2005.

“Regulation of the Microfinance Industry in Mexico: An Empirical Analysis.” (with Anne Rothbaum) *The Kennedy School Review*, 2000.

WORKING PAPERS AND MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

“Is the Right right? Globalization and the Poor in Developing Countries” (with Nita Rudra), Submission to the Annual Review of Political Science

“Separate and Unequal: Bilateral Investment Treaties and Property Rights in Developing Countries” Working Paper, Global Economic Governance Programme, University of Oxford, Under Review *World Development*

“A (Costly) Free Lunch: Why GSP Recipients Trade Less Upon Joining the GATT/WTO” (with Marc Busch), Under Review *World Trade Review*

“BITs, Breach of Contract, and Compensation” (with Noel Johnston), Work in progress.

“Understanding Bilateral Bailouts: The political and economic (dis)incentives for providing bailouts during financial crises,” (with Christina Schneider). Data set and manuscript in progress

“A Bit of Regulatory Chill? Assessing the Effect of Bilateral Investment Treaties on The Enactment Of Environmental Regulations.” (with Jena Shoaf), Work in progress.

“Does the WTO Matter? The constraining effects of the World Trade Organization on the Generalized System of Preferences” (with Marc Busch and Peter Sima-Eichler). Work in Progress.

“The IMF and Bilateral Bailouts: What role does the IMF play in domestic decisions over bilateral bailouts?” (with Christina Schneider). Work in Progress.

“Political Bias in Project Evaluation: A Study of the World Bank's Independent Evaluation Group” (with Christina Schneider and Johannes Urpelainen). Work in progress.

“The Importance of Human Capital for Financial Inclusion: An Impact Evaluation of the TabangKO Post-Haiyan cash transfer intervention.” Work in progress.

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS

Principal Researcher for Impact Evaluation of Good World Solutions, a US-based labor rights NGO. Evaluating the impact of intervention in factories in Bangladesh to determine impact of information pushes regarding labor rights to workers. Responsible for developing the research design, data collection strategy, and analysis.

Principal Researcher for Big Data for Decision-Making in Development.

Principal Researcher for Impact Evaluation of Mercy Corps' post typhoon cash transfer and financial literacy program.

Principal Researcher for "Coding of Bilateral Investment Treaties" (with Marc Busch). Project to code the content of all available Bilateral Investment Treaties and arbitration decisions within the International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2015 USAID DIV Grant for Impact Evaluation of Good World Solutions, a US-based labor rights NGO

2014 Georgetown University Grant in Aid Award "Who Benefits from Globalization?"

2014 AidData research award for project Foreign Aid and Finance for the Poor

2010 Georgetown University Latin America Fund. "Evaluating an innovative health program in Rio de Janeiro" (co PI James Habyarimana)

2010 White Martins Praxair. "Evaluating Saude Crianca's multi-pronged approach to pediatric chronic diseases in Rio de Janeiro" (co PI James Habyarimana, Daniel Ortega Nieto)

2009 Leslie Whittington Outstanding Faculty Award, Georgetown Public Policy Institute

2009 International Collaborative Research Grant, Georgetown University

2009 Georgetown University Summer Academic Grant

2006-2007 Prize Research Fellowship, Nuffield College, Oxford

2000-2006, Yale University Fellowship

2004-2006, Brookings Research Fellowship

2004, NYU/Stern Global Scholars Research Grant

2004, Yale Center for International and Area Studies Dissertation Field Research Grant

2003, National Science Foundation award to attend the institute on Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM)

2003, Yale Center for the Study of Globalization, summer funding award

2000, Kennedy School, Master's Thesis award for best social policy research

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

National Capital Area Political Science Association (NCAPSA) Executive Council, September 2015-Present

Co-Convener International Political Economy Society 2014 Annual Conference

Reviewer of journal articles for: American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, British Journal of Political Science, Economics and Politics, Foreign Policy Analysis, Governance, International Interactions, International Organization, International Studies Quarterly, International Studies Review, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Development Studies, Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Review of International Organizations, Review of International Political Economy, World Development, World Politics, World Trade Review.

Reviewer for U.S. National Science Foundation 2010-2012.

DEVELOPMENT WORK EXPERIENCE

May-September 1999

Microfinance Consultant, Grameen Trust Chiapas

March 1997-August 1998

Resident Advisor, The Foundation for International Community Assistance (FINCA)
Uganda and Haiti