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EDUCATION

- Doctor of Philosophy in Political Development** (June 2020)
School of Liberal Arts, Tulane University
New Orleans, Louisiana, United States
- Master of Science in International Relations (Cum Laude)** August 2012
Thesis: "Insecurity over Africa: The nature of the United Nations-African Union peacekeeping partnership"
Graduate School of Social Sciences, University of Amsterdam
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Bachelor of Arts in International Relations (with Distinction)** June 2011
Co-operative Education Program
Faculty of Arts, University of Calgary
Calgary, Alberta, Canada

CONFERENCES

- Council for European Studies** (March 2018)
Presenting Research Paper: "Nationalist Movements in the Developed World: Diffusion of Autonomy"
Chicago, Illinois, United States
- Graduate Student Conference on the European Union** March 2017
Presented Research Paper: "Brexit: A New Chapter in British Exceptionalism"
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, United States

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Business Development Associate** September 2012 – July 2016
UK Trade & Investment (UKTI), British Consulate-General Calgary
Calgary, Alberta, Canada
- Administrative Assistant** January 2011 – May 2011
Canada Institute, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars (WWICS)
Washington, D.C., United States
- Trade Commissioner Assistant** September 2010 – December 2010
Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development (DFATD)
Calgary, Alberta, Canada
- International Student Programs Coordinator** May 2010 – August 2010
University of Calgary International (UCI), Centre for International Students and Study Abroad (CISSA)
Calgary, Alberta, Canada

ASSOCIATIONS

- Graduate Student Member** October 2017 – present
Council for European Studies (CES)
- Vice President** September 2017 – present
European Horizons at Tulane University
- Graduate Student Member** January 2017 – present
Southern Political Science Association (SPSA)
- Board Member** September 2006 – July 2016
Canadian Slovak League (KSL)