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### EDUCATION

Stanford University, Ph. D. in Political Science, March 2004.

Dissertation Title: *Administrative Decentralization, Legal Fragmentation, and the Rule of Law in Transitional Economies: The Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights Laws in China, Russia, Taiwan, and the Czech Republic* (Dissertation Adviser: Jean C. Oi; committee members: Michael McFaul, Judy Goldstein, Larry Diamond, Barry Weingast)

Franklin and Marshall College, BA (Magna Cum Laude), June 1998, double major in Government and French, minor in Asian Studies. Phi Beta Kappa, inducted 1997.

### Related Training

Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Summer Institute, Washington University in St. Louis, 2004.

Inter-University Board for Chinese Language Studies, Tsinghua University, Fall 2001-2002, Spring 2000-2001, Summer 1999.

International Chinese Language Program, National Taiwan University, June-August 2000.

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Tulane University, Associate Professor of Political Science, 2011-present.

Tulane University, Director, Asian Studies Program, January 1, 2014-June 30, 2016.

Dartmouth College, Assistant Professor of Government, 2004-2011.

### Other Positions and Affiliations

*Problems of Post-Communism*, Associate Editor for Asia, 2014-present.

Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies, Visiting Research Scholar, 2016-2017.

Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University, Associate, 2014-2017.

Chair, Working Group on the Resilience of Authoritarianism, Holbrooke Forum for the Study of Diplomacy and Governance Statecraft in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, American Academy in Berlin, 2014-present.

Aleksanteri Institute, Helsinki (Finland), Visiting Fellow, May 2016, May-June 2014, August 2013.

National Committee on U.S.-China Relations, Public Intellectuals Program, Fellow, 2011-2013.

American Academy in Berlin, Axel Springer Fellow, Spring 2012.

University of Notre Dame, Institute for Advanced Study, Distinguished Guest Fellow, Fall 2011.

Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Resident Fellow, 2010-2011.

Harvard University, Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies, An Wang Post-Doctoral Fellow, September 1, 2005-June 30, 2006.

Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Post-Doctoral Fellow, February 1-June 30, 2004.

Harvard Law School, East Asian Legal Studies Program, Research Fellow, 2004-2013.

Harvard University Center for the Environment, Fellow, 2005-2007.

Stanford University, Center on Democracy, Development and the Rule of Law, Fellow, 2003.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

*Piracy and the State: The Politics of Intellectual Property Rights in China* (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2009 [paperback edition 2012]). Reviewed in *Foreign Affairs*, *China Quarterly*, *Journal of Asian Studies*, *Journal of East Asian Studies*, and *Europe-Asia Studies*.

### Books in Progress

*Dictatorship and Information: Autocratic Regime Resilience in Communist Europe and China* (expected submission date of complete manuscript for external review: May 2017). This book offers the first systematic theoretical treatment of how different types of non-democratic regimes confront the problem of collecting information on levels of popular discontent. The book focuses primarily on communist single-party regimes, which are the most durable type of autocracy to emerge since World War I and which consequently develop the most sophisticated systems for the collection of information on both visible popular discontent and on unexpressed (latent) discontent. Although all autocracies collect information on visible discontent, I argue that only some are successful in establishing the complex institutions needed for assessing latent discontent. Drawing on a proprietary archival dataset consisting of 100,000 pages of *neibu* (internal circulation) and archival materials from 1949-2014 China and 100,000 pages of State Security and Communist Party documents from pre-1989 Bulgaria (supplemented by 25,000 pages of Soviet and East German archival documents and by 80 interviews conducted in China, Bulgaria, Germany, and Cuba), the book develops a theory of the conditions under which communist regimes recognize the need to collect information on latent discontent; of the institutions they create to extract this information; and of the ways in which they use the information to govern during times of regime stability and periods of systemic crisis. By placing resilience in China and other single-party communist autocracies in comparative perspective, the book contributes both to the study of China and to the subfield of comparative authoritarianism.

*Politika na sotsialisticheskoto konsumatorstvo* [The Politics of Socialist Consumption] (Sofia: Ciela Publishers, forthcoming January 2017).

### **Edited Volumes**

*Why Communism Did Not Collapse: Understanding Authoritarian Regime Resilience in Asia and Europe* (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2013). [Currently being translated into Portuguese, Greek, and Turkish.] Reviewed in *Choice*, *Pacific Affairs*, *Russian Review*, *Europe-Asia Studies*, and *Perspectives on Politics*.

### Edited Volumes in Progress

*China-Cuba: Trajectories of Post-Revolutionary Governance*. Based on papers presented at the April 2015 international conference at Tulane University. Papers currently undergoing revision for submission for external review by November 2016.

*Popular Authoritarianism: The Quest for Regime Durability*. Based on papers presented at the retreat on *Authoritarianism in a Global Context*, American Academy in Berlin. Papers currently undergoing revision for submission for external review by January 2017.

### **Special Issue**

*Media Control in China*, special issue of *Problems of Post-Communism* (edited and with an introductory article by me), forthcoming Spring 2017.

### **Peer-Reviewed Articles**

- “The Socialist Social Contract Revisited: Evidence from Communist and State Capitalist Economies” (co-authored with Linda Cook), *Europe-Asia Studies*, forthcoming.
- “Structural Preconditions for the Rise of the Rule of Law in China,” *Journal of Chinese Governance* 1:3 (2016), 470-487.
- “Internal Government Assessments of the Quality of Governance in China,” *Studies in Comparative International Development* 50:1 (March 2015), 50-72.
- “What the Party Wanted to Know: Citizen Complaints as a ‘Barometer of Public Opinion’ in Communist Bulgaria,” *East European Politics and Societies and Cultures* 28:2 (May 2014), 271-295 [lead article].
- “State Security, Information, and Repression: A Comparison of Communist Bulgaria and Ba’thist Iraq” (co-authored with Joseph Sassoon), *Journal of Cold War Studies* 16:2 (Spring 2014), 4-31 [lead article].
- “Tracking Public Opinion under Authoritarianism: The Case of the Soviet Union under Brezhnev,” *Russian History* 41:3 (2014), 329-353.

### **Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters**

- “Socialist Social Contracts and Accountability,” in *Reforming Communism: Cuba in Comparative Perspective*, edited by Scott Morgenstern and Jorge Pérez-López (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, forthcoming 2017)
- “Anticipating Crises by Collecting Information on Levels of Popular Discontent,” in *Crises in Autocracies*, edited by Wolfgang Merkel, Christoph Stefes, and Johannes Gerschewski (volume in preparation)
- “The Three Faces of Business-Government Relations in Zouping,” in *The Changing Face of Local Governance: Reform China through the Lens of Zouping*, ed. Steven Goldstein and Jean Oi (volume in preparation).
- “Stimmungsberichterstattung in Bulgarien und China,” in *Dem Volk auf der Spur... Staatliche Berichterstattung über Bevölkerungstimmungen im 20. Jahrhundert. Deutschland, Osteuropa, China*, ed. Daniela Münkel (Göttingen: Vandenhoeck und Ruprecht, forthcoming 2017).
- “The Survival of Communist Regimes in China, Vietnam, and North Korea,” in *The End of the Soviet Union, 1989-1991*, ed. Mark Kramer, Stefan Karner, and Mikhail Prozumenshikov (Harvard Cold War Studies Book Series, Rowman and Littlefield, forthcoming 2017).

“1989 v diakhronna perspektiva: Kitai i Iztochna Evropa, in Ivailo Znepolski, ed., *Istoricheskoto Sravnenie – Metodi i Obekti: Kum Edna Sravnitelna Istoriia na Komunizma v Iztochna Evropa* (Sofia: Maison des Sciences de l’Homme et de la Société, 2016), 147-172.

“Understanding Communist Collapse and Resilience,” in *Why Communism Did Not Collapse*, ed. Martin K. Dimitrov (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2013), 3-39.

“Vertical Accountability in Communist Regimes: The Role of Citizen Complaints in Bulgaria and China,” in *Why Communism Did Not Collapse*, ed. Martin K. Dimitrov (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2013), 276-302.

“Whither Communist Resilience,” in *Why Communism Did Not Collapse*, ed. Martin K. Dimitrov (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2013), 303-312.

"Zhalbite na grazhdanite v komunisticheska Bulgariia" (Citizen Complaints in Communist Bulgaria), in Ivailo Znepolski, ed., *Da Poznaem Komunizma: Izsledvaniia* (Getting to Know Communism) (Sofia: Ciela, 2012), 167-226.

### **Editorially Reviewed Articles**

“The Popular Autocrats,” *Journal of Democracy*, 20:1 (January 2009), 78-81.  
Reprinted in: *Debates on Democratization*, ed. Larry Diamond, Marc F. Plattner, and Philip J. Costopoulos (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2010), 232-235.

“The Resilient Authoritarians,” *Current History* vol. 107 (No. 705), January 2008, 24-29.  
Reprinted in: *Annual Editions: Comparative Politics 11/12*, 29<sup>th</sup> edition, ed. Fiona Yap (New York: McGraw-Hill, 2012), 122-126; *Annual Editions: Comparative Politics 12/13* (New York: McGraw-Hill, 2013), 113-117; *Annual Editions: Comparative Politics 13/14* (New York: McGraw Hill, 2014), 115-119.

俄羅斯與中國聯邦制度之比較 (Eluosi yu Zhongguo Lianbang Zhidu zhi Bijiao) “Comparison of Chinese and Russian Federalism”, *二十一世紀 (21 Shiji) 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, October 2004, 38-51.

### **Shorter Articles**

“Long March: The Persistence of Authoritarianism in a Global Context,” *The Berlin Journal* 28 (Spring 2015), 60-61.

“Regime Survival in Cuba in Comparative Perspective,” *Panoramas* (2014),  
<http://www.panoramas.pitt.edu/content/regime-survival-cuba-comparative-perspective>

“The Persistence of Authoritarianism,” *The Berlin Journal* 23 (Fall 2012), 25-28.

### **Encyclopedia Entry**

“Property Rights, Intellectual.” *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*. Ed. William A. Darity, Jr., Vol. 6. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. (Detroit: Macmillan Reference USA, 2008), 555-556.

### Articles for a General Audience and Op-Eds

“Gastkommentar: Machtverlust an der Börse,” *Handelsblatt*, July 14, 2015, p. 17.

“China-Cuba: Trajectories of Post-Revolutionary Governance,” *Cuba Counterpoints*, May 20, 2015.

“Hoisting the IPR Flag in Taiwan,” *China Online*, December 1, 2000.

### Book Reviews

Aviezer Tucker, The Legacies of Totalitarianism: A Theoretical Approach. *Review of Politics*, forthcoming.

Fan Yang. Faked in China: Nation Branding, Counterfeit Culture, and Globalization. *The China Journal*, forthcoming.

Michael Schoenhals. Spying for the People: Mao's Secret Agents, 1949-1967. *The China Quarterly*, no. 221 (March 2015), 255-256.

Steven Saxonberg, Transitions and Non-Transitions from Communism: Regime Survival in China, Cuba, North Korea, and Vietnam. *Czech Sociological Review (Sociologický časopis)* 50:6 (2014), 1002-1004.

Benjamin Read. Roots of the State: Neighborhood Organization and Social Networks in Beijing and Taipei. *Twentieth-Century China* 39:1 (January 2014), 90. [available at <http://dx.doi.org/10.1179/1521538513Z.00000000037> ]

Bruce Dickson. Wealth into Power: The Communist Party's Embrace of China's Private Sector. *Journal of Asian Studies* 68:4 (November 2009), 1250-1252.

Kellee Tsai. Capitalism without Democracy: The Private Sector in Contemporary China. *Political Science Quarterly* 123: 4 (Winter 2008-09), 721-722.

Claude Lefort. Complications: Communism and the Dilemmas of Democracy. *Journal of Cold War Studies* 10:4 (Fall 2008), 172-173.

Yong Deng and Fei-Ling Wang, eds. China Rising: Power and Motivation in Chinese Foreign Policy. *Journal of East Asian Studies* 7:1 (January -April 2007), 168-170.

Alvin Y. So, ed. 2003. China's Developmental Miracle: Origins, Transformation, and Challenges, *Journal of Asian Business* 20: 2 (2005), 110-111.

Yan Sun. 2004. Corruption and Market in Contemporary China, *Political Science Quarterly* 120: 2 (Summer 2005), 342-343.

### Field Reports

“News From the Field: Confucius Institute Global Conference,” Tulane School of Liberal Arts Newsletter, February 11, 2015.

“Reflections on the PIP III Trip to China and Taiwan,” National Committee on United States - China Relations, August 2012 E-Newsletter.

### **MEDIA INTERVIEWS and TRANSCRIPTS**

- 1) “Strongman Theory: A Discussion by Martin Dimitrov, Wolfgang Ischinger, and Gerhard Casper on the Persistence of Authoritarianism,” *Berlin Journal* 29 (Fall 2015), 58-61.
- 2) “Politics in the Pipeline,” *Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business Knowledge*, vol. 15 (Fall 2014), 30-32.
- 3) “Complaints as Social Stabilizers: An Interview with Martin Dimitrov” (Part 2), *Power of Design 2014: Complaints* (The Wolfsonian’s Ideas Fest), February 26, 2014.
- 4) “Complaints as Social Stabilizers: An Interview with Martin Dimitrov” (Part 1), *Power of Design 2014: Complaints* (The Wolfsonian’s Ideas Fest), February 24, 2014
- 5) “Nur dagegen sein reicht nicht,” *Die Welt*, March 29, 2012, p. 8 (also published in *Welt Online* as: “Putin verdrängt alle, die gefährlich werden könnten”; translated and published in Croatian in *Hrvatski Fokus*, April 13, 2012).

### **MEDIA DISCUSSION OF MY RESEARCH**

- 1) Teodora Georgieva, “Kak se sravniava jabulka s portokal,” *Kultura*, December 11, 2015, p. 9.
- 2) Ma Ngok, “The Sustainable Development of Electoral Authoritarianism” (選舉威權的永續發展), *Mingpao*, June 9, 2014
- 3) Liz Carter, “You’ve Got Mail: Chinese Communist Party Received Almost Two Million Complaints in 2013,” *Foreign Policy/Tea Leaf Nation*, January 16, 2014.
- 4) Kentaro Toyama, “How Internet Censorship Really Works,” *The Atlantic*, October 2, 2013.
- 5) Peter Rutland, “The Dynamic Side of the Leonid Brezhnev Era,” *The Moscow Times*, November 15, 2011.
- 6) Peter Rutland, “Through a Glass Darkly: Reflections on the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Soviet Collapse,” *ASEEES Newsletter* 52:2 (March 2012), 1-4.
- 7) Te-Ping Chen, “China’s Marlboro County,” *South China Morning Post* magazine, June 30, 2009.
- 8) Christine Xu, “Piracy is No Elegant Offense,” *China Online*, April 3, 2002.

### **FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS**

#### **Fellowships (National and International):**

- Visiting Fellowship, Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies (2016-2017).
- Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, Visiting Fellowship (May 2016).
- Hoover Institution Workshop on Totalitarian Regimes, Invited Participant (July 21-August 1, 2014).
- Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, Visiting Fellowship (August 2013 and May-June 2014).
- American Academy in Berlin, Berlin Prize and Axel Springer Fellowship (Spring 2012).
- Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study, Distinguished Guest Fellow (Fall 2011)
- National Committee on U.S.-China Relations, Public Intellectuals Program, Fellow, 2011-2013.

- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Fellow, 2010-2011.
- Hoover Institution, W. Glenn Campbell and Rita Ricardo-Campbell National Fellowship, 2010-2011 (declined).
- Harvard University, Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, An Wang Post-Doctoral Fellowship (2005-2006).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, post-doctoral fellowship (Spring 2004).
- Stanford University, Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, fellowship (Fall 2003).
- Social Science Research Council, International Predissertation Fellowship (2001-2002).

**Grants (National and International):**

- China and Inner Asia Council of the Association for Asian Studies, Small Grants Program (2015).
- Institute for Studies of the Recent Past (Sofia, Bulgaria), grant for archival research 2014-2016.
- Institute for Studies of the Recent Past (Sofia, Bulgaria), grant for archival research in Bulgaria 2008-2009.
- Smith Richardson Foundation, grant for research in China as member of a 12-person person team (2007).
- Weatherhead Center for International Studies, the Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, the Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, and the Korea Institute (all at Harvard), grant to co-organize (with Elizabeth Perry) a round table on Communist regime resilience on April 24, 2006.
- Harvard University Center for the Environment China Project Research Grant (2005).
- China and Inner Asia Council of the Association for Asian Studies, Small Grants Program (2005).
- Harvard University, Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, conference organization grant (awarded jointly to Calvin Chen, Xi Chen, and Martin Dimitrov to organize the conference *Reconfiguring the Party-State: The Shifting Locus of Power in Reform-Era China*, Harvard University, May 18-19, 2006).
- Blakemore Foundation Grant, 2000 (declined)

**Fellowships and Grants (Tulane University)**

- Lurcy Grant, for research in Hong Kong (2016).
- Monroe Fellowship, New Orleans Center for the Gulf South, for research in Cuba (2014).
- Lurcy Grant, for research in Russia (2014).
- Murphy Institute Seed Grant, for research in Hong Kong (2014).
- Committee on Research (COR) Fellowship, for research in China and Hong Kong (2013).
- Lurcy Grant, for research in Germany (2013).
- Stone Center for Latin American Studies summer grant, for research in Cuba (2013).
- New Orleans Center for the Gulf South grant (to support a lecture series on the Rise of China) (2012).

**Fellowships and Grants (Dartmouth College)**

- Professor Arthur M. Wilson and Mary Tolford Wilson Faculty Research Fellow (Fall 2008).

- Dickey Center for International Understanding at Dartmouth College, grants for research in China, Russia, and Taiwan (2008, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2004).
- Leslie Center for the Humanities Faculty Fellowship, grant for research in Cuba (2007). (declined).
- Rockefeller Center, grant for archival research in Bulgaria (2007).
- Rockefeller Center at Dartmouth College, Rockefeller Scholarship (for research in Russia) (2005).
- Rockefeller Center at Dartmouth College, Reiss Family Faculty Research Grant (for research in China) (2005).
- Burke Grant (2007, 2004).
- Handler Family Foundation, grant for research on subnational legislation in China (2007).
- Office of the Provost, the Rockefeller Center, and the Dickey Center for International Understanding, Dartmouth College, grants to organize the conference *Why Communism Didn't Collapse: Understanding Regime Resilience in China, Vietnam, Laos, North Korea, and Cuba*, Dartmouth College, May 25-26, 2007.

### **CONFERENCES, RETREATS, AND LECTURE SERIES ORGANIZED**

- Authoritarianism in a Global Context*. Convener and chair of a 3-week interdisciplinary retreat at the Richard C. Holbrooke Forum for the Study of Diplomacy and Governance at the American Academy in Berlin (June 21-July 11, 2015). 12 U.S. scholars working on authoritarian resilience in different parts of the world were joined by 12 German scholars acting as discussants. The retreat also featured a public conversation between Ambassador Wolfgang Ischinger (Chairman of the Munich Security Conference) and myself, moderated by Gerhard Casper (President of the American Academy in Berlin), July 9, 2015.
- China-Cuba: Trajectories of Post-Revolutionary Governance*. Organizer, international conference at Tulane University, April 17-18, 2015.
- Social Policy in Non-Democracies*. Co-organizer with Linda Cook and Natalia Forrat, conference-within-the-conference during the 2014 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.
- The Rise of China*. Organizer, a series of 7 lectures at Tulane University (Spring 2013, Fall 2013, and Fall 2014). Financial support from Tulane University and the National Committee on United States-China Relations.
- Why Communism Didn't Collapse: Understanding Regime Resilience in China, Vietnam, Laos, North Korea, and Cuba*. Organizer, conference at Dartmouth College, May 25-26, 2007.
- Reconfiguring the Party-State: The Shifting Locus of Power in Reform-Era China*. Co-organizer with Calvin Chen and Xi Chen, conference at the Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, Harvard University, May 18-19, 2006.

### **ROUND TABLES AND CONFERENCE PANELS ORGANIZED**



- Round table on “Non-Transparency and Theory Generation in the Study of Authoritarianism,” Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 1-4, 2016 (Participants: Milan Svoblik, Barbara Geddes, Lisa Wedeen, David Art, and Sheena Greitens)
- Panel 75 Information Gathering in Contemporary China in Comparative and Historical Perspective (Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, Chicago, IL, March 27-30, 2015).
- Panel 246 Reassessing State Capacity in Reform-Era China (Annual Meeting of Association for Asian Studies, Chicago, IL, March 26-29, 2009).
- Round Table “Why Communism Didn’t Collapse,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 30-September 3, 2006 (Participants: Mark Beissinger, Bruce Cumings, Jorge Domínguez, Thomas Bernstein, and Regina Abrami).
- Round Table on Communist Resilience, Harvard University, April 24, 2006 (Participants: Jorge Domínguez, Elizabeth Perry, Hue-Tam Ho Tai, Valerie Bunce, and David Kang) (round table co-organized with Elizabeth Perry, with financial support from the Weatherhead Center for International Studies, the Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, the Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, and the Korea Institute).
- Panel 15 Reassessing the Rule of Law in China (Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, San Francisco, April 6-9, 2006).

#### **INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS (since 2004)**

##### **2016**

- Visiting Lecturer, Harvard-Yenching Institute (HYI) and Sun Yat-sen University training program “From Empirical Research to Theorization: Contributions of the China Field to Political Science and Political Theory,” Guangzhou, China (June).
- Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki (May).
- National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan (March).
- Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies, book conference participant (February).

##### **2015**

- University of California, San Diego, Workshop on *Authoritarian Rule under Economic Shocks* (December).
- Maison des Sciences de l’Homme et de la Société and Institute for Studies of the Recent Past, Conference on *The Comparative Study of Communism: Regime and Society in the Countries of Eastern Europe (1956-1989)*, Sofia, Bulgaria (November).
- Emory University, Workshop on Social Policy in China and Russia (discussant) (November).
- University of Melbourne China Center, Conference on *Accountability and Control in the Xi Jinping Era*, Melbourne, Australia (August).
- American Academy in Berlin, Germany (July)
- American Academy in Berlin, Germany (June).
- Tulane University Summer Program in Havana, Cuba (June).
- Wissenschaftszentrum zu Berlin, Workshop on *Crises in Autocratic Regimes*, Berlin, Germany (June).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Postcommunist Politics and Economics Workshop (March).

## 2014

- University of Pittsburgh, conference on *Cuba in Comparative Perspective* (November).
- National Committee on United States-China Relations, Public Intellectual Program (August).
- Hoover Institution, Russia-China Roundtable (July).
- Hoover Institution Workshop on Totalitarian Regimes (July).
- Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, Finland (May).
- BStU (Agency of the Federal Commissioner for the Stasi Records), conference *Dem Volk auf der Spur... Staatliche Berichterstattung über Bevölkerungsstimmungen im 20. Jahrhundert. Deutschland, Osteuropa, China*, Berlin, Germany (May).
- Public Lecture, Foreign Correspondents' Club (Shanghai, China) (April).
- Master's Tea, NYU-Shanghai (Shanghai, China) (April).
- Public Lecture, NYU-Shanghai (Shanghai, China) (April).
- Institute of East Asian Studies, UC Berkeley, conference on "Prospects for Korean Unification: Opportunities and Challenges for Neighboring Countries" (March).
- Pembroke Noon Seminar, Brown University (February).
- Pembroke Lecture, Pembroke Center, Brown University (February).
- East Asian Legal Studies Program, Harvard Law School (February).

## 2013

- Davis Center, Harvard University (November).
- Louisiana State University Asian Studies Program (October).
- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars (October).
- European Council for Foreign Relations (Sofia, Bulgaria) and Diplomatic Institute of the Bulgarian Foreign Ministry (July).
- Tulane University Summer Program in Havana, Cuba (June).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Comparative Economics Seminar (March).
- University of Michigan, Center for Chinese Studies, Corruption and Accountability Workshop (March).
- University of Michigan, Center for Chinese Studies, Noon Lecture Series (March).
- Princeton University, conference on *Complaints: Cultures and Grievance in Eastern Europe and Eurasia* (March).
- University of Chicago, Chair's Lecture Series, Department of Political Science (January).

## 2012

- Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, workshop on *Assessing the Quality of Governance in China* (November).
- National Committee on United States-China Relations, Public Intellectuals Program (October).
- Leibniz-Institut für Globale und Regionale Studien, workshop on *Autocratic Regimes and the Effects of International Sanctions*, Hamburg, Germany (June).
- Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, symposium on *The Politics of Authoritarian Governance: Loyalty and Legitimacy*, Berlin, Germany (June).
- American Academy, Berlin, Germany (February).
- Axel Springer AG Headquarters, Berlin, Germany (February).
- Southern Methodist University, SMU-Keio Workshop on Chinese Politics (January).

## 2011

- Wesleyan University, conference on *What Was the Soviet Union? Looking Back at the Brezhnev Years* (October).
- Notre Dame University, guest lecture on the Internet in China, POLS 53001 06 Politics & The Internet (November)
- Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study (August and December).
- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Works-in-Progress Series (April).
- U.S. Senate, Briefing on China, Majority Leader Harry Reid's Office (March).
- Brown University, Watson Institute, Development Studies Seminar (February).
- Georgetown University, Center for Peace and Security Studies (January).
- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, History and Public Policy Program (January).
- Tulane University, Department of Political Science (January).

## 2010

- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Kennan Institute for Russian Studies (October).
- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Scholar Introductions Series (October).
- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Presentation to the Wilson Council (October).
- United States International Trade Commission (July).
- University of Wisconsin Madison, Chinese Politics Workshop (May).
- Southern Methodist University, Department of Political Science (April).
- Harvard Law School, Chinese Law and Politics Discussion Group (March)
- University of California Berkeley, Center for Chinese Studies (February).
- Columbia Law School, Center for Chinese Legal Studies (February).
- University of Pittsburgh, Department of Political Science (February).
- Columbia University, Modern China Seminar (February).
- Harvard Law School, East Asian Legal Studies (February).

## 2009

- McGill University, Department of Political Science (November)
- UC Irvine, conference on *1989: Twenty Years After* (November).
- United States Patent and Trademark Office, keynote presentation at the Annual Training for U.S. Government Officials (August).
- Harvard University School of Engineering and Applied Sciences and Harvard University Center for the Environment (May).
- Cornell University, Political Economy Research Colloquium (PERC) (April).
- Stanford University, China Social Science Workshop (April).
- Harvard University, Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies, New England China Seminar (April)
- Harvard Law School, East Asian Legal Studies Program (March)
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Comparative Politics Talk Series (February).

## 2008

- East China Normal University (Shanghai, China), conference on *Society and Culture in the Background of Cold War* (December).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Postcommunist Politics and Economics Workshop (November).
- Harvard University, Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies, New England China Seminar (May).
- Mount Holyoke College (February).
- Stanford University, follow-up conference on Zouping (February).
- Stanford University, Public Policy Luncheon Colloquium Series (February).

## 2007

- Middlebury College, Rohatyn Center for International Affairs (November).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Postcommunist Politics and Economics Workshop (October).
- Columbia University, conference on *The Soviet Impact on China: Politics, Society, Economy, Culture, 1949-1991* (June).

## 2006

- Havighurst Center at Miami University, Oxford, OH (November).
- Harvard University, Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, conference on *Reconfiguring the Party-State: The Shifting Locus of Power in Reform-Era China* (May).
- Harvard University, Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, Director's Seminar Series (May).
- Yale University, Department of Political Science, Comparative Politics Workshop (March).
- Harvard Law School, East Asian Legal Studies Program (March) [talk on intellectual property].
- Harvard Law School, East Asian Legal Studies Program (February) [talk on communist resilience].
- University of Maryland College Park, Department of Government and Politics (February).
- Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University (February)
- Harvard Business School, Business Government and International Economy (BGIE) Unit (January).

## 2005

- Harvard University Center for the Environment (November).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Postcommunist Politics and Economics Workshop (October)
- Foreign Policy Discussion Group, East Andover, NH (September).
- XV Economic Forum in Krynica Zdrój (Poland) (September).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies and Fairbank Center for East Asian Research joint seminar (May).
- Harvard Law School, East Asian Legal Studies Program (April).
- Stanford University, conference on *Zouping -Past and Present: The Next Generation of Research* (February).

## 2004

- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Post-Communist Politics and Economics Workshop (October).

- Tsinghua University, International Symposium on the Reform of Property Rights & Enterprise Development in Transitional Countries, Institute of Economics (Beijing, China) (September) (talk presented in Chinese: 知识产权法在中国与俄罗斯的实施 “The Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Laws in China and Russia”).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Post-Communist Politics and Economics Workshop (April)
- Franklin and Marshall College, International Studies Program (April).
- Harvard University, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies and Fairbank Center for East Asian Research joint seminar (March).

**Campus and Community Presentations (Tulane University and New Orleans):**

- Conference on *China-Cuba: Trajectories of Post-Revolutionary Governance* (April 2015).
- World Affairs Council of New Orleans (February 2014).
- Tulane Political Science Faculty Dinner Seminar (February 2014).
- Tulane School of Liberal Arts Student Government, panel on Sochi Olympics (January 2014).

**Campus and Community Presentations (Dartmouth College and Upper Valley):**

- Guest lecture on censorship in China in CHIN 10 Introduction to Chinese Culture (May 2010).
- Rockefeller Center Faculty Seminar (January 2010).
- Guest lecture on regime resilience in North Korea in AMES011 Introduction to Korean Culture (November 2009).
- Comparative Democracy Group (May 2009).
- International Relations/Foreign Policy Workshop (March 2009).
- Comparative Democracy Group, Dartmouth College (February 2009).
- New Hampshire Chapter of the Fulbright Association Discussion on the Outlook for Emerging Democracies, Dartmouth College (November 2007).
- Rockefeller Center Faculty Seminar (November 2007).
- Dartmouth Club of Chicago (Chicago) (October 2007).
- Tuck School of Business, Dartmouth College, guest lecture given in the *Doing Business in Asia* course, Tuck School of Business (February 2007).
- AMES Student-Faculty Talk (January 2007).
- Dartmouth Alumni Club (Hanover, NH) (January 2007).
- Institute for Lifelong Education at Dartmouth (ILEAD) (Hanover, NH) (July 2006).
- Tuck School of Business, Dartmouth College, conference on *China's Rise: Domestic and External Issue* (May 2006).
- Environment and Development seminar series (Rockefeller Center) (March 2006).
- Comparative Democracy Group (November 2005)
- Dartmouth Russian Club Inaugural Lecture (May 2005).
- Institute for Lifelong Education at Dartmouth (Hanover, NH) (March 2005).

**PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE APPEARANCES (since 2004)**

- Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association: 2016 (roundtable chair and participant; panel paper presenter; discussant); 2015 (discussant); 2014 (presenter and discussant); 2013 (discussant and chair); 2012 (presenter and discussant [meeting cancelled]); 2011 (presenter); 2010 (presenter); 2009 (2 papers presented); 2007 (presenter); 2006 (presenter); 2005 (2 papers presented); 2004 (2 papers presented).

- Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association: 2016 (presenter and discussant); 2013 (presenter and discussant); 2011 (presenter and discussant); 2006 (presenter and discussant); 2004 (presenter).
- Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association: 2015 (presenter and discussant); 2014 (presenter and discussant).
- Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association: 2010 (presenter); 2004 (presenter).
- Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies: 2016 (presenter); 2015 (presenter); 2009 (presenter); 2006 (presenter); 2005 (presenter); 2004 (presenter).
- New England Conference of the Association for Asian Studies: 2004 (panel chair).
- Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies: 2015 (presenter); 2013 (presenter); 2012 (discussant and chair).
- Annual Meeting of the Latin American Studies Association: 2016 (presenter).
- Annual Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association: 2011 (presenter).
- 24<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the Political Science, International Political Science Association, Poznan (Poland): 2016 (presenter).
- Third East Asian Law and Society Conference, Shanghai: 2013 (presenter).

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Courses (Tulane University)**

POLS7950 Democracy and Democratization (PhD seminar).  
POLS7111 Scope and Methods for Political Science (PhD seminar).  
ASTA 5100 Senior Colloquium in Asian Studies (senior seminar).  
ISIB 6010 Approaches to Global Dilemmas (senior seminar)  
POLC6950 Authoritarianism (senior seminar).  
POLC6951 Regime Change in Asia (senior seminar).  
POLI4010 The Rise of China (upper-level lecture course).  
POLC4340 Chinese Politics: From Revolution to Reform (upper-level lecture course).  
POLC4350 Chinese Politics: The Reform Era (upper-level lecture course).

### **Courses (Dartmouth College)**

GOVT 4 Comparative Politics.  
GOVT 20 The Rise of China.  
GOVT 40 Politics of Russia/NIS.  
GOVT 40 Chinese Politics: The Reform Period.  
GOVT 42 Chinese Politics.  
GOVT43 The Rise of China.  
GOVT 84.10 The 1989 Revolutions.  
GOVT 84.17 The Rule of Law.  
GOVT 84.21 Democracy and Authoritarianism in the Former Soviet Union (co-taught with Ambassador Kenneth Yalowitz).  
GOVT 84.24 Will China Democratize.

### **Individual Student Supervision (Tulane University)**

Honors Thesis (director): Anton Krayniy (2015-2016); Elizabeth Hanlon (2014-2015).  
Honors Thesis (reader): Lauren Kwiatkowski (2013-2014); Jane Hayashi (2012-2013).

MA Thesis (reader): Leanna First-Arai (2015-2016).

**Individual Student Supervision (Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars)**

Research Assistants: 2010-2011: Nay Min Oo, Zhu Zhang, Erica Talan, Derek Pham.

**Individual Student Supervision (Dartmouth College)**

Honors Theses: Benjamin Nunnery (2009-2010); Yashodhara Rana (2008-2009); Janice Wong (2007-2008); Israel Marques II (2006-2007); Charlotte Taylor (2006-2007); Christine Noh (2005-2006).

Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS) Theses: Derek Parker (2008-2009); Kristen Coogan (2004-2005).

Independent Study Projects: Matthew Cable (2009-2010); Moira Sullivan (2007-2008); Charlotte Taylor (2005-2006); Jiemin Chen (2005-2006); Barry Hashimoto (2005-2006); Matthew Miller (2004-2005).

Presidential Scholars: Matthew Cable (2009-2010); Gent Salihu (2009-2010); Yi-nok Chan (2008-2009); Katrin Kabral (2008-2009), Anh Le (2008-2009), Velizara Passajova (2008-2009); Marina Agapakis, (2007-2008); Helen Chow (2007-2008); Emily Huang (2007-2008); William Lundin (2007-2008); Alexandra Prokhorova (2007-2008); Shruthi Rereddy (2007-2008); Trudy Hong (2006-2007); Douglas Raicek (2006-2007); Manya Sleeper (2006-2007); Charlotte Taylor (2005-2006), Chunhua Vivienne Wei (2005-2006); Jennifer Xi (2005-2006).

First-Year Summer Research Project: Gent Salihu (Summer 2008).

Research Assistants: Gent Salihu (2008-2009); Mikhail Belinsky (2007-2008); Yvonne Pop (2007-2008); Natalie Koch (2006-2007); Anoop Rathod (2006-2007); Boya Hong (2006-2007); Yue Yu (2006-2007).

**SERVICE**

**To the Profession**

Associate Editor for Asia, *Problems of Post-Communism*, 2014-present.

Article Referee, *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *World Politics*, *Comparative Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Business and Politics*, *Gender and Politics*, *International Political Science Review*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *China Quarterly*, *Modern China*, *Journal of East Asian Studies*, *Problems of Post-Communism*, *International Relations of the Asia-Pacific*, *Review of International Political Economy*, *Journal of Cold War Studies*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *Studies in Comparative International Development*, *History of the Human Sciences*.

Manuscript Referee, Oxford University Press (twice); Stanford University Press; University of Hawai'i Press; Central European University Press.

Selection Committee Member, Berlin Prize, American Academy in Berlin (2013-2016).

Proposal Referee, Research Grants Council, Hong Kong (2016); Carnegie Scholars Publication Program (2015, 2016); European Institutes for Advanced Study (EURIAS) Fellowship Program (2013-2014, 2015-2016); Berlin Prize, American Academy in Berlin (2011-2013); North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) Conference (2006); American Councils for International Education ACTR/ACCELS (Title VIII grant proposals) (2004-2010).

Co-Chair, Post-Communist Politics and Economics Workshop, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, 2004-2006, 2008-2010.

### **Tulane University**

Director, Asian Studies Program, January 1, 2014-June 30, 2016.

Member, Newcomb-Tulane Study Abroad Committee, 2014-2016.

Member, Advisory Board, Confucius Institute, 2012-2015 (Institute closed December 2015).

Member, University Senate Budget Review Committee, 2012-2015.

Faculty Fellow Peer Observer, Center for Engaged Learning and Teaching, 2014-2016.

Member, Fulbright Selection Committee, 2013-2014.

Member, Asian Studies Committee, 2012-2013 (Director of Asian Studies from Jan. 1, 2014).

Member, Comparative Political Economy Search Committee, Department of Political Science, 2012.

Member, Methods Subcommittee, Department of Political Science, 2012-present.

Member, Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Political Science, 2013-present.

### **Dartmouth College**

Member, Steering Committee, Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Program, Dartmouth College, 2009-2010.

Chair, East Asia Subcommittee, Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Program, Dartmouth College, 2009-2010.

Member, East Asia Subcommittee, Department of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, Dartmouth College, 2004-2009.

Rubin Committee, Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Program, Dartmouth College, 2008-2010.

Faculty Advisor, Dartmouth China Care Club, 2009-2010.

Faculty Advisor, *World Outlook* (Dartmouth undergraduate journal), 2009-2010.

Faculty Advisor, Dartmouth Bulgarian Club, 2005-2007.

Comparative Politics Race and Ethnicity Search Committee, Department of Government, Dartmouth College, 2007-2008.

Law and Politics Program Committee (in connection with Handler \$25,000 award), Department of Government, Dartmouth College, 2006-2007.

Prize Committee, Government Department, Dartmouth College, 2004-2005.

### **LANGUAGES**

Bulgarian (native), Mandarin Chinese (fluent), Russian (fluent), German (reading fluency; advanced speaking and writing knowledge), French (reading fluency; advanced speaking and writing knowledge), Spanish (advanced reading knowledge), Serbo-Croatian (reading knowledge), Japanese (basic).

Translation experience: Dusan Kovacevic. *The Gathering Place* (New York: Samuel French, 1997). Translated from Serbo-Croatian in collaboration with Dennis Barnett.



## **FIELD RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

### **China**

- January 2-15, 2017: Hong Kong SAR: archival research on information management.
- June 5-July 9, 2016: Beijing, Shanghai, Guangzhou, Hong Kong: research on information management.
- September 7-13, 2015: Hong Kong SAR: archival research on information management.
- August 2-11, December 1-6, and December 10-21, 2014: Hong Kong SAR: archival research on information management.
- April 20-26, 2014: Shanghai: archival research on citizen complaints.
- December 7-21, 2013: Hong Kong SAR: archival research on information management.
- June 27-July 20, 2013: Beijing: research on information management.
- July 10-22, 2012: Beijing and Guizhou: research on information management.
- July 16-August 1, 2011: Shanghai and Zouping County (Shandong Province): research on citizen complaints.
- December 17-27, 2010 Shanghai: archival research on citizen complaints.
- December 14-29, 2009 Beijing and Shanghai: archival research on citizen complaints and ethnic minority management.
- December 7-December 18, 2008 Beijing and Shanghai: research on citizen complaints.
- December 31, 2007-January 16, 2008: research in Zouping County (Shandong province) on the enforcement of intellectual property rights and product quality laws.
- September 4-16, 2006, December 22-27, 2006, and June 6-19, 2007: research on IPR and environmental protection in China.
- April 26, 2005-May 22, 2005 Beijing, Guangzhou, Haikou: follow-up research on environmental protection and IPR.
- December 13, 2004-January 3, 2005 Beijing, Shanghai, and Dalian: follow-up research on environmental protection and IPR.
- August 10-September 2, 2004 Beijing and Shanghai: exploratory research on environmental protection and follow-up research on IPR.
- September 2-September 21, 2002 Beijing: research on corruption control in China.
- January 8, 2001-February 9, 2002 Beijing, Shanghai, Guangzhou, Hong Kong SAR: research on the enforcement of IPR laws in China, specifically focusing on software piracy, tobacco counterfeiting, and counterfeit pharmaceuticals.

### **Taiwan**

- March 17-27, 2016: Taipei: archival research on information management during the Martial Law period.
- July 22-26, 2012: Taipei: archival research on the management of dissent during the Martial Law period.
- November 22-29, 2010 Taipei: archival research on citizen complaints.
- March 23-April 6, 2006 Taipei: follow-up research on the enforcement of IPR laws.
- June 11-August 11, 2000 Taipei: research on the enforcement of copyright laws in Taiwan, specifically focusing on computer software protection.

### **Russia**

February 4-14, 2016: Moscow: research on information management

January 10-January 27, 2006 Moscow and Kazan (Tatarstan): follow-up research on IPR enforcement and on center-regional bargaining.

April 25-June 20, 2002 Moscow and St Petersburg: research on the enforcement of IPR laws in Russia.

August 17-September 6, 2000 Moscow: research on the enforcement of copyright laws in Russia, specifically focusing on computer software protection.

June 5-June 25, 1999 Moscow: research on the crisis of national identity in Russia.

May 23 -June 17, 1996 Moscow: archival research on Nicholas Novikov and eighteenth century Russian Freemasonry.

### **Bulgaria**

March 30-April 4, 2015: research in the State Security Archive in Sofia.

January 2-8 and February 27-March 6, 2014: research in the State Security Archive in Sofia.

January 20-23 and April 6-10, 2012: research in the Central State Archive in Sofia.

June 11-13 and December 17-21, 2012: research in the State Security Archive in Sofia.

June 27-July 18, 2009: research in the former State Security Archive and the Central Party Archive (Central State Archive) in Sofia.

September 26-October 18, 2008: research in the former State Security Archive and the Central Party Archive (Central State Archive) in Sofia.

May 19-June 13, 2008: research in the former State Security Archive and the Central Party Archive (Central State Archive) in Sofia.

### **Germany**

July 18-28, 2016: Berlin: research on information management in the GDR.

June 21-July 11, 2015: Berlin: research on information management in the GDR.

May 6-21, 2013: Berlin: research on information management in the GDR.

January 9-July 4, 2012: Berlin: research on information management in the GDR.

### **Cuba**

May 22-June 1, 2015 and June 8-17, 2015: Havana: research on information management.

May 25-June 22, 2013: Havana: research on information management.

### **Czech Republic**

June 22-July 15, 2002 Prague: research on the enforcement of IPR laws in the Czech Republic.

### **France**

April 8-April 22, 2002 Paris: research on the enforcement of IPR laws in France.

May 13-June 7, 1997 Paris: research on the ideology of the French National Front.

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS**

American Political Science Association.

Midwest Political Science Association.

Association for Asian Studies.

Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies.

Latin American Studies Association

**REFERENCES**

Available upon request.