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EDUCATION

- 2014– Ph.D. **Harvard University**, Political Theory
- 2011 M.Phil. **University of Oxford**, Political Theory
Thesis: ‘Climate Change and Future Generations’ (distinction)
- 2009 A.B. **Georgetown University**, Philosophy (honors), *magna cum laude*

WORKING PAPERS

- 2016 ‘Do We Have Reasons to Obey the Law?’
‘Vagueness, Ignorance, and Incomparability’, with John Halstead

AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

- 2015– Harvard Graduate Fellowship
- 2015 Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Harvard University (fall semester)
- 2014–15 Harold Laski Fellowship, Harvard University
Awarded to one of the top two ranked applicants in political theory in a year

PRESENTATIONS

- 2016 ‘Do We Have Reasons to Obey the Law?’
Harvard Political Theory Workshop, 2 March
- 2011 ‘Climate Change and Future Generations’
Oxford Political Theory Workshop, 10 February
Discussant: Jeremy Waldron

COMMENTS & DISCUSSION

- 2015 Renee Bolinger, 'The Moral Grounds of Mistaken Self-Defense'
Harvard Graduate Political Theory Conference, 24 October
- Judith Lichtenberg, 'For Your Own Good: Informing, Nudging, Coercing'
Harvard Political Theory Colloquium, 24 September
- 2014 George Klosko, 'Political Obligation, Democratic Authority, and Respect for the Law'
Harvard Political Theory Colloquium, 16 October

TEACHING

Harvard

- 2017 Spring Teaching Fellow, 'Foundations of Political Theory' (Gov 10), for Eric Beerbohm
expected
- 2016 Fall Teaching Fellow, 'Ethics, Biotechnology, and the Future of Human Nature' (Gov
expected 1093 / SCRB 60), for Michael Sandel and Douglas Melton
- 2015 Fall Teaching Fellow, 'Money, Markets, and Morals' (ER 39), for Michael Sandel
Mean evaluation score: 4.6/5; awarded certificate of distinction in teaching

SERVICE & PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

- 2015 Category referee, JSTOR/SSRC Thesaurus, 'political philosophy' and 'political sociology'
- 2014– Referee, Harvard Political Theory Graduate Conference