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EDUCATION	Harvard University Ph.D., Government	Cambridge, MA September 2019–
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dissertation: “The Development and Decline of Classical Just War Theory”• Committee: Stephen Rosen (Chair), Charles Donahue (HLS), Harvey Mansfield	
	Harvard Law School J.D.	Cambridge, MA September 2024–
	Harvard College A.B. (<i>summa cum laude</i>), Government	Cambridge, MA 2019
AFFILIATIONS	Graduate Student Affiliate Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard University	October 2019–
	Graduate Student Affiliate Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University	August 2021–May 2022
	Affiliate Research Cluster on International Security, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University	July 2020–May 2021
	Undergraduate Research Assistant Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University	October 2018–May 2019
	Undergraduate Research Scholar Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard University	July 2018–October 2018
PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS	Kuhelj Bugaric, Max. “Radical Technological Innovation in Satellite Reconnaissance: From CORONA to CLASSIC WIZARD.” <i>International Journal of Intelligence and CounterIntelligence</i> 32, no. 3 (2019): 467–493.	
REVIEWS	Kuhelj Bugaric, Max. Review of <i>Annals of the War in the Low Countries</i> , by Hugo Grotius, translated, edited, and with introduction by Jan Waszink. Forthcoming in <i>Neo-Latin News</i> .	
AWARDS	Certificate of Distinction in Teaching	2021 (1×), 2022 (2×)
	<i>Award “based on an overall score of 4.50 or higher with a minimum of 5 evaluations on the Q section evaluations.”</i>	
	Distinction on General Examination <i>Passed Ph.D. general examination with rare “excellent minus” grade.</i>	2021
	James Gordon Bennett Prize <i>“A prize from a fund established by the late James Gordon Bennett is offered for the best essay in English prose on some subject of American governmental, domestic, or foreign policy of contemporaneous interest.”</i>	2019
Mather Scholar-Citizen Award <i>“The Mather Scholar-Citizen Award is given to that graduating senior who, in the opinion</i>	2019	

of the House staff, most fully combines exceptional academic performance with excellence of character and devotion to community."

Charles Joseph Bonaparte Scholarship 2018
Award made "at the end of the junior year to that member of the class concentrating in government who, without regard to financial need, has the highest academic distinction in that subject."

Phi Beta Kappa (Junior 24) 2018
Elected as one of twenty-four juniors (1.5% of class).

John Harvard Scholar 2017
Top 5% of class.

GRANTS

John and Elizabeth Armstrong Graduate Student Dissertation Fellowship 2023–2024
Harvard Griffin GSAS Professional Development Fund (\$2500) 2022
Institute for Quantitative Social Science Research Grant (\$2550) 2021
Weatherhead Center for International Affairs Pre-Dissertation Grant (\$3500) 2021
Institute for Quantitative Social Science Research Grant (\$720) 2020
American Political Science Association Travel Grant (\$225) 2019
Harvard College Research Program Travel Grant (\$1000) 2019
Department of Government Travel Grant (\$500) 2017

PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES

Conferences
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2018, 2019, 2022
International Studies Association Annual Convention: 2019
Harvard Government Department Annual Poster Session: 2019, 2021

Workshops
Harvard Research Workshop in International Relations: Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Spring 2021
Harvard Working Group in Political Psychology and Behavior: Fall 2019
Harvard Experiments Working Group: Fall 2019

Lectures
"Bilateral Justice, Self-Defense, and the Moral Equality of Combatants," Harvard University (GOV 1734), September 28, 2022.
"The Early History of Just War Thought," Harvard University (GOV 1734), September 19, 2022.

TEACHING

Teaching Fellow for MEDVLSTD 117 (English Legal History, 600–1600), Charles Donahue (Fall 2022); awarded Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
Teaching Fellow for GOV 1734 (Ethics and War), Stephen Rosen (Fall 2022); awarded Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
Teaching Fellow for MEDVLSTD 119 (Constitutional and Legal History of Medieval Continental Europe), Charles Donahue (Spring 2022)
Teaching Fellow for GOV 1730 (War and Politics), Stephen Rosen (Fall 2021); awarded Certificate of Distinction in Teaching

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Stephen Rosen Department of Government, Harvard University	February–June 2023
Research Assistant, Joshua Kertzer Department of Government, Harvard University	May 2018–January 2021
Research Assistant, Tyler Jost Department of Government, Harvard University	May 2017–February 2018
Research Assistant, Grzegorz Ekiert Department of Government, Harvard University	January 2017–January 2018

SERVICE

Panel Organization
 “Disaggregating the State: Leaders, Policy Elites, and Small Groups in IR,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2019.
 “Organizational and Institutional Bias in Foreign Policy Decision-Making,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2018.

Conference Organization
 Harvard Experimental Political Science Graduate Conference April 2020
 Department of Government, Harvard University
 Harvard Government Department Annual Poster Session April 2020
 Department of Government, Harvard University

Advising
 Non-Resident Tutor (Graduate School Advising) July 2019–June 2020
 Mather House, Harvard University
 Peer Concentration Counselor September 2017–May 2019
 Department of Government, Harvard University

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS American Society for Legal History

SKILLS

Languages: Slovenian (native), Latin (reading and speaking), Russian (reading and speaking), French (reading and speaking).
 In addition, conducted research using sources in Belarusian, Czech, Italian, Macedonian, Portuguese, Serbo-Croatian, Slovak, Spanish, and Ukrainian.
 Software: R, Stata, \LaTeX .

Last updated: April 8, 2024.