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Research Interests Substantive: international security, civil war, insurgency and counterinsurgency, policy dif-

fusion, civil-military relations, Russian and Eurasian politics

Methodological: applied statistics, formal theory, spatial/network analysis, text analysis

ACADEMIC

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

[starting August 2014]

EMPLOYMENT Department of Political Science Assistant Professor

EDUCATION

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA USA

Ph.D., Government, May 2014

Georgetown University, Washington, DC USA M.A., National Security Studies, August 2007

Brown University, Providence, RI USA A.B., International Relations, May 2003

Submitted

"Islamists and Nationalists: Rebel Motivation and Counterinsurgency in Russia's North Caucasus" [with Monica Duffy Toft], American Political Science Review (Revise & Resubmit).

"Filtering Revolution: International Reporting Bias and the Libyan Civil War" [with Matthew Baum], Journal of Peace Research (Revise & Resubmit).

JOURNAL ARTICLES

PEER-REVIEWED "Population Resettlement in War: Theory and Evidence from Soviet Archives," Journal of Conflict Resolution (forthcoming).

- Winner: 2013 Dina Zinnes Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, Intl. Studies Association.
- Winner: 2013 Best Doctoral Student Paper Award, Association for the Study of Nationalities.
- Winner: 2012 Stuart A. Bremer Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, Peace Science Society.

"Choosing Your Neighbors: Proximity and Diffusion in International Relations" [with Brandon M. Stewart, International Studies Quarterly 57, no. 2 (2013).

"An Epidemic Model of Violence and Public Support in Civil War," Conflict Management and Peace Science 30, no. 1 (2013).

"Denial and Punishment in the North Caucasus: Evaluating the Effectiveness of Coercive Counterinsurgency" [with Monica Duffy Toft], Journal of Peace Research 49, no. 6 (2012).

"Roads and the Diffusion of Insurgent Violence: The Logistics of Conflict in Russia's North Caucasus," Political Geography 31, no. 3 (2012).

"Use of Force and Civil-Military Relations in Russia: An Automated Content Analysis," [with Brandon M. Stewart], Small Wars and Insurgencies 20, no. 2 (June 2009).

"Examining the Authoritarian Model of Counterinsurgency: The Soviet Campaign Against the Ukrainian Insurgent Army," Small Wars and Insurgencies 18, no. 3 (September 2007).

- "Cold War at Sea: Introduction," [with Lyle J. Goldstein and John B. Hattendorf] Journal of Strategic Studies 28, no. 2 (April 2005).
- "A Tale of Two Fleets: a Russian Perspective on the 1973 Naval Standoff in the Mediterranean," [with Lyle J. Goldstein] Naval War College Review 58, no. 2 (Spring 2004).

DISSERTATION

A Theory of Indiscriminate Violence.

- Committee: Robert H. Bates (Chair), Timothy J. Colton, Dustin Tingley, Monica Duffy Toft.
- Winner: Edward M. Chase Prize for best dissertation in international relations

GENERAL AUDIENCE **Publications**

- "More Trouble in the Eastern Mediterranean: U.S. Intervention or Not, the Sea is Already Boiling," Foreign Affairs (web edition), 3 September 2013
- "Cyprus and Russia Did Not Just Break Up: Why Moscow is Playing the Long Game on the Island of Aphrodite," Foreign Affairs (web edition), 29 March 2013.
- "Trouble in the Eastern Mediterranean Sea: The Coming Dash for Gas," Foreign Affairs (web edition), 20 March 2013.
- "Addressing Pipeline Security Challenges in Russia," EurasiaNet.org, 2 December 2006.
- "Superpower Showdown in the Mediterranean 1973" [with Lyle J. Goldstein], Sea Power, October 2003.

EDITED Volumes

- PEER-REVIEWED "Counterinsurgency in a Non-Democratic State: The Russian Example," in Handbook of Insurgency and Counterinsurgency, eds. Paul B. Rich and Isabelle Duyvesteyn (Routledge, 2012).
 - "Special Issue: Cold War at Sea: An International Appraisal," [guest editor with Lyle J. Goldstein and John B. Hattendorf Journal of Strategic Studies 28, no. 2 (April 2005).
 - "The Evolution of the U.S. Navy's Maritime Strategy in the Context of Major Political and Military Events of the Cold War, 1964-1991," in The Evolution of the U.S. Navy's Maritime Strategy, 1977-1986, ed. John B. Hattendorf, 279-303. Newport Paper 19 (Newport, RI: NWC Press, 2004).

Translations

- Peer-Reviewed Alexander Fursenko, "Night Session of the Presidium of the Central Committee, 22-23 October 1962," Naval War College Review 59, no. 3 (Summer 2006).
 - Sergei Chernyavskii, "The Era of Gorshkov: Triumph and Contradictions," Journal of Strate*gic Studies* 28, no. 2 (April 2005).
 - Ryurik Ketov, "The Cuban Missile Crisis as Seen Through a Periscope," Journal of Strategic Studies 28, no. 2 (April 2005).
 - Vadim Kolnogorov, "To Be or Not To Be: the Development of Soviet Deck Aviation," Journal of Strategic Studies 28, no. 2 (April 2005).
 - Vladimir Kuzin and Sergei Chernyavskii, "Russian Reactions to Reagan's 'Maritime Strategy'," Journal of Strategic Studies 28, no. 2 (April 2005).
 - Natalia Yegorova, "Stalin's Conception of Maritime Power: Revelations from the Russian Archives," Journal of Strategic Studies 28, no. 2 (April 2005).

Working Papers

"Causes and Effects of Rape Culture" [with Matthew Baum and Dara Kay Cohen].

"Information and Escalation in Irregular War."

"Inviting Intervention: International Media Coverage of Indiscriminate Violence" [with Matthew Baum].

"Media Ownership and News Coverage of International Conflict" [with Matthew Baum].

"Strategic Interaction and the Local Diffusion of Armed Conflict."

"Taking Away the Guns: Forcible Disarmament and Rebellion"

"The Logistics of Indiscriminate Violence."

Professional Research Experience

U.S. Department of Defense,

2004 - 2008

National Defense University, Institute for National Strategic Studies *Program Manager* [contractor], Washington, DC

Science Applications International Corporation

2003 - 2004

Technical Research Advisor / Translator, Newport, RI

U.S. Department of Defense,

2002 - 2003

Naval War College, Center for Naval Warfare Studies Research Assistant, Newport, RI

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Applied Spatial Statistics in R (Instructor)

January 2010

Quantitative Methods Workshop, Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard.

 Applications of spatial data analysis for social science research, including basic visualization, spatial autocorrelation, spatial weights, point pattern analysis, geostatistics, and spatial regression.

Political Economy of Development (Teaching Fellow)

Fall 2010, 2011

GOV-1100/SA-52, Department of Government, Harvard University.

• Course head: Prof. Robert H. Bates

Introduction to Geographical Information Systems (GIS) (TF)

Fall 2010

GOV-1008, Department of Government, Harvard University.

• Course head: Dr. Sumeeta Srinivasan

Origins of Modern Wars (TF / Head TF)

Spring 2011, 2012, 2013

GOV-1732, Department of Government, Harvard University.

• Course head: Prof. Stephen Walt

Honors and Awards

- Edward M. Chase Prize for the best dissertation in Int'l Relations, 2014
- Dina Zinnes Award for Best Graduate Paper, Intl. Studies Association, 2013.
- Best Doctoral Paper, Association for the Study of Nationalities, 2013.
- Samuel Huntington Dissertation Completion Fellowship, 2013-2014.
- Graduate Research Grant, Institute for Quantitative Social Science, 2013.
- Stuart A. Bremer Award for best graduate paper, Peace Science Society, 2012
- Joseph E. and Octavia W. Goodbar Scholarship, Harvard University, 2012-2013
- Cabot Corporation Scholarship, Harvard University, 2012-2013
- Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Harvard University, Spring 2012
- Padma Desai Research Prize, Harvard University, 2012-2013
- Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Harvard University, Fall 2011
- Program on Global Society and Security Fellowship, Harvard University, 2011-2014
- Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Harvard University, Spring 2011
- Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Harvard University, Fall 2010
- National Security Studies Program Fellowship, Harvard University, 2010-2011

- Padma Desai Research Prize, Harvard University, 2010-2011
- Regional Policy Symposium Grant, IREX, 2010
- Merle Fainsod Prize, Harvard University, 2008-2009
- Certificate of Appreciation, National Defense University, April 2008
- Certificate of Honors (M.A.), Georgetown University, September 2007
- Merit-Based Scholarship, Georgetown University, Academic Year 2006-2007
- Edward S. Miller History Prize, Naval War College, June 2005
- 2004 Surface Navy Literary Award, Surface Navy Association, United States Naval Institute, January 2005
- Certificate of Special Congressional Recognition, Rep. James B. Langevin (D), Second District, Rhode Island, May 2004
- Executive Seal of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, Gov. Donald L. Carcieri (R), May 2004
- Academic Honors (A.B.), Brown University, May 2003

SELECTED Conference Presentations

- American Political Science Association, 2010, 2013.
- International Studies Association, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013.
- Association for the Study of Nationalities, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013.
- Peace Science Society International, 2012, 2013.
- European Peace Science Society, 2013.

University SERVICE

Co-Organizer, Harvard Workshop on Global Society and Security, 2012-2013 Co-Organizer, Harvard-MIT-Yale Conference on Political Violence, May 2010 Co-Organizer, Harvard Political Violence Workshop, 2009-2010

Peer Reviewer British Journal of Political Science, Conflict Management and Peace Science, European Journal of Political Science, International Studies Quarterly, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Peace Research, Political Geography, Security Studies, Small Wars and Insurgencies

Professional Associations

American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Peace Science Society International, Association for the Study of Nationalities

LANGUAGES

Russian (native), English (native), Ukrainian (basic)

Business

Bering Research

2004 -

ACTIVITIES

Federally registered (CCR) government contractor / small business Executive Director, Cambridge, MA

Programming, ETC.

R, Matlab, Mathematica, Stata, Python, Perl, ArcGIS, C2PC, LATEX