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EDUCATION

Harvard University
Ph.D., Government

Cambridge, MA
Expected 2017

Dissertation: *Vulnerable Democracy: Climate, Crisis, and Citizenship*.
Committee: Steven Levitsky (Chair), Peter Hall, Jennifer Hochschild

University of Washington
B.A. with distinction, Political Science, *magna cum laude*

Seattle, WA
2005

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Comparative politics, environmental politics, informal institutions and identity politics, social and economic change in the Arctic, qualitative methods

TEACHING AND ACADEMIC SERVICE

Harvard University

Cambridge, MA

Course designer and instructor, January graduate school intensive: "The New Politics of Environmental Crisis." January 2013 and January 2014.

Teaching fellow, Department of Government: Introduction to Comparative Politics. Professor Steven Levitsky, Fall 2008, Fall 2009, and Fall 2012.

Teaching fellow, Department of Government: Sophomore Tutorial in Democracy. Professors Nancy Rosenblum and Timothy Colton, Spring 2009 and Spring 2010.

Teaching fellow, Department of Government: Russian Politics in Transition. Professor Timothy Colton, Fall 2008.

Teaching fellow, Department of Environmental Politics and Public Policy: Environmental Crisis and Population Flight. Professor Jennifer Leaning, Fall 2007.

Thesis advisor, Department of Government: undergraduate thesis research. Spring 2006-Spring 2014.

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS

Assimilation without Representation. Winter 2014. *Harvard International Review*, 35(3).

Power and Empowerment in Imperfect Democracies. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2013.

Difference, Disturbance, and Democracy: The Art and Science of Inventing Vulnerable Subjects. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2012.

Polarized: Catastrophic Climate Change and Organized Resistance in Three Arctic Villages. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 2008.

Losing Ground: Climate Change and Social Mobilization in Four Alaskan Communities. Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, April 2008. (Presenter and panel chair, "Climate and Community.")

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND TRAINING

Harvard University Center for the Environment Cambridge, MA
Research Fellowship 2012-2014
Doctoral fellow and member, Graduate Consortium on Energy and the Environment

National Science Foundation Cambridge, MA
Dissertation Research Improvement Grant 2010-2011
Support for dissertation research

National Science Foundation Fairbanks, AK
Integrative Graduate and Education Research Traineeship Program 2010-2011
Visiting Fellow, University of Alaska
Dissertation research support in the University of Alaska's Resilience and Adaptation Program

Dissertation Development Fellowship, Social Science Research Council New York City, NY
Fellow, Human Dimensions of Global Environmental Change research field Summer 2008

Davis Center Abby and George O'Neill Grant, Harvard University Cambridge, MA
Summer funding to undertake pre-dissertation research in Siberia Summer 2008

Center for American Political Studies Research Grant, Harvard University Cambridge, MA
Seed grant to undertake pre-dissertation summer research in rural Alaska Winter 2007

Daniel Lev Award, University of Washington Seattle, WA
Best honors thesis in political science June, 2006

Robert Dahl Award, University of Washington Seattle, WA
Outstanding graduate in political science June, 2006

Bonderman Travel Fellowship, UW Honors College Seattle, WA
Twelve months fully-funded solo travel in Asia, Europe, and Latin America 2005-2006

Phi Beta Kappa, University of Washington 2005

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE

Harvard University Cambridge, MA
Student coordinator, Workshop on Qualitative Methods in Political Science 2008-2010

Canadian Institute for Advanced Research
"Successful Societies" Conference Reporter

Toronto, Ontario
October, 2009

Harvard University/MIT
Founding member, interdisciplinary research workshop on Environmental Politics

Cambridge, MA
2007-2010

Political Research Quarterly
Reviewer, Environmental Politics and Comparative Politics

Pullman, WA
2009-present

Pacific Northwest Political Science Association
Section Head, Gender and Politics

Portland, OR
2007-2008

LANGUAGE AND COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages: proficient in Spanish, basic studies in Russian and German.

Statistical Analysis and Computer Packages: R/S-Plus, HTML, LaTeX, Stata, SPSS, Mathematica

Qualitative Analysis: AtlasTi, some experience with Geographic Information Systems. Graduate of the Consortium on Qualitative Research Methods' summer Institute for Qualitative Methods and Mixed Method Research in Syracuse, NY.

Other: Strong presentation and oral communication skills, extensive background in political and community organizing and program development.

REFERENCES

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