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Appointments

- 2024- **Boston University, Department of Political Science**
Assistant Professor
- 2022-2024 **American Economic Liberties Project**
Research Manager and Editor
- 2022-2023 **Brown University, Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs**
Visiting Scholar
- 2020-2022 **Brown University, Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs**
Postdoctoral Research Associate
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Education

- 2020 **Brown University**
Ph.D., Political Science
Comprehensive Exams: Comparative Politics (distinction) and International Relations
Committee: Mark Blyth (chair), Richard Locke, Nitsan Chorev (sociology)
- 2016 **Brown University**
M.A., Political Science
- 2011 **University of California at Berkeley**
B.A., Political Science (Highest Honors)
Distinction in General Scholarship
Intensive Russian Language Program at International University in Moscow (Fall 2009)
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Academic Affiliations

- 2021-2022 **Johns Hopkins School for Advanced International Studies**, Washington, DC
Visiting Scholar
- May 2019 **Max Planck Institute for European Legal History**, Frankfurt, Germany
Dialogue Scholarship
- Fall 2018 **Sciences Po Centre d'études européenne et de politique comparée**, Paris, France
Visiting Researcher
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Peer-Reviewed Publications

- 2023 "Monopoly Politics: Price Competition, Learning, and the Evolution of Policy Regimes," *World Politics* 75(3), 566-607.

- 2021 “Cartels, competition, and coalitions: the domestic drivers of international orders.” *Review of International Political Economy* 28:6, 1652-1676, DOI: 10.1080/09692290.2020.1788971.
- 2018 “Periodizing, Paths, and Probabilities: Why Critical Junctures and Path Dependence Produce Causal Confusion.” *Review of International Political Economy* 25(1): 122-143, DOI: 10.1080/09692290.2017.1387586.
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Edited Volumes

- 2022 “Antitrust, Free Trade, and Fissuring” in *The Cambridge Handbook of Labor in Competition Law*, edited by Sanjukta Paul, Shae McCrystal, and Ewan McGaughey.
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Other Writing

- 2024 “Reshoring and Restoring: CHIPS Implementation for a Competitive Semiconductor Industry” (with Todd Achilles and Daniel Rangel), American Economic Liberties Project.
- 2023 “A policy win for Biden that would help us all breathe easier” (with Morgan Harper), The Hill.
- 2023 “Guidelines to Match the Moment,” Promarket.
- 2023 “Intellectual Property and the Fissured Economy,” *American Affairs* 7(2): 13-22.
- 2023 “Break the Monopolies!,” Persuasion.
- 2023 “Saving the News from Big Tech: The Journalism Competition and Preservation Act,” American Economic Liberties Project.
- 2022 “The Roll-Up Economy: The Business of Consolidating Industries with Serial Acquisitions,” (with Denise Hearn, Krista Brown, and Taylor Sekhon), American Economic Liberties Project.
- 2022 “‘Digital Trade’ Doublespeak: Big Tech’s Hijack of Trade Lingo to Attack Anti-Monopoly and Competition Policies,” (with Daniel Rangel, Taylor Buck, and Lori Wallach), Rethink Trade.
- 2022 “Canada’s Online News Act is Good for Journalism,” National Post.
- 2022 “The Needless Desertion of Robinson-Patman” (with Katherine Van Dyck), Promarket.
- 2022 “The Economics of Reaction,” LPE Blog.
- 2022 “Mergers and Smoking Guns,” Promarket.
- 2022 “Inflation, Corporate Power, and the Forgotten New Deal,” Promarket.
- 2020 “Coordination Rights Beyond Nation States,” LPE Blog.
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Work in Progress

Book Project: *Monopoly Politics: Price Competition, Learning, and the Evolution of Policy Regimes* (in press with Oxford University Press)

“Adam Smith Meets George Orwell: Markets, Antitrust, and the Politics of Language” (working paper)

“Weil meets Pistor: Intellectual Property and the Fissuring of Political Economy” (with Herman Mark Schwartz)

“International Banking Crises and Authoritarian Sovereign Default: A Democratic Advantage?” (working paper)

Awards and Fellowships

2021-2023 Economic Security Project, Anti-Monopoly Fund Grant (\$30,000)

2018-2020 Department of Political Science Dissertation Fellowship, Brown University

2014-2016 & Brown University Presidential Fellowship
2017-2018

Academic Research Presentations

2024 “International Banking Crises and Authoritarian Sovereign Default: A Democratic Advantage?,” APSA Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

2024 “Adam Smith Meets George Orwell: Markets, Antitrust, and the Politics of Language,” APSA Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

2022 “Monopoly Politics: Price Competition, Learning, and the Evolution of Policy Regimes,” “After Ideas” Conference, Brown University.

2022 “Monopoly Politics: Price Competition, Learning, and the Evolution of Policy Regimes,” East Coast American Political Economy Workshop, Washington, DC.

2021 “Adam Smith Meets George Orwell: Markets, Antitrust, and the Politics of Language,” APSA, Virtual due to COVID-19.

2021 “Adam Smith Meets George Orwell: Markets, Antitrust, and the Politics of Language,” SASE, Virtual due to COVID-19.

2021 “Monopoly Politics: Price Competition, Learning, and the Evolution of Policy Regimes” and “Statism and National Champions: Political Economy and Institutional Change in Post-War France,” Council for European Studies, Virtual due to COVID-19.

2021 “Monopoly Politics: Price Competition, Learning, and the Evolution of Policy Regimes” and “Financial Crises, Diversionary Conflict, and Authoritarian Regimes: A 200-year Assessment,” MPSA, Virtual due to COVID-19.

2020 “Politics and Poison Pills: Rethinking Conceptualization and Research Design for Endogenous Institutional Change,” APSA, Virtual due to COVID-19.

- 2020 “Monopoly Politics: Price Competition and Learning in the Evolution of Policy Regimes” and “Rethinking Statism: The Politics of Competition and Investment in Post-War France,” SASE, Virtual due to COVID-19.
- 2019 “Liberalization, Protectionism, and Pervasive Market Regulation: Cartels, Trade, and Competition in Practice,” SASE, New York, NY.
- 2019 “Cartels, Trade, and National Champions: Policy Regimes of Competition and Market Power in Post-war France,” Council for European Studies, Madrid, Spain.
- 2019 “Self-Undermining Policy Regimes: Competition and Market Power in the U.S. and France,” MPSA, Chicago, IL.
- 2018 “Ententes and National Champions: Post-War French Competition Policy in Comparative Perspective,” EHESS Political Economy Workshop, Paris, France.
- 2018 “From Restricted Markets to Trust-Busting: Revising the American Industrial Regime 1930-1955,” Balsillie School Global Political Economy Dissertation Workshop, Waterloo, Canada.
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Teaching

- Boston University**
- Spring 2026 Monopoly! (planned)
- Fall 2025 Introduction to Comparative Politics (planned)
- International Political Economy (planned)
- Spring 2025 Introduction to Comparative Politics (planned)
- Comparative Political Economy (planned)
- Fall 2024 International Political Economy
- Brown University**
- Fall 2020 Introduction to Quantitative Research Methods (Political Science, Graduate)
- January 2017 Math Prefresher for Political Science (Political Science, Graduate)
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Training and Skills

Methods Training	2016 attendee of Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR)
	2017 attendee of Institute for Qualitative and Mixed-Methods Research (IQMR)
Languages	French (fluent), German (basic)
Software	Stata, R, L ^A T _E X

Academic Service and Support

	Reviewer for <i>Review of International Political Economy</i> , the <i>Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties</i> , <i>International Relations</i> , <i>Regulation & Governance</i> , and <i>Journal of Law and Political Economy</i> .
2021	Co-organizer, “Disorganized Labor Meets the Franchise Economy” Virtual Workshop at Rhodes Center for International Finance, Brown University
2019-2020	Editor, Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) Newsletter
2014 - 2015	Coordinator for Brown Graduate Comparative Politics Research Workshop

References

References available upon request

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