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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2018 – **Assistant Professor**, Department of Political Science
Associate of The John G. Tower Center for Political Studies
Southern Methodist University
- 2016 – 18 **Postdoctoral Research Associate**, The Political Theory Project
Brown University

EDUCATION

- 2016 **Ph.D.**, Government (political theory), Georgetown University, began 2011.
Dissertation: “Industry and Inclusion: Economic and Political Membership in French Liberal Thought,” *Defended with distinction*
Committee: Richard Boyd (chair), R. Bruce Douglass, Shannon Stimson, Cheryl Welch (Harvard)
- 2013 **M.A.**, Government, Georgetown University.
- 2010 **M.A.**, Liberal Arts, St. John’s College, Annapolis.
- 2008 **B.A.**, Political Science, *summa cum laude*, Saint Vincent College.

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Forthcoming “Usurpation and ‘The Social’ in Benjamin Constant’s *Commentaire*,” accepted at *Modern Intellectual History*.
- 2017 “‘The Idea of Rights’: Tocqueville on the Social Question,” *The Review of Politics* 79.4: 649-74.
- 2016 “Liberty and Industry: John Locke, John Stuart Mill, and the Economic Foundations of Political Membership,” *Polity* 48.4: 551-79.

IN PROGRESS

Book MS: *Capacity for Democracy: French Liberalism and the Language of Citizenship*
“Political Capacity – A Liberal Language for Citizenship?”
“Tocqueville and the Freedom of the Working Classes”

TEACHING

Southern Methodist University

Introduction to Political Theory, Fall 2018

Foundations of Political Thought (Ancient to Renaissance), Fall 2018

Brown University

POLS1820S: Two Liberal Traditions: British and French, Fall 2017

POLS823E: Global Justice, Fall 2016

Georgetown University, *Teaching Assistant*

PHIL-099: Political & Social Thought, Fall 2013-Spring 2016 (six semesters)

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- 2018 “‘Strangers to Public Life’: Tocqueville and the Freedom of the Working Classes,” American Political Science Association.
Discussant & Chair, “Tocqueville on the Philosophic Challenges of Democratic Politics,” New England Political Science Association, April.
“Political Capacity: A Liberal Language for Citizenship,” Midwest Political Science Association, April.
 Discussant, “On Equality,” MPSA.
“Political Capacity: A Liberal Language for Citizenship,” PPE Society, March.
- 2017 “Constant’s *Commentaire* and French Liberalism’s ‘Social’ Beginnings,” PPE Society, March.
“The Liberal Language of Political Capacity,” Brown University Political Philosophy Workshop, March.
“Economic Participation and Social Interest: Guizot on Evolving Political Capacity,” American Historical Association, January.
- 2016 “Wealth, Lights, Independence: François Guizot and the Capacity for Citizenship,” Association for Political Theory, October.
“Tocqueville, Pauperism, and the Problem of Political Membership,” American Political Science Association, September.
- 2015 “Tocqueville, Pauperism, and the Problem of Political Membership,” Association for Political Theory, October.
- 2014 “Industry and Freedom: Economic Participation and Political Citizenship in Liberal Thought,” Northeastern Political Science Association, November 14.
- 2013 “Thucydides and the Question of the Best Regime,” Northeastern Political Science Association, November.
 “Freedom, Friendship, and Natural Education in Rousseau’s *Emile*,” Southern Political Science Association, January.

INVITED LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

- 2018 “Enlightened Democracy: Édouard Laboulaye and Liberalism after 1848,” Georgetown Political Theory Workshop, May 3.
- 2017 Invited Discussant for Hank Clark, Book MS: *Honor Management: The Passions, The Interests, and the Making of the Modern World*, Arlington, VA, August 17.
“Enlightened Democracy: Liberalism and Citizenship after 1848,” Brown University Research Colloquium, May 5.
- 2014 “Mastery, Freedom, Friendship: Tutor and Pupil in Rousseau’s *Emile*,” St. John’s College Summer Lecture Series, July 16.

AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

- 2013 – 16 Political & Social Thought Fellowship, Georgetown School of Foreign Service.
- 2015 Georgetown Government Department Summer Research Award.
Nominee, Georgetown Teaching Assistant Award.
- 2014 Jack Miller Center Summer Institute.
- 2013 Prestage-Cook Award to present at Southern Political Science Association.
- 2009 Nominee, St. John’s College Graduate Paper Prize for “A Pious Labor: War and Virtue in Virgil’s *Aeneid*.”
St. John’s College Graduate Institute Fellowship.

POPULAR WRITING

“How Religion Supports Freedom: A Review of Benjamin Constant’s *On Religion*,” *Law and Liberty*, August 2018.

“French Liberals and the Capacity for Citizenship,” *J. History of Ideas Blog*, March 2017.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Faculty Advisor and Reviewer, Brown Undergraduate Journal of PPE, 2017-18.

Discussion Leader, Brown Undergraduate PPE Roundtable, Fall 2016.

Graduate Student Coordinator, Georgetown Political Theory Workshop, 2014-15.

“Navigating the Discipline, the Program, and the Profession,” presentation for incoming PhD students in Georgetown Government, 2015.

REFERENCES

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