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Education

Ph.D., Texas A&M University, Political Science, May 2015

Fields: International Relations and Methodology

Dissertation: *Domestic Consequences of Economic Sanctions*

Committee: Quan Li (Chair), B. Dan Wood, Sara McLaughlin Mitchell, Nehemia Geva, Erica Owen, and Ren Mu

B.S., Missouri State University, Political Science, May 2009

Minors: International Relations and Arabic

Research and Teaching Interests

Research Methods, Foreign Policy, Political Economy

Academic Appointments

Assistant Professor, University of Kansas, July 2015 – Present

Research

Publications

Webb, Clayton, Suzanna Linn, and Matt Lebo. 2019. "A Bounds Approach to Inference Using the Long Run Multiplier." *Political Analysis*. 27(3): 281-301.

Avdan, Nazli, and Clayton Webb. 2019. "Not in My Back Yard: Public Perceptions and Terrorism," *Political Research Quarterly*. 72(1): 90-103.

Avdan, Nazli, and Clayton Webb. 2018. "The Big, The Bad, and the Dangerous: Public Perceptions and Terrorism," *Dynamics of Asymmetric Conflict*. 11(1): 3-25.

Webb, Clayton. 2018. "Power Politics or Public Pandering? Rethinking the Domestic Economic and Political Consequences of Economic Sanctions," *International Interactions*. 44(3): 491-509.

Keele, Luke, Suzanna Linn, and Clayton Webb. 2016. "Treating Time with All Due Seriousness." *Political Analysis*. 24(1): 31- 41.

Keele, Luke, Suzanna Linn, and Clayton Webb. 2016. "Concluding Comments." *Political Analysis*. 24(1): 31- 41.

Jordan, Soren, Clayton Webb, and B. Dan Wood. 2014. "The President, Polarization, and the Party Platforms, 1944-2012." *The Forum*. 12(1): 168-189.

Work Under Review

Accepted Work

"Time Series Analysis," with Suzanna Linn. 2019. *The SAGE Handbook of Research Methods in Political Science and International Relations*, First Edition. Edited by Luigi Curini and Robert Franzese. Los Angeles: Sage Reference.

"Beyond Stationarity: Time Series Modeling without Unit Root Testing," with Matt Lebo and Suzanna Linn. *Accepted, American Journal of Political Science*, pending replication materials.

Revise and Resubmit

"Economic Sanctions in Flux: Enduring Challenges, New Policies, and Defining the Future Research Agenda." with Early, Bryan, Cilizoglu, Menevis, Morgan, T., T., Mitchell, Ragauskas, Rimvydas,, Bapat, Navin, Grauvogel, Julia, Kleinberg, Katja, Allen, Susan, Lektzian, David, Su, Yi-hao, Jadoon, Amira, Peksen, Dursun, Whang, Taehee. *Revise and Resubmit*.

Under Review

"Modeling Cross Sectional Dynamic Heterogeneity in International Political Economy Data," with Joe Weinberg. *Under Review*.

"Over My Dead Body: Public Perceptions and Terrorism," with Nazli Avdan *Under Review*.

"Economic Crises and Socio-Political Instability: An Analysis of Security Contingences of Economic Recession in Russia," with Mariya Omelicheva. *Under Review*.

"Re-examining the Costs of Sanctions and Sanction Threats Using Stock Market Data." *Under Review*.

Work in Progress

"Lags in Structural Equations versus Lags in Error Processes: A Clarification of Common Factors," with Scott Cook.

"Interested? The Effects of International Conflict on Equity Markets," with Henry Walter.

"The Effects of Dog Whistle Politics on Domestic Violence," with Olga Chyzh and Mark Nieman.

“I’m Not Saying they Should Have Done It but I Understand: Public Perceptions of Political Violence,” with Amilee Turner.

“A Cumulative Sum Deviation Test for Dynamic Misspecification in TSCS Regression Models,” with Garrett Vande Kamp.

“Who Constitutes an Elite in Foreign Policy?” with Danielle Lupton.

“Tired of Playing the HITs? Cognitive Overburdening in Amazon Mechanical Turk Experiments,” with Danielle Lupton.

“The Harder the Target the Bigger the Bang: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan.

“Exploring the Effects of Lagged Limited Dependent Variables in Regression Models,” with Mark Nieman.

“More Muddled: Tax Policy Transparency and Tax Policy Preferences,” with Kevin Stump.

“Processed Goods: How Commodity Markets Respond to Political Uncertainty”

“Public Attention to Economic Pressure: The Domestic Political Dynamics of Economic Sanctions,” with Michael Kearney.

“The Role of Choices in Foreign Policy Preference Formation,” with Nehemia Geva

Grant Activities

ISA Workshop Grant: Embattled Inference: Confronting New Conflicts in the Design and Use of Experiments in International Studies, with Danielle Lupton (Colgate University). Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, HI.

Applied: Summer 2019, Awarded

ISA Workshop Grant: Micro-Level Dynamics of Economic Conflict: Understanding the Role of Economic Actors, with Elena McClean (University of Buffalo, SUNY). Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, HI.

Applied: Summer 2019, Not Awarded

USDA Agriculture and Food Research Initiative Competitive Grant, Foundational and Applied Science Program, with Arbindra Rimal (Missouri State University) and Samantha Mosier (Eastern Carolina University).

Applied: Fall 2018, Not Awarded

USDA Capacity Building Grant for Non-Land Grant Colleges of Agriculture, with Arbindra Rimal (Missouri State University) and Samantha Mosier (Missouri State University).

Applied: Fall 2017, Not Awarded

Applied: Spring 2018, Not Awarded

Big 12 Faculty Fellowship Program Grant, with Olga Chyzh (Iowa State University) and Mark Nieman (Iowa State University).

Applied: Summer 2017

Awarded: Spring 2018

US Department of Defense Minerva Research Initiative Grant with Mariya, Omelicheva (University of Kansas).

Applied: Spring 2017

Not Awarded

University of Kansas New Faculty Research Grant.

Applied: Spring 2017

Awarded: Spring 2017

Conference Papers

“Who Constitutes an Elite in Foreign Policy?” with Danielle Lupton, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washing D.C, August 2019.

“A Cumulative Sum Deviation Test for Dynamic Misspecification in TSCS Regression Models,” with Garrett Vande Kamp, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Cambridge, MA, July 2019.

“Tired of Playing the HITs? Cognitive Overburdening in Amazon Mechanical Turk Experiments,” with Danielle Lupton, , presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Cambridge, MA, July 2019.

“Over My Dead Body: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan, presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Toronto, OT, March 2019.

“The Effects of Dog Whistle Politics on Domestic Violence,” with Olga Chyzh and Mark Nieman, presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Toronto, OT, March 2019.

“Over My Dead Body: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan, presented at the ISA Midwest annual meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2018.

“The Effects of Dog Whistle Politics on Domestic Violence,” with Olga Chyzh and Mark Nieman, presented at the ISA Midwest annual meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2018.

“I’m Not Saying they Should Have Done It but I Understand: Public Perceptions of Political Violence,” with Amilee Turner, presented at the ISA Midwest annual meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2018.

“Accounting for Temporal Dependence in Regressions with Limited Dependent Variables,” with Mark Nieman, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Provo, UT, July 2018.

“More Muddled: Tax Policy Preferences and Tax Policy Transparency,” with Kevin Stump, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2018.

“Economic Crises and Socio-Political Instability: An Analysis of Security Contingences of Economic Recession in Russia,” with Mariya Omelicheva, presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, April 2018.

“Over My Dead Body: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan, presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, April 2018.

“Processed Goods: How Commodity Markets Respond to Political Uncertainty,” presented at Agriculture Policy Research Group Conference, New Orleans, LA, October 2017.

“Beyond the Unit Root Question: Drawing Inferences about Long-Run Relationships Given Uncertain Univariate Dynamics,” with Matt Lebo and Suzanna Linn, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, September 2017.

“#Politics: Using Twitter to Study Political Science,” with Michael Kearney, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, September 2017.

"About Time: Cross-Sectional Dynamic Heterogeneity," with Joe Weinberg, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Madison, WI, July 2017.

“Exploring the Effects of Lagged Limited Dependent Variables in Regression Models,” with Mark Nieman, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Madison, WI, July 2017.

“Out of Bounds? Testing for Long Run Relationships under Uncertainty Over Univariate Dynamics,” with Matt Lebo and Suzanna Linn, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Madison, WI, July 2017.

“Dynamic Specification Issues for Pooled Time Series Data; A General to Specific Modeling Approach,” with Sara Mitchell, presented at Modeling Politics and Policy in Time and Space, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, April 2017.

“Public Attention to Economic Pressure: The Domestic Political Dynamics of Economic Sanctions,” with Michael Kearney, presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, March 2017.

“The Big, The Bad, and the Dangerous: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan, presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, March 2017.

“Public Attention to Economic Pressure: The Domestic Political Dynamics of Economic Sanctions,” with Michael Kearney, presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, March 2017.

“Public Attention to Economic Pressure: The Domestic Political Dynamics of Economic Sanctions,” with Michael Kearney, presented at the ISA Midwest annual meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2016.

“It is About Time: Cross-Sectional Dynamic Heterogeneity,” with Joe Weinberg, presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, September 2016.

“The Role of Choices in Foreign Policy Preference Formation,” with Nehemia Geva, presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Atlanta, GA, March 2016.

“Not in My Back Yard: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan, presented online for the Peace Science Society Online Colloquium, February 2016.

“Not in My Back Yard: Public Perceptions and Terrorism,” with Nazli Avdan, presented at the ISA Midwest annual meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2015.

“The Role of Choices in Foreign Policy Preference Formation,” with Nehemia Geva, presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, September 2015.

“Issue Salience, Economic Costs, and the Domestic Political Consequences of Economic Sanctions: An Experimental Study,” presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2015.

“Issue Salience, Economic Costs, and the Domestic Political Consequences of Economic Sanctions: An Experimental Study,” presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, February 2015.

The Flawed Assumption of Budgetary Dynamics, or ‘What to do (and not do) with Beck and Katz’ with Joe Weinberg, presented at the Southern Political Science Association annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, January 2015.

“Economic Pressure and Economic Uncertainty: The Costs of Economic Sanctions for Domestic Firms,” presented at the Peace Science Society annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA, October 2014.

“A Tale of Two Bread Lines: Rethinking the Links between Food and Protest,” with Piotr Urbanski, presented at the American Political Science Association annual meeting, Washington D.C., August 2014.

“When Winning Means Losing: Economic Managers and Economic Perceptions,” with Soren Jordan, presented at the Western Political Science Association annual meeting, Seattle, WA, April 2014.

“Shorting Sanctions: Economic Pressure and Financial Markets,” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2014.

“Economic Sanctions are Bad News: The Domestic Political Consequences of Economic Sanctions,” presented at the ISA Midwest annual meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2013.

“Polarization and Party Platforms 1944 – 2012,” with Soren Jordan and B. Dan Wood, presented at the Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2013.

“Elections and Speculation in Cocoa Futures Markets,” presented at the Texas Triangle annual conference, College Station, TX, February 2013.

“Explaining Presidential Saber Rattling,” with B. Dan Wood, presented at the Southern Political Science Association annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, January 2011.

“Presidential Saber Rattling, Cooperation, and Conflict with Other Nations,” with B. Dan Wood, presented at the Western Political Science Association annual meeting, San Francisco, CA, April 2010.

Other Conference Activities

“Economic Sanctions.” Workshop at the Annual Meeting of the Peace Science Society, Austin TX, October, 2018.

“Text as Data.” Workshop at the Annual Meeting of the Peace Science Society, Tempe, AZ, October, 2017.

Service

Professional Service

International Interactions

Editorial Board: 2019

International Studies Association

Foreign Policy Analysis Section

Officer at Large: 2019

George Best Graduate Student Paper Award, Chair: 2019

Scientific Study of International Processes Section, Secretary: 2019

J David Singer Book Award Committee, ISA Midwest: 2019

Society for Political Methodology

Society for Political Methodology Software Award Committee: 2019

Reviewer

American Journal of Political Science: 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015

American Political Science Review: 2019

Journal of Politics: 2019, 2016

Political Analysis: 2019

Political Research Quarterly: 2018

Foreign Policy Analysis: 2019, 2019

International Interactions: 2019, 2018

British Journal of Political Science: 2017, 2015

Sage Monographs: 2019, 2018

Oxford University Press: 2017

Oxford Bibliographies: 2019

Journal of Peace Research: 2019

Canadian Journal of Political Science: 2019

College Services

College of Liberal Arts

CLAS Quant Paths: Non-Stem Subcommittee: 2019

John Ise Award Committee: 2016

Outside Grader (Philosophy): 2016

Political Science

Graduate Committee: 2018-2019

Advisory Committee: 2017-2018

Undergraduate Committee: 2016

IR Exam Grading Committee: FA 2015, SP 2016, FA 2016 (Chair), SP 2017, FA 2017 (Chair), SP 2018, FA 2018, SP 2019 (Chair)

Teaching

Courses Taught at the University of Kansas

International Political Economy, Summer 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Summer 2017, Fall 2017, Summer 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019

Research Methods II, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2019

Comparative Political Economy, Fall 2016

International Cooperation, Fall 2015

Research Methods I, Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018

Political Science Methods of Inquiry, Spring 2016

Experiments, Spring 2018

Time Series Analysis, Spring 2019

Independent Study at the University of Kansas

James Windholz, Spring 2018
Henry Walter, Fall 2018
Lainey Shrag, Spring 2019
Chris Fry, Spring 2019

Independent Workshops

Time Series Analysis, *ICPSR Summer Program*, with Sarah Mitchell
2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

Time Series Analysis, *Florida State University*
2018.

Courses Taught at the Bush School of Government and Public Service
Global Political Economy, Fall 2015

Courses Taught at the Texas A&M Political Science Department
Introduction to Research Methods, Fall 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2014
International Political Economy, Spring 2014, Fall 2013.

TA Courses at the ICPSR Summer Program

Time Series Analysis, with Suzanna Linn and Sara Mitchell, 2014, 2013.
Advanced Time Series Analysis, with Mark Pickup and Patrick Brandt, 2014, 2013.

Graduate Student Advisees

John Livingstone (2016), Steven Mutz (Current), Sara Goodge (Current), Chris Higginbotham (2017), Mike Kearney (2017), Taylor Tidwell (Current), Amilee Turner (Chair, Current)

Undergraduate Student Advisees

Laura Billsborrow (2016), Lauren Adamson (2017), Kevin Stump (2018), Henry Walter (2108), Constanza Castro (2019)

Professional Memberships

The Society for Political Methodology, International Studies Association, Peace Science Society, American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association

References

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