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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Government, Cornell University, 1983

M.A. in Government, Cornell University, 1979

A.B. in Political Science, University of California at Berkeley, with High Honors and Distinction in General Scholarship, 1976

General Course, London School of Economics and Political Science, 1973–74

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Peter Mair Chair in Comparative Politics, European University Institute, 2019–24

Research Professor 2022–25, University of California at Los Angeles. Professor Emerita, 2019. Professor 1994–2019. Associate Professor 1993–94. Assistant Professor 1989–93

Assistant Professor of Government, Wesleyan University, 1984–89

Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of New Mexico, 1983–84

Lecturer in Government, Cornell University, 1982. Teaching Assistant 1977–79.

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Vice Chair for Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, University of California at Los Angeles, 2009–10 and 2012–14

Founding Director, Center for Comparative and Global Research, International Studies and Overseas Programs, University of California at Los Angeles, 2000–04

RESIDENTIAL FELLOWSHIPS AND VISITING POSITIONS

Visiting Scholar, Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies (FSI), Center on Democracy, Development and the Rule of Law (CDDRL), Stanford University, January–February 2024 and 2024–26

Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University, 2018–19

Politics Group Visitor, Michaelmas Term 2017 and summer 2019, Nuffield College, University of Oxford

Jemolo Fellow, Nuffield College, University of Oxford, July–September 2016

Fellow, John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, 2014–15

Visiting Scholar, New York University, spring 2015

Visiting Scholar, Columbia University, 2014–15

Visiting Senior Research Scholar, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, Princeton University, 2011–12

Visiting Scholar, Russell Sage Foundation, New York, N.Y., 2000–01

International Reciprocal Faculty Exchange Program, University of California and the University of Bologna, Italy, September 1998

Visiting Scholar, University of Uppsala, Sweden, September 1993

Visiting Scholar, Stanford University, 1992–93

Visiting Scholar, University of California at Los Angeles, winter-spring 1988 and winter-spring 1989

Visiting Fellow, Yale University, 1986–87

Commuting Fellow, Center for European Studies, Harvard University, 1984–85

Research Fellow, Fondazione Luigi Einaudi, Turin, Italy, 1979–81

AFFILIATIONS

Associate Member, Nuffield College, University of Oxford, March 2024–2027; 2017–2022, April 2016–April 2017, and summer 2014

[BITSS Catalyst](#), 2021–

Special invitee, [J-PAL Governance Initiative](#), 2017–

Special invitee, [Agricultural Technology Adoption Initiative](#), 2021–

Research Fellow in Political Economy, [Center for Economic Research in Pakistan \(CERP\)](#), 2017–

Member, [Evidence in Governance and Politics \(EGAP\)](#), 2014–

Faculty Affiliate, [Center for Effective Global Action \(CEGA\)](#), University of California at Berkeley,

2013–

Network member, Centre on Equality, Social Organization, and Performance (ESOP), University of Oslo, 2007–12

Faculty Affiliate, Luskin School of Public Policy Global Public Affairs, University of California at Los Angeles, 2013–19

Faculty Affiliate, Institute of the Environment and Sustainability, University of California at Los Angeles, 2010–19

Research Associate, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies (USMEX), University of California at San Diego, 2009–19

Member, Corruption Research Group, University of Surrey, U.K., 2011–19

Research Associate, Institute of Industrial Relations, University of California at Los Angeles, 1990–98

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Edited Volumes

7. *The Puzzle of Clientelism: Political Discretion and Elections around the World*. Cambridge Elements in Political Economy. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2023, 75pp. With Eugenia Nazrulaeva.
6. *Corruption: What Everyone Needs to Know*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2017, 316 pp. With Ray Fisman. [Japanese translation Keio University Press 2019; Finnish translation KustannusosakeyhtiöVastapaino 2019.]
5. Co-editor (with David Austen-Smith, Jeffry Frieden, Karl Ove Moene, and Adam Przeworski), *Selected Works of Michael Wallerstein: The Political Economy of Inequality, Unions, and Social Democracy*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2008, 466 pp.
4. *Heroic Defeats: The Politics of Job Loss*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1997, 195 pp. [Italian translation, *Eroiche sconfitte. Sindacato e politiche di riduzione del personale*. Bologna: Il Mulino, 2001, 296 pp.]

Runner-up, American Political Science Association's Organized Section in Comparative Politics 1997 Gregory A. Leubbert Award for the best book in comparative politics

3. Co-editor (with Jonas Pontusson), *Bargaining for Change: Union Politics in North America and Europe*. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1992, 333 pp.
2. *A Rational Choice Analysis of Union Militancy with Application to the Cases of British Coal and Fiat*. Ithaca, N.Y.: Center for International Studies, Cornell University, 1990, 57 pp.
1. *Labor Divided: Austerity and Working Class Politics in Contemporary Italy*. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1988, 266 pp.

1989–90 Choice Award for Outstanding Academic Books

Revised version of a dissertation receiving the American Political Science Association's 1983 Gabriel A. Almond Award for the best doctoral dissertation completed and accepted during 1981 or 1982 in comparative politics

Articles in Refereed Journals

25. "Political Responsiveness, Information Provision, and Capacity Gaps." With Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet. *Comparative Political Studies*, 2025. Replication data: <https://dataverse.harvard.edu/citation?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/9PWQZT>.

24. "The Global Legislators Database: The Personal Backgrounds of National Legislators in the World's Democracies." *British Journal of Political Science*, 55 (2025), e27. With Nick Carnes, Joshua Ferrer, Esme Lillywhite, Noam Lupu, and Eugenia Nazrullaeva. Replication data: <https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/KGYJFJ>.

 Reports the "Global Legislators Database (GLD)." Assembled with Nick Carnes, Noam Lupu, and Eugenia Nazrullaeva. Posted October 2024. Available via Dataverse. 966 downloads as of November 17, 2025.
 Featured in *The Economist*, November 14, 2024 and in *The House*, August 14, 2025.
 Winner of the American Political Science Association's Organized Section in Comparative Politics 2025 Lijphart/Przeworski/Verba Best Dataset Award

23. "What Do Social Scientists Expect of Randomized Controlled Trials? An Experiment in Forecasting." *Journal of Experimental Political Science*, 11 (2024), pp. 343–59. With Mats Ahrenshop, Saad Gulzar, and Luke Sonnet. Replication data: <https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/W2ITZG>.

22. "Corruption, Party Leaders, and Candidate Selection: Evidence from Italy," *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 45 (May 2020), pp. 291–325. With Raffaele Asquer and Brian Hamel. Replication data: <https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/OSIQ8I>.

 Winner of the Jewell-Loewenberg Award for the best article in the area of comparative politics published in *Legislative Studies Quarterly* in 2020.

21. "Electoral Fraud or Violence: The Effect of Observers on Party Manipulation Strategies," *British Journal of Political Science*, 49 (Jan. 2019), pp. 129–51. With Joseph Asunka, Sarah Brierley, Eric Kramon, and George Ofori. Replication data: <https://dataverse.harvard.edu/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.7910/DVN/MUYFH1>.

20. "Incumbency Effects under Proportional Representation: Leaders and Backbenchers in the Post-war Italian Chamber of Deputies," *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 40 (Nov. 2015), pp. 509–38. With Lucio Picci. Lead article.

19. "Electoral Cycles in Electricity Losses in India," *Energy Policy*, 65 (Feb. 2014), pp. 619–25. With Brian Min.

18. "Distributive Politics Around the World," *Annual Review of Political Science*, 16 (2013), pp. 73–99. With Brian Min.
17. "Legislative Malfeasance and Political Accountability," *World Politics*, 62 (April 2010), pp. 177–220. With Eric C.C. Chang and Seth Hill. Lead article.

Reprinted in *Political Corruption*, ed. Bo Rothstein. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 2015.
16. "Sources of Corruption in Authoritarian Regimes," *Social Science Quarterly*, 91 (March 2010), pp. 1–21. With Eric C.C. Chang. Lead article.
15. "Pork Barrel Politics in Postwar Italy, 1953–1994," *American Journal of Political Science*, 52 (April 2008), pp. 268–89. With Lucio Picci.
14. "Electoral Systems, District Magnitude and Corruption," *British Journal of Political Science*, 37 (Jan. 2007), pp. 111–37. With Eric C.C. Chang.

Winner of the American Political Science Association's Organized Section in Representation and Electoral Systems 2008 Lawrence Longley Award for the best article published in 2007

Reprinted in *Electoral Systems and Government Performance*, ed. David M. Farrell and Matthew Shugart, vol. 5 of *Electoral Systems*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, Sage Library of Political Science, 2012.
13. "Centralization of Bargaining and Wage Inequality: A Correction of Wallerstein," *American Journal of Political Science*, 50 (Jan. 2006), pp. 208–13. With John B. Londregan.
12. "Proposal for a New Measure of Corruption, Illustrated with Italian Data," *Economics & Politics*, 17 (March 2005), pp. 37–75. With Lucio Picci.

Reprinted in *Cures?*, vol. 4 of *Public Sector Corruption*, ed. Michael Johnston. 4 vols.; New Delhi: Sage Publications, 2010, pp. 133–68.
11. "International Economic Sources of Regime Change: How European Economic Integration Undermined Italy's Postwar Party System," *Comparative Political Studies*, 37 (Dec. 2004), pp. 1238–74. Replication data: <http://www.golden.polisci.ucla.edu>.
10. "Electoral Connections: The Effects of the Personal Vote on Political Patronage, Bureaucracy and Legislation in Postwar Italy," *British Journal of Political Science*, 33 (April 2003), pp. 189–212.
9. "Competitive Corruption: Factional Conflict and Political Malfeasance in Postwar Italian Christian Democracy," *World Politics*, 53 (July 2001), pp. 588–622. With Eric C.C. Chang.

Reprinted in *Cases*, vol. 2 of *Public Sector Corruption*, ed. Michael Johnston. 4 vols.; New Delhi: Sage Publications, 2010, pp. 59–92.
8. "The Fragmentation of the Bargaining Society: Wage Setting in the Nordic Countries, 1950 to 1992," *Comparative Political Studies*, 30 (Dec. 1997), pp. 699–731. With Michael Wallerstein.

7. "Unions, Employer Associations, and Wage-Setting Institutions in Northern and Central Europe, 1950–1992," *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, 50 (April 1997), pp. 379–401. With Michael Wallerstein and Peter Lange. Lead article.
6. "The Dynamics of Trade Unionism and National Economic Performance," *American Political Science Review*, 87 (June 1993), pp. 439–54.
5. "The Politics of Job Loss," *American Journal of Political Science*, 36 (May 1992), pp. 408–30.
 Revised version entitled "Why Do Trade Unions Call Strikes That Seem Sure to Fail?" published in *Political Science as Puzzle Solving*, ed. Bernard Grofman. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2001, pp. 43–63.
4. "Political Attitudes of Italian Workers: Twenty Years of Survey Evidence," *European Journal of Political Research*, 18 (April 1990), pp. 305–23.
3. "Historical Memory and Ideological Orientations in the Italian Workers' Movement," *Politics & Society*, 16 (March 1988), pp. 1–34. Lead article.
2. "The City as Factory: Workers' Control in Turin," *Socialist Review*, 17 (Sept.–Oct. 1987), pp. 43–58.
1. "Interest Representation, Party Systems, and the State: Italy in Comparative Perspective," *Comparative Politics*, 18 (April 1986), pp. 279–301.
 Reprinted in *Italy*, ed. Mark Donovan. *The International Library of Politics and Comparative Government*, ed. David Arter. 2 vols.; Aldershot, Hampshire: Ashgate, 1998, vol. 1, pp. 107–30.

Book Chapters and Invited Publications

19. "Dialogues Across Time: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives on Democratization," *Political Science Quarterly*, vol. 140 (Fall 2025), pp. 589–606.
18. "Accidental Cumulation in Studies of Clientelism, Vote-Buying, and Governance," in *Oxford University Press Handbook on Engaged Methodological Pluralism*, ed. Janet M. Box-Steffensmeier, Dino P. Christenson, and Valeria Sinclair-Chapman. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2023.
17. "Corruption and the New Institutional Economics," in *A Research Agenda for New Institutional Economics*, ed. Claude Ménard and Mary M. Shirley. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2018, pp. 171–77.
16. "How to Fight Corruption," *Science*, 356 (May 26, 2017), pp. 5–6. With Raymond Fisman.
15. "Institutional Components of Corruption," in *Routledge Handbook of Comparative Political Institutions*, ed. Jennifer Gandhi and Rubén Ruiz-Rufino. London: Routledge, 2015, pp. 404–20. With Paasha Mahdavi.
14. "Corruption in the Wealthy World," *Brown Journal of World Affairs*, vol. 18 (spring/summer 2012), pp. 75–84.

13. "Domestic and International Causes for the Rise of Pay Inequality Between 1980 and 2000." In *Comparing European Workers: Experiences and Inequalities*, ed. David Brady. Vol. 22, part 1 of *Research in Sociology of Work*, 2011, pp. 209–49. With Michael Wallerstein.
12. "Puzzles of Political Corruption in Modern Advanced Democracies" ("Gendai sensin minshushugi shokokuni okeru seiji huhai no nazo"), in *Democracy and Accountability: Globalized Political Responsibility (Demokurasi to Akauntabiriti: Grobaru-ka suru seiji-sekinin)*, ed. Hideko Magara. Tokyo: Fukosha, 2010, pp. 184–99.
11. "Corruption and the Management of Public Works in Italy" in *International Handbook on the Economics of Corruption*, ed. Susan Rose-Ackerman. Cheltenham, England: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2006, pp. 457–83. With Lucio Picci.
10. "Postwar Wage Setting in the Nordic Countries," in *Unions, Employers, and Central Banks: Macroeconomic Coordination and Institutional Change in Social Market Economies*, ed. Torben Iversen, Jonas Pontusson, and David Soskice. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2000, pp. 107–37. With Michael Wallerstein.
9. "Case Studies of Contemporary Job Loss," in *Critical Comparisons in Politics and Culture*, ed. John Bowen and Roger Petersen. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1999, pp. 110–35.
8. "Postwar Trade-Union Organization and Industrial Relations in Twelve Countries," in *Continuity and Change in Contemporary Capitalism*, ed. Herbert Kitschelt, Peter Lange, Gary Marks, and John D. Stephens. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1999, pp. 194–230. With Michael Wallerstein and Peter Lange. [Chinese translation, Taipei: Weber Publications, 2006.]

Reprinted in *Industrial Relations: Critical Perspectives on Business and Management*, ed. John E. Kelly. 5 vols.; London: Routledge, 2001, vol. 2, pp. 217–53.
7. "The End of Corporatism? Wage Setting in the Nordic and Germanic Countries," in *The Workers of Nations: Industrial Relations in a Global Economy*, ed. Sanford M. Jacoby. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1995, pp. 76–100. With Peter Lange and Michael Wallerstein.
6. "Conclusion: Current Trends in Trade Union Politics," in *Bargaining for Change: Union Politics in North America and Europe*, ed. Miriam Golden and Jonas Pontusson. Ithaca, N.Y.: Cornell University Press, 1992, pp. 307–33.
5. "Le sconfitte eroiche della classe operaia," *Politica ed Economia*, 19 (Jan. 1989), pp. 33–44.
4. "Intervento," in *Le culture del lavoro. L'esperienza di Torino nel quadro europeo*, ed. Bruno Bottiglieri and Paolo Ceri. Bologna: Il Mulino, 1987, pp. 140–46.
3. "Conflitto industriale, rappresentanza politica e sinistra," in *Il conflitto industriale in Italia. Stato della ricerca e ipotesi sulle tendenze*, ed. Gian Primo Cella and Marino Regini. Bologna: Il Mulino, 1985, pp. 117–40.
2. "Neo-corporativismo ed esclusione della forza lavoro dalla rappresentanza politica," in *Il sistema politico italiano*, ed. Gianfranco Pasquino. Bari: Laterza, 1985, pp. 208–31.

1. “L’austerità e i rapporti base-vertice nel caso dei metalmeccanici,” *Laboratorio Politico*, 2 (Sept.–Dec. 1982), pp. 59–77.

Reprinted in *Il futuro del sindacato*, ed. Gianni Ferrante. Rome: Ediesse, 1986, pp. 199–217.

Interviews, Policy Briefs, Book Reviews, and Blogs

25. Interview, [Scientia Futura](#), July 7, 2021.
24. Interview, “[Corruption in Plain Sight](#).” Power Corrupts, Brian Klaas podcast, March 12, 2020.
23. Book review, “[Criminal Politicians. A Review of Milan Vaishnav’s *When Crime Pays: Money and Muscle in Indian Politics*](#).” India Ink, posted July 17, 2018.
22. Interview, “[Political Corruptions and Consequences](#).” Scholars’ Circle Interviews, July 23, 2017.
21. Blog post, “[Business as Usual in Washington?](#)” Oxford University Press, June 3, 2017. With Ray Fisman.
20. Interview, “[The Resilience of Corruption](#).” Episode 21 of Disrupting the Global Order with Janice Stein, April 10, 2017.
19. Article, “[Will the Anti-Trump Protests Expand? That’s More Likely Than Ever Before](#).” *The Monkey Cage*, Feb. 6, 2017. With Ray Fisman
18. Article, “[Just How Badly Can the Trump Administration Corrupt the United States?](#)” *Slate*, Nov. 29, 2016. With Ray Fisman.
17. Article, “[Donald Trump’s Dangerous Approach to Taxes](#).” *Slate*, Oct. 4, 2016. With Ray Fisman.
16. Post, “[Electoral Competition Intensifies Energy Theft](#).” International Growth Centre, Feb. 20, 2012.
15. Article, “[A Global View of Political Corruption](#).” *Institut d’Economia de Barcelona (IEB) Report*, 1/2015, pp. 7–9.
14. Policy brief, “[Election Observers and Fraud in Ghana](#).” Brief 11, EGAP: Experiments in Governance and Politics.
13. Policy brief, “[Impact of Polling Station Observers on Election Fraud in Ghana](#).” Center for Effective Global Action (CEGA), 2014.
12. Interview, “[An Emerging Superpower Goes Dark](#).” Background Briefing, hosted by Ian Masters, KPFFK-LA, Aug. 1, 2012.
11. Book review, Daron Acemoglu and James A. Robinson, *Economic Origins of Dictatorship and Democracy*. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2006), *Perspectives on Politics*, 7 (March 2009), pp. 195–97.

10. Solicited contribution, "The List," *European Politics and Society*. Newsletter of the European Politics & Society Section of the American Political Science Association, Fall 2007–Winter 2008, pp. 3–5.
9. Obituary, "In Memoriam: Michael Wallerstein." *PS* (July 2006), pp. 554–56. With David Austen-Smith, Karl Ove Moene, and Adam Przeworski. Reprinted in *The Political Economist*, 13 (spring-summer 2006), p. 4.
8. Obituary, "Michael Wallerstein, 1951–2006." *APSA-CP*, 17 (Winter 2006), pp. 22–23. With Kathleen Thelen and Peter Swenson.
7. Article, "Single Country Studies: What Can We Learn?." *Italian Politics and Society*, no. 60 (spring 2005), pp. 5–8.
6. Review, "Good Reads." *APSA-CP*, 9 (Summer 1998).
5. Article, "Comments on Replicability and the Study of Comparative Politics." *APSA-CP*, 6 (Summer 1995).
4. Article, "Replication and Non-Quantitative Research." *PS*, 28, no. 3 (Sept. 1995).
3. Article, "New Data on Wage-Setting Institutions in Advanced Industrial Societies." *APSA-CP*, 4 (Summer 1993). With Michael Wallerstein.
2. Book reviews, *The Conference Group on Italian Politics and Society Newsletter*, no. 11 (1982); no. 13 (1983); no. 20 (1987); and no. 45 (1997).
1. Article, "Selling Out Labor." *Socialist Review*, 17 (March–April 1987).

WORK IN PROGRESS

- "The Model Challenges: Gathering, Aggregating, and Evaluating Covid Mortality Models." With Tara Slough, Haoyu Zhai, Alexandra Scacco, Macartan Humphreys, Eva Vivalt, Alberto Diaz-Cayeros, Kim Yi Dionne, Sampada KC, Eugenia Nazrullaeva, and others. Article under review.
- "Strong Support, Weak Policies: Views on Corruption of Citizens and Legislators in Three Countries." Presented at Humboldt University of Berlin, May 31, 2022; the 12th annual meetings of the European Political Science Association, Prague, June 23–25, 2022; the 2023 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Los Angeles, Aug. 31–Sept. 3; at the Poverty, Governance, and Development Lab at the Center for Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, Feb. 5, 2024; and at the University of Hamburg, June 18, 2025. With Raymond Fisman and Matteo Ferroni. NBER Working Paper, August 2024. Article under review.
- "Effects of the Introduction of Merit Civil Service Appointments on Reelection Rates in the U.S." Presented at a Political Economy Workshop, Norwegian Business School, May 22–24, 2022; at the 2022 Applied Economics Workshop, Petralia Sottana, Italy, July 20–27; at the 13th annual meetings of the European Political Science Association, Glasgow, June 22–24, 2023; at the University of Barcelona; at IE Business School; and at the Center for Democracy, Development, and the Rule of

Law, Stanford University, Feb. 1, 2024. With Eugenia Nazrullaeva and Dylan Potts. Article under review.

“Preferences for Redistribution of Legislators: Survey Evidence from Three Countries.” Presented at a Workshop on Representation, Democracy, and the Economic Backgrounds of Politicians, Vanderbilt University, August 8, 2025. With Matteo Ferroni. Article under review.

“Biometric Identification Machine Failure and Electoral Fraud in a Competitive Democracy.” Presented at the 2014 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Aug. 28–31; Yale University, Oct. 14, 2014; EGAP 13, University of California at Los Angeles, Feb. 20–21, 2015; University of Chicago, Feb. 25, 2015; Columbia University, April 15, 2015; the University of Michigan, April 24, 2015; 2015 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Sept. 3–6; Center for Effective Global Action (CEGA) Research Retreat (R²), Oct. 2, 2015; University of California at Berkeley, Oct. 22, 2015; University of Southern California, April 27, 2016; Inaugural Conference of the Nottingham Centre for Economic and Political Research (NICEP), University of Nottingham, June 20–21, 2016; 6th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Brussels, June 23–25, 2016; Dartmouth College, Nov. 17, 2016; University of Houston Conference on the Political Economy of Elections, 10–11 Feb. 2017; 2017 annual meetings of the Western Political Science Association, Vancouver, April 13–15; Interdisciplinary Experimental Working Group, European University Institute, June 24, 2020. With George Ofosu and Luke Sonnet. Article under revision.

Bad Government and the Paradox of Democracy. Preliminary version presented at the Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, Berlin, Feb. 27, 2020. Book manuscript in preparation, provisionally retitled *Capacity Gap: Electoral Failure in Weak States*.

MAJOR DATASETS ASSEMBLED

“Reelection in 110 Democracies and Electoral Autocracies Around the World (ReDrEAW).” With Eugenia Nazrullaeva. Available via Dataverse.

“Dataset on Individuals Serving in State Legislatures in the United States, 1900–2016.” With Eugenia Nazrullaeva. Available via Dataverse. 181 downloads as of February 4, 2025.

“Global Legislator Database.” With Nick Carnes, Noam Lupu, and Eugenia Nazrullaeva. Available via Dataverse. 966 downloads as of November 17, 2025.

“Ghana 2012: The Impact of Domestic Election Observation on Electoral Violence, Integrity, and Voting Behavior.” With Joseph Asunka, Sarah Brierley, Eric Kramon, and George Ofosu. Available via Dataverse. 156 downloads as of December 18, 2024.

“Data on the Electoral Performance and Criminal Status of Candidates Contesting the 2004 and 2009 Parliamentary Elections to the Lok Sabha (India).” With Devesh Tiwari. Deposited with ICPSR and available via Dataverse. 287 downloads as of December 18, 2024.

“Datasets on Italian Parliamentary Malfeasance, Preference Votes, Government Portfolios, and Members of the Chamber of Deputies, Legislatures I–XI (1948–1992).” Deposited with ICPSR and available via Dataverse. 555 downloads as of December 18, 2024.

“Union Centralization Among Advanced Industrial Societies,” 1991–97. With Michael Wallerstein and Peter Lange. Deposited with ICPSR and available via Dataverse. 3,090 downloads as of December 18, 2024.

PROGRAMMING AND STATISTICAL SKILLS

TEX, Beamer (advanced); Unix system administration, Git, Stata, RMarkdown (proficient); ArcGIS, R (basic)

GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC, AND PRIVATE SECTOR CONSULTING AND ENGAGEMENT

Participant, panel on empirical approaches to untangling complex challenges in public sector management, Institutions Forum, World Bank, Washington, D.C., January 14, 2025

Testimony, Evidence to Advance Reform in the Global Security and Justice Sectors, workshop sponsored by an ad hoc committee of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, March 24, 2022

Presentation, Nemtsov Policy Lab for Russia, January 14, 2022

Presentation, “Establishing Linkages between Politicians and Voters in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa,” Conference on Governance and Service Delivery in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: An event for disseminating policy-relevant research, sponsored by Direct Focus Community Aid (DFCA) and the Provincial Assembly of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar, July 29, 2019

Speaker, Meeting on International Experience in Fight [sic] Corruption, Comisión Especial Seguimiento y Compras, Congress of Mexico, Mexico City, July 31, 2018

Presentation, “The Trump Administration: Myths and Realities,” Young Parliamentarians Forum, Pakistan Institute for Parliamentary Services, Islamabad, June 20, 2017

Participant, Expert Group Meeting of Education for Justice Initiative (university level), United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Vienna, March 8–9, 2017

Consultant, National Intelligence Council, United States, 2016

External expert, Sheikh Khalifa Government Excellence Program, Prime Minister’s Office at the Ministry of Cabinet Affairs & The Future, United Arab Emirates, 2016

RESEARCH GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

CIVICA Faculty Short Visit grant for the London School of Economics and Political Science, March 3–8, 2024.

Policy outreach grant, J-PAL Governance Initiative, “Conference on Governance and Service Delivery in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan,” 2019. With Saad Gulzar and Yasir Khan.

- Research grants, J-PAL Governance Initiative, “Establishing Responsive Linkages between Politicians and Voters,” 2017–18 and 2018–19. With Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet.
- Junior Faculty Research Grant, Center on Global Poverty and Development, Stanford University, 2018–19. Co-PI with Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet.
- Small Projects Grant, International Growth Centre, London School of Economics and Political Science and University of Oxford, “Establishing Responsive Linkages between Politicians and Voters in Pakistan,” 2017. With Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet.
- Research grant, Empirical Studies of Conflict Project, Princeton University, “Establishing Responsive Linkages between Politicians and Voters in Pakistan,” 2017. With Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet.
- Domestic Conference Travel Award, American Institute of Pakistan Studies, 2017.
- Sloan Grant for Data Publication, Center for Effective Global Action and Berkeley Initiative for Transparency in the Social Sciences, University of California at Berkeley, 2015–16.
- Research contract, Department for International Development (DfID), Ghana Office, Government of the United Kingdom, “The Impact of Domestic Election Observers on Electoral Violence, Integrity, and Voting Behavior,” Dec. 2012–June 2013.
- National Science Foundation Grant for Rapid Response Research (RAPID) SES–1265247, “The Impact of Domestic Election Observers on Electoral Violence, Integrity, and Voting Behavior,” 2012–13.
- Research grant, International Growth Centre, London School of Economics and Political Science and University of Oxford, “Local Level Estimates of Corruption and Theft in the Energy Sector in Uttar Pradesh, India,” 2010–11. With Brian Min.
- Research grant, Québec Studies Program, Government of Québec, “Contested and Uncontested Local Elections in Quebec,” 2010 and 2008.
- Faculty Research Grant, Canadian Studies Program, Government of Canada, “Climate Change and Social Distress among Canadian Inuit,” 2008–09. For research joint with Brian Min.
- Research grant, UC Institute for Labor and Employment, “Dataset on Unions, Employers, Industrial Relations and Collective Bargaining in 16 OECD Countries, 1950–2000,” 2007–08.
- German Marshall Fund of the United States Research Fellowship, “Systemic Corruption, Political Predation and Economic Growth in Postwar Italy,” 2003–04. With Douglas A. Hibbs, Jr.
- National Science Foundation SES–0074860, “POWRE: Political Corruption in Postwar Italy,” 2000–02; supplemental funding granted to January 2003.
- Targeted Research Grant, UC Institute for Labor and Employment, “Dataset on Unions, Employers, Industrial Relations and Collective Bargaining in 16 OECD Countries, 1950–2000,” 2001–02.
- Russell Sage Foundation Fellowship for Visiting Scholars, “Political Corruption in Postwar Italy,” 2000–01.
- Research grant, Bicentennial Swedish-American Exchange Fund, 1996–97 (declined).
- National Science Foundation SES–9309391, “Union Centralization Among Advanced Industrial So-

- cieties: An Empirical Study,” 1993–96. With Michael Wallerstein.
- National Science Foundation Career Advancement Award, SES–9108513, “Preparatory Work for a Comparative Study of Allocation in Labor Markets,” 1991–93.
- National Science Foundation SES–9108485, “Union Centralization Among Advanced Industrial Societies: An Empirical Study,” 1991–93. With Michael Wallerstein.
- Research grant, American Political Science Association, 1987–88.
- Workshop grant, Council for European Studies, 1987. With Peter Lange and Jonas Pontusson.
- German Marshall Fund of the United States Research Fellowship, “Innovation in Labor Movements,” 1986–87.
- National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship for College Teachers, “Innovation in Labor Movements,” 1986–87.
- Grant-in-aid of research, Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, 1983–84.
- Danforth Foundation Graduate Fellowship, 1979–82.
- Social Science Research Council and the American Council of Learned Societies International Doctoral Research Fellowship, 1979–81.
- Fulbright-Hays Fellowship for Graduate Study Abroad, 1979–81.
- Research grants, Fondazione Luigi Einaudi, Turin, Italy, 1977 and 1983–84.

PAPERS PRESENTED

- “Economic Backgrounds and Preferences for Redistribution of Legislators in Three Countries,” presented at a workshop on Representation, Democracy, and the Economic Backgrounds of Politicians, Vanderbilt University, August 8, 2025. With Matteo Ferroni.
- “Characteristics of National Legislators in Electoral Democracies Around the World,” presented at the 2025 meetings of the European Political Science Association, 26–28 June, Madrid.
- “Legislator Motivations and Rent-Seeking Behavior. Data from Three Countries,” presented at the Copenhagen Money in Politics Conference, Copenhagen Business School, June 15–16, 2023. With Raymond Fisman and Matteo Ferroni.
- “The Global Legislators Database: The Personal Backgrounds of National Legislators in the World’s Democracies,” presented at the 2022 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Montreal, September 15–18. With Nick Carnes, Joshua Ferrer, Esme Lillywhite, Noam Lupu, and Eugenia Nazrullaeva.
- “Reelection Rates, Legislator Education, and Levels of Economic Development in Democracies Around the World,” Collegio Carlo Alberto, Turin, October 28, 2021. Revised version presented as “Are More Educated Legislators More Likely to Be Reelected? New Data from Democracies Around the World,” University of Konstanz, April 25, 2022.
- “Accidental Cumulation in Studies of Clientelism, Vote-Buying, and Governance,” paper presented at

- the 2021 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Sept. 30–Oct. 3, Seattle.
- “‘Press 1 for Roads’: Bridging Communication Gaps in Political Representation.” Presented at New York University, Sept. 12, 2018; 12th Annual New York University-CESS Experimental Political Science Conference, Feb. 8–9, 2019; Pacific Conference for Development Economics, University of Southern California, March 16, 2019; 9th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Belfast, June 20–22, 2019; EGAP 27, University of Geneva, Oct. 11–12, 2019. With Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet.
- “Reelection, Political Selection, and Development,” University of Indiana, April 30, 2018; conference on the Political Economy of Corruption and Accountability, Instituto Carlos III–Juan March de Ciencias Sociales, Madrid, June 18–19, 2018; 8th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Vienna, June 21–23, 2018; 2018 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Aug. 30–Sept.; European University Institute, Florence, Oct. 4, 2018; Institute for Advanced Study, Toulouse, Nov. 30, 2018; the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University, Jan. 14, 2019; and the Center for Development, Democracy and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, March 7, 2019. With Eugenia Nazrullaeva and Stephane Wolton.
- “Establishing Responsive Linkages between Politicians and Voters in Pakistan: Pilot Study Report,” EGAP 19, Paris, 3–4 March, 2017; University of Wisconsin, April 27, 2017; Center for Economic Research in Pakistan, Lahore, June 13, 2017; Lahore School of Economics, June 14, 2017; 2017 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Aug. 31–Sept. 3; London School of Economics and Political Science, Oct. 16, 2017; University of Oxford, Oct. 24, 2017; Bocconi University, Oct. 31, 2017; Stanford University, Nov. 27, 2017; Emory University, Feb. 28, 2018; ETH Zurich and University of Zurich, March 25, 2018; Abbasi Program conference, Quality of Governance: Comparative Perspectives from Muslim Societies and the Global South, Stanford University, April 12–13, 2018; Indiana University, May 1, 2018. With Saad Gulzar and Luke Sonnet. Available at https://www.theigc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/Golden-et-al-2017-Final-report_v2.pdf.
- “Protecting the Polls: The Effect of Observers on Election Fraud,” 17th Annual Conference of the International Society for New Institutional Economics, Florence, Italy, June 20–22, 2013; 2013 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Aug. 29–Sept. 1; Working Group in African Political Economy, University of California at Berkeley, Dec. 19, 2013; University of California at Los Angeles, Feb. 4, 2014; Pacific Conference of Development Economics, Los Angeles, March 15, 2014; conference on Voting Experiments, University of Montreal, March 28–19, 2014; New York University, April 1, 2014; 4th Annual Meetings of the European Political Science Association, June 19–21, 2014, Edinburgh; and Yale University, Oct. 14, 2014. With Joseph Asunka, Sarah Brierley, Eric Kramon, and George Ofosu.
- “Criminality in the Indian National Legislature,” 2010 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Sept. 2–5; Stanford University, Oct. 18, 2010; Southern California Comparative Political Institutions Conference, University of California at Riverside, Feb. 18, 2011; the World Bank, New Delhi, March 18, 2011; Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies, March 30, 2011; Georgetown University, May 2, 2011; the 15th Annual Conference of the International Society for New Institutional Economics, Stanford University, June 16–18,

- 2011; Yale University, Sept. 20, 2011; Brown-Harvard-MIT seminar on South Asian Politics, Oct. 14, 2011; Rutgers University, Oct. 24, 2011; Brown University, Nov. 2, 2011; Columbia University, Nov. 9, 2011; the Center for India and South Asia of the University of California at Los Angeles, Jan. 25, 2016. With Toke Aidt and Devesh Tiwari.
- “Electoral Cycles in Electricity Losses in Uttar Pradesh,” 2013 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Aug. 29–Sept. 1. With Brian Min.
- “Electoral Violence and Fraud in the 2012 Ghanaian Elections: Polling Station Results,” workshop on Electoral Integrity, Violence and Vote-Buying, sponsored by the Program on Poverty and Governance, Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, April 12–13, 2013. With Joseph Asunka, Sarah Brierley, Eric Kramon, and George Ofori.
- “Electricity Loss in an Indian State,” 2011 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, Sept. 1–4; 2nd IGC-ISI India Development Policy Conference, Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), Delhi Centre, Dec. 19–20, 2011; Princeton University, March 1, 2012; 2012 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 12–15; Yale University, April 16, 2012; Annual Bank Conference on Development Economics (ABCDE), World Bank Headquarters, Washington, D.C., May 7–8, 2012; and a conference on Public Goods Provision and Governance, Stanford University, May 18–19, 2012. Available as Working Paper 12/0060, Feb. 2012, International Growth Centre (http://www.theigc.org/sites/default/files/golden_and_min_paper.pdf). With Brian Min.
- “Redistribution and Reelection under Proportional Representation: The Postwar Italian Chamber of Deputies,” presented at a workshop on Distributive Politics, University of California at San Diego, April 18–19, 2008, at the 2008 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Aug. 28–31, the 18th Workshop in Political Economy, Silvaplana, July 25–29, 2009, and at a meeting on Electoral Fraud, Vote Buying, and Clientelism, Juan March Institute, Madrid, June 29–July 1, 2011. With Lucio Picci.
- “Criminality and Malfeasance among National Legislators in Contemporary India,” 2009 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, Sept. 3–6; University of Virginia, Oct. 2, 2009; Loyola Marymount University, Nov. 3, 2009; and the University of California at Los Angeles, March 5, 2010. With Devesh Tiwari.
- “Uncontested Local Elections and Political Capture in Quebec and Nunavik,” biennial conference of the Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, Nov. 18–22, 2009, San Diego. With Yuki Yanai.
- “Legislative Malfeasance and Political Accountability,” 2004 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Sept. 2–5; revised versions presented at a meeting on political accountability, Waseda University, Oct. 29–30, 2004; University of Trento, Nov. 22, 2005; Stanford University, Jan. 8, 2007; 2007 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Aug. 30–Sept. 2; Washington University in St. Louis, Oct. 3, 2007; Nuffield College, University of Oxford, Nov. 6, 2007; Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Santiago, Aug. 7, 2008; and Carleton University, Ottawa, March 24, 2009. With Eric C.C. Chang and Seth Hill.
- “Domestic and International Causes for the Rise of Pay Inequality: Post-Industrialism, Globalization, and Labor Market Institutions,” Working Group on Wealth and Power in the Post-Industrial Age,

- Yale University, Feb. 24, 2006; revised version presented at the MacArthur Foundation Research Network on Inequality and Economic Performance, MIT, Oct. 6–8, 2006. With Michael Wallerstein.
- “Sources of Corruption in Authoritarian Regimes,” 2006 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, Aug. 31–Sept. 1. With Eric C.C. Chang.
- “Some Puzzles of Political Corruption in Modern Advanced Democracies,” 2005 annual meetings of the Japanese Political Science Association, Tokyo, Oct. 1–2; also presented at a meeting on political accountability, Waseda University, Sept. 30, 2005.
- “Pork Barrel Politics in Postwar Italy, 1953–1994,” 2005 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Sept. 1–4; revised versions presented at a meeting on Poverty, Democracy and Clientelism: The Political Economy of Vote Buying, Rockefeller Foundation’s Study and Conference Center, Bellagio, Italy, Nov. 28–Dec. 2, 2005; Center for European and Eurasian Studies, UCLA, April 27, 2006; International Working Group on Distributive Politics, Stanford University, Sept. 23, 2006; Columbia University, Oct. 10, 2006; McGill University, Oct. 11, 2006; Stanford University, Nov. 6, 2006; Princeton University, March 8, 2007; First World Meeting of the Public Choice Society, Amsterdam, March 29–April 1, 2007; conference on Institutions, Public Policy and Economic Outcomes, Jesus College, University of Cambridge, Aug. 6–8, 2007. With Lucio Picci.
- “Electoral Systems, District Magnitude and Corruption,” 2003 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, Aug. 28–31; revised version presented at a meeting on political accountability, Waseda University, Tokyo, March 6–8, 2004. With Eric C.C. Chang.
- “Proposal for a New Measure of Corruption, and Tests using Italian Data,” 2002 Annual Meeting of the European Public Choice Society, Belgirate, Italy, April 4–7. (University of Bologna Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche Working Paper no. 426.) With Lucio Picci.
- “Does Globalization Reduce Corruption? Some Political Consequences of Economic Integration,” conference on Globalization and Egalitarian Redistribution, Santa Fe Institute, May 17–19, 2002; also presented at the University of California at Los Angeles, Feb. 6, 2002; New York University, Feb. 19, 2002; 2002 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston Aug. 30–Sept. 1; Stanford University, Oct. 28, 2002; Juan March Institute, Madrid, March 11, 2003; Ente Einaudi, Rome, March 13, 2003; University of Turin, March 17, 2003; and the Istituto Carlo Cattaneo, Bologna, March 18, 2003.
- “International Sources of the Collapse of Rent-Seeking Regimes: Hypotheses Drawn from the Italian Case,” Workshop on Corruption, Scandal and the Contestation of Governance in Europe, Joint Sessions of the European Consortium for Political Research, Grenoble, France, April 6–11, 2001; revised versions presented at the University of California at Los Angeles, Feb. 3, 2001; the Russell Sage Foundation, Feb. 14, 2001; Cornell University, Feb. 15, 2001; Yale University, April 30, 2001; New York University, May 10, 2001; California State University at Long Beach, Sept. 25, 2001; the Juan March Institute, Madrid, March 10, 2003; and the University of California at Irvine, Oct. 17, 2003. (Partially available as Working Paper 2004/207, Instituto Juan March de Estudios e Investigaciones, Madrid, June 2004.)
- “Political Patronage, Bureaucracy and Corruption in Postwar Italy,” 2000 annual meetings of the

- American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Aug. 31–Sept. 3. (Revised version available as Russell Sage Foundation Working Paper #162.)
- “Factional Conflict and Political Corruption in Postwar Italian Christian Democracy,” 1999 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, Sept. 2–5; revised version presented at a meeting of the MacArthur Foundation Research Network on Inequality and Economic Performance, MIT, Oct. 1–3, 1999.
- “Globalization and Industrial Relations,” 1998 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association annual meetings, Boston, Sept. 3–6; also presented at the Università degli studi di Firenze, Sept. 22, 1998; Johns Hopkins University-Bologna Center, Sept. 23, 1998; World Congress of the International Industrial Relations Association, Bologna, Italy, Sept. 22–26, 1998; and Scripps College, April 18, 2003. With John B. Londregan.
- “Economic Integration and Industrial Relations: Is Increasing Openness Bad for Labor?” Study Group on the Political Economy of European Integration, University of California at Berkeley, March 6, 1998; also presented at the University of Washington, March 2, 1998. (UCB Center for German and European Studies Working Paper 1.62.)
- “The Fragmentation of the Bargaining Society: Changes in the Centralization of Wage-Setting in the Nordic Countries, 1950–1992,” Peder Sather Symposium on Challenges to Labor: Integration, Employment and Bargaining in Scandinavia and the United States, University of California at Berkeley, March 21–22, 1996. With Michael Wallerstein.
- “Postwar Industrial Relations in Non-Corporatist OECD Countries,” Conference of Europeanists, Chicago, March 14–16, 1996. With Michael Wallerstein.
- “Case Studies of Contemporary Job Loss,” conference on Rethinking Comparisons in Anthropology and Political Science, Washington University-St. Louis, Oct. 21, 1995.
- “A Comparative Investigation of Political Control of the Bureaucracy: A Preliminary Review of the Italian Case,” American Political Science Association annual meetings, Chicago, Aug. 31–Sept. 1, 1995; revised version presented at University of Gothenburg, Sweden, March 19, 1997.
- “Trade Union Organization and Industrial Relations in the Postwar Era in 12 Countries,” conference on The Politics and Political Economy of Contemporary Capitalism, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin, Germany, May 26–27, 1995; revised version presented at University of Gothenburg, Sweden, March 17, 1997. With Michael Wallerstein.
- “Unions, Employers, and Collective Bargaining: A Report on Data for 16 Countries from 1950 to 1990,” 1995 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 6–8; also presented at the University of California at Davis, April 18, 1995 and at the Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy, May 24, 1995. (UCLA Institute of Industrial Relations Working Paper 95–2.) With Michael Wallerstein.
- “Trade Union Organization and Industrial Relations in the Postwar Era in 16 Nations,” 1994 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, New York, N.Y., Sept. 1–4; also presented at a conference on The Politics and Political Economy of Contemporary Capitalism, Duke University, Sept. 9–11, 1994. With Michael Wallerstein.
- “Trends in Collective Bargaining and Industrial Relations in Non-Corporatist Countries: A Prelimi-

- nary Report,” 1993 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Sept. 2–5. With Peter Lange and Michael Wallerstein.
- “Workforce Reductions and Industrial Conflict in Postwar Japan: A Comparative Analysis,” 1993 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 15–17. (UCLA Institute of Industrial Relations Working Paper #245.)
- “Comparative Institutions for Workforce Reductions,” conference on Workplace Industrial Relations and Industrial Conflict in International Perspective, Université Laval, Quebec City, Canada, Aug. 7–9, 1991. (UCLA Institute of Industrial Relations Working Paper #205.)
- “A Comparative Inquiry into Systems for the Allocation of Job Loss,” 1990 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Aug. 30–Sept. 2.
- “The Dynamics of Trade Unionism and National Economic Performance,” Conference Group on Political Economy panel, 1989 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, Aug. 31–Sept. 3; also presented at a conference on The New Institutionalism: State, Society and Economy, University of Colorado-Boulder, Jan. 12–13, 1990 and at the Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, Germany, Aug. 13, 1991.
- “The Politics of Job Loss,” 1989 annual meetings of the Canadian Political Science Association, Université Laval, Quebec City, Canada, June 1–3. (UCLA Institute of Industrial Relations Working Paper #189.)
- “Strikes, Layoffs and Seniority Systems: Union Responses to Mass Work Force Reductions,” 1988 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Sept. 1–4.
- “Ideological Orientations in the Italian Workers’ Movement,” Conference Group on Italian Politics-*Stato e Mercato* conference on The State and Social Regulation in Italy, Rockefeller Foundation’s Study and Conference Center, Bellagio, Italy, April 14–18, 1986; also presented at the Center for European Studies, Harvard University, May 9, 1986.
- “Union-Party Relations in Communist-Oriented Labor Movements: Postwar Italy in Comparative Perspective,” Conference Groups on French and Italian Politics panel, 1985 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, New Orleans, Aug. 29–Sept. 1.
- “Interest Representation and the State: Italy in Comparative Perspective,” Center for European Studies, Harvard University, Feb. 1, 1985.
- “Political Subcultures and Working Class Representation in Italy,” Conference Group on Italian Politics Workshop on Institutional Performance in Italy, Rockefeller Foundation’s Study and Conference Center, Bellagio, Italy, June 14–19, 1983.
- “Neo-corporativismo e politicizzazione del conflitto: il caso torinese,” Istituto Piemontese di Scienze Economiche e Sociali Antonio Gramsci, Turin, Italy, June 8, 1983.
- “Industrial Conflict, Political Power, and Political Economy: Strikes in Postwar Italy,” Conference of Europeanists, Washington, D.C., April 29–May 1, 1982.
- “Between Government and Opposition: Working Class Politics and Unionism in Italy from 1975 to 1980,” 1981 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, New York, Sept. 3–6.

LECTURES, CONFERENCES, AND WORKSHOPS

- Discussant, Political Economy of Europe APSA Pre-Conference, University of British Columbia, September 10, 2025.
- Discussant, conference on Representation, Democracy, and the Economic Backgrounds of Politicians, Vanderbilt University, August 8, 2025.
- Chair, panel on “Politics of the Macroeconomy,” CBS-Princeton Money in Politics Conference, Copenhagen, June 19–20, 2025.
- Discussant, panel on “Information,” CBS-Princeton Money in Politics Conference, Copenhagen, June 19–20, 2025.
- Roundtable participant, Symposium on Causality, sponsored by the University of Florence and the Museo Galileo, September 26–27, 2024.
- Presentation, “Constructing a Formal Model of Variations in Reelection Rates,” Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, Berlin, March 18, 2024.
- Discussant, Workshop on Instrumental Incoherence in Institutional Reform, European University Institute, Florence, Dec. 1–2, 2023.
- Invited participant, EGAP Latin America Regional Hub Meeting, Mexico City, Oct. 5–6, 2023.
- Chair, panel on “Elections, Accountability, and Representation,” 2023 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Los Angeles, Aug. 31–Sept. 3.
- Discussant, Political Economy of Europe APSA Pre-Conference (PEEP 2023), Los Angeles, Aug. 30, 2023.
- Discussant, panel on “Protecting Citizens: Formal and Informal Institutions for Policing and Security in Mexico,” Stockholm Criminology Symposium, June 12–14, 2023.
- Discussant, panel on “Political Connections,” Money in Politics Conference, Copenhagen Business School, June 15–16, 2023.
- Yves Mény Annual Lecture, Robert Schuman Centre, European University Institute, September 14, 2022.
- Keynote lecture, “(How) Can We Convince Politicians to Reduce Clientelism and Corruption?” Interdisciplinary Corruption Research Network Forum, Bologna, June 16–18, 2022.
- Invited participant, Election data mini-conference, University of Michigan, January 21, 2022.
- Invited participant, book conference for Scott Williamson, Bocconi University, November 30, 2021.
- Moderator, sessions on Women: Career Advice, Virtual Diversity Network, Annual General Conferences of the European Political Science Association, June 20, 2022; June 24–25, 2021; June 18–19, 2020.
- Panelist, roundtable on The Impact of COVID-19 on Political Science Research, 10th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, June 18–19, 2020.
- Discussant, panel on “The Best Policies and Votes Money Can Buy,” 9th Annual General Conference

- of the European Political Science Association, Belfast, June 20–22, 2019.
- Speaker, Board of Directors, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Nov. 16, 2018.
- Speaker, 2018 Positive Peace Conference: Envisioning a Positive Peace Agenda for the Americas, hosted by the Institute for Economics & Peace, the Stanford Center for Latin American Studies, and Mercy Corps, Stanford University, Nov. 5–6.
- Participant, roundtable on *Corruption: What Everyone Needs to Know* by Ray Fisman and Miriam Golden, 2018 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Aug. 30–Sept 2.
- Panel chair and discussant, panel on “Competition, Competence and Performance of Elected Officials,” 2018 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Aug. 30–Sept 2.
- Panel organizer and chair, panel on Political Selection and State Capture in Developing Countries, 8th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Vienna, June 21–23, 2018.
- Invited participant, book conference for Simon Weschle, Syracuse University, May 4, 2018.
- Invited participant, Research Group on Political Institutions and Economic Policy, University of Indiana, April 28, 2018.
- Speaker, Tinker Conference on Where does Rule of Law Come from in Brazil and in Latin America?, Stanford University, Dec. 7–8, 2017.
- Invited participant and panelist, Inaugural conference of the Project on Resources, Development, and Governance, University of California at Los Angeles, Sept. 21–22, 2017.
- Discussant, 2017 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, 31 Aug.–3 Sept.
- Invited participant, book conference for Isabela Mares and Lauren Young, Stanford University, Aug. 30, 2017.
- Chair, panel on “The Electoral and Political Effects of Corruption,” 7th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Milan, June 22–24, 2017.
- Chair, Institutional Member Brainstorming Session, EGAP 20, Bogotá, May 5–6, 2017.
- Participant, roundtable on SDG16, EGAP 19, Paris, March 3–4, 2017.
- Chair, panel on “National Policies and Local Politics: Federalism, Decentralization, Local Public Goods, Revenue Collection, Business-State Relations,” 2017 annual meetings of the Western Political Science Association, Vancouver, April 13–15.
- Speaker, Boston area roundtable on corruption, Harvard Law School, Nov. 16, 2016.
- Discussant, 6th Annual General Conference of the European Political Science Association, Brussels, June 23–25, 2016.
- Discussant, annual Empirical Studies of Conflict (ESOC) meetings, Washington, DC, May 19–20, 2016.
- Presentation, “Establishing Responsive Linkages between Voters and Local Politicians: Proposal for

- an Experimental Intervention in Pakistan,” EGAP 17, Santiago, Chile, May 13–14, 2016.
- Invited participant, “Building Inclusive and Effective Institutions: What Works and Why? An RCT Partnership Development Workshop,” sponsored by the Center for Effective Global Action, Washington D.C., April 13–14, 2016.
- Organizer, book conference for Raymond Fisman and Miriam Golden, *Corruption: What Everyone Needs to Know*, Oxford University Press, New York, April 11, 2016.
- Presentation, “Voter Responses to Corruption and Misgovernance as a Leadership Problem,” EGAP 16, Cape Town, South Africa, March 11–12, 2016.
- Chair, panel on “The Politics of Corruption,” 2015 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 3–6.
- Presentation, “Political Corruption Around the World,” Working Group on Governance and Corruption in Mexico, Stanford University, May 21–22, 2015.
- Invited participant, Twentieth-Ninth Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD) Conference on Development Economics, Columbia University, May 8–9, 2015.
- Discussant, New York University Center for Experimental Social Sciences 8th Annual Experiments Political Science Conference, March 6–7, 2015.
- Chair, panel on Electoral Corruption: Reward and Punishment, Fourth annual conference of the European Political Science Association, June 19–21, 2014, Edinburgh.
- Invited participant, book conference for Simeon Nichter, Harvard University, May 9, 2014.
- Chair, panel on Experiments in Political Economy, Pacific Conference of Development Economics, University of California at Los Angeles, March 15, 2014.
- Invited participant, book conference for Karen Long Jusko, Stanford University, Dec. 13, 2013.
- Invited participant, book conference for Anjali Thomas Bohlken, University of British Columbia, Sept. 20, 2013.
- Discussant, panel on Comparative Perspectives, Symposium on Transparency, Democracy and Reform: New Perspectives on Corruption in Mexico, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, University of California at San Diego, May 16–17, 2013.
- Co-organizer, workshop on Electoral Integrity, Violence and Vote-Buying, sponsored by the Program on Poverty and Governance, Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, April 12–13, 2013. With Beatriz Magaloni.
- Discussant, panel on Clientelism, Workshop on Electoral Integrity, Violence and Vote-Buying, Program on Poverty and Governance, Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, April 12–13, 2013.
- Discussant, panel on Governance, Accountability and Political Economy: Improving Electoral Accountability, Growth Week, London School of Economics and Political Science, Sept. 24–26, 2012.
- Presentation, “The Causes of Corruption,” conference on The Fight against Corruption: Achievements, Challenges and Future Prospects, Sussex Centre for the Study of Corruption, University of

- Sussex, Sept. 6–7, 2012, London.
- Invited participant, conference sponsored by the Research Group on Political Institutions and Economic Policy, Princeton University, May 12, 2012.
- Discussant, research workshop on New Historical and Theoretical Perspectives on the Choice of Political Institutions, Princeton University, May 11, 2012.
- Participant, roundtable on The Personal Vote: Then and Now, 2012 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 12–14.
- Discussant, panel on Quality of Democratic Government, 2012 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 12–14.
- Chair and discussant, panel on Explaining Corruption and Corruption Perceptions, 2012 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 12–14.
- Presentation, “Bad Politics,” Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, Princeton University, Oct. 14, 2011.
- Discussant, panel on Microfoundations of Clientelism, 2011 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, Sept. 1–4.
- Discussant, Conference on Better Governance for Better Health, Stanford University, April 26–27, 2010.
- Organizer and discussant, Workshop on Well-Being in New Democracies: Eastern Europe and the Former Soviet Union, Center for European and Eurasian Studies, UCLA, Feb. 26, 2010.
- Participant, Workshop on Distributive Politics in Electoral and Legislative Politics, Yale University, Nov. 7, 2009.
- Participant, Distinguished Scholar Panel in Honor of Jeffry Frieden, 49th annual convention of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, March 26–29, 2008.
- Discussant, panel on Transformations of the State, 49th annual convention of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, March 26–29, 2008.
- Presentation, “First Nation, Fourth World: Social Welfare and Economic Development among the Canadian Inuit,” Department of Political Science, UCLA, March 12, 2008. With Brian Min.
- Public lecture, “Globalization and Corruption,” Trinity College, Dublin, Nov. 9, 2007.
- Participant, meeting on Elections and Distribution, Yale University, Oct. 26–27, 2007.
- Discussant, panel on Italian Politics after the Crisis, 2007 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Aug. 30–Sept. 2.
- Discussant, conference on Institutions, Public Policy and Economic Outcomes, Jesus College, University of Cambridge, Aug. 6–8, 2007.
- Discussant, panel on Empirical Voter Behavior, First World Meeting of the Public Choice Society, Amsterdam, March 29–April 1, 2007.
- Convener, Working Group on Wealth and Power in the Post-Industrial Age, Center for Comparative and Global Research, University of California at Los Angeles, May 2004; Yale University, Jan. 2005;

- Yale University, Feb. 2006; Yale University, Jan. 2007; University of California at Los Angeles, Feb. 2008. With Edward Leamer, Frances Rosenbluth, and Michael Wallerstein.
- Convener, preliminary meeting of an International Working Group on Distributive Politics, University of California at Los Angeles, Dec. 8, 2005. With Yusaku Horiuchi.
- Chair and discussant, panel on Quality of Government: What It Is and What Difference It Makes, 2005 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Sept. 1–4.
- Participant, Conference on Demographics, Health and Economic Development, Stanford Institute for International Studies, Center on Development, Democracy and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, May 20–21, 2005.
- Participant, Workshop on Anthropometrics, Yale University, March 4, 2005.
- Presentation, “Corruption in Postwar Italy,” Chuo University, Tokyo, Oct. 27, 2004.
- Discussant, panel on Comparative Perspectives on the Politics of Economic Reform, 2004 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Sept. 2–5.
- Presentation, “Post-Industrial Occupational Change, Wage Equality and Globalization,” meeting of the Working Group on Wealth and Power in the Post-Industrial Age, Center for Comparative and Global Research, University of California at Los Angeles, April 17, 2004. With Michael Wallerstein.
- Member, Working Group on Efficient Government, Center for Comparative and Global Research, University of California at Los Angeles, 2000–02.
- Organizer and chair, roundtable on Are There Varieties of Capitalism? 2002 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Aug. 29–Sept. 1.
- Discussant, 2002 annual meetings of the European Public Choice Society, Belgirate, Italy, April 4–7.
- Chair and discussant, panel on Political Foundations of Economic Development, 2001 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Aug. 30–Sept. 2.
- Participant, panel on Globalization and Labor Relations, workshop on Capital Mobility and the Impact of Threat Effects on Income Distribution and Public Finances, Political Economy Research Institute/Ford Foundation, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, April 27–28, 2000.
- Organizer, mini-conference on Improving Data Collection in Industrial Relations, University of California at Los Angeles, Oct. 23, 1999.
- Organizer and discussant, workshop on Is the Welfare State Viable? University of California at Los Angeles, Oct. 22, 1999.
- Participant, final roundtable, conference on The Impact of Increased Economic Integration on Italy and the Rest of Europe, Georgetown University, April 30–May 2, 1999.
- Organizer, conference on The Impact of Increased Economic Integration on Italy and the Rest of Europe, Georgetown University, April 30–May 2, 1999. With Samuel Barnes.
- Chair, panel on Corruption, 1998 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Sept. 3–6.
- Presentation, “The Politics of International Trade and Labor Markets,” conference on International

- Trade and Labor Markets, University of California at Los Angeles, Sept. 27–28, 1996.
- Organizer, conference on International Trade and Labor Markets, University of California at Los Angeles, Sept. 27–28, 1996. With Mohan Penubarti and Edward Leamer.
- Moderator, Hyde Park session on Unemployment in Comparative Perspective, 1996 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Aug. 29–Sept. 1.
- Chair, panel on Labor Markets, Wage Bargaining, and Wage Inequality, 1996 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Aug. 29–Sept. 1.
- Discussant, conference on La situazione politica italiana dopo le elezioni, oltre la transizione? Bologna Seminars Italy-USA, sponsored by the Università degli Studi di Bologna and the Fulbright Commission, Bologna, Italy, June 14–15, 1996.
- Discussant, panel on The Post-Corporatist Political Economy of Europe, 1995 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Aug. 31–Sept. 3.
- Public lecture, “Sindacati, militanti, e rappresentanza operaia,” Università Bocconi, Milan, Italy, May 23, 1995.
- Participant, conference on Culture and Rational Choice, University of Chicago, Feb. 4, 1995.
- Participant, conference on Rethinking Comparisons in Anthropology and Political Science, Washington University-St. Louis, Oct. 21–22, 1994.
- Public lecture, “Trends in Collective Bargaining and Industrial Relations in Corporatist and Non-Corporatist Countries,” University of Uppsala, Sweden, Sept. 22, 1993.
- Public lecture, “The Puzzle of Union Responses to Workforce Reductions,” University of Uppsala, Sweden, Sept. 13, 1993; also presented at the Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Uppsala, Sweden, Sept. 16, 1993.
- Chair and discussant, panel on Politics and Policy, 1993 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Sept. 2–5.
- Chair, panel on The Political Economy of European Integration: Domestic Political Perspectives, 1992 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Sept. 3–6.
- Discussant, Conference on Liberalism and the Preconditions for Democracy, The Gorbachev Foundation, Moscow, Russia, May 23–30, 1992.
- Participant, conference on Game Theory and Comparative Politics, University of Chicago, May 8–10, 1992.
- Discussant, panel on Consciousness and Collective Action: Workers’ Responses to Economic Change in Europe, Conference of Europeanists, Chicago, March 27–29, 1992.
- Public lecture, “The Politics of Job Loss,” University of California at Davis, Feb. 19, 1992.
- Participant, workshop on Democracy, Markets and Choice, University of Washington, Sept. 20–22, 1991.
- Chair and discussant, panel on Europe and 1992, 1991 annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 18–20.

- Chair, panel on Markets and Justice, 1990 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, Aug. 30–Sept. 2.
- Discussant, conference on the European Community, California State University at Fullerton, April 26, 1990.
- Public lecture, “Heroic Defeats: The Politics of Job Loss,” University of Pittsburgh, March 22, 1990.
- Chair, panel on The Decline of Communism in Italy and France, Conference of Europeanists, Washington, D.C., March 23–25, 1990.
- Presentation, “Industrial Relations and the Political System,” colloquium on Work and Politics in Italy: Twenty Years after the “Hot Autumn,” Center for European Studies, Harvard University, Nov. 18–20, 1988.
- Discussant, panel on Unions in Crisis: “Flexibility” and the New International Division of Labor, Conference of Europeanists, Washington, D.C., Oct. 30–Nov. 1, 1987.
- Discussant, panel on The Role of Interest Groups in Corporatist and Non-Corporatist Political Systems, 1987 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Sept. 3–6.
- Organizer, Workshop on Labor Politics, Union Militancy and Capital Accumulation in Western Europe and North America, Cornell University, April 3–5, 1987. With Peter Lange and Jonas Pontusson.
- Discussant, conference on Parties and the Labor Movement in Europe and the Americas, sponsored by the International Research and Exchanges Board in conjunction with the Institute of International Workers’ Movement of Moscow, University of Pittsburgh, Nov. 5–7, 1986.
- Presentation, conference on *Le culture produttive nelle fasi di trasformazione industriale a Torino*, sponsored by the Istituto Universitario di Studi Europei di Torino and Fiat, S.p.A., Turin, Italy, June 20, 1986.
- Speaker, Graduate Student Colloquium, Government Department, Cornell University, May 12, 1986.
- Presentation, “Union Responses to Layoffs in the Auto Industry in Western Europe,” Conference on Labor Politics in the Era of International Capital, Cornell University, April 25–26, 1986.
- Organizer and discussant, panel on Austerity Left and Right: Is There a Difference? Conference of Europeanists, Washington, D.C., Oct. 18–20, 1985.
- Co-chair, Conference Groups on French and Italian Politics panel on The Left in Italy and France, American Political Science Association annual meetings, New Orleans, Aug. 29–Sept. 1, 1985.
- Discussant, Conference Group on Italian Politics panel on The Changing Nature of the Italian Party System, 1984 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Aug. 31–Sept. 2.
- Public lecture, “Communism and Neo-Corporatism in Italy,” Cornell University, Feb. 17, 1984.
- Public lecture, “Italian and French Labor Movements in the 1960s and 1970s,” Oakland University, Rochester, MI., April 14, 1983.
- Discussant, Conference Group on Italian Politics panel on Studying Local Communities in Italy: What

Can We Learn? 1980 annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Aug. 28–30.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES (SELECTED)

Member, Editorial Board for Political Science, [Institute for Replication](#), 2022–

Co-chair with Alex Scacco (subsequently Tara Slough), [The Covid-19 Model Challenges](#)

Advisory Committee, A Political Science Peer Review and Publication Consortium, 2021–

Chair, Expert Panel in the Evaluation of Political Science Research in Sweden, Swedish Research Council, 2020–21

External expert, Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science, 2019–20 and 2020–21

Member, Committee on Diversity, European Political Science Association, 2018–21

Member, EGAP Metaketa III Steering Committee on Natural Resource Governance, 2016–18

Chair, Best Paper Award, Organized Section in Experimental Research, American Political Science Association, 2017–18

Member, Committee on Creation of a Section Journal, Organized Section in Political Economy, American Political Science Association, 2017–18

Member, Giovanni Sartori Prize Committee, *Italian Political Science Review*, 2017–18.

Chair, William H. Riker Book Award Committee, Organized Section in Political Economy, American Political Science Association, 2015–16

Chair, Organized Section in Political Economy, American Political Science Association, 2008–10

Member, Committee to Select Incoming Newsletter Editorial Team, Organized Section in Comparative Politics, American Political Science Association, 2009–10

Chair, Hallet Award Committee, Organized Section in Representation and Electoral Systems, American Political Science Association, 2008–09

Member, International review panel, Mistra (The Swedish Foundation for Strategic Environmental Research), Stockholm, May 22–24, 2006

Member, Woodrow Wilson Foundation Award Committee to select the best book on government, politics and international affairs, American Political Science Association, 2005–06

Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Political Science and the National Science Foundation, American Political Science Association, 1999–00

President, Conference Group on Italian Politics and Society, 1997–99

Reviewer for: City University of New York Research Foundation, Nuffield Centre for Experimental Social Science, Israel Science Foundation, Development Impact Lab of the University of California at Berkeley, Marsden Fund of the Royal Society of New Zealand, Agenzia Nazionale di Valutazione

del sistema Universitario e della Ricerca (Italian Ministry of University and Research), Austrian Science Fund, British Academy, Comitato di Indirizzo per la Valutazione della Ricerca (Italy), Icelandic Research Council, MacArthur Foundation, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Science Foundation, Russell Sage Foundation, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS), Sloan Foundation, Swiss National Science Foundation, European Research Council, Zukunftskolleg (Institute for Advanced Study for Junior Researchers) of the University of Constance

LANGUAGES

English (native); Italian (fluent); French (previously fluent)

TEACHING

Current teaching interests:

- Democratic Processes and Institutions
- Parties and Elections
- Political Selection: Who Enters Public Office
- Political Corruption, Electoral Fraud, and Violence
- Transparency, Replicability, and Workflow

Presentation, “Political Representation, Reelection, and Corruption,” Fisher Family Summer Fellows Program, Stanford University, August 5, 2025

Presentation, “Corruption as a Social Scientific Problem,” Stanford-US Russia Forum, Stanford University, May 19, 2025

Presentation, session on Corruption and Clientelism, meeting of the Harvard Venezuelan Students Association, Harvard University, November 19, 2020

Syllabus for Introduction to Comparative Politics (with Ronald Rogowski) selected for inclusion in Frank L. Wilson, ed., *Comparative Politics Syllabi* (2nd ed.; Washington, D.C.: APSA, 1999)

MENTORING

Certificate for Excellence in Mentoring, Graduate Division, University of California at Los Angeles, 2009

Mentor Recognition Award, for commitment and dedication to mentoring students in their preparation for graduate study, University of California at San Diego, 2007

Faculty sponsor, Post-doctoral working group on natural and field experiments, European University Institute, 2019–20

Mentor, Winter Experimental Social Sciences Institute (WESSI), New York University, Florence, Sept.

27–28, 2019

External member, dissertation defense committee, Giovanna Invernizzi, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, April 2021

Faculty opponent, Ph.D. defense of Mattias Agerberg, Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg, Oct. 18, 2019

External Ph.D. examiner, Mona Morgan-Collins, Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science, March 18, 2016

Supervisor, Cesar Martinez Alvarez, 2017 UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship

Supervisor, one undergraduate, UCLA Research Poster Day, spring 2017

Supervisor, Galen Murray, 2013 UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship and 2014–2015 UCLA Graduate Research Mentorship

Supervisor, Ruth Carlitz, 2012 UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship and 2012–2013 UCLA Graduate Research Mentorship

Supervisor, high school intern, summer–fall 2012

Supervisor, two undergraduate honors' theses on corruption in India, Department of Political Science, University of California at Los Angeles, 2010–11. (Ankur Shingal, University of Chicago Law School; Dayna Judge, Princeton University Ph.D. program)

Supervisor, Salvatore Sberna, visiting US-Italy Fulbright Scholar at UCLA and Ph.D. candidate in political science at the University of Florence, winter-spring 2010

Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, “Doctoral Dissertation Research in Political Science: Who Gets Public Goods? The Politics of Public Service Provision in India,” National Science Foundation, 2009–11. For supervision of research by Brian Min.

Supervisor, undergraduate honors' thesis on corruption in Italy, Department of Political Science, University of California at Los Angeles, 2004–05. (Daniel Smith, Ph.D. in Political Science, University of California at San Diego, 2012)

Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, “Doctoral Dissertation Research in Political Science: Making National Industrial Policy European? How the European Union Affects the Politics of State Aid,” National Science Foundation, 1997–98. For supervision of research by Bronwyn Dylla.

PH.D. CANDIDATES SUPERVISED (WITH INITIAL TENURE-TRACK PLACEMENT)

29. Daniel Urquijo, Ph.D. expected 2027

28. Kirill Melnikov, Ph.D. expected 2027

27. Paloma Abril, Ph.D. expected 2027

26. Eleonora Minerva, Ph.D. expected 2026, co-supervisor with Filip Kostelka

25. Victor Ellenbroek, Ph.D. expected 2026, co-supervisor with Simon Hix
24. Emil Kamalov, Ph.D. 2025 (Post-doctoral fellow, Stanford University)
23. Ivan Formichev, Ph.D. 2025 (Post-doctoral fellow, University of Bern)
22. Susanna Garside, Ph.D. 2025 (Post-doctoral fellow, University of Oxford)
21. Julien Vierlinger, Ph.D. 2024 (government)
20. Dylan Potts, Ph.D. 2024 (Post-doctoral fellow, London School of Economics and Political Science)
19. Ivetta Sergeeva, Ph.D. 2024 (Post-doctoral fellow, Stanford University)
18. Rens Chazottes, Ph.D. 2024 (Post-doctoral fellow, ETH Lausanne)
17. Haoyu Zhai, Ph.D. 2023 (Post-doctoral fellow, NYU Abu Dhabi)
16. Sergi Martinez, Ph.D. 2022, co-supervisor with Elias Dinas (University of Medellín)
15. Luke Sonnet, Ph.D. 2020 (private sector)
14. Eugenia Nazrullaeva, Ph.D. 2020 (University of Liverpool)
13. Manoel Gehrke, Ph.D. 2019 (Post-doctoral fellow, Bocconi University)
12. Yuki Yanai, Ph.D. 2017 (International University of Japan, Niigata)
11. Ruth Carlitz, Ph.D. 2016 (Tulane University)
10. Raffaele Asquer, Ph.D. 2015 (private sector)
9. Julia YuJung Lee, Ph.D. 2015 (Texas A&M University)
8. Devesh Tiwari, Ph.D. 2014, co-chair with Kaare Strøm (private sector)
7. Lisa Mueller, Ph.D. 2014 (Macalester College)
6. Brian Min, Ph.D. 2010 (University of Michigan)
5. David Yamanishi, Ph.D. 2004 (Cornell College)
4. Preston Keat, Ph.D. 2002 (private sector)
3. Bronwyn Dylla, Ph.D. 1999 (private sector)
2. Terri Givens, Ph.D. 1999 (University of Texas at Austin)
1. Carolyn Wong, Ph.D. 1997, co-chair with Jeffrey Frieden (Stanford University)

POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWS MENTORED (WITH SUBSEQUENT PLACEMENT)

Virginia Rocha (Fundação Getulio Vargas, São Paulo)

Felipe Livert (Polytechnic University of Milan)

Natalia Garbiras-Diaz (Harvard Business School)

Daniel Goldstein (University of Oslo)

Michele Castiglioni (public sector, UK)

Makoto Fukumoto (Waseda University)

Takumi Shibaike (Syracuse University)