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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Trade unions and labour market politics, economic interests and voting behaviour, support for right-wing populism, economic effects of populist leaders.

EDUCATION

PhD in Political Science, 2015– Columbia University.

Dissertation: *Hollowed Out and Turned About: New Social Cleavages and Institutional Change in Advanced Democracies*. Professor Isabela Mares, Chair.

MPhil in Political Science, February 2011– Columbia University.

MA in Political Science, May 2011– Columbia University.

BA in Political Science, May 2007– University of Michigan.

EMPLOYMENT

Research Fellow, Tony Blair Institute for Global Change. October 2018-Present.

Post-Doctoral Fellow, London School of Economics. September 2015-August 2018.

PUBLICATIONS

Learning to Love the Government: Trade Unions and Late Adoption of the Minimum Wage, *World Politics*, 68(3): 538-575 (2016).

The Conditional Effect of Technological Change on Collective Bargaining Coverage, (with Thomas Biegert), *Research and Politics*, January-March: 1-9 (2019).

Financialization, Technological Change, and Trade Union Decline, forthcoming in *Socio-Economic Review*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ser/mwx022>

Left to Right: Labour Market Policy, Labour Market Status, and Political Affinities, forthcoming in *Journal of Public Policy*. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0143814X18000211>

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Trade Unions and the Minimum Wage (with Matthew Dimick)

Regional Economies, Relative Deprivation, and Radical Voting

Ulysses Berated: How Populist Leaders affect Central Bank Independence

Foreign and Domestic Investment under Populist Leaders (with Jordan Kyle)

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2013-14: Berlin Program for Advanced German and European Studies, Doctoral Research Fellowship (€14,500)

2013: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Short-Term Research Grant (€4,800)

2012: DAAD Intensive Language Course Grant (€2,700)

INVITED TALKS/CONFERENCES

2019: European Political Science Association (Belfast, N. Ire.); Conference on The Ideational Approach to Populism: Consequences and Mitigation (Segovia, Spain); Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (New York, USA)

2017: American Political Science Association (San Francisco, USA)

2016: University of Reading (Reading, UK)

2015: Amherst College (Amherst, USA); International FDZ Data User Workshop, University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, USA); American Political Science Association (San Francisco, USA)

2014: Comparative Politics Seminar, Columbia University (New York, USA); Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (Chicago, USA); Columbia University Technology, Education, and Democracy Workshop (New York, USA), European Political Science Association (Edinburgh, UK), Midwest Political Science Association (Chicago, USA);

2013: European Political Science Association (Barcelona, Spain); Columbia University—Central European University Workshop on European Integration

LANGUAGES

German (Advanced speaking and writing)

TEACHING

Columbia University

Freedom of Speech and the Press (Fall 2009)

Social Protection around the World (Winter 2010)

Introduction to Comparative Politics (Fall 2010)

Introduction to American Politics (Winter 2011, 2012)

Labor and American Politics (Fall 2011, 2014)

Race and Ethnicity in American Politics (Winter 2015)

London School of Economics

Political Science and Political Economy (Fall 2015)

Political Science and Public Policy (Winter 2016)

Introduction to Government (Fall 2016-Winter 2018)

Project Supervisor

2015-17: Supervised year-long public policy projects for master's students. Clients included the Bank of England, Boston Consulting Group, DfiD, OECD, Wellcome Trust, and the World Bank.

REVIEWER

British Journal of Political Science, Journal of Elections, Parties, and Public Opinion, Journal of Public Policy, Socio-Economic Review, World Politics.

REFERENCES

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