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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 2022–24, 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 2024–25
- 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

1. *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 Nazrullaeva.
2. *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.]
3. Co-editor (with David Austen-Smith, Jeffrey 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

5. Co-editor (with Jonas Pontusson), *Bargaining for Change: Union Politics in North America and Europe*. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1992, 333 pp.
6. *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.
7. *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

1. “The Global Legislators Database: The Personal Backgrounds of National Legislators in the World’s Democracies.” With Nick Carnes, Joshua Ferrer, Esme Lillywhite, Noam Lupu, and Eugenia Nazrullaeva. *British Journal of Political Science*, forthcoming.
2. “What Do Social Scientists Expect of Randomized Controlled Trials? An Experiment in Forecasting.” With Mats Ahrenshop, Saad Gulzar, and Luke Sonnet. *Journal of Experimental Political Science*, First View 2023.
3. “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 dataset available at <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.
4. “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 Oforu.
5. “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.
6. “Electoral Cycles in Electricity Losses in India,” *Energy Policy*, 65 (Feb. 2014), pp. 619–25. With Brian Min.
7. “Distributive Politics Around the World,” *Annual Review of Political Science*, 16 (2013), pp. 73–99. With Brian Min.
8. “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.
9. "Sources of Corruption in Authoritarian Regimes," *Social Science Quarterly*, 91 (March 2010), pp. 1–21. With Eric C.C. Chang. Lead article.
 10. "Pork Barrel Politics in Postwar Italy, 1953–1994," *American Journal of Political Science*, 52 (April 2008), pp. 268–89. With Lucio Picci.
 11. "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.
 12. "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.
 13. "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.
 14. "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 dataset available at <http://www.golden.polisci.ucla.edu>.
 15. "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.
 16. "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.
 17. "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.
 18. "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.

19. "The Dynamics of Trade Unionism and National Economic Performance," *American Political Science Review*, 87 (June 1993), pp. 439–54.
20. "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.
21. "Political Attitudes of Italian Workers: Twenty Years of Survey Evidence," *European Journal of Political Research*, 18 (April 1990), pp. 305–23.
22. "Historical Memory and Ideological Orientations in the Italian Workers' Movement," *Politics & Society*, 16 (March 1988), pp. 1–34. Lead article.
23. "The City as Factory: Workers' Control in Turin," *Socialist Review*, 17 (Sept.-Oct. 1987), pp. 43–58.
24. "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.

Non-Refereed Publications

1. "Dialogues Across Time: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives on Democratization," *Political Science Quarterly*, 2024.
2. "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.
3. "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.
4. "How to Fight Corruption," *Science*, 356 (May 26, 2017), pp. 5–6. With Raymond Fisman.
5. "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.
6. "Corruption in the Wealthy World," *Brown Journal of World Affairs*, vol. 18 (spring/summer 2012), pp. 75–84.

7. "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.
8. "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.
9. "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.
11. "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.
12. "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.
13. "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.
14. "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.
15. "Le sconfitte eroiche della classe operaia," *Politica ed Economia*, 19 (Jan. 1989), pp. 33–44.
16. "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.
17. "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.
18. "Neo-corporativismo ed esclusione della forza lavoro dalla rappresentanza politica," in *Il sistema politico italiano*, ed. Gianfranco Pasquino. Bari: Laterza, 1985, pp. 208–31.

19. “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

1. Interview, [Scientia Futura](#), July 7, 2021.
2. Interview, “[Corruption in Plain Sight.](#)” Power Corrupts, Brian Klaas podcast, March 12, 2020.
3. 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.
4. Interview, “[Political Corruptions and Consequences.](#)” Scholars’ Circle Interviews, July 23, 2017.
5. Blog post, “[Business as Usual in Washington?](#)” Oxford University Press, June 3, 2017. With Ray Fisman.
6. Interview, “[The Resilience of Corruption.](#)” Episode 21 of *Disrupting the Global Order* with Janice Stein, April 10, 2017.
7. Article, “[Will the Anti-Trump Protests Expand? That’s More Likely Than Ever Before.](#)” *The Monkey Cage*, Feb. 6, 2017. With Ray Fisman
8. Article, “[Just How Badly Can the Trump Administration Corrupt the United States?](#)” *Slate*, Nov. 29, 2016. With Ray Fisman.
9. Article, “[Donald Trump’s Dangerous Approach to Taxes.](#)” *Slate*, Oct. 4, 2016. Posted at With Ray Fisman.
10. Post, “[Electoral Competition Intensifies Energy Theft.](#)” International Growth Centre, Feb. 20, 2012.
11. Article, “A Global View of Political Corruption.” *Institut d’Economia de Barcelona (IEB) Report*, 1/2015, pp. 7–9.
12. 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.
14. Interview, “An Emerging Superpower Goes Dark.” Background Briefing, hosted by Ian Masters, KPFK-LA, Aug. 1, 2012.
15. 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.

16. 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.
17. 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.
18. Obituary, “Michael Wallerstein, 1951–2006.” *APSA-CP*, 17 (Winter 2006), pp. 22–23. With Kathleen Thelen and Peter Swenson.
19. Article, “Single Country Studies: What Can We Learn?.” *Italian Politics and Society*, no. 60 (spring 2005), pp. 5–8.
20. Review, “Good Reads.” *APSA-CP*, 9 (Summer 1998).
21. Article, “Comments on Replicability and the Study of Comparative Politics.” *APSA-CP*, 6 (Summer 1995).
22. Article, “Replication and Non-Quantitative Research.” *PS*, 28, no. 3 (Sept. 1995).
23. Article, “New Data on Wage-Setting Institutions in Advanced Industrial Societies.” *APSA-CP*, 4 (Summer 1993). With Michael Wallerstein.
24. Book reviews, *The Conference Group on Italian Politics and Society Newsletter*, no. 11 (1982); no. 13 (1983); no. 20 (1987); and no. 45 (1997).
25. Article, “Selling Out Labor.” *Socialist Review*, 17 (March–April 1987).

Work in Progress

- “‘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. Article under review.
- “Gathering, Evaluating, and Aggregating Social Scientific Models.” With Tara Slough, Alexandra Scacco, Alberto Diaz-Cayeros, Kim Dionne, Macartan Humphreys, Sampada KC, Eugenia Nazrullaeva, Eva Vivalt, Haoyu Zhai, and others. Article under revision.
- “Corruption as a Shared Dilemma: Survey Evidence from Legislators and Citizens 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; and at the Poverty, Governance, and Development Lab at the Center for Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law, Stanford University, Feb. 5, 2024. With Raymond Fisman and Matteo Ferroni. NBER Working Paper, August 2024. Article under revision.

- “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 in preparation.
- “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.

Programming, Statistical, and Linguistic Skills

- Programming and statistical skills: L^AT_EX, Beamer (advanced); Unix system administration, Git, Stata, RMarkdown (proficient); ArcGIS, R (basic)
- Linguistic competence: English (native); Italian (fluent); French (previously fluent)

Government, Public, and Private Sector Consulting and Engagement

- Participant, panel on empirical approaches to public sector management problems, World Bank, Washington, D.C., January 14, 2025
- Roundtable participant, Symposium on Causality, sponsored by the University of Florence and the Museo Galileo, September 26–27, 2024
- 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, session on Corruption and Clientelism, meeting of the Harvard Venezuelan Students Association, Harvard University, November 19, 2020
- 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 Societies: 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.

Major Datasets Assembled

- “Dataset on Individuals Serving in State Legislatures in the United States, 1900–2016.” With Eugenia Nazrullaeva. To be made available 2024 via Dataverse.
- “Reelection in Democracies Around the World (ReDrAW).” With Eugenia Nazrullaeva. To be made available 2024 via Dataverse.
- “Global Legislators Database (GLD).” With Nick Carnes, Noam Lupu, and Eugenia Nazrullaeva. Posted October 2024. Available via Dataverse. 455 downloads as of December 18, 2024.
 - Featured in *The Economist*, November 14, 2024.
- “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. Posted February 2016. 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. Posted November 2014. 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).” Posted January 2004; rev. versions posted June 2006. 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. Update (with Michael Wallerstein) to 1995 posted September 2002. Update (with Michael Wallerstein) to 2000 posted March 2006. Additional update posted June 2009. Deposited with ICPSR and available via Dataverse. 3,090 downloads as of December 18, 2024.

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

Teaching and Mentoring

- Current teaching interests:
Parties and Elections in Less Developed Countries
Transparency, Replicability, and Workflow
Political Selection: Who Enters Public Office
Political Corruption, Electoral Fraud, and Violence
- External member, dissertation defense committee, Giovanna Invernizzi, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, April 2021
- Faculty sponsor, Post-doctoral working group on natural and field experiments, European University Institute, 2019–20
- Faculty opponent, Ph.D. defense of Mattias Agerberg, Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg, Oct. 18, 2019
- Mentor, Winter Experimental Social Sciences Institute (WESSI), New York University, Florence, Sept. 27–28, 2019
- Supervisor, Cesar Martinez Alvarez, 2017 UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship
- Supervisor, one undergraduate, UCLA Research Poster Day, spring 2017
- External Ph.D. examiner, Mona Morgan-Collins, Department of Government, London School of Economics and Political Science, March 18, 2016
- 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.
- 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
- 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)
- 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)
- 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)

Currently supervising or co-supervising 8 Ph.D. students at the European University Institute and mentoring one post-doctoral fellow

1. Julien Vierlinger, Ph.D. 2024 (government)
2. Dylan Potts, Ph.D. 2024 (Post-doctoral fellow, London School of Economics and Political Science)
3. Ivetta Sergeeva, Ph.D. 2024 (Post-doctoral fellow, Stanford University)
4. Rens Chazottes, Ph.D. 2024 (Post-doctoral fellow, ETH Lausanne)
5. Haoyu Zhai, Ph.D. 2023 (Post-doctoral fellow, NYU Abu Dhabi)
6. Sergi Martinez, Ph.D. 2022, co-supervisor with Elias Dinas (University of Medellín)
7. Luke Sonnet, Ph.D. 2020 (private sector)
8. Eugenia Nazrullaeva, Ph.D. 2020 (University of Liverpool)

9. Manoel Gehrke, Ph.D. 2019 (Post-doctoral fellow, Bocconi University)
10. Yuki Yanai, Ph.D. 2017 (International University of Japan, Niigata)
11. Ruth Carlitz, Ph.D. 2016 (Tulane University)
12. Raffaele Asquer, Ph.D. 2015 (private sector)
13. Julia YuJung Lee, Ph.D. 2015 (Texas A&M University)
14. Devesh Tiwari, Ph.D. 2014, co-chair with Kaare Strøm (private sector)
15. Lisa Mueller, Ph.D. 2014 (Macalester College)
16. Brian Min, Ph.D. 2010 (University of Michigan)
17. David Yamanishi, Ph.D. 2004 (Cornell College)
18. Preston Keat, Ph.D. 2002 (private sector)
19. Bronwyn Dylla, Ph.D. 1999 (private sector)
20. Terri Givens, Ph.D. 1999 (University of Texas at Austin)
21. Carolyn Wong, Ph.D. 1997, co-chair with Jeffry Frieden (Stanford University)