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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Australian Catholic University: Professor, Institute for Humanities & Social Sciences (2020 – present)

Australian National University: Associate Professor (2019 – 2020); Fellow (Senior Lecturer) (2018); Research Fellow (Lecturer) (2013–2017), Department of Political & Social Change, Coral Bell School of Asia Pacific Affairs

EDUCATION

Yale University: Ph.D. Political Science (2013)
M.Phil. Political Science (2009)
M.A. Political Science (2007)

London School of Economics: M.Sc. International Political Economy (2006)

Trinity College Dublin: B.A. (Hons I) Economics and Social Science (2004)

BOOKS

- *Populism in Southeast Asia*, (Cambridge University Press, 2019)
- *Populism and Patronage: Why Populists Win Elections in India, Asia, and Beyond*, (Oxford University Press, 2017), Winner of the *American Political Science Association's 2018 Robert A. Dahl Award*

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- "A new penal populism? Rodrigo Duterte, the war on drugs, and public opinion in the Philippines." (with Ronald Holmes), *Journal of East Asian Studies* (2020), <https://doi.org/10.1017/jea.2020.8>
- "Does asylum seeker immigration increase support for the far right? Evidence from the United Kingdom, 2000-2015", (with Charles Miller), *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* (2020), <https://doi.org/10.1080/1369183X.2020.1776596>
- "'The enemy of the people': Populists and press freedom," *Political Research Quarterly* 73(2) (2020): 261-275
- "The structure of ethnic inequality and ethnic voting" (with Christian Houle and Chunho Park), *The Journal of Politics* 81(1) (2019): 187-200

- “The political and economic consequences of populist rule,” (with Christian Houle) *Government and Opposition*, 53(2) (2018): 256-287
- “The origins of patronage politics: State building, centrifugalism, and decolonization” *British Journal of Political Science*, 45(1), (2015): 141-171
- “A mixed blessing: Karen resettlement to the United States” (with Kate Lockwood-Kenny), *Journal of Refugee Studies*, 24(2) (2011): 217-38
- “Structural integrity and cohesion in insurgent organizations: Evidence from protracted conflicts in Ireland and Burma,” *International Studies Review*, 12 (2010): 533-555

BOOK CHAPTERS AND ENCYLOPAEDIA/HANDBOOK ENTRIES

- “Populism in Southeast Asia” in *The Palgrave Handbook of Populism*, edited by Michael T. Oswald (forthcoming)
- “Civil Wars,” (with Stathis N. Kalyvas), in *Oxford Research Encyclopaedia of International Studies*, edited by Robert Denemark and Renée Marlin-Bennett, Oxford: Oxford University Press, (2017 [2010])

WORKS UNDER REVIEW AND IN PROGRESS

- *Buying power: An economic history of populism from Ancient Greece to the present*, book manuscript in progress
- *Killing Democracy: Rodrigo Duterte and the War on Drugs in the Philippines*, (with Nicole Curato and Ronald Holmes) book manuscript in progress
- “Betraying the heartland: Estimating the political cost of the British Labour Party’s asylum seeker immigration policy,” (with Charles Miller), *under review*
- “The origins of inequality in Sub-Saharan Africa” (with Christian Houle and Nicolas Bichay), *under review*
- “Is there a populist personality? Populist attitudes as an intervening variable in Australian public opinion,” (with Boriz Bizumic), *under review*
- “Commodity booms, conflict, and crime: Oil palm mafia violence in Indonesia” (with Rashesh Shrestha and Edward Aspinall), *in progress*.
- “A firm-centered analysis of corruption and reform: Evidence from Indonesia” (with Eve Warburton), *in preparation for Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Sept. 2020*.
- ““Inclusionary populism” and the rule of law in India” book chapter in progress (Routledge Handbook of Asian Populism)
- “The strategic approach to populism” book chapter in progress (Routledge Handbook of Asian Populism)

 AWARDS AND PRIZES

- Winner, *American Political Science Association's 2018 Robert A. Dahl Award* for scholarship of the highest quality on the subject of democracy for *Populism and Patronage: Why Populists Win Elections in India, Asia, and Beyond*
- Entrance Exhibition Award, Trinity College Dublin, 2000-2002

 EXTERNAL GRANTS

- *Supporting the Rules-Based Order in Southeast Asia (SEARBO)*, Australian Government, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Co-Investigator, 2018—2021 (AU\$ 2,102,244)

 INTERNAL GRANTS

- Ben and Melinda Tria Kerkvliet Southeast Asia Research Fund, ANU 2019 (AU\$ 5,500)
- Asia Pacific Innovations Project Research Excellence Award, ANU, 2019 (AU\$ 9,980)
- Asia Pacific Innovations Project, ANU, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 (AU\$ 3,000 x5)
- Vice Chancellor's Early Career Researcher Travel Grant, ANU, 2016, 2019 (AU\$ 3,000 x2)
- School of International, Political, and Strategic Studies, ANU, Travel Grant, 2014 (AU\$ 12,000)
- Ethel Boies Morgan Fellowship, Yale University, 2011-12 (\$US 27,000)
- Yale University Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University, 2011-2012 (US\$ 27,000)
- John F. Enders Fellowship, Yale University, Summer 2011 (US\$ 2,000)
- Fox Fellowship, Yale University: taken up at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 2010-1011 (\$US 30,000)
- The Council on Southeast Asian Studies Fellowship, Yale University, 2008 (\$US 3,000)
- McMillan Center Pre-Dissertation Grant, Yale University, 2008 (\$US 4,000)
- Program on Agrarian Studies Fellowship, Yale University, 2008 (declined)
- John M. Olin Foundation, Yale University, 2007 (\$US 2,000)
- The Georg Walter Leitner Program in International and Comparative Political Economy, Yale University, 2007 (\$US 3,500)

 PRESENTATIONS IN ASSOCIATION CONFERENCES

- American Political Science Association (2011, 2012[†], 2013*, 2016*, 2019, 2020[‡])
- American Sociological Association (2012)
- Asian Studies Association of Australia (2016)
- Association for Asian Studies (2019*)
- Australian Conference on Personality and Individual Differences (2019*)
- Australian Political Studies Association (2013, 2017)
- Australian Society for Quantitative Political Science (2014, 2015, 2017)
- European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Joint Sessions of Workshops (2016)
- European Political Science Association (2013, 2014*, 2019*)
- International Political Science Association (2018)
- Midwest Political Science Association (2009, 2010, 2014*, 2016*, 2019*)
- Political Studies Association (2017*)

- Women’s Forum of the Asian Studies Association of Australia (2019)

* Presented by co-author

† Cancelled due to Hurricane Katrina

‡ Online delivery due to COVID-19

INVITED TALKS, WORKSHOPS, AND KEYNOTE SPEAKING EVENTS

- 2021 *Populism and Democracy in the Times of the Pandemic* Virtual Speaker Series, University of Wisconsin-Madison & University of Brasilia (scheduled, April)[‡]
- 2020 Pacific International Politics Conference Online Speaker Series (scheduled, August)[‡]; Dublin City University, School of Law and Government (Dublin)
- 2019 Alfred Deakin Institute for Citizenship and Globalization, conference *After Liberalism? Populism and the Future of Democracy*, keynote speaker (Melbourne); Academia Sinica, Institute of Sociology, conference on populism, keynote speaker (Taipei, Taiwan); University of Essex, Department of Government (Colchester, UK); Johns Hopkins University, Department of Political Science (Baltimore); UN Women, *Expert Group Meeting on Populism, Nationalism and Gender Equality in South and Southeast Asia* (Bangkok, Thailand)
- 2018 Griffith University, School of Government and International Relations (Brisbane, Australia)
- 2013 Columbia University, *Harriman Institute Conference on Power Brokers and Armed Groups*
- 2012 Trinity College Dublin, Department of Political Science (Dublin); Dublin City University, School of Law and Government (Dublin); University College Cork, Department of Philosophy (Cork) University College Dublin, School of Economics (Dublin)
- 2010 Kerala Council for Historical Research, (Thiruvananthapuram, India); *Centre de Sciences Humaines* (CSH) (New Delhi, India)

‡ Online delivery due to COVID-19

VISITING POSITIONS & FELLOWSHIPS

- Australian National University: Visiting Fellow (July 2020-Present)
- Dublin City University: Visiting Academic (Jan/Feb 2020)
- Trinity College Dublin: Assistant Professor of Political Science (Visiting) (2012-2013)
- University of Oxford: Visiting Academic (2011-12)
- University College Dublin: Geary Institute Visiting Fellow (2011-12)

TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

- Undergraduate
Comparative Politics (Asia-Pacific), ANU, 2015, 2016, 2017
State-Society Relations in Asia and the Pacific, ANU, 2013
Violence, Poverty, and Politics in India, ANU 2018
Politics of South Asia, ANU, 2014
Comparative Politics, Trinity College Dublin, 2012-13
Dynamics of Civil War, Yale University, 2009

- Graduate
Violence and Political Order, Trinity College Dublin, 2013; ANU 2018, 2019
Comparative Politics of Asia and the Pacific, ANU, 2017
Government Institutions, Trinity College Dublin, 2012
Government and Politics of the European Union, Trinity College Dublin, 2013

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Referee for:
Journals (selected): *American Political Science Review*; *Asian Survey*; *British Journal of Political Science*; *Comparative Political Studies*; *Comparative Politics*; *European Journal of Political Research*; *International Feminist Journal of Politics*; *International Sociology*; *International Theory*; *Journal of Contemporary Asia*; *Journal of Current Southeast Asian Affairs*; *Journal of Illicit Economies and Development*; *Journal of Peace Research*; *Journal of Politics in Latin America*; *Legislative Studies Quarterly*; *Philippine Political Science Journal*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Political Studies*; *Studies in Comparative International Development*; *West European Politics*.
Presses: *Cambridge University Press*; *Oxford University Press*; *Brill*; *Bristol University Press*
Institutions: *National Science Foundation (USA)*
- Prize Committee Chair, Oceanic Conference on International Studies (OCIS), Oceania Book Prize for International Studies (2020)

DEPARTMENTAL AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Head of Department of Political and Social Change, ANU (2018–2020)
- Board Member, South Asia Research Institute (SARI), ANU (2015–2020)
- Director of Studies, Department of Political and Social Change, ANU (2016–2018)
- Convener of Master of Political Science, Coral Bell School of Asia-Pacific Affairs and School of Politics and International Relations, ANU (Jan–Jul 2018)
- Education Committee, Coral Bell School of Asia Pacific Affairs, ANU (2016–2018)
- Research Committee, Coral Bell School of Asia Pacific Affairs, ANU (2015–2018)
- India Regional Reference Group, ANU (2014–2015)
- Committee for redesign of Bachelor of Asian Studies degree, College of Asia and the Pacific, ANU (2013)

MEDIA

- Contributor: *The Guardian*, *The Washington Post* – *Monkey Cage*, *East Asia Forum*, *New Mandala*
- Interviews: *AFP*, *Australian Financial Review*, *BBC*, *Bloomberg*, *Reuters*, *SBS News*, *South China Morning Post*
- Appearances: *ABC Radio*, *Sky News*

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

- American Political Science Association (member)
- Asian Studies Association of Australia (member)
- Australian Political Studies Association (member)
- Australian Society for Quantitative Political Science (member)
- Households in Conflict Network (HiCN) (affiliate)

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (FHEA) (2016–present)