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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Democratic Theory, International Relations Theory, Political Epistemology, Constitutional Law	
EDUCATION	University of California San Diego , La Jolla, CA Ph.D. Candidate in Political Science <i>Dissertation Committee:</i> Wiens (chair), Goldman, Haggard, Ingham	2022
	M.A. Political Science <i>Examination Fields:</i> Political Theory, International Relations <i>Examination Committee:</i> Ingham, Slantchev, Wiens	2020
	William and Mary Law School , Williamsburg, VA J.D. Law <i>Concentrations:</i> Election Law, Constitutional Law, Intellectual Property Visiting Student at Instituto de Empresa & IE Colegio Mayor (Madrid)	2009
	The College of William and Mary , Williamsburg, VA B.A. Government, Economics (Philosophy)	2006
PUBLICATIONS	Draper, Matthew and Stephan Haggard. 2023. "The Authoritarian Challenge: Liberal Thinking on Autocracy and International Relations, 1930-1941." <i>International Theory</i> , 15(2), 208-233.	2023
	N. Martin, M. Draper, A. Lamey. 2020. "Justice: A Role-Immersion Game for Teaching Political Philosophy." <i>Teaching Philosophy</i> 43 (3), pp. 303-330.	2020
	APSA Blog Post: "Democracy is More than Just Voting." Appeared in Political Science Now and Raise the Vote.	2019
HONORS AND AWARDS	The Gerald Gaus Memorial PPE Essay Prize (PPE Society)	2022
	Teaching Excellence Award, UCSD Department of Political Science	2020
	Teaching Excellence Award, UCSD Department of Political Science	2019
CONFERENCES	Midwest Political Science Association , Chicago, IL <i>Panel:</i> "Theories of Democracy and Governance"; <i>Chairs:</i> I. Chis, O. Silverman	April 2024
	Philosophy, Politics & Economics Society Annual Meeting , New Orleans, LA <i>Paper accepted, unable to attend due to illness.</i>	Nov. 2023
	Oxford Graduate Conference in Political Theory , Oxford, UK <i>Panel I - "Getting Social Change Right"; Chair: Gideon Elford</i>	April 2023
	Philosophy, Politics & Economics Society Annual Meeting , New Orleans, LA <i>The Gerald Gaus Memorial PPE Essay Prize Session</i> <i>Chair: Chad Van Schoelandt; Discussants: Helen McCabe, Luc Bovens</i>	Nov. 2022
	Association for Political Theory Annual Meeting , Houston, TX <i>Panel II.B - "Populism and Elites"; Chair: Heather Pincock, Discussant: Nazli Konya</i>	Oct. 2022
	Princeton Graduate Conference in Political Theory , Princeton, NJ <i>Chair: Ian Walling; Discussant: Jose Sanchez</i>	May 2022
	Midwest Political Science Association , Chicago, IL <i>Panel - "Theory and Institutions"; Chair: Diana Boros</i>	April 2022
	Western Political Science Association , Los Angeles, CA <i>Panel 14.11 - "Defining Our Terms"; Chair: Amit Ron, Discussant: Jyl Josephson</i>	April 2020

TEACHING	Instructor of Record (University of California San Diego)	
	Political Thought from Plato to Augustine	2024
	Constitutional Law	2024
	Introduction to Political Theory: Power and Justice	2024
	Democracy and Autocracy	2024
	Civil Liberties and Fundamental Rights	2023
	Ethics and Society	2024, 2022, 2021
	Law and Politics	2022
	Teaching Assistant With Discussion Sections (University of California San Diego)	
	Ethics and Society	2020, 2019
	Power and Justice	2019
	Teaching Assistant (University of California San Diego)	
	Politics of European Integration (Fisk)	2023
	Judicial Politics (Smith)	2023
	Marxist Political Thought (Hoston)	2023, 2022
	Chinese and Japanese Political Thought I (Hoston)	2022, 2020
	Political Thought from Plato to Augustine (Wiens)	2021
	Game Theory (Ingham)	2020
	The Supreme Court and the Constitution (Smith)	2020
	Chinese and Japanese Political Thought II (Hoston)	2020
Political Thought from Machiavelli to Rousseau (Wiens)	2019	
Political Thought from Kant to Nietzsche (Ingham)	2019	
Law and Politics (Smith)	2019	
The United States Congress (Spangler)	2019	
United States Foreign Policy (Gartzke)	2019	
ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT	The Center for Global Justice , University of California, San Diego, CA <i>Graduate Researcher</i>	2023 - 2024
	The Adam Smith Review , University of California, San Diego, CA <i>Editorial Assistant</i>	2019 - 2023
	Minerva Research Initiative (Stephen Biddle, PI) <i>Consultant</i>	2021 - 2022
	School of Global Policy and Strategy , University of California, San Diego, CA <i>Research Assistant</i>	2021 - 2023
LANGUAGES AND SKILLS	English, French, Spanish (fluent) Italian, Latin, Greek (proficient) R, Stata, Markdown, Knitr, Beamer, L ^A T _E X CITI Human Subjects Certification: Social and Behavioral Research	
SERVICE	UCSD Graduate and Professional Student Association, San Diego, CA <i>Graduate Student Assembly Representative</i>	2019 - 2020
	UCSD Pre-Law Board, San Diego, CA <i>Board Member</i>	2019 - 2024

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