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#### **EMPLOYMENT**

2018-present **Assistant Professor,** Department of Political Science, Rockefeller College of Public Affairs and Policy, University at Albany, SUNY

2017-2018 **Post-Doctoral Fellow,** Department of Political Science, Rockefeller College of

Public Affairs and Policy, University at Albany, SUNY

#### OTHER PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2020-present Non-Resident Fellow, The Stimson Center, Washington D.C.

2020-present Expert Advisory Board Member, Islamabad Policy Research Institute, Pakistan

## **EDUCATION**

2011-2017 Yale University

Ph.D., Political Science

Committee: Steven Wilkinson (chair), Elisabeth Wood, Tariq Thachil, and Jason

Lyall.

2007-2009 Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies

M.A., International Relations with Distinction

2001-2005 Haverford College

B.A., English with Honors, magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **BOOKS**

Authors listed alphabetically, equal contribution

Pakistan's Political Parties: Surviving Between Dictatorship and Democracy. 2020. Edited Volume, coedited with Mariam Mufti and Sahar Shafqat. Georgetown University Press.

Media coverage & reviews: Commonwealth and Comparative Politics, Dawn Newspaper (Pakistan), The News (Pakistan), Daily Times (Pakistan), Naya Daur (Pakistan), Samaa TV, Bloomsbury Pakistan, UC-Berkeley South Asia Reading Group.

#### PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

Authors listed alphabetically, all publications have equal contribution

"Public Opinion and Crisis Behavior in a Nuclearized South Asia." 2021. *International Studies Quarterly*, with Christopher Clary and Sameer Lalwani. Published ahead of print, June 2. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1093/isq/sqab042">https://doi.org/10.1093/isq/sqab042</a>

"Voters and Foreign Policy: Evidence from a Conjoint Experiment in Pakistan." 2021. Foreign Policy Analysis 17(2), with Christopher Clary.

"Who Do You Believe? Political Parties and Conspiracy Theories in Pakistan." 2020. *Party Politics* 26(2): 107-119.

"National Identity, Religious Tolerance, and Group Conflict: Insights from a Survey Experiment in Pakistan." 2020. *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 37(1): 58-82, with Michael Kalin.

Winner of the 2020 Palmer Prize for best article published in CMPS in 2020.

"Secular Party Rule and Religious Violence in Pakistan." 2018. *American Political Science Review* 112 (1): 49-67, with Gareth Nellis.

Featured in The Hindu.

"Islam's Political Disadvantage: Corruption and Religiosity in Quetta, Pakistan." 2016. *Politics & Religion* 9 (3): 456-480, with Michael Kalin.

#### **BOOK CHAPTERS**

"Introduction: Pakistan's Political Parties in an Era of Transitions." 2020. In *Pakistan's Political Parties: Surviving Between Dictatorship and Democracy,* Georgetown University Press, with Mariam Mufti and Sahar Shafqat.

"Religiosity & Political Behavior in Pakistan." 2020. Oxford Handbook of Politics in Muslim Societies, eds. Melani Cammett and Pauline Jones. Oxford: Oxford University Press. Published online September 2020.

"Strategic Violence Among Religious Parties in Pakistan." 2019. Oxford Encyclopedia of Politics & Religion. Published online March 2019.

"Obama and the U.S.-Pakistan Marriage of Convenience." 2017. In *The World Views of the Obama Era*, ed. Matthias Maass. New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, with Christopher Clary.

"Mawlana Mawdudi and the Development of Islamic Political Discourse." 2013. In Oxford Handbook on Islam and Politics, ed. John Esposito. Oxford: Oxford University Press, with Joshua White.

## NON-PEER REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

"Gender Ideology and the Jamaat-e-Islami." 2010. Current Trends in Islamist Ideology. Hudson Institute, Vol. 10.

"Of Note: Extraordinary Rendition and Transatlantic Intelligence Cooperation." 2008. SAIS Review 28 (1).

#### **WORKING PAPERS AND WORKS IN PROGRESS**

Under the Gun: Parties, Violence, and Democracy in Pakistan (book manuscript, under review)

"Can Appeals for Peace Promote Tolerance and Mitigate Support for Extremism? Evidence from an Experiment with Adolescents in Burkina Faso," with Allison Grossman and William Nomikos. Revise & resubmit, Journal of Experimental Political Science.

"Third Party Presence & the Political Salience of Ethnicity in Survey Data," with Mashail Malik.

"Under the Gun: Political Parties and Violence in Karachi, Pakistan."

"Does Nationalist Sentiment Increase Belief in Misinformation? Experimental Evidence from Pakistan," with Asfandyar Mir.

"What makes a Pakistani Hawk? Exploring Pakistani Public Opinion and Foreign Policy," with Christopher Clary, Sameer Lalwani, and Hamza Shad.

"Local Solutions to Local Problems? Evaluating the Effectiveness of Educational Programs to Reduce Interethnic Tensions and Local Violence," with Allison Grossman and William Nomikos.

"Reducing Prejudice Toward Rural-to-Urban Migrants: A Survey Experiment," with Mashail Malik.

#### **OTHER WRITINGS**

"Exposure to Violence and Voting in Karachi, Pakistan," *United States Institute of Peace* Special Report no. 450, June 2019, with Mashail Malik.

"How to Handle Pakistan's New Hardliners," Pakistan Policy Symposium Policy Brief Series, *Wilson Center*, February 2019.

"Pakistan's Electoral Outlook," *Asia Dialogue*, University of Nottingham Asia Research Institute, July 22, 2018

"Will Pakistan's Elections be Free and Fair?" *BBC Hindi*, July 24, 2018 (translated into Hindi)

"Pakistani Militants have Created their Own Political Party. Can it Actually Win Votes?" *Monkey Cage*, Washington Post, May 7, 2018, with Yelena Biberman.

"What's Behind the Islamist Protests in Pakistan?", *Monkey Cage*, Washington Post, December 8, 2017

"A New Survey Shows that Pakistanis Penalize Candidates for Religious Piety," *Monkey Cage*, Washington Post, August 19, 2016, with Michael Kalin.

"Sectarian Violence and Intolerance," Middle East Institute, May 27, 2015

"The Politics and Economics of Pakistan's Youth." Think piece for *UNDP Human Development Report* Pakistan 2015 as contributing author. December 2014.

"Religious Authority and the Promotion of Sectarian Tolerance in Pakistan," *United States Institute of Peace* Special Report, October 2014, with Michael Kalin.

"Pakistan-U.S. Trust Deficit," Dawn Newspaper, June 19, 2011, with Joshua T. White.

"Broken Justice," Foreign Policy.com, February 1, 2011.

# FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

Palmer Prize, Peace Science Society, for best article published in Conflict Management and Peace Science in 2020

Martin Edelman Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching, University at Albany, 2020

Yale University Dissertation Completion Fellowship, 2014-2015

Yale MacMillan Dissertation Award, Fall 2014-Summer 2015

Christian A. Herter Award for highest GPA in graduating class, Johns Hopkins SAIS, 2009 John Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies Starr Foundation Fellowship, 2007-2009

Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies U.S.-Pakistan Relations Fund, 2008-2009

Phi Beta Kappa, Haverford College, 2005

Haverford College Fellowship, 2001-2005

## **GRANTS**

United States Institute of Peace Grant on Misinformation (co-PI), 2020 (\$45,650)

University at Albany Faculty Research Award Program, 2019 (\$4000)

International Growth Center (co-PI), 2020 (\$26,098)

Innovations for Poverty Action, Peace & Recovery Program, Pilot Grant (co-PI), 2019 (\$51,944) Innovations for Poverty Action, Peace & Recovery Program, Exploratory Grant (co-PI), 2018

(\$9,993)

US Institute of Peace Grant on 2018 Pakistan Elections (co-PI), 2017 (\$27,500)

Institute of Development and Economic Alternatives (co-PI), PhD Field Research Fund, 2015 (\$5000)

US Institute of Peace Research Grant (co-PI), 2013 (\$24,600)

Yale Leitner Program in International and Comparative Political Economy, 2013 (\$4,000) & 2015 (\$3000)

Yale MacMillan Center Pre-Dissertation Grant, 2012 (\$4,000)

Yale South Asia Center Summer Research Award, 2012 (\$2,600), 2013 (\$4,000) & 2015 (\$4,000)

American Institute of Pakistan Studies (AIPS) Travel Grant, 2008

Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies Summer Award, 2008

Haverford College Center for Peace and Global Citizenship Internship Grant, 2004

# **INVITED TALKS**

2021	Roundtable, "Rise of Nationalism: The Future of Democracy in the Golden Age,"
2021	Islamabad Policy Research Institute Research Design and Pre-Analysis Plans, discussion in graduate course, Emory
2021	University
2021	Roundtable, "Justice, Governance, and Contestation in Pakistan's Hybrid Regime," Yale University
2021	Roundtable on Pakistan's Political Parties, Stimson Center
2020	"Populism & Reconfiguration of State and Society," Islamabad Policy Research Institute
2020	Roundtable on Pakistan's Political Parties, St. Mary's College of Maryland
2020	"Under the Gun: Explaining Party Violence in Karachi, Pakistan," Brown University
2019	"Under the Gun: Political Parties and Violence in Pakistan," NYU-Abu Dhabi
2019	"Under the Gun: Political Violence in Karachi, Pakistan," Johns Hopkins School of
	Advanced International Studies
2019	"Conflict in Pakistan's Provinces," Federalism in South Asia Conference, Yale
	University
2018	"The Rise of New Religious Parties in Pakistan," Wilson Center, Washington DC
2018	"Exposure to Violence & the Pakistan 2018 Elections," United States Institute of
	Peace, Washington DC
2018	"How to Study Violent Extremism," Center for International Development, Albany
2017	"Under the Gun: Political Parties and Violence in Pakistan," University at Albany
2017	"Under the Gun: Political Parties and Violence in Pakistan," Boston College
2017	"Studying Violent Extremism," Gallup Pakistan, Islamabad, Pakistan
2017	"Sources of Youth Radicalization," United Nations Development Program, Islamabad & Peshawar, Pakistan
2016	"Political Parties, Patrons, and Power Brokers: The Political Logic of Sectarian
	Violence in Punjab, Pakistan," Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International
	Studies (SAIS), Washington D.C.
2015	"Survey Experiments & Research Methodology in Political Science," Gallup
	Pakistan, Islamabad, Pakistan
2015	"Religious Authority and the Promotion of Sectarian Tolerance," U.S. Embassy,
	Islamabad, Pakistan
2014	"Religious Authority and the Promotion of Sectarian Tolerance," U.S. Institute of
	Peace (USIP) Roundtable Discussion, Washington D.C.
2012	"Contemporary Political Developments in Pakistan," Yale University, Conference on
	Democracy in Pakistan, New Haven, CT

# CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOPS

2020 (cncld)	Conference on Islamic Parties, Lavash University, Quebec (Presenter)
2020 (cncld)	International Studies Association Conference, Honolulu (Presenter, Organizer)
2018	American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Boston (P)
2018	International Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco (P)
2018	Institutions & Societies Conference, University at Albany (Discussant)
2017	Comparative Politics Workshop, Yale University (P)
2017	Politics and History Workshop, University at Albany (P)

2017	International Studies Association Annual Conference, Baltimore (P, O)
2016	Order, Conflict, and Violence Workshop, Yale University (P, D)
2016	International Studies Association Annual Conference, Atlanta (P)
2015	South Asia Conference at the University of Wisconsin-Madison (P)
2015	American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, San Francisco (P)
2015	International Studies Association Annual Conference, New Orleans (P, O)
2015	Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago (P)
2014	American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Washington D.C. (P)
2014	Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago (P)
2014	International Studies Association Annual Conference, Toronto (P)
2013	Order, Conflict & Violence Workshop, Yale University (P, D)
2008	South Asia Conference at the University of Wisconsin-Madison (P)

# TEACHING

2020	University at Albany-SUNY Department of Political Science, Instructor
	Ethnic Politics (graduate/PhD course)
2019	University at Albany-SUNY Department of Political Science, Instructor
	Political Violence, Insurgency, and Terrorism (grad course)
2018	University at Albany-SUNY Department of Political Science, Instructor
	International Development in Conflict Settings (grad-undergrad)
2018-2020	University at Albany-SUNY Department of Political Science, Instructor
	Introduction to Quantitative Methods (graduate/MIA course)
2017, 2018	University at Albany-SUNY Department of Political Science, Instructor
	Politics of South Asia (undergraduate course)
2018, 2020	University at Albany-SUNY Department of Political Science, Instructor
	Violent Political Conflict (undergrad course)
2016	Yale University Department of Political Science, Teaching Fellow
	Development Under Fire
2015	Yale University Department of Political Science, Teaching Fellow
	Gandhi, King, and the Politics of Nonviolence
2013	Yale University Department of Political Science, Teaching Fellow
	Introduction to International Relations

# SELECT PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

2015-2017	Consultant, United Nations Development Program (UNDP)
2014	Graduate Program Summer Associate, RAND Corporation
2011	Consultant, International Crisis Group
2009-2011	Associate Program Officer, International Organization for Migration
2006-2007	Legal Assistant, American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)
2005-2006	Legal Assistant, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer for American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Asian Survey, Asian Security, Asian Journal of Comparative Politics, Comparative Political Studies, Conflict Management & Peace Science, Contemporary South Asia, European Journal of Development Research, European Journal of International Relations, International Migration, International Security, Journal of Comparative Politics, National Science Foundation, Oxford University Press, Party Politics, Politics & Religion, Political Science Research & Methods, Political Research Quarterly, SAGE Open, Security Studies, Social Science Review, World Politics.