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EDUCATION

Cornell University

Ph.D., Government

2021 – 2027 (expected)

· *IvyPlus Exchange, Columbia University*

Spring 2025

McGill University

M.A., Political Science

2019 – 2021

B.A., Political Science (Honours)

2016 – 2019

PUBLICATIONS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

“W.E.B. Du Bois and the Obstacle to Solidarity,” in progress.

“Crystal Eastman and the Transit of Internationalism through American Empire,” in progress.

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Awards

2023 Peter Uwe Hohendahl Graduate Essay Prize in Critical Theory, Cornell University

Grants

2026 Graduate School Conference Travel Grant, Cornell University

2025 Graduate School Conference Travel Grant, Cornell University

2024 American Studies Research Grant, Cornell University

Graduate School Research Travel Grant, Cornell University

2022 APSA Status of LGBT Individuals in the Profession Travel Grant

Graduate School Conference Travel Grant, Cornell University

President’s Travel Fund for the Humanities, Cornell University

School of Criticism and Theory Full Tuition Scholarship, Cornell University

2020 BEAR Network Graduate Mobility Grant (cancelled due to COVID-19)

Fellowships

2021-26 Sage Fellowship, Cornell University

2024-25 APSA Public Scholarship Fellowship

2019, 2020 Graduate Student Fellowship, Research Group on Constitutional Studies, McGill University

INVITED LECTURES, WORKSHOPS, AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“W. E. B. Du Bois and the Obstacle to Solidarity”

· *Activism as Political Theory* Conference, Princeton University, May 2, 2026.

“Crystal Eastman and the Transit of Internationalism Through American Empire”

- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2-4, 2026.
- *Politics & Gender* Conference, Rutgers University, May 28-29, 2025.
- University of Chicago Graduate Political Theory Conference, April 12-13, 2025.
- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 17-19, 2025.
- Stanford Graduate Political Theory Conference, February 7-8, 2025.

“‘A People’s Democracy on a Universal Scale’: Race, Empire, and Human Rights in Midcentury U.S. Activists’ Appeals to the United Nations”

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, September 5-8, 2024.
- Race and International Relations Workshop, University of Notre Dame, May 17 and 24, 2024.
- University of Chicago Graduate Political Theory Conference, April 12-13, 2024.
- Annual Global Political Thought Conference, Princeton University, April 26-27, 2024.
- Graduate Conference on Interactions in International and Domestic Human Rights, Columbia University, September 22, 2023.

“Revolution and the Universal Subject of History”

- Guest Lecture, GOVT 1615: Introduction to Political Theory, Cornell University, Spring 2023.

“‘The Spirit of the Thing’: The French and Haitian Revolutions and the Censorship of The Revolutionary Act in C. L. R. James’s *Black Jacobins*”

- *The Objects In/Of Psychoanalysis* Conference, Cornell University, September 23-24, 2022.

“Theory as Translation: Gramsci’s Reading of Machiavelli”

- *Rethinking Gramsci* Conference (Montreal, Canada), May 25-26, 2023.
- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (poster session), September 15-18, 2022.
- Princeton University Graduate Conference in Political Theory, May 6-7, 2022.
- Harvard University Annual Political Theory Conference, April 8, 2022.

“Containing ‘Barbarian Invaders’: Civilization, Barbarism, and Anti-Capitalist Resistance in Hobson, Lenin, and Hayek”

- UCLA Graduate Political Theory Conference, April 23-25, 2021.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record, Cornell University

Fall 2024	GOVT 1101: Politics of Social Change (First-Year Writing Seminar)
Spring 2024	GOVT 1101: Homegrown Anti-Imperialism (First-Year Writing Seminar)

Teaching Assistant, Cornell University

Fall 2026	GOVT 3061: Climate Politics in the U.S.
Summer 2026	GOVT 1817: Making Sense of World Politics
Spring 2026	GOVT 3583: Comparative Public Policy
Summer 2025	GOVT 1817: Making Sense of World Politics
Fall 2024	GOVT 3947: Race and World Politics (grader)
Fall 2023	GOVT 3947: Race and World Politics
Spring 2023	GOVT 1615: Introduction to Political Theory
Fall 2022	GOVT 3121: Crime and Punishment

Teaching Assistant, McGill University

Spring 2021	POLI 231: Introduction to Political Theory (grader) POLI 470: Philosophy, Economy, and Society (grader)
Fall 2020	POLI 432: Politics of Art
Summer 2020	POLI 366: Judgment, Pluralism, and Democracy (grader)
Spring 2020	POLI 365: Democratic Theory (French-language grader)
Fall 2019	POLI 329: Russian and Soviet Politics

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION AND THE UNIVERSITY

2025-26	Graduate Co-Coordinator, International Conference for the Study of Political Thought (Cornell University) Co-Organizer, <i>Activism as Political Theory</i> Conference (Princeton University)
2024-25	Graduate Co-Coordinator, Political Theory Workshop (Cornell University)
2023-24	Graduate Coordinator, Political Theory Workshop (Cornell University)
2022-23	Graduate Co-Coordinator, Political Theory Writing Colloquium (Cornell University)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Prof. K. Sabeel Rahman <i>Cornell Law School (Ithaca, NY)</i>	Fall 2023
Graduate Writing Service Tutor <i>John S. Knight Institute, Cornell University (Ithaca, NY)</i>	Summer 2023
Graduate Student Acquisitions Fellow <i>Cornell University Press (Ithaca, NY)</i>	Summer 2022
Coordinator, BEAR ("Between the EU and Russia") Research Network <i>McGill University (Montreal, Canada)</i>	2019 – 2021
Research Assistant for Prof. Jacob T. Levy <i>McGill University (Montreal, Canada)</i>	2019 – 2020

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming & Software	R, L ^A T _E X
Languages	Polish (native), English (fluent), French (fluent)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

American Political Science Association
Association for Political Thought
Western Political Science Association

REFERENCES

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