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EMPLOYMENT

Iowa State University

- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science
 - Jan 2015—

University of Technology, Sydney

- Postdoctoral Research Fellow, China Research Centre
 - July 2010—Dec 2014

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

- Ph.D., Political Science (May 2010)
 - Dissertation: Pressing Back—The Struggle for Control Over China’s Journalists
 - Committee: Kevin J. O’Brien (chair), Lowell Dittmer, Todd LaPorte, Tom Gold
 - Fields: Comparative Politics, East Asian Politics, Public Administration
- M.A., Political Science (2004)
 - Master’s project: Power for Sale—The Political Rationale and Consequences of the PLA’s Business Empire, 1978-1998

Amherst College

- B.A., Asian Languages and Civilizations (2002)
 - Magna Cum Laude, China Concentration

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- *China's Brave Journalists: How Committed Professionals are Challenging the Powerful and Changing China*, (book manuscript, revise and resubmit), Stanford University Press.
- "Doing Good or Doing Nothing? Celebrity, Media and Philanthropy in China" with Elaine Jeffries (forthcoming 2014), *Third World Quarterly*. Vol. 35. No. 10.
- "Scandals, Media and Government Responsiveness in China and Kenya" with Jennifer N. Brass (forthcoming 2014), *Journal of Asian and African Studies*.
- "State of Mind: Power, Time Zones, and Symbolic State Centralization" with Bartholomew Watson (2014), *Time & Society*. Vol. 23, No. 2 (Jul.), 167-194.
- "Amplifying Silence: Uncertainty and Control Parables in Contemporary China" with Rachel E. Stern (2012), *Comparative Political Studies*. Vol. 45, No. 10 (Oct.), 1230-1254.
- "Safety Valve or Pressure Cooker? Blogs in Chinese Political Life," (2012), *Journal of Communication*. Vol. 62 (Apr.), 212-230.
 - Also published in Michael Keane and Wanning Sun (eds.), *Chinese Media* (New York: Routledge, 2013), Vol. 1.
- "Four Models of the Fourth Estate: A Typology of Contemporary Chinese Journalists," (2011), *China Quarterly*. No. 208 (Dec.), 813-32.
- "China's Contentious Journalists: Reconceptualizing the Media," (2008). *Problems of Post-Communism*. Vol. 55, No. 4, (July/Aug.), 52-61.
- "Controlling the Chinese Media: An Uncertain Business," (2008). *Asian Survey*. Vol. 48, No. 3, (May/June), 414-30.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- “Review of *Cyber-nationalism in China*” (book), in *Continuum: Journal of Media and Cultural Studies* (2013) Vol. 27, No. 6, 936-938.
- “China’s Media Presses Forward – Slowly”
 - Invited to contribute by Cambridge University’s *Our Time Magazine* (2011)
 - Invited to contribute to Sydney PEN Magazine (2011)

WORKING AND CONFERENCE PAPERS

- “Political Contention on Chinese Micro-blogs: Motivation and Results”
 - Presented at the American Political Science Association (APSA)’s annual meeting, Chicago IL (Sep. 2013)
- “Chinese Government Responsiveness to Internet Opinion: Promising But Dangerous”
 - Under review
- “Place Names, Symbolic Power and the Chinese State”
 - Presented at the workshop on Chinese Symbolic Power in Comparative Perspective, Sydney (Aug. 2013)
- “The Politics of China’s Emerging Micro-blogs: Something New or More of the Same?”
 - Was to have been presented at the (subsequently canceled) APSA annual meeting, New Orleans LA (Sep. 2012)
- “Frenemy: How Chinese Print Journalists Perceive and Use the Internet” with Maria Repnikova (Oxford)
 - Under review
 - Presented at the 10th Annual China Internet Research Conference, Los Angeles CA (May 2012)

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2013-2014: Early Career Researcher Award, University of Technology, Sydney (AUS\$25,000)

- 2011-2012: Research Development Grant, University of Technology, Sydney (AUS\$15,000)
- 2009-2010: China Cultural Times Foundation Young Scholar Award (\$5,000)
- Spring 2009: Shung Ye Taiwanese Aboriginal Studies Fellowship (with Ray I. Orr) (\$7,500)
- Spring 2008: US Government Fulbright-Hays DDRA Fellowship (China) (\$23,000)
- Spring 2006: Berkeley Graduate Academic Progress Award (\$8,000)
- 2005-07: Amherst College John Woodruff Simpson Fellowship (\$8,000)
- Summer 2005: Center for Chinese Studies Summer Grant (\$2000)
- Summer 2005: Berkeley Graduate Division Summer Grant (\$2,500)
- 2003-05: Berkeley Graduate Division Fellowship (\$5,000)
- 2004-05: Amherst College Memorial Fellowship (\$3,000)
- 2004: Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Summer Grant (\$5,000)
- 2003-04: Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Academic Year Grant (\$15,000)

TEACHING INTERESTS

- Comparative Politics
 - Introduction to Comparative Politics
 - Chinese Politics
 - Symbolic Politics
 - Asian Politics

- Thinking about the State
- Power
- The Politics of Time and Space
- Comparative Authoritarianism

- Political Communication
 - Comparative Media Politics
 - The Media under Authoritarianism
 - Transnational Media

- New media
 - The Chinese Internet
 - Social Science of the Internet
 - Content Analysis Theory and Methods
 - The Internet and Authoritarianism

- Public Administration
 - Governance Theory
 - Organization Theory

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Spring 2015: Instructor, Chinese Politics and Introduction to International Studies
- Early 2013: Co-teacher (with Prof. Andrew Jakubowicz) for Transnational Media
- Spring 2009: Graduate Student Instructor, Political Science 140e, Extreme Encounters with Power. Prof: Kevin J. O'Brien
- Spring 2007: Graduate Student Instructor, Political Science 143c, Chinese Politics. Prof: Kevin J. O'Brien
- Fall 2005: Graduate Student Instructor, Political Science 124c, Ethics and Justice in International Affairs. Prof: Amy Gurowitz
- Spring 2005: Graduate Student Instructor, Political Science 2, Introduction to Comparative Politics. Prof: Andrew Janos
- Fall 2004: Graduate Student Instructor, Political Science 120, Introduction to International Relations. Prof: Amy Gurowitz

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

Peking University (Beijing, China)

- Visiting Scholar, Media and Communications Research Institute (2007-2008)
- Exchange student, language training (Spring 2001)

Qinghua University (Beijing, China)

- IUP Summer Abroad Program (Summer 2004)

PROFESSIONAL & SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- Manuscript reviewer (2010-)
 - *American Political Science Review*
 - *American Sociological Review*
 - *Asian Journal of Communication*
 - *Asian Studies Review*
 - *Asian Survey*
 - *The China Journal*
 - *China Perspectives*
 - *Communication, Politics & Culture*
 - *The Information Society*
 - *The International Journal of Press/Politics*
 - *Journal of Communication*
 - *Modern China*
 - *New Media & Society*
 - *Pacific Journalism Review*
- External PhD examiner (UNSW)
- External undergraduate honours thesis examiner (U. Wollongong)
- Invited guest lectures at U. Tech. Sydney (2012, 2013, 2014), U. Sydney (2012)
- August 2013: Organizer and convener of the Chinese Symbolic

Power in Comparative Perspective Workshop (U. Tech. Sydney)

- July 2011: Co-organizer of the Workshop on Preserving Stability in China conference (U. Tech. Sydney)

Languages

- Mandarin Chinese
- Latin

REFERENCES

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