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EDUCATION

PhD: Georgetown University, 2016

Dissertation Title: *Three Papers on Trade Politics*

Dissertation Committee: Marc Busch (chair), Jennifer Tobin, and Erik Voeten

Masters of Public Policy: Georgetown University, 2009

BA: Boston College, 2007

Magna cum laude

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Department of Commerce, Office of the Inspector General, 2009-present

Lead Statistician of the Data Analytics Team, and Presidential Management Fellow

The World Bank, 2009; 2014-present

Consultant for the Voice Secondment Program

Boston College, 2005-2007

Research Assistant for Professors David Deese and Kathleen Bailey

TEACHING POSITIONS

Georgetown University, 2009-2011

Teaching Assistant for the following courses:

- Capstone Course in Political Economy with George Shambaugh and Anders Olofsgard (2011)
- Introduction to International Relations with Elizabeth Grimm (2010)
- Capstone Course in Political Economy with Kathleen McNamara and Raj Desai (2010)
- Introduction to International Relations with Victor Cha (2009)

Let's Get Ready Boston, 2008

Director – hired tutors and taught SAT and college prep courses for low-income students.

WORKING PAPERS

- “Attention Must Be Paid: Political Awareness and Trade Policy Preferences.” Co-authored with Yu-Ming Liou. *Under Review*
- “If You Can’t Say Something Protectionist: Why Politicians Do Not Claim Credit for Trade Liberalization.”
- “No, No They Can’t Take That Away From Me: Why Friends of the United States Are More Likely to Use the Generalized System of Preferences.” Co-authored with Jennifer Tobin and Marc Busch.
- “Rising Female Mortality Rates and Political Ideology.” Co-authored with Yu-Ming Liou and Fouad Pervez.

SELECTED CONFERENCE PAPERS

- “No, No They Can’t Take That Away From Me: Why Friends of the United States Are More Likely to Use the Generalized System of Preferences.” Co-authored with Jennifer Tobin and Marc Busch and presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA: September 1-4, 2016.
- “If You Can’t Say Something Protectionist: Why Politicians Do Not Claim Credit for Trade Liberalization.” Co-authored with Yu-Ming Liou and presented at the International Studies Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA: February 18-21, 2015.
- “Rising Female Mortality Rates and Political Ideology.” Co-authored with Yu-Ming Liou and Fouad Pervez and presented at a poster session at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC: August 28-September 1, 2014.
- “Attention Must Be Paid: Political Awareness and Trade Policy Preferences.” Co-authored with Yu-Ming Liou and presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 3-6, 2014. *Under Review*
- “Pricing Risk: Market Reactions to WTO Anti-Dumping Cases.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL: April 12-15, 2012.
- Corruption and FDI: the Relationship between Host State Corruption and Investor State Willingness to Bribe.” Georgetown University Public Policy Institute Master’s Thesis, April 2009.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Department of Commerce Gold Medal Award (2016)
- Department of Commerce Bronze Medal Award (2016)
- Department of Commerce Gold Medal Award (2015)
- Department of Commerce Silver Medal Award (2015)
- Department of Commerce Gold Medal Award (2014)
- Council of Inspector Generals on Integrity and Efficiency Award for Excellence (2014)
- Department of Commerce Bronze Medal Award (2013)
- Department of Commerce Gold Medal Award (2012)
- Department of Commerce Bronze Medal Award (2011)
- Department of Commerce Gold Medal Award (2010)
- CIGIE Glenn/Roth Award for Exemplary Service (2010)
- Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research – ICPSR (2009)
- Presidential Management Fellowship (2009-2011)
- Boston College Donald S. Carlisle Award (2007)
- Debate: 3-time state champion, 3-time national finalist, 5th in nation (2001-2003)

COMPUTER PROFICIENCIES

- SAS – expert
- Stata and R – proficient
- Other: ArcGIS, LaTeX, Microsoft Access, Project, and Excel, IDEA, Adobe Professional, TeamMate, and learning Python

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- American Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association

REFERENCES

Marc Busch
 Jennifer Tobin
 Erik Voeten