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APPOINTMENTS

Visiting Professor, Department of Political Science, UFPE, Brazil. 2016–

Postdoctoral Research Associate, Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions, Vanderbilt University. 2015-2016

EDUCATION

Degree Programs

Ph.D., Political Science 2015
University of Notre Dame, IN
Fields: Comparative Politics and American Politics
Dissertation Title: “The Failures of Electoral Accountability for Corruption: Brazil and Beyond”

Recipient of the 2016 Shaheen Graduate School Award in Social Science.

M.A., Political Science 2012
University of Notre Dame, IN

M.A., Political Science 2009
University of São Paulo, Brazil

B.A., Social Sciences 2005
Federal University of Pernambuco, Brazil

Non-Degree Programs

IQMR, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research 2012
Syracuse University, NY

ICPSR, Summer Program in Quantitative Methods for Social Research 2011
University of Michigan, MI

Exchange Program, Bilateral Consortium of Political Science
 University of Texas at Austin, TX 2004

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

External

Fulbright PhD Fellowship 2009-2013
 World Fellowship, Delta Kappa Gamma Society International 2009-2010

University of Notre Dame

Kellogg Institute Dissertation Year Fellowship (\$21,000) 2014
 Kellogg Institute Graduate Research Grant (\$7,000) 2012
 Summer Language Abroad (SLA) (\$5,500) 2012
 Kellogg Institute Graduate Research Grant (\$7,000) 2011
 ISLA Graduate Student Professional Development Awards (\$2,500) 2011
 Graduate School Professional Development Funds (\$1,000) 2011
 The Kellogg Institute Support for Conference Travel (\$1,200) 2010
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 The Nanovic Initiative Grant (\$650) 2010

Others

Master's fellowship from FAPESP (São Paulo's Research Agency) 2006-2008
 Undergraduate Fellowship from CAPES/FIPSE 2002-2005

AWARDS AND HONORS

Shaheen Graduate School Award in Social Science 2016
 Award of Distinction for Masters Thesis 2009
Summa Cum Laude Honors 2005

BOOK MANUSCRIPT (*In Progress*)

The Failures of Electoral Accountability for Corruption: Brazil and Beyond

PUBLICATIONS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

2016. Conditional Cash Transfer Programs and Electoral Accountability: Evidence From Latin America. *Latin American Politics and Society*, 58(2).

2015. Says Who? An experiment on allegations of Corruption and Credibility of Sources. *Political Research Quarterly*, 68(3): 493-504. With Sandra Botero, Laura Gamboa, Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, and David Nickerson.

2011. Configurações de Homicídios em Recife: um estudo de caso. *Segurança, Justiça e Cidadania*:

Pesquisas Aplicadas em Segurança Pública, 6: 73-90. With José Luiz Ratton, Clarissa Galvão and Rayane Andrade.

2009. Mulheres, Violência e Percepção da Violência em Pernambuco. In: João Trajano Sento Sé. (Org.). *Segurança Pública, outros olhares, novas possibilidades*. Brasília: SPM. 88-103. With José Luiz Ratton.

Under Review

“Why We Don’t Just Throw The Rascals Out: The Limits to Electoral Accountability”

“Are All Types of Corruption Created Equal in the Eyes of Voters? (with Sandra Botero, Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, Laura Gamboa, and David Nickerson)

“Under Friendly Fire: Partisan press, political fragmentation and candidate evaluations in Argentina” (with Sandra Botero, Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, Laura Gamboa, and David Nickerson)

Work in Progress

“Echoes or Choices? The Determinants of Perceived Differences In Electoral Choice Options.”

“Coming to Terms With the Inevitable? Understanding Tolerance Toward Corruption”

“Campaign Images and Citizen-Politician Linkages: Exploring Presidential Campaigns in Chile, Colombia, Kenya, and Mali” (with Jaimie Bleck and Pilar Giannini)

Other

(2013) “Cleaning House In Brazil”. *The Global Journal*. March & April.

(2010) “Dataset Review: Counting Veto Players”, *Newsletter of the American Political Science Association Organized Section in Comparative Politics*. Volume 21, Number 1.

INVITED TALKS

Democracy Week, Instituto Atuação, Curitiba, Brazil Book Manuscript: <i>The Failures of Electoral Accountability for Corruption: Brazil and Beyond</i>	2016
Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg, Sweden Book Manuscript: <i>The Failures of Electoral Accountability for Corruption: Brazil and Beyond</i>	2015
Department of Political Science, Vanderbilt University	2015

Book Manuscript: *The Failures of Electoral Accountability for Corruption: Brazil and Beyond*

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| Inter-American Development Bank, DC | 2014 |
| Workshop: Evaluating Transparency Initiatives Using Field Experiments
“Are All Types of Corruption Created Equal in the Eyes of Voters?” | |
| Department of Political Science, University of São Paulo, Brazil | 2012 |
| “When democratic accountability fails and corruption thrives: Institutional and attitudinal explanations for why informed voters do not punish corrupt politicians” | |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Dissertation Field Research

Focus Groups, Interviews, Survey, and Experiments
Brazil Aug. 2012 - Jun. 2013

Research Assistant

Campaign Posters and Politician-Citizen Linkages
Prof. Jaimie Bleck 2013

Democratic Transition and Consolidation in Latin America
Prof. Scott Mainwaring & Aníbal Pérez-Liñán 2010-2011

The redistributive impacts of Judicial Decisions
Prof. Daniel Brinks 2010

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

International Political Economy Fall 2014
University of Notre Dame, IN

International Political Economy Spring 2014
University of Notre Dame, IN

Introduction Comparative Politics (Discussion Section leader) Spring 2012
University of Notre Dame, IN

Introduction to Comparative Politics (Discussion Section leader) Fall 2011
University of Notre Dame, IN

Introduction to International Relations (Discussion Section leader) Fall 2010
University of Notre Dame, IN

Introduction to Political Science Spring 2007
University of So Paulo, Brazil

PRESENTATIONS

<i>Coming to Terms With the Inevitable? Understanding Tolerance Toward Corruption</i>	
American Political Science Association, Philadelphia	2016
Latin America Studies Association, New York	2016
<i>Why Do Voters Tolerate Corruption? Evidence From Brazil</i>	
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago	2016
International Studies Association Annual Convention, Atlanta	2016
<i>Why We Don't Throw The Rascals Out: The (Cynical) Limits to Electoral Accountability</i>	
American Political Science Association, San Francisco	2015
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago	2015
Latin America Studies Association, Chicago	2014
<i>Campaign Images and Citizen-Politician Linkages: Exploring Presidential Campaigns in Chile, Colombia, Kenya, and Mali</i>	
Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago	2014
<i>Are All Types of Corruption Created Equal in the Eyes of Voters?</i>	
Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago	2014
<i>Conditional Cash Transfers Programs and Electoral Accountability: Evidence from Latin America</i>	
Department of Political Science, University Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	2013
Comparative Politics Discussion Seminar, University of Notre Dame	2013
Latin American Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA	2012
<i>Veto Players and Corruption: A Preliminary Analysis</i>	
Ronald Coase Institute Workshop, Shanghai, China	2010
International Society for New Institutional Economics, Stirling, Scotland	2010

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Reviewer for: *American Political Science Review (APSR)*, *American Journal of Political Science (AJPS)*, *Journal of Politics (JOP)*, *Governance*, *Latin American Politics and Society (LAPS)*, and *Latin American Research Review (LARR)*.

SERVICE

<i>University of Notre Dame</i>	
Comparative Politics Search Committee Member	2010
Comparative Politics Search Committee Member	2011

SKILLS AND LANGUAGES

Skills

Stata, Latex, R.

Languages

English, Portuguese, and Spanish.

REFERENCES

Scott Mainwaring (*Dissertation Committee Chair*)

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