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Education

Duke University

Ph.D, Department of Political Science (completed in May 2009)

- Concentrations in Comparative Politics, Turkish Studies, and Methodology
- Dissertation: "Electoral Institutions, Intra-Party Competition, and Political Conflict"
- Dissertation Committee:
 - Herbert Kitschelt, Dept. of Political Science (Co-chair)
 - Emerson Niou, Dept. of Political Science (Co-chair)
 - Timur Kuran, Dept. of Economics
 - Pablo Beramendi, Dept. of Political Science
 - Judith Kelley, School of Public Policy

Masters Degree, Dept of Economics (completed in December 2008)

- Thesis: "Governance and Intra-Party Choice"
- Thesis Committee:
 - Charles Becker, Dept of Economics
 - Curtis Taylor, Dept of Economics
 - Emerson Niou, Dept of Political Science

Indiana University

B.A. Political Science, *Summa Cum Laude* (2000)

B.A. Philosophy, *Summa Cum Laude* (2000)

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po); Paris, France

Diplôme, *High Distinction* (2000)

Academic Employment

University of Notre Dame

Visiting Fellow, Kellogg Institute for International Studies (Fall 2009)

Juan March Institute (Madrid, Spain)

Junior Research Fellowship, Center for Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences (January 2010 to January 2013)

Peer-Reviewed Publications

- 2011 "Protest Voting in Plurality Elections: a Theory of Electoral Signaling." (with Emerson Niou). *Public Choice* Volume 148, no. 3 (395-418).
- 2010 "Strategic Voting in Plurality Elections." (with Emerson Niou). *Political Analysis*, vol. 18, no. 2 (227-244).

Chapters in Edited Volumes

- 2011 “Electoral Institutions and Political Corruption: Ballot Structure, Electoral Formula, and Graft.” In Norman Schofield and Gonzalo Caballero (eds), *Political Economy of Institutions, Democracy, and Voting*. London: Springer.
- 2011 “A Model of Party Entry in Parliamentary Systems with Proportional Representation.” In Norman Schofield and Gonzalo Caballero (eds), *Political Economy of Institutions, Democracy, and Voting*. London: Springer.

Other Publications

- 2011 “A Political Economy of Electoral Institutions: Proportionality, Personalism, and Economic Policy.” Forthcoming, *Kellogg Institute Working Paper Series*, University of Notre Dame.
- 2010 “Electoral Institutions, Legislative Accountability, and Political Corruption.” *Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences* (Juan March Institute), Working Paper 2010/249, June 2010.

Working Papers

-*Crowded Space, Fertile Ground: A Model of Party Entry with Macro- and Micro-Level Evidence* (with Ellie Powell and Joshua Tucker). Under Review for Publication.

-*Median-Activists or Median-Voters? A Spatial Model with Intra-Party Competition*. Under Review for Publication.

-*The Effect of Democratic Experience on Political Parties' Linkage Strategies* (with Herbert Kitschelt). To be submitted as part of Special Issue on Political Parties in Young Democracies.

-*The Organizational Foundations of Democratic Accountability: Organizational Form and the Choice of Electoral Linkage Strategy* (with Herbert Kitschelt). Paper presented at the 2011 Conference on Democratic Accountability, Duke University, Sept 1st-Sept 5th.

-*Easy Come, Easy Go.' Party Entry, Party Discipline, and Party Switching in the Turkish Grand National Assembly*. Manuscript, Juan March Institute (Dissertation Chapter currently under revision).

-*A Spatial Model with Endogenous Linkage Strategies*. Presented at the 2009 Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, September 2nd-5th; and at the 2009 Conference on Vote-Maximizing Behavior of Political Parties, organized by Guillermo Rosas and Margit Tavits, Center in Political-Economy, Washington University (St. Louis), November 5th-7th.

Grants and Awards

- <u>Instituto Impresa Teaching Award</u> : Reconocimiento á la Excelencia Docente	2011
- <u>Kellogg Institute for International Studies</u> : Visiting Fellow.	2009
- <u>Bass Instructorship Award</u> for PS 199 , <i>Democracy and Stability in the Modern Middle East</i>	2007-2008
- <u>National Science Foundation</u> Dissertation Improvement Grant	2006-2007
- <u>Foreign Language and Area Studies</u> (FLAS) Fellowship for Field Research in Turkey, Duke University Center for International Studies	2006-2007
- <u>Summer Research Fellowship</u> , Duke University Graduate School	2007
- <u>FLAS Fellowship</u> , Duke Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies (Turkish)	2004-2005
- <u>ABD with Distinction</u> , Duke University Department of Political Science	2004
- <u>FLAS Fellowship</u> , Duke Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies	2002-2003
- <u>Duke University Graduate Fellowship</u> , Dept of Political Science	2001-2007
- <u>Phi Beta Kappa</u> Honors Society	1999
- <u>Phi Sigma Alpha</u> Honors Society	1999
- <u>National Golden Key</u> Honors Society	1999
- <u>Balfour Fellowship</u> , Department of Philosophy, Indiana University	1999

Data Sets

- ☐ Party Switching in the Turkish Grand National Assembly, 1983-2007
- ☐ Survey on Democratic Linkages in 88 Contemporary Democracies
- ☐ Governance and Electoral Institutions in 85 Contemporary Democracies

Language Skills and Translation Experience

- ☐ English: Native Language
- ☐ French: Fluency in Reading, Writing, and Speaking.
- ☐ Turkish: High Capacity in Reading, Writing, and Speaking
- ☐ Spanish: High Capacity in Reading, Writing, and Speaking
- ☐ Translation from English to French: *Survey on Democratic Linkages* (Duke University)

Fieldwork and Collaborative Data Projects

February 2007 → August 2007; May 2008 → June 2008: 10 months of informant-driven interviews, archival research, and data-intensive fieldwork on contemporary Turkish politics, conducted primarily in Istanbul and the surrounding region.

September 2005 → present: country manager and survey designer for the *Survey on Democratic Accountability*, a World Bank and Duke University supported data collection project aimed at gathering expert information on political party organizations and citizen-politician linkages in 88 countries.

2006-2007: Collaboration with Professor Judith Kelley on the design of an empirical survey instrument and game theoretic model for the study of International Election Monitoring.

2002 (Summer) Kampala, Uganda: Archival research and in depth interviews with political and civil society actors concerning the writing of Uganda's Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper (PRSP).

Teaching Experience

- Instructor: Rational choice, Game Theory, and International Relations. Instituto Empresa Business School, Madrid Spain, Spring 2011.
- Instructor: Democracy, Elections, and Stability in the Modern Middle East (PS 199B). Duke University, Spring 2008.
- Co-Instructor: Business, Politics, and Economic Growth (PS 161). Duke University, Fall 2003; Primary Instructor Herbert Kitschelt.
- Teaching Assistant: Transnational Relations (PS 158). Duke University, Spring 2004; Instructor Robert Keohane.
- Teaching Assistant: International Security (PS 93); Duke University, Spring 2006; Instructor Alex Downes.
- Teaching Assistant: International Law (PS 158); Duke University, Fall 2005; Instructor Lenore Jones-Peretto.

Professional Activities

-*Invited Talk*, University of Vigo, June 2010: "Electoral Institutions and Corruption: Formulae, Ballot Structure, Graft." International Conference on Political-Economy and Institutions, invited by Norman Schofield and Gonzalo Caballero.

-*Invited Talk*, Washington University, St. Louis, November 2009: "A Spatial Model with Endogenous Linkage Strategies." Workshop on the Vote-Maximizing Behavior of Political Parties, invited by Guillermo Rosas and Margit Tavits.

-*Invited Talk*, September 2009: "Corruption and Intra-Party Choice: the Effect of Preference Voting on Democratic Governance." Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame.

-*Invited Talk*, June 2008: "Proportional Representation and Political Conflict." Dept of Political Science, Sabancı University (Istanbul), invited by Ali Çarkoğlu.

-*Invited Talk*, October 2006: "Cyclical Instability in the Turkish Republic." Duke University Center for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies, invited by Erdağ Göknaar.

-Anonymous Reviewer: *Public Choice*, *Journal of Politics*, and the *American Journal of Political Science*.

International and Community Service

Board of Directors (2007-present), Vice President of the Board of Directors (Feb 2010-present): The Minga Foundation, non-governmental organization which provides health care services to underserved communities in Ecuador and Ghana.

Field Organizer (2004-2008): Durham Congregations, Associations, and Neighborhoods (Durham CAN), an umbrella group which seeks to provide a forum for unified community action on local political issues.

Founding Member (2006-2008): Duke Organizing, campus-wide group addressing issues of work and culture at Duke University, and an affiliated member of Durham CAN.