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**University of California, Los Angeles (Ph.D. Expected, 2017)**

**Curriculum vitae**

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**EDUCATION**

**University of California, Los Angeles**

Ph.D. Expected, 2017

M.A., Political Science, 2015

Dissertation: “Moral Psychology and Support for War in the

International System”

Committee: Marc Trachtenberg (co-chair), Rob Trager (co-chair), Kathleen Bawn, David Sears, and Barry O’Neill

**University of Chicago Law School**

J.D., 2013

**University of Colorado, Boulder**

B.A. in Linguistics, Minor in Russian, 2009

**PUBLICATIONS**

2017. “Government-Sponsored Mass Killing and Civil War Reoccurrence." *International Studies Quarterly* (forthcoming) (with Gary Uzonyi).

2017. “Tracing the Development of the Nuclear Taboo: The Eisenhower Administration and Four Crises in East Asia.” *Journal of Cold War Studies* (forthcoming).

2017. “The Personalities of Politicians: A Big Five Survey of American Legislators." *Personality and Individual Differences* 108(1): 164–167.

2015. “Behavioral Economics and Free Market Solutions: The Case of Airline Security.” *Homeland and National Security Law Review* 3(1): 1–32.

2013. “Norms Governing the Interstate Use of Force: Explaining the Status Quo Bias of International Law.” *Emory International Law Review* 27(2): 829­–905.

2012. “The Failure of State Building in Afghanistan.” *The* *Journal Jurisprudence* 16: 583–585.

2012. “Humanitarian Intervention and the War Powers Debate.” *The* *Journal Jurisprudence* 13: 47–101.

**CONFERENCE AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

2017. “Conservatives, Liberals, and the Interest Taboo: Explaining Support for International Altruism.” American Political Science Association Conference (forthcoming presentation).

2017. “The Role of Prejudice in Shaping Foreign Policy Preferences and Values.” Midwest Political Science Association Conference (Presentation).

2016 (May). “Humanitarian Values and Foreign Policy.” Presented at UCLA International Relations Workshop.

2014. “Risk-Seeking Leaders and the Propensity to Use Force: An Empirical Study.” International Studies Association Conference (presentation).

**WORKING PAPERS**

“Does Apologizing Work? An Empirical Test of the Conventional Wisdom.” *SSRN*, available at http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract\_id=2654465.

“Are Liberal Governments Better for International Cooperation?”

“Why a Democratic Peace? Exploring the Relative Effects of Democracy, Capitalism, and Peace.” (with Philippe Assouline)

“Risk-Taking Leaders and War Severity: 1945-2000.”

**AWARDS**

2015-2016. UCLA, Graduate Research Mentor Fellowship ($20,000)

2015. UCLA, Graduate Summer Research Mentor Fellowship ($6,000)

2014. UCLA, Graduate Summer Research Mentor Fellowship ($6,000)

2012-2013. University of Chicago Law School, Olin Fellowship ($5,000)

2012-2013. University of Chicago Law School, D. Francis Bustin Prize

**MEDIA**

2015. “A Trip to the ‘Caliphate’: Oppressive Justice Under ISIS.” *Informed Comment*, available at

<http://www.joshualandis.com/blog/a-trip-to-the-caliphate-oppressive-justice-under-isis-by-omar-al-wardi/> (with Omar al-Wardi).

2015. “Donald Trump Never Apologizes for His Controversial Remarks. Here’s Why He Shouldn’t.” *Washington Post*, available at

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2015/10/21/donald-trump-never-apologizes-for-his-controversial-remarks-heres-why-he-shouldnt/>.

2012. “Why Clutch Actually Does Matter.” *The Atlantic*, available at

<http://www.theatlantic.com/entertainment/archive/2012/06/why-clutch-actually-does-matter/258421/>.

**LANGUAGES**

Reading, speaking and comprehension skills in Arabic, French, and Russian

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

University of Chicago Law School, Law and Economics Society (President and Founder)

University of Chicago Law School, Law and Business Organization (Member)

Editorial board member of *The Chicago Journal of International Law*

Reviewer for *International Studies Quarterly*

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

UCLA-PS30, Introduction to Game Theory, Spring 2015

UCLA-PS30, Introduction to Game Theory, Fall 2014

UCLA-PS40, Introduction to American Politics, Fall 2016

UCLA-PS40, Introduction to American Politics, Spring 2017

UCLA-PS125, Arms Control, Winter 2015

St. Petersburg University-English Teacher, Spring 2009

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