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EDUCATION

- Exp. 2018 Ph.D. in Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles
Dissertation: *Acts of Identity: A Political Theory of Biography*
Committee: Joshua Dienstag (Chair), Giulia Sissa, Melvin Rogers,
Laure Murat
- 2009 B.A. with Honors in Political Science and Philosophy, University
of Chicago

PUBLICATIONS

- Forthcoming Stahl, William. "To Err Is Human: Biography vs. Biopolitics in Michel
Foucault." *Contemporary Political Theory*.

ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS

- 2017-2018 Dissertation Year Fellowship, UCLA Graduate Division
- 2012 Graduate Summer Research Mentorship, UCLA Graduate Division
- 2011-2015 Guaranteed Teaching Assistantship, UCLA Department of Political
Science
- 2010-2011 First Year Fellowship, UCLA Department of Political Science

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

- 2017 Introduction to Political Theory

Teaching Assistance

- 2011-2017 American Political Development, Citizenship and Public Service (twice),
Contemporary Sociological Theory, Development of Sociological Theory

(twice), Introduction to American Politics, Introduction to Political Theory (five times), Islam and Politics, Politics of American Suburbanization, World Politics

PRESENTATIONS

Conference Paper Presentations

- 2017 “Life, Literarity, and Equality for All: Biography as Democracy in Jacques Rancière,” American Political Science 2017 Conference, September 1, San Francisco, CA
- 2016 “‘One Hesitates to Call Them Living’: What Remains of the Human in Giorgio Agamben,” American Political Science Association 2016 Conference, September 2, Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 “The Miracle of Life: Hannah Arendt and the “Story-Form” of Human Being,” Western Political Science Association 2015 Conference, April 2-4, Las Vegas, NV
- 2012 “When Worlds Collide: Politics in and between Jacques Rancière and Hannah Arendt,” Midwest Political Science Association 70th Annual Conference, April 14, 2012, Chicago, IL

Workshops

- 2017 Presenter, “The Exception and the Paradigm: Giorgio Agamben on Law and Life,” Political Theory Workshop, Department of Political Science, UCLA, January 13
- 2013 Discussant, “Autonomy vs. Diversity: Kant and Hegel,” John McCumber, UCLA, Political Theory Workshop, Department of Political Science, UCLA, October 4
- 2011 Discussant, “Dyadic Patterns in Empire-making,” Roberto Farneti, Free University of Bozen, Political Theory Workshop, Department of Political Science, UCLA, February 25

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association
Association of Political Theory

LANGUAGES

Advanced German, Intermediate French and Spanish, Elementary Vietnamese and Latin

REFERENCES

Available upon request.