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Education

The Ohio State University, *Columbus, OH*

PhD, Political Science, expected 2012

- Dissertation: *The Constitution of International Authority: Interdependence, Sovereignty and the Changing Practice of International Governance*
- Committee: Alexander Wendt (chair), Alexander Thompson, Jennifer Mitzen
- Examination Fields: IR (major) and Political Theory (minor); passed with distinction

University of Chicago, *Chicago, IL*

Committee on International Relations (CIR)

MA, International Relations, summer 2005

Georgetown University, *Washington, DC*

Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service

BS in Foreign Service, *cum laude*, spring 2000

Research

Working and Conference Papers

APSA "The Constitutions of International Organization: Towards a Theory of International Constitutional Moments." To be presented in Seattle, WA, September 1-4, 2011

ISA "The Constitution of International Authority: Constituent Power and the Origins of Supranationalism." Paper presented in Montreal, Canada, March 16-19, 2011

APSA Midwest "Methodological Nationalism in International Theory: Rethinking Sovereignty as Constituent Power." Paper presented in Chicago, IL, April 22-25, 2010

“The Art of Possibility: The Political Imagination and the Purpose of Political Science.”
Article manuscript in preparation.

“Methodological Nationalism in International Theory: Rethinking Sovereignty as
Constituent Power.” Paper presented at the Research in International Politics
Workshop, Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University, March 12, 2010.

Teaching and Professional Experience

Managing Editor of *International Theory*, Summer 2008 through Summer 2009

Graduate Instructor, The Ohio State University:

- *Introduction to Global Politics* (Political Science 145), Autumn, Winter and Spring Quarters, 2010-11
- *The United States in World Politics* (Political Science 245), Autumn Quarter, 2012

Graduate Teaching Assistant

- Professor Randall Schweller, *International Security and the Causes of War* (Political Science 544), Spring 2007
- Professor Jennifer Mitzen, *Theories of International Relations* (Political Science 550), Autumn 2006 and Winter 2007

Graduate Research Assistant

- Jennifer Mitzen, Autumn, Winter and Spring, 2007-2008

Academic Service

Co-coordinator for the Research in International Politics Workshop (RIP), Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University, Autumn 2008 through Spring 2009.

Reviewer for *International Theory*, Autumn 2010

Invited discussant, “Destructive Double Standards: Great Powers and the Security Community Paradox” by Michael Reese. Research in International Politics Workshop (RIP), OSU Political Science, Spring 2005

Awards and Honors

- 2009-2010: University Fellowship, Graduate School, The Ohio State University
- 2005-2006: University Fellowship, Graduate School, The Ohio State University

- Candidacy exams passed with distinction

Professional Memberships

American Political Science Association

International Studies Association (International Organization section)

References

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