

# 2022 DISSERTATION LIST

**A** PSA is pleased to include here the names of individuals who have completed their doctoral dissertations at political science departments during the 2022 calendar year. In order to provide the most accurate information possible, this list is based on data reported directly from individuals and departments.

**Le Bao, American University:** A New Measurement of Political Polarization and its Implications

**Em Bello-Pardo, American University:** A Digital Hypodermic Needle? Essays on the Impact of Misinformation, Framing, and Images on American Public Opinion in the Internet Age

**Michael Heseltine, American University:** Persuaded by the Polls? Voter Responses to Election Polling Information

**Namig Abbasov, Arizona State University:** State-Sponsored Homophobia: Explaining State Repression against Sexual Minorities

**Peyman Asadzadehmamaghani, Arizona State University:** Diplomatic Support for Protest Movements: Causes and Consequences

**Angguntari Ceria Sari, Arizona State University:** Political Elites' Views of Regional Intergovernmental Institutions Promoting Democracy: Evidence

**Chirasree Mukherjee, Arizona State University:** How Diverse is Religion's Influence on Intractable Conflicts?

**Pablo Ortega Poveda, Arizona State University:** A Theory on the Rise and Fall of Resistance in Civil Wars

**Nathan Tarr, Arizona State University:** Ethno-Religious Conflict and the Duration of Peace: Autonomy, Discrimination, and Territory

**Brendan Szendrő, Binghamton University (SUNY):** Religion, State, and Modernity: Defining the Contours of Desecularization

**Miguel Ángel Fernández Plaza, Boston University:** Political Behavior in Times of Institutional Novelty

**Jaewook Lee, Boston University:** Politics Navigating Macroeconomic Transformations: Labor Migrations and Automation in Western Europe

**Erik Olsson, Boston University:** Designing Money: Culture and the Political Construction of Modern Monetary Regimes

**Metehan Tekinirk, Boston University:** New Nationalism,

New Turkey: Populist-Nationalism, Democratic Erosion, and National Identity Contestation in Turkey under the Justice and Development Party

**Zeying Wu, Boston University:** In Search of National Wealth and Power: Nationalism and Economic Modernization of China

**Yimeng Li, California Institute of Technology:** Three Essays on Survey Methods and their Applications to Measuring Political Behavior and Attitudes

**Peter Amobi Chiamogu, Chukwuemeka Odumegwu Ojukwu University Anambra State Nigeria:** Political Leadership and Democratic Backsliding in Nigeria: A Comparative Study of Presidents Jonathan and Buhari Administrations

**Miriam Xochitl Sierra Aguilar, Claremont Graduate University:** Economic Development of Latin America: A Series of Analysis Through the Lens of Health, Inequality, and Economic Growth

**Erin E. Brooks, Claremont Graduate University:** Duty, Honor, Country: Generalship and Institutional Magnanimity

**Soha Sayed Ahmad Hammam, Claremont Graduate University:** A Computational Analysis of Civil Resistance Dynamics and Outcomes

**Brian Jewett, Claremont Graduate University:** Cosponsorship Networks in the US Congress: Measuring the Success of Female Legislators

**Dandan Kowarsch, Claremont Graduate University:** Evaluating Los Angeles Homelessness Policy Using System Dynamics Modeling

**Timothy Andrew Milosch, Claremont Graduate University:** Political Cultures in Times of Crisis: Measuring the Effects of Liberal Values on Interstate Crisis Onset

**Makuochukwu Ijeabalum Okoma, Claremont Graduate University:** Green, Clean, and Mean? China's Foreign Direct Investment in Sub-Saharan Africa Economy

**Ana Ortiz Salazar, Claremont Graduate University:** The Future of Plastics Trade: Identifying Determinants and Impacts of the Shifting Global Plastic Scraps Network

**Madeleine Jeongyeon Seo, Claremont Graduate University:** The Roots of Fascist Aesthetics in Antiquity

**Trevor Mark Shunk, Claremont Graduate University:** Forms

of Amusement: Rousseau's *Lettre à d'Alembert* and Julie

**Glenn-Iain Steinback, Claremont Graduate University:**

Measuring Political Corruption from Population Outcomes: An Alternative to Perception Measures

**Charles A. Varadin, Claremont Graduate University:**

Retaining Foster Parents in San Bernardino County: Identifying and Accessing Resources And Support Services Since California's Continuum of Care Reform

**Fengyuan Zhang, Claremont Graduate University:**

Foreign Direct Investment, Democracy, and Income Inequality in Latin America and the Caribbean from 1991 to 2017

**Zaid A. Alkaidi, Claremont Graduate University:**

Governance Practice Between Monarchies and Republics: A Case Study of the Political Reform in the United Arab Emirates and the Republic of Tunisia from 1990 to 2021

**Ahmed Amin Almulla, Claremont Graduate University:**

Government Expenditure and Relative Efficiencies: A Case Study of the United Arab Emirates with Application of the Relative Political Allocation Model

**Jingjing An, Claremont Graduate University:**

What Causes Power Transition Conflicts? Evidence from Interactions between International and Domestic Politics

**Aaron H. Berg, Claremont Graduate University:**

Truth and Enlargement in the Political Thought of John Stuart Mill

**Nathaniel Bork, Colorado State University:**

Failure to Communicate How American Progressive Neoliberal Campus Policies Contribute to Conservative Mistrust of Higher Education and Skepticism Towards Research on Anthropogenic Global Warming

**Nicola Jeffrey, Colorado State University:**

Where the Wild Things Grow: An Analysis of Urban Agriculture in US Cities

**Julianne Liebenguth, Colorado State University:**

Environmental Security: A Source of Legitimacy and Contestation in Global Environmental Governance

**Sharmini Nair, Colorado State University:**

South Africa and India's Support for the ILO's Green Initiatives: A Comparative Study Using the Postcolonialism Lens

**Sara Sands, Columbia University:**

Leading from the Classroom: Teacher Leadership in New York City Schools

**Michael O'Donnell Allen, Cornell University:**

Constructing International Commercial Arbitration: Traders, Lawyers, and the Competition for Authority over Global Commerce

**Darin Self, Cornell University:**

Bounded Democracy: How Authoritarian Civilian-Military Relations Shape Democratization and Democratic Development

**Jessica Zarkin Notni, Cornell University:** Who Wears the Badge? Why Politicians Militarize Policing and Public Safety

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Essays on the Political Economy of City Status

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Negative Campaigning in Alternative Democratic Elections: The Case of Colombia and the 2016 Plebiscite for Peace

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Semi-Presidential Executive Branch Institutionalization and Personalization Under Cuba's 1940 Constitution

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Three Essays on Business-State Relations in Authoritarian Regimes

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**Matthew Curtis Smith, Florida State University:**

How Militaries Professionalize: A Political Economy Approach for Understanding and Measuring Military Professionalism

**Anastasiia Vlasenko, Florida State University:**

Electoral Effects of Institutional Reforms: Evidence from Ukraine and Russia

**Mike Cowburn, Freie Universität Berlin:**

Partisan Polarization in Congressional Nominations: How Ideological & Factional Primaries Influence Candidate Positions

**Adam Bernbaum, George Mason University:**

Nationalism, Legitimacy, and Violence: American Response to Mob Violence

**Andrew Scott Bledsoe, George Mason University:**

Belief or Belonging? Untangling Evangelical Religiosity and its Impact on Behavioral Polarization

**Katrina Dunlap, George Mason University:**

Linking Public Trust in Government with Federal Disaster Relief Aid: A Case Study of Hurricane-Prone Gulf Coast Residents

**Matthew H. Fay, George Mason University:**

Commanding Military Adaptation: Explaining Operational-Tactical Change in Combined Arms Warfare

**John Gudgel, George Mason University:**

Insurance as a Private Sector Regulator and Promoter of Security and Safety: Case Studies in Governing Emerging Technological Risk From Commercial Nuclear Power to Health Care Sector Cybersecurity

**Muhammad Salar Khan, George Mason University:**

Absorptive Capacity and Economic Growth: How Does Absorptive Capacity Affect Economic Growth in Low- and Middle-Income Countries?

**Emma E. Parker, George Mason University:**

The Securitization of United States Foreign Assistance

**Joseph Petrucelli, George Mason University:** Operationalizing Sea Power: The Evolution of Navy Doctrine, 1946-2016

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Hegemonic Shocks: Hegemonic Transition and Post-Cold War Democratization

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