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Curriculum Vitae
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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2023 Postdoctoral Fellow, Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2022 Visiting Scholar, Department of Politics and International Studies, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), London, UK

EDUCATION

- 2023 Ph.D. in Political Science, Johns Hopkins University
Dissertation: “(Un)Making Citizens: Bordering Regimes, Colonialism, and Security in South Asia”
Committee: Erin A. Chung (Primary), Adria Lawrence, Tarak Barkawi, Kamal Sadiq (UC Irvine), Angus Burgin
- 2019 M.A. in Political Science, Johns Hopkins University
- 2014 M.Sc. in History, University of Edinburgh
- 2013 B.A. (Hons) in Political Science, Hindu College, University of Delhi

PUBLICATIONS

Under Review

“Subjects, Aliens, and Undesirables: Managing Mobility and Insecurity in Colonial India.” Under review at *Security Dialogue*.

In Preparation/Working Papers

“Repressive Legalities: Criminal Laws, Colonial Subjectivity, and the Postcolonial State.”

Review Articles

- 2015 “Of Changing Dynamics.” Review of Peter Robb, *Useful Friendships: Europeans and Indians in Early Calcutta* (New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2014). *The Book Review* 39, no. 2 (February 2015)

Public Writing

- 2020 “[When Might Collective Suffering Lead to Reduced Empathy?](#)” *Political Science Now*, APSA Public Scholarship Program, 4 February

- 2019 [“Presidents and Popularity: Do Approval Ratings Encourage Executive Orders?”](#)
Political Science Now, APSA Public Scholarship Program, 18 June

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS

- 2023 Provost’s Office COVID Relief Dissertation Completion Fellowship (Summer), Johns Hopkins University
- 2022 Joel Steward Ish Fellowship, Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University
- 2021 Malcolm H. Lauchheimer Fellowship, Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University
- 2021 Dean’s Teaching Fellowship, Krieger School of Arts and Sciences, Johns Hopkins University
- 2020 Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation (NSF)–American Political Science Association (APSA)
- 2020 Nicole Suveges Fieldwork Fellowship, Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University
- 2019 Scholar, Public Scholarship Program, American Political Science Association (APSA)
- 2017–2023 Graduate Fellowship (Stipend), Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

Panels Organized

- 2022 “The Postcolonial Migration State in East Africa, the Middle East, and South Asia,” American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting, Montréal, 15–18 September

Presentations

- 2023 “Repressive Legalities: Crime, Punishment, and Postcolonial Citizenship,” APSA Annual Meeting, Los Angeles (virtual), 31 August–3 September
- 2022 “Subjects, Aliens, and Undesirables: Regulating Mobility and Belonging in the British Empire,” ISA-Northeast, Baltimore, 4–5 November
- 2022 “Aliens in the Empire: Imperial Migration Control in Early Twentieth-century British India,” APSA Annual Meeting, Montréal, 15–18 September, and Migration and Citizenship Section Dissertation Workshop, 14 September
- 2022 “The ‘Alien’ and the Empire: Foreigners, Undesirables, and the Construction of the Documentary Regime,” ASN Annual Conference (online), 4–7 May (online)
- 2022 “Between Law and Enforcement: Legacies of Colonial Criminal Laws on Citizenship,” ECPR Joint Sessions Workshops, University of Edinburgh, 19–21 April

- 2021 “Producing Pasts and Altering Futures: Hindu Nationalism and the Demons of Economic Development in India,” MPSA Annual Conference, 14–18 April (online)
- 2019 “Imagined Communities and Contradictory Citizenship: Nationalism and Citizenship in India,” BISA Colonial, Postcolonial, Decolonial Working Group PhD/Early Career Mentoring Workshop, Birkbeck, University of London, 19–20 September

Discussant

- 2023 “Climate Change and Migration Flows,” APSA Annual Meeting, 31 August–1 September
- 2021 “Immigration and Identity”, MPSA Annual Conference, 14–18 April

CAMPUS PRESENTATIONS

Papers

- 2021 “The ‘Alien’ and the Empire: Foreigners, Undesirables, and the Construction of the Documentary Regime,” Graduate Symposium, Program in Racism, Immigration, and Citizenship, Johns Hopkins University, 7 December
- 2019 “Donors Old and New: India, South-South Cooperation and the Emerging Aid Regime,” Political Science Graduate Student Colloquium, Johns Hopkins University, 8 March

Discussant

- 2023 “Long-distance Repression and the Transnational Surveillance State,” paper presented by Dr Fiona Adamson (SOAS), at Political Science Seminar Series, Johns Hopkins University, 9 March
- 2022 “Rethinking the Migration State,” workshop for *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* special issue, edited by Fiona Adamson, Erin Chung, and James Hollifield, 25 February
- 2021 “Rebel Taxation as Extortion or a Technology of Governance: Telling the Difference in India’s Northeast,” paper presented by Dr Zachariah Mampilly (CUNY) and Shalaka Thakur (The Graduate Institute, Geneva) at Political Science Seminar Series, Johns Hopkins University, 4 February
- 2019 “Eyes on Surveillance: (In)Security in Everyday Life,” Graduate Student Conference, organized by the Program in Racism, Immigration, and Citizenship, Johns Hopkins University, 5–6 April
- 2018 “A Party-based Theory of Affirmative Action,” paper presented by Dr Stephan Stohler (SUNY Albany) at Political Science Seminar Series, Johns Hopkins University, 8 November

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

Fall 2021 *The Citizen and the Foreigner in South Asia*, Johns Hopkins University

Teaching Assistant

Spring 2023	<i>Comparative Racial Politics</i> , Dr Erin Chung, Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2020	<i>Introduction to Global Studies</i> , Dr Renee Marlin-Bennett, Johns Hopkins University
Spring 2020	<i>Introduction to Comparative Politics</i> , Dr Nicolas Jabko, Johns Hopkins University
Spring 2019	<i>Introduction to Global Studies</i> , Dr Renee Marlin-Bennett, Johns Hopkins University

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Fall 2021	Graduate Research Assistant, “ The Critical Responses to Anti-Asian Violence (CRAAV) Initiative ,” PIs: Dr Erin Chung, Dr Clara Han, and Dr H. Yumi Kim, Johns Hopkins University
Spring 2021	Research Assistant, “Contingent Citizenship,” Dr Erin Chung, Johns Hopkins University
2020-2022	Bibliography Research Assistant “ Advancing Research on Conflict ,” Dr Sarah Parkinson, Johns Hopkins University
2020	Research Assistant, “ Suffrage Centennial Project ,” Milton S. Eisenhower Library Special Collections, Johns Hopkins University
Fall 2019	Research Assistant, “Colonial State Formation Project,” Dr Adria Lawrence, Johns Hopkins University

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2019–2020	Organizer, “Lessons over Lunch: Conversations with Faculty,” Johns Hopkins University
2018–2019	Comparative Politics Representative, Political Science Graduate Student Organization (PSGO), Johns Hopkins University

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Fall 2018–Fall 2021	<i>Library Assistant</i> , Milton S. Eisenhower Library, Johns Hopkins University
October–December 2016	<i>Assistant Acquisitions Editor, History, Philosophy, and Religion</i> , Global Academic Publishing, Oxford University Press India
March–September 2016	<i>Assistant Editor, History, Philosophy, and Religion</i> , Global Academic Publishing, Oxford University Press India
March 2015–March 2016	<i>Editorial Trainee, History, Philosophy, and Religion</i> , Global Academic Publishing, Oxford University Press India
June–August 2013	<i>Associate Account Strategist</i> , Google India Pvt. Ltd.

LANGUAGES

English (fluent, first language), Hindi (fluent, second language), Bangla (native, spoken), Punjabi (basic)

REFERENCES

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