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## Academic Appointments

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Lecturer (Assistant Professor), University of Leeds, 2018–Present	Leeds, United Kingdom
Assistant Professor, Nazarbayev University, 2013–2017	Astana, Kazakhstan

## Education

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Ph.D. in Political Science, Rice University, 2013	Houston, USA
B.S. in Mathematics, Stephen F. Austin State University, 2007	Nacogdoches, USA
EITM Summer Institute, Washington University in St. Louis, 2010	
ICPSR, University of Michigan, 2005, 2008	
Winter Institute in Decision Theory & International Relations, Texas A&M University, 2005	

## Research & Teaching Interests

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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS: Foreign Policy Analysis, Economic Sanctions, Foreign Aid, International Conflict, Domestic Politics and Foreign Policy

POLITICAL METHODOLOGY: Regression Analysis, Game Theory, Survey and Experimental Methods

## Publications

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“How do People Evaluate Foreign Aid to Nasty Regimes?” *British Journal of Political Science* Forthcoming [with Tobias Heinrich]

“Voters Get What They Want (When They Pay Attention): Human Rights, Policy Spoils, and Foreign Aid.” *International Studies Quarterly*. Forthcoming [with Tobias Heinrich and Leah Long]

“Economic Sanction as Foreign Policy.” *The Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*. 2017.

“Sanction Consequences and Citizen Support: A Survey Experiment.” *International Studies Quarterly*. 61(1):98-106. 2017. [with Tobias Heinrich and Timothy Peterson]

“Public Opinion and Foreign Aid Cuts in Economic Crises.” *World Development*. 77(1):66-79. 2016. [with Tobias Heinrich and Kristin Bryant]

“Threat and Imposition of Economic Sanctions: Updating TIES 1945–2005.” *Conflict Management and Peace Science*. 31(5):541-558. 2014. [with T. Clifton Morgan & Navin Bapat]

“Determinants of Sanctions Effectiveness: Sensitivity Analysis Using New Data.” *International Interactions*. 39:79-98. 2013. [with Navin Bapat, Tobias Heinrich, & T. Clifton Morgan]

## Working Papers

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“Explaining Public Support for Regional Integration in Eurasia” [with Mwita Chacha] Revise and Resubmit at *Regional and Federal Studies*

“Modeling the Effects of Foreign Policy Actions” [with T. Clifton Morgan] Under Review

“Helping the Poorest or Foreign Policy as Usual? Explaining Selectivity in Foreign Aid” [with Tobias Heinrich] Under Review

“Firms, State Control, and Economic Sanctions”

“An International Audience Effect of Economic Sanctions” [with Jee-Kwang Park]

“Empirical Test of a Game-Theoretic Model of Economic Sanctions” [with T. Clifton Morgan]

## Work in Progress

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“Lessons for Retrospective Voting and Democratic Accountability from Natural Disasters” [with Ki-ichiro Arai and Miwa Nakajo]

“How do Economic Sanctions Rally the Masses?”

## Awards, Grants & Fellowships

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International Joint Research Grant for “Lessons for Retrospective Voting and Democratic Accountability from Natural Disasters,” Japanese Association of Electoral Studies, 2015–17 (2,000 USD)

Social Policy Grant for “Effects of Western Sanctions on Public Opinion in Ukraine,” Nazarbayev University, 2015–16 (10,000 USD)

National Science Foundation Funding to Participate in the EITM Summer Institute, 2010

Graduate Fellowship, Rice University, 2007–13

## Invited Presentations

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Department of Political Science, University College London, London, May 2017

Department of Political Science, University of Mannheim, Mannheim, March 2017

Kobe-Sakura Workshop, Kobe, April 2016

Department of International Relations, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, January 2015

Kobe-Sakura Workshop, Kobe, April 2015

KUBEC Workshop, Brussels, June 2014

## Selected Conference Presentations

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“Re-evaluating the Utility of Economic Sanctions as Foreign Policy Tool” (with Jee-Kwang Park) presented at the 2016 European Political Science Association Meeting, Brussel, Belgium.

“Re-evaluating the Utility of Economic Sanctions as Foreign Policy Tool” (with Jee-Kwang Park) presented at the 2016 Kobe Sakura Meeting, Kobe, Japan.

“Public Opinion and the Reputation Effect of Economic Sanctions” (with Tobias Heinrich and Tim Peterson) presented at the 2015 Kobe Sakura Meeting, Kobe, Japan.

“Aid Heterogeneity as a Kabuki Theater” (with Tobias Heinrich) presented at the 2014 European Political Science Association Meeting, Edinburgh, Scotland.

“Why Don’t States Enforce Sanctions Aggressively?” presented at the 2013 European Political Science Association Meeting, Barcelona, Spain.

“Political Sources of Aid Volatility” (with Tobias Heinrich) presented at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

“Firms, Domestic Enforcement, and Effectiveness of Economic Sanctions” presented at the 2013 International Studies Association Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA.

“Firms, Domestic Enforcement, and Effectiveness of Economic Sanctions” presented at the 2013 Texas Triangle Conference, College Station, TX.

“Multilateral Cooperation and Enforcement of Sanctions” presented at the 2012 International Studies Association Annual Convention, San Diego, CA.

“Firms, Domestic Institutions, and Enforcement of Economic Sanctions” presented as a poster at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the Peace Science Association, Los Angeles, CA.

“Enforcement of Economic Sanctions and International Trade” presented as a poster at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, WA.

“Foreign Aid and the Tenure of Leaders” (with Tobias Heinrich) presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

## Teaching

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### *Undergraduate*

Approaches to Analysis (S2018, Leeds)  
Politics of Aid (S2018, Leeds)  
Foreign Policy Analysis (F2014, S2016, S2017, Nazarbayev)  
Quantitative Methods (F2013, S2014, F2014, F2015, F2017, Nazarbayev)  
U.S. Foreign Policy (F2012, Rice)

### *Graduate*

Scientific Research in International Relations (F2015, F2016, F2017, Nazarbayev)  
Advanced Research Methods II (S2015, S2016, S2017, Nazarbayev)  
Maximum Likelihood Estimation (F2016, Nazarbayev)

## Professional Service

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### *Reviewer (Journal Articles, Books, Grant Proposals)*

*American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Conflict Management and Peace Science, International Interactions, International Relations of the Asia-Pacific, International Studies Quarterly, International Studies Review, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Politics, National Science Foundation (Political Science)*

### *Conference Panel Chair and Discussant*

European Political Science Association, Chair & Discussant, 2016  
Kobe Sakura Meeting, Discussant, 2015  
ASEES–CESS Conference, Discussant, 2014  
European Political Science Association, Chair & Discussant, 2013

### *MA Thesis Committee Service*

Zhamilya Mukasheva (Chair, 2017), Ainur Baimuratova (2017), Aisulu Kazhikenova (Chair, 2016), Azhar Kabdulnina (Chair, 2016), Bekzada Abilkassymov (2016), Almira Sadykova (2016)

### *Administrative Service*

MA Admission Committee, Department of Political Science, Nazarbayev University, 2016–17  
IR Search Committee, Department of Political Science, Nazarbayev University, 2014–17  
Teaching & Learning Committee, Department of Political Science, Nazarbayev University, 2016  
Discipline Committee, Nazarbayev University, 2014-15, 2016-17  
Internship Committee, Nazarbayev University, 2014, 2016  
China Studies Committee, Nazarbayev University, 2014–15  
Study Abroad Committee (Chair), Nazarbayev University, 2013–14

### *Other Professional Experiences*

Consultant, National Analytical Center, Kazakhstan, 2014–15