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Education

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey

PhD Candidate (degree expected May 2019)

Fields: Public Law, American Political Development, Political Theory

Dissertation: "Welfare Behind the Wall: the Bureaucratic Origins and Development of Correctional Education in America"

Committee: Lisa L. Miller, Jefferson Decker, Milton Heumann, Hannah Walker, Amy Lerman

Master of Arts, Political Science, October 2016

Bachelor of Arts, English, French, Political Science, May 2011

Publications

Book Review. "Executing Freedom: the Cultural Life of Capital Punishment," *Theoretical Criminology*. Vol 21, Issue 4, pp. 556 – 558.

Review Essay. "Civil Rights and the Making of the Modern American State" and "Bottlenecks: a New Theory of Equal Opportunity;" *Law and Politics Book Review*. Fall 2014.

Contributing Author, *Encyclopedia of Revolution and Protest*, 3rd edition. 2012.

Entries: "Jacques Derrida," "Jürgen Habermas," "Karl Otto Apel," "Martin Heidegger."

Funding and Awards

Rutgers TA/GA Professional Development Fund Award, Spring 2018 (\$936)

Stanley H. and Claire A. Friedelbaum Award, 2017-2018 Academic Year (\$2000)

School of Arts and Sciences Academic Excellence Fellowship, Fall 2012-Spring 2016

Institute for Qualitative Research and Multi-Method Design Fellowship, Summer 2015
(Declined)

Travel Grant, School of Arts and Sciences, Spring 2015 (\$300)

Academic and Program Advising

Assistant Director, Lloyd C. Gardner Fellowship Program (September 2017- Present)

Academic Advisor, New Jersey Scholarship and Transformational Education in Prisons Consortium (August 2016-August 2017)

Teaching

Instructor

Nature of Politics

Civil Liberties and Civil Rights

Law and Politics

Course Grader

Constitutional Law

Feminist Political Philosophy

The Western Tradition from Plato to Machiavelli

The Western Tradition from Hobbes to Mill

Marx and Marxist Theory

Tutor

Prison Teaching Initiative, Princeton University

Professional Service

Reviewer, National Science Foundation's Law and Social Sciences Program (2017)

Graduate Member, Public Law Hiring Search Committee, (2016)

Program Organizer, Political Theory-Public Law Reading and Working Group (2014-2016)

Selected Conference Presentations

Presenter, "Political Ruins," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2015

Presenter, "The Criminal: Exploring America's Unequal Criminal Justice Institutions," New England Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2014