

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

2018 (expected) M.A. in Security Policy Studies, The George Washington University
Concentrations Strategic Concepts/Military History; Defense Analysis

2016 B.A. in Political Science and Asian Studies, Purdue University

Professional Experience:

May 2017 – August 2017, Taiwan Security Research (TSR), Taipei, Taiwan

Summer Intern

- Correlated relevant Taiwan and China-related news for posting on TSR website
- Conducted research on possible armed conflict between Taiwan and China
- Drafted questions and conducted an interview concerning my research with an academic
- Conducted social media planning and managed TSR's Facebook page

August 2016 – May 2017, The George Washington University, Washington, DC

Graduate Assistant, Division of Student Affairs, International Services Office (ISO)

- Aided international students regarding immigration paperwork and regulations
- Assisted in keeping track of staff appointments, as well as paperwork and contact requests
- Managed international student database and advisor appointment lists
- Processed, scanned, and filed international student immigration paperwork

January – May 2015, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

Staff, Purdue NExT

- Managed and created online university courses for domestic and international use
- Edited transcripts and created supplemental material for course videos
- Managed student lists and user access database
- Performed troubleshooting for online quiz, test, and homework functions

August – December 2014, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

Undergraduate Assistant, Office of International Programs

- Researched locations and activities for events, wrote their itineraries, and filed event information
- Consulted with cultural clubs and student groups on campus for event planning
- Wrote the International Programs weekly newsletter
- Managed the social media presence (Facebook/Twitter) of International Programs

International Experience:

Study Abroad:

- GW Institute of Korean Studies Short-term Summer Program, Summer 2017
- Nanzan University, Nagoya, Japan, Fall 2015
- City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R., China, Fall 2013

Languages:

- Native proficiency in English
- Limited working proficiency in Japanese
- Elementary proficiency in German

Research Interests:

Regional Focuses: East Asia, Southeast Asia

Foreign/Security Policy: Chinese Military Growth, Taiwanese Defense, Korean Peninsula Issues, Article 9 of the Japanese Constitution, Violent Non-State Actors, Terrorism in Southeast Asia

Comparative Politics: Democracies and Non-democracies

Military Operations: Asymmetrical Warfare, Counterinsurgency and Counterterrorism

Publications:

Peer Reviewed Articles:

"Ethnic Nepotism and Its Role in Japanese Immigration and Citizenship Policy." *International Affairs Review*. (Submitted for Initial Review)

Commentaries:

"A Change of Plans: Park Geun-hye's Impeachment and the Fate of THAAD." *International Affairs Review – Web Edition*, <http://www.iar-gwu.org/content/change-plans-park-geun-hyes-impeachment-and-fate-thaad>.

Completed Research Projects:

Senior Capstone Project, Department of Political Science, Purdue University, Spring 2016

- "Ethnic Nepotism and Its Role in Japanese Immigration and Citizenship Policy"
- Concluded that ethnic nepotism formed Japan as a collectivist society, which leads to a preference for foreign-born Japanese (*Nikkei*) to fill labor shortages and an aversion to hiring other foreign workers due to a historically-informed perceived lack of necessity.
- Research Paper revised and expanded upon for submission to *International Affairs Review*.

Extracurriculars/Co-curriculars:

- *Tutor*, GWU ESIA International Dialogue Program, Fall 2016
- *MIXd Leader*, Purdue MIX (Multinational Integration eXchange), Spring 2014 – Spring 2015, Spring 2016
- *Yamazato Koryu Kaikan Volunteer Resident Assistant*, Nanzan University, Nagoya, Japan, Fall 2015

Awards/Accolades:

- Elliott School of International Affairs Graduate Fellowship, 2016-2018
- Freeman Foundation International Fellowship Grant Recipient, Summer 2017
- GW Institute of Korean Studies Travel Grant Recipient, Summer 2017
- Japan Student Services Organization Student Exchange Support Program Scholarship, Fall 2015
- Purdue Moves Study Abroad Scholarship, Fall 2013, Fall 2015

Skills and Competencies:

- Received academic instruction in cross-cultural communication/interaction, negotiation, red teaming/red cell, and formal briefing.
- Technical Skills: Microsoft Office Suite, Microsoft Solver/RSPE (Excel), Facebook, Twitter, Hootsuite