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Education

- 2019 PhD Political Science, University of Rochester (*expected*)
Fields: Formal Theory, International Relations, Methods
- 2017 MA Political Science, University of Rochester
- 2014 MSc Economics of Management and Organisation, Erasmus University (*cum laude*)
- 2013 MSc International Public Management and Policy, Erasmus University
- 2013 BSc Economics and Business Economics, Erasmus University
- 2011 BSc Political Science, Leiden University

Dissertation

Title: Essays on Persuasion and Design in International Organizations

Committee: Randall Stone (chair), Mark Fey, Tasos Kalandrakis, Lawrence S. Rothenberg

Description: I study outside influence and institutional design in international organizations. The first chapter develops a model of informational lobbying in collective decision-making bodies with a focus on the use and value of intermediaries. The second chapter studies the design of interest group access in international organizations and the implications of transparency for incentives and welfare. The third chapter, coauthored with Nicolas Riquelme, studies a model of costly signaling and information aggregation and analyzes the welfare implications of delegation to international organizations.

Working papers

- “Persuasive Lobbying with Allied Legislators” (R&R at *American Journal of Political Science*)
- “The Construction of Political Order” (under review, with Scott Abramson and Brenton Kenkel)
- “International Decision Rights and Efficient Signaling” (with Nicolas Riquelme)
- “Access and Incentives in International Organizations”

Works in progress

- “Communication and Delay in Sovereign Debt Crises” (with Randall Stone)
- “Transparency and Competitive Disclosure in the European Commission”

Awards

Koninklijke Nederlandse Akademie van Wetenschappen: Certificate Academy Assistant;
showing great promise in Economics at Erasmus School of Economics (2013)
W. Allen Wallis Institute of Political Economy Fellowship (2016-2017)

Conference presentations and seminars

Midwest Political Science Association (2017, 2018)
University of Rochester, Wallis Institute Mini Conference (2017)
Emory-Duke-Rochester Political Economy Graduate Research Conference (2018)
American Political Science Association (2018)

Teaching assistance

Introduction to International Relations for Prof. Scott Abramson, Fall 2016 (Undergraduate)
Positive Political Theory for Prof. John Duggan, Spring 2017 (Graduate)
Probability and Inference for Prof. Kevin Clarke, Fall 2017 (Graduate)
Game Theory for Prof. Tasos Kalandrakis, Spring 2018 (Undergraduate)
Introduction to Positive Political Theory for Prof. Scott Tyson, Spring 2019 (Undergraduate)

Languages

Dutch (native), English (fluent)

Referee service

American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science

References

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