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APPOINTMENTS:

2017- **Associate Professor of Political Economy, Stanford Graduate School of Business (with tenure)**

Senior Fellow, Center for Democracy, Development & the Rule of Law,
 Freeman-Spogli Institute for International Affairs, Stanford University.
 Senior Fellow, Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research
 Faculty Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (2022-)
 Associate Professor of Economics and of Political Science, Stanford University,
by courtesy

2013-17 Associate Professor of Political Economy, Stanford Graduate School of Business (tenure-track)

2008-13 Assistant Professor of Political Economy, Stanford Graduate School of Business

2006-08 Academy Scholar, Harvard University

2024 Visiting Fellow, MacMillan Center for International Affairs, Yale University.

2023 Visiting Researcher, Sciences-Po Department of Economics, Paris

2020 Center Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences

2012 Fellow, Center for Study of Democratic Politics, Princeton University

2012 Fellow, Niehaus Center for Globalization and Governance, Princeton University

2024- date: Editorial Board, *American Political Science Review*

2020- date: Editorial Board, *Business and Politics*

2019- date: Editorial Board: *Global Perspectives*

2017- date: Associate Editor: *Journal of Comparative Economics*

2016- date: Associate Editor: *Journal of Development Economics*

EDUCATION:

2006 Stanford University: Doctor of Philosophy, Economics

Dissertation: Essays in the development of culture and governance

Primary advisors: Professors Susan Athey and Avner Greif

2001 University of Cambridge: Master of Advanced Study, Mathematics (Part III Tripos), with merit

2000 University of Cambridge: Master of Philosophy, Economics

1999 Williams College: Bachelor of Arts *summa cum laude* in Mathematics & Economics, with highest honors.

SELECT HONORS, GRANTS AND AWARDS:

2023 Lee J. Alston Best Paper Prize, *Journal of Historical Political Economy*

2022-23 Dan C. Chung Faculty Scholar at the Freeman-Spogli Institute for International Affairs.

2022- Inaugural Stanford Teagle Fellow in Liberal Education.

2020 *Teacher of the Year* Award, voted by the students of the Stanford Graduate School of Business Sloan Fellows (MSx) Program

2020 Oliver Williamson Best Paper Award, Society for Institutional and Organizational Economics

2019- Stanford King Center on Global Development Initiative Grant (\$1M).

2018,19 Inaugural Peiros Family Faculty Fellow, Stanford GSB & King Center for Global Development

2018 Stanford Center for Global Poverty and Development Initiative Startup Grant (\$100K).

2017-18 Winnick Family Faculty Scholar, Stanford GSB

2015 Stanford Innovation & Entrepreneurship in Developing Economies Award (\$150K).

- 2014 Michael Wallerstein Award for best published article in Political Economy in the previous calendar year, American Political Science Association
- 2013-14 John A. Gunn and Cynthia Fry Gunn Faculty Scholar, Stanford GSB
- 2011-12 John A. Gunn and Cynthia Fry Gunn Faculty Scholar, Stanford GSB
- 2005-06 Koret Foundation Dissertation Fellow, Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research
- 2005 Humane Studies Fellow, Institute for Humane Studies
- 2005 Research Fellow, John M. Olin Program in Law and Economics, Stanford Law School
- 2001-04 Graduate Fellow, Department of Economics, Stanford University
- 1999-01 Dr. Herchel Smith Scholarship to Emmanuel College, University of Cambridge
- 1999 Carl Van Dyne Prize for excellence and intellectual curiosity in Economics, Williams College
- 1999 Ruchman Fellowship to the Oakley Center for the Humanities, Williams College
- 1998 Phi Beta Kappa (junior year inductee- top 5% of class)
- 1995-99 Haystack International Student Full Scholarship (1 of 5) to Williams College

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS:

- 1) Jha, Saumitra and Moses Shayo, “**Trading Stocks Builds Financial Confidence and Compresses the Gender Gap**”, *accepted, subject to data replication, at the Economic Journal*.
- 2) Jha, Saumitra “**Civil and Ethnic Conflict in Historical Political Economy**”, in Jeffrey Jenkins and Jared Rubin eds., the *Oxford Handbook of Historical Political Economy*, February 2024, pp.597-622.
- 3) Cagé, Julia, Anna Dagher, Pauline Grosjean and Saumitra Jha “**Heroes and Villains: The Effects of Heroism on Autocratic Values and Nazi Collaboration in France**”, *American Economic Review*, Vol. 113, No. 6, July 2023.

Winner of the 2020 *Oliver Williamson Best Paper Award* from the *Society for Institutional and Organizational Economics*.

- 4) Jha, Saumitra, “**Building Resilient Inter-Ethnic Peace**”, in Dominic Rohner and Ekaterina Zhuravskaya, eds., *Nation-Building: Big Lessons from Successes and Failures*, Center for Economic Policy Research, February 2023.
- 5) Cagé, Julia, Pauline Grosjean and Saumitra Jha “**The Influence of Heroic Networks**”, in Dominic Rohner and Ekaterina Zhuravskaya, eds., *Nation-Building: Big Lessons from Successes and Failures*, Center for Economic Policy Research, February 2023.
- 6) Diaz-Cayeros, Alberto, Juan Espinosa-Balbuena and Saumitra Jha “**Pandemic Spikes and Broken Spears: Indigenous Resilience after the Conquest of Mexico**”, *Journal of Historical Political Economy*, Vol. 2, No. 1, pp.89-133, February 2022.

Winner of the 2023 *Lee J. Alston Prize* for best paper published in the previous year by the *Journal of Historical Political Economy*.

- 7) Jha, Saumitra and Moses Shayo “**Valuing Peace: The Effects of Financial Market Exposure on Votes and Political Attitudes**”, *Econometrica*, Vol. 87. No. 5, pp.1561-1588, September 2019.

Finalist for the 2020 *Exeter Prize* for the best paper in Experimental Economics, Decision Theory and Behavioral Economics published in the previous year.

- 8) Jha, Saumitra “**Trading for Peace**”, *Economic Policy*, Vol. 33, No. 95, pp. 485-526, July 2018, revised from “A Theory of Ethnic Tolerance”.

- 9) Jha, Saumitra “**A New Economic History of Colonial India: A Review**”, *Journal of Economic History*, Vol. 77, Issue 2, pp. 641-643, June 2017.
- 10) Jha, Saumitra and Moses Shayo “**Financial Market Exposure Raises Support for Peace**” *The Political Economist*, American Political Science Association, Vol XII, Issue 1, Spring 2016.
- 11) Jha, Saumitra “**Financial Asset Holdings and Political Attitudes: Evidence from Revolutionary England**”, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, Vol. 103, No. 3, pp.1485-1545, August 2015.
- 12) Jha, Saumitra “**‘Unfinished Business’: Historic Complementarities, Political Competition and Ethnic Violence in Gujarat**”, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, Vol. 104, pg. 18-36, August 2014
- 13) Bhavnani, Rikhil and Saumitra Jha “**Gandhi’s Gift: Lessons for Peaceful Reform from India’s Struggle for Democracy**”, *Economics of Peace and Security Journal*, Vol. 9, No. 1, pp.80-92, April 2014.
- 14) Jha, Saumitra “**Trade, Institutions and Ethnic Tolerance: Evidence from South Asia**”, *American Political Science Review*, Vol. 107, No. 4, pp. 806-832, November 2013.

Winner of the 2014 *Michael Wallerstein Award* by the American Political Science Association for the best article published in political economy in the previous year.
- 15) Jha, Saumitra “**Analyzing Political Risk in Developing Countries: A Practical Framework for Project Managers**”, *Business and Politics*, Vol 15, No. 1, pp.117-136, April 2013.
- 16) Jha, Saumitra and Steven Wilkinson “**Does Combat Experience Foster Organizational Skill? Evidence from Ethnic Cleansing during the Partition of South Asia**”, *American Political Science Review*, Vol. 106, No. 4, pp. 883-907, November 2012.
- 17) Ban, Radu, Saumitra Jha and Vijayendra Rao “**Who has Voice in a Deliberative Democracy? Evidence from Transcripts of Village Parliaments in South India**”, *Journal of Development Economics*, Vol. 99, No. 2, pp. 428–438, November 2012.
- 18) Jha, Saumitra “**Sharing the Future: Financial Innovations and Innovators in Solving the Political Economy Challenges of Development**” in Masahiko Aoki, Timur Kuran and Gerard Roland, eds., *Institutions and Comparative Economic Development*, Volume I of the Proceedings of the 16th World Congress of the International Economic Association, Palgrave Macmillan, November 2012.
- 19) de Lara, Yadira, Avner Greif and Saumitra Jha “**The Administrative Foundations of Self-Enforcing Constitutions**”, *American Economic Review: Papers and Proceedings*, Vol 98, No. 2, pp. 105-109, May 2008.
- 20) Jha, Saumitra “**Maintaining Peace across Ethnic Lines: New Lessons from the Past**”, *Economics of Peace and Security Journal*, Vol. 2, No. 2, pp. 89-93, July 2007.
- 21) Jha, Saumitra, Vijayendra Rao and Michael Woolcock “**Governance in the Gullies: Democratic Responsiveness and Leadership in Delhi’s Slums**”, *World Development*, Vol 35, No.2, pp. 230-246, February 2007.

PUBLICATIONS FOR BROADER AUDIENCES

- 1) Grosjean, Pauline, Saumitra Jha, Michael Vlassopoulos and Yves Zenou “**Political Trenches: war can created both political solidarity and extreme polarization**”, *VoxEU*, December 28, 2023
- 2) Diaz-Cayeros, Alberto, Juan Espinosa-Balbuena and Saumitra Jha “**Surviving the Conquest: inter-ethnic complementarities and indigenous resilience to pandemics and wars in Mexico**”, *VoxEU*, April 3, 2022.
- 3) Jha, Saumitra “**Tolerance by accident, trust by design**”, *Public Books*, Oct. 21, 2021.
- 4) Jha, Saumitra, “**My nine-year-old son trades stocks on Robinhood. It isn’t all risky bets**”, *USA Today*, July 7, 2021.
- 5) Bhavnani, Rikhil and Saumitra Jha “**When Nonviolence Failed: hunting for the secret list of leaders of India’s wartime struggle**”, *Broadstreet*, April 2, 2021.
- 6) Julia Cagé, Anna Dagorret, Pauline Grosjean and Saumitra Jha “**Vive l’eco-histoire!**”, *Analyse Opinion Critique*, March 16, 2021.
- 7) Julia Cagé, Anna Dagorret, Pauline Grosjean and Saumitra Jha, “**De Verdun à Vichy, de héros a traîtres- évolution politiques des anciens combattants**”, *Analyse Opinion Critique*, Feb. 5, 2021
- 8) Julia Cagé, Anna Dagorret, Pauline Grosjean and Saumitra Jha , “**Heroes and Villains: How networks of influential individuals helped destroy one of the world’s most durable democracies and legitimise a racist, authoritarian state**”, *VoxEU*, Jan. 17, 2021.
- 9) Bharadwaj, Prashant and Saumitra Jha “**Drawing the Line: the short and long-term consequences of Partitioning India**”, *VoxDev*, Aug. 15, 2017, reprinted in *Ideas for India*.
- 10) Jha, Saumitra “**Can Financial Innovations Mitigate Ethnic and Civil Conflict?**” *World Financial Review*, March/ April 2013.
- 11) Jha, Saumitra “**Cities of Difference**”, *The Indian Express*, Oct 6, 2009.

BUSINESS CASES AND INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS:

- 1) Jha, Saumitra and Vyoma Jha “**International Political Strategy and the Climate Crisis: The CAFE Clash**”, *Stanford Graduate School of Business Case P-101*, 2020.
- 2) Jha, Saumitra “**Navigating Local Politics: Zum in Coronado**”, *Stanford Graduate School of Business Case P-100*, 2020.
- 3) Jha, Saumitra “**Overcoming Political Opposition: CNG Mandates in Delhi**”, *Stanford Graduate School of Business Case P-79 (A-C)*, 2012.
- 4) Jha, Saumitra and Debra Schifrin, “**Managing Local Political Risk: Parking the Tata Nano**”, *Stanford Graduate School of Business Case P-78 (A-C)*, 2012.
- 5) Jha, Saumitra “**Analyzing Political Risks through the Operational Risk Assessment Framework: Suggestions for Task Team Leaders, Sector Teams and Country Management Units**”, *Stanford Graduate School of Business and World Bank*, 2011.

- 6) Blair, Nathan and Saumitra Jha “**Jet Airways: Weathering Turbulence**” and “**Jet Airways: A Bumpy Landing**”, *Stanford Graduate School of Business Case P-60 (A-B)*, 2009.

WORKING PAPERS:

- 1) Athey, Susan, Emilio Calvano and Saumitra Jha “**A Theory of Community Formation and Social Hierarchy**”, revised from *Stanford GSB Research Paper 3467*, revision requested at the *Journal of the European Economic Association*.
- 2) Grosjean, Pauline, Saumitra Jha, Michael Vlassopoulos and Yves Zenou “**Political Trenches: War, Polarization and Partisanship**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4142*, revised July 2024, *under review*.
- 3) Jha, Saumitra, Peter Koudijs and Marcos Salgado “**Markets under Siege: How Political Beliefs Can Move Financial Markets**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4012*, revised June 2024, *under review*.
- 4) Rivera, Eduardo, Enrique Seira and Saumitra Jha “**Democracy Corrupted: Apex Corruption and the Erosion of Democratic Values**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4166*, May 2024,
- 5) Jha, Saumitra, Moses Shayo and Chagai Weiss “**Financial Market Exposure Increases Generalized Trust, Particularly Among the Politically Polarized**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4083*, revised May 2024, *under review*.
- 6) Jha, Saumitra and Steven Wilkinson “**Revolutionary Contagion**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4084*, revised February 2024.
- 7) Bhavnani, Rikhil, Zuhad Hai and Saumitra Jha “**Forging a Non-Violent Mass Movement: Economic Shocks and Organizational Innovations in India's Struggle for Democracy**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4097*, revised February 2024.
- 8) Saumitra Jha, Moses Shayo and Yotam Margalit “**Resisting Populism through Financial Exposure**”, June 2023.
- 9) Diaz-Cayeros, Alberto and Saumitra Jha “**Conquered but not Vanquished: Complementarities and Indigenous Entrepreneurs in the Shadow of Violence**”, *Stanford GSB Research Paper 4098*, October 2022.

BOOK PROJECTS, RESEARCH THEMES AND WORKS IN PROGRESS (working titles)

- 1) **Wars and Freedoms (book project with Steven Wilkinson).**
 1. “The Economic and Political Determinants of Nazi Collaboration in France” (with Julia Cagé and Pauline Grosjean), invited article for *Explorations in Economic History*.
 2. “Army of Shadows: The Organization of Resistance in Occupied France” (with Julia Cagé and Pauline Grosjean).
- 2) **Swords into Bank Shares: Financial Solutions to the Threat of Political Violence**
 1. “Profiteers or Peacemakers: Financial Market Responses to War” (with Kyle Van Rensselaer)
 2. “Swords into Bank Shares: Financial Innovations, Peacemaking and Development in Meiji Japan” (with Kris Mitchener and Masanori Takashima).
- 3) **How Nonviolence Works (book project with Rikhil Bhavnani).**
 1. “The Bridges that were Broken: The Effects of India’s First Nonviolent Struggle on Mass Religious Violence” (with Rikhil Bhavnani)
 2. “Decapitated Protests: Evidence from India’s August Revolution” (with Rikhil Bhavnani)
- 4) **Other Projects:**
 1. Segregation, Power-Sharing and Peace (with Resuf Ahmed, Dominic Rohner, Alessandro Saia and

Katia Zhuravskaya)

2. “Voice in Multi-Issue Bargaining” (with Nir Halevy, Valentino Chai, Jimena Ramirez and Michele Gelfand)

OTHER EXPERIENCE:

- 2022- Advisory Board Member, Accord.
- 2018- Advisory Board Member, the Depolarization Project.
- 2017 Consultant to Google, Inc. on evaluating political risks
- 2015 Consultant to Centra Technologies on conflict resolution and political instability
- 2013 Consultant to SAIC on conflict resolution and political instability
- 2011 Consultant to World Bank Social Development Group on evaluating political risks
- 2008 Consultant to World Bank in Bihar, India, on strengthening local governments (panchayats)
- 2000, 01 Consultant to World Bank Development Economics Research Group, on governance in slums
- 2005 RA to Professor Avner Greif for “Institutions and the path to the modern economy”, Stanford
- 2000-01 RA to Professor Kenneth Arrow for “Valuing the future”, Stanford
- 1997, 98 Editor, International Trade Centre (UNCTAD/WTO), Geneva, Switzerland

TEACHING:

- POLECON 383 Managing Politically Conflictual Environments (Stanford GSB: MBA) (new course)
- POLECON 683/ ECON 222/ POLISCI 446 Political Development Economics (Stanford GSB/Economics/Political Science: PhD) (new course)
- POLECON 231 Strategy Beyond Markets: Challenges and Opportunities in Developing Countries (Stanford GSB: MBA)(new course)
- POLECON 230/239 Strategy Beyond Markets (Stanford GSB: MBA/Sloan/MSx)
- GSBGEN 203 The Global Context of Management (Stanford GSB: MBA)
- GSBGEN 208 Ethics and Management (Stanford GSB: MBA)

Stanford MBA Global Seminars/ Study Trips (Faculty Lead): Namibia & South Africa 2017, Indonesia 2019, Brazil: “Fighting for the Planet” 2022, Morocco 2023

Executive Education (Stanford): The Politics of Sustainability (online course), Locational Political Risk, Managing Extreme Political Volatility, Strategies for Political Risk and Ethics, Business Innovation: Political Challenges and Opportunities.

Policy Training: FSI Fisher Family Summer Fellows Program: “Strategies for Development”, 2022, 2023 “Leaders in Conflict” 2024

- Stanford King Center: “What Works for Reducing Poverty” 2019
- School of Trans-National Governance, European University Institute, 2017, 2018 (co-scientific coordinator of “Approaches to Peacebuilding and the Role of Europe”).
- World Bank Political Economy Community of Practice: “Analyzing Political Risks” 2011

Undergraduate Courses:

- OSPPARIS 21 France in Crisis and Revolution: Historical Political Economics through a French lens (new course: Stanford in Paris 2023).
- POLISCI 114/314 Democracy and Development, regular guest lecturer.

ADVISING (and placement):

- Natalia Vasilenok, Stanford Political Science PhD (committee)
- Mitchell Harvey, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD expected 2025 (co-chair)
- Mariam Malashkia, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD expected 2025 (committee)
- Anna Dagarret, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD expected 2025 (co-chair)
- Qitong (Thomas) Cao, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2024 (co-chair)

Tufts Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy
 Janka Deli, Stanford Law School JSD 2024 (committee),
 Gerhard Casper Fellow, CDDRL, Stanford University.
 Marcos Salgado, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2022 (chair),
 Fund. Getulio Vargas- Rio, Economics
 Floyd Zhang, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2022 (committee), Instacart.
 Vyoma Jha, Stanford Law School JSD 2021 (committee), Natural Resources Defense Council.
 Ashutosh Thakur, Stanford Political Economics PhD 2020 (committee),
 National U. Singapore Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy.
 Carlos Varjao, Stanford Political Economics PhD 2020 (committee), Amazon
 Edgar Franco, Stanford Political Science PhD 2019 (committee), Michigan PS
 Joy Chen, Stanford Economics PhD 2019 (committee), CK GSB Economics
 Peter Schram, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2017 (co-chair), Vanderbilt PS
 Sangick Jeon, Stanford Political Science PhD 2014 (committee), Uber Data Science
 Rachel Brule, Stanford Political Science PhD 2013 (committee), NYU-AD PS,
 now Boston U. Pardee School of Global Studies
 Jessica Gottlieb, Stanford Political Science PhD 2013 (committee), Texas A&M Government,
 now U. Houston Hobby School of Public Affairs
 Alexander Lee, Stanford Political Science PhD 2013 (committee), Rochester PS
 Joshua Loud, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2013 (committee), US Treasury
 Katrina Kosec, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2011 (co-chair), IFPRI
 Christopher Paik, Stanford GSB Political Economics PhD 2010 (co-chair), NYU-AD PS

Stanford External Dissertation Committee Member (Economics x12, Political Science x11, GSB
 Organizational Behavior x4, GSB Accounting x3)
 Stanford H&S Advisor: Undergraduate Thesis (x1), MPP (x2), MLAS (x1)
 External Jury Member for Sciences-Po Economics, the Paris School of Economics & the European
 University Institute.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE:

Theme Lead for Ethnic Diversity & Nation-Building, *Reducing Conflict & Improving Performance in the Economy* (ReCIPE), CEPR / UK Foreign Commonwealth & Development Office research program, 2024-
 Convenor, Stanford Conflict and Polarization Lab, 2018- date
 Lead, Democratic Fragility and Conflict Program, Stanford CDDRL, 2022-date
 Academic Advisory Board, Arthur Lewis Lab, U. Manchester, 2023-
 Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences Fellows Selection Committee, 2022,2023,2024
 Stanford EPIC Community College Outreach program 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024
 Stanford RAISE Fellowship Mentor 2023
 Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences Academic Advisory Board, 2021
 Michael Wallerstein Best Paper Award for Political Economy Committee, APSA, 2021
 Stanford CDDRL Draper Hills Summer Fellowship Admissions Committee 2022
 Stanford CDDRL Pre/Post-Doctoral Fellowship Committee 2022-23
 JPAL Conflict & Violence Initiative Review Board 2020, 2021
 Stanford FSI Global Policy Internship Carnegie Mentor 2019- date
 Stanford FSI South Asia Search Committee 2018-19
 Stanford GSB Research Fellows Mentor 2015- ; Review Committee, 2017
 Stanford GSB Political Economy Group: 2008-: Admissions, Examinations, Faculty Recruiting.
 Stanford GSB Political Economy Group: 2017-20: PhD Liaison (Director of Graduate Studies).
 Stanford King Center on Global Development, Faculty Steering Committee: 2017-20
 Stanford Bing Overseas Program Fellowship Committee 2019

Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA): Peace and Recovery Review Board 2017, 2019
Stanford SEED Fellowship Committee 2017

Other Ongoing Affiliations:

Member: Preventing Conflict Research Policy Network, Center for Economic Policy Research (CEPR)
Faculty Affiliate: Jameel Poverty Action Lab (JPAL)
Faculty Affiliate: Center for Effective Global Action (CEGA), UC-Berkeley
Faculty Fellow: Association for Analytic Learning about Islam and Muslim Societies (AALIMS)
Senior Research Fellow: Data Analytics, Finance & Macroeconomics, Kings College, London
Faculty Affiliate: Stanford Center for South Asia, Advisory Board Member: 2017-date
Faculty Affiliate: Stanford Center for Latin American Studies
Faculty Affiliate: Stanford Europe Center

Refereeing: *Aggression and Violent Behavior*, *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics* (x6), *American Economic Journal: Policy*, *American Economic Review* (x17), *American Journal of Political Science* (x8), *American Political Science Review* (x16), *British Journal of Political Science* (x3), Cambridge U. Press, *Comparative Political Studies* (x7), *Comparative Politics* (x4), *Econometrica* (x19), *Economica*, *Economic Development & Cultural Change* (x8), *Economic History of Developing Regions*, *Economic History Review* (x2), *Economic Journal* (x6), *Economics of Peace and Security Journal*, *European Review of Economic History* (x2), *Explorations in Economic History* (x6), *Games & Economic Behavior* (x3), *Harvard IQSS* (x2), *International Organization* (x4), *Journal of Comparative Economics* (x28), *Journal of Conflict Resolution* (x6), *Journal of Development Economics* (x21), *Journal of Development Studies* (x4), *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization* (x2), *Journal of Economic Growth* (x2), *Journal of Economic History* (x18), *Journal of Economic Literature*, *Journal of Environmental Planning & Policy*, *Journal of the European Economic Association* (x12), *Journal of Historical Political Economy* (x2), *Journal of Human Resources* (x2), *Journal of Law, Economics & Organization* (3), *Journal of Legal Studies*, *Journal of Monetary Economics*, *Journal of Peace Research*, *Journal of Political Economy*, *Journal of Public Economics* (x8), National Science Foundation (Economics, x5), *Oxford Economic Papers*, Oxford U. Press, *Perspectives on Politics*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, *Quarterly Journal of Economics* (x20), *Quarterly Journal of Political Science* (x4), *Review of Economic Studies* (x6), *Review of Economics & Statistics* (x7), Routledge Press, Routledge India, *Social Science History*, Social Science & Humanities Research Council of Canada, Templeton Foundation, U. Chicago Press (x2), *World Development* (x2), *World Politics* (x7).

RECENT INVITED PRESENTATIONS / CONFERENCES (including scheduled):

2025 AEA meetings, Stanford Comparative Politics, Berkeley Citrin Polarization Conference

2024 Yale Political Science, Social Science Foo Camp, PacDev, Oxford Political Economy, Warwick Pol. Econ. & Public Econ., Maryland ARE, Stockholm School of Economics, NOVA Lisbon Economics, CEPR Conflict Conference (Bocconi), MIT Organizational Economics, Harvard Government, Berkeley/ Stanford Political Economy of Development conference (keynote), UCLA Anderson, Commonwealth Club -World Affairs, APSA, Global Scholars of Conflict conference (Belfast), CEPR Political Economy (Naples), Halle Econ, Michigan Dev. Econ., Kellogg/UBC Pol. Econ. Of Development conference

2023 AALAC Economic History of States and Societies conference (Middlebury-keynote), Northwestern Kellogg School of Management (Strategy), International Growth Centre/ ACES Summer School in Political Economy (Berkeley), Sciences-Po/ Paris School of Economics Political Economy, ENS de Lyon Economics, CEPR Conflict Conference (Barcelona), Essex Political Economy, LSE Political Economy, LSE Economic History, Virtual Historical Political Economy, CEPR Political Economy of Finance Conference (Rotterdam), Ecole Polytechnique (CREST), Paris Institute for Advanced Study, Columbia Political Science, CEPR Political Economy Forum (Paris)

2022 Twenty-First *Figuerola* Lecture in Economic History (Ramon Areces Foundation, Madrid), Carlos III economic history, Madrid, Harvard Kennedy School *Stone* Inequality and Social Policy, MIT Global Diversity Lab, Stanford CDDRL, Stanford economic history, NBER Political Economy meeting, NBER Culture and Institutions meeting, Deakin economics, Central European University-Vienna (economics), New Economics School (economics), HEC Lausanne (public economics and policy), Business, Identity and Networks Conference (Pomona and IIM-Bangalore), UCSD (development economics), Yale Long Term Latin American Development Conference, Brown (development, institutions, political economy), UCLA Culture and Institutions conference. AEA meetings.

2021 MIT Organizational Economics Lecture Series, World House Project, CREI-IPEG political economy workshop (Barcelona), AEA meetings, Martin Luther U. Halle (development), Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford economic history, Stanford Europe Center, AALIMS, Stanford CDDRL, NYU (political economy and economic history), Pacific development conference, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Georgetown (business), Economic History Association meetings, Dartmouth (economics)

2020 ITAM (political economy), Columbia (comparative politics), Stanford Conflict and Polarization conference, Stanford (political science), Higher School of Economics, Virtual Economic History

2019 University of Hong Kong (economics), Stanford Positive Peace Conference, Stanford (economic history), Yale SOM (finance), Chicago (history and social sciences), ASREC, Harvard conference on populism, Northwestern political economy, development and history conference, Federal Reserve Board/ Global Financial Literacy Excellence Center (GWU), Wisconsin-Madison (political economy and history and politics), Sciences Po/ Paris School of Economics political economy.

PERSONAL: Citizenship: United Kingdom and United States; India (Overseas).

Field Research: Verdun (France); Oaxaca (Mexico); Bihar, Delhi, Gujarat, Kerala, Rajasthan (India); Zanzibar (Tanzania); Moscow (Russia)

Memberships: American Economic Association, American Finance Association, American Political Science Association, Economic History Association, European Economic Association, Econometric Society, Royal Economic Society.