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Degrees

2007 Ph.D. University of California, Los Angeles, Political Science

Dissertation: "Institutional Design in the European Union: How Governments Negotiated the Treaty of Amsterdam."

Committee: George Tsebelis (Chair), Kathleen Bawn, Ronald Rogowski, Jean-Laurent Rosenthal (Economics, Cal Tech)

2001 B.A. Rutgers University, Political Science and German, *Summa Cum Laude*

Further Education

2004 Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models workshop, Washington University, St. Louis

2001-2002 DAAD Fellow, University of Konstanz, Germany

1999-2000 Exchange Student, University of Konstanz, Germany

Academic Positions

2008 - Lecturer, Trinity College, Dublin

2007 - 2008 Assistant Professor, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Publications in Peer Reviewed Journals

Jonathan B. Slapin and Sven-Oliver Proksch (forthcoming 2008) "A Scaling Model for Estimating Time Series Policy Positions from Texts." *American Journal of Political Science* 52(3).

Jonathan B. Slapin (2008) "Bargaining Power at Europe's Intergovernmental Conferences: Testing Institutional and Intergovernmental Theories." *International Organization*. 62(1).

Christian Jensen, Jonathan B. Slapin, and Thomas König (2007) "Who Calls for a Common EU Foreign Policy? Partisan Constraints on CFSP Reform." *European Union Politics*. 8(3).

Sven-Oliver Proksch and Jonathan B. Slapin (2006) "Institutions and their Effects on Coalition Formation: the German Election of 2005." *West European Politics*. 29(3).

Thomas König and Jonathan B. Slapin (2006) "From Unanimity to Consensus: Negotiations at the EU's Constitutional Convention." *World Politics*. 58(3).

Jonathan B. Slapin (2006) "Who is Powerful? Examining Preferences and Testing Sources of Bargaining Strength at European Intergovernmental Conferences." *European Union Politics* 7(1).

Thomas König and Jonathan B. Slapin (2004) "Bringing Parliaments Back In: The Sources of Power in European Treaty Negotiation." *The Journal of Theoretical Politics* 16(3).

Works in Progress

"Position-Taking in European Parliament Speeches." with Sven-Oliver Proksch. Invited to revise & resubmit at *British Journal of Political Science*. Previous version presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, March 2008

"Exit, Voice, and Cooperation: Bargaining Power in International Organizations and Federal Systems." Invited to revise & resubmit at *Journal of Theoretical Politics*. Previous version presented at the European Union Studies Association Meeting, Montreal, May 2007.

"Look Who's Talking: Parliamentary Debate in the European Union." with Sven-Oliver Proksch. *Under Review*. Previous version presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, March 2008

"How Exit Options Influence the Legalization and Effectiveness of RTAs" with Julia Gray.

"Estimating Japanese Party Positions from Political Texts." with Sven-Oliver Proksch and Michael Thies.

"Institutional Design in the European Union" Book Manuscript. *Prospectus under review*.

Selected Conferences and Presentations

(P= paper presenter, C= chair, D = discussant)

University of Mannheim, Germany, June 2008 (P)

Trinity College, Dublin, April 2008

Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2008 (P)

International Studies Association Conference, March 2008 (C, D, P)

Southwest Social Science Association Conference, March 2008 (C, D)

Oxford University, December 2007

The George Washington University, November 2007

European Union Studies Association Conference, Montreal, May 2007 (C, P)

Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2007 (P)

University of New Mexico, February 2007

Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2006 (P)

UCLA Political Science Speaker Series, October 2005 (P)

Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., 2005 (P)

Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2005 (P)

Annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Oakland, March 2005 (P)
UCLA Graduate Student Conference on the European Union, February 2005 (P)
UCLA Burke Center for International Relations Speakers Series, May 2004 (D)

Grants and Fellowships

UNLV Faculty Summer Fellowship (declined) 2008
UNLV Faculty Conference Travel Grant 2007
UCLA Center for European And Eurasian Studies Conference Travel Grant 2007
UCLA Dissertation Year Fellowship 2006-2007
Institute for Humane Studies Fellow 2006-2007
NSF Grant to attend Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models workshop, Washington University, St. Louis, MO. *Summer 2004*
UCLA Center for European And Eurasian Studies Pre-dissertation Research Grant, *Summer 2003*
UCLA Graduate Student Fellowship 2002-2003
DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) fellowship for Year Abroad in Konstanz, Germany 2001-2002

Teaching

Teaching Interests: Comparative Political Institutions, European Politics, Research Methods.

UNLV

Introduction to Comparative Politics; Comparative Politics of Western Europe; Introduction to Research Methods; European Union Politics.

UCLA (Teaching Assistant)

Introduction to Comparative Politics, Introduction to World Politics, Introduction to Data Analysis, Game Theoretic Approaches to European Politics, Comparative Institutional Analysis.

Professional Activities

Referee for *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *European Union Politics*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *Journal of Politics*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Review of International Organizations*.

Member of American Political Science Association (2002-Present)
Member of Midwest Political Science Association (2004-Present)
Member of European Union Studies Association (2007-Present)

Departmental Service

Scholarship Committee, UNLV, 2007-2008
Advisor to Pi Sigma Alpha, Political Science Honors Society, UNLV, 2007-2008
President of Political Science Graduate Student Association, UCLA, 2004-2005

Foreign Language

Fluent German

References

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