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### **EDUCATION**

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**University of Wisconsin-Madison**, Madison, WI **2004-2011**

Ph.D. in Political Science

Major Fields: Comparative Politics and International Relations; Minor Field: Law

Master of Arts in Political Science, December 2005

Dissertation: "Trafficking (In)justice: Russian Law Enforcement's Response to Human Trafficking"

**Wesleyan University**, Middletown, CT **1997-2001**

Bachelor of Arts with Honors, College of Social Studies

Thesis: "Playing to Win: Sports, Politics and the Cold War"

### **APPOINTMENTS AND AFFILIATIONS**

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Assistant Professor of Political Science in Legal Studies, UMass Amherst **2011 to present**

Research Fellow, Center for the Study of Institutions and Development,  
Higher School of Economics. Moscow, Russia **2011 to present**

Associate, Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University **2012 to present**

Working Group Member and Advanced Practitioner Fellow US-Russia Social  
Expertise Exchange Rule of Law and the Community project **2014 to present**

Consultant, Walk Free Foundation **March-August 2014**

Consultant, International Organization for Migration, Azerbaijan **May-November 2011**

Lecturer in Political Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison **Fall 2010**

### **PUBLICATIONS**

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*Trafficking Justice: How Russian Police Enforce New Laws, from Crime to Courtroom*, Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2015.

"Human Trafficking and the New Slavery" *Annual Review of Law and Social Sciences*, 10: 221-242, 2014.

"The Day-to-day Work of the Russian Police" *Russian Analytical Digest*, vol. 151, June 30, 2014.

"Local-Level Law Enforcement: Muscovites and their Uchastkovyy," *Post Soviet Affairs*, 30(2-3): 195-225, 2014.

“Beyond Corruption: An Assessment of Russian Law Enforcement’s Fight against Human Trafficking,” *Demokratizatsiya* 18(1): 1-27, 2010.

Book Review: Sarah Ashwin, ed. “Adapting to the New Russian Labour Market: Gender and Employment Strategy” *Labor History* 50 (3), 2009.

“A Comparative Analysis of Russian and American Law Enforcement Practices on Human Trafficking,” in *Beyond Tolerance: Human Trafficking and Slave Labor: Metamorphosis of an Old Crime and New Methods for Combating It*. Pacific State Economic University, Vladivostok, Russia, 2008. (Published in Russian: “*Sravnitel’nyi analiz praktiki rossiiskikh i amerikanskikh pravookhranitel’nykh institutov v protivodeistvii torgovle liud’mi*” in *V ne tolerantnosti. Torgovlya liud’mi i rabskii trud: metamorfozy starykh prestuplenii i novye metody ikh preodoleniya*).

McCloskey S., Ellerbroek, N., McCarthy L. “Treatment outcomes of three-dimensional conformal radiotherapy for localized prostate carcinoma: a large community-based experience.” *Cancer* 101(11): 2693-700, 2004.

### **RESEARCH IN PROGRESS**

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“The Pictures Inside Our Heads: Racial Resentment, White Public Opinion, and the Politics of Paying College Athletes” (with Tatishe Nteta and Kevin Wallsten)

“Interest Group Litigation in a Comparative Context” (with Paul Collins)

“Human Trafficking,” entry for *Oxford Bibliographies in Sociology*

“Transaction Costs: Prosecuting Child Trafficking for Illegal Adoption in Russia”

“Cooperating with the State: Evidence from a Survey Experiment on Policing in Moscow” (with Noah Buckley, Timothy Frye and Scott Gehlbach)

“Who Reports? Using Survey Experiments to Explore Cooperation with the State in Russia and Georgia” (with Noah Buckley, Timothy Frye and Scott Gehlbach)

“A Rotten Orchard?: Societal Perceptions of Police Misbehavior in Moscow, Russia,” (with Timothy Frye and Noah Buckley)

### **GRANTS, AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

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ISSR Scholars Program, UMass Amherst 2015-2016

Title VIII Research Scholar, Kennan Institute at the Woodrow Wilson Center Jan.-Aug. 2013

2012 Edward S. Corwin Award for best dissertation in Public Law from the American Political Science Association

2012 School of Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Support Grant, University of Massachusetts Amherst

2010 APSA Annual Meeting Travel Grant

2009 Law and Society Association's Graduate Student Workshop, Denver, CO

2008 Vilas Travel Grant for travel to 2009 Law and Society Association Conference

2008-2010, Fellow, Institute for Legal Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison

2007-2008, Fulbright Institute for International Education Fellow, for dissertation research in Russia (September 2007-July 2008)

2007-2008, International Research and Exchange Board (IREX), Individual Advanced Research Opportunities Program grantee, for dissertation research in Russia and Ukraine (2007-2008), declined

Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS), 2007 Summer Fellowship for Russian language study at Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies

2004-2005 White Fellowship, Wesleyan University Department of Government for a graduate in pursuit of post-graduate study

#### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS**

"Women Traffickers in Russia," and panel organizer "Current Research on Human Trafficking in the post-Soviet Space," Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Philadelphia, PA, November 2015.

Panel Chair, Discussant, and Organizer, "Policing the Post-Communist Space," Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Seattle, WA, May 2015.

"Ancient Horrors, New Laws: Human Trafficking in Russia," presented at the University of Massachusetts Amherst's Center for Public Policy and Administration's Faculty Colloquium, January 26, 2015.

"Tolerance of Police Misbehavior in Moscow, Russia" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, San Antonio, TX, November 2014

Panel Chair "The Use of Law in Russia" Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, San Antonio, TX, November 2014

Invited lecturer "Enforcing Human Trafficking Laws in Russia" Boston University Law School Human Trafficking Clinic, October 2014.

Invited participant, "Consortium of Undergraduate Law and Justice Program workshop on Strengthening Sociolegal Studies, Approaches that Can Involve Undergraduates in Research," sponsored by NSF, Washington DC, July 21-22, 2014

Invited lecturer "Current Practices in Addressing and Combating Human Trafficking and Smuggling" for Human Rights Education Associates webinar, June 3, 2014

"A Rotten Orchard?: Societal Perceptions of Police Misbehavior in Moscow, Russia" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Minneapolis, MN, May 2014 (panel organizer), also presented at the LSA's Early Career Workshop immediately before the conference

"Patterns of Prosecuting Human Trafficking Cases in Russia: The First 10 Years" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Boston, MA, November 2013

"Local-Level Law Enforcement: Muscovites and their Uchastkovye" at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 2013

"Local-Level Law Enforcement: Muscovites and their Uchastkovye" at conference "Studying Institutions and Development in Russia: New Data and New Approaches," Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia, June 2013

Local Law: Experience with and Attitudes towards Beat Police in Moscow Russia, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Boston MA, May 2013

"Local-Level Law Enforcement: Muscovites and their Uchastkovye" at "Engaging the Law in Eurasia and Eastern Europe," Kennan Institute, Washington DC January (closed workshop) and May 2013 (open conference)

"Russian Citizens' Experience with and Attitudes towards the Police" at SSRC Eurasia Program Title VIII Summer Workshop in Quantitative Methods, Madison, WI, August 2012

Panel Organizer "Current and Future Prospects for Law Enforcement Agencies in Russia" and panel chair "The Russian Immigrant System: Informal Determinants and Outcomes" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, New Orleans, LA, November 2012

"Law Enforcement's Response to Human Trafficking in Russia" Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia, July 2012

"Cooperating with the State: Evidence from Survey Experiments on Policing" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Honolulu, HI, June 2012

"The Problem of Human Trafficking in Post-Soviet Russia" Invited lecture, presented at "Russia after the Collapse of Communism: Prospects for Liberalization," Beloit College, Beloit WI, March 2012

"Prosecution of Slave Labor Cases in Russia," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Washington, D.C., November 2011

“Law and Informal Practices in the Soviet Union: Experiences through the Eyes of Ukrainian Immigrants” presented at Workshop “What was the Soviet Union?” at Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT on October 20-21, 2011

“Slavery DOES Exist: Human Trafficking in and From Russia and the Former Soviet Union” invited public lecture at Beloit College, Beloit, WI, April 2011

“Russian Law Enforcement’s Implementation of Anti-Trafficking Laws” presented at International Research and Exchange Board (IREX) 2011 Regional Policy Symposium: Gender in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Eastern Europe and Eurasia, Washington, DC, April 2011

“Learning to Use New Laws on Human Trafficking: Law Enforcement’s Contribution to Getting Justice” presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Los Angeles, CA, November 2010

“Normalization” of Articles 127.1 and 127.2: Learning How and When to Use a New Law” presentation of working chapter of dissertation at SSRC Eurasia Dissertation Development Workshop, Harvard University, October 2010

“Police and the Rule of Law in Russia” poster presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington DC, September 2010

“Police and the Rule of Law in Russia” presented at the annual meeting of the Law and Society Association, Chicago, IL, May 2010

“The Impact of Soviet Era Law Enforcement Practices on the Prosecution of Human Trafficking Cases in Contemporary Russia” presented at Laws Locations: Textures of Legality in Developing and Transitional Societies, Madison, WI, April 2010

“Police and the Rule of Law in Russia” presented at the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Boston, MA, November 2009

“Human Trafficking in the Russian Legal System” presented at Law and Society Association, Denver, CO, May 2009

“Russian Law Enforcement’s Capacity and Willingness to Implement Anti-Trafficking Laws,” presented at the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Philadelphia, PA, November 2008

“A Comparative Analysis of Russian and American Law Enforcement Practices on Human Trafficking” presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual International Young Researchers Conference, “The Role of Law in the Construction and Destruction of Democracy in Postcommunism” Havighurst Center for Russian & Post-Soviet Studies, Miami University, Oxford, OH, October 2008

“Law Enforcement Practice on Human Trafficking in Russia” presented at the Midwest Law and Society Retreat, Madison, WI, September 2008

“A Comparative Analysis of Russian and American Law Enforcement Practices on Human Trafficking” presented at the international conference Labor Migration in Eurasia: Tendencies, Problems and Methods for Cooperation, Vladivostok, Russia, May 2008; also presented in Khabarovsk, Russia, May 2008 and Irkutsk, Russia, July 2008

“Power and Transnational Advocacy Networks: Organizations Working on Sex Trafficking in Russia” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2007

“Human Trafficking in Russia and Ukraine” Social Science Research Council (SSRC) Eurasia Dissertation Development Workshop, Yale University, New Haven, CT, March 2007

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

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Introduction to Legal Studies

Comparative Law & Society

Human Rights and Wrongs

Justice on and off the Field

Russian Politics, Law and Society

Human Trafficking and Modern Day Slavery (First Year Seminar)

Citizens Police Academy (in collaboration with UMass Police Department)

### **RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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**International Organization for Migration**, Moscow, Russia **Feb. 2008-July 2008**  
Assistant to the Counter Trafficking Project

**United States Agency for International Development**, Washington DC **Summer 2007**  
Anti-Trafficking and Gender Issues Intern

**University of Wisconsin-Madison**, Madison, WI **2004-2011**

- Project Assistant to Professor Kathryn Hendley, Spring/Fall 2006
- Editorial Assistant *Law and Society Review*, 2004-2005
- Coordinator, Law, Politics and Society Brownbag, 2008-present

**Angel Coalition**, Moscow, Russia **Summer 2005**  
Summer Intern

**Language Link**, Moscow, Russia **Aug. 2003-Jun. 2004**  
Teacher of English as a Foreign Language

### **SERVICE AND OUTREACH**

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Public Lecture “Enforcing Laws on Human Trafficking” Kennan Institute Noontime Discussion Series, Woodrow Wilson Center, Washington DC, May 2013

Televised Q&A for exchange students from the former Soviet Union (FLEX program) “Human Trafficking and a Regional Look at the Post-Soviet World” broadcast online on Wilson Forum, May 2013 and June 2013

Public Lecture “Human Trafficking in Russia” Institute for European, Russian and Eurasian Studies, George Washington University, Washington DC, April 2013

Member of selection committee for the US Agency for International Development's Campus Challenge grant program on Human Trafficking research, 2013

Briefings to US Department of State, Bureau for Intelligence and Research  
May 2013 on local-level policing in Moscow  
April 2011 policy briefing on “Prosecution of Human Trafficking in Russia”

Discussant for final student presentations, University of California in Washington DC, May 2013

Presentation to Five College Slavic Seminar “Policing Human Trafficking in Russia,” October 2012

Informal lunchtime discussion with visiting Public Health faculty and students from Novgorod State University at Institute for Global Health, University of Massachusetts, October 2012

Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, Office of Democratic Institutions and Human Rights, Election Observer, Constitutional Referendum, Kyrgyzstan, June 2010 (trip cancelled due to security concerns)

Comprehensive Exam Examiner in Government, College of Social Studies, Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT, May 2010

Presentations on Human Trafficking:

Janesville Academy of International Studies, March 2010  
Middleton High School’s 2009 Human Right’s Week  
Waunakee High School, WI, 2006 and 2008  
American Center, Moscow, Russia, February 2008  
University of Wisconsin-Madison Center for Russia, Eastern Europe and Central Asia: Day in Eastern Europe, 2006, 2007, 2009

University of Wisconsin-Madison Center for Russia, Eastern Europe and Central Asia: Summer Teacher Workshop “Sex Trafficking in Russia and Eastern Europe,” June 2006

Guest lecture, Madison Area Technical College-Watertown, “Russia 1991-2007,” May 2007

University of Wisconsin-Madison Center for Russia, Eastern Europe and Central Asia: Teacher Workshop, “Democracy in Russia,” November 2006

**LANGUAGES AND OTHER SKILLS**

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Russian (Advanced); Spanish (Basic)  
STATA, NVivo

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ACTIVITIES**

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American Political Science Association  
Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies  
Association of Women in Slavic Studies  
Law and Society Association  
Editorial Board member: Journal of Trafficking, Organized Crime and Security

Reviewer: *Demokratizatsiya, Journal of Contemporary Economic Policy, Labor History, Laboratorium, World Politics, Routledge Press, National Science Foundation Law and Social Science Section and Political Science Section, Criminal Law and Criminal Justice Books, Oxford University Press, Theoretical Criminology*