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EDUCATION

University of Oxford, Master of Philosophy in International Relations, expected June 2025

- Provisional thesis title: *How Symbolic Sanctions can be Coercive: a Text Analysis Approach to Economic Sanctions Effectiveness*, supervised by Dr. Ranjit Lall

London School of Economics and Political Science, Bachelor of Science in International Relations, Class of 2023, First Class Honors

- *Nationalization as a Strategy to Resist Economic Sanctions*. Supervised by Dr. Nikhil Kalyanpur. Received with distinction

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sanctions Economic Analysis Division Intern, U.S. Treasury OFAC, July 2024-September 2024

- Conducted Econometric analysis on Russian taxation policy, the oil price cap, sanctions on the metals market, and the Kursk Incursion using Haver, Bloomberg, BMI (Fitch), Stata, and R
- Authored and contributed to memos for senior officials at OFAC and Treasury leadership
- Constructed a database using web-scraping techniques with over 30,000 persons who were added, changed, and deleted from the OFAC Specially Designated Nationals list since 2005

Research Assistant, Provisional project title: What Are Parliaments Afraid Of?, June 2024-Present

- NATO-funded study housed at the University of McGill
- Uses web scraping techniques to download all Portuguese Parliamentary debates since 2010
- Cleaned and processed the text of the debates into a .csv file containing paragraphs mentioning terms such as 'China', 'Russia', 'Ukraine', 'NATO', 'Taiwan,' and 'USA' along with the speaker and their position in Parliament

Summer Analyst, KingSett Capital Investments Team, Toronto, June 2023-September 2023

- KingSett is a private equity firm specializing in commercial real estate with \$17.7 billion AUM
- Contributed to the modeling and underwriting of 5 industrial and multi-residential acquisitions
- Performed market research on 212 rival Canadian real estate private equity funds and aided in the preparation of Confidential Information Memoranda for active dispositions

Senior Analyst, London Politica, London, September 2022-September 2023

- Led a team of 41 Research Directors, Analysts, and staff to develop the London Politica Sanctions dataset, a comprehensive mapping of all current sanctions regimes globally
- Authored and directed over 20 individual research projects on economic sanctions

Research Intern, Global Public Policy Institute (GPPi), Berlin, June-September 2022

- Examined over 100 academic works to author a comprehensive literature review on sanctions
- Designing a research question and methodology for a study on targeted sanctions and illicit financial flows commissioned by the German Federal Foreign Office

Intern, U.S. Embassy Lisbon Politics and Economics Team, Lisbon, Sept. 2021-June 2022

- Independently analyzed Portuguese news on political and economic trends to draft over 180 daily updates used by U.S. policymakers in Lisbon, Washington D.C., and elsewhere
- Authored internal documents including bios, readouts, and briefings for the Chargé d'Affaires and other embassy staff

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

- Portuguese: fluent
- French: intermediate
- German & Mandarin: basic

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Coding languages: R, Stata
- Web scraping and natural language processing
- Data services: Bloomberg, Haver, BMI (Fitch)

LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Co-Editor in Chief, Oxford Diplomatic Dispatch, Oxford, June 2024-Present

- Manages a team of 7 editors to publish 2 issues per term of the Dispatch
- Solicits articles from policymakers and professionals on various topics in diplomatic affairs
- hosts launch events with contributors; member of the executive committee of the Oxford Diplomatic Society 2024-2025

Vice President for Academic Affairs, St. Antony's College GCR, February 2024-Present

- Member of the executive committee of the St Antony's student leadership body
- Organizes speaker events, seminars, and conferences at St. Antony's college with high-profile speakers such as former U.S. Assistant Secretary of State Clarke Cooper and Professor Mukoyama

General Section Editor, St. Antony's International Review (STAIR), Oxford, September 2023-Present

- Oxford's only peer-reviewed journal on international affairs
- Reviews submissions in the General Section for each of STAIR's semi-annual editions
- Contacts and liaises with peer-reviewers and finalizes articles for publication

Co-Head, R.Unit, Polish Economic Forum, October 2023-March 2024

- Lead a team of 5 undergraduate and masters students in the production of a publication about the impact of Foreign Direct Investment on the development of the Polish Economy to be presented at a dedicated panel at the Polish Economic Forum 2024

AWARDS AND HONORS

Student Travel and Research grant 2024 from the Stahl Research Fund, St. Antony's College

SDIS Award for Academic Excellence 2020: Awarded to the highest-achieving student in the Diploma Program, Class Valedictorian

CONFERENCES

Forthcoming Panel Presenter, "Why Being Sanctioned Changes How You Think" on the *Security By Other Means: Sanctions, Boycotts, and Economic Statecraft* panel at the 66th International Studies Association Conference, March 2nd 2025

Lightning Talk, "Nationalization as a Strategy to Resist Economic Sanctions" on the *Foreign Investment and Economic Policy* panel at the 81st Midwest Political Science Conference, April 6th, 2024

Panel Presenter, "Transforming the Polish Economy: The Evolution of FDI Inflows since Accession to the EU" at the *Polish Economic Forum 2024*, March 10th 2024

Panel Presenter, "Nationalization as a Strategy to Resist Economic Sanctions" on the *International Law and Norms in World politics* panel at the International Studies Association Virtual Conference, August 4th 2023

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

"Does Japan Expect Sanctions on Hamas to have Any Effect?" Oxford Politics Blog (2024)

"Why the West Should Tread Cautiously when Using Asset Freezes" Oxford Politics Blog (2023)

"Why Policymakers are Thinking About Sanctions the Wrong Way" Oxford Diplomatic Dispatch Issue 5 (2023), p. 54-57

"Russian Countersanctions: Drivers of a Pragmatic EU Foreign Policy" Oxford Political Review Issue 10 (2023), p. 12-15

"When Private Military Operations Fail, the Case of Mozambique" Oxford Political Review Issue 8 (2022), p. 22-23