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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

New York University Abu Dhabi, Abu Dhabi, UAE
Postdoctoral Associate, Social Science Division

September 2022 -

EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York, NY
PhD in Political Science

2022

Examination Fields: Comparative Politics and Political Economy (Formal Theory)

Dissertation Title: "Taxation and State Building Under Diversity"

Committee: Kimuli Kasara, Isabela Mares, Jack Snyder, Timur Kuran, Timothy Frye

MPhil, Political Science, 2018

MA, Political Science, 2016

Yale University, New Haven, CT
Ivy Plus Exchange Scholar

2019 - 2020

Koc University, Istanbul, Turkey
MA in International Relations

2015

Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
MA in Political Science

2012

Sabanci University, Istanbul, Turkey
BS in Electrical Engineering

2011

PUBLICATIONS

"Predatory Rulers, Credible Commitment, and Tax Compliance in the Ottoman Balkans." 2022.
Journal of Historical Political Economy. 2(2), 263-297.

BOOK MANUSCRIPT IN PROGRESS

"Taxation and State Building Under Diversity."

WORKING PAPERS

"The Paradox of Imperial Taxation: How Diversity Shapes Development and Dominant Groups Shoulder the Tax Burdens," (Job Market Paper)

"All the Sultan's Men: Ruler Insecurity, Governors, and Public Goods," with Gunes Murat Tezcur and Bogdan Popescu (Invited to revise and resubmit)

"When Islamism Meets Incumbency: The Limits of Islamist Electoral Advantage," with M. Tahir Kilavuz (Under Review). *Honorable mention for the 2020 Kenneth D. Wald Best Graduate Student Paper Award, American Political Science Association.*

"Bargaining over Fiscal Centralization in the Shadow of War," with Daniel Goldstein

WORKS IN PROGRESS

“After Empires: Legacies of Foreign Rule and Long-Run Fiscal Capacity in Arab States,” with Allison Hartnett

“Out-Group Tax Compliance and Tax Morale: Evidence from Survey Experiments in Brazil and Turkey,” with Giuliana Pardelli

“Transnational Activist Frameworks and Support for Gendered Redistribution of Power,” with Caglayan Baser and Ekrem T. Baser

DATASETS

“Provincial Governors of the late Ottoman Empire and modern Turkey, 1875-2019,” with Gunes Murat Tezcur and Bogdan Popescu. *In Progress*

“Local-Level Fiscal Revenues in the Ottoman Empire.” *In Progress*

“Dataset of Local Council Members and Provincial Bureaucrats in the Ottoman Empire,” with Otto Kienitz. *In Progress*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Columbia University, Instructor

Research Design: Data Analysis *Summer 2020*

Columbia University, Teaching Assistant

Graduate Level

Analysis of Political Data *Spring 2019*

Undergraduate Level

State Politics *Spring 2022*

Voting and American Politics *Fall 2021*

Introduction to Human Rights *Spring 2021*

Autocracy and Democracy *Fall 2020*

Democracy and Dictatorship in Europe *Fall 2018*

Data Analysis and Statistics for Political Science *Spring 2018*

Scope and Methods *Spring 2016, Fall 2017*

International Political Economy *Fall 2016*

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Archival and Field Research

Ottoman Archives in Istanbul *2018 - Ongoing*

Bulgaria *2016*

Research Assistance

Research Assistant for Kimuli Kasara *2016 - 2017*

Research Assistant for Isabela Mares *Summer 2016*

Research Assistant for Ali Carkoglu *2012 - 2015*

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

Empirical Studies in Political Analysis Workshop, Eurasian Peace Science Conference (EPSC), European Political Science Association (EPSA), Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Sabanci University Brown Bag Seminar (scheduled) *2023*

Council for European Studies (CES), MENA Network of Experimental Social Scientists, Political Economy of the Middle East (PEMENA) Workshop, The Political Economy of Empire Symposium (University of Southern California PIPE Collaborative), Virtual Historical Political Economy (HPE) Workshop *2022*

American Political Science Association (APSA), Association for Analytic Learning about Islam and Muslim Societies (AALIMS) Graduate Student Workshop, Association for the Study of Religion, Economics and Culture (ASREC) Graduate Student Workshop, CES Annual Graduate Workshop on Comparative Historical Research on Europe, ISERP Interdisciplinary Graduate Student Seminar, MPSA, Southern Political Science Association (SPSA), The Project on Middle East Political Science (POMEPS) Virtual Research Workshop *2021*

APSA, Northeast Working Group on Turkish Politics (canceled) *2020*

Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN), Comparative Research on Political Elites (Hertie School, Berlin), EPSA, Middle East Studies Association (MESA), MPSA *2019*

MPSA, Northeast Working Group on Turkish Politics *2017*

EPSA *2014*

AWARDS, GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

External

Travel Research Engagement Grant, POMEPS (\$1,700) *2021*

Honorable Mention, Kenneth D. Wald Best Graduate Student Paper Award, APSA *2020*

Internal

Global Dynamics Cluster Seed Fund Grant, NYUAD (\$5000, with Caglayan Baser and Ekrem T. Baser) *2023*

Government & Public Policy Cluster Seed Fund Grant, NYUAD (\$5000, with Giuliana Pardelli) *2023*

Postdoctoral Travel Award, NYUAD (\$1,000) *2023*

Development Cluster Seed Fund Grant, NYUAD (\$3850)	2022
Experimental Cluster Seed Fund Grant, NYUAD (\$5000, with Giuliana Pardelli)	2022
Dissertation Development Grant, Columbia University (\$3,350)	2019, 2020
Summer Language Fellowship, Columbia University (\$3,000)	2019
Giancarlo Doria Fellowship, Columbia University (\$1,650)	2018
Katerina Alevizaki Dracopoulos Summer Fellowship, Columbia University (\$3,635)	2018
Dean's Fellowship, Columbia University	2015
MA Scholarship, Koc University	2012
Full Tuition Waiver, Central European University	2011
Honor Scholarship, Sabanci University	2007

SERVICE

Student Coordinator for the *Political Economy Group Meeting*, Columbia University

Reviewer for *American Political Science Review*, *Journal of Development Studies*

Discussant: APSA (2021, 2022), ASN (2021), MPSA (2021), SPSA (2021), Theory in Methods Workshop (2023), Virtual HPE Workshop (2022)

SKILLS

Research Languages	Turkish (Native), English, French, Ottoman Turkish
Other Languages	Modern Standard Arabic, Spanish
Software	R, L ^A T _E X, Stata, SPSS, Mathematica, QGIS, Open Data Kit/SurveyCTO

REFERENCES

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 Duke University
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