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## Academic Employment

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- 2024 - 2027  
Leverhulme Trust Early Career Fellow  
Department of Politics and International Studies  
**University of Warwick**
- 2023 - 2024  
Postdoctoral Fellow in Global Health Justice  
Normative Orders Research Center  
**Goethe University Frankfurt**
- 2022 - 2023  
Postdoctoral Fellow  
Justitia Center for Advanced Studies  
**Goethe University Frankfurt**
- 2018 - 2022  
Graduate Teaching Assistant  
Department of Government  
**London School of Economics and Political Science**

## Education

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- 2022  
PhD in Political Science (passed with no corrections)  
**London School of Economics and Political Science**  
Thesis: *Justice & Class Consciousness: A Theory of Political Transition*  
Supervisor: Lea Ypi. Examiners: Stuart White & Anne Phillips  
Available to read online [here](#)
- 2021 (Nov - Dec)  
Visiting Research Student  
**Department of Philosophy**  
**Harvard University**  
Sponsor: Lucas Stanczyk
- 2019  
PGCertHE (full fellowship)  
**HE Academy & LSE Teaching and Learning Centre**
- 2018  
MRes in Political Science (Distinction)  
**London School of Economics and Political Science**
- 2016  
MA in Politics (Distinction)  
**University of Leeds**
- 2015  
BA in History and Politics (First-Class Honours)  
**Goldsmiths, University of London**

## Academic Awards & Scholarships

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2023	Leverhulme Trust Early Career Fellowship
2022	Max Weber Fellowship, European University Institute (declined)
2019	Baroness Birk Scholarship, awarded by the Department of Government at LSE (joint second prize)
2017	Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) 3+1 doctoral award (full fee scholarship and maintenance stipend)
2015	Arts and Humanities Research Council research preparation masters award (full fee scholarship and maintenance stipend)
	Allan Little Prize, awarded by the Department of Politics at Goldsmiths to the final year student with the highest overall mark
2014	Peter Galloway Prize, awarded by Goldsmiths's Department of History to the second-year student with the highest average mark
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## Publications

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### Peer-reviewed articles:

2024	“Murray Bookchin and the Value of Democratic Municipalism,” <i>European Journal of Political Theory</i> 23(2): 224-245. DOI: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1177/14748851221128248">https://doi.org/10.1177/14748851221128248</a>
2021	“Activist-led Education and Egalitarian Social Change,” <i>Journal of Political Philosophy</i> 29(4): 456-479. DOI: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1111/jopp.12247">https://doi.org/10.1111/jopp.12247</a>

### Book reviews:

2023	“Monique Deveaux, Poverty, Solidarity, and Poor-Led Social Movements,” <i>Ethics</i> 133(4): 615-620. DOI: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1086/724532">https://doi.org/10.1086/724532</a>
2020	“Two new socialist manifestos,” <i>Renewal: A Journal of Social Democracy</i> 28(1): 91-95 [on Aaron Bastani's <i>Fully Automated Luxury Communism</i> & Bhaskar Sunkara's <i>The Socialist Manifesto</i> ].

2019 “Capitalism, Human Rights, and Critical Theory,” *Global Justice: Theory, Practice, Rhetoric* 12(1): 129-133. [on David Ingram’s *World Crisis and Underdevelopment*]. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.21248/gjn.12.01.226>

### Public writing:

2021 “Ten years on, what’s stopping England’s youth from rioting again?” *LSE GovBlog*, August 31: <http://tiny.cc/r7iuz>

### Conference Presentations

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#### Invited:

2024 *Class Consciousness After the Intersectional Turn*  
**Colloquium in Social and Political Philosophy**, University of Bayreuth, 12<sup>th</sup> April.

2023 *What is ‘Consciousness-Raising’?*  
**Beyond Polarization**, Columbia University, 8<sup>th</sup> November  
**Philosophy & Activism workshop**, HU Berlin, 19<sup>th</sup> April.

#### Other:

I’ve presented my work at academic conferences such as the *Political Studies Annual Conference* (Liverpool, 2023), the *Association for Political Thought Conference* (Oxford, 2023) & the *Association for Social and Political Philosophy Conference* (Durham, 2022).

### Teaching Experience

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2022 (Jan - Apr) **Political Theory Public Research Project**, LSE. TA for Paul Apostolidis.

Led group discussions, held office hours, and provided feedback and guidance on interview analysis documents and public blogs for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduates undertaking an optional experiential learning activity (some of the student research that I helped to supervise was eventually published [here](#)).

2019-20 **Introduction to Political Theory**, LSE. TA for Katrin Flikschuh.

Led 20 hours of seminars for 1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduates on a number of canonical figures in the history of political thought, from Plato to Fanon. 1 formative and 1 summative essay marked.

2018-19

*Contemporary Political Theory*, LSE. TA for Laura Valentini.

Led 20 hours of seminars for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduates on important normative concepts (liberty, equality, rights, etc) and their bearing on various political issues, such as civil disobedience and climate change. 2 formative and 2 summative essays marked.

### **Organisational Experience & Professional Service**

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Co-organizer of the 6<sup>th</sup> LSE Political Theory Graduate Conference (12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> March 2020) & co-convenor of the ‘Uses of Solidarity’ (2021), ‘Realising Egalitarian Futures’ (2019) and ‘Justice & Legitimacy in Contemporary Schooling’ (2024) panels at the MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester.

Co-organizer of panels at the 2023 Association for Political Thought Conference (on ‘The Philosophical Foundations of Socialism’) and the 2023 Political Studies Association Conference (on ‘Normative Political Theory and the Question of Class’).

Co-organizer of conference on ‘Global Health Justice: Bridging Theory and Practice’ at Goethe University Frankfurt (July 2024). Convenor of panel on ‘Political Activism Beyond the Civil Disobedience Frame’ at the 2024 ECPR General Conference.

Assistant to the Isaac and Tamara Deutscher Memorial Prize Committee (May 2019-Oct 2022). Duties included: compiling lists of prospective books, arranging delivery of books to committee members, scheduling meetings, minute-taking, updating the Prize website and Twitter account, and organising, editing and uploading podcast interviews with shortlisted authors (available [here](#)).

Referee for *Journal of Political Philosophy* (x2), *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* and *Participations*.