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**EDUCATION** 

**PhD** Claremont Graduate University, Political Science

May 2022

International Relations and Political Philosophy Dissertation: *Political Cultures in Times of Crisis*:

Measuring the Effects of Liberal Values on Interstate Crisis Onset

Committee Chair: Melissa Rogers, PhD

MA Regent University, Government

August 2012

Pi Sigma Alpha

Honors: Summa Cum Laude

**BA** Biola University, History

May 2006

Minored in Biblical Studies and Theology

Phi Alpha Theta

Honors: Magna Cum Laude

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Book Chapters**

- "Religious Terrorism," in *Global Terrorism: A Reference Handbook*, Steven Childs, (New York: Bloomsbury, 2023).
- "A Region Reborn? Political Change in the Post Uprisings Maghreb," in *The Middle East in the Global Context*, Sallama Shaker and Steve Childs, Eds. (San Diego: Cognella, 2021).
- "The Dynastic and the Dynamic: Why Culture and Religion Matters," (with Steve Childs) in *The Middle East in the Global Context*, Sallama Shaker and Steve Childs, Eds. (San Diego: Cognella, 2021).
- "Asynchronous Citizens: Addressing Flaws in Digital Citizenship," in *Technology and Christian Faithfulness* (La Mirada: Biola University, 2017).

## Journal Publications

• "Morocco: Modeling Stability in Turbulent Waters," *Journal of Arts and Humanities*, 5(12), 66-78, December 2016.

#### Popular Press Publications

- "American Power Amid Unbalanced Multipolarity," Providence Magazine, May 29, 2025.
- "Solomon: The Archetype of a Just Ruler," Providence Magazine, May 15, 2025
- "Revisiting the Push for Peace in Ukraine," Providence Magazine, March 12, 2025.

- "The Just Statecraft of Trump's Ukraine Diplomacy," Providence Magazine, March 7, 2025.
- "'Jesus Christ: Refugee' and Other Fallacies in the Immigration Debate," Providence Magazine, February 17, 2025.
- "Uneasy about Citizenship," Providence Magazine, January 21, 2025.
- "Was St. Paul a Christian Realist?" Providence Magazine, November 18, 2024.
- "Jesus Christ and the Democratic Ethos," Providence Magazine, September 11, 2024.
- "The Internationalism of the Declaration of Independence," Providence Magazine, July 3, 2024.
- "Teaching IR Christianly," Providence Magazine, June 11, 2024.
- "American Democracy Is in Trouble. No, Not Like That" (with Scott Waller and Darren Guerra), *Christianity Today*, March 4, 2024.
- "Qatar: 'Indispensable' or Albatross for US Diplomacy?" The Christian Post, February 16, 2024.
- "Our Political Theology Shouldn't Start at Romans 13," Providence Magazine, November 2, 2023.
- "Finding Wisdom in the House of Mourning," Mere Orthodoxy, March, 8, 2019
- "Asynchronous Citizens: Addressing Flaws in Digital Citizenship," Mere Orthodoxy, December 7, 2018
- "Building a Collaborative Instructor-Instructional Designer Relationship," Inside Higher Ed, January 17, 2018.

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

# Biola University, La Mirada, CA

2010 - Present

# Adjunct Faculty, Communications, Political Science, and History

- Intro to Public Communication (face-to-face and online)
- The Rhetorical Act (face-to-face and online)
- World Politics
- Introduction to Political Economy
- Survey of American Government (face-to-face and online)
- Foreign Policy and Diplomacy
- Contemporary Political Thought
- World Civilizations (online)
- World Civilizations (online)
- U.S. History to 1865 (online)
- National Security Strategy and Decision Making
- Seminar on the US Intelligence Community
- Seminar on the Arab-Israeli Conflict

#### Eastside Christian High School, Fullerton, CA

2006 - 2015

Teacher, History and Social Studies

- AP US History
- AP American Government
- Western Civilizations
- Christian History

- World Religions
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Speech and Debate

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

Faculty Fellow – Braver Angels	2023-2025
CGU Academic Fellowship	2014-2020
Dietrich Bonhoeffer Scholarship Foundation	2014-2020
Most Improved Speaker, Biola University Forensics	2006
2 <sup>nd</sup> Speaker, Open Division, NCCFI National Tournament	2006
Semifinalist, Open Division, NCCFI National Tournament	2006

#### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- "The Search for Security: A Path-Dependent Analysis of the Eisenhower Doctrine," APPAM Regional Student Conference, UC Riverside, 2020.
- "The Soviet Union in Spain: A Dictatorship in Crisis," Phi Alpha Theta Southern California Regional Conference, 2006.

#### **INVITED LECTURES**

- "Homo Psychologicus and American Foreign Policy," Foreign Policy course, Pomona College, 2019.
- "Innocents at Home: International Journalism and the American Audience," International Journalism course, Biola University, 2018.
- "Friendly Persuasion: Conversing on the Controversial," Torrey Honors Institute, Biola University 2015, 2016, 2017.
- "Holy Land Grab: The Geography of the Israel-Palestine Conflict," Biola University, 2016.
- "10 Years, 10 Lessons: What Life After College Can Teach You," Student Alumni Association, Biola University, 2016.
- "I Know You're Educated, But What are You Learning?" Student Alumni Association, Biola University, 2015.
- "Islamic Fundamentalism in a Democratized World", Biola History Department, 2007.

#### PANEL DISCUSSIONS

• "Was the America War of Independence Biblical or Just?" Biola University, 2023 (Moderator).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Conference canceled due to Covid-19 restrictions. Paper posted to APPAM's conference website.

- "Guns and Public Safety," Student Enrichment and Intercultural Development Symposium Series, Biola University, 2023.
- "How to Have Grace Filled Political Conversations," Student Enrichment and Intercultural Development Symposium Series, Biola University, 2020.
- "What is Social Justice?" Biola University, 2017 (Moderator).

#### **MEDIA APPEARANCES**

- "A Biblical Look at the Russia-Ukraine War," The Kirkwood Center Podcast, 2025.
- "Can Christians be Pro-War?" The Kirkwood Center Podcast, 2025.
- "Extending Grace and Judging Rightly in a Divided Church," Biola University, 2024.
- "Democracy Dies if the Church Abandons the Ballot Box," MCC Podcast, 2024.
- "Israel Under Attack," Frontier Freedom Hour, 2023.
- "Why Would Christians Vote Democrat?" Biola University, 2021.
- "Why Would Christians Vote Republican?" Biola University, 2021.
- "China: Friend, Enemy or Frenemy?" The Babylon Bee Podcast, 2020.

#### MULTIMEDIA

#### **Tim Talks Politics**

#### Founder/editor

• Digital platform designed to provide educational information and analysis on citizenship, government, and international relations via podcasts, email newsletter, and blog posts.

# *Technology and Christian Faithfulness*, Biola LEARN, Biola University, La Mirada, CA (2019)

#### **Content contributor**

• Developed and recorded content for online professional development course on the intersection of Christian thought and technology.

# *Friendly Persuasion*, Biola LEARN, Biola University, La Mirada, CA (2018) Course author

• Developed and recorded content for online professional development course on persuasive speaking, and technology and Christian theology.

#### OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **Senior Instructional Designer**

Biola University, 2015 - Present

- Worked with faculty across the University to develop and build asynchronous online courses
- Developed and led training for faculty on online pedagogy

# Contributing Editor, Providence Magazine

Institute for Religion and Democracy, 2024 – 2025

• Contribute regular writing on the intersection of Christian thought and international relations.

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

#### AI Lab at Biola Advisory Board

Biola University, 2024-Present

## **Civic Engagement Task Force**

Biola University, 2023-Present

## **Undergraduate Curriculum Committee**

Biola University, 2018 – Present

## AI Plagiarism Task Force

Biola University, 2023-2024

#### **Debate Coach**

Biola University, 2010 - 2017

#### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

## IRB Members – Basic/Refresher Course, CITI Program, February 17, 2018

• Completed course on working with human subjects in social and behavioral science research.

# Faculty Integration Seminar, Biola University, 2017

• Weeklong workshop researching, discussing and producing a paper on the intersection of technology and concepts of citizenship.

#### **OLC Mastery Course**, Online Learning Consortium, 2016

• Studied online course development and pedagogy and produced development plan for converting a public speaking class for online delivery.

#### Cultural Immersion, LEAD Education, July 2010

• Culture and language training in Fes and Casablanca.

## COMMUNITY/VOLUNTEER SERVICE

## **Sophos Speech and Debate**

Debate coach, Anaheim California, August 2021-May 2024

• Organized and ran debate camps and weekly coaching sessions to prepare high school students for debate competitions.

#### **George Washington Academy**

Summer School Instructor, Casablanca, Morocco, July 2007, July 2008, July 2009

• Developed and taught English reading and writing lessons for elementary and junior high students at a private school in North Africa.

#### **International Youth Initiative**

Volunteer Aid Worker, Dominican Republic, April 2006

#### LANGUAGES

Spanish: Intermediate Listener, Intermediate Speaker, Novice Reading and Writing

French: Novice Listener, Novice Speaker, Beginner Reading and Writing Arabic (Moroccan): Novice Listener, Novice Speaker, Novice Reading and Writing

# COMPUTER SKILLS

**Statistical Software:** STATA, SPSS

Learning Management Systems: Canvas, Blackbaud, Blackboard

Coding: HTML, CSS