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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, University of Notre Dame, June 2017
Dissertation: “The Political Economy of Common Goods”
Committee: Patrick Deneen (Chair), Mary Keys, Russell Hittinger (U. of Tulsa)

Abstract: My dissertation argues that common good is an indispensable notion for understanding political economy, because common goods arise in social life whether we acknowledge them or not. The core of the Aristotelian concept is that communities are real agents in the political world with their own goods and goals. These common goods shape the members of any community—what they do and who they are—in ways that need to be both researched and politically debated. My study applies this notion of common good to three key players in our political economy: liberal politics itself, corporations, and markets. Both liberalism and corporations purport to aim at the good of individuals, but I argue that they are emergent realities with their own common goods. Markets are a-social and so lack common goods of their own; at most they embody political judgments of the good. Once we see where social teleology empirically applies, we are in a position to debate not whether we want common goods in our politics, but rather which ones.

Fullbright Scholar, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 2010-2011
Jewish and Islamic Political Thought

B.A., Philosophy, *magna cum laude*, Dartmouth College, 2007
Thesis: “Good Work and the Ethics of International Development”

Ludwig Maximilians Universität (Munich), 2005-2006

PUBLICATIONS

“Justice, not Happiness: Aristotle on the Common Good.” *Polity*. (Forthcoming.)

“Machiavelli and the Double Politics of Ambition.” *Political Studies*. (Forthcoming.)

“Aquinas and Aristotle on the Virtue of the Common Good.” *Archivio di Filosofia*. Vol. 84, Nos. 1-2. (2016), 43-54.

“Critical Realism and Common Goods.” *Journal of Critical Realism*. Vol. 15, No. 1 (Winter 2016), 53-71.

Book Review: Politics for a Pilgrim Church: A Thomistic Theory of Civic Virtue. by Thomas J. Bushlack. *Review of Politics*. Vol. 78, No. 3 (Summer 2016), 477-479.

“Citizenship: Political.” *International Encyclopedia of the Social and Behavioral Sciences, 2nd Ed.* Oxford: Elsevier. 2015.

Book Review: Debating the Ethics of Immigration: Is there a Right to Exclude? by Christopher Wellman and Philip Cole. *Interpretation*. Vol. 40, No. 3. (Winter 2014), 429-435.

UNDER REVIEW

“Lincoln atop the Civil Religion Tradition.” Book Chapter in *Abraham Lincoln and the Politics of Democratic Statesmanship*, ed. Michael Zuckert. University of Notre Dame Press.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant.	Religious Freedom in Islam. Prof. Dan Philpott.	Fall 2013.
	The German <i>Grundgesetz</i> . Prof. Donald Kommers.	Fall 2012.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record	- Intro to American Politics. (Holy Cross College)	Fall 2017
	- First Year Seminar: Truth and Democracy. (HCC)	Fall 2017
	- Radical Islam and Islamic Political Thought.	Spring 2017.
	- Intro to Political Philosophy (HCC).	Fall 2016.
Teaching Assistant	- The Political Economy of Globalization.	Spring 2015.
	- Intro to American Politics.	Spring 2014.
	- Constitutionalism, Law, and Politics.	Spring 2013, Fall 2014.
Pedagogical Training (Short Courses)	- Effective Teaching in the Social Sciences.	Summer 2016.
	- Community-Based Teaching Institute.	Summer 2015.
	- Teaching and the Academic Career.	Summer 2014.
	- Kaneb Certificate: “Striving for Excellence in Teaching.” (A sequence of workshops)	2012-2016.

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Aristotle	Economics and Political Theory
Machiavelli and the American Founding	Immigration
Islamic Political Thought	Space, Place and Localism
Christian Political Thought	Comparative Constitutional Law

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Corporations and Common Good.” Labor & Leisure Conference, Holy Cross College, July 2017.

“Beyond Price: Markets and the Common Good.” The Common Good as Common Project Graduate Conference, University of Notre Dame, March 2017.

“Critical Realism and Common Goods.” International Association for Critical Realism, July 2015. American Political Science Association, September 2015.

“Aristotle on the Common Good: Philosophy and Politics.” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2015.

“Common Goods as a framework for immigration ethics,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2014

“Refracting Machiavelli: The Federalists and Anti-Federalists on the Problem of Ambition,” American Political Science Association, August 2013.

“Machiavelli on Ambition and the Common Good,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2013.

AWARDS, HONORS, FELLOWSHIPS

Notebaert Fellowship	Premier Notre Dame stipend for doctoral study	2011-2017
Fulbright Scholarship	One-year grant for graduate research in Israel	2010-2011
Lombard Fellowship	Postgraduate grant for public service	2007-2008
F. Gramlich Award	Senior award for excellence in philosophy	2007

LANGUAGES

- French (Fluent)
- German (Fluent)
- Spanish (Fluent)
- Ancient Greek (Reading)
- Latin (Reading)
- Italian (Reading)
- Hebrew (Basic)
- Arabic (Basic)

MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

- Member, American Political Science Association
- Member, Midwest Political Science Association

Lead Organizer, Notre Dame Graduate Conference Spring 2017
 “The Common Good as Common Project”
 Raised \$20,000 in support; 100 paper submissions, 25 accepted
 Keynote Speakers: Alasdair MacIntyre, Jean-Luc Marion, Jean Porter, Emilie Tardivel

Referee for: *Review of Politics, American Political Thought*

Political Theory Field Representative
Notre Dame Political Science Graduate Student Organization 2012-2013

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Congressman Joe Donnelly – South Bend, IN 2008 - 2010
Senior Case Manager – Portfolio: Immigration, Foreclosures, IRS

Casa Juan Diego – Houston, TX 2007-2008
Immigrant Social Worker

REFERENCES

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