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CURRENT AFFILIATION

2016-17 **Research Affiliate**
Center for International Environment and Resource Policy
Fletcher School for Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University

EDUCATION

2017 **D.Phil. Politics** (Submission expected December 2017)
“*A Political Economy of Climate Change Policy*”
University of Oxford, Nuffield College

2013 **M.Sc. Politics Research** (With Distinction)
“*Geography, Inaccessibility, and Civil War Duration*”
University of Oxford, St. Hilda’s College

2009 **A.B. Political Science**
Brown University

PUBLICATIONS

2015 A. Rutherford, M. Lim, R. Metzler, D. Harmon, J. Werfel, S. Bar-Yam, A. Gard-Murray, A. Gros, Y. Bar-Yam. “**The Geography of Ethnic Violence**” in *Conflict and Complexity: Countering Terrorism, Insurgency, Ethnic and Regional Violence*, eds. P. Vos Fellman, Y. Bar-Yam, A.A. Minai (New York: Springer), 235-248.

A. Gros, A. Gard-Murray, Y. Bar-Yam. “**Conflict in Yemen: From Ethnic Fighting to Food Riots**” in *Conflict and Complexity: Countering Terrorism, Insurgency, Ethnic and Regional Violence*, 268-280.

A. Gard-Murray, Y. Bar-Yam. “**Complexity and the Limits of Revolution: What Will Happen to the Arab Spring?**” in *Conflict and Complexity: Countering Terrorism, Insurgency, Ethnic and Regional Violence*, 281-292.

2014 A. Rutherford, D. Harmon, J. Werfel, A. Gard-Murray, S. Bar-Yam, A. Gros, R. Xulvi-Brunet, Y. Bar-Yam. “**Good Fences: The Importance of Setting Boundaries for Peaceful Coexistence**” *PLoS ONE* 9(5).

2013 A. Herdağdelen, W. Zuo, A. Gard-Murray, Y. Bar-Yam. “**An Exploration of Social Identity: The Geography and Politics of News-Sharing Communities in Twitter**” *Complexity* 19(2), 10-20.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 A. Gard-Murray, **“Who Pays to Save the Planet? Disaggregating Climate Politics to the Sector Level”**. Part of a panel I organized at the American Political Science Association Conference, San Francisco, CA, August 31-September 3, 2017.
- A. Gard-Murray, **“A Political Economy of Climate Change Policy: Modeling and Measuring Distributional Impacts”**. Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 5-8, 2017.
- A. Hartnett, A. Gard-Murray, **“The Polish Puzzle: European Union Funding and Sub-National Euroscepticism”**. Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 5-8, 2017.

PAPERS IN PREPARATION

- A. Gard-Murray, **“A Sectoral Model of Climate Policy”**.
- A. Hartnett, A. Gard-Murray, **“The Polish Puzzle: European Union Funding and Sub-National Euroscepticism”**.
- A. Gard-Murray, **“Party Linkages and Sectoral Constituencies in Climate Policy”**.
- A. Gard-Murray, **“Terrain Inaccessibility and Intrastate Conflict”**.
- F. Krawatzek, A. Gard-Murray, **“Talking Green: Campaign Contributions and Environmental Discourse in U.S. Congressional Hearings”**.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2012-17 **Research Assistant to Prof. Nancy Bermeo**
Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford
- 2010-12 **Researcher**
New England Complex Systems Institute

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2016 **Political Sociology Tutorial**
Worcester College, University of Oxford
- 2015 **Environmental Politics Tutorial**
Lady Margaret Hall, University of Oxford
- 2010-12 **Summer and Winter Schools**
New England Complex Systems Institute

FUNDING

2017 Writing-Up Grant, Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford

2013-16 Fellowship for Academic Excellence, Nuffield College and the Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Reviewer, *World Politics*

Convenor, Graduate Research Seminar, Social Sciences Division, University of Oxford

Member, Nuffield College University Challenge Team

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming (Python, Scipy, Matplotlib, Pandas)

Statistics and Data Analysis (STATA)

Geographic Information Systems (ArcGIS, QGIS)

Database Management (SQL)

Web Development (HTML, CSS, PHP, JavaScript)