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## Employment

**Associate Professor of Political Science, University of Arizona, 2020-present**

**Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of Arizona, 2013-2020**

## Education

**Ph.D. Political Science, Pennsylvania State University, 2013**

*Major field:* International Relations

*Minor fields:* Comparative Politics, Political Methodology

**M.A. Political Science, Pennsylvania State University, 2010.**

**B.A. Political Science & International Studies, Iowa State University, 2008.**

## Research

### *Publications*

Butcher, Charles, Jessica Maves Braithwaite, Jonathan Pinckney, \* Eirin Haugseth, \* Ingrid Vik Bakken, & \* Marius Wishman. "Introducing the Anatomy of Resistance Campaigns (ARC) Dataset." Forthcoming at *Journal of Peace Research*.

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves & Kathleen Gallagher Cunningham. 2020. "When Organizations Rebel: Introducing the Foundations of Rebel Group Emergence (FORGE) Database." *International Studies Quarterly*, 64(1): 183-193.

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves & Amanda A. Licht. 2020. "The Effect of Civil Society Organizations and Democracy Aid on Civil War Onset." *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 64(6): 1095-1120.

Ryckman, Kirssa Cline & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. 2020. "Changing Horses in Midstream: Leadership Changes and Negotiations in Civil Wars." *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, 37(1): 83-105.

Braithwaite, Alex & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. 2020. "Restricting Opposition in Elections and Terrorist Violence" *Terrorism and Political Violence*, 32(7): 1550-1572.

Dorff, Cassy L. & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. 2018. "The Emotional Cost of Nonviolent Resistance in Mexico's Criminal Conflict." *Journal of Global and Security Studies*, 3(3): 271-284.

\* Liendo, Nicolás & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. 2018. "Determinants of Colombian Attitudes Toward the Peace Process." *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, 35(6): 622-636.

\* Chu, Tiffany & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. 2018. "The Effect of Sexual Violence on Negotiated Outcomes in Civil Conflicts." *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, 35(3): 233-247.

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves & Jun Koga Sudduth. 2016. "Military Purges and the Recurrence of Civil War." *Research and Politics*, 3(1) DOI: 10.1177/2053168016630730.

Braithwaite, Alex, Jessica Maves Braithwaite, & Jeffrey Kucik. 2015. "The Conditioning Effect of Protest History on the Emulation of Nonviolent Conflict." *Journal of Peace Research*, 52: 697-711.

Braithwaite, Alex, Jeffrey Kucik, & Jessica Maves. 2014. "The Costs of Domestic Political Unrest." *International Studies Quarterly*, 58: 489-500.

Maves, Jessica & Alex Braithwaite. 2013. "Autocratic Institutions and Civil Conflict Contagion." *Journal of Politics*, 75(2): 478-490.

### Book Chapter

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves. 2019. "What We Know About Ending Civil Wars." *Civil Wars in the Middle East: Towards Ending the Conflicts*. Ed. Ross Harrison and Paul Salem. Middle East Institute.

### Working Papers

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves, \* Joseph Cox, & \*\* Margaret Farry. "Tactics of Resistance and Post-Conflict Judicial Independence" *Revise and resubmit*.

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves and Charles Butcher. "Muddying the Waters: The Anatomy of Resistance Campaigns and the Failure of Ceasefires in Civil Wars" *Revise and resubmit*.

Pinckney, Jonathan, Charles Butcher, and Jessica Maves Braithwaite. "Durability and Diversity: Uncovering the Organizational Roots of Democratization" *Revise and resubmit*.

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves & Kathleen Gallagher Cunningham. "Backgrounds with Benefits: The Role of Rebel Group Origins in Gaining Concessions During Civil Wars" *Under review*.

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves. "Why Organizations Rebel: Reexamining the Structural Determinants of Civil War Onset"

Braithwaite, Jessica Maves, Kathleen Gallagher Cunningham, \* Margaret McWeeney, & \* Sean Rao. "Rebel Group Origins and Civilian Victimization"

Butcher, Charles, Jessica Maves Braithwaite, & Jonathan Pinckney. "Somewhere Over the Rainbow? Opposition Diversity and the Outcomes of Resistance Episodes"

Licht, Amanda A. & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. "Aiding or Abating Repression? Democracy Assistance, Civil Society Organizations, and Human Rights Violations"

Polo, Sara M. T., \* Liana Eustacia Reyes, Megan A. Stewart, & Jessica Maves Braithwaite. "Two Sides of the Same Coin? Examining Rebel Governance and Terrorism"

\* denotes graduate student coauthor

\*\* denotes undergraduate student coauthor

### *Data Projects in Progress*

The Anatomy of Resistance Campaigns 2.0 (with Charles Butcher & Christoph Dworschak)

The Foundations of Rebel Group Emergence (FORGE) Dataset 2.0

Networks of Influence and Support in Peace Operations (with Susanna P. Campbell)

### *Invited Talks, Conference & Workshop Participation*

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter): 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020

Conflict Research Society Annual Meeting (presenter): 2017, 2019

European Peace Science Society Annual Meeting (presenter): 2013, 2014

International Studies Association Annual Meeting (presenter): 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021

Network of European Peace Scientists Annual Meeting (presenter): 2012

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter): 2011, 2017

Peace Science Society Annual Meeting (presenter): 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018

Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting (presenter): 2016

SUNY Binghamton invited lecture (Binghamton, NY), October 2019: "Why Organizations Rebel: Re-examining the Structural Determinants of Civil War Onset"

University of Pittsburgh, February 2019: "When Organizations Rebel: Introducing the Foundations of Rebel Group Emergence (FORGE) Database"

University of Arizona (Latin American Studies) invited lecture, March 2018: "Determinants of Colombian Attitudes Toward the Peace Process"

Norwegian University of Science and Technology invited lecture, October 2017: "Backgrounds with Benefits: The Role of Rebel Group Origins in Gaining Concessions During Civil Wars"

University of Denver invited lecture, May 2017: "Backgrounds with Benefits: The Role of Rebel Group Origins in Gaining Concessions During Civil Wars"

UC Merced invited lecture (Merced, CA), February 2016: "In Search of Peace: Government Repression in Post-War States."

SUNY Binghamton invited lecture (Binghamton, NY), March 2015: "In Search of Peace: Government Repression in Post-War States."

University of Tennessee Baker Center Workshop on Peacebuilding in Conflict and Post-Conflict States (Knoxville), May 2018: "Backgrounds with Benefits: The Role of Rebel Group Origins in Gaining Concessions During Civil Wars"

University of Essex Workshop on Political Dissent: Causes, Tactics, and Outcomes (Colchester, UK), December 2017: "Backgrounds with Benefits: The Role of Rebel Group Origins in Gaining Concessions During Civil Wars"

Rice University Workshop on Actors, Tactics, and Strategies in Intrastate Conflict (Houston), May 2016: "Parties, Elections, and Civil Conflict in Africa."

Workshop on the Colombian Peace Process (Bogotá), December 2015: “Determinants of Colombian Attitudes Toward the Peace Process.”

Arizona State University Workshop on Gender, Violence, and Coercion (Tempe), October 2015: “Sexual Violence and the Outcomes of Civil Conflicts.”

Kobe University Sakura Workshop (Kobe, Japan), April 2015: “Ballots, Bans, and Bombs: Terrorism, Spoiling, and the Quality of Elections.”

Kobe University Sakura Workshop (Brussels), June 2014: “Military Purges and the Recurrence of Civil War.”

Kobe University Sakura Workshop (Kobe, Japan), April 2013: “Electoral Violence and Competitive Elections in Dictatorships.”

Workshop on Data on Non-violent Conflict (Uppsala, Sweden), October 2012: “The Conditioning Effect of Protest History on the Emulation of Nonviolent Conflict.”

University of Essex Workshop on Advancing the Scientific Study of Conflict and Cooperation (Colchester, UK), March 2012: “Autocratic Institutions and Civil Conflict Contagion.”

## Fellowships, Grants, & Awards

Co-Principal Investigator (with Douglas Gibler and Steven Miller), “Collaborative Research: Ghosts in the Machine: Militias and Paramilitaries in Militarized Interstate Conflicts.” (2021–2024). *National Science Foundation*.

Co-Principal Investigator (with Susanna P. Campbell), “Networks of Influence and Support in Peace Operations.” (2021–2023). *National Science Foundation*. \$298,506

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Graduate Teaching Award (2019–2020).

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute Research Professorship (Fall 2018).

Lead Investigator, “The Anatomy of Resistance Campaigns.” (2018–2019) *United States Institute of Peace*. \$99,918.

Lead Investigator, “The Anatomy of Resistance Campaigns.” (2017–2018). *Research, Discovery, and Innovation Faculty Seed Grant, University of Arizona*. \$7,848.

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute Faculty Small Grant (2013–14). *School of Behavioral and Social Sciences, University of Arizona*. \$1,967.

Raymond Lombra Graduate Student Award for Excellence in Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences (2013). *College of the Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University*.

Research and Graduate Studies Office (RGSO) Dissertation Support Grant (2012). *College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University*. \$4,000.

Program in Empirical International Relations (PEIR) Pre-Doctoral Research Fellowship (2011–2012). *Dept. of Political Science, Pennsylvania State University*.

Summer Research Award (2011). *Dept. of Political Science, Pennsylvania State University*. \$2,500.

Miller-LaVigne Graduate Fellowship (2008–2009). *Dept. of Political Science, Pennsylvania State University*.

## Teaching

The Scientific Study of Civil War (undergraduate; PhD)  
 The Scientific Study of Human Rights and Repression (PhD)  
 International Relations of Sub-Saharan Africa (MA - online)  
 Dynamics of Civil Wars (MA - online)  
 Methods of Political Inquiry (undergraduate, honors)  
 United Nations (undergraduate)

## Professional Service

2021-present	SGPP Director of Graduate Studies
2021-present	Journal of Peace Research Associate Editor
2021-present	International Studies Association Professional Development Committee member
2020-present	International Studies Association Scientific Study of International Processes section councilor
2020-present	Journal of Peace Research Editorial Board member
2019-present	SGPP Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee (chair, 2021-2022)
2019-2020	International Studies Association Annual Meeting program chair, Scientific Study of International Processes section
2019-2020	International Studies Association Book of the Decade award committee
2018-present	SGPP Ph.D. Committee member
2018	Peace Science Society (International) Walter Isard Best Dissertation award committee
2017-present	Arizona Model United Nations faculty advisor
2016-2020	Peace Science Society (International) Executive Council member
2016	Peace Science Society (International) Stuart A. Bremer Best Graduate Student Paper award committee
2015-2016	SGPP Undergraduate Committee member
2015-2016	Global Studies Executive Committee member, Faculty Liaison (Global Political Economy & Institutions)
2013-2018, 2021-present	SGPP Executive Committee member

*PhD advisor:* Alex Bruens, Xiran Chen, Tiffany S. Chu, Joseph Cox

*PhD committee member:* Xiran Chen, Tiffany S. Chu, Samantha Cooney (University of New Mexico), Joseph Cox, Matthew Cobb, Andrew Davis (University of Arizona, Sociology), Leonardo Fernandes (University of Pittsburgh), Sangmi Jeong, Nicolas Liendo, Jan Rydzak, Christina Sciabarra, Rachel Van Nostrand, Alexis Work, Huan Zhang

*Undergraduate thesis advisor:* Olaide Adeniran, Tyler DeMers, Elyse Mireya Flores, Casey Haag, Zachary Kaplan, Addison Lavis, Payson Mayerle, Beatrice Nielsen, Alexander Relich

Referee: *American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, British Journal of Political Science, International Studies Quarterly, World Politics, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Peace Research, Conflict Management & Peace Science, Journal of Global Security Studies, International Interactions, Political Science Research & Methods, China Quarterly*

## References

Available upon request.