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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Postdoctoral Fellow, Stanford Civics Initiative, Stanford University	2022-Now
Associate Instructor, Indiana University, Bloomington	2016-2022
Adjunct Instructor, NYU	2014

## EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, Indiana University, Bloomington	2022
Dissertation: “The Afterlives of a Revolution: Memories of the Cultural Revolution and Political Possibilities in Contemporary China”	
Committee: Jeffrey C. Isaac (chair), William E. Scheuerman, Hussein Banai, Gardner Bovingdon	
Concentrations: Political Philosophy (first), Comparative Politics (second), Cultural Studies (minor)	
M.A., Politics, NYU	2015
B.A., Philosophy, Tsinghua University	2013

## PUBLICATIONS

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

“The Liberalism of Fear in China: Hu Ping and the Uses of Fear and Memory in Contemporary Chinese Liberalism” <i>Global Intellectual History</i> (Online First)	2021
“Historical Memories, Democratic Citizenship, and Political Theory: Reconstructing a Historical Method in Judith Shklar’s Writings” <i>European Journal of Political Theory</i> (Online First)	2021

### Book Review

Review of <i>The China Model: Political Meritocracy and the Limits of Democracy</i> , by Daniel A. Bell <i>Asian Journal of Political Science</i> , Vol. 25, Issue 1, 151-154	2017
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## WORK IN PROGRESS

“Theorizing a Democratic China with Jiwei Ci: Notes on Method” (draft in progress for a special issue with *Comparative Political Theory*)

“Reawakening a Revolutionary Party: The Ancient and Modern Princes in Wang Hui’s Political Theory” (draft)

## **TEACHING**

### **Stanford University**

*Instructor of Record*

Politics and Political Theory in Contemporary China FA22

### **Indiana University, Bloomington**

*Instructor of Record*

Modern Political Thought SP20, SP21

*Teaching Assistant*

Chinese Politics SP22

Ethics and Public Policy SP19

American Political Controversies FA18, FA19, FA20

Introduction to Political Theory SP17, FA17, SP18, FA21

Introduction to American Politics FA16

### **NYU**

*Teaching Assistant*

Socialist Theory FA14

## **CONFERENCE PARTICIPATIONS**

Reawakening a Revolutionary Party: The Ancient and Modern Princes in Wang Hui’s Political Theory 2022  
Association for Political Theory Annual Conference

Reawakening a Revolutionary Party: The Ancient and Modern Princes in Wang Hui’s Political Theory 2022  
American Political Science Association Annual Conference

Reawakening a Revolutionary Party: The Ancient and Modern Princes in Wang Hui’s Political Theory 2022  
The Inaugural Annual Conference of the Association for Global Political Thought

History, Democracy, and Political Theory: On Judith Shklar's Historical Method Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference	2019
History, Democracy, and Political Theory: On Judith Shklar's Historical Method Western Political Science Association Annual Conference	2019
Memorizing the Past: Understanding the Missing Link in Judith Shklar's "the Liberalism of Fear" Centre for Ethics at the University of Toronto Annual Graduate Conference	2018
The Liberalism of Fear vs. The Authoritarian Nationalism of Fear: Political Emotions and Contemporary China The 7th Annual Radical Democracy Conference at The New School for Social Research	2018
Memorizing the Past: Understanding the Missing Link in Judith Shklar's "the Liberalism of Fear" Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference	2018
The Limitation of Nationality: Revisiting David Miller's <i>On Nationality</i> Association for Political Theory Annual Conference	2017
The Limitation of Nationality: Revisiting David Miller's <i>On Nationality</i> American Political Science Association Annual Conference	2017

### **INVITED TALKS**

"The Uses and Abuses of the Cultural Revolution in Contemporary Political Debates" Chinese Flagship Program, Indiana University, Bloomington	2022
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### **AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS**

Benjamin A. Most Memorial Fund, Department of Political Science Indiana University, Bloomington	2022
John P. Lovell Award, Department of Political Science Indiana University, Bloomington	2022
Academic Subvention Kaifeng Foundation	2022
The Eoyang-Lee Scholarship, Office of International Services Indiana University, Bloomington	2020
Graduate Conference Travel Award, Department of Political Science Indiana University, Bloomington	2017
Max Kade Fellowship, Department of German Studies Indiana University, Bloomington	2015

## **PUBLIC APPEARANCES**

### **Op-ed**

Thinking with Hannah Arendt in Mainland China Today 2022  
*Democracy Seminar*

The Western Intellectual Behind China's Distrust of the Crowd 2020  
*Palladium*

For a list of my twenty op-ed writings in Chinese, see <https://simonsihangluo.com/op-ed/>

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Reviewer, *Asian Journal of Comparative Politics*, *Asian Journal of Political Science* Ongoing

Graduate Associate, Association for Global Political Thought, Harvard University Ongoing

Chair, Panel "Empire and its Aftermath," Association for Political Theory Annual Conference 2022

Discussant, Global Political Thought Dialogue Series, Association for Global Political Thought, Harvard University: David Suell 2022

Discussant, Global Political Thought Seminar Series, Association for Global Political Thought, Harvard University: Daniel Steinmetz-Jenkins 2022

Invited Discussant, Preliminary Manuscript Workshop for Yige Dong's *The Fabric of Care* 2022

Discussant, Tocqueville Lecture Series, Ostrom Workshop, Indiana University, Bloomington: Michael Weinman 2020

## **REFERENCES**

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