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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2015- 2013-2015	Assistant Professor of Sociology, Sciences Po, OSC, FSNP, Paris Postdoctoral Fellow in Political Economy, Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford
2012-2013	Teaching Fellow, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University <i>Received Teaching and Advising Award, Brown University</i>
2009-2011	Managing Editor, <i>City & Community</i>
2007-2009	Editorial Associate, <i>Studies in Comparative International Development</i>

EDUCATION

Ph.D.	2013	Sociology, Brown University, USA
M.Sc.	2006	Communications, Cornell University, USA
Diploma	2000	Communications, Mudra Institute of Communication, Ahmedabad, India
B.A.	1998	Psychology, Lady Shri Ram College, New Delhi, India

PUBLICATIONS

Logan, John, **Sukriti Issar** and Zengwang Xu. 2016. Trapped in Place? Segmented Resilience to Hurricanes in the Gulf Coast, 1970-2005. *Demography*, forthcoming.

Sukriti Issar. 2015. Codes of Contention: Building Regulations in Colonial Bombay, 1870-1912. *Journal of Historical Sociology*,

Schleiter, Petra and **Sukriti Issar**. 2015. Constitutional Rules and Patterns of Government Termination: The Case of the UK Fixed-Term Parliaments Act. *Government and Opposition*.

Schleiter, Petra and **Sukriti Issar**. 2014. Fixed-term Parliaments and the Challenges for Governments and the Civil Service: A Comparative Perspective. *The Political Quarterly*, 85 (2): 178-186.

Issar, Sukriti. 2010. Multiple Program Participation and Exits from Food Stamps among Elders. *Social Service Review*, 84 (3): 437-460.

Cammett, Melani and **Sukriti Issar**. 2010. Bricks and Mortar Clientelism: Sectarianism and the Logics of Welfare Allocation in Lebanon. *World Politics*, 62 (3): 381-421.

*Recipient of the George Award 2011, at the Qualitative and Multi-method Research section,
American Political Science Association*

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

2016. The Paradoxical Slum. Book review of 'The Durable Slum', by Liza Weinstein. *City*, Vol. 20 (1): 167-170.

Evidence to House of Commons Select Committee: Fixed-term Parliaments: The final year of a Parliament, January 2014 (with Petra Schleiter).

Book review: The Meaning of the Local: Politics of Place in Urban India, edited by Henrike Donner and Geer De Neve. *City and Community*, 7(1), 2008.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS AND UNDER REVIEW

Documents, Power, and Historical Method (under review)

The Economy, Constitutional Variation and Government Terminations (with Petra Schleiter; under review)

Book manuscript: *The History of the Slum, Mumbai 1880-2015*'

The Role of Failed, Fumbled or Foiled Plans in Institutional Change (with Matthias Dilling)

Temporality and Endogeneity in the Slum-Regulation Link, Mumbai 1880-2010

From colonial 'slum' to post-colonial 'squatting', Mumbai, 1880 to 1960

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

- 2016 'The Role of Failed, Fumbled or Foiled Plans in Institutional Change' (with Matthias Dilling), Sciences Po, Paris
- 2016 'Documents, Power and Rule Ambiguity', Department of Methodology Seminar, LSE
- 2016 'Nuts and Bolts: Fieldnotes, Analysis, Writing', Nuffield Qualitative Methods Seminar, University of Oxford, UK
- 2015 'The Politics of Urban Density, Mumbai 1880-2015', OSC, Sciences Po, Paris.
- 2015 'Codes of Construction: Building Regulations and 'Slum' Housing in Mumbai, 1880-2010'. Negotiating Change in Urban Spaces conference, University of Oxford
- 2015 'The Slum as a Legal Object', Socio-legal Studies Seminar, Law Faculty, University of Oxford
- 2015 'How to get Published', Qualitative Methods Seminar, University of Oxford
- 2015 'Policy sequencing and low-income housing, Mumbai 1880-2010', DPIR Seminar, University of Oxford
- 2015 'Concepts of Rules in Interdisciplinary Perspective', Constitutional Studies Seminar, University of Oxford
- 2015 'Thinking about Rules', Nuffield Postdoctoral Seminar Series, University of Oxford.
- 2014 'Theorizing and Analyzing Qualitative Data' at the Qualitative Methods Workshop, DPIR and Nuffield College, University of Oxford
- 2014 'Constitutional Rules and Patterns of Cabinet Termination', Fixed Term Parliaments Conference, University of Oxford
- 2014 'Documents, Power and Historical Method' (at the Long 19th c. Seminar), History Faculty, University of Oxford
- 2014 'Qualitative Data Analysis' at the Qualitative Methods Workshop, DPIR and Nuffield College, University of Oxford

- 2013 'Policy Sequencing and the Slum-Regulation Link, Bombay 1880-2010', Nuffield Postdoctoral Seminar Series, University of Oxford
- 2013 'The Slum as Negotiated Compromise in Mumbai, 1880-2010', Marginality Conference, Brown University, RI
- 2013 'Why Compare Across Time', Comparative Cities conference, Brown University, RI
- 2012 'Building Markets: Urban Policy and Neoliberal Transitions', American Sociological Association, Denver, CO
- 2011 'Transforming the City: Institutional Stasis and Change in Mumbai, 1900-2010', Social Science History Association, Boston, MA
- 2011 'Rethinking Welfare Dependence in a Post-Reform Era: The Case of Food Assistance', Annual American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV
- 2010 'Beyond Price: Housing Markets and the Moral Economy of Commodification (in Mumbai, India)', American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA
- 2009 Harvard University's Middle Eastern Studies Group, 'Bricks and Mortar Clientelism: Sectarianism and the Logics of Social Provision in Lebanon,' with Melani Cammett, April 28
- 2009 Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University, 'Bricks and Mortar Clientelism: The Political Geography of Welfare in Lebanon', with Melani Cammett, October 14
- 2008 'State Scalar Structures: A Comparative Analysis of US Welfare Spends', American Sociological Association, Boston, MA.
- 2008 'Re-entry into the Food Stamps Program and Welfare Transitions: An Event History Analysis', (with Hilary Silver). American Sociological Association Meetings, Boston, MA.
- 2007 'Land-use politics: State and non-state actors in Mumbai, India', Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2006 'Metaphors of Ethnographic Practice: Examples from Ethnographies of Science', American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada

SELECTED SERVICE

- Convener of the Qualitative Methods Seminar, Nuffield College, University of Oxford, 2014-2015
- Reviewer for *City & Community*, *Routledge*, *World Politics*, *Sociological Quarterly*, *Sea Grant Consortium*, *Comparative Politics*, *Urban Studies*
- Committee for Best Student Paper Award, Community and Urban Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2012
- Co-organizer of the Community and Urban Sociology Section Roundtables, American Sociological Association, 2011