
PEI-YU WEI

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

THE JOHN SLOAN DICKEY CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING,
DARTMOUTH COLLEGE, HANOVER NH – 2024-PRESENT

Rosenwald Postdoctoral Fellow in US Foreign Policy and International Security

CLEMENTS CENTER FOR NATIONAL SECURITY, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN,
AUSTIN TX – 2023-2024

Postdoctoral Fellow

AMERICA IN THE WORLD CONSORTIUM, DUKE UNIVERSITY, DURHAM NC –
2021-2022

Pre-Doctoral Fellow

EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, DUKE UNIVERSITY, DURHAM NC – DOCTOR
OF PHILOSOPHY, 2023

Dissertation: “Strategic Third-Party Actors in Economic Sanctions”

Dissertation Committee: David Siegel (Chair), Peter Feaver, Edmund Malesky, Daniel
Stegmueller, Navin Bapat (UNC - Chapel Hill)

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICS, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK NY – MASTER OF
ARTS, 2016

HKU BUSINESS SCHOOL, THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG, HONG KONG –
BACHELOR OF ECONOMICS AND FINANCE, 2014

RESEARCH PROJECTS

UNDER REVIEW

“You’re the One I Want: Substitutability, Coalition Cost, and Sanctioning Regimes”

“Give and Take: The Impact of Aid Withdrawal on Women’s Societal and Health Rights” (with K.
Hunter)

“More Harm than Good? The Effects of Sanctions on Different Aspects of Women’s Rights”
(with K. Hunter)

“The Perceived Effectiveness of Diplomatic Foreign Policy Tools: Evidence from Diplomats in the Philippines” (with R. Dudley and D. Dulay)

BOOK MANUSCRIPT

“Sanction Without Intention: The Logic of Non-Enforcement in US Sanctions”

WORKING PAPERS

“Strategic Ambivalence? An Exploratory Analysis of U.S. Sanction Waivers”

“Rhetoric vs. Reality: How Aid Sanctions Affect Funding for Local Actors in Aid-Recipient Countries” (with K. Hunter and L. Right)

“Trusty Friends? Alliance, History, and Diplomat Perceptions of International Agreements” (with R. Dudley and D. Dulay)

“Opening New Doors: The Geopolitical Cost of Third-Party States in Sanction Imposition”

“Evasive Maneuvers: Understanding the Determinants of Sanction Evasion”

WORKS IN PROGRESS

“Check in the Dark: An Audit Experiment on Reward, Deterrence and Duty in Corporate Sanction Risk Perceptions” (with Z. Lu)

“Theory-based Measurement for Varieties of Power Using a Semi-Supervised Approach” (with D. Siegel) [funded by the National Science Foundation]

“Domestic Support for Economic Sanctions: Legitimacy vs. Efficacy” (with S. Lee)

POLICY REPORTS

Policy report and presentation to U.S. government stakeholders (with K. Beardsley and C. Park)

TEACHING

Teaching Assistant, *Extended Math Camp*, Duke University 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022

Teaching Assistant, *Discovering Game Theory*, Duke University. 2020, 2021

Teaching Assistant, *Introduction to Security, Peace and Conflict*, Duke University 2019, 2020

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Professor David Siegel, Duke University 2019-2020

Research Assistant for Professor Emerson Niou, Duke University 2017-2019

Research Assistant for Professor David Denoon, New York University 2015-2016

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Asia Studies Intern, Council on Foreign Relations, David Rockefeller Studies Program	2016
Intern, International Action Network on Small Arms, United Nations Liaison Office	2015
Volunteer Interpreter/Translator, International Rescue Committee	2015-2016

AWARDS AND GRANTS

O'Donnell Grant, Scowcroft Institute of International Affairs (\$1,000)	2024
Bradley Fellowship (\$3,600)	2021
Alona Evans Research Grant (\$1,500)	2021
Duke University Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship	2021
Duke Department of Political Science Outstanding Preliminary Exam Award	2020
Republic of China Ministry of Education Scholarship for Studying Abroad	2017-2019
Fulbright Taiwan Graduate Study Award (declined)	2017
HKU Foundation Scholarship for Outstanding International Students	2011-2014

CONFERENCE

APSA Annual Conference (2021, 2024)
ISA Annual Convention (2024)
SPSA Annual Conference (2021, 2024)
IPES Annual Conference (2021, 2022, 2024)
America in the World Consortium Young Scholars Conference (2023)
MPSA Annual Conference (2021, 2023)

WORKSHOPS

Summer Seminar in History and Statecraft, Beaver Creek CO	2024
Bridging the Gap New Eras Workshop, Denver CO	2022
Summer Workshop on the Analysis of Military Operations and Strategy, Ithaca NY	2022
Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Summer Institute, Virtual	2021
International Policy Scholars Consortium and Network (IPSCON), Johns. Hopkins SAIS and Henry A. Kissinger Center for International Affairs	2018-2019

SERVICE

Representative, DEI Outreach Committee, Formal Theory Section at APSA	2022-
Events Team Coordinator, Graduate Students in International Political Economy	2022-2023
Political Methodology Field Representative, Duke University Department of Political Science Graduate Student Council	2020-2021
Security, Peace, and Conflict Field Representative, Duke University Department of Political Science Graduate Student Council	2018-2020
Co-President, Women in Political Science, Duke University	2019-2020

JOURNAL REFEREE

American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Conflict Resolution, The Chinese Journal of International Politics

LANGUAGES

Chinese (native), Hokkien (intermediate), Japanese (basic)

REFERENCES

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