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| Jordan L. Dewar |
| education |
| 2020-Present2015-2019 | PhD Student at the University of Maryland in Government and PoliticsBachelor of Arts in Political Science, *magna cum laude*College of Arts and SciencesUniversity of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PAIn-major GPA: 3.89Honors designation in the Political Science major withThesis: “Engineering an Ethnic Mosaic: The Institutionalization of Civic Nationalism in the Kosovo, Israel, and the West Bank” Mentor: Dr. Ian LustickBachelor of Science in Economics concentrating in Business Economics and Public Policy, *magna cum laude*Wharton SchoolUniversity of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PAIn-major GPA: 3.63Public Policy Research ScholarCapstone Thesis: “The Price of Security: A Cost-Benefit Analysis of Anti-Ballistic Missile Systems and Their Potential Deployments to the Korean Peninsula” Mentor: Dr. Ellen Magenheim |
| experience |
| 2020-Present 20202018-20192017  2016-20172016-2018 | Member of the Interdisciplinary Lab for Computational Social Sciences (iLCSS)* Helped develop machine learning models for the classification of newspaper articles for the All Minorities at Risk (AMAR) project
* Mentored first-year graduate students in R, computational social science, and the use of social media data
* Presented instructional seminars on the use of machine learning for the classification of text and the gathering and analysis of twitter data to the Government and Politics Department

Enumerator for the U.S. Census Bureau* Conducted Non-Response Follow-up Interviews and in English and Spanish
* Represented the Federal Government in a respectful and professional manner while being faced with adverse social and environmental conditions

Harnwell College House Research Fellow studying the causes of ethnic violence and the institutionalization of civic national identities in the Middle East and Western Balkans Intern at the Penn Wharton Public Policy Initiative DC Office* Prepared memos to assist professors in applying their research to public policy topics to create research-based solutions
* Analyzed draft legislation and public policy research in the areas of foreign policy, financial regulation, and technology and infrastructure
* Assisted with planning and executing “B-School on the Hill” events to bring Penn professors to Capitol Hill to provide briefings for Congressional staffers

Team Lead for the North America Research and Summit Team for the Think Tanks and Civil Societies Program* Organized a summit of the top think tanks in the United States, Mexico, and Canada with a team of 8 undergraduate and graduate students
* Compiled a report including statistical analysis and literature reviews on issues facing North American think tanks

Research Assistant for Professor Michael Horowitz on the Diffusion of Advanced Military Technology * Coded information on cruise missiles, UAVs, and UGVs and worked on modeling the diffusion of these forms of advanced military technology
* Prepared presentations on the development of the international advanced weapons trade
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| Presentations Poster presenter at the 2019 Ivy League Undergraduate Research Symposium Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USAPaper: *Engineering an Ethnic Mosaic: The Institutionalization of Civic Nationalism in Kosovo, Israel, and the West Bank*Poster presenter at the 2019 Wharton Undergraduate Research Symposium Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USAPaper: *The Economic Costs of Statehood Recognition and Nonrecognition: The Case of Kosovo*Panel presenter at the 2018 Southwest Social Science Association Annual MeetingOrlando, Florida, USAPanel: *Global Human Rights*Paper: *Bread, Freedom, Social Justice: Climate Change, Arab Spring, and the Future of State Stability,* co-author Karen GouwsPanel presenter at the 2018 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference Chicago, Illinois, USAPanel: *War* Paper: *The Democratic People’s Republic of Korea: A 21st Century Fascist State*Poster presenter at the 2018 Midwest Political Science Association Annual ConferenceChicago, IllinoisPaper: *The DPRK: When Reality and Perception Misalign*Panel presenter at the 2018 International Association of Political Science Students World CongressParis, FrancePanel: *Regional Perspectives on Globalization: Asia*Paper: *Rational Irrationality: The Democratic People’s Republic of Korea, Post-Totalitarian Institutionalism, and Korean Ethnonationalism*Journal Publications, grants, and awards |
| 2019  20192018-Present 2017-2019201720172015 | Dewar, Jordan L., “Engineering an Ethnic Mosaic: The Institutionalization of Civic Nationalism in Kosovo, Israel, and the West Bank” 01 May 2019. *CUREJ: College Undergraduate Research Electronic Journal,* University of Pennsylvania, https://repository.upenn.edu/curej/235Best Poster Presenter in the Social and Economic Sciences at the Ivy League Undergraduate Research Symposium with the poster *Engineering an Ethnic Mosaic: The Institutionalization of Civic Nationalism in Kosovo, Israel, and the West Bank*Member of the Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honors SocietyHarnwell College House Research FellowRecipient of the Brenner Research Award Recipient of an award for academic excellence from the Onyx Senior SocietyGirl Scout Gold Award Recipient |
| Non-Journal publications |
|  2019201820182017201720172016 |  “Self-Inflicted Wounds: The Economic Cost of Non-Recognition” in the *Penn Political Review* “Painting a Democracy: Art and Transitional Justice in Albania” in the *Penn Political Review* “Our Special Friendship Is Forever: The Relationship Between Kosovo, Albania, and the US” in the *Penn Political Review* “The Case for a Kurdish State” in *The Consul*“Think Tanks in the Age of Populism” for the Think Tanks and Civil Societies Program“North Korea: A 21st Century Fascist State” in *The Penn Political Review*“Drone Diplomacy: A Mirror to the Souls of States” in *The Consul* |
| Interests, Volunteer work, and Activities |
| 2021-Present2019-Present2017-20192018-20192014-2016 | Graduate Student Association co-chair for the Department of Government and PoliticsAlumni mentor for Wharton undergraduatesDirector of the International Affairs Association’s Global Research ForumEditor-in-Chief of *the Penn International Relations Journal*Taught a summer camp and school year program on international relations and civic engagement aimed at high school and middle school students |
| Language skillsEnglish: Fluent (Reading, Listening, Writing, Speaking)Guyanese Creole: Fluent (Reading, Listening, Writing, Speaking)Spanish: Fluent (Reading, Listening, Writing, Speaking)Albanian: Intermediate (Reading, Writing), Elementary (Speaking, Listening)Bosnian, Serbian, Croatian: Intermediate (Reading, Writing), Elementary (Speaking, Listening)Korean: Intermediate (Reading)Technical SkillsR: Intermediate, including tidyversePython: IntermediateProfessional membershipsMidwest Political Science AssociationInternational Association of Political Science Students |