

Ekrem T. Başer

ACADEMIC POSITIONS	Syracuse University , Department of Political Science Postdoctoral Researcher	2023-Present
	New York University Abu Dhabi , Social Science Division Postdoctoral Associate	2020-2023
EDUCATION	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) Ph.D., Political Science UIUC Burkholder Best Dissertation Award 2019-2021 UIUC Bernhard Best Dissertation Prospectus Award 2018-2020 Fields: International Relations, Political Economy, Political Methodology	December 2020
	Kent State University , Kent, OH M.A., Political Science	2014
	Georgetown University , Washington, DC M.A., Eurasian, Russian, and East European Studies	2011
	Middle East Technical University (METU) , Ankara, Turkey B.Sc.(Honors), International Relations	2009
PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS	“Reputations and Change in International Relations.” Forthcoming, <i>International Studies Quarterly</i> . “Citizen Expectations, Agency Reputation, and Public Service Quality” with Evrim Tan. 2023. <i>Public Management Review</i> . Online First. “Shift-of-axis in Turkish Foreign Policy: Turkish National Role Conceptions Before and During AKP Rule.” 2015. <i>Turkish Studies</i> 16(3): 291-309.	
WORKING PAPERS	“Accidental Use of Force in International Relations” with Muhammet A. Baş and Ömer F. Örsün. <i>Under Review</i> “Reputations, Foreign Direct Investment, and Contract Breach.” <i>Under Review</i> “Mobilization, Repression and the Choice between Violent and Nonviolent Tactics.” “Apology, Uncertainty, and Learning in International Crises” with Muhammet A. Baş and Ömer F. Örsün.	
WORK IN PROGRESS	“Conflict, Social Order, and Mutual Dependence in Production” with Tanguy Le Fur. “International Status and Domestic Support for Women’s Political Representation” with Çağlayan Başer. “Fighting, Bargaining, and Commitment Problems.” “Uncertainty and War? It’s Commitment All the Way Down.”	

ADDITIONAL TRAINING	Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Institute 2018 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
	Northwestern University , Managerial Economics and Decision Sciences 2016-2017 Big10 Traveling Scholar, Ph.D. coursework on political economy
	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign , Economics 2015-2017 Core Ph.D. sequences in microeconomics and econometrics Ph.D. courses on advanced micro theory, applied econometrics, industrial organization
HONORS, AWARDS, & GRANTS	External
	Humane Studies Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason 2017-2019
	NSF Travel Grant for EITM Summer Institute 2018
	Ph.D. Scholarship, Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason University 2016
	Internal
	Inequality Cluster research grant, NYU Abu Dhabi 2023
	Global Dynamics Cluster research grant, NYU Abu Dhabi 2023
	Markets, Organizations, and Decisions Cluster research grant, NYU Abu Dhabi 2023
	Graduate and Postdoctoral Programs Office travel award, NYU Abu Dhabi 2023
	Burkholder best dissertation award 2019/21, UIUC Political Science 2021
	Dissertation nominated by UIUC Political Science for APSA best dissertation award 2021
	Bernhard best dissertation prospectus award 2018/20, UIUC Political Science 2020
	Dissertation Completion Fellowship (declined), UIUC Graduate College 2020-2021
	List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent, UIUC 2014-15, 2015-16, 2018-19
	Schroeder Fellowship, Cline Center for Advanced Social Research, UIUC 2017
	Ogren Prize for academic excellence, UIUC Political Science 2015
Graduate Fellowship, Political Science, Kent State University 2012-2014	
Graduate Fellowship, CERES-School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University 2009-2011	
CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION	12th IBEO Political Economy Workshop, Alghero, Sardinia, Italy 2023
	Theory in Methods Workshop, New York University 2023
	Eurasian Peace Science Conference 2023
	European Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2022, 2023
	Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2018-2020, 2023
	American Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2021
	Formal Models of International Relations Conference, Vanderbilt University 2020
	Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2019
	Behavioral Models of Politics Conference, Duke University 2017
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Syracuse University
	<i>Instructor</i>
	Quantitative Research Methods (Undergraduate) Spring 2024
	International Political Economy (Undergraduate) Fall 2023
	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
	<i>Instructor</i>
	U.S. Supreme Court (Online, Undergraduate) Summer 2020
	Introduction to Political Research (Undergraduate)* Fall 2018
	Probability I (Math Camp for new Ph.D. students) Fall 2017, Fall 2018
	Intro. to American Politics (Online, Undergraduate) Fall 2015
<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	
Strategic Models of Politics (Xiaoli Guo, Undergraduate) Spring 2019	
Graduate Methods TA 2016-2017, 2019-2020 Research Design and Techniques (James Kuklinski, Graduate)	

Formal Theory II (Brian Gaines; Robert Carroll, Graduate)
 Quantitative Political Analysis III (Jake Bowers, Graduate)
 Quantitative Political Analysis II (Jake Bowers, Graduate)
 Quantitative Political Analysis I (Brian Gaines, Graduate)
 Senior Honors Seminar (Tracy Sulkin, Undergraduate)
 Governing Globalization (Konstantinos Kourtikakis, Undergraduate)* Spring 2016
 Intro. to International Relations (Ryan Hendrickson, Undergraduate)* Spring 2015

*UIUC Graduate School, [List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent](#)

Kent State University

Teaching Assistant

Graduate Methods TA 2013-2014
 Quantitative Methods II (Daniel Hawes, Graduate)
 Quantitative Methods I (Ryan Claassen, Graduate)

Georgetown University

Teaching Assistant

Turkish Language TA 2009-2010
 Ottoman Turkish (Graduate)
 Advanced Turkish (Undergraduate)
 Beginner Turkish (Sylvia Onder, Undergraduate)

SERVICE

Representative for social science postdocs, NYUAD Postdoctoral Council Steering Committee
 University-wide committee working with NYUAD administration 2022-2023
 Representative, NYUAD Social Science Division Interdisciplinary Postdoc Program
 Postdoc representative at Social Science Division 2022-2023
 Methods Committee Coordinator, UIUC Political Science Graduate Student Association
 Organized Math Camp for incoming Ph.D. students Fall 2018
 Search Committee Member, UIUC Political Science Department
 Assistant Professor in International Relations search Fall 2018
 Co-founder & co-editor, *Spectrum: Journal of Global Studies*
 Student run peer-reviewed academic journal based in METU, Ankara 2008-2009
 Journal Reviewer
All Azimuth; American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; Foreign Policy Analysis; International Studies Quarterly; Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy; Political Studies Review; Review of International Political Economy; Turkish Studies.

LANGUAGES

Turkish (native), English (fluent), Russian (intermediate), Arabic (beginner)

PROGRAMMING

R, Stata, L^AT_EX, Mathematica

REFERENCES

Muhammet Bas Associate Professor Political Science NYU Abu Dhabi mbas@nyu.edu	Stephen Chaudoin Assistant Professor Government Harvard University chaudoin@fas.harvard.edu	Xinyuan Dai Professor Political Science University of Illinois xdai@illinois.edu
Brian Gaines W. Russell Arrington Professor in State Politics Political Science University of Illinois bjgaines@illinois.edu	James Kuklinski Professor Emeritus Political Science University of Illinois kuklinsk@illinois.edu	