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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Dallas

Ph.D., Public Policy and Political Economy Expected Spring 2027

– Dissertation: *Digital Governance Rulemaking Through Trade Policy: Drivers and Effects of Digital Provisions in PTAs*

– Committee: Clint Peinhardt (Chair), Natalia Lamberova, Jonathan Pinckney, Leonardo Baccini (McGill University)

– Graduate Teaching Certificate, Center for Teaching and Learning 2024

M.Sc., Social Data Analytics and Research Expected Spring 2027

Sogang University

M.I.S., International Trade Aug 2021

– Minor: International Finance

Ca' Foscari University of Venice

B.A., East Asian Studies (*Summa Cum Laude*) Oct 2018

– Foreign Exchange Program: **Pusan National University**, South Korea Fall 2017

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2. Elmore, Naela, Kashmiri Medhi, **Giuseppe Peressotti**, and Jonathan Pinckney (2026). “Mapping the ROAD to Democracy: A Global Dataset of Overturning Attempts and Organizations in Civil Resistance Transitions.” *Journal of Peace Research*, 63(3), 495–503. [DOI](#)
1. **Peressotti, Giuseppe** (2025). “Digital Provision Inclusion in Trade Agreements: the Death of (Digital) Distance through a Gravity Model Approach.” *European Journal of International Relations*. (Online First). [DOI](#)

WORKING PAPERS

- **Peressotti, Giuseppe**. “Rulemakers and Ruletakers in Digital Trade Governance: Network Structure and the Diffusion of Digital Provisions in Preferential Trade Agreements.” (Presented at IHS Proposal Workshop 2025, ISA 2026, to be presented at APSA 2026) [**Revise and Resubmit** at *The Review of International Organizations*]
- **Peressotti, Giuseppe** and Ricardo R. Noé. “The Dual Economy of Entrepreneurship: Normative Determinants of Informality and Government Trust in Guatemala.” (PCS 2026) [**Under Review**]
- **Peressotti, Giuseppe**, Kashmiri Medhi, Naela Elmore, and Jonathan Pinckney. “Watch Your Back: Identifying Overturning Organizations in Civil Resistance Transitions.” (ISA 2026) [**Under Review**]
- **Peressotti, Giuseppe**, Kelvin Chun-Man Chan, Minh Dao, Sadman Shafiq, Charles Alexander Weimer, and Tiziano Cecconato. “Signaling Anti-Western Positioning: Regime Type, Alignment, and the Surge in Interest for the BRICS.” (MPSA 2026; to be presented at APSA 2026) [**Under Review**]

- Ye, Huei-Jyun and **Giuseppe Peressotti**. “Why Take a Detour: The Strategic Choice Between Bilateral and Multilateral PTAs.” (Presented at ISA 2025, IHS Papers Workshop 2025, WPS UTD 2025, MPSA 2026)

WORK IN PROGRESS

- **Peressotti, Giuseppe**. “Implementation After Ratification: Treaty Claims and Domestic Action.” (Presented at GSIPE 2025, ISA 2025)
- Elmore, Naela, **Giuseppe Peressotti**, and Jonathan Pinckney. “From Loyalty to Exit: Why Regime Support Groups Defect during Civil Resistance.” (To be presented at APSA 2026)
- **Peressotti, Giuseppe** and Huei-Jyun Ye. “Competing to Negotiate: How Rivalry Shapes the Fate of International Treaties.” (to be presented at IPES 2026)
- Noé, Ricardo R., **Giuseppe Peressotti**, and Marimaite Rayo. “Gender and Entrepreneurship: Evidence from Guatemala”

BOOK REVIEWS, & BOOK CHAPTERS

Book Contributions

- Heo, Yoon (2024). “*Free Trade and the US–China Trade War: A Network Perspective*.” London, UK: Routledge. [DOI](#)

Book Reviews

- **Peressotti, Giuseppe** (2024). “[Review of Digital Empires: The Global Battle to Regulate Technology by Anu Bradford](#).” *LSE Review of Books* (June 17).

GRANTS, AWARDS, & FELLOWSHIPS

Grants & Fellowships

- *Co-Investigator* (PI: Jonathan Pinckney), “Loyalty Shifts by Support Groups of Authoritarian Regimes,” New Venture Fund [\$98,974] 2026
- Mercatus Fellowship, Mercatus Center, George Mason University [\$4,000] 2026 – 2027
- IHS Humane Studies Fellowship (grant no. IHS020645) [\$3,000] 2026 – 2027
- Carl Menger Fellowship, Mercatus Center, George Mason University [\$2,000] 2025 – 2026
- *Co-Investigator* (PI: Jonathan Pinckney), “Who Overturns Nonviolent Revolutions?” Special Research Fund, EPPS, UT Dallas [\$4,500] 2025
- Government and Political Science Fellowship Award, UT Dallas [\$1,000] 2025
- Keith Lankford Taylor Fellowship, UT Dallas [\$1,000] 2024

Travel & Workshop Funding

- IPES Travel Grant, IPES [\$750] 2026
- Travel Grant, EPPS, UT Dallas [\$5,000 total, 4 awards] 2022 – 2026
- Travel Grant, Betty and Gifford Johnson Travel Awards [\$2,000 total, 2 awards] 2024, 2025
- “Contemporary Challenges in Trade” Papers Workshop, IHS [\$1,250] 2025
- “The Political Economy of International Trade” Workshop, IHS [\$500] 2026
- “Contemporary Challenges in Trade” Proposal Workshop, IHS [\$400] 2025
- GSIPE Conference, UC Berkeley [\$500] 2025

Scholarships & Honors

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| • Brian J.L. Berry Scholarship, UT Dallas | 2022 – 2027 |
| • Sogang University GSIS Merit Scholarship | 2019 – 2021 |
| • PNU Global Student Scholarship | 2017 |
| • Ca' Foscari Overseas Exchange Award | 2017 |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

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| • International Relations [UTD] | Spring 2026 |
| • International Trade Policy [UTD] | Fall 2025 |
| • Political Economy of East Asia [UTD] | Spring 2025 |
| • Research Design in the Social and Policy Sciences [UTD] | Fall 2024 |

Guest Lecturer

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| • Comparative Politics: Lecture on South Korea, for Naela Elmore [UTD] | Spring 2023 |
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Teaching Assistant

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| • Global Politics, for Clint Peinhardt [UTD] | Fall 2022, Fall 2023, Fall 2026 |
| • Political Behavior, for Curtis Bram [UTD] | Spring 2024 |
| • The Political Economy of Multinational Corporations, for Clint Peinhardt [UTD] | Spring 2023 |
| • International Trade Policy, for Inbom Choi [Sogang] | Spring 2021 |
| • Topical Seminar: Valuation, for Yukyung Kim [Sogang] | Spring 2021 |
| • International Economic Analysis, for Heo Yoon [Sogang] | Spring 2021 |
| • Topical Seminar: USA and Two Koreas, for Jinwoo Kim [Sogang] | Fall 2020 |
| • Regional Economic Integration, for Inbom Choi [Sogang] | Fall 2020 |
| • International Business Strategy, for Dohoon Kim [Sogang] | Fall 2020 |
| • Financial Institutions and Systems, for Yukyung Kim [Sogang] | Fall 2020 |

PROFESSIONAL & RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| • The University of Texas at Dallas
Researcher, Pinckney Research Lab | 2026 – Present |
| • The University of Texas at Dallas
Research Assistant, for Jonathan Pinckney | Summer 2024, 2025, 2026 |
| • The University of Texas at Dallas
Research Assistant, for Clint Peinhardt & Banks Miller | Summer 2023 |
| • European Student Think Tank
Managing Editor, Security, Defense and Economics | 2021 – 2022 |
| • CoronaNet Research Project
Research Assistant | 2021 |
| • Sogang University, Graduate School of International Studies
Research Assistant, for Heo Yoon | 2020 – 2021 |

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS & INVITED TALKS

Conferences

- American Political Science Association (APSA) [2023, 2025[†], 2026]
- International Political Economy Society (IPES) [2026]
- International Political Science Association (IPSA) [2025[†]]
- International Studies Association (ISA) [2024, 2025, 2026]
- Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) [2026]
- Public Choice Society (PCS) [2026]

[†] Accepted; participation withdrawn following institutional travel restrictions.

Workshops

- GSIPE Conference, UC Berkeley 2025
- “Organizations in Conflict Processes,” Journal of Peace Research (JPR) special issue 2024
- Taiwan Research Academy, Organizing Team, UT Dallas 2024

Invited

- “The Political Economy of Trade” (with Dr. Ryan Powers, University of Georgia), IHS 2026
- Working Paper Series (WPS), UT Dallas 2025
- “Contemporary Challenges in Trade” (Papers Workshop), IHS 2025
- “Contemporary Challenges in Trade” (Proposal Workshop), IHS 2025

SELECTED OPINION PIECES & ESSAYS

- **Peressotti, Giuseppe** (2022). “[Understanding International Sanctions in the Wake of Putin’s Invasion of Ukraine](#).” *European Student Think Tank* (March 4).
- **Peressotti, Giuseppe** (2021). “[EU-ASEAN Interactions and the European Interest Towards the South-east Asian Region: Towards Interregionalism?](#)” *European Student Think Tank* (December 10).

SCHOLARLY SERVICE

Leadership & Service

- Organizing Committee Member, Graduate Students of International Political Economy (GSIPE) 2026 – 2027

Refereeing

European Policy Review; Potentia: Journal of International Affairs

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association; International Political Science Association; International Studies Association; Midwest Political Science Association

SKILLS

Software: R, Stata, Python, L^AT_EX, MS Excel, Qualtrics, Git

Languages: Italian (native), English (fluent), Korean (intermediate)

REFERENCES

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