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EDUCATION

Harvard University

Ph.D. in Political Science, 1998

A.M. in Political Science, 1990

Fields of Specialization: Comparative Politics of the Developing World; South Asian Politics; Religion, Violence, and Nationalism; Law and Postcolonial States; Women and Gender

University of California at Irvine

B.A. *cum laude* in Political Science with Departmental Honors, 1987

B.S. in Chemistry with American Chemical Society Certification, 1987

EXPERIENCE

University of Cincinnati

Associate Professor, Political Science

2016-present

Assistant Professor, Political Science

2011-16

Affiliate Faculty, Dept. of Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies

Affiliate Faculty, Asian Studies

University of Virginia

2008-2011

Assistant Professor, Middle Eastern and South Asian Languages and Cultures and Studies in Women and Gender.

Associate Faculty, Dept. of Politics

Interim Director, Studies in Women and Gender (2006-8)

Associate Director, Center for South Asian Studies (2004-6)

University of Houston

2002-2004

Academic Advisor and Lecturer, Political Science

Prairie View A&M University

1999-2002

Assistant Professor, Political Science

Director, Latin American and Caribbean Studies

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PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

MONOGRAPH

Postcolonial Politics and Personal Laws: Colonial Legal Legacies and the Indian State. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2006.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- “Failure to Launch: Women and Hindu Nationalist Politics in Colonial India.” *Politics, Religion and Ideology* 14:4 (December 2013): 541-56.
- “The More Things Change: Debating Religion and Gender in India’s Hindu Laws, 1920-2006.” *Gender & History* 25:3 (November 2013): 711-24.
- “Gender, Nation, Religion: Political Discourse and the Personal Laws in India, 1952-1956.” *Journal of the Southwestern Conference on Asian Studies* Vol. 5 (October 2005): 51-83.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- “Divergent? Gender & Methodological Diversity in Recent Political Science Dissertations, 2012-14” (with Laura Jenkins). In E. Levintova and A. Staudinger, eds. *Gender in Teaching and Learning in Political Science and Closely Related Fields*, Indiana University Press (forthcoming 2018).
- “Hinduism and Democracy: Religion and Politicized Religion in India” (with Nandini Deo). In Shiping Hua, ed. *Routledge Handbook of Asian Politics*, Routledge Press (forthcoming 2018).
- “At Home in the World: Neoliberalizing Indian National Identity in a Global Era.” In *Towards A Diasporic Imagination of the Present*, ed. Tapati Bharadwaj. Ch. 3: 31-67. Calcutta: Lies and Big Feet, 2015.
- “Secular Anxieties and Transnational Entanglements in India” (with Laura Jenkins). In *Comparative Secularities: Religion and Modernity in Five World Regions*, eds. Marian Burchardt, Monika Wohlrab-Sahr, Matthias Middell. Ch. 2: 19-38. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2015.
- “The More Things Change: Debating Religion and Gender in India’s Hindu Laws, 1920-2006.” In J. de Groot and S. Morgan, eds. *Sex, Gender and the Sacred*. Ch. 18: 315-28. U.K.: Wiley Blackwell, 2014.
- “Making Minority Identities: Gender, State, and Muslim Personal Law.” In Rowena Robinson, ed. *Minority Studies*. Ch. 2: 73-94. Oxford India Series on Contemporary Society (Series Editor Sujata Patel). New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2012.
- “Hindu Law as Personal Law: State and Identity in the Hindu Code Bills Debates, 1952-56.” Timothy Lubin et. al., eds. *Hinduism and Law: An Introduction*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2010.

AWARDS, GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- National Center for Faculty Diversity and Development “Post-Tenure Pathways”. Sponsored by College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Development Funds. University of Cincinnati, 2017.
- National Center for Faculty Diversity and Development “Boot Camp”. Provostial Sponsorship. University of Cincinnati, 2016.
- Charles Phelps Taft Research Center Fellowship. University of Cincinnati, 2015-16
- American Institute for Indian Studies Senior Short-Term Fellowship. 2015-16

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UC LEAF Grant for Women in STEM (NSF Advance). Multiple Awards. University of Cincinnati, 2014-15

Faculty Development Funds, College of Arts & Sciences. Multiple Awards. University of Cincinnati, 2014-15

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Summer Stipend: Proposal selected for submission by University (One of two University-wide), September 2014

United States Institute of Peace Public Education for Peacebuilding Support. Matching Grant (Co-PI), July 2013

Charles Phelps Taft Research Center, Faculty Travel for Research Award. Multiple Awards. University of Cincinnati, 2013-2016

University Research Council Faculty Research Grant. Multiple Awards. University of Cincinnati, 2013-2016

Faculty Development Council Grants for Conference Travel. Multiple Awards. University of Cincinnati, 2012-14

Taft Research Center Grant for International/Domestic Conference Travel. Multiple Awards. University of Cincinnati, 2011-14

Best Paper Prize, Women's Caucus of the Northeast Political Science Association. "Gendering the Roots of Hindu Nationalism: Women and Gender in the Hindu Mahasabha, 1915-1951." November 2011

Center for International Studies/Center for South Asian Studies Research Grant, University of Virginia, 2011

College of Arts and Sciences Small Research Grant. University of Virginia, 2010

University of Virginia Faculty Summer Research Stipend in the Humanities and Social Sciences. University of Virginia, Summer 2009, 2010

Center for International Studies Research Grant. University of Virginia, 2010

Professors As Writers Grant, Teaching Resource Center. University of Virginia, 2009-10

Office of the President and College of Arts and Sciences Summer Research Grant. University of Virginia, 2009, 2010

Vice President for Research and College of Arts and Sciences Research Grant. University of Virginia, 2008, 2010

Junior Faculty Travel Grant, Center for South Asian Studies. University of Virginia, 2007

Undergraduate International Studies and Foreign Language, U.S. Department of Education (Title VI). Prairie View A&M University, 2000-2002

Graduate Student Associate, Center for International Affairs. Harvard University, 1995-1997

Radcliffe Grant for Graduate Women. Harvard University, 1995

Department Nominee, Whiting Fellowship in the Humanities. Harvard University Department of Government, 1994

Fellow, Professional Studies Program in India. U. C. Berkeley, 1993-1994

Exchange Scholar. U. C. Berkeley, 1992-1993

Order of Merit, School of Social Sciences. U. C. Irvine, 1987

American Chemical Society Certification, 1987

Phi Beta Kappa

Pi Sigma Alpha. National Political Science Honor Society

Phi Lambda Upsilon. National Chemistry Honor Society

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ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS

BOOK REVIEWS

- Review of Amrita Basu, *Violent Conjunctions in Democratic India* (Cambridge 2015). *Mobilization* 22:2 (June 2017): 267-8.
- “What’s Law Got to Do With It? Economics, Nation-Building, and Human Rights in India and Beyond.” Review of 3 books: Eleanor Newbigin, *The Hindu Family and the Emergence of Modern India: Law, Citizenship and Community* (New York: Cambridge, 2013); Narendra Subramanian, *Nation and Family: Personal Law, Cultural Pluralism, and Gendered Citizenship in India* (Palo Alto, CA: Stanford, 2014); Yüksel Sezgin, *Human Rights Under State-Enforced Religious Family Laws in Israel, Egypt and India* (New York: Cambridge, 2013). *India Review* 14:2 (2015): 268-77.
- Review of Ngambouk Vitalis Pemunta, *Health and Cultural Values: Female Circumcision within the Context of HIV/AIDs in Cameroon* (Cambridge Scholars Publishing 2011). *World Medical & Health Policy* 6:4 (December 2014): 502-3.
- Review of Avigail Eisenberg, *Reasons of Identity: A Normative Guide to the Political and Legal Assessment of Identity Claims* (New York: Oxford UP, 2009). *Law and Politics Book Review* (Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association) 20:6 (June 2010): 210-13.

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Excluded, Mobilized, Incorporated: Hinduism, Women and Religious Nationalist Politics in Indian Democracy, 1915-2015*. Book-length manuscript in progress.
- “Making a Manly Nation in Popular Indian Cinema: *Bhaag Milkha Bhaag*” (with Sikata Banerjee). Article under review.
- “Real and Imagined Muslims in India and America: Sharia, Gender, Population, Violence.” (with Laura Dudley Jenkins) Article under review.
- “Everything Old is New Again: Bollywood and the ‘New Indian Woman’ from the Anti-Colonial to the Neoliberal Era.” Article in progress.
- “The Good, The Bad and the Neutral: The Role of the State in Multiculturalism and Women’s Rights.” Article in progress.
- “Insiders Without, Outsiders Within: Muslims and Others in Savarkar’s Hindu India.” Article in progress.

INVITED TALKS

- Muslim Americans Workshop*. Invited participant (NSF funded). Menlo Park, CA. Dec. 2016; Los Angeles, CA. Dec. 2017.
- Beef, Bollywood and the BJP: On the Place of Muslims In A Hindu India*. Center for Global Islamic Studies, Lehigh University, PA. March 2016.
- Historical Role of Women in Hindu Mahasabha*. Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow, India. December 2015 (rescheduled).
- Guest Lecturer, Future University in Egypt. Cairo, July 2015.
- Panel on “Violence Against Women in a Global Perspective.” Annual Graduate Student Conference, Dept. of Politics. University of Virginia, April 2015.

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- Hindutva Women: Politics (of) Past and Present.* Third International Conference on Women and Religion in Indian History. Archive India. New Delhi, November 2014 (could not attend).
- Vote, Pray, Write: Researching Women and Religious Politics in India.* Women in Political Science. University of Kentucky, April 2014.
- A Billion People Vote: Possible Implications of Indian Elections.* Lang Symposium on International Cooperation in South and Southeast Asia, Lang Center for Asian Studies. University of Louisville, April 2014.
- A Tale of Two Women: Jankibai Joshi, Lakshmbibai Kelkar, and the Early Rise of Hindu Nationalism in Late Colonial India.* Conference on “Unveiling the Self: Women’s Life Narratives in the Middle East and South Asia,” University of Virginia, October 2012.
- The More Things Change: Gender and Religion in Colonial and Post-Colonial India, 1920-2006.* *Gender & History* Special Issue on Gender and Religion, University of York (U.K.), September 2012 (could not attend).
- Politics and Political Science of South Asia.* Conference on Internationalizing the Curriculum. Missouri State University, March 2008.
- Gender, Nation, Religion: Intersecting Identities in India’s Personal Laws, 1952-1956.* Cultural Studies Colloquium. Washington & Lee University, May 2006.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Globalizing Women’s Political Participation: Beyond the State, Beyond the Global North* (with Crystal Whetstone). Paper to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the National Women’s Studies Association. Baltimore, MD. Nov. 2017.
- Real and Imagined Muslims in India and America: Sharia, Gender, Population, Violence* (with Laura Dudley Jenkins). Paper to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. San Francisco, CA. Sept. 2017.
- Muslim American Identity and Political Behavior.* Panel Discussant at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. San Francisco, CA. Sept. 2017.
- Conflict, State Capacity and Identity.* Panel Discussant at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association. Vancouver, BC. April 2017.
- Feminist IR: Founders and Foundations* (with Laura Jenkins). Paper to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association. Vancouver, BC. April 2017.
- Outsiders Within, Insiders Without: Savarkar and the Place of Muslims in a Hindu Nationalist India.* Paper to be presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association. Vancouver, BC. April 2017.
- Bollywood, Beef and the BJP: On Modi, Savarkar and the Place of Muslims in a Hindu Nationalist India.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference on South Asia. Madison, WI. October 2016.
- Historicizing Women’s Participation in Religious Nationalist Politics in India.* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Philadelphia, PA. September 2016.
- Women and Gender in Religious Nationalist Politics in India.* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Philadelphia, PA. September 2016.
- Teaching South Asia in the U.S. and the Midwest: Strategies, Challenges, Possibilities.* Interdisciplinary roundtable presentation at Annual Conference of Ohio Academy of History. Kent State University, OH. April 2016.

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- Back to the Future: Revisiting and Researching Hindutva Women 20 Years On.* (with Nandini Deo). Paper presented (by invitation) at Lehigh University Conference on “Feminisms Beyond the Secular: Emerging Epistemologies and Politics in the 21st Century.” March 2016.
- Everything Old is New Again: Bollywood and the “New Indian Woman” from the Anti-Colonial to the Neoliberal Era.* Paper presented at Annual Conference of Midwest Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association. Cincinnati, OH. October 2015.
- Divergent? Gender & Methodological Diversity in Political Science Dissertations 2005-15.* With Laura Dudley Jenkins, Crystal Whetstone, Kristina Teater. Paper presented at Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association. San Francisco, CA. September 2015.
- The Methods Studio: Workshop on Data Access and Research Transparency from an Interpretive-Qualitative Perspective and “Crit”.* Pre-Conference Short Course at Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association. Research project on “Excluded, Mobilized, Incorporated” one of three selected by organizers to be presented for “Crit.” San Francisco, CA. September 2015.
- Religion and International Relations.* Panel Chair. Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association. San Francisco, CA. September 2015.
- At Home in the World: Neoliberalizing Indian National Identity in a Global Era.* Paper presented at Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Chicago, IL. March 2015.
- Constructing the Nation, Constructing the State: Citizenship and Belonging in Colonial and Post-Colonial India.* Panel organized for Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Chicago, IL. March 2015.
- A Billion People Vote: India’s 2014 Elections.* Joint Student-Faculty panel organized for Dept. of Political Science, University of Cincinnati. April 2014.
- Vote, Pray, Write: Women and Religious Politics in India.* Graduate Recruitment Weekend, joint talk for Depts. of Women’s, Gender and Sexuality Studies and Political Science, University of Cincinnati. February 2014.
- Hindutva Women: Politics (of) Past and Present.* Paper presented at Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Philadelphia, PA. March 2014.
- Women and Religious Politics in South Asia: Fighting In, For, Against.* Sponsored by South Asia Council. Panel organized for Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Philadelphia, PA. March 2014.
- Contesting ‘Empowerment’: Women in Religious Nationalist Politics.* Paper accepted for Annual Conference of International Studies Association. Toronto, Canada. April 2014; and accepted for ISA-FLACSO, Buenos Aires, Argentina, July 2014 (could not attend). Departmental Representative, National Women’s Studies Association. Midwest Regional Meeting of Program Chairs and Directors. Chicago, IL. February 2014.
- Methods, Means and Mores: A Roundtable on “Doing” Global and Transnational Women and Gender Research.* Roundtable organized for Annual Conference of the National Women’s Studies Association. Cincinnati, OH. November 2013.
- Participant, American Political Science Association Mini-Conference on Women of Color in Political Science. Chicago, IL. September 2013.
- Politics of Women, Gender, Sexuality: Transnational Contexts.* Working Group organized for Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association. Chicago, IL. September 2013.
- Mobilizing/Mobility for Muslim Women in Colonial India: The All-India Muslim League, 1906-1940.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. San Diego, CA. March 2013.

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- Gendering Religious Nationalism: Women, Democracy and Party Politics in India.* Paper presented at the Kunz Family/Gender Workshop, University of Cincinnati. February 2013.
- Private in Public: The Place(s) of Women in Hindu Nationalist Politics and Indian Democracy.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of South Asian Studies. Madison, WI. October 2012.
- Winning Women's Votes: Political Parties and Religious Nationalism in India's Democracy.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Toronto, Canada. March 2012.
- Contested Spaces: Women, Religion, and Agency in South and Southeast Asia.* Panel organized for the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Toronto, Canada. March 2012.
- How Hindu is Hindu Law? Religion, Nation and Gender in Hindu Personal Law Debates, 1920-2006.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Law & Society Association. San Francisco, CA. June 2011.
- Interregnum: Women and Gender in the Bharatiya Jana Sangh, 1951-1977.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Honolulu, HI. March 2011.
- Constructing Communities and Citizens: Literature, Politics, and Law in South Asia.* Panel organized for the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Honolulu, HI. March 2011.
- Good State, Bad State: Theorizing the Role of the State in Multicultural Dilemmas.* Departments of Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies and Political Science, University of Cincinnati. November 2010.
- Gendering the Roots of Hindu Nationalism: Women and Gender in the Hindu Mahasabha, 1915-1951.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Northeast Political Science Association. Boston, MA. November 2010.
- Good State, Bad State: Theorizing the Role of the State in Multicultural Dilemmas.* Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Washington, DC. September 2010.
- Multiculturalism and Minority Rights: Assessing the Role of the State.* Panel organized for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Washington, DC. September 2010.
- Gendering the Roots of Hindu Nationalism: Women and Gender in the Hindu Mahasabha, 1915-1951.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Philadelphia, PA. March 2010.
- Nation as Process: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on the formation of National Identities in South Asia.* Panel organized for the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Philadelphia, PA. March 2010.
- Politics, Public Opinion, and Civil Society in Pakistan.* Discussant/Interlocutor. 3rd Annual Conference on Pakistan, University of Virginia. April 2010.
- Women's Rights, Identity, and the State: Gender Moving from Local to Global and Democratic Policy Processes.* Working Groups co-organized for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Toronto, Canada. September 2009.
- South Asia: Challenges and Prospects for the Obama Administration.* Panel Chair. 2nd Annual Conference on Pakistan, University of Virginia. April 2009.
- "Political Legacies of Benazir Bhutto." Paper presented at 1st Annual Conference on Pakistan, University of Virginia. February 2008.
- Ties That Bind: South Asian Feminisms and the International System.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Southeastern Women's Studies Association. Charlotte, NC. April 2008.

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- Women and Gender in Politics: International Perspectives.* Working Group organized for the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Philadelphia, PA. September 2006.
- Gender, Nation, Religion: The Discursive Construction of Identities in India, 1950-1980.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. San Francisco, CA. April 2006.
- Gender, Nation, Religion: The Discursive Construction of Identities and Indian Democracy, 1952-1956.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association. Washington, DC. September 2005.
- Gender and Politics in India.* Panel Discussant, Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL. March 2005.
- Women's Rights and Religious Laws: Political Discourse and the Historical Construction of Inequality in India.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association. Chicago, IL. September 2004.
- Women, Religion and Nationalism in India: Political Discourse and the Personal Laws.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. San Diego, CA. March 2004.
- Legal Contestations: Women's Rights and Religious Laws in Colonial and Contemporary South Asia.* Panel organized for the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. San Diego, CA. March 2004.
- Women, Religion and Nationalism in India: Political Discourse and the Personal Laws.* Paper presented at the Annual Southwest Conference on Asian Studies. Houston, TX. October 2003.
- Caribbean Studies Curriculum Development.* Faculty Resource Network summer seminar on Caribbean Studies Curriculum Development. New York University. June 2001.
- Women and Politics: The 2000 Elections.* Paper presented at Annual Conference for Women's History Month, Prairie View A&M University. March 2001.
- Ethnic Conflict and Legal Pluralism in the Developing World.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Northeast Political Science Association. Boston, MA. November 1996.
- Defining the National Interest: Minorities and U.S. Foreign Policy in the 21st Century.* Invitation-only Conference of the Council on Foreign Relations. Washington, DC. May 1996.
- Secularism, the Personal Laws and the Dilemmas of the Indian State.* Panel organized for the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Honolulu, HI. April 1996.
- When the Routine is Remarkable: The Hindu Code Bill and Religious Legal Reform in India, 1947-1957.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Association for Asian Studies. Honolulu, HI. April 1996.
- Member, American Political Science Association
Member, Association for Asian Studies

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- Section Co-Chair, Politic and History (with Shamira Gelbman). Annual Conference of the Northeastern Political Association. Montreal, Canada, Nov. 2018.
- Section Chair, Comparative Politics. Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association. San Francisco, Mar. 2018.
- Chair, Institutional Outreach Committee, Women's Caucus of the American Political Science Association (2015-17)

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Member, Nominating Committee, Women's Caucus of the American Political Science Association (2015-17)
Founder and Administrator, SASIA-TriState (Established Nov. 2014) Email listserv of interdisciplinary scholars of South Asia in the tri-state area (including Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana).
Member, Editorial Board, Comparative Asian Politics Book Series, Routledge Press. 2013-present
Founding Member, Editorial Board, *Politics, Groups and Identities*. Journal of the Western Political Science Association. 2011-present
Secretary, Women & Politics Research Section of the American Political Science Association, 2009-10
Reviewer, NEH South and Southeast Asia Fellowships, 2009
Officer, Southwest Conference on Asian Studies, 2003-04
Reviewer—Book manuscripts:
Sage Publications
Routledge/Taylor & Francis
Reviewer—Journals:
Politics & Gender
American Political Science Review
Gender & Society
Social Science Quarterly
Feminist Economics
Nationalism and Ethnic Politics
Asian Politics & Policy
Education About Asia
Contemporary South Asia
Journal of Development Studies
Diaspora, Indigenous, and Minority Education
Southwest Conference on Asian Studies

PUBLIC/COMMUNITY

Panel discussant, PSGSA film screening of “Madame Presidenta.” (October 2016)
“India: The Basics.” Presentation to Kroger IT team in preparation for business trip to India (October 2015).

DISSERTATION

Re-Conceptualizing the Nation-State: Religion, Personal Law and Ethnic Conflict in India, 1920-1986.
Dissertation Committee: Prof. Ashutosh Varshney (Chair); Prof. Myron Weiner; Prof. Jorge I. Dominguez; Prof. Jyotirindra Das Gupta.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Harvard University Graduate School of Business Administration 1997-98
Research Associate. Supervised design and administration of survey of firms in Chile and India to determine firms' response to economic reforms and liberalization. Edited chapter assessing Indian export performance in three industries. Revised case on Indian pharmaceuticals firm. Prof. Pankaj Ghemawat.
Harvard University Department of Government and Core Curriculum 1990-97
Teaching Fellow and Senior Honors Thesis Advisor.
Female Leaders in the Developing World: India, Sri Lanka, Philippines (Senior Honors Thesis)
Nations, Identities and Conflict. Junior Seminar.

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Society and Politics in India. Prof. Ashutosh Varshney.

Comparative Politics of Latin America. Prof. Jorge Dominguez.

Constitutional Democracy in America. Profs. Michael Perry and Stephen Macedo.

Harvard University Department of Government 1989-1995

Research Assistant. Performed statistical analysis of 600-person, 6-city survey of ethnic relations in India; created computer database of survey responses. Prof. Ashutosh Varshney.

Conducted extensive research on U.S.-NATO compliance with international treaty commitments. Prof. Robert Keohane.

Conducted extensive primary document research on U.S. foreign policy-making in the Vietnam and Korean Wars. Prof. Y. F. Khong.

University of California, Irvine 1985-87

Senior Honors Thesis in Political Science, "The Place of Official Secrecy in Democratic Theories of Representation." Advisors: Profs. Mark P. Petracca and Harry Eckstein.

Department of Chemistry. Senior Thesis in Nuclear Radiochemistry, "Instrumental Neutron Activation Analysis: Norwegian Sediment Extracts." Advisors: Professors V. P. Guinn and Roger Neumann.

Department of Politics and Society. Course Grader. *Introduction to American Politics.* Prof. M. Wattenberg.

Tutorial Assistance Program, Peer Tutor. *Introduction to Political Science: Macropolitics; Organic Chemistry; General Chemistry.*

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Hindi: Fluent written and spoken.

French: Proficient written and spoken.