

# LIVIA ISABELLA SCHUBIGER

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## APPOINTMENTS

<i>Assistant Professor</i> Dept. of Political Science, <i>Duke University</i>	08/18 -
<i>Assistant Professor</i> Dept. of Government, <i>London School of Economics</i>	09/15 - 07/18
<i>Senior Research Associate</i> Political Methodology, Dept. of Political Science, UZH	09/15 - 12/17
<i>Postdoctoral Fellow</i> International Conflict Research, D-GESS, ETH Zurich	08/14 - 08/15
<i>Teaching Assistant and Pre-/Postdoctoral Fellow</i> Pol. Methodology; IR; Pol. Economy, Dept. of Pol. Science, UZH	07/07 - 08/15

## EDUCATION

*PhD studies in Political Science (Dr. phil.)*  
*University of Zurich (UZH), Switzerland* *PhD Defense: 10/13*

### *PhD Committee:*

Prof. Dieter Ruloff (UZH)  
Prof. Lars-Erik Cederman (ETH Zurich)  
Prof. Stathis N. Kalyvas (Yale University)  
Prof. Elisabeth J. Wood (Yale University)

*Dissertation:* "Repression and Mobilization in Civil War:  
The Consequences of State Violence for Wartime Collective Action"  
*Grade: Summa Cum Laude (Highest Honors)*

*lic. phil., equivalent to Master of Arts UZH*  
*Social Anthropology, Political Science, Social Psychology*  
*University of Zurich, Switzerland*

*Diploma received: 06/07*

## ADDITIONAL EDUCATION

<i>Visiting Predoctoral Fellow</i> Program on Order, Conflict, and Violence, Dept. of Political Science, <i>Yale University, CT, USA</i>	01/10 - 06/11
<i>Short-Term Visiting Scholar</i> CISEPA, <i>PUCP</i> , Lima, Peru	03/12

## PUBLICATIONS & SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

### ARTICLES

“Militias in Civil Wars” (with Corinna Jentzsch and Stathis N. Kalyvas), Introduction to Special Issue, *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 2015, 59(5): 755-769.

“Ideology in Armed Groups” (with Matthew Zelina), Symposium on Emotions and Ideologies in Violent Political Mobilization, *PS: Political Science & Politics*, 2017, 50(4): 948-952.

“International Conventions and Non-State Actors: Selection, Signaling and Reputation Effects” (with Kristian S. Gleditsch, Simon Hug, and Julian Wucherpfennig), *Households in Conflict Network (HiCN) Working Paper 108*; *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 2018, 62(2): 346-380.

“Disappearing Dissent? Repression and State Consolidation in Mexico” (with Javier Osorio and Michael Weintraub), *Journal of Peace Research*, 2018, 55 (2): 252-266.

“Democracy and Civil War: The Case of Colombia” (with Abbey Steele), *Conflict Management and Peace Science* (forthcoming).

### WORK IN PROGRESS

“State Violence and Wartime Civilian Agency: Evidence from Peru” (revise and resubmit at *Journal of Politics*).

“One for All? State Violence and Insurgent Cohesion”, featured in the *Monkey Cage*, (revise and resubmit at *International Organization*).

“Historical Legacies of Conflict: From the Cristero Rebellion to the Emergence of Self-defense Forces in Mexico” (with Javier Osorio and Michael Weintraub) (revise and resubmit at *Comparative Political Studies*).

“Vigilante Mobilization and Local Order: Evidence from Mexico” (with Javier Osorio and Michael Weintraub) \*Winner of the *MPSA Best Paper by Emerging Scholar(s) Award*.

“Attitudes towards Killing in War” (with Janina Dill). Under Review.

“Introducing the Ethnic One-Sided Violence Dataset” (with Hanne Fjelde, Lisa Hultman, Lars-Erik Cederman, Simon Hug, and Margareta Sollenberg). Under Review.

“Civilian Victimization and Forced Recruitment” (with Simon Hug). Working Paper.

“Civilian Victimization and Ethnic Civil War” (with Lars-Erik Cederman, Simon Hug, and Francisco Villamil). Working Paper.

### GUEST EDITING

“*Militias in Civil Wars*” (co-editor, with Corinna Jentzsch and Stathis N. Kalyvas), *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 2015, 59(5).

### BOOK CHAPTERS

“Civil Wars and their Consequences: The Peruvian Armed Conflict in Comparative Perspective” (with David Sulmont), forthcoming in: Soifer, H. D., & Vergara, A. (eds.). *Politics After Violence: Legacies of the Shining Path Conflict in Peru*. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press.

### BOOK PROJECT

“*State Violence and Wartime Collective Action*”

## BLOG POSTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS IN GERMAN (NON-PEER REVIEWED)

“How to Keep Armed Groups from Using Land Mines” (with Kristian S. Gleditsch, Simon Hug, and Julian Wucherpfennig), *The Monkey Cage* (Washington Post), February 28, 2018.

“Who’s Fighting the Islamic State? Five Things You Need to Know about Militias in Civil War” (with Corinna Jentzsch and Stathis N. Kalyvas), *The Monkey Cage* (Washington Post), September 21, 2015.

“Kriegerische Konflikte: Eine Uebersicht” [*Armed Conflicts: An Overview*] (with Dieter Ruloff), In: *Aus Politik und Zeitgeschichte* 16-17, 2007, p. 10-17.

“Zwischenstaatliche Kriege” [*Inter-state Wars*] (with Dieter Ruloff), In: *Handbuch Sicherheitsgefahren*, ed. by T. Jaeger, 2015, Springer VS.

## HONORS, GRANTS & AWARDS

### DISSERTATION AWARDS

#### *SIAF Award* (2015)

Prize awarded by the Swiss Institute of International Studies (SIAF) for the best social science dissertation submitted 2012-2015 at ETH Zurich / University of Zurich.

#### *Prize for Excellence in Applied Development Research* (2014)

Dissertation prize awarded by the Research Group on Development Economics of the German Economic Association and the KfW Development Bank (1st prize; Young Researcher Category).

#### *UZH Annual Award for Outstanding Scholarship* (2014)

Prize awarded annually to one dissertation or other exceptional academic achievement in the Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Zurich.

#### *Best PhD Thesis in Political Science* (2014)

Dissertation prize awarded by the University of Zurich’s Department of Political Science.

#### *Placement on Shortlist for the Jean Blondel PhD Prize* (2014)

Dissertation shortlisted for the ECPR Prize for the Best PhD Thesis in Politics.

### PAPER AWARDS

*MPSA 2016 Best Paper by Emerging Scholar Award*, awarded in April 2017, with Javier Osorio and Michael Weintraub.

### PROJECT GRANTS (Research Ongoing)

*Explaining Civilian Support for Criminal and Political Armed Groups* (2017), US National Science Foundation (USD 428,000); with Michael Weintraub (Lead PI) and Erica de Bruin.

#### *Attitudes Towards Civilian Killings in War* (2017)

LSE Sticerd (GBP 7,760); with Janina Dill.

#### *Inequality and Pro-Social Attitudes in Peru* (2016)

LSE RIIF seed funds grant & UvA staff fund project grant (together ~ GBP 18’000); with Abbey Steele and Seiki Tanaka.

#### *Civilian Victimization and Conflict Escalation* (2014)

Project grant (~ USD 280’000) awarded by the Swiss Network for International Studies (SNIS); with Lars-Erik Cederman (PI), Simon Hug, and Marcelo Olarreaga.

*“El agua vale más que el oro:” Mining and Social Protest in Latin America* (2014)  
Project grant (~ USD 396'000) awarded by the Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF); with  
Simon Bornschier, Marco Steenbergen (PI), and Manuel Vogt.

#### PREDOCTORAL GRANTS AND AWARDS

*Fellowship for Prospective Researchers* (2011)  
Swiss National Science Foundation.

*Young Researcher Fellowship* (2010)  
Zurich University Alumni Association,  
Fund for the Support of Aspiring Young Academics.

*Scholarship for Young Researchers* (2010)  
Janggen-Poehn Foundation (declined).

*Semester Prize for Outstanding Scholarly Work* (2006)  
Awarded in Political Science (with C. Meier & F. Miard), UZH.

*Semester Prize for Outstanding Scholarly Work* (2006)  
Awarded in Social Anthropology, UZH.

#### INVITED TALKS, WORKSHOPS & CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (\* *upcoming*)

Peace Science Society Meeting, Austin TX, Nov 8-10, 2018.(\*)  
Philosophy, Politics & Economics Seminar, Brown University, Providence RI, Oct 4, 2018.(\*)  
Annual APSA Meeting, Boston MA, USA, Aug 20-Sep 2, 2018.(\*)  
Annual EPSA Meeting, Vienna, Austria, June 21-23, 2018.  
Political Economy Workshop, Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, Germany, June 14, 2018.  
Conflict and Violence Field Research Workshop, June 8, 2018, LSE.  
9th Annual LSE-NYU Conference (Disc.), London, UK, May 25-26, 2018.  
Political Economy Seminar, University of Mannheim, Germany, May 14, 2018.  
Comp. Institutions & Regimes, Dept. of Polit. Science, Univ. of Oslo, Norway, May 4, 2018.  
Annual MPSA Meeting (Pres. & Disc.), Chicago IL, USA, April 5-8, 2018.  
LSE Research Workshop, Department of Government, March 16, 2018.  
Security and Statecraft Workshop, Dept. of Internat. Relations, LSE, Feb 27, 2018.  
Department of Government Speaker Series, University of Essex, Feb 13, 2018.  
Oxford IR Workshop, Oxford University, Nov 2, 2017.  
Political Behavior Seminar, Dept. of Government, LSE, Oct 9, 2017.  
Workshop on Micro-dynamics of Political Violence, University of Konstanz, Sep 20-21, 2017.  
Annual CRS Meeting, Oxford University, Sep 18-19, 2017.  
Annual APSA Meeting, San Francisco CA, USA, Aug 31-Sep 3, 2017.  
Latin American Political Economy Series, UCL, Feb 15, 2017.  
Comparative Politics and Comparative Political Economy Workshop, LSE, Dec 1, 2016.  
Political Economy Seminar, King's College London, Nov 23, 2016.  
LSE Workshop on Survey Research on Attitudes towards Killing in War (Disc.), Oct 28, 2016.  
Conflict Research Society Conference, Trinity College Dublin, Rep. of Ireland, Sep 7-9, 2016.

Annual APSA Meeting, Philadelphia PA, USA, Sep 1-4, 2016.  
Workshop on Emotions, Ideologies & Political Violence, Cambridge UK, Jul 25-30, 2016.  
Conference on Organized Crime in Mexico, CIDE, Mexico City, June 20, 2016.  
Political Contention & Diffusion Workshop, University of Exeter, May 31-June 1, 2016.  
Conflict, Security & Development Seminar Series, King's College London, UK, May 5, 2016.  
Micro-Comp. Studies of 20th Century Conflicts, Yale University, April 23-24, 2016.  
Watson Seminar, Dept. of Political Science, University of Rochester, USA, Feb 19, 2016.  
ENCoRe Conference, Geneva, Switzerland (Discussion Panel Chair), Jan 21-22, 2016.  
Departmental Research Seminar, Dept. of Political Science, UCL, UK, Dec 16, 2015.  
Conference on Colombian Peace Process, Univ. del Rosario, Bogotá, Colombia, Dec 4, 2015.  
Oxford Nuffield Seminar, Oxford University, UK, Nov 10, 2015.  
Annual APSA Meeting, San Francisco CA, USA, Sep 2-6, 2015.  
Kobe Satsuki Political Science Meeting, Kobe University, Kobe, Japan, May 14, 2015.  
CIDCM/IR Workshop, University of Maryland, College Park MD, USA, Feb 23, 2015.  
Annual ISA Meeting, New Orleans LA, USA, Feb 18-21, 2015.  
Workshop of the Europ. Network of Conflict Research, Uppsala, Sweden, Oct 16-18, 2014.  
Annual APSA Meeting, Washington DC, USA, August 28-31, 2014.  
Internat. Conference on Development Economics & Policy, Passau, Germany, June 27-28, 2014.  
Annual EPSA Meeting, Edinburgh, UK, June 19-21, 2014.  
Department of Politics & Public Administration, University of Konstanz, Germany, June 5, 2014.  
Workshop of the European Network of Conflict Research, Istanbul, Turkey, April 24-26, 2014.  
Annual MPSA Meeting, Chicago IL, USA, April 3-6, 2014.  
Department of Peace and Conflict Research, Uppsala University, Sweden, October 17, 2013.  
Annual APSA Meeting, Chicago IL, USA, August 29-September 1, 2013.  
Annual MPSA Meeting (Methodology Poster), Chicago IL, USA, April 10-14, 2013.  
Conference on Militias in Civil Wars, Yale University, New Haven CT, USA, October 19-20, 2012.  
RRPP Scientific Conference, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, May 24-27, 2012.  
Program on Order, Conflict, and Violence, Yale University, New Haven CT, USA, April 20, 2011.  
International Relations Workshop, Yale University, New Haven CT, USA, February 23, 2011.  
5th ECPR General Conference, Potsdam, Germany, September 10-12, 2009.  
Annual ISA Meeting, New York NY, USA, February 15-18, 2009.  
Annual ISA Meeting, San Francisco CA, USA, March 26-29, 2008.  
Annual MPSA Meeting, Chicago IL, USA, April 3-6, 2008.

## SERVICE

## PEER REVIEWING

*American Journal of Political Science*  
*American Political Science Review*  
*British Journal of Political Science*

*Comparative Political Studies*  
*Conflict Management and Peace Science*  
*International Interactions*  
*International Organization*  
*International Studies Quarterly*  
*Journal of Conflict Resolution*  
*Journal of Peace Research*  
*Journal of Politics*  
*NYUAD Research Enhancement Fund*  
*PS: Political Science & Politics*  
*Security Studies*  
*Swiss National Science Foundation*  
*World Politics*

#### BOARDS AND COUNCILS

Governing Council, *Conflict Research Society*. Since 2017.

International Advisory Board, *Swiss Political Science Review*. Since 2017.

#### CONFERENCES, SPEAKER SERIES, AND WORKSHOPS

Co-organizer of the *Security, Peace, and Conflict Seminar Series*, 2018-19, Duke University; with Tana Johnson and David Siegel.

Co-organizer of *LSE Workshop on Civil Society, Accountability, and Development*, December 2, 2017, LSE; with Johan Ahlback, Dan Berliner, Ryan Jablonski, and Joachim Wehner.

Co-Organizer of *LSE Workshop on State Violence*, May 20, 2016, LSE; with Jim Hughes.

Co-Organizer of *Conference on Paramilitaries, Militias, and Civil Defense Forces in Civil Wars*, October 19-20, 2012, Program on Order, Conflict, and Violence, Yale University (New Haven, CT); with Corinna Jentsch and Stathis N. Kalyvas.

Organizer of *Incorporating Space: GIS and Spatial Data Analysis in Political Science* (PhD methods course), Sept. 17-18, 2008. ETH Zurich and University of Zurich.

#### TEACHING (*Selected Courses*)

##### PUBLIC POLICY

*LSE. Level: EMPA/EMPP (graduate)*

Political Science and Public Policy, Spring 2018, Co-instructor (w/ S. Hix).

##### METHODOLOGY

*University of Zurich. Level: MA (graduate)*

Advanced Methods: Causal Inference and Research Design, Fall 2013, Spring & Fall 2014, Mandatory Methods Course, Co-instructor (w/ M. Steenbergen).

Causal Inference and Research Design in Political Science, Fall 2011, Spring & Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Mandatory Methods Course, Co-instructor (w/ M. Steenbergen).

##### CONFLICT RESEARCH

*University of Zurich & London School of Economics & Duke University; Level: MA/Msc (graduate)*

Civil Wars. Fall 2018. Duke.

Armed Groups: Violence, Governance, and Mobilization. Spring 2016, 2017. LSE.

Comparative Conflict Analysis, Fall 2015, 2016, 2017. Msc Conflict Studies, Co-instructor (w/ conflict research group). LSE.

Post-Conflict Politics, Fall 2013, MA Seminar, Co-instructor (w/ J. Wucherpfennig). UZH.

#### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & POLITICAL ECONOMY

*University of Zurich. Level: BA (undergraduate) and MA (graduate)*

Bachelor Thesis Seminar, Spring 2014, Co-instructor (w/ S. Walter, R. Beckmann & T. Rommel).

#### GUEST TEACHING

Political Order & Conflict, Session on Micro-Level Approaches in Conflict Research, L.-E. Cederman & M. Vogt, 2014. ETH Zurich.

Applied Methods, Session on Specification Errors in Linear Regression Analysis (Over- and Under-Specification, Endogeneity, Instrumental Variables), M. Steenbergen, 2014. UZH.

Advanced Methods: Statistical Models in Political Analysis, Session on Complex Data Structures (Hierarchical Linear Models), M. Steenbergen, 2015. UZH.

#### PhD SUPERVISION & EXAMINATION

Elise Must, LSE (Examiner; Viva held 12/2016).

Johan Ahlback, LSE (Secondary Advisor/PhD Committee).

Francisco Villamil, ETH (Secondary Advisor/PhD Committee).

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