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EDUCATION	The University of British Columbia (UBC) Ph.D. Political Science, 2019-... Dissertation Project: The Old Regime and the Transition: Perspectives on Southeast Asia Democratization. Committee: Kai Ostwald (Chair), Lisa Sundstrom, Yves Tiberghien Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Toulouse M.A. Economic Development and International Cooperation, 2013.	
RESEARCH INTERESTS	Democratization, State and Nation-Building, ethnic politics, civil war, Southeast Asia, Myanmar/Burma	
JOURNAL ARTICLES	<p>Papers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ostwald, K. & Courtin, C. 2020, "Malapportionment in Myanmar's Elections: A Slumbering Menace", <i>Contemporary Southeast Asia</i>, vol. 42, no. 2, pp. 145-173. <p>Book Reviews</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courtin, C. (2023). Review of the Book <i>Mobilizing for elections: patronage and political machines in Southeast Asia</i>, by E. Aspinall, M. L. Weiss, A. Hicken, & P. Hutchcroft. <i>Asian Studies Review</i>, ahead-of-print(ahead-of-print), pp. 1–2. https://doi.org/10.1080/10357823.2023.2155278 Courtin, C. (2022). Review of the Book <i>Rebel Politics: A Political Sociology of Armed Struggle in Myanmar's Borderlands</i>, by D. Brenner, <i>Pacific affairs</i>, 95(1), pp. 175-176. 	
WORKING PAPERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poverty and Prejudice Before Genocide - What drives prejudice against targeted outgroups in the lead-up to mass killings? A case study of Myanmar 2017. Co-authored with Gareth Nellis (UCSD) and Michael Weaver (UBC). Ethnic Conflict Onset and Security Dilemma: A Case Study of Myanmar's Karen insurgency in 1949. Solo-authored paper. The Geography of Myanmar's resistance to the 2021 Coup. Solo-authored paper. 	
OTHER WRITINGS (POLICY REPORTS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jap, J., & Courtin, C. (2022). Deciphering Myanmar's Ethnic Landscape: A Brief Historical and Ethnic Description of Myanmar's Administrative Units. <i>International IDEA</i>. https://www.idea.int/publications/catalogue/deciphering-myanmars-ethnic-landscape-brief-historical-and-ethnic-description The State of Social Harmony in Myanmar Serie (2016-2018). https://www.cdnh.org/category/publication/ Citizen Voices in Myanmar's Transition Serie (2016-2018). https://www.cdnh.org/category/publication/ Rakhine State Needs Assessment (I & II). https://www.cdnh.org/category/publication/ 	
GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIP	International IDEA, My Constitution Program (with Jangai Jap), 2022 (\$18,000) UBC Faculty of Arts Graduate Award & International Tuition Award, 2022 (\$6,000) UBC Four Year Fellowships - 4YF, 2019-2023 (\$25,000/year) UBC President's Academic Excellence Initiative PhD Award 2022 (\$1,000) UBC Myanmar Initiative Fellow, 2021 (\$1,000).	
TEACHING INTERESTS	Comparative Politics, Ethnic Politics, Politics of Southeast Asia, Politics of Myanmar/Burma, Quantitative and Qualitative Methods.	
TEACHING	Introduction to Political Science (UBC), <i>Teaching Assistant</i>	Fall 2019, Winter 2020

	Investigating Politics: An Introduction to Scientific Political Analysis (UBC), <i>Teaching Assistant</i>	Fall 2021, Winter 2022, Summer 2022
	Southeast Asian Governments and Politics (UBC), <i>Teaching Assistant</i>	Fall 2020
	Measurement and data analysis for policy (UBC), <i>Teaching Assistant</i>	Fall 2020, 2021 and 2022
	Quantitative Methods in Political Science (UBC), <i>Teaching Assistant</i>	Winter, Summer, and Fall 2021 and 2022
	Data collection and quantitative data analysis with R (personal project), <i>Project Leader and Instructor</i>	Summer 2022
CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATION	2023: [1] International Conference on Burma/Myanmar Studies (ICBMS), Zurich. 2022: [1] American Political Science Association (ASPA), Montreal. 2021: [1] International Conference on Burma/Myanmar Studies (ICBMS), Online. [2] Canadian Council for Southeast Asian Studies Conference (CCSEAS), Vancouver. 2020: [1] Western Political Science Association (WPSA), Online. 2017: [1] Myanmar Update Forum (MUF), Yangon.	
PHD STUDENT POSITIONS	Coordinator and Graduate co-director of the Center for Southeast Asia Research (CSEAR - UBC) – 2020-2022. Committee member for the CCSEAS conference (UBC) - 2021.	
RESEARCH POSITIONS	Research Manager at the Center for Diversity and National Harmony (CDNH) - Yangon, Myanmar (2014-2019) Research Assistant at Aliran - Penang, Malaysia (2012-2013)	
SKILLS AND TRAINING	Software: R, Stata, Zotero Languages: French (native), English (fluent), Spanish (fluent), Italian (intermediate), Burmese (beginner) Trainings: Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (Summer 2020)	
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