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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Candidate, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS, Political Science (Ph.D. expected in May 2023)

Fields: International Relations, American Politics, Political Methodology

Dissertation: In Search of Audience Costs: The Media, Personality, and Public Threats.
Committee: Andrew Enterline (chair), Michael Greig, Marijke Breuning, Phil Paolino, Atsushi Tago.

M.A., WASEDA UNIVERSITY, Political Science, 2017

Exchange Student, NATIONAL TAIWAN UNIVERSITY, Political Science, 2014-15

B.A., WASEDA UNIVERSITY, Political Science and Economics, 2013

RESEARCH INTERESTS

International War, Crisis Bargaining, Audience Costs, Reputation, Alliance, Experiments, Causal Inference

PUBLICATIONS

- **Makito Takei** and Phil Paolino. Forthcoming. “Backing Out but Backing In Audience Costs? A Replication of Levy et al. (2015).” *Foreign Policy Analysis*.

WORKING PAPERS

- **Makito Takei**. “Audience Costs and the Media.” (Job Market Paper, Under Review)
- **Makito Takei**. “Audience Costs and the Credibility of Public Versus Public Threats.”
- Leo Tamamizu and **Makito Takei**. “The Influence of an International Institution on Domestic Peace: Military Alliances and Internal Armed Conflict Onset.”
- **Makito Takei** and Andrew Enterline. “Not All Audience Costs Are Toys: The Role of International Audiences in International Crises.”

WORK IN PROGRESS

- **Makito Takei**. “The Price of Reneging on Commitments to Military Restraint: International Audience Costs for Japan and China.”
- **Makito Takei**. “How Can States Credibly Commit to Peace? Assurance and International Audience Costs.”
- **Makito Takei**. “Targeting Civilians as a Costly Signal in Crisis Bargaining: A Conjoint Analysis Approach.”

- **Makito Takei** and Phil Paolino. “Audience Costs and Personality.”
- **Makito Takei** and Andrew Enterline. “Major Power Bargaining Moves in International Crises.”
- Rui Asano and **Makito Takei**. “What’s UN PKO in International Relations? A Review Essay.”
- **Makito Takei**. “Promises and Perils of Manipulation Checks: For a Better Experimental Research in Political Science.”

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Jyuuichi Inada, Masato Noda, Takeshi Daimon, Sadaharu Kataoka, **Makito Takei** and Junpei Suzuki. 2018. “Country Assistance Evaluation of Cambodia.” Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan (in Japanese).

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- Leo Tamamizu and **Makito Takei**. 2023 (Scheduled). ‘The Influence of an International Institution on Domestic Peace: Military Alliances and Internal Armed Conflict Onset.’ Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, United States.
- **Makito Takei**. 2023 (Scheduled). “Audience Costs and the Media.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Montreal, Canada.
- **Makito Takei** and Andrew Enterline. 2022. “Not All Audience Costs Are Toys: The Role of International Audiences in International Crises.” Paper presented at the Peace Science Society Annual Meeting, Denver, United States.
- Leo Tamamizu and **Makito Takei**. 2022. “Serving the Two Ends: The Influence of Military Alliances on Internal Armed Conflict Onset.” Paper presented at the Japanese Society for Quantitative Political Science Winter Meeting. (Online)
- Leo Tamamizu and **Makito Takei**. 2021. “Serving the Two Ends: The Influence of Military Alliances on Internal Armed Conflict Onset.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. (Online)
- **Makito Takei** and Phil Paolino. 2021. “You May Care, But I Don’t: Personality Traits & Audience Costs in Foreign Policy.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. (Online)
- **Makito Takei** and Phil Paolino. 2021. “You May Care, But I Don’t: Personality Traits & Audience Costs in Foreign Policy.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association. (Online)
- **Makito Takei**. 2020. “Audience Costs and the Media: The Case of Obama’s ‘Red Line’ Speech.” Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, United States. (Online)
- **Makito Takei** and Andrew Enterline. 2020. “Audience Costs, Conflict Management Strategies, and Conflict Outcome.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, United States. (Online)

- **Makito Takei.** 2020. “Audience Costs and the Media: The Case of Obama and Truman.” Asian Online Political Science Seminar Series.
- **Makito Takei** and Andrew Enterline. 2019. “Shield of Words? Extended Audience Costs in Interstate Bargaining.” Poster presented at the Peace Science Society Annual Meeting, Kansas, United States.
- **Makito Takei.** 2019. “Foreign Aid and Foreign Public Opinion: An Experimental Approach.” the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Toronto, Canada.
- **Makito Takei.** 2019. “Unpacking Internationalized Internal Conflicts: An Exploratory Study.” the Castleberry Peace Institute Human Security Research Workshop Series, University of North Texas, Texas, the United States.
- **Makito Takei.** 2017. “A Trade-off between Two Reputations.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, United States.
- **Makito Takei.** 2017. “Reputations and Military Intervention during International Conflicts.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Vancouver, Canada.
- **Makito Takei.** 2017. “Reputations and Military Intervention during International Conflicts.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, United States.
- **Makito Takei.** 2015. “Domestic Politics in Taiwan and Coercive Diplomacy: The 1995-96 Taiwan Strait Crisis.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Taiwanese Political Science Association, Quemoy, Taiwan.
- **Makito Takei.** 2015. “Does Past Action Matter on the Credibility of Threat? The Cases of the First and Second Taiwan Strait Crises.” Paper presented at the Graduate Student Conference of East Asian Culture and Political Economy at Taiwan Normal University, Taipei, Taiwan.

INVITED TALKS

- 2020 Aoyama Gakuin University
- 2019 Waseda University

RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

- 2021. Research Assistant, University of North Texas (Prof. Andrew Enterline)
- 2020. Research Assistant, University of North Texas (Prof. Ashley English)
- 2020. Research Assistant, University of North Texas (Prof. Andrew Enterline)
- 2019. Research Assistant, University of North Texas (Prof. Ko Maeda)
- 2012-18. Research Assistant, Waseda University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

COURSE INSTRUCTORS

- Summer 2022: PSCI 4820 Contemporary International Problems (University of North Texas)
- Fall 2021, Fall 2022: PSCI 3300 Political Science Research Methods (University of North Texas)

GUEST LECTURES

- PSCI 2300: Introduction to Political Science Research- Literature Review (September 18, 2019: Prof. Paul Hensel)
- PSCI 2300: Introduction to Political Science Research- The Scientific Approach to Knowledge (August 30, 2019: Prof. Paul Hensel)
- PSCI 2306: US and Texas Government- Congress (June 11, 2019: Prof. Eddie Meaders)

TEACHING ASSISTANTS

- 2018-23. Teaching Assistant, University of North Texas
- 2013-16. Teaching Assistant, Waseda University
- 2014. Teaching Assistant, Japan Massive Online Open Courses (JMOOC)

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

EXTRAMURAL

- 2023 Travel Grant (International Studies Association, \$500)
- 2022 APSA Member Relief Grant (American Political Science Association, \$200)
- 2022 Travel Grant (Peace Science Society (International), \$400)
- 2020-21 The Murata Science Foundation's Research Grant (1,000,000 JPY, equivalent to \$9,350)
- 2018 JPREP Teaching Fellowship (1,200,000 JPY)

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS

- 2022-23 Graduate Student Mini-Grant (Department of Political Science, \$3,000)
- 2022-23 Graduate Student Research Award (Toulouse Graduate School, \$1,000)
- 2022-23 The Oscar Arias Peace Studies Scholarship (Department of Political Science, \$3,000)
- 2022-23 UNT Foundation Endowed Scholarship (College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, \$1,500)

- 2019-23 R.B. Toulouse Scholarship (Toulouse Graduate School, \$4,000)
- 2018-23 Tuition Benefit Program (Toulouse Graduate School)
- 2022 Travel Grant (Toulouse Graduate School, \$500)
- 2022 Travel Grant (College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, \$450)
- 2022 Financial Support for ICPSR Workshop (Department of Political Science)
- 2022 Dissertation Research Award (Department of Political Science, \$1,500)
- 2022 COVID-19 Student Success Award (Division of Student Affairs, \$500)
- 2021-22 Graduate Student Research Award (Toulouse Graduate School, \$1,000)
- 2021-22 The Oscar Arias Peace Studies Scholarship (Department of Political Science, \$1,000)
- 2021 Outstanding Teaching Assistant In Political Science (Department of Political Science, \$250)
- 2020 Travel Grant (Department of Political Science, \$60)
- 2020-21 Porter-Evans Scholarship (Student Financial Aid & Scholarships, \$1,000)
- 2020-21 The C. Neal and Carol Tate PhD Fund for Political Science Scholarship (Department of Political Science, \$1,000)
- 2020-21 Dean's Graduate Scholarship (College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, \$2,000)
- 2020 Financial Support for ICPSR Workshop (Department of Political Science, \$1,500)
- 2019-20 McAlister Scholarship (Department of Political Science, \$1,000)
- 2018-20 Academic Achievement Scholarship (Toulouse Graduate School, \$2,000)
- 2019 Travel Grant (College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, \$300)
- 2019 Travel Grant (Toulouse Graduate School, \$830 in total)
- 2019 Travel Grant (Department of Political Science, \$830 in total)

NATIONAL TAIWAN UNIVERSITY

- 2014-15 Exchange Student Scholarship (120,000 TWD)

WASEDA UNIVERSITY

- 2013 Okuma Memorial Scholarship (200,000 JPY)

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, University of Michigan Summer Workshop, 2022 (Introduction to Experiments in Social Science Research), Ann Arbor, Michigan.
- Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, University of Michigan Summer Program, 2020 (Time Series Analysis I: Introduction, Time Series Analysis II: Advanced Topics, Data Science and Text Analysis, Math for Social Scientists, II) (Online)
- Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, University of Houston Summer Workshop, 2020 (Introduction to Causal Inference) (Online)
- Essex University Summer School, Waseda University, Japan, 2016 (Maximum Likelihood)
- The Workshop of Statistical Analysis, Waseda University, Japan, 2016 (Advanced Statistical Techniques)

RESEARCH SKILLS

COMPUTER PACKAGES

- STATA, R, SPSS, \LaTeX

QUANTITATIVE METHODS

- OLS, MLE, Time Series Analysis, Structural Equation Modeling, Causal Inference, Survey Experiments, Text Analysis

QUALITATIVE METHODS

- Process Tracing, Comparative Case Studies

LANGUAGES

- Japanese (*Native Speaker*)
- Chinese (*Proficient*)

SERVICE EXPERIENCE

- Journal Referee: *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties*
- 2022 Discussant for the Pacific International Politics Conference Online Speaker Series (PIPCOSS)
- 2019-22 Political Science Graduate Student Mentor (University of North Texas)
- 2021 Roundabout Participant, *STUDENTS: How to Survive Graduate School 2*, the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. (Online)
- 2019-20 Political Science Graduate Student Association, Secretary-Treasurer (University of North Texas)

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

- American Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association
- International Studies Association
- Japanese Society for Quantitative Political Science
- Peace Science Society (International)

REFERENCES

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- MARIJKE BREUNING, Professor, *University of North Texas*
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- ATSUSHI TAGO, Professor, *Waseda University*
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