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**EDUCATION**

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- 2011-16      **Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (EHESS)**, Paris, France,  
Ph.D., Philosophy and Social Sciences, Specialization in Political Philosophy  
Mention Très honorable avec les félicitations du jury
- 2013            **University of Chicago**, Visiting Doctoral Fellow, Committee on Social Thought
- 2009-11        **University of Ottawa**, M.A., Philosophy (Dean's Honour List)
- 2005-09        **University of Ottawa**, B.A., Joint Honours in Political Science and Philosophy  
(*Summa Cum Laude*, Dean's Honour List)

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**EMPLOYEMENT**

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**Academic appointments**

- 2018-Pres.      **Carleton University**, Department of Political Science, Assistant  
Professor
- 2017-18        **Carleton University**, Department of Political Science, Contractual, Full-  
Time (Instructor I)
- 2016-17        **University of Toronto**, Centre for Ethics, Postdoctoral Associate
- 2015-17        **University of Toronto**, Postdoctoral Fellowship in Political Theory

**Other Employment**

- 2014-15        **Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (EHESS)**, Coordinator of  
Academic Events, International Partnerships and Promotion of Scientific  
Research

2008-11                      **University of Ottawa**, Coordinator of academic activities, Centre for Interdisciplinary Research on Citizenship and Minorities (CIRCEM)

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## AWARDS AND HONOURS

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2022                      Prix d'auteur pour l'édition savante, Fédération des sciences humaines et sociales du Canada

2019-22                      SSHRC Insight Development Grant

2017                      Raymond-Aron Award for Best Dissertation in Political Thought

2016-18                      Postdoctoral Fellowship, FRQSC

2013                      University of Chicago Excellence Scholarship

2011-15                      SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship

2011                      Joseph-Armand Bombardier CGS Doctoral Scholarship (declined)

2011                      FRQSC Doctoral Fellowship (declined)

2010-11                      SSHRC Joseph-Armand Bombardier Master's Scholarship

2009-10                      FRQSC Master's Fellowship

2009                      M.A. Ontario Graduate Scholarship (OGS) (declined)

2009-11                      M.A. Excellence Scholarship, University of Ottawa

2009                      University Gold Medal, Highest standing in the Faculty of Social Sciences

2008                      School of Political Studies Excellence Award, University of Ottawa

2007                      Rodrigue-Pageau Memorial Award for Academic Excellence

2005-09                      Undergraduate Excellence Scholarship, University of Ottawa

2005-11                      Dean's Honour List, University of Ottawa

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## PUBLICATIONS

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### Refereed Scholarly Publications

#### *Book*

*Devant l'Histoire en crise: Raymond Aron et Leo Strauss* (University of Montreal Press (PUM), Coll. Pensée allemande et européenne, 2022)

#### *Articles in Refereed Journals*

2018                      "What Can We Learn from Political History? Leo Strauss and Raymond Aron, Readers of Thucydides", *The Review of Politics*, Vol. 80, No. 1, 57-86.

2017                      "Is Collingwood a Historicist? Remarks on Leo Strauss's Critique of Collingwood's Philosophy of History", *Journal of the Philosophy of History*, Vol. 11, No. 3, 324-341.

- 2015 "Qu'est-ce qu'une œuvre de pensée? Réflexions sur 'l'art de lire' lefortien", *Politique & Sociétés*, vol. 34, no. 1, 149-171.
- 2013 "Le contextualisme de Quentin Skinner à l'épreuve du cas Machiavel", *Methodos. Savoirs et textes*, no. 13 "Pratiques de l'interprétation", 2-23.
- 2011 "Modernité, musique et atonalisme: entre l'esthétique de la rupture et la recherche de points de repère", *Phares*, Vol. 11, 71-92.

#### *Chapters in Edited Volumes*

- 2020 "Thinking in Uncertain Times: Raymond Aron and the Politics of Historicism", in Herman Paul and Adriaan Verthuisen (eds.), *Historicism: A Travelling Concept*, Bloomsbury, 141-161.
- 2019 "Interpréter la temporalité moderne: Löwith, Koselleck et la philosophie de l'histoire", in Martine Béland (ed.), *Karl Löwith: Être philosophe au 20e siècle*, Montréal, Presses de l'Université de Montréal, 201-232.

#### *Book Reviews and Review Articles in Scholarly Journals*

- 2020 "Raymond Aron, libéral malgré lui", *La vie des idées*, February 2020.
- 2020 Review Article, Book forum on Iain Stewart, *Raymond Aron and Liberal Thought in the Twentieth Century* (Cambridge University Press, 2020), *H-Diplo Roundtable XXI*, 54, 14-20.
- 2019 "Review of Seth N. Jaffe: *Thucydides on the Outbreak of War: Character and Contest*. (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017. Pp. ix, 236.)", *The Review of Politics*, Vol. 81, No. 1.
- 2017 "A Practical Past Beyond the Historical Past?", Book Forum on Jeffrey A. Barash, *Collective Memory and the Historical Past* (University of Chicago Press, 2016), *The Journal of the History of Ideas Blog*.
- 2016 "Compte rendu de Political Philosophy. What It Is and Why It Matters de Ronald Beiner, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 2014, 247 p.", *Politique & Sociétés*, Vol. 35, No. 1, 154-157.
- 2013 "Compte rendu de *Kulturkritik et philosophie thérapeutique chez le jeune Nietzsche*, de Martine Béland, Montréal, Les Presses de l'Université de Montréal, coll. "Pensée allemande et européenne", 2012, 404 p.", *Politique et Sociétés*, Vol. 32, No. 2, 165-167.

## Other (Non-refereed) Scholarly Publications

### *Articles in non-refereed journals*

- 2016 "Introduction" to Raymond Aron, "La rationalité politique/Politische Rationalität (inédit)", *Commentaire*, No. 156.
- 2014 "La poursuite du sens commun. La science politique pratique selon Aron et Manent", *Cahiers de l'AMEP*, No. 1, Volet 1, 111-122.

### *Translations (from English to French)*

- 2019 Ronald Beiner, "Karl Löwith : S'émerveiller devant le Cosmos", in Martine Béland (ed.), *Karl Löwith : Être philosophe au 20e siècle*, Presses de l'Université de Montréal, 285-311.
- 2014 Clifford Orwin, "Celui qui juge toute la terre ne fera-t-il point justice ? L'intercession d'Abraham en faveur de Sodome », in DeLigio and Holeindre (ed.), *La politique et l'âme. Autour de Pierre Manent*, Paris, Editions du CNRS.

## Manuscripts in Preparation

- "On the Uses and Abuses of the Concept of Crisis In Political Discourse"  
"A Practical Past: The Political Philosophy of Koselleck's Theory of History"

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## SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

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### Conference Presentations

#### *Papers presented*

- 2021 "Beyond the Warring Gods: The Political Weber Reconsidered" Panel: Nihilism in 20<sup>th</sup>-Century Political Thought, Division 1: Political Thought and Philosophy, APSA
- 2020 "Democracy and Crisis: A Symbiotic Relationship?", Panel: Democracy in Crisis, Division 1: Political Thought and Philosophy, APSA  
(paper accepted and draft prepared - had to cancel because of COVID)
- 2018 "Aron and Strauss: A Forgotten Dialogue", Northeastern Political Science Association (NPSA), Montreal

- “Thinking in Uncertain Times: Crisis, Historicism and Political Philosophy”, Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW), Amsterdam
- “Representations of Crisis, Crisis of Representation: Considerations on Lefort’s Democratic Theory”, Canadian Philosophical Association (CPA), Montreal
- 2017 “History of Concepts as a Critical Tool in Political Theory”, American Political Science Association (APSA), San Francisco
- “Temporality, Language and Politics: The Gadamer/Koselleck Debate”, ACFAS, McGill University, Montreal
- “A Practical Past? The Political Philosophy of Reinhart Koselleck’s Conceptual History”, Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA), Ryerson University, Toronto
- 2016 “La critique de la raison historique et l’héritage du néokantisme”, Quebec Philosophical Association, ACFAS, UQAM, Montreal
- 2015 “What Can We Learn from Political History? Leo Strauss and Raymond Aron on Thucydides”, Midwest Political Science Association Conference (MPSA), Chicago
- 2013 “Action in History: Raymond Aron and the Antinomies of Political Decision” International and Interdisciplinary Conference *Political Decision and Truth*, Université Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris-I), Paris (panel with Bruno Latour)
- 2013 “From Historical Inquiry to Political Theory: Koselleck, Skinner and the Study of Conceptual Change”, Midwest Political Science Association Conference (MPSA), Chicago
- 2011 “Claude Lefort, Machiavel et le statut de l’œuvre de pensée” (Claude Lefort’s Machiavelli), CIRCEM 11th Annual Conference, University of Ottawa
- 2009 “Entre mémoire et renouveau : Pierre Vadeboncoeur et la notion de culture”, CIRCEM Graduate Conference, University of Ottawa

*Invited Talks*

- 2021 “What Can We Actually Learn from Political History?”, Political Theory Colloquium Lecture Series, School of Public Affairs, American University, Washington DC, Held online

- “Beyond the Warring Gods: The Political Weber Reconsidered”, Yale Political Theory Workshop, Department of Political Science, Yale University
- 2020 Crise et démocratie: une ‘affinité élective’?”, Colloque "Penser l'autre moitié de la modernité avec Joseph Yvon Thériault", UQAM, Montreal (postponed because of Covid-19)
- 2019 “What’s the Use? Philosophy and the Public Sphere”, UNESCO World Philosophy Day, Carleton University
- “Les temporalités de Karl Löwith”, Karl Löwith-Tag, Centre canadien d’études allemandes et européennes (CCEAE), University of Montreal
- “Penser la crise: Raymond Aron et la politique de l’historicisme”, Philosophy Colloquium Series, University of Ottawa
- 2018 “Political Liberty in the Writings of Raymond Aron and Karl Popper”, Liberty Fund Conference, La Jolla, California
- 2017 “Crisis, Historicity, Judgment: The Weimar Moment”, Ottawa Political Thought Research Network, University of Ottawa
- “Les défis de la rationalité politique” (The Challenges of Political Rationality) International Conference – “Penser la politique par ‘gros temps”, EHESS, Paris
- 2016 “The Political Philosophy of Reinhart Koselleck’s Conceptual History”, Political Theory Workshop, University of Toronto
- “Understanding ‘History in the Making’: The Foundations of Raymond Aron’s Political Thought”, New York University (NYU), New York
- “Aron, Weber and the Crisis of Historicism”, Conference: *Raymond Aron and the Renewal of French Democratic Thought*, CRASSH, University of Cambridge, UK
- “La politique du récit historique: Aron et la sagesse tragique de Thucydide” Raymond-Aron Annual International Conference, EHESS, Paris
- 2015 “Conflicts of Interpretation: Strauss, Skinner and Lefort on Interpreting Machiavelli”, Methods of Interpretation Workshop, EHESS, Paris
- 2014 “From Classical Thought to Practical Political Science: Pierre Manent’s Interpretation of Aron”, CIRCEM Workshop, University of Ottawa

2013 “Historicism and the Problem of Political Judgment”, CESPRA Workshop, EHESS, Paris

2012 “Claude Lefort’s ‘Work of Thought’ and Interpretive Discourse”, International Conference: Claude Lefort et la pensée du Politique, EHESS, Paris

#### *Campus Talks*

2019 “On the Uses and Abuses of the Concept of Crisis”, Keynote, Political Science Graduate Conference, Carleton University

#### *Conference Commentaries*

2019 FPA Graduate Conference, Chair and Discussant, Carleton University

2015 “La référence religieuse dans la pensée allemande du 19ème siècle”, Commentary, CESPRA Workshop, Paris

#### **Conference Organization (National and International)**

2019 International Conference, “Karl Löwith-Tag”, Co-Organizer, Centre canadien d’études allemandes et européennes (CCEAE), University of Montreal

2018 International Conference, “L’histoire conceptuelle à l’oeuvre”, Organizer, Centre canadien d’études allemandes et européennes (CCEAE), University of Montreal

International Conference, “La diplomatie au XXIe siècle”, Member of Scientific Committee, EHESS, Paris

Panel, “Democracy in Crisis? Historical and Contemporary Perspectives”, Organizer, Canadian Philosophical Association (CPA), Montreal

2017 International and Interdisciplinary Conference, “Penser la politique par ‘gros temps’”, Committee Member, EHESS, Paris

2016 “Penser l’événement: la politique à l’épreuve de l’histoire”, Organizer, Raymond-Aron Annual Conference, co-hosted by the CESPRA (EHESS) and CRASSH (University of Cambridge), Paris

2015 International Congress, “The Forms of the Political: The Contributions of Political Philosophy to Social Sciences”, Organizer, EHESS 40th Anniversary, Paris

Panel: “What Role for History in Normative Political Theory?/Quelle place pour l’histoire dans la philosophie politique normative?”, 6th International Congress of Francophone Political Science Associations (CoSPoF), University of Lausanne, Switzerland

2011 11th CIRCEM Annual Conference: “Claude Lefort - The Adventures of Democracy”, Conference Committee Member and Organizer, University of Ottawa

#### *Other Conference Participation*

2021 “Education, Freedom, and Responsibility in Rousseau's *Emile*”, Liberty Fund Conference, Held Online

2019 Roundtable participant, “Careers after Grad School”, Bell Chair, FPA, Carleton University

“Virtue, Liberty, and Religious Toleration in Pierre Bayle”, Liberty Fund Conference, Annapolis, Maryland

“Liberty and Responsibility in Adam Smith”, One-week colloquium, Liberty Fund Conference, Holland, Michigan

#### **Research Funding**

2019-22 SSHRC Insight Development Grant: “Presences of the Past: Conceptual History as a Critical Tool in Political Theory”

2019-21 Co-Recipient, Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD) Research Grant (Conference “Critical Views on Philosophy and the Far Right” and Lecture Series “The Paths of Conceptual History: From Germany and Beyond”)

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#### **TEACHING**

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#### **Courses Taught**

##### **Carleton University**

##### *Undergraduate Courses*

History of Political Thought I (Fall 2017; Summer 2018; Fall 2018; Fall 2019)

History of Political Thought II (Winter 2019; Winter 2021; Winter 2022 [Online])

International Relations: Global Politics (Winter 2018)

Globalization and Human Rights (Winter 2018)

Politics of Human Rights (Fall 2017; Winter 2018)



Contemporary Political Theory I (4<sup>th</sup>-year/MA) (Fall 2019; Fall 2021 [Online])

*Graduate Courses*

Contemporary Political Theory I (4<sup>th</sup>-year/MA) (Fall 2019; Fall 2021 [Online])

PhD Core course in Political Theory (Fall 2021 [Online])

History of Political Thought (MA Level) (Winter 2022)

*Directed Study*

Research Methods in Political Theory (Summer 2020)

**University of Waterloo**

Modern Political Thought (Winter 2017)

**Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales**

Graduate Seminar on Isaiah Berlin and Value Pluralism (2014-2015)

Graduate Seminar on Hannah Arendt (2015-2016)

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**SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES**

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**University Service**

2021-22	Faculty Board Representative, FPA
2020-21	Tenure-Track Hiring Committee, Department of Philosophy, Carleton University
2020-21	Faculty Board Representative, FPA
2019-20	Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee
2018-19	Political Theory Task Group: Graduate Political Theory Requirement
2018-19	Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee

**Academic Community Service**

*Offices in Professional Associations*

2018-Pres.	Associate Member, Canadian Centre for German and European Studies (CCEAE), University of Montreal
2017-Pres.	Member of the Executive Board, Société des Amis de Raymond Aron, Paris, France
2016-Pres.	Member of HiSoPo Project (Histoire sociale des idées politiques) funded by the French Political Science Association (AFSP)

2017-Pres. Organizer, Reading Group: “Reading the Classics of Social Sciences”  
Department of Political Science, Carleton University

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### **RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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Member of the American Political Science Association (APSA)  
Member of the Canadian Political Science Association (CPSA)  
Member of the Société québécoise de science politique (SQSP)  
Member of the Canadian Philosophical Association (CPA)  
Member of the Quebec Philosophical Society (SQP)  
Member of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

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### **LANGUAGES**

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French (Native)  
English (Bilingual)  
German (Intermediary)