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CONTACT INFORMATION	American University 4400 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20016	phone: 202.885.1600 email: aauerba@american.edu
APPOINTMENTS	American University Assistant Professor, School of International Service	2014-
	University of Notre Dame Visiting Fellow, Kellogg Institute for International Studies	2013/14
EDUCATION	University of Wisconsin-Madison Ph.D., Political Science Major Fields: Comparative Politics and Political Methodology Doctoral Minor: Anthropology M.A., Agricultural and Applied Economics M.A., Political Science	2013 2010 2007
	Allegheny College B.A., Political Science and Asian Studies, <i>magna cum laude</i>	2005
DISSERTATION	“Demanding Development: Democracy, Community Governance, and Public Goods Provision in India’s Urban Slums.” – 2015 Gabriel A. Almond Award for best dissertation in comparative politics, APSA – 2014 Best Dissertation Award, Urban Politics Section, APSA – 2013 Best Fieldwork Award, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA	
PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS	“Neighborhood Associations and the Urban Poor: India’s Slum Development Committees.” <i>World Development</i> 96 (August 2017): 119-135. “Clients and Communities: The Political Economy of Party Network Organization and Development in India’s Urban Slums.” <i>World Politics</i> 68, no. 1 (January 2016): 111-48. “India’s Urban Constituencies Revisited.” <i>Contemporary South Asia</i> 23, no. 2 (June 2015): 136-50.	
UNDER REVIEW	“Client Preferences in Broker Selection: Competition and Choice in India’s Urban Slums.” (with Tariq Thachil) <i>Revise and Resubmit</i> “The Politics of Urban Informality: Innovations in Theory and Research Design from the City’s Margins” (with Adrienne LeBas, Alison Post, and Rebecca Weitz-Shapiro) <i>Revise and Resubmit</i> “Informal Archives in the Under-City.” <i>Revise and Resubmit</i> “How Electoral Quotas Influence Political Competition: Evidence from Municipal, State, and National Elections in India.” (with Adam Ziegfeld) “Demanding Development: Leadership, Party Networks, and Public Service Provision in India’s Urban Slums.” <i>Book Manuscript</i>	
IN PROGRESS	“Who Do Political Brokers Serve? Experimental Evidence from Urban India.” (with Tariq Thachil)	

	“Decentralization, Claim-Making, and the Uneven Use of Political Intermediaries across India’s Cities and Villages.” (with Gabrielle Kruks-Wisner)	
CURRENT PROJECTS	“‘Dream of a Complete Town’: Small Town Governance in India” <i>Project Supported by an American Institute of Indian Studies Senior Research Fellowship</i>	
	“Migrants and Machines: Parties, Kingmakers, and Vote-Bank Politics in Urban India” (with Tariq Thachil)	
FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS	American Institute of Indian Studies Senior Research Fellowship	2017
	American University Dean’s Summer Research Award	2015
	Gabriel Almond Award for Best Dissertation in Comparative Politics, APSA	2015
	Best Dissertation Award, Urban Politics Section, APSA	2014
	Political Economy of India Fellowship, King’s College, London, UK	2013
	Best Fieldwork Award, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA	2013
	Social Science Research Council IDRF	2010/11
	Fulbright-Hays DDRA Fellowship	2010/11
	National Science Foundation DDIG	2010/11
	American Institute of Indian Studies Junior Fellowship (declined)	2010/11
	FLAS Academic-Year Fellowships (Hindi, Urdu, and Marathi)	2007-2009, 2010
	Department of Political Science Teaching Assistant Award	2009
	Scott Kloeck-Jenson Graduate Intern Fellowship	2009
	University of Wisconsin International Institute Travel Award	2008
	Center for South Asia Pre-Dissertation Travel Award	2008
	Fulbright IIE U.S. Student Teaching Fellowship (South Korea)	2005/06
	Allegheny College, Department of Political Science, Best Senior Thesis	2005
	Allegheny College, Interdisciplinary Studies, Best Senior Thesis	2005
	Freeman-Asia/ IIE Grant (Thailand)	2004
EXTERNAL TALKS AND WORKSHOPS	Brown-Harvard-MIT Seminar on South Asian Politics, Harvard University	2018
	Bush School of Government and Public Service, Texas A&M University	2017
	Book Conference for Shelby Grossman (invited participant), Stanford University	2017
	Democracy in India Workshop, Claremont McKenna College	2017
	Queen’s Political Studies Speaker Series, Queen’s University (Canada)	2017
	Political Economy of Contemporary India Workshop, IGIDR (Mumbai, India)	2017
	Comparative Politics Colloquium, George Washington University	2016
	Urban Local Public Service Delivery Roundtable, Urban Institute	2016
	Rethinking Electoral Politics in India Workshop, CEIP	2016

	Political Economy of India Workshop, CEIP (invited discussant)	2016
	Woodrow Wilson Center, Urban Sustainability Laboratory (panel discussant)	2016
	Workshop on Urban Poverty in Developing Countries, Duke University	2016
	South Asia Seminar Series, University of Wisconsin-Madison	2016
	Global Poverty Roundtable, Swarthmore College	2016
	Comparative Politics Colloquium Series, Georgetown University	2016
	Political Economy of India Workshop, CASI	2015
	Strengthening Institutions and Governance Workshop, IFPRI	2015
	Gilded Ages Seminar Series, Watson Institute, Brown University	2015
	Workshop on Methodological Innovations in Urban Research, UC-Berkeley	2015
	South Asia Seminar Series, University of Chicago	2015
	Workshop on Urban Poverty in Developing Countries, Duke University	2014
	Urban Infrastructure Workshop, CASI, University of Pennsylvania	2014
	Urbanization in India Workshop, Princeton University	2014
	School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University	2014
	APSA Workshop on Urban Politics, Wilson Center, Washington DC	2014
	Lok Sabha Elections Workshop, King's India Institute, King's College, London	2014
	Kellogg Institute for International Studies, University of Notre Dame	2014
	CASI Lecture, University of Pennsylvania	2013
	Ethnic Politics Workshop IV, Arizona State University	2012
	Social Science Research Council Fellows Workshop, New Orleans	2012
	Friedrich Ebert Stiftung International Seminar on Just Cities, Mumbai	2011
	Delhi School of Planning and Architecture Lecture, New Delhi	2011
	Centre de Sciences Humaines Research Workshop, New Delhi	2011
INTERNAL TALKS AT AMERICAN UNIVERSITY	School of International Service Research Roundtable	2016
	Asian Studies Program Research Series	2015
	Workshop on Methodological Innovations in Urban Research	2015
	Comparative and Regional Studies Coffee Chat	2015, 2016
	PhD Program Research Colloquium	2015, 2016
CONFERENCES	American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting	2012-2016
	Annual Conference on South Asia, Madison, Wisconsin	2012-2016
TEACHING	Ph.D. Seminar in Advanced Research Design	Fall 2017
	Comparative Political Economy	Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017
	Field Research Methods	Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2018

Democracy and Development in South Asia Fall 2014, Fall 2016

Doctoral Dissertation Committees: Ari Cohen (2017), Chayanit Poonyarat (current), Cherie Saulter (current), Brandon Sims (current)

M.A. Theses: Frances Agosto (2015), Tayeba Batool (2016), Sharad Ghimire (2016), Glenn Coine (2016), Mild Vachananda (2017), Abhinandan Slathia (2017)

Undergraduate Independent Studies and Theses: Roshni Rajan (2015), Maria Islam (2016), Nausheen Rajan (2016), Alya Bihari Shaiful (2016), Kimberly Pate (2017), Aman Abdelhamid (2017)

LANGUAGES Hindi (advanced), Urdu (intermediate)

FIELDWORK AND INTERNATIONAL STUDY India, *36 total months*: (8-12/2003), (12/2004-1/2005), (6-8/2007), (12/2008-1/2009), (5-8/2009), (9/2010-12/2011), (2/2012-8/2012), (6/2015-8/2015), (5/2016-6/2016), (1/2017)
United Kingdom, *1 month*: 5/2014-6/2014
South Korea, *14 months*: 6/2005-8/2006
Thailand, *3 months*: 6/2004-8/2004

SERVICE *Journal Reviewer for American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Comparative Political Studies, Journal of Development Studies, Perspectives on Politics, Urban Affairs Review, World Development, World Politics*
School of International Service Faculty Actions Committee Member 2017/18
Member, SIS Development Studies Faculty Search Committee 2016
SIS Olson Scholars Mentor 2016/17
American University Summer Scholars Faculty Mentor Grantee 2015, 2017
Faculty Member, AU-LUMS Pakistan Women Entrepreneurship Program 2015
American Institute of Indian Studies Trustee for American University 2015-
Member, SIS Emerging Powers Faculty Search Committee 2014, 2015
Member, Asian Studies Advisory Council, American University 2015-
Chair, Development Studies Doctoral Concentration, SIS 2015-
Coordinator, Identity, Race, Gender, and Culture Thematic Area, SIS 2015-
Chair, Best Dissertation Award, Urban Politics Section, APSA 2015
Chair, Best Fieldwork Award, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA 2014

AFFILIATIONS/MEMBERSHIPS Member, American Political Science Association 2006-
Member, APSA Comparative Democratization Section 2013-
Member, APSA Urban Politics Section 2014-
Member, APSA Comparative Politics Section 2015-

REFERENCES Available Upon Request

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