

## Svetlana Kosterina

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- EMPLOYMENT **University of Pittsburgh**  
Assistant Professor of Economics, 2020 –
- EDUCATION **Princeton University**  
Ph.D., Politics (Program in Political Economy), 2020  
Dissertation committee: Wolfgang Pesendorfer (chair), Faruk Gul, Kris Ramsay, Germán Gieczewski  
M.A., 2019  
**Cornell University**  
M.A., Political Science and Government, 2014  
**Moscow State Institute of International Relations**  
B.A., 2012, *with honors*
- WORKING PAPERS  
“Delegated Bargaining”  
“Persuasion with Unknown Beliefs”  
“Multilateral Bargaining with Collective Proposal Control”  
“Information Structures and Information Aggregation in Elections”  
“Endogenous Experimentation in Organizations” (with Germán Gieczewski)  
“Surrounded and Threatened: How Neighborhood Composition Reduces Ethnic Voting Through Intimidation” (with Ted Enamorado)
- PUBLICATIONS  
“Why Vote for a Coopted Party? Endogenous Government Power Increases and Control of Opposition Politicians in Authoritarian Regimes”  
*Comparative Political Studies*, 2017, 50(9): 1155-1185.  
“Ambition, Personalist Regimes, and Control of Authoritarian Leaders”  
*Journal of Theoretical Politics*, 2017, 29(2): 167-190.

## AWARDS

**External**

American Political Science Association Travel Grant 2019

**Internal****Princeton University**

Dean's Completion Fellowship 2019-2020  
 Dietrich Economic Theory Center Summer Research Grant 2018, 2019  
 Q-APS Formal and Quantitative Methods Graduate Fellowship 2015-2017,  
 2018-2020  
 Griswold Center for Economic Policy Studies Travel Grant 2019  
 Dean's Fund for Scholarly Travel Grant 2019  
 Department of Politics Stafford Fund Travel Grant 2019  
 Bobst Center for Peace and Justice Graduate Student Travel Grant 2015  
 University Fellowship in the Humanities and Social Sciences 2014-2019

**Cornell University**

Graduate School Conference Travel Grant 2014  
 Sage Fellowship 2012-2013

INVITED  
PRESENTATIONS

2020: University of Pittsburgh (Economics), Cornell (Economics), Vanderbilt (Economics),  
 Indiana Kelley Business School (Economics), UCSD (Political Economy, scheduled)

2019: Harvard (Government), University of Southern California (Political Science),  
 Vanderbilt (Political Science and Economics)

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS

2020: Utah Winter Organizational and Political Economics Conference\*, Canadian  
 Economic Theory Conference (online), Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics  
 (Political Economy, online)\*

2019: American Economic Association (Atlanta, Georgia), Canadian Economic Theory  
 Conference (Montreal, Canada)\*, Midwest Economic Theory Conference (Bloomington,  
 Indiana), North American Summer Meetings of the Econometric Society (Seattle,  
 Washington), 30th International Conference on Game Theory (Stony Brook University),  
 Young Economists Symposium (Columbia University), American Political Science  
 Association (Washington, DC) (presenter, discussant)

2018: 29th International Conference on Game Theory (Stony Brook University),  
 American Political Science Association (Boston, Massachusetts)\*, 6th Columbia  
 Political Economy Conference\*

2015: Midwest Political Science Association

2014: Midwest Political Science Association

\* – presentation by coauthor

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

Princeton University  
 Teaching Assistant  
 Graduate  
 POL 576 – Formal Political Analysis II Fall 2017  
 (with Kris Ramsay)  
 POL 502 – Mathematics for Political Science Fall 2016  
 (with Germán Gieczewski)

Cornell University  
 Teaching Assistant

Graduate  
GOVT 6029 – Advanced Regression Analysis  
(with Bryce Corrigan)

Spring 2014

PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICE

*Service to the discipline*  
*Reviewer*

American Political Science Review, Journal of Politics, British Journal of Political  
Science, Social Choice and Welfare

*Service to the department*

University of Pittsburgh

Organizer,

University of Pittsburgh/CMU Microeconomics Seminar

2020-2021

Princeton University

Graduate Student Coordinator,

Political Economy Graduate Research Seminar

2015-2016