# YUVAL WEBER Curriculum Vitae

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### **EDUCATION**

#### UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-AUSTIN, Austin, TX

Currently enrolled

Ph.D. in Government

International Relations (Foreign Policy), Comparative Politics (Political Economy)

Advanced to Candidacy

Expected Dissertation Defense

May 2014

### UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, Chicago, IL

Class of 2006

MA in International Relations, Division of Social Sciences Specializations: International Relations Theory, Foreign Policy

## **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-AUSTIN, Austin, TX**

Class of 2004

**BA** in Government

BA in Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies

**BA** in Russian Language and Literature

**BA in Czech Language and Literature** 

BA in Plan II (multi-disciplinary Honors program)

(Plan II is a four-year interdisciplinary arts and sciences major that accepts no more than 150 students per year nationwide and serves as the highest Honors program at the University of Texas-Austin)

#### FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS AND EMPLOYMENT

#### New Economic School (Rossiyskaya Ekonomicheskaya Shkola), Moscow, Russia

Visiting Research Fellow 2012 – present

Visiting Professor, New Economic School-Higher School of Economics joint baccalaureate program Introduction to International Relations Fall 2012

## The Carnegie Moscow Center, Moscow, Russia

2012 – present

Visiting Research Fellow

National Security Education Program David L. BOREN Fellowship 2011 – present Full Year Academic Fellowship to conduct independent research and study Russian language in Moscow, Russia

#### **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-AUSTIN, Austin, TX**

### Research Assistantship

2011

Research Assistant to Professor Patricia Maclachlan

Hired to prepare a glossary of political economy terms and a primer on political economy concepts

# Foreign Language Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship

Full Year Academic Fellowship to study Russian language

2010-2011

**Sponsored by the Center for European Studies** 

**Teaching Assistantship** 

2009-2013

Spring 2013 semester: U.S.-Russia Relations, Professor Robert Moser

Fall 2011 semester: Presidents and Foreign Policy, Professor Peter Trubowitz

Spring 2010 semester: International Political Economy, Professor Patrick McDonald

Fall 2009 semester: Israel: Society and Politics, Professor Ami Pedahzur

### Foreign Language Area Studies (FLAS) Summer Fellowship

Summer 2009

Sponsored by the Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies

Summer Workshop in Slavic, East European and Eurasian Languages Indiana University, Bloomington

## Malcolm Macdonald Fellowship

2008-2009

Full Year Academic Fellowship

### UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, Chicago, IL

### **Research Assistantship** 2005-2006

Full Year Research Assistantship to Professor Carles Boix (currently of Princeton University) Conducted archival research on constitutions and constitutional change

### UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-AUSTIN, Austin, TX

Phi Beta Kappa – Alpha Chapter 2004

**Golden Key National Honor Society 2003** 

Hibbs Scholarship (top student in the Slavic & Eurasian Studies Dept.) 2003-2004

Overall GPA: 3.77, Dean's List: 2000-2004

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Forthcoming. *Russian Hong Kong: The Kuril Islands and Security in East Asia*. With Dmitri Trenin. Washington, DC and Moscow: Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

2012. "For Putin, It Gets More and More Expensive to Buy Loyalty of Russian Ruling Elites." Forbes Online. Published June 21, 2012 at

http://www.forbes.com/sites/yuliataranova/2012/06/21/for-put in-it-gets-more-and-more-expensive-to-buy-loyalty-of-russian-ruling-elites/

2012. "Putin vynuzhden pokupat' loyal'nost' possiiskoi pravyaschei elityi vse bolee vysokoi tsenoi." Translation of Forbes article into Russian by Inopressa. Published June 22, 2012 at http://www.inopressa.ru/article/22Jun2012/forbes/putin\_elita.html.

2012. "Why only Putin 2.0 has a chance at success." Dallas Morning News. Published February 19, 2012. With Shlomo Weber.

2011. "Kak tyazhela i slozhna bor'ba s byednostiu." [The Costly and Difficult Struggle Against Poverty]. RBK online. Published October 4, 2011 at

http://www.rbcdaily.ru/focus/opinion/562949981652753.shtml. With Shlomo Weber.

2010. "Monogoroda: amerikanskii podkhod: kak v SShA reshaiut prolemy gorodow, ostavshikhsya bez raboty." [Monotowns: an American Approach: How in the United States They Solve the Problems of Towns that are Left without Work]. Forbes Russia online. Published December 1, 2010 at http://www.forbes.ru/ekonomika/vlast/60440-monogoroda-amerikanskii-podhod. With Shlomo Weber.

2005. "The Jews of Telc: Ano, Tady Byli, ale Už Nejsou [Yes, They Were Here, But Not Anymore]." *Kosmas* 18.2 (Spring): 74-89.

### **SERVICE**

Member, Search Committee2011International Relations job search committee2011Evaluator, Admissions, Plan II Department2011Graduate Student Organization Co-President2010-2011Co-President (with two others) for nearly 125 Government Department graduate students

### **CONFERENCES**

American Political Science Association annual meeting, panel session	Fall 2012
Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, panel session	Spring 2011
Southwest Political Science Association annual meeting, panel session	Spring 2011
Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, poster session	Spring 2010
Southwest Political Science Association annual meeting, panel session	Spring 2010

#### **LANGUAGES**

Advanced conversational and reading skills in Russian.

Proficient conversational and reading skills in Spanish and Czech.

### INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Moscow State Linguistic University, Moscow, Russia June-August 2002

Studied intermediate level Russian for ten weeks and completed an accelerated language course.

Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic June-August 2001

Studied Czech and completed two courses, Modern Czech Literature and History of Czech Republic El Centro Bilingüe, Cuernavaca, Mexico June-July 1997

Studied advanced compositional skills and brought oral skills to near native level.