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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	<p><b>Indiana University Bloomington</b> Assistant Professor (Tenure Track), Department of Political Science, August 2018 – present Affiliated faculty, Vincent &amp; Elinor Ostrom Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis, August 2018 – present</p> <p><b>Dartmouth College</b> U.S. Foreign Policy and International Security Fellow (Predoctoral), September 2017 – June 2018</p> <p><b>United State Institute of Peace</b> Jennings Randolph Dissertation Fellowship (Predoctoral), September 2016 – June 2017</p>
EDUCATION	<p><b>University of Minnesota, Twin Cities</b>, Minneapolis, Minnesota Ph.D., Political Science, September 2013 – June 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committee: John R. Freeman, Benjamin E. Bagozzi (University of Delaware), Anoop Sarbahi, Terry Roe (Applied Economics), and Benjamin A. Valentino (Dartmouth College)</li> <li>• Fields: International Relations, Political Methodology</li> </ul> <p>M.Sc., Applied Economics, January 2015 – June 2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committee: Terry Roe, Marc F. Bellemare, and John R. Freeman (Political Science)</li> </ul> <p>M.A., Political Science, September 2013 – June 2016</p> <p><b>Dartmouth College</b>, Hanover, New Hampshire A.B., Government (honors) and history, <i>cum laude</i>, June 2012</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thesis: “Military Structure and Military Violence.”</li> </ul>
BOOK MANUSCRIPTS	<p>Bumba Mukherjee and <b>Ore Koren</b>. 2018. <i>The Politics of Mass Killing in Autocratic Regimes</i>. Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave Macmillan/Springer-Nature.</p>
PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES	<p>[21] Anderson, Noel, Benjamin E. Bagozzi, and <b>Ore Koren</b>. “Pressed to Prolong: Conscription, the Costs of Military Labor, and Civil War Duration.” Forthcoming in <i>International Studies Quarterly</i>.</p> <p>[20] Schon, Justin and <b>Ore Koren</b>. “AfroGrid: A Unified Framework for Environmental Conflict Research in Africa.” <i>Scientific Data</i> 9, Article no. 116. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1038/s41597-022-01198-5">https://doi.org/10.1038/s41597-022-01198-5</a>.</p> <p>[19] <b>Koren, Ore</b> . “Quantifying the Disaggregated Impact of Atrocities on Socioeconomic Activity.” <i>Global Studies Quarterly</i> 2(2). ksab042.</p> <p>[18] Koehnlein, Brittney (G) and <b>Ore Koren</b>. “COVID-19, State Capacity, and Violence by Nonstate Actors.” <i>Journal of Peace Research</i> 59(1), 90–104.</p> <p>[17] Sarbahi, Anoop and <b>Ore Koren</b>. “The Moderating Effect of Democracy on Climate-Induced Social Conflict: Evidence from Indian Districts.” Forthcoming in <i>Political Research Quarterly</i>. Published online 2021.</p>

- [16] **Koren, Ore**, Sumit Ganguly, and Aashna Khanna (G). “International Counterterrorism, Technological Capacity, and Increased Terrorist Activity.” Forthcoming in *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*. Published online 2021.
- [15] Bagozzi, Benjamin E. and **Ore Koren**. “The Diplomatic Burden of Pandemics: Lessons from Malaria.” Forthcoming in *Political Science Research and Methods*. Published online 2021.
- [14] **Koren, Ore** and Bumba Mukherjee. “Economic Crises, Civilian Mobilization, and Repression in Developing States.” Forthcoming in *Conflict Management and Peace Science*. Published online 2021.
- [13] Anderson, Noel, Benjamin E. Bagozzi, and **Ore Koren**. 2021. “Addressing Monotone Likelihood in Duration Modeling of Political Events.” *British Journal of Political Science* 51(4): 1654–1671.
- [12] **Koren, Ore** and Bumba Mukherjee. “Civil Dissent and Repression: an Agency-Centric Perspective.” *Journal of Global Security Studies* 6(3): 1-8.
- [11] **Koren, Ore**, Bagozzi, Benjamin E. and Thomas S. Benson. 2021. “Food and Water Insecurity as Causes of Social Unrest: Evidence from Geolocated Twitter Data.” *Journal of Peace Research* 58(1): 67-82.
- [10] **Koren, Ore**. 2019. “Food Resources and Strategic Conflict.” *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 63(10): 2236-2261.
- [9] **Koren, Ore**. 2019. “Food, State Power, and Rebellion: The Case of Maize.” *International Interactions* 45(1): 170-197.
- [8] **Koren, Ore**. 2018. “Food Abundance and Violent Conflict in Africa.” *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* 100(4): 981-1006.
- Lead article: *AJAE* Volume 100, Issue 4, August 2018.
  - [8b] **Koren, Ore**. 2018. “Response to Marshall Burke’s Comments.” *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* 100(4): 1010-1011.
- [7] **Koren, Ore**, and Anoop Sarbahi. 2018. “State Capacity, Insurgency and Civil War: A Disaggregated Analysis.” *International Studies Quarterly* 62(2): 274-288.
- Selected for ISA’s special 60th Annual Convention Collection (2019).
- [6] **Koren, Ore**. 2017. “Why Insurgents Kill Civilians in Capital Cities: A Disaggregated Analysis of Mechanisms and Trends.” *Political Geography* 61: 237–251.
- [5] **Koren, Ore**. 2017. “Means to an End: Pro-Government Militias as a Predictive Indicator of Strategic Mass Killing.” *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 34(5): 461–484.
- [4] **Koren, Ore**, and Benjamin E. Bagozzi. 2017. “Living Off The Land: The Connection between Cropland, Food Security, and Violence against Civilians.” *Journal of Peace Research* 54(3): 351–364
- [3] Bagozzi, Benjamin E., **Ore Koren**, and Bumba Mukherjee. 2017. “Droughts, Land Appropriation, and Rebel Violence in The Developing World.” *Journal of Politics* 79(3): 1057–1072.
- [2] **Koren, Ore**, and Benjamin E. Bagozzi. 2016. “From Global to Local, Food Insecurity is Associated with Contemporary Armed Conflict.” *Food Security* 8(5): 999–1010.
- [1] **Koren, Ore**. 2014. “Military Structure, Civil Disobedience, and Military Violence.” *Terrorism*

*Political Violence* 26: 688–712.

REVISE AND  
RESUBMIT

[1] Schon, Justin, Britt Koehnlein (G), and **Ore Koren**. “The need for willingness and opportunity: Analyzing where and when climate influences conflict in the Sahel.” *Revise & Resubmit in Population and Environment*.

RESEARCH GRANTS  
OVER \$10K

[9] Outstanding Junior Faculty Award (\$15,000), Feb. 2022 (*Indiana University*)

[8] NSF SAP #2149053 (Security and Preparedness Program, Division of Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences) “Environmental Stress, Political Institutions and Social Conflict in South Asia.” (\$145,327 to IU), Jan. 2022 (*National Science Foundation*)

[7] Harry Frank Guggenheim Distinguished Scholar Award (\$43,443), Dec. 2021 (*Henry Frank Guggenheim Foundation*)

[6] Social Science Research Commons (\$10,000), Dec. 2020 (*Indiana University*)

[5] Social Sciences Research Funding Program Award (\$25,000), Mar. 2020 (*Indiana University*)

[4] Ostrom Workshop Research Award (\$10,000), Mar. 2019 (*Indiana University*)

[3] Larson Graduate Research Fellowship (\$18,000), August 2017 (*University of Minnesota*)

[2] Efimenco Graduate Fellowship (\$16,500), August 2013 (*University of Minnesota*)

[1] Ofer & Sons Scholarship (inaugural) (\$220,000 over four years), Aug. 2008 (*Dartmouth College*)

PEER-REVIEWED  
PROCEEDINGS

Bagozzi, Benjamin E. and **Ore Koren**. 2017. “Using Machine Learning Methods to Identify Atrocity Perpetrators.” *Proceedings of the IEEE Big Data 2017 Conference*.

SPECIAL  
ISSUES/FEATURES

Gary Uzonyi and **Ore Koren** (organizers). 2021. The Politics of Rebellion. Proposal accepted in *Journal of Conflict Resolution*.

DATA COLLECTION

[6] **Koren, Ore**. “Geolocated Zoonotic Disease Outbreaks in Africa.” In progress.

[5] **Koren, Ore**. “Local Zoonotic Disease Outbreaks in East and South Asia.” In progress.

[4] **Koren, Ore**, Brittney Koehnlein, and Jessica Steinberg. “Peasant Rebellions in Europe, 1500–1900.” In progress.

[3] Schon, Justin and **Ore Koren**. “AfroGrid: A Unified Framework for Environmental Conflict Research in Africa.” Last updated 12/30/2021. Available online.

[2] **Koren, Ore**. “The Domestic Security Organization (DSO) Dataset.” Data on all domestic security organizations other than the military in 193 countries since the Cold War. Last updated: 7/25/2019. Available online.

[1] **Koren, Ore**, Brandon Bolte, Minnie M. Joo, and Bumba Mukherjee. “Pro-Government Organization (PGO) Dataset: A Dataset on Political and and Military Integration of Paramilitaries, Militias, and Rebel Groups in Post-War Contexts.” Last updated: 4/17/2019. Available online.

OTHER  
PROCEEDINGS

**Koren, Ore**. 2017. “Conflict Prevention in Isolated World Ship Societies.” *Proceedings of the Tennessee Valley Interstellar Workshop*.

NON-PEER-  
REVIEWED

**Koren, Ore**. 2020. “Review of *Why we Fight* by Mike Martin (London: Hurst & Company, 2019).” *Journal of Political and Military Sociology* 47(1): 102-104 (solicited).

PUBLISHED  
WORKING PAPERS

[5] **Koren, Ore** and Bumba Mukherjee. “Integrated Militias Can Increase the Risk of Civil War Renewal.” HiCN Working Paper 336. <https://hicn.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/10/2022/04/WP-366.pdf>.

[4] Koehnlein, Brittney (G) and **Ore Koren**. “Covid-19, State Capacity, and Violence by Nonstate Actors.” HiCN Working Paper 349. <https://hicn.org/working-paper/covid-19-state-capacity-and-pol>

[3] Benjamin Bagozzi and **Koren, Ore**. “The Diplomatic Burden of Pandemics: The Case of Malaria.” HiCN Working Paper 330. <http://www.hicn.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/HiCN-WP-330.pdf>.

[2] **Koren, Ore** and Bumba Mukherjee. “Violent Repression as a Commitment Problem: Urbanization, Food Shortages, and Civilian Killings under Authoritarian Regimes.” HiCN Working Paper 296. <http://www.hicn.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2019/03/HiCN-WP-296.pdf>.

[1] **Koren, Ore**. “Hunger Games: Food Security and Strategic Preemptive Conflict.” HiCN Working Paper 253. <http://www.hicn.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2012/06/HiCN-WP-253.pdf>.

POLICY WRITING

[19] **Koren, Ore**. “Food Prices Are Soaring. Civil Conflicts Won’t Necessarily Follow.” Barron’s, March 31, 2022.

[18] **Koren, Ore**. “Food, Climate Change, and War in the 21st Century.” Georgetown Journal of International Affairs, March 7, 2022.

[17] **Koren, Ore**. “Civil war in the US is unlikely because grievance doesn’t necessarily translate directly into violence.” The Conversation, January 14, 2022.

[16] Koehnlein, Britt (G) and **Koren, Ore**. “Pro-Government Militia Attacks Surge Amid Covid-19.” Political Violence @ A Glance, August 2, 2021.

[15] **Koren, Ore**. “Violence Isn’t the Only Story in Israel.” *Foreign Policy*, May 20, 2021.

[14] Shalit, Naomi and **Koren, Ore**. “Once you engage in political violence, it becomes easier to do it again’ – an expert on political violence reflects on events at the Capitol.” The Conversation, January 7, 2021.

[13] **Koren, Ore**. “Election violence in November? Here’s what the research says.” The Conversation, September 28, 2020.

[12] **Koren, Ore**, and W. Kindred Winecoff. “Food Price Spikes and Social Unrest: The Dark Side of the Fed’s Crisis-Fighting.” *Foreign Policy*, May 20, 2020.

- Winner of an Albie award for he best work on political economy in 2020.

- [11] Bagozzi, Benjamin E. and **Koren, Ore**. “The Diplomatic Burden of COVID-19.” Political Violence @ A Glance, March 30, 2020.
- [10] **Koren, Ore**. “Climate Change and Conflict.” Political Violence @ A Glance, February 4, 2019.
- Reposted on Peace Research Institute Oslo (PRIO) Climate & Conflict blog as: “Climate Change and Conflict Generates Clicks, but What about Scientific Claims?,” February 12, 2019.
- [9] **Koren, Ore**. “Why blaming conflicts in Africa on climate change is misguided.” The Conversation, May 1, 2018.
- [8] **Koren, Ore**. “When Fighting Breaks Out – Explaining Subnational Variation in Civil War Onset.” Political Violence @ A Glance, March 1, 2018.
- [7] **Koren, Ore**. “Why Insurgents Commit Atrocities in Capital Cities.” The Center for Holocaust & Genocide Studies at the University of Minnesota, October 16, 2017.
- [6] **Koren, Ore**. “How Drought Escalates Rebel Killings of Civilians: Study Pinpoints Link Between Food Shortages and Attacks by Extremists, Insurgents.” United States Institute of Peace Policy Analyses, May 24, 2017.
- [5] **Koren, Ore**, and Benjamin E. Bagozzi. “Food Access and the Logic of Violence During Civil War.” New Security Beat, The Wilson Center, March 15, 2017.
- [4] **Koren, Ore**. “Living Off the Land: Food and the Logic of Violence in Civil War.” Political Violence @ A Glance, February 6, 2017.
- [3] **Koren, Ore**. “Food scarcity causes conflicts — but so can food abundance. Here’s why.” The Monkey Cage political science blog, Washington Post, November 23, 2016.
- [2] **Koren, Ore**. “Tipping the Balance: The Role of Security Repertoires in Predicting Violence.” Political Violence @ A Glance, September 10, 2015.
- [1] **Koren, Ore**. “Not (Only) Assad’s Fault: The Military Effect in Syria.” International Affairs Forum, May 14, 2013.

HONORS & AWARDS [10] Tobias Center Research Assistantship Award (\$5,500), 2021 (*Indiana University*)  
BELOW \$10K

- [9] Selected Among Top 100 Entries, NSF 2026 Idea Machine Competition, 2019
- [8] Larson Summer Fellowship (\$8,500), June 2016 (*University of Minnesota*)
- [7] Graduate Research Partnership Program Stipend (\$7,500), June 2015 (*University of Minnesota*)
- [6] MMIGG Scholarship (with Holly Dunn), Hon. Men. (\$950), May 2014 (*University of Minnesota*)
- [5] The Rockefeller Prize for Publishing an Honors Thesis (\$2,500), June 2012 (Dartmouth College)
- [4] Sullivan Fund for Undergraduate Research (\$5,000), June 2011 (Dartmouth College)
- [3] Lucas and Family Scholarship for Research (\$4,500), June 2010 (Dartmouth College)

[2] Stefansson Fellowship for Arctic Research (\$6,000), June 2009 (Dartmouth College)

[1] The Dickerson Prize for Writing (\$400), July 2009 (Dartmouth College)

CONSULTING  
EXPERIENCE

[6] The Stimson Center, APSG. 2022.

[5] Strategy for Humanity. 2022.

[4] United Nation's Office Institute on Migration (IOM). 2022.

[3] United Nation's Office of Internal Oversight Services (OIOS). 2022.

[2] United States Institute of Peace. 2021.

[1] The Stimson Center. 2020

INVITED TALKS

[16] **Ore Koren**. Trade and Development Seminar *Applied Economics, University of Minnesota. April 8, 2022.*

[15] **Ore Koren** and W. Kindred Winecoff. 2021. "Food Prices, Social Conflict, and the U.S. Federal Reserve Bank." *Agricultural Policy Research Group Conference. Online. October 15, 2021.*

[14] **Koren, Ore**. 2021. Peace Research Speakers Series (PREACH). *Peace Research Institute Oslo (PRIO). Oslo, Norway, May 13.*

[13] **Koren, Ore**. 2021. Panel on Environmental Problems and Civil Wars. *Department of Political Science, University of Delaware. Dover, DE. April 23.*

[12] **Koren, Ore**. 2020. Covid-19, State Capacity, and Political Violence by Nonstate Actors. *COVID-19 and Conflict Trends, The Stimson Center. Washington, DC. August 24.*

[11] **Koren, Ore**. 2020. Identifying Climate's Impact on Warfare using Latent Measures of Conflict. *Climate-Conflict Workshop, Peace Research Institute Oslo. Oslo, Norway. May 19-20.* (rescheduled due to covid-19 restrictions).

[10] **Koren, Ore**. 2020. Panelist. *Institute for Genocide and Mass Atrocity Prevention, State University of New York. Binghamton, NY. April 16-17.* (rescheduled due to covid-19 restrictions).

[9] **Koren, Ore**. 2020. The Political Origins of Rebellion. *Word Politics Research Seminar, Department of Political Science, Indiana University. Bloomington, IN. March 6.*

[8] **Koren, Ore**. 2020. Civil Dissent and Repression: An Agency-Centric Perspective. *Center for Constitutional Democracy, Indiana University. Bloomington, IN. February 24.*

[7] **Koren, Ore**. 2019. Coordination, Protest, and Repression: Evidence from Developing States. *Word Politics Research Seminar, Department of Political Science, Indiana University. Bloomington, IN. November 16.*

[6] **Koren, Ore**. 2018. The Challenges of Identifying Relationships between Food and Conflict. *Department of Environmental Economics and Management, Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Rehovot, Israel. April 15.*

[5] **Koren, Ore.** 2018. Correct Identification of Relationships between Food and Conflict. *Minnesota Political Methodology Colloquium. Minneapolis, MN. March 22.*

[4] **Koren, Ore.** 2017. Conflict Prevention in Isolated World Ship Societies. *Tennessee Valley Interstellar Workshop. Huntsville, AL. October 4.*

[3] **Koren, Ore.** 2017. Hunger Games: Food Resources and Civil War: Evidence From Micro and Macro Level Analyses. *Political Violence Workshop. Cambridge, MA. April 25.*

[2] **Koren, Ore.** 2015. Exploring and Modeling Reparations for Mass Killing as a Rare Diffusive Event. *Holocaust, Genocide and Mass Violence Studies (HGMV) Interdisciplinary Graduate Group. Minneapolis, MN. May 7.*

[1] **Dunn, Holly, and Ore Koren.** 2015. Exploring the Alternatives: A Mixed Methods Study of Customary Justice Mechanisms in Post-Conflict Contexts. *Mixed Methods Interdisciplinary Graduate Group, Minneapolis, MN. January 28.*

WORKSHOPS Gary Uzonyi and **Ore Koren** (organizers). The Politics of Rebellion. *Peace Science Society Annual Meeting. Online. November 12, 2020.*

GUEST LECTURES [2] “Climate, Food Insecurity, and War.” INTS 15: Violence and Security, Dartmouth College. Jan. 25, 2018.

[1] “Come Rain or Shine? Climate, Food Insecurity, and War.” ESCI 3402/5402: Science and Politics of Global Warming, University of Minnesota. Apr. 9, 2017.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS 19 paper presentations in selective national and international conferences (presented, forthcoming, or expected).

ADDITIONAL TRAINING **Complex Systems Summer School – Santa Fe Institute**, Santa Fe, New Mexico  
Network analysis, scaling and power laws, game theory, epidemiology, ABMs (Summer 2018)

**Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research**, Ann Arbor, Michigan  
Bayesian Statistics, Network Analysis (Summer 2014)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE **Indiana University**, Bloomington, Indiana, USA

POLS Y344: “Civil Wars”

POLS Y364: “International Organization: Political and Security Aspects”

POLS Y490: “Senior Seminar on Civil War and Mass Killing”

POLS Y577 (Graduate): “Maximum Likelihood Estimation”

POLS Y569 (Graduate): “International Relations: Approaches & Issues”

POLS Y669 (Graduate): “International Security”

**University of Minnesota**, Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA

POL3833: The US in The Global Economy

**Other Teaching Experience** *Preparing future faculty (GRAD8101)*, University of Minnesota: a class designed to prepare graduate students for careers as teachers in an academic setting.

**SKILLS****Computer:** *R, STATA, SAS, JAGS, BUGS***Language:** *Hebrew (native), German (intermediate), French (beginner).***PH.D.  
DISSERTATION  
COMMITTEES**

Keith Wilson (Political Science, Indiana University), 2020.

Salih Yasun (Political Science, Indiana University), in progress.

Yehuda Magid (Political Science, Indiana University), 2019.

**MASTERS THESIS  
COMMITTEES**

Spenser Warren (Political Science, Indiana University), 2020.

Jeff Wang (Political Science, Indiana University), 2020.

Aashna Khanna (Political Science, Indiana University), 2020.

Brittney Koehnlein (Political Science, Indiana University), (chair) 2020.

Aidan Klein (Political Science, Indiana University), 2019.

**PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICE****Journal Reviews:***Agricultural Economics, American Political Science Review, American Journal of Agricultural Economics, American Journal of Political Science, Applied Economic Perspectives & Policy, British Journal of Political Science, Civil Wars, Climate Change Economics, Communications Earth & Environment, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Politics, Conflict Management and Peace Science, Dynamics of Asymmetric Conflict, Economics of Disasters and Climate Change, European Economic Review, Food Policy, Food Security, Global Environmental Change, International Interactions, International Studies Quarterly, Journal of Aggression, Conflict, and Peace Research, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Genocide Research, Journal of Peace Research, Journal of Politics, Journal of Strategic Studies, Palgrave Communications, Political Geography, Political Research Quarterly, Remote Sensing, Review of Development Economics, Social Sciences, Terrorism and Political Violence, World Development***Other Reviews:***Lynne Reiner Publishers, MIT Press, National Science Fund, PalgraveMacmillan, United States Institute of Peace***Administrative:***Co-chair, IS-ISSS Annual Conference. Bloomington, IN. Nov. 2021***Discussant:***IS-ISSS Annual Conference. Bloomington, IN. Nov. 2021**Online Peace Science Colloquium. April 2021**International Studies Association Annual Meeting. Online. April 2021**Asian Online Political Science Seminar Series. Online. February 23, 2021**International Studies Association Annual Meeting. Toronto. March 2019**Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans. January 2017**Online Peace Science Colloquium. September 2016**American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Philadelphia. September 2016*

**Chair:**

*Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans. January 2017*

**Professional Association:**

*American Political Science Association; International Studies Association; Peace Science Society*

UNIVERSITY  
SERVICE

**Indiana University:**

*Environmental Resilience Institute, Steering Committee.*

2020 - 2021

*Proposal and grant reviewer, Office of Vice Provost for Research.*

2020 - 2022

DEPARTMENTAL  
SERVICE

**Indiana University:**

*Chair, World Politics Research Seminar.*

2021 -

*Graduate Committee.*

2021 - 2022

*Faculty sponsor, Undergraduate Political Science Club, Pi Sigma Alpha.*

2020 - 2021

*Personnel Committee.*

2019 - 2020

*ITV representative at Indiana University (initiative).*

2018 - 2019

*Awards Committee.*

2018 - 2019

**University of Minnesota:**

*Minnesota International Relations Colloquium, Co-chair.*

2014 - 2015

REFERENCES

Available upon request.