

# Calvin Thrall

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## Education

### **The University of Texas at Austin**

Ph.D. Student, Political Science, 2017-  
Fields: International Relations, Methods  
Advisor: Nathan Jensen

### **Temple University**

B.A., Political Science, 2017  
Phi Beta Kappa, Distinction in Political Science

## Research Interests

International and domestic political economy of development,  
business and politics, international investment, remittances

## Working Papers

Strategic Silence and Moving Bars in International Investment Arbitration  
(with Leslie Johns and Rachel Wellhausen)

Who's Afraid of Sunlight? Explaining Opposition to Transparency  
in Economic Development (with Nate Jensen)

## Research Experience

### **The University of Texas at Austin**

*Graduate Research Fellow*, Innovations for Peace and Development  
- Team Leader, Property Rights and Poverty Team, 2018-

Research Assistant to Rachel Wellhausen, 2018  
Research Assistant to Nathan Jensen, 2018

### **Temple University**

Undergraduate Research Assistant to Nyron Crawford, 2016

## Teaching Experience

### **The University of Texas at Austin**

As TA:

US Military Conflicts after the Cold War for Jason Brownlee, Spring 2019  
Globalization and the Nation State for Di Wang, Fall 2018  
American and Texas Govt. for John McIver, Spring 2018  
Civil Wars and Ethnic Violence for Michael Findley, Fall 2017

## Conference Participation

**SPSA**: 2019

Other Experience	<b>Co-Organizer</b> , GOV Pre-Dissertation Workshop, AY 2018/2019 <b>Graduate Assistant</b> , IR Speaker Series, AY 2018/2019
Awards and Fellowships	<b>Award for Excellence in Political Science</b> Temple University, 2017  <b>President's Scholarship</b> Temple University, 2013-2017
Skills	<b>Advanced:</b> R, $\text{\LaTeX}$ <b>Intermediate:</b> Mathematica <b>Basic:</b> Python, Stata, SQL
Professional Memberships	APSA, SPSA, IPES, ARCS (Alliance for Research on Corporate Sustainability)
References	Available upon request