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## Academic Appointments

Associate Professor  
National Cheng-Chi University, Dept. of Diplomacy, 2019-  
Assistant Professor  
Beijing Normal University-Hong Kong Baptist University United International College, 2014-2019  
Instructor  
University of South Carolina, Dept of Political Science, 2011-12

## Education

Ph.D. International Relations, University of South Carolina, 2014  
Major: International Relations  
Minor: Research Methodology  
M.A. Politics, New York University, 2007  
B.A. Diplomacy and Law (Double Major), Cheng-Chi University, Taiwan, 2002

## Research Interests

International Relations, International Conflict, Regional Integration, Foreign Policy, Asian Politics, and Research Methods.

## Peer-Reviewed Publications

1. Wu, Charles Chong-Han. 2019. Why Do States Hedge in East Asia? An Empirical Study on Hedging. *Asian Perspective (SSCI)*, vol.43, no.3
2. Wu, Charles Chong-Han. 2018. "Taiwan's Hedging Policy Under the Competition and Cooperation in Sino-US Relations." *EurAmerica (TSSCI)*, vol.48, no.4
3. Wu, Charles Chong-Han. 2017. "Understanding the Structures and Contents of National Interests-An Analysis of Structural Equation Modeling." *Korean Journal of International Studies*, vol.15, no.3
4. Wu, Charles Chong-Han. 2017. Comparison between Democratic Peace Theory and Interest Peace Theory. In *The Studies of Peace and Conflict-The Theoretical and Empirical Evidence* ed. Chih-Mao Tang, Taipei: Wu-Nan Company (book chapter in Chinese)
5. Wu, Charles Chong-Han. 2016. "Common Interests and Two-Level Game Theory in the South China Sea Dispute." *American Journal of Chinese Studies (SCOPUS)*, vol.23.
6. Wu, Charles Chong-Han. 2016. "Taiwan's Hedging Strategy-The Strategic Implications of Ma Ying-Jeou's Mainland Policy" *Asian Survey (SSCI)*, vol.56, no.3

7. Wu. Charles Chong-Han. 2016. "Alliance Commitment and the Maintenance of the Status Quo," *Asian Perspective (SSCI)*, vol.40, no.2 (with John Fuh-Sheng Hsieh)
8. Wu. Charles Chong-Han. 2014. Seeking Common Ground While Keeping Differences: Using the Case of the Cross-Strait Relations as A Case. *Baltimore, MD: University of Maryland School of Law, Maryland Series in Contemporary Asian Studies (book)*
9. Wu. Charles Chong-Han. 2014. "Interest Similarity and Cross-Strait Peace," *Fudan Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, vol.7, no.3
10. Wu. Charles Chong-Han. 2012. "The Strategic Triangle: U.S.-China-Taiwan Relations." *Sharnoff's Global Views*, Available at <http://www.sharnoffsglobalviews.com/the-strategic-triangle-us-china-taiwan-relations>

## Teaching Experience

1. POLS 4070 Topics in Sino-U.S. relations (Spring 2016)
2. POLS 4020 Topics in Asian Politics (Spring 2016)
3. POLS 2040 Introduction to Research Methods (Spring 2016-19)
4. POLS 3010 International Law (Spring 2015, 17)
5. POLS 3020 China and the World (Spring 2015, 17)
6. POLS 4080 Theories of International Relations (Fall 2015, 17)
7. POLS 1003 Foundations of Political Science (Fall 2014-19)
8. POLS 2013 Foundations of International Relations (Fall 2014-19)
9. POLS 3110 International Organizations (Fall 2014-18)
10. POLS 3140 International Relations of South and East Asia (Fall 2017-19)
11. JOUR 3130 International Organization Reporting (Fall 2017)

## Grants and Awards

1. Hong Kong Baptist University-UIC: Summer Research Grant (2015)
2. Hong Kong Baptist University-UIC: Research Grant (2015-2016)
3. National Science Foundation (NSF): EITM Fellowship, Washington University in St. Louis (2011)
4. National Science Foundation (NSF): Fellowship, the 4th Annual Political Networks Conference and Workshops at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (2011)
5. Studying Abroad Scholarship, Two Years Research Grant, Taiwan (2009)
6. Full Graduate Assistantship, the Walker Institute of International and Area Studies, University of South Carolina (2008)
7. Research Grant, The Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) (2008)
8. Teaching assistantship, the Department of Politics, New York University (2006)

## Conference Papers

1. "China's Maritime and Fishery Development Under the Belt and Road Initiatives." Taiwan Political Science Association Annual Conference, Taiwan. Nov 11st-12nd, 2018.
2. "The International Relations of East Asia Under the Competition and Cooperation of the Sino-U.S. Relations." The U.S.-China-Taiwan Studies 2012-2017, Academia Sinica, Taiwan. December 8th, 2017.
3. "The Security Hedging in East Asia-the Studies of US-ROK and US-Taiwan Relations" The World Congress for Korean Politics and Society, Yonsei University, South Korea. June 21st-26th, 2017.
4. "Territorial Peace and Political Centralization-The Studies of Maritime Disputes in East Asia," The 5th WISC Convention, Taipei Taiwan. April 2nd-4th, 2017.
5. "The Shrimp Between Two Whales- Why Do Weak States Hedge in East Asia?" Taiwan Political Science Association Annual Conference, Taipei Taiwan. Oct 22nd-23rd, 2016.
6. "Power Inequality in East Asia: The Empirical Evidence and Security Implications for the Small Powers' Behavior," International Political Science Association World Congress, Poznan, Poland. July 23-28th, 2016.
7. "East Asia's Response to a Rising China: Strategic Policies by Taiwan, South Korea, Philippine, and Vietnam," International Studies Association-Asian Pacific Annual Conference, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. June 25-27th, 2016.
8. "The Creation of Common Interests between China and Taiwan The Security Implications for the 2014 Sun Flower Movement & South China Sea Issue," Annual Taiwan Conference host by The Walker Institute of International and Area Studies, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC. October 2-4th, 2015.
9. "'One China' and the Creation of Common Interests across the Taiwan Strait" with Dean P. Chen, Taiwan Political Science Association Annual Conference, Taipei Taiwan. December 6-7, 2014
10. "Does Similar Interest Bring More Peace? The Case of Cross-Strait Relations" American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Washington DC. August 28-31st, 2014
11. "Operationalizaing the Content of States' Interests: A Structural Equation Modeling" International Studies Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada. March 26-29th, 2014
12. "Testing the Dyadic Theory of Conflict- A Dynamic Model of Conflict Escalation?" American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL. August 29-September 1st, 2013
13. "Policy Similarity and International Conflicts: Do Similar Interests Bring More Peace?" Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL. April 10-14th, 2013
14. "To Change or Not to Change, That is the Question: Defensive Commitment and the Status-quo in Cross-Strait Relations" with Dr. John Fuh-Sheng Hsieh. American Association for China Studies Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA. October 12-14th, 2012

## Invited Talks and Seminars

1. United International College, Zhuhai, China. 2017
2. ECR Professional Development Workshop at the ISA Asia Pacific Regional Conference, City University of Hong Kong 2016
3. National Chung-Cheng University, Department of Political Science, ROC Taiwan, May 2015
4. United International College, Zhuhai, China. 2015
5. Soochow University, Center of Global Peace Research, ROC Taiwan, December 2014

## Workshops

1. ECR Professional Development Workshop at the ISA Asia Pacific Regional Conference, City University of Hong Kong 2016
2. Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Workshop, American Political Science Association Annual Conference in Washington DC. 2014
3. Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM), Washington University in St. Louis 2011
4. The 4th Political Network Conference and Workshops (Proposal accepted with NSF funding) at University of Michigan, Ann Arbor 2011
5. LINKS Center Summer Social Network Analysis Workshop, University of Kentucky 2010
6. Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) 2008

## College and Program Service

1. College Service
  - Committee on Whole Personal Education (Division Representative), 2017-19.
  - 6th Institutional Review Panel (Division Representative), 2017.
  - Research Grant (Reviewer), 2017.
  - CLC Scholarship (Interviewer), 2017.
  - ELC Admission Exam (Oral Examiner), 2017.
  - Showcase Day (Program Representative), 2015-2017.
  - Model UN Club (Supervisor), 2015-.
  - HKBU Graduation Ceremony (Back-up PD), 2015.
  - School Promotion (Division Representative) 2014-.
  - Hong Kong-Macau-Guangdong Forum for International Relations Studies, (Instructor of GIR, Golden Prize), 2014.
2. Program Service
  - Program Syllabus Revision 2017-.
  - Program Librarian, 2015-.
  - Mentor Caring Program, 2014-.
  - Final Year Project, 2014-.

## Professional Service and Associations

1. Manuscript Reviewer
  - Journal of Current Chinese Affairs
  - Journal of Current Southeast Asian Affairs
  - Soochow Journal of Political Science Review
  - Issues and Studies
  - Routledge

## Skills

Statistics and other packages: LISREL, STATA, UCINET, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

Language Skills: Chinese, Spanish

## References

### **Dr. Harvey Starr**

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