

# OEINDRILA DUBE

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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 7/2016 – present **Philip K. Pearson Professor of Global Conflict Studies** (full professor with tenure),  
University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy
- 6/2010- 6/2016 Assistant Professor, New York University  
Department of Politics (Primary) and Department of Economics (Associated)
- 2013-2014 Susan Louise Dyer Campbell National Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University
- 2009-2010 Post-doctoral Fellow, Center for Global Development

## EDUCATION

- 2009 **Harvard University**, PhD in Public Policy  
**Fields:** Development Economics, Political Economy
- 2004 **Oxford University**, M.Phil. in Economics (on Rhodes Scholarship)
- 2000 **Stanford University**, B.A. in Public Policy (with Honors & Distinction)

## INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER), Development  
Co-chair of Violence and Crime Initiative, Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL)  
Affiliate, Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA)  
Affiliate, Bureau for Research and Economic Analysis of Development (BREAD)  
Affiliate, Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR)  
Affiliate, Evaluation GAP  
Affiliate, International Growth Center  
Affiliate, University of Chicago Crime Lab

## HONORS, AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2016 National Science Foundation award, “Threats to Peace: Development and Conflict” (with Debraj Ray)
- 2013 \$215,476 J-PAL Governance Initiative for “Reconciliation, Development and Institutional Change”  
(with Jacobus Cilliers and Bilal Siddiqi)
- 2012 \$432,000 USAID Development Innovation Ventures Grant for “Improving Health Service  
Delivery through Community Monitoring & Non-Financial Awards” (with Johannes  
Haushofer, Vivek Maru and Bilal Siddiqi)
- 2010 \$238,000 3ie Grant for “Does Reconciliation affect Conflict and Development?” (with Bilal Siddiqi)
- 2010 \$235,000 International Growth Center Grant for “Incentivizing Health Service Delivery in  
Sierra Leone” (with Vivek Maru and Bilal Siddiqi)
- 2014 Center for Global Development Research Award for “From Maize to Haze: Agricultural Shocks and  
the Growth of the Mexican Drug Sector”
- 2013 \$15,000 CAF/Latin American Development Bank America Latina Crime and Policy Network award
- 2008 Graduate Society Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Harvard
- 2008 Center for International Development Graduate Research Grant, Harvard
- 2007 Harvard Merit Fellowship, Harvard
- 2007 Advanced Graduate Development Workshop with Joseph Stiglitz, Manchester University
- 2007 Weatherhead Center for International Affairs Mid-Dissertation Grant. Harvard

2006	Taubman Center for Urban Policy and Governance Dissertation Fellowship, Harvard
2005	Center for International Development Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Harvard
2004	George Webb Medley Best Thesis Prize ( <i>Proxime accessit</i> ), University of Oxford
2002	Rhodes Scholarship (elected from US)
2000	John Gardner Fellowship for Academic Excellence and Public Service, Stanford
2000	Firestone Medal for Excellence in Research, Stanford

## RESEARCH PAPERS

### Published and Forthcoming:

- “Do Natural Resources Influence Who Comes to Power, and How?” *Journal of Politics*, forthcoming  
(with Maria Carreri)
- “Reconciling after Civil Conflict Increases Social Capital but Reduces Individual Wellbeing.” 2016. *Science*, 352(6287): 787-794 (with Jacobus Cilliers and Bilal Siddiqi)
- “From Maize to Haze: Agricultural Shocks and the Growth of the Mexican Drug Sector” 2016. *Journal of the European Economic Association*, 14(5): 1181-1224 (with Omar García Ponce and Kevin Thom)
- “The White Man Effect: How Foreigner Presence Affects Behavior in Experiments.” 2015. *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* 118: 397-414 (with Jacobus Cilliers and Bilal Siddiqi)
- “Bases, Bullets and Ballots: the Impact of U.S. Military Aid on Political Conflict in Colombia.” 2015. *Journal of Politics* 77(1): 249-267 (with Suresh Naidu)
- “Commodity Price Shocks and Civil Conflict: Evidence from Colombia.” 2013. *The Review of Economic Studies* 80 (4): 1384-1421 (with Juan Vargas)
- “Cross-Border Spillover: U.S. Gun Laws and Violence in Mexico.” 2013. *American Political Science Review* (lead article). 107(3): 397-417 (with Arindrajit Dube and Omar García Ponce)

### Working:

- “Queens” (with S.P. Harish)
- “Reform Fatigue” (with T. Renee Bowen, Jackie Chan and Nicholas Lambert)
- “The Limits of Conflict Prediction: Evidence from Indonesia and Colombia” (with Samuel Bazzi, Robert Blair, Christopher Blattman, Matthew Gudgeon, and Richard Peck)

## SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

- “Expressive Arts, Recidivism and the Labor Market Reintegration of Juvenile Offenders”  
(with Marianne Bertrand and Kelly Hallberg)
- “Predicting Police Misconduct” (with Jens Ludwig and Greg Stoddard)
- “Labor Market Opportunities and Violent Crime among Muslim Youth: Experimental Evidence from Northern Nigeria”  
with Ben Crost, Marcus Holmlund, Eric Mvukiyehe, Caio Piza)
- “Uneven Growth and Violent Conflict: Evidence from India” (with Debraj Ray)
- “Incentivizing Health Service Delivery: Experimental Evidence from Sierra Leone”  
(with Johannes Haushofer, Vivek Maru Bilal Siddiqi)

## **OTHER WRITING**

“The Dual Components of Mental Health-Response” 2016. (with Jacobus Cilliers and Bilal Siddiqi). *Science*, 354(6314): pp. 840

“*The US Should Lead the Class in Global Education*” (with Gene Sperling) The Los Angeles Times, June 25, 2002. p. B13

## **EDITORIAL SERVICE**

2017 Associate Editor, *Review of Economics and Statistics*

## **SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES**

### **Invited Seminars and Conference Presentations**

University of California-San Diego Comparative Politics Workshop, 2017  
Yale Comparative Politics Workshop / Leitner Political Economy Seminar (joint session), 2017  
Harvard Government Department Wide Seminar, 2017  
Paris School of Economics PEPES Seminar, 2016  
Harvard University Positive Political Economy Seminar, 2016  
NBER-Political Economy Seminar, 2016  
Vancouver School of Economics CfPE Conference, 2016  
University of Chicago Booth School of Business Behavioral Sciences Workshop, 2016  
Columbia Comparative Politics Seminar, 2016  
University of Chicago Comparative Politics Seminar, 2016  
CUNY Comparative Politics Seminar, 2016  
Harvard Economic History Seminar, 2015  
Universidad de los Andes Economics Department Seminar, 2015  
Stanford Institute of Theoretical Economics (SITE), Economic History, 2015  
Barcelona GSE Summer Forum-Political Institutions, 2015  
Michigan Development Seminar, 2015  
Princeton Warwick Political Economy Seminar, 2015  
Working Group in African Political Economy Workshop, Brown University, 2015  
Empirical Studies of Conflict / United States Institute of Peace Stabilization and Development Conference, 2015  
Chicago Harris School of Public Policy CHEAP Conference, 2015  
Bocconi Conflict Workshop, 2015  
Barcelona GSE Summer Forum-Conflict, 2014  
Columbia University Political Economy Conference, 2014  
Princeton Comparative Politics Seminar, 2014  
Princeton Political Economy Seminar, 2014  
Columbia Political Economy Conference, 2014  
Yale Development Seminar, 2014  
Berkeley Haas School of Business Oliver E. Williamson Seminar, 2014  
UC San Diego Development Seminar, 2014  
Stanford Comparative Politics Seminar, 2014  
Harris School of Public Policy Political Economy Seminar, 2014  
Stockholm University (IIES)- Departmental Seminar, 2013  
Stanford Institute of Theoretical Economics (SITE) workshop on Governance and Development, 2013  
Kellogg-Northwestern Conflict and Cooperation Conference, 2013  
Yale University MacMillan Center-CSAP Workshop on Quantitative Research Methods, 2013  
UCSD U.S.-Mex Associates Conference, 2013  
UCLA Latin American Institute and America Latina Crime and Policy Network Workshop on Illegal Drug Markets, Crime and Violence in Latin America, 2013  
London School of Economics Political Economy Seminar, 2013  
Oxford Economics Department Centre for the Study of Resource Rich Economies Seminar, 2013  
Princeton University Causal Inference and the Study of Conflict and State Building Conference, 2012  
Stanford University Comparative Politics Workshop, 2012

Yale University Workshop on Order, Conflict and Violence, 2012  
University of Rochester Comparative Politics Workshop, 2012

Cornell University PSAC Seminar, 2012  
NBER– Crime Working Group, 2011  
New York University Wagner School of Public Policy Seminar, 2011  
Conflict Concentration, Institute for Economic Analysis, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, 2011  
Stanford University Conference on Mexican Security in Comparative Perspective, 2011  
Advances on the Political Economy of Conflict and Redistribution Conference, Berlin, 2011  
Columbia University Political Economy Seminar, 2010  
University of Oslo Seminar, 2010  
India Social Conflict Conference, 2010  
Johns Hopkins School of Advanced and International Studies International Economics Seminar, 2009  
World Bank Applied Microeconomics Seminar, 2009  
New York University Political Economy Seminar, 2008  
London School of Economics/Polarization & Conflict Network Conference on Conflict and Development, 2008

### **Keynote Address**

Kiel Institute PEGNet Conference Junior Address, 2015

### **Other Conference Presentations**

American Political Science Association, 2009, 2014 and 2015 (scheduled)  
Midwest Political Science Association, 2015  
American Economic Association, 2010, 2011 and 2014  
Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association - Crime, 2011  
Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association - Political Economy, 2008  
Northeast Universities Development Consortium, 2007 and 2009  
United Nations University WIDER Conference on Fragile States, Helsinki, 2007

### **Invited Conference Participation**

Research Group on Political Institutions and Economic Policy (PIEP)-Harvard, 2016 (discussant)  
Research Group on Political Institutions and Economic Policy (PIEP)-Princeton, 2015  
NBER – Crime, 2014 (discussant)  
NBER – Growth, 2013 (discussant)  
Yale University Conference on War and Political Change, 2012 (discussant)  
NBER – Political Economy, 2012 (discussant)  
NBER – Political Economy, 2011

### **REFEREE SERVICE:**

American Economic Review	Journal of the European Economic Association
American Economic Journal: Applied Economics	Journal of Human Resources
American Journal of Political Science	Journal of Peace Research
American Political Science Review	Journal of Political Economy
Comparative Political Studies	Oxford Economic Papers
Econometrica	Quarterly Journal of Economics
Economic Development and Cultural Change	Quarterly Journal of Political Science
Economics & Politics	National Science Foundation
International Economic Journal	Review of Economics and Statistics
Journal of Conflict Resolution	Review of Economic Studies
Journal of Development Economics	Swiss National Science Foundation
Journal of Development Studies	World Development
Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization	Journal of Economic Growth

### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

2014 Member, American Political Science Association Political Economy Section Executive Committee

- 2013 Member, American Political Science Association Selection Wallerstein Award Committee (for selection of best paper in political economy)
- 2013 Member, Selection committee for the LACEA Latina Crime and Policy Network conference
- 2012 Member, American Political Science Association Selection Committee for Comparative Democratization Fieldwork Prize
- 2011 Guest Lecturer, Summer Institute on Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM), Harris School of Public Policy

## STUDENT SUPERVISION

PhD advisees (*name, department, year, first year job*):

Maria Carreri, Politics, in progress  
 Saad Gulzar, Assistant Professor, Stanford Political Science  
 Renard Sexton, Politics, Post-doctoral Fellow, Princeton Niehaus Center  
 Omar Garcia-Ponce, Assistant Professor, UC Davis Political Science  
 S.P. Harish, Politics, Post-doc McGill and Assistant Professor, William and Mary Political Science  
 Jenny Guardado, Politics, 2014, Assistant Professor, Georgetown School of Foreign Service  
 Jorge Gallego, Politics, 2014, Assistant Professor, Universidad del Rosario Economics Department  
 Jean Hong, Politics, 2014, Assistant Prof., Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Social Sciences  
 Robin Harding, Politics, 2012, Assistant Professor, Rochester Political Science  
 Anirban Mitra, Economics, 2012, Assistant Professor, Oslo Economics Department  
 Anna Getmansky, Politics, 2011, Assistant Professor, Lauder School of Government  
 Ryan Booth, Economics, 2011, Research Associate, Analysis Group

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Winter 2017	Conflict: Root Causes, Consequences and Solutions for the Future (University of Chicago MPP, University of Chicago Undergraduate)
Fall 2014/ Spring 2013/2015/2016	Senior Honors Seminar II (NYU Undergraduate)
Fall 2012	Aid, Resources and Democracy (NYU Graduate)
Fall 2011	The Curse of Resources (NYU Graduate)
Fall 2010/Fall 2011	The Political Economy of Development (NYU Undergraduate)
Fall 2010/Spring 2013/Spring 2016	The (Micro) Political Economy of Development (NYU Graduate)

## OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

2005 Research Assistant to Prof. Dani Rodrik, Harvard

2002 Research Assistant to Gene Sperling, *Brookings Forum on Basic Education*, Brookings Institution

2001 John Gardner Fellow, Oxfam International

2000 John Gardner Fellow and Research Assistant, Office of the Chief Economist, World Bank

## LANGUAGES

Spanish (proficient), Hindi (proficient), Bengali (native)