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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Institute of International Relations, National Chengchi University	Taipei, TW
<i>Assistant Research Fellow</i>	Aug 2025 -

EDUCATION

University at Albany - State University of New York	Albany, NY
<i>Ph.D., Political Science</i>	2018 - 2025

Dissertation: “Reassurance after Abandonment: Alliance Politics after Alliances End”
(Committee: Bryan Early, Chair; Christopher Clary, Co-Chair; Brian Greenhill)

Major field exams: International Relations, Public Policy

University of Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, PA
<i>M.A., International Affairs</i>	2014 - 2016

2015 DC one full semester at Center of Strategic and International Studies

National Taiwan University	Taipei, Taiwan
<i>M.A., China Studies</i>	2009 - 2013

Thesis: “China’s Balancing Strategy against the U.S. in the Post-Cold War Era:
A Case Study on the Shanghai Cooperation Organization” (In Mandarin)

2010 Exchange Student at Political Science and Law School of Shandong University

National Cheng Kung University	Tainan, Taiwan
<i>B.A., History</i>	2004 - 2009

Fulfilled the double major requirements for the Department of Political Science

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

Lin, P., & Wu, C. (in press). Not listening to big brother: Testing hypotheses on Taiwanese defense. *The Pacific Review*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09512748.2025.2459945> (SSCI)

Edi, A. C., Lin, P., Neupane, K., & Topal, R. (2023). Muslim Ban during Trump’s Presidency through the Target Population Framework. *Jurnal Ilmu Sosial Dan Ilmu Politik*, 27(2), 209–227. <https://doi.org/10.22146/jsp.82148> (SCOPUS)

Work in Progress

Reassurance after Abandonment: Alliance Politics after Alliances End.

Wu, C. & Lin, P. Trump's Foreign Policy and Its Effects on U.S. Credibility.

Lin, P. Russia's Invasion of Ukraine: Lessons and Implications for China.

Book Chapter

Lin, P. (2018). The End of the US Globalization? The Rise of Right-Wing Power. In C. Hu (Ed.), *The Critical Era*. Linking Publishing Company.

REVIEW AND POPULAR WRITINGS

Lin, P. (2024). [Review of the book Liberalism and its discontents, by Francis Fukuyama]. *Taiwan Democracy Quarterly*, 20(3). (TSSCI)

Lin, P. (2021, August 20th). An Imperfect Withdrawal? How Should Taiwanese Perceive US Withdrawal from Afghanistan? *Crossing*.

Lin, P. (2020, January 10th). The Rise and Fall of a Populist Leader. *University of Nottingham Taiwan Research Hub*.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University at Albany - State University of New York

Instructor

International Security and Conflict: Fall 2022 (Overall 4.75/5.0), Winter 2024, Winter 2025

Asian Security: Spring 2023 (Overall 4.6/5.0), Spring 2024

Teaching Assistant

Comparative and International Politics: Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

International Political Science Association World Congress (2025 Expected)

International Studies Association (2024)

Midwest Political Science Association (2023, 2025 Expected)

Trilateral Relationship between Taiwan, the United States, and China (2022)

ACADEMIC SERVICE

North American Taiwan Studies Association Annual Conference

New York, NY

Panel Discussant
2024

GRANTS AND AWARD

Pre-doctoral Research Fellowship at Institute of Political Science at Academia Sinica (2024 - 2025)

Travel grant for the North American Taiwan Studies Association Annual Conference 2024, 540 dollars received (2024).

Travel grant for the International Studies Association Annual Convention 2024, 500 dollars received (2024).

Travel grant for the 80th Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, 1,100 US dollars received (2023)

Government Scholarship to Study Abroad, Ministry of Education, 32,000 US dollars received (2022)

Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Scholarship, The Chinese Nationalist Party, 88,000 US dollars received (2014 - 2016)

Honorable member, Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society (2012)

WORK AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University at Albany – State University of New York	Albany, NY
<i>Adjunct Professor</i>	Fall 2022 -
Science & Technology Policy Research and Information Center, NARL	Taipei, Taiwan
<i>Research Assistant</i>	2016 - 2017
East West Center in Washington, D.C.	Washington, D.C.
<i>Research Intern</i>	Summer 2015
Taiwan Association for Strategic Simulation	Taipei, Taiwan
<i>Research Intern</i>	Fall 2015
Chung-Hua Institute for Economic Research	Taipei, Taiwan
<i>Research Assistant</i>	2012 - 2013

MISCELLANEOUS

Speaking of Books	Taipei, Taiwan
<i>Deputy Editor</i>	2017 - 2018
Insight-Post International Affairs	Taipei, Taiwan
<i>Deputy Editor</i>	2012 - 2016

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

Skills: Stata, R, NVIVO

Languages: English, full professional Proficiency; Mandarin, native proficiency

REFERENCES

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