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## **EDUCATION**

**Ph.D.**: Political Science, **The University of Arizona** (2009 expected)

Major fields: Comparative Politics (Russia and ex-URSS, Europe (France),  
Comparative Methods, Comparative Political Economy)

Minor field: Research Methods

Committee: John P. Willerton (Chair), Paulette Kurzer, Charles C. Ragin (Sociology)

**Masters of Sciences**: Political Science, **University of Montreal**, Canada (2000).

**Bachelor of Arts**: Political Science, Honours Program, **McGill University**, Canada (1997).

## **AWARD AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

Graduate Fellowship, **Department of Political Science, University of Arizona** (2003-2004).

Graduate Registration Scholarship, **Department of Political Science, University of Arizona**  
(2002-03, 2003-04, 2006-07, 2007-08).

Doctoral Fellowship, **Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada** (2002-06).  
Amount: \$70,800CAN.

Doctoral Fellowship, **FCAR Fund** (*Fonds pour la formation de chercheurs et l'aide à la recherche*),  
**Government of Quebec** (2002-2005). Amount: \$9,200CAN.

Honorary mention for academic excellence at the graduate level, (Dean's Honour List),  
**University of Montreal** (2002).

Master's Research Scholarship, **FCAR Fund** (*Fonds pour la formation de chercheurs et l'aide à la recherche*),  
**Government of Quebec** (2000). Amount: \$5,000 CAN.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- Martin Carrier (2008). Presidential Decree Authority in Emerging Democracies: The Case of Argentina and Russia (Working Paper), (With Leandro N. Carrera and John P. Willerton)
- Martin Carrier (2005). 'Addressing the Challenges of Russia's Failing State: The Legacy of Gorbachev and the Promises of Putin', *Demokratizatsiya*, Vol 13, no2: 219-240. (With John P. Willerton & Mikhail Beznosov)
- Martin Carrier (2005). 'Coalition Management in the Face of Ideological and Institutional Constraint. The Case of France's Gauche Plurielle' in *French Politics* Vol 3, no.1: 43-70 (With John P. Willerton)
- Martin Carrier (2005). 'Jospin, Political Cohabitation and Left Governance', in *French Politics, Culture and Society*, Volume 3:4-27. (With John P. Willerton)

## **CONFERENCES PAPERS AND DEPARTMENTAL PUBLICATIONS**

- Carrier, Martin (2007). 'Comparative Political Methods', Presented at the University of Kharkov, Karazin: Kharkov (Ukraine). February 2007 (Guest Speaker).
- Carrier, Martin (2006). 'Ukraine Nationalism: Canadian Insights', Presented at the University of Kharkov, Karazin, Kharkov (Ukraine). June 2006 (Guest Speaker).
- Carrier, Martin (2005). 'Addressing the Challenges of Russia's Failing State. The Legacy of Gorbachev and the Promises of Putin', Fall 2005. REEC conference, Berlin, July 2005. (With John P. Willerton and Mikhail Beznosov)
- John P. Willerton and Martin Carrier (2004). *Coalition Management in the Face of Ideological and Institutional Constraint: The Case of France's Gauche Plurielle*. Presented at the American Political Science Association, Chicago. September 2004.
- Carrier, Martin (2004). *The Determinants of Foreign Investments in Russian Regions*, Paper Presented at the Canadian Political Science Association, Winnipeg. June 2004.
- Carrier, Martin and Ryan Fitzharris (2003). *The Challenge of Neo-Transnational Groups on Global Governance*. Paper presented at the ISA/CEEISA conference, Budapest, June 2003.
- Carrier Martin (2000). *Study of the transitional Process of Identity in Post-communist Russia: The Case of the Tatars of the Republic of Tatarstan (1990-2000)*, Master's thesis, Department of Political Science, University of Montreal, Montreal.

## **EMPLOYMENT IN ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS**

Instructor, **Department of Political Science, The University of Arizona** (2003-2004)

- Comparative Political Revolutions (POL 445): Spring 2006, Summer 2007.
- Politics of Advanced Industrialized States (POL 340): Summer 2004, Fall 2004, Summer 2005, Fall 2005, Spring 2008.
- Politics of Cultural Conflicts (POL 449): Fall 2003 & Spring 2004.
- Soviet and Post-Soviet Politics (POL 443): Summer 2006.

Membership Services Coordinator, **International Studies Association** (2003-2004),  
**University of Arizona.**

Graduate Assistant (Teaching Assistant), **University of Arizona** (2002-07)

- Political Ideas (POL 203). Instructor: Suzanne Dovi.
- Contemporary International Relations (POL 365). Instructor: Alex Brathwaite.
- Comparative Politics (POL 204). Instructor: Paulette Kurzer.
- Political Ideas (POL 203). Instructor: Pat McGovern.
- Contemporary International Relations (POL 365). Instructor: Tom Volgy.
- Comparative Politics (POL 204). Instructor: John P Willerton

Research Assistant, **University of Montreal** (1999-2002)

- Data gathering for researches on corruption in Russia, on ethnic conflicts in Moldova and Uzbekistan,, and on political institutions in Belarus and Ukraine.

## **INDIVIDUAL AND PERSONAL TRAINING**

CQRM Participant (Consortium of Qualitative research Methods), **Arizona State University** (January 2004).

Autonomous researcher in political science, **Kazan State University, Republic of Tatarstan, Russia** (2000).

Russian language programs, **Moscow State University, Russia (Lomonossov campus)**, (1998, 2000; **University of Montreal** (1997-98).

## **LINGUISTIC AND COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE**

- French (native), English (fluent), Russian (intermediate fluency), Vietnamese (beginner).
- Stata, SPSS, FS/QSA, Windows, Word, Excel, Word Perfect and Internet Software.