# Academic

Professional

# Marta Kosmyna

#### The Ohio State University

Columbus, Ohio

BA in International Relations; Minor in French Studies

#### **Sciences Po** – Semester Study Abroad

Paris, France

Studied EU politics and foreign policy through a U.S.-diplomatic lens at a top French university.

#### **School for International Training** – Semester Study Abroad

Geneva, Switzerland

• Studied international affairs and diplomacy; attended 23 international seminars on trade, environment, foreign affairs and security policy.

#### Silicon Valley Lead – Nonprofit, Campaign to Stop Killer Robots San Francisco, CA

February – December 2019

- Created and executed strategies for partnership development. Led exploratory outreach with companies, journalists, civil society, academic institutions and the financial industry in the Bay Area.
- Liaised with engineers & roboticists to raise awareness around the ethics of AI in warfare & policing.
- Organized 3 tech policy events for tech workers and civil society in the Bay Area, NYC, and DC.
- Testified at the United Nations and spoke at 5 tech conferences in the US.

## **Senior Associate – Human Rights Watch** *Washington D.C.*

July 2016 – January 2019

- Coordinated an international team: fact-checked and edited policy publications, tracked metrics to support impact assessments, and managed cross-functional communications.
- Conducted research on conflict zones, refugee policy, and weapons of humanitarian concern.
- Managed advocacy projects, and outreach to government representatives and non-profit partners.
- Supervised and trained 6 interns on open source research and media monitoring tasks.
- Evaluated grant proposals, conducted prospect research and assisted with fundraising.

# Research Consultant – Institute for the Study of War Washington D.C.

January 2016 – May 2016

- Briefed military and government officials to inform policy decisions, and gathered region-specific insights to expand public understanding of political affairs and security issues in Russia and Ukraine.
- Developed a daily policy brief and analyzed news sources in three different languages.
- Published in-depth analytical research, created visual graphics & presented findings to senior staff.

### **Constituent Aide to the Speaker – Ohio House of Representatives**Columbus, OH

January 2013 – August 2014

- Addressed constituent concerns on matters of policy, the legislative process, and state affairs.
- Advocated on behalf of constituents as a liaison to navigate government agencies.
- Prepped policymakers for House sessions and committee hearings.
- Collaborated closely with the policy and legal team on specialized projects.

Ukrainian (Fluent) ◆ Russian (Proficient) ◆ French (Proficient)

Project Management ◆ Research ◆ Advocacy ◆ Government Relations ◆ International Policy Public Speaking ◆ Event Planning ◆ Communications Strategy ◆ Administrative Support