

David W. Livingston

Washington, D.C.

Work Experience

Atlantic Council

Deputy Director, Climate & Advanced Energy, Global Energy Center December 2017 - Present Washington, DC

Leading a new effort to build out a comprehensive set of activities on climate, clean energy, and strategic innovation in the Atlantic Council's Global Energy Center. Initial efforts are focused on the clean energy economy, climate and national security linkages, and bipartisan cooperation on energy and climate solutions. Future work will go deeper into climate finance and emerging technologies.

Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

Energy & Climate Program May 2014 - Sep 2016; Feb-Dec 2017 Washington, DC

Served as an associate fellow in the Carnegie Energy & Climate Program and a non-resident fellow of Carnegie Europe; convening, researching, and writing on energy, climate and sustainability. Published in *Foreign Affairs*, *Economist Intelligence Unit*, *Aspen Institute*, among others. Serving as the Program's sole DC-based scholar. Co-managed three junior staff, multiple project grants, and fundraising.

University of Southern California

USC in DC Program January 2015 – Present Washington, DC

Serving as an adjunct lecturer, teaching a course on energy markets, energy transitions, and geopolitics for undergraduate students participating in the University of Southern California's "Semester in DC" program.

Office of the United States Trade Representative

Congressional Affairs Sep. 2016 – Feb. 2017 Washington, DC

Serving as Director (Sep. - Dec.), and then Acting Assistant U.S. Trade Representative (Dec. - Feb.), for Congressional Affairs. Led Congressional engagement on matters relating to the negotiation of new treaties and trade agreements by USTR (including TPP and TTIP). Worked extensively with Congressional staff, members of Congress, and private sector stakeholders.

World Trade Organization

Trade & Environment Division Sep. 2013 – May 2014 Geneva, Switzerland

Research and analytic support for the WTO Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade, with particular focus on specific trade concerns raised over the EU Fuel Quality Directive (2009/30/EC) and the EU Renewable Energy Directive (2009/28/EC).

United Nations Industrial Development Organization

Energy & Climate Change Branch July 2012 – Oct. 2012 Vienna, Austria

Responsible for analysis of a portfolio of 18 renewable energy projects in West Africa to identify scaling and private sector finance barriers. Co-coordinated UNIDO's role in the launch of the ECOWAS Centre for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency (ECREEE).

Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

Junior Fellow Aug. 2010 – July 2012 Washington, DC

Led primary research, drafting, and provided strategic guidance for the Leadership Initiative on Transportation Solvency, led by Sen. Bill Bradley, Gov. Tom Ridge, and former Comptroller General David Walker. Conducted research and laid groundwork for the 2012 launch of the Carnegie Oil Initiative.

Formal Education

Harvard Business School (<i>HBX Online</i>) <i>Leading with Finance Program</i>	2017
Harvard Business School (<i>HBX Online</i>) <i>CORE Credential of Readiness</i>	2015
University of Oxford <i>MSc – Environmental Change & Management (Distinction)</i> Elective Courses: Climate Models, Integrated Assessment Models, Environmental Economics	2012 - 2013
University of Southern California <i>BA – International Relations (Summa Cum Laude)</i> Quantitative Coursework: Calculus, Statistics, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, International Economics	2006 - 2010

Certifications

Stanford University <i>Certificate – Energy Innovation & Emerging Technologies</i> Coursework: Solar Cells, Natural Gas Production from Shale, Cellulosic Biofuels	2011 - 2012
Stanford University <i>Certificate – Sustainable Energy Conversion & Storage</i> Coursework: Photovoltaics, Energy Storage, Hydrogen Utilization, Fuel Cells	2011 - 2012

Independent Online Coursework

Energy Subsidy Reform (International Monetary Fund)
Economics of Money & Banking I (Columbia University)
Economics of Money & Banking II (Columbia University)
Game Theory (Stanford University)
Combinatorial Game Theory (Georgia Tech)
Financial Accounting (Wharton - UPenn)

Affiliations & Honors

Rhodes Scholar Finalist
Geoeconomics Working Group, AICGS Next Generation Leaders
Junior Board Member, Washington Performing Arts
Atlantik Brücke (“Atlantic Bridge”) Young Leader Alumni
SAFE Energy Security Fellows Program Alumni
Member, Royal Institute of International Affairs (Chatham House)
Future Energy Leader, World Energy Council (2014 – 2017)
Selected as a 2012 Pew Charitable Trusts “Young Energy Leader”
USC School of International Relations Highest GPA Award
First Place, Undergraduate Research Paper Awards (“Russia’s Approach to Global Climate Negotiations”)