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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, The Ohio State University - August, 1996

Major Field: International Politics.
Concentrations in Comparative Foreign Policy and Peace Studies

Minor Field: Comparative Politics.
Concentrations in Latin America and Political Development

M.A., International Affairs, University of Dayton – December, 1990

B.A. Government, University of Notre Dame – May, 1987

B.S. Electrical Engineering, University of Notre Dame – May, 1987

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

Hope is Not a Plan: The War in Iraq from Inside the Green Zone. Westport, CT: Praeger Security International (2007) [edited]

The Unipolar World: An Unbalanced Future. New York: Palgrave-MacMillan (2007). [with David Sacko]

Allies at Odds? The United States and the European Union. New York: Palgrave-MacMillan (2004).

Articles – Refereed:

“Global NATO: Bandwagoning in a Unipolar World.” *Contemporary Security Policy* 28, No. 3, pp. 597-618 (2008) [with David Sacko]

“Iraq’s Militia Problem.” *Survival* 48, No. 3, pp. 41-58 (2006).

“Sabbatical: Baghdad.” *International Studies Perspectives* 7, No. 3, pp. ii-iv (2006).

“Worldviews in Foreign Policy: Realism, Liberalism, and External Conflict.” *Political Psychology* 24, No. 3, pp. 561-592 (2003).

“Controlling Conventional Weapons in Latin America: A Treaty Proposal.” *Disarmament* 19, No. 2, pp. 69-85 (1996). [with Guillermo Balmaseda]

Chapters:

- “Turkey, the U.S. and the EU.” In Nursin Güney, ed., *Contentious Issues of Security and the Future of Turkey*. Ashgate (2006).
- “NATO, the Balkan Crises, and European Security and Defence Policy.” In Michael Innes, ed., *Bosnian Security After Dayton: New Perspectives*. Routledge (2006).
- “Politics and Iraq: To the Constitutional Election and Beyond.” In Fuat Aksu and Nursin Atesoglu Guney, eds., *Proceedings of the International Conference on The New Iraq*. Istanbul: Yildiz Technical University (2006).
- “Arms Control after the Cold War.” In James M. Smith and Gwendolyn M. Hall, ed., *Milestones in Strategic Arms Control 1945-2000: United States Air Force Roles and Outcomes*. Montgomery, AL: Air University Press, pp. 179-208 (2002).
- “Latin America: Bibliographic Essay.” In Douglas J. Murray and Paul R. Viotti, eds., *The Defense Policies of Nations: A Comparative Study, 3rd Ed.* Baltimore: The Johns Hopkins University Press, pp. 573-583, (1994).
- “Non-State Actors.” In Christopher Carr, Donald Jordan, and Joseph Burke, eds., *International Relations and U.S. National Security*. U.S. Air Force Academy Textbook, pp. 52-71 (1993).
- “Collective Security.” In Christopher Carr, Donald Jordan, and Joseph Burke, eds., *International Relations and U.S. National Security*. U.S. Air Force Academy Textbook, pp. 432-458 (1993).

Articles – Non-Refereed:

- “The Politics of Iraqi Democratization,” Case Materials for 2006 High School Leadership Conference, Center for Active Learning in International Studies/Teaching International Relations Program, University of Southern California.
- “American Policy and its Impact on the EU-NATO-U.S. Relationship.” Düsseldorf Institute for Foreign and Security Policy, March 2005.
- “Why We Must Take European Opinion Seriously.” *Strategic Insights III*, No. 9, September 2004.
- “South America.” In Robert Cole, ed., *The Encyclopedia of Propaganda*. Armonk, NY: M. E. Sharpe, pp. 722-725 (1998). Reprinted in Robert Cole, ed., *The International Encyclopedia of Propaganda*. London: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, pp. 722-725 (1998).

Reviews:

- Robert Asmus, *Opening NATO's Door: How the Alliance Remade Itself for a New Era*. New York: Columbia University Press, 2002; *American Studies International*, 41, No. 3, pp. 136-7 (October 2003).
- Phillipp Ther and Ana Siljak (eds.), *Redrawing Nations: Ethnic Cleansing in East-Central Europe, 1944-1948*. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield Publishers, 2001; *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics*, 9, No. 1, pp. 144-6 (2003).
- John Morison (ed.), *Ethnic and National Issues in Russian and East European History*, New York: St. Martin's Press, 2000; *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics*, 8, No. 1, pp. 134-5. (Spring 2002).

Randal Walton Bland, *The Black Robe and The Bald Eagle: The Supreme Court and the Foreign Policy of the United States 1789-1961, 2nd Ed.*, Lanham, MD: Austin & Winfield, 1999; [*USAFA*] *Journal of Legal Studies*, 11, pp. 183-5 (2002).

Christian Raitz von Frenzt, *A Lesson Forgotten: Minority Protection under the League of Nations: The Case of the German Minority in Poland, 1920-1934*, New York: St. Martin's Press, 1999; and Kevin Hannan, *Borders of Language and Identity in Teschen Silesia* (Berkeley Insights in Linguistics and Semiotics, Vol. 28), New York: Peter Lang, 1996; *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics*, 7, No. 4, pp. 145-8 (Winter 2001).

Kjell Eliassen, ed., *Foreign and Security Policy in the European Union*, London: SAGE Publications, 1998; *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics*, 7, No. 4, pp. 162-3 (Winter 2001).

PAPERS/PRESENTATIONS

Refereed or Selected:

"NATO: The Laundry Wagon of a Unipolar World." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Chicago, 28 February 2007.

"It's Not Just Bush: International Structure and Transatlantic Relations." Paper Presented at Conference on Transatlantic Conflict and Cooperation, Maastricht Netherlands, 27 October 2006.

"Ethics, Strategy, and the War in Iraq" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, West Region, Las Vegas, NV, 30 September 2006.

"The Middle East in a Unipolar World: Placing Allies Increasingly at Odds." Paper presented at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology conference on "A Strained Partnership: European-American Relations and the Middle East from Suez to Iraq," Zurich, 8 September 2006.

"Paramilitary Demobilization in Iraq: Lessons not Learned." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, 22 March 2006.

"Consociational Democracy and Peace in Iraq." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Security Studies Section, Denver, 29 October 2005.

"Bandwagoning and Binding in a Unipolar World." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Midwest Region, St. Louis, MO, 22 October 2005.

"Politics and Iraq: To the Constitutional Election and Beyond." Paper presented at conference on "The New Iraq," Yildiz Technical University, Istanbul, 22 March 2005.

"American Policy and its Impact on the EU-NATO-U.S. Relationship." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, 2 March 2005.

"Worldviews and Behavior: Correlates of Monadic Cooperation." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Montreal, 20 March 2004.

"The Unipolar Dilemma: Bandwagons, the Balkans, and Baghdad." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Montreal, 18 March 2004. [with David Sacko]

"Common, not Foreign: The EU and Global Issues." Paper presented at a workshop sponsored by the European Consortium for Political Research, Edinburgh, Scotland, 30 March 2003.

“The Trans-Atlantic Rift: Why Can’t the United States and European Union Cooperate?” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Portland, OR, 28 February 2003.

“Dysfunctional Spillover: The Present and Future of Transatlantic Relations.” Paper presented at the annual research results conference of the USAF Institute for National Security Studies, USAFA, 20 November 2002.

“Human Rights and Transatlantic Relations.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Midwest Region, St. Louis, MO, 1 November 2002

“Dysfunctional Spillover and the Transatlantic Rift.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the University Association for Contemporary European Politics, Belfast, United Kingdom, 3 September 2002.

“Multilateralism, the European Union, and the United States.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Midwest Region, St. Louis, MO, 3 November 2001.

“Worldviews and Security.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Midwest Region, St. Louis, MO, 3 November 2001.

"Bystanders and Foreign Wars: When Do States Adopt a Liberal Foreign Policy?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, April, 1996.

"Could the 1991 Serbo-Croatian War have been Deterred?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Midwest Region, Indianapolis, September, 1995.

"Understanding Bosnia: A Game Theoretic Representation of 'Western' Strategy." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, April, 1995. [with Bryan Schmiedeler]

"Contrasting Problem Representations of Balance of Power and Collective Security Responses." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Midwest Region, Columbus, OH, September, 1994.

“Latin American Arms Balances and Security.” Interdisciplinary study prepared for and submitted to the USAF Institute for National Security Studies, September, 1993. [with Guillermo Balmaseda, Martha Jordan, William Rynecki, Hector Chavez, and Andrew Schad]

"Collective Action in Latin America." Paper presented at annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Acapulco, March, 1993.

"Consensus, Convergence, Compliance: A Model for Understanding Cooperation between Large and Small States." Paper presented as panel chair at annual meeting of the Latin American Studies Association, Los Angeles, September, 1992.

"Consensus, Convergence, Compliance: A Model for Understanding Cooperation between Large and Small States – Applied to the United States and Honduras." Paper presented at annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Austin, March 1992.

Non-Refereed:

“Hope not Hate: Islam and the West,” Townhall sponsored by Americans for Informed Democracy, Fort Collins and Boulder, CO, September 2005.

“The People Speak Debate,” Sponsored by Foothills International Forum, Golden Colorado, January 2004.

“The EU-US Divide and Multilateralism.” Roundtable debate at the European Union Directorate of External Relations, 26 March 2003.

“The International Criminal Court.” Presentation to the Rotary Club of Colorado Springs, August 2002.

Presidential Fellow, Salzburg Seminar Session 385, “Europe in the Global Community: Economics, Diplomacy, and Security.” Rapporteur for Common Foreign and Security Policy, Multilateral Issues, March 2001. [with Elisabeth Johansson]

Discussion Leader and Panelist, “The UN’s Role in the New World Order,” Colorado Springs World Affairs Council High School Symposium, February 1993.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Note: Due to Federal Ethics Regulations, it is virtually impossible for me to accept non-federal grants, unless the benefits are provided in-kind.

- 2007: \$1200 (est.) invited travel to lecture on Iraq at DePaul University, Chicago
- \$800 (est.) invited travel to be interviewed by PBS/Frontline for a documentary on Iraq
- \$528 (est.) invited travel to lecture at Kent State University, Kent Ohio
- \$867 (est.) invited travel to lecture at Purdue University, Hammond Indiana
- 2006: \$2600 (est.) invited travel to conference on the Middle East and Transatlantic Relations, Zurich
- \$2000 grant from Institute for National Security Studies (INSS) for research on transatlantic relations
- 2005: \$2700 (est.) invited travel to conference on The New Iraq, Istanbul
- 2004: \$3744 grant from INSS for research on transatlantic relations
- 2003: \$3600 (est.) invited travel to European Union Visitors Programme
- \$1940 grant from USAFA Dean to attend conference in Edinburgh
- \$1400 (est.) invited travel to Maxwell School’s EU/US Crisis Management Conference
- 2002: \$4000 grant from INSS for research on transatlantic relations
- \$5000 (est.) invited travel to German Marshall Fund’s Manfred Woerner Seminar
- 2001: \$4000 scholarship to attend Salzburg Seminar – transatlantic relations

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Board Member, Colorado Springs chapter, American Civil Liberties Union

Strategist, HQ Multinational Force-Iraq, Baghdad, August – December 2004.

Discussant, “Empirical and Ideational Approaches toward Foreign Policy,” annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Montreal, 18 March 2004.

Panel Chair and Discussant, “Issues in European Security,” Institute for National Security Studies Research Review Conference, 14 November 2003.

Invitee, EU/US Crisis Management Conference, August 2003.

Invitee, European Union Visitors Programme, March 2003.

Panel Chair and Discussant, “Defining American National Security Interests,” International Studies Association, Midwest Region, St. Louis, MO, 2 November 2002.

Delegate, Manfred Wörner Seminar for German-American Understanding, May 2002

Fellow, European Union Center, University of Oklahoma, January 2002 (ongoing)

Roundtable Leader, 44th Academy Assembly, "The Future of Europe: Integration or Fragmentation," February 2002.

Roundtable Moderator, "Transnational Challenges: Fostering Cooperation, Intervening in Conflicts," Colorado Springs World Affairs Council 12th High School Symposium, "The Struggle for Peace and Prosperity in the Middle East," October 2001.

Article Reviewer, *International Politics* and *Political Psychology*.

Chair, USAFA Western European Area Studies Group, 2001-2.

Revised Rules of Procedure for National Model NATO Conference, 2001.

Developed initial set of abstracts for Institute for National Security Studies, summer 1992.

Member, International Studies Association.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2002-2007 Associate Professor, Political Science Department
United States Air Force Academy, Colorado

Directed and Taught

SS 112 (Core), Geopolitics, fall 2002
PS 300, Introduction to Political Science: Overview and Methods, fall 2006 and 2007
PS 390, International Relations Theory, spring 2003 and 2007
PS 445, International Organizations and Global Issues/Model United Nations, fall 2003
PS 475, Politics of Europe, fall 2005
PS 491, Capstone Seminar in Political Science, spring 2005
PS 499, Independent Research in Political Science, spring 2004

Taught

SS 112 (Core), Geopolitics, fall 2003
PS 311 (Core), American Government, Politics and U.S. Security Policy, fall 2005 and
spring 2006
PS 394 Comparative Government and Politics, spring 2006
PS 491, Capstone Seminar in Political Science, spring 2004

2000-2002 Assistant Professor, Political Science Department
United States Air Force Academy, Colorado

Directed and Taught

PS 312 (Core), International Politics and U.S. Security Policy, fall 2001
PS 390, International Relations Theory, spring 2002
FAS 440, Model NATO, representing Canada, spring 2001

Taught

PS 211 (Core), American Government, Politics and U.S. Security Policy, fall 2000
PS 312 (Core), International Politics and U.S. Security Policy, spring 2001

1996-2000 Adjunct Professor, International Relations Department
St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas

Directed courses at three dispersed locations: Corpus Christi, Ft Hood, and San Antonio, Texas
IR 8300, Theories on the Causes of War, fall 1998, summer 1998
PO 6312, Theory of International Politics, spring 2000, summer 1999, summer 1997
PO 6324, National Security Policy, spring 1998, fall 1997, spring 1997, fall 1996
PO 6342, Inter-American Security Issues, fall 1999, fall 1997
PO 6393, European Security Issues, spring 1999

1991-3 Instructor, Political Science Department
United States Air Force Academy, Colorado

Directed and Taught

PS 212 (Core), International Relations and U.S. Security Policy, spring 1993
PS 475, Latin American Politics, fall 1992

Taught

PS 211 (Core), American Government, Politics and U.S. Security Policy, fall 1991
PS 212 (Core), International Relations and U.S. Security Policy, spring and fall 1992

Co-Taught

AS 495L, Mock Organization of American States team (Colombia), spring 1993

SERVICE

Research and Budget Officer, July 2005-2007
Director, Center for the Study of Defense Policy, July 2004 – June 2005
Chief, Core Courses Division, 2003-4. Responsible for the content and execution of our core course in American Politics and our major's capstone course; member of the steering committee for our interdepartmental core course in geopolitics.
Chief, Cadet Development Branch, 2001-2. Oversee the work of six other department members. This Branch includes the Olin, Eaker, and Faculty Speakers Programs, the Advisor in Charge, the Honor Liaison Officer, Scheduling, Pi Sigma Alpha, the Forum Club, and the Graduate Studies Program.
USAFA Speakers Coordinator, 2000-2. This duty coordinates the calendar for the major distinguished lectures around USAFA.
Civilian Hiring Committee, 2002
Associate Air Officer Commanding, Basic Cadet Training, summer 2002
Division Representative (replacement), Research Funding Committee, spring 2002
Director of Olin Lecture Series, 2000-1
Director of Faculty Speakers Program, 2000-1
Associate Air Officer Commanding for Academics, CS-17, 1992-3
Officer in Charge, Protocol, 35th Academy Assembly, spring 1993
Officer in Charge, Delegate Affairs, 34th Academy Assembly, spring 1992
Summer Scientific Seminar, International System Simulation, summer 2001
Faculty Representative, Company Grade Officer Awards Committee, 1993
Judge, USAFA Annual Classic Forensics Tournament, 2003, 1992
Tutor for the Cadet Debate Team, 1991-2
Tutor for the Varsity Football Team, 1991
Learning Skills Program Advisor, 1991-2
Honor Liaison Officer, 2001-3
Visits Working Group, fall 2000
Assistant Executive Officer, 1991-2
Science Fair Judge, February 2001; 1997, 1993
Vacation Bible School Teacher, May 2001
Member, Latin American Studies Group, 1991-3
Computer Officer, Equipment Custodian, History Officer, Telephone Control Officer, 1991-3

HONORS

November 2005, Institute for National Security Studies United States Air Force Academy Outstanding Research Award

May 2002, Excellence in Teaching Award, Upper Division Instructor, Department of Political Science.

April 1996 Selected as one of the four finalists in the Alexander George Graduate Student Paper Competition, International Studies Association.

September 1993, Outstanding Contributor, Squadron Officer School Flight F-67

1993, University Fellowship, The Ohio State University

July 1992, Social Sciences Division Company Grade Officer of the Quarter

May 1992, Coble Award, U.S. Air Force Academy Department of Political Science, for best research paper by department faculty, "Consensus, Convergence, Compliance: A Model for Understanding Cooperation between Large and Small States."

June 1990, Aeronautical Systems Division System Safety Manager of the Quarter

January 1990, *Safety Risk Assessment: Kapton-Insulated Wiring on the VC-25A Air Force One* cited by SAF/AQ as the basis for a major acquisition decision

May 1987, Graduated *magna cum laude* from the University of Notre Dame;
Phi Beta Kappa honor society
Pi Sigma Alpha political science honor society
Tau Beta Pi engineering honor society
Eta Kappa Nu electrical and computer engineering honor society