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APPOINTMENTS

The Ohio State University, Columbus OH

Associate Professor, Political Science Department, September 2012 – present.
Assistant Professor, Political Science Department, October 2004-August 2012.

The University of Chicago

Instructor, Committee on International Relations, July 2001 – 04.
Co-Chair, International Studies Concentration, July 2001 – 04.

EDUCATION

The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL.

Ph. D., University of Chicago, Political Science, 2001.
M.A., University of Chicago, Committee on International Relations, 1992.
Degree awarded with honors.

Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT.

B.A., Economics, 1987.

RESEARCH

Book

Power in Concert: The Nineteenth Century Origins of Global Governance. 2013.
Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

- Honorable Mention, Jervis-Schroeder Award, International History and Politics Section, American Political Science Association, 2014.

Peer Reviewed Articles

“Illusion, or Intention?: Talking Grand Strategy into Existence,” forthcoming *Security Studies*.

“Knowing the Unknown Unknowns: Misplaced Certainty and the Onset of War,” (co-authored with Randall Schweller), *Security Studies*, 20 (March 2011), pp. 2-35.

“Ontological Security in World Politics: State Identity and the Security Dilemma,”
European Journal of International Relations, 12, 3 (September 2006), pp. 341-370. Awarded “Best *EJIR* Article 2006.” Translated to Farsi (2010).

“Anchoring Europe’s Civilizing Identity: Habits, Capabilities, and Ontological Security,” *Journal of European Public Policy*, 13, 2 (March 2006), pp. 270-285.

“Reading Habermas in Anarchy: Multilateral Diplomacy and Global Public Spheres,”
American Political Science Review, 99, 3 (August 2005), pp. 401-417. Reprinted in *International Diplomacy*, edited by Iver Neumann and Halvard Leira, (SAGE Publications, 2013).

Book Chapters (peer reviewed)

“From Representation to Governing: Diplomacy and the Constitution of Public Power,” chapter in *Diplomacy: The Making of World Politics*, editors: Iver Neumann, Vincent Pouliot, and Ole Jacob Sending. Forthcoming, Cambridge University Press.

“Collective Intentionality and Global Governance,” in Markus Kornprobst and Corneliu Bjola, eds. *Arguing Global Governance: Agency, Lifeworld, and Shared Reasoning* (NY: Routledge, 2010), pp. 52-66. Part of New International Relations Series.

Book Reviews

“The Irony of Pinkerism,” a review of Steven Pinker, *The Better Angels of our Nature: Why Violence Has Declined* (NY: Penguin Books 2011), *Perspectives on Politics*, 11, 2 (June 2013), pp. 525-528.

Review of Ian Clark, *International Legitimacy and World Society* (NY: Oxford University Press), *Ethics and International Affairs*, 22, 2 (summer 2008), pp. 223-225.

“Book Note: Andrew Valls, ed. 2000. *Ethics in International Affairs: Theories and Cases*,” *Ethics*, 111, 4 (2001), pp. 850-1.

ISI Citation Count: 144 (September 2014), excluding self citations.

Work in Progress

- **Under review**

“Ontological Securities in World Politics,” co-editor with Catarina Kinnvall (Lund University) a special issue of *Cooperation and Conflict*.

“Ontological Security: Dynamics of Crisis and Constitution of Community,” co-editor with Catarina Kinnvall (Lund University) a special issue of *Journal of International Relations and Development* (JIRD).

- **In preparation**

“Can we see what we don’t yet know? Ontological anxiety and the rush to methods,” contribution to a forum on Stefano Guzzini editor, 2012. *The Return of Geopolitics in Europe? Social Mechanisms and Foreign Policy Identity Crises* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2012).

“All Security is Ontological,” article manuscript.

“Unthinkable War,” article manuscript (invited by editors, *Annual Review of Political Science*).

“Ontological Security and Anxiety in World Politics,” co-editor with Catarina Kinnvall (Lund University), a forum at *International Theory* (IT) (in preparation).

“Keeping the EU in Limbo: German Identity and the Future of Normative Power Europe,” co-author with Tim Luecke, article manuscript.

Invited Talks (recent)

“Power in Concert,” presented at University of Delaware, 11 April 2014; University of Minnesota, 4 February 2014.

“Ontological Security in World Politics: The Dynamics of Crisis and the Constitution of Community,” presented with Catarina Kinnvall at the Center for Conflict, Cooperation, and Security, University of Birmingham, UK, 10 December 2013.

“Grand Strategy as Collective Intention: The Concert Talks Russia out of Greece by Talking Greece into Europe,” presented at Dartmouth College IR faculty seminar 13 March 2013.

“Diplomacy and the Constitution of Public Power,” presented at “The Future of Diplomacy,” a workshop at The New School for Social Research, New York, NY, September 2012.

“Power and Publicity in Global Governance,” presented at (1) the University of Chicago, May 2012 and (2) the University of Toronto, December 2011.

“‘Working Together’ Power: Global Governance as Collective Intention,” presented at (1) “The Language and Politics of Grand Strategy,” a research workshop prior to the annual International Studies Association (ISA) convention, Montreal, March 2011; and (2) The Johns Hopkins University, May 2011.

“Publicity and Will Formation Beyond the Nation-State,” presented at the Institute for Global and International Studies, George Washington University, March 2010.

“Toward a Visible Hand: The Concert of Europe as International Public Power,” Public Sphere and Modern Social Imaginaries Working Group, Ohio State, October 2009.

“Governing without a Governor,” presented at the Global Politics Seminar, Syracuse University, April 2009.

Interviewed by Peer Schouten for *Theory Talks*, February 2009.

link <http://www.theory-talks.org/2009/02/theory-talk-26.html>

Conference Activities and Presentations (recent)

Presenter

“Grand Strategy as Collective Intention: The Concert Talks Russia out of Greece by Talking Greece into Europe,” presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association (ISA), San Diego, CA, March 2012.

“On the Relationship Between Ontological and Physical Security-Seeking,” presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association (ISA), San Diego, CA, March 2012.

“Governing Together, in Public: The Concert of Europe in the 1820s,” presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association (ISA), New Orleans, LA, February 2010.

“Misplaced Certainty and War,” presented at the American Political Science Association annual meeting, Toronto, CN, September 2009.

“Collective Intentionality and Global Governance,” presented at: the International Studies Association annual meeting, San Francisco, CA, March 2008; Standing Group on International Relations (SGIR) of the European Consortium on Political Research (ECPR) Conference in Turin, Italy, September 2007.

Discussant

Roundtable on Stefano Guzzini editor, *The Return of Geopolitics in Europe? Social Mechanisms and Foreign Policy Identity Crises* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2012), International Studies Association (ISA) annual meeting, Toronto, Canada, March 2014.

Roundtable on Ontological Security Studies, International Studies Association (ISA) annual meeting, Toronto, Canada, March 2014.

“Normative Power Europe: Empirical and Theoretical Perspectives,” a panel at the International Studies Association (ISA) annual meeting, San Diego, CA, March 2012.

“The Anglosphere in Hard Times,” a panel at the American Political Science Association (APSA) annual meeting, Washington, D.C., September 2010.

“More than a Feeling: A Research Agenda for Complex Emotions in International Relations,” a panel at the International Studies Association (ISA) annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, February 2010.

“The Development and Future of Social Constructivist Approaches to Global Politics,” a panel at the International Studies Association Northeast (ISA-NE) conference, Baltimore, MD, October 2009.

TEACHING (selected)

Graduate

- Critical Security Studies (Ohio State University)
- International Organization (Ohio State University)
- Deliberative Processes in World Politics (Ohio State University).
- Global Governance and Democracy (University of Chicago).
- M.A. Thesis Seminar (University of Chicago).

Undergraduate

- Politics of Global Problems, as freshman honors seminar and as lecture (Ohio State University).

- Global Governance, as seminar and as lecture (Ohio State University, University of Chicago).
- Theories of International Relations (Ohio State University).
- Core Sequence, International Studies Concentration (University of Chicago).
 - Perspectives on Cooperation and Conflict.
 - Transnationalism in a Postcolonial World.

SERVICE

Profession

Faculty Mentor, Workshop on Interpretive and Relational Methodologies, ISA-Northeast, Baltimore, MD November 8 2014.

Co-Organizer, “Ontological Security and International Relations,” a workshop at Lund University, Sweden, sponsored by Riksbanken and the Political Science Department, Ohio State University. Co-organizer: Catarina Kinnvall. 2013.

Co-Organizer, “The Politics of Talk in International Relations,” a workshop at the Research Centre ‘Transformations of the State’, sponsored by the University of Bremen & Jacobs University Bremen. Co-organizers: Jens Steffek and Ron Krebs. 2008.

Committee Member, ISA Theory Section, Best Paper Awards. Co-committee Members: Annette Freyberg-Inan (chair) and Daniel Levine. 2013.

Reviewer for:

Acta Politica; American Political Science Review; Cambridge Review of International Affairs; Disasters; European Journal of International Relations; International Organization; International Political Sociology; International Relations; International Studies Quarterly; International Studies Review; International Theory; Journal of International Relations and Development. Journal of Peace Research; Journal of Politics; Review of International Studies; Security Dialogue; Security Studies.

Cambridge University Press; Routledge Press; Polity Press; Grawemeyer Award; ISA Compendium; Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

Member:

Editorial Boards:

- *Journal of Global Security Studies (JoGSS)*, September 2014 - .
- *International Studies Review (ISR)*, January 2013 - .

Governing Council, ISA-Northeast, 2008-2010.
ISA, APSA.

Ohio State University

University Committees

Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee (ASCC) 2014-
Social and Behavioral Sciences (ASC) Panel 2014-

ASC Honors Committee 2014-
Graduation subcommittee, 2014-

Globalization Studies 2005-06, 2006-07.
Advisory Board Member, Public Sphere and Social Imaginaries Working
Group 2009-10.

Department Committees

Chair:
Undergraduate Studies and Honors program, 2014-

Member:
Graduate Studies Committee 2004-05; 2005-06
Undergraduate Thesis Awards Committee 2006
IR Search Committee 2006-07
Admissions Committee 2008; 2013
Undergraduate Studies Committee 2010-11; 2011-12; 2012-13
Undergraduate Awards Committee 2011
Global Justice Search Committee 2012