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Research and Teaching Interests

International Peace and Security; International Relations Theory; Political Agency and Practical Reason; Governance and Diplomacy; Nuclear Non-proliferation; Crisis Management; European Politics; African Politics

Employment

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| 2009- | Vienna School of International Studies
Professor and Chair of International Relations |
| (2009 | Professor and Chair of International Relations offered by the
University of Salzburg – declined) |
| 2007-2008 | University College London
Lecturer in International Relations und Director MSc Global
Governance and Ethics, Department of Political Science |
| 2006-2007 | University of Oxford
Lecturer in International Relations, Magdalen College, and R.J.
Vincent Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Politics and International
Relations |
| 2005-2006 | The Ohio State University
Postdoctoral Fellow, Mershon Center for International Security Studies |
| (2005 | Tenure-track lectureship offered by the University of Amsterdam –
declined) |
| 2002-2005 | University of Toronto
Adjunct Professor, Department of Political Science |
| 2001-2002 | University of Toronto
Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science |
| 2000 | McGill University
Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science |
| 1998-1999 | University of Cape Town
Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Studies |

Ongoing Research Projects

1. *Co-managing International Crises: Judgments, Justifications, and Intervention*
The book examines the conditions under which security communities successfully come to manage international crises together.
2. *The Governance of Nuclear Weapons*
Together with Martin Senn, I pursue a book project that deals with how diplomatic communication affects the governance of nuclear weapons and vice versa.
3. *Building Peace*
This project examines the long-term consequences of peacebuilding. Defining peace as practicing restraint, compromise and dialogue, it analyses war to peace transitions in Southern Africa (Angola, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa).
4. *Rhetoric and International Theory*
This project puts rhetoric at the core of international relations. Rhetoric is to be understood broadly. It is not only a means to win over an audience. But it is also a distinct way of reasoning.

Publications

Books

Understanding International Diplomacy: Theory, Practice and Ethics.
London: Routledge, 2013 [with Corneliu Bjola]

Arguing Global Governance: Agency, Lifeworld and Shared Reasons.
London: Routledge, 2011 [edited with Corneliu Bjola]

Irredentism in European Politics: Argumentation, Compromise and Norms.
Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2008

Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, and Mutinies. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2008 [edited with Nisha Shah, Vincent Pouliot, Ruben Zaiotti]

Refereed Articles

“Introduction: The Politics of Public Justification”, *Contemporary Politics* 23/1 (2017) [with Uriel Abulof] {in special issue: The Politics of Public Justification, edited with Uriel Abulof}

“Arguing Deep Ideational Change”, *Contemporary Politics* 23/1 (2017) {in special issue: The Politics of Public Justification, edited with Uriel Abulof}

“Unpacking Public Justification,” *Contemporary Politics* 23/1 (2017) [with Uriel Abulof] {in special issue: The Politics of Public Justification, edited with Uriel Abulof}

“Introduction: Background Ideas in International Relations”, *British Journal of Politics and International Relations* 18/2 (2016) [with Martin Senn] {in special forum: Background Ideas in International Relations, edited with Martin Senn}

“A Rhetorical Field Theory: Background, Communication, and Change”, *British Journal of Politics and International Relations* 18/2 (2016) [with Martin Senn] {in special forum: Background Ideas in International Relations, edited with Martin Senn}

"Building Agreements Upon Agreements: The EU and Grand Strategy", *European Journal of International Relations* 21/2 (2015).

“From Political Judgments to Public Justification (and Vice Versa): How Communities Generate Reasons Upon Which to Act,” *European Journal of International Relations* 20/1 (2014).

“Introduction: Meeting in the Middle,” *Government & Opposition* 47/3 (2012) [with Richard Bellamy and Christine Reh] {in special issue: Politics as Compromise, edited with Richard Bellamy and Christine Reh}

“How Rhetorical Strategies Reproduce Compromise Agreements: The Case of the Nuclear Non-proliferation Regime,” *Government & Opposition* 47/3 (2012) {in special issue: Politics as Compromise, edited with Richard Bellamy and Christine Reh}

“The *Agent’s* Logics of Action: Defining and Mapping Political Judgment,” *International Theory* 3/1 (2011)

“Doing What Comes Naturally Without Being Oblivious to It: Rhetorical Pragmatism and International Relations,” *International Studies Review* 11/3 (2009) [in Forum “Pragmatism and International Relations”]

“International Relations as Rhetorical Discipline: Towards (Re-)Newing Horizons,” *International Studies Review* 11/1 (2009)

“Comparing Apples and Oranges: Leading and Misleading Uses of Historical Analogies,” *Millennium* 36/1 (2007)

“Dejustification and Dispute Settlement: Irredentism in European Politics,” *European Journal of International Relations* 13/4 (2007)

“Security Communities and the Habitus of Restraint: Germany and the United States on Iraq,” *Review of International Studies* 32/2 (2007) [with Corneliu Bjola]

“Argumentation and Compromise: Ireland’s Selection of the Territorial Status Quo Norm,” *International Organization* 61/1 (2007)

“Episteme, Nation-builders, and National Identity: The Re-construction of Irishness,” *Nations and Nationalism* 11/3 (2005)

“Explaining Success and Failure of War to Peace Transitions: Evidence from Revisiting the Angolan and Mozambican Experience,” *Journal of Conflict Studies* 22/2 (2002)

“The Management of Border Disputes in African Regional Sub-systems: Comparing West Africa and the Horn of Africa,” *Journal of Modern African Studies* 40/3 (2002)

Book Chapters

“Social Psychological Micro-foundations for International Relations,” In Hans Günter Brauch, ed., *Richard Ned Lebow: A Pioneer in International Relations Theory, History, Political Philosophy and Psychology*. Berlin: Springer, 2017

“Statecraft, Strategy, and Diplomacy,” in Costas Constantinou, Pauline Kerr and Paul Sharp, eds., *Handbook of Diplomacy*. London: Sage, 2016.

“Welcome Address,” in Alexander Balthasar and Klemens H. Fischer, eds., *Good Governance Based on a Common Bedrock of Values – Providing Stability in Times of Crisis?* Baden-Baden: Nomos, 2016

“Non-state Actors in International Relations: Agency, Processes, and an Agenda for Multifaceted Dialogue,” in Math Noortmann, August Reinisch and Cedric Ryngaert, eds., *Non-State Actors in International Law*. Oxford: Hart, 2015

“Introduction: The Argumentative Deontology of Global Governance,” in *Arguing Global Governance: Agency, Lifeworld and Shared Reasons*. London: Routledge, 2011 [with Corneliu Bjola]

“Scholarship Writ Large: Universals, Rhetorical Interventions and Political Judgments,” in *Arguing Global Governance: Agency, Lifeworld and Shared Reasons*. London: Routledge, 2011

“Conclusion: A Deontological Agenda of Global Governance,” in *Arguing Global Governance: Agency, Lifeworld and Shared Reasons*. London: Routledge, 2011 [with Corneliu Bjola]

“Beyond the Prague Agenda: Reconsidering the Legitimacy of the Non-proliferation Regime,” in Heinz Gärtner, ed., *Barack Obama’s World Free of Nuclear Weapons: Vision or Reality?* Frankfurt am Main: Fritz Lang, 2011 [with Charlotte Spencer-Smith]

“Introduction: Mirrors, Magicians, and Mutinies of Globalization,” in *Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, and Mutinies*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2008 [with Nisha Shah, Vincent Pouliot, Ruben Zaiotti]

“Closed Fist, Empty Hand, or Open Hand? Globalization and Historical Analogies,” in *Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, and Mutinies*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2008

“Conclusions: Metaphors We Globalize By,” in *Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, and Mutinies*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2008 [with Nisha Shah, Vincent Pouliot, Ruben Zaiotti]

Selected Non-refereed Publications

“Wie wir verlernen, die Bombe zu lieben“, *Wiener Zeitung*, 20 February 2014 [with Martin Senn].

“Wie Diplomatie wirklich funktioniert,” *Von Tag zu Tag, Ö1* (Austrian Broadcasting Corporation 1), 15 October 2013.

“Die nukleare Abrüstung: Eine Bestandsaufnahme der politischen und wissenschaftlichen Praxis,” *WeltTrends* 19/4 (2011) [with Martin Senn]

“Eine Welt ohne Atomwaffen: Obamas Beitrag,” *WeltTrends* 19/4 (2011)

“Squaring the Educational Circle? Knowledge as Ability to Zoom Out and In”, in *Favorita Papers* 10/1 (2011) {special issue by ACUNS}

“Introduction: Post-1989 European Transformations”, *Favorita Papers* 9/2 (2010) {editor of special issue on Twenty Years after the Fall of the Wall}

“A Balancing Act: The European Union as an Actor in World Politics”, *Favorita Papers* 9/2 (2010) {editor of special issue on Twenty Years after the Fall of the Wall}

“Die Verhandlungstaktik des Iran im Streit um das Atomprogramm”, *Der Standard*, 2 December 2009 [Interviewed by Markus Bernrath]

“Review of Patrick Hanafin, *Constituting Identity: Political Identity Formation and the Constitution in Post-independence Ireland*”, *Millennium* 32/2 (2003)

“Suche nach dem Gleichgewicht: Bosnien nach Srebrenica,” *Die Politische Meinung*, no. 321 (1996)

Presentations*Selected Invited Presentations*

“Foundations of European and International Order”, Austrian Cultural Forum, Bratislava, 30 May 2016.

“The United Kingdom as a Crisis Co-manager”, Queen Elisabeth House, University of Oxford, 16 November 2015.

“Thinking About How Actors Communicate What Into Being and How”, Department of Political Science, University of Innsbruck, 11 November 2015.

“How Diplomats Communicate Makes a Difference: The Weakening of Nuclear Governance,” Bologna Institute for Policy Research, Johns Hopkins University, 28 April 2014

“Confluence, Cause, Contrast, and Congruence: The Making of Public Justifications for War,” University of Innsbruck, 7 January 2014

“What Diplomacy Can Do: The Case of the Nuclear Non-proliferation Regime,” Department of Political Science, Bilkent University, 6 November 2012

“Understanding International Diplomacy: Theory, Practice and Ethics”, Department of Political Science, Middle East Technical University, 5 November 2012

“How Rhetorical Strategies Reproduce Compromise Agreements: The Case of the Nuclear Non-proliferation Regime”, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford, 15 February 2012

“Rhetoric and the Reproduction of Compromise: Nuclear Disarmament and Peaceful Use”, Department of Political Science, University of Innsbruck, 17 January 2012

“How Rhetorical Strategies Reproduce Compromise Agreements: The Case of the Nuclear Non-proliferation Regime”, Bologna Institute for Policy Research, Johns Hopkins University, 19 March 2011.

“Political Judgment and Public Justification: An Inquiry into Practical Reasoning in World Politics”, Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota, 21 March 2011

“A Balanced Power: The EU, the Balance of Power, and World Politics”, Center for Austrian Studies, University of Minnesota, 21 March 2011.

“The EU’s Management of International Crisis: A Mixed Record”, Austrian Academy of Science, Vienna, 25 May 2009

“David vs. Goliath: Obama’s Prague Speech”, Austrian Institute for International Affairs, Vienna, 29 April 2009

“Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, and Mutinies”, Centre of European Studies, University of Oxford, 18 June 2007

“Argumentation and Compromise: Why the Republic of Ireland Selected the Territorial Status Quo Norm,” Mershon Visiting Scholar Speaker Series, Mershon Center, Ohio State University, 11 October 2006

Selected Conference Presentations

“When the Discipline is Not Enough: Politics, Communication, and Scholarship,” ECPR Joint Sessions, Pisa, 24-28 April 2016

“Cccc Framing: The Making of Public Justifications for War,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, New Orleans, 18-21 February 2015

“Deep Ideational Change: Strategy, Humanitarianism, and Nuclear Weapons,” ISA Catalytic Workshop, 25 March 2014

“Justifying War: How Leaders Generate Public Support for Intervention,” Workshop Public Justification and World Politics, Princeton University, 23-24 March 2014

“How Diplomats Communicate Makes a Difference: The Weakening of Nuclear Governance”, Pan-European International Relations Conference, Warsaw, 18-21 September 2013

“Practices of Restraint, Compromise and Dialogue: Taking the ‘Peace’ in Peacebuilding Seriously”, American Political Science Association Annual Convention, Chicago, August 29-September 1, 2013

“Scholarship, Communication, and Power,” International Interpretive Policy Analysis Conference, Vienna, 3-5 July 2013

“The Rocky Road Beyond Diffusion: The EU and Grand Strategy,” ISA Catalytic Workshop, San Diego, 1 April 2012

“Squaring the Educational Circle? Knowledge for Zooming In and Zooming Out,” *ACUNS Conference on Connecting Academics and UN Practitioners*, Vienna International Centre, 28 February – 1 March 2011

“The Discipline is Not Enough: Scholarship, Power, and Politics,” *Annual Millennium Conference*, London School of Economics & Political Science, 16-17 October 2010

“Political Judgment and Public Justification: An Inquiry into Practical Reasoning in World Politics,” Workshop *The Politics of Talk in International Relations* at the University of Bremen, 27-28 July 2010

“Habitus and Metis in Diplomatic Encounters: North Korea, the United States and Nuclear Non-proliferation,” Workshop *Unclenching Fists* at the University of Hamburg, 3-5 June 2010 [with Raluca Soreanu]

“Habitus and Metis in the Diplomatic Field: North Korea, the United States, and the Positive Sanctions Dilemma,” American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Toronto, 3-6 September 2009 [with Raluca Soreanu]

“Towards a Social Theory of Political Judgment: Rethinking Political Agency,” *International Studies Association Annual Conference*, San Francisco, 26-30 March 2008

“Doing International Relations Rhetorically: Re-thinking the Discipline,” *Pan-European International Relations Conference*, Turin, 13-16 September 2008

“International Relations as Rhetorical Discipline: Towards (Re-)Newing Horizons,” *International Studies Association Annual Conference*, Chicago, 28 February - 3 March 2007

“Dejustification and Dispute Settlement: Why a Ghost from the Past No Longer Haunts Europe,” *International Studies Association Annual Conference*, San Diego, 22-25 March 2006

“Reasoning by Historical Analogy: Leading or Misleading?” *Workshop on Metaphors of Globalization*, Toronto, 19-20 March 2006

“Episteme and National Identity: The Re-construction of Irishness,” *International Studies Association Annual Conference*, Honolulu, 1-5 March 2005

“Understanding Dissonance in a Security Community: Germany and the United States on Iraq,” *Pan-European International Relations Conference*, The Hague, 9-11 September 2004 [with Corneliu Bjola]

“Persuasion and Compromise: Ireland’s Selection of the Territorial Status Quo Norm,” *International Studies Association Annual Conference*, Montréal, 17-20 March 2004

“Epistemes and Norm Selection: Why Ireland Renounced its Irredentist Claim,” *European Consortium for Political Research Annual Conference*, Marburg, 18-21 September 2003

“The Epistemic Dimension in International Relations: Why West-Germany Renounced its Territorial Claims,” *International Studies Association Annual Conference*, Portland, 26 February – 1 March 2003

“Learning from History: Epistemes and Irredentist Disputes,” *Special Convention of the Association for the Study of Nationalities*, Forlí, 3-9 June 2002

“Land, Nation, and State: German Irredentism,” *Canadian Political Science Association Annual Conference*, Toronto, 29-31 May 2002

Education

- 2000-2005 Ph.D., Political Science, University of Toronto
 Dissertation (defended on 8 April 2005):
Argumentation and Compromise: The Politics of Irredentism in Europe
 Committee: Professors Emanuel Adler (chair),
 Steven Bernstein, Janice Gross Stein,
 Susan Gross Solomon (internal examiner),
 Michael Barnett (external examiner)
 Hartle Award for Outstanding Graduate Scholarship
 University of Toronto, July 2005
- 1999-2000 Ph.D. program, Political Science, McGill University
- 1997-1999 M.A., Political Studies, University of Cape Town
 Thesis (defended on 28 April 1999):
The Effectiveness of Multifunctional Peace-support Operations: Comparing Angola and Mozambique
 Advisor: Professor Annette Seegers
 M.A. awarded with distinction, June 1999
- 1992-1996 B.A. equivalent, Ludwig-Maximilians University of Munich
 Political Science (major); Law, Communications (minors),

Selected Awards and Fellowships

Catalytic Workshop Grant [with Martin Senn]
 International Studies Association, 2014

Senior Research Associate
 Department of Political Science, University College London, 2009-2013

Research Associate
 Centre for International Studies, University of Oxford, 2006-2008

British Academy Conference Grant
 British Academy, 2007

British Academy Small Research Grant
 British Academy, 2007 (SG45796)

John Fell Research Fund
 Oxford University Press, 2007

Hartle Award for Outstanding Graduate Scholarship

Institute for Policy Analysis, University of Toronto, 2005

Joint Initiative in German and European Studies Graduate Award
Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst and Munk Centre for International Studies,
University of Toronto, 2005

Paul Fox Ontario Graduate Scholarship
Government of Ontario, 2003-2004

Alexander Brady – MacGregor Dawson Scholarship
Department of Political Science, University of Toronto, 2003-2004

Sir Val Duncan Grant
Munk Centre for International Studies, University of Toronto, 2003-2004

Frank Peers Ontario Graduate Scholarship
Government of Ontario, 2002-2003

Connaught Fellowship
University of Toronto, 2000-2002

Max Stern Fellowship
McGill University, 1999-2000

M.A. awarded with distinction
University of Cape Town, 1999

Teaching Experience

Professor

Theories of International Relations, Scopes and Methods of Political Science, EU Foreign Policy, EU Crisis Management, Research Methods, Globalisation and Global Governance, International Peace and Security, UN Simulation, and Nuclear Non-proliferation (all Masters level) at the Vienna School of International Studies as well as Writing International Theory at the Vienna School of International Studies and the University of Vienna (Masters and PhD).

Lecturer

Theories of International Relations, Globalisation and Global Governance, and International Peace and Security at the Department of Political Science, University College London, 2007-2008 (all Masters); International Relations (2nd year course), International Relations in the Era of the Cold War (3rd year course), and International Relations in the Era of Two World Wars (3rd year course) at Magdalen College, University of Oxford, 2006-2007

Adjunct Professor

Culture and Identity in World Politics (3rd year course), Political Analysis (3rd year course), and Identity Conflicts in World Politics (4th year reading course) at the University of Toronto, 2002-2005

Teaching Assistant

Introduction to International Relations (2nd year course) at the University of Toronto, 2001-2002; Introduction to Comparative Politics – Developing Areas (2nd year course) at McGill University, 1999-2000; Political Dynamics (2nd year course) and Conflict in World Politics (3rd year course) at the University of Cape Town, 1998-1999

Other Teaching Experience*Trainer, Diplomatic Training ‘Doing Diplomacy in the Age of Global Governance’*

Kampala, Uganda; Gaborone, Botswana (May 2016)
Maseru, Lesotho; Windhoek, Namibia (May 2015)
Luanda, Angola; Maputo, Mozambique (May 2014)

Instructor, Summer School ‘Multicultural Symbiosis’

Hyogo International Summer School, Research Institute for the 21st Century,
Kobe, Japan (August 2007)

Previous Work Experience*Practical Placements*

Federal Ministry for Economic Co-operation and Development, Bonn
Eastern Africa Section, 1996

Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations, New York
Political Department, 1996

German Foundation for International Development, Berlin
Forum for Developmental Policies, 1995

Research Assistant

Centre for Applied Political Research at the Geschwister-Scholl Institute,
Munich,
Project Group Europe, 1994-1995

Languages

Fluent: English, German

Working knowledge: French, Latin

Professional Affiliations

2001- American Political Science Association (APSA)

- 2001- International Studies Association (ISA)
2011- International Political Science Association (IPSA)
2016 - Austrian Political Science Association (ÖGPW)

Reviewer for Peer-reviewed Journals

African Security Review, British Journal of Political Science, Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy, Foreign Policy Analysis, European Journal of International Relations, Global Affairs, Global Policy, International Relations, International Security, International Studies Perspectives, International Studies Quarterly, International Theory, International Organization, Journal of Global Ethics, Journal of Global Security Studies, Journal of International Relations and Development, Journal of Military and Strategic Studies, Memory Studies, Millennium, Philosophy and Rhetoric, Politics and Governance, PS: Political Science & Politics, Zeitschrift für internationale Beziehungen.

Other Professional Activities

Editor, New Diplomacy Series, Routledge [with Corneliu Bjola]

Member, Scientific Advisory Board, Austrian Institute for International Affairs

At-large Member, Governing Council, International Studies Association

Member, Executive Committee, International Studies Association

Co-speaker, International Studies Section, Austrian Political Science Association