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EDUCATION

Ph.D. George Mason University, **Conflict Analysis and Resolution**, January 2003
M.A. San Francisco State University, **International Relations**, December 1996
B.A. San Francisco State University, **International Relations**, June 1991

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Kent State University, School of Peace and Conflict Studies.

- Professor. 2019—Present.
- Associate Professor. 2017—2019.

Kyung Hee University, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies

- GIP-Affiliate Professor. 2019—2022.
- Senior Fulbright Fellow. 2018—2019.

Kent State University, Dept. of Political Science & Center for Applied Conflict Management.

- Associate Professor. 2012—2017.
- Assistant Professor. 2006—2012.

University of Baltimore, Center for Negotiations and Conflict Management.

- Visiting Assistant Professor. 2005—2006.
- Adjunct Faculty. 2004—2005.

American University, Washington Semester Program. Adjunct Faculty. 2003—2004.

George Mason University

- **School of Conflict Analysis and Resolution.** Faculty Affiliate at the Program for the Prevention of Mass Violence. 2018—Present.
- **Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution.** Adjunct Faculty. 2003—2005, Fall 2002, Spring and Fall 2000.
- **Department of Sociology and Anthropology.** Adjunct Faculty. Spring 2001.
- **New Century College.** Adjunct Faculty. Spring 2000.

Inagakuen Comprehensive Upper Secondary School, Japan. Assistant Language Teacher (ALT) Japan Exchange Teaching Program. 1995—1996.

EDITED BOOKS

Confronting Peace: Local Peacebuilding in the Wake of a National Agreement. (with C.R. Mitchell, S.H. Allen, and C. Mouly). London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2021.

Local Peacebuilding and Legitimacy: Interactions between National and Local Levels. (with C.R. Mitchell) London: Routledge, 2018.

Narratives of Identity in Social Movements, Conflicts & Change. Vol. 40, Research in Social Movements, Conflicts & Change. Bingley, UK: Emerald, 2016.

Local Peacebuilding and National Peace. (with C.R. Mitchell) London, New York: Continuum Publishing, 2012.

Zones of Peace. (with C.R. Mitchell) Bloomfield, CT: Kumarian Press, 2007.

PEER REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

"Peacebuilding Accountability: The United Nations Peacebuilding Fund and Community-Based Monitoring and Evaluation." *Negotiation Journal*, [Early Publication](#) (2023)

"The Power of Voice: Storytelling as Peacebuilding in Post-Troubles Northern Ireland." (with Elizabeth Schmidt, Jenna Lada, and Amanda Donahoe), *Journal of Peacebuilding and Development*, 18, no. 1 (2023): 36-52.

"From Islamic to National Identity: Comparative Study of Iran's Islamic Revolution and Green Movement." (with Alireza Raisi), *Contemporary Islam*, 16, no. 1 (2022): 89-105.

"Expressions of American White Ethnonationalism in Support for 'Blue Lives Matter'." (with Johanna Solomon and David H. Kaplan), *Geopolitics* 26, no 3 (2021): 946-966.

"Deliberative Peacebuilding? Agency and Development in Post-Conflict Practice." *Peacebuilding* 8, no. 2 (2020): 139-58.

"Selling the Iran Nuclear Agreement: Prospect Theory and the Campaign to Frame the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action." (with Lisa Hager, Oindrila Roy and Michael J. Ensley) *Congress & the Presidency*, 46 no. 3 (2019): 417-45.

"Narratives of Commemoration: Identity, Memory and Conflict in Northern Ireland 1916-2016." *Peace & Change* 44, no. 2 (2019): 244-65.

"Capturing the Flag: The Struggle for National Identity in Nonviolent Revolutions." (with Anuj Gurung) *Peace and Conflict Studies* 25, no. 2 (2018). Available [online](#)

"Agency & Peacebuilding: The Promise of Local Zones of Peace." *Peacebuilding* 5, no. 3 (2017): 255-69.

- “Into the IRIS: A Model for Analyzing Identity Dynamics in Conflict.” *National Identities* 18, no. 4 (2016): 409-23.
- “Narratives of Identity in the Northern Irish Troubles.” *Peace & Change* 39, no. 4 (2014): 443-67.
- “We Shall Not Overcome: Divided Identity and the Failure of NICRA 1968.” *Ethnopolitics* 13, no. 5 (2014): 501-21.
- “Who is to Blame? The Relationship between Ingroup Identification and Relative Deprivation is moderated by Ingroup Attributions.” (with Hanna Zagefka, Jens Binder and Rupert Brown) *Social Psychology* 44, no. 6 (2013): 398-407.
- “Transitional Justice and the Consultative Group: Facing the Past or Forcing the Future?” *Ethnopolitics* 10, no. 3 (2011): 204-228.
- “Who’s Truth, Who’s Justice? Religious and Cultural Traditions in Transitional Justice.” (with Aysegül Keskin-Zeren) *Journal of Religion, Conflict, and Peace* 4, no. 1 (2011). Available [online](#).
- “Prospect Theory and the Failure to Sell the Oslo Accords.” (with Joshua N. Weiss) *Peace & Change* 36, no 3 (2011): 427-452.
- “Culture and Procedural Justice in Transitioning Societies.” (with Tamra Pearson d’Estrée) *Peace and Conflict Studies* 18, no. 1 (2011). Available [online](#).
- “Prospect Theory and the Framing of the Good Friday Agreement.” (with Joshua N. Weiss & Glen M.E. Duerr) *Conflict Resolution Quarterly* 28, no. 2 (2011): 183-203.
- “There is No Alternative. Prospect Theory, the Yes Campaign and the Selling of the Good Friday Agreement.” *Irish Political Studies* 26, no. 1 (2011): 95-116.
- “Mainstreaming Peace and Conflict Studies.” (with Patrick G. Coy) *Journal of Peace Education* 7, no. 2 (2010): 205-19.
- “The Northern Irish Peace Process: From Top to Bottom.” *International Studies Review* 10, no. 2 (2008): 203-38.
- “To Act or to Wait: A Two-Stage View of Ripeness.” *International Studies Perspectives* 2, no. 2 (2001): 195-205.
- “The Indo-Sri Lankan Accord: An Analysis of Conflict Termination.” *Civil Wars* 2, no. 4 (1999): 83-105.
- “The Conflict Within: The Interpersonal Conflict between Netanyahu and Arafat.” (with Joshua N. Weiss) *Online Journal of Peace and Conflict Resolution* 2, no. 2 (May) (1999).

BOOK CHAPTERS

- “Local Peace Roles in Post-agreement Nominal Peace to Continuing Conflict.” (with Susan H. Allen). *Confronting Peace: Local Peacebuilding in the Wake of a National Agreement*, edited by S.H. Allen, L.E. Hancock, C.R. Mitchell, and C. Mouly. London: Palgrave, 341-372, 2021.

- “Zones of Peace.” *The Palgrave Encyclopedia of Peace and Conflict Studies*, edited by Oliver Richmond and Gëzim Visoka. London: Palgrave Macmillan.
- “Local Peacebuilding.” (with Maxwell Adjei). *The Palgrave Encyclopedia of Peace and Conflict Studies*, edited by Oliver Richmond and Gëzim Visoka. London: Palgrave Macmillan.
- “Meanings of Peace.” (with Johanna Solomon). *The Routledge Handbook of Peace, Security and Development*, edited by Fen Hampson and Alpaslan Ozerdem. London: Routledge, 9-20, 2020.
- “From Principles into Practice in Peace and Conflict Studies.” (with Patrick G. Coy and Anuj Gurung). *The Routledge Companion to Peace and Conflict Studies*, edited by Thomas Maytok. London: Routledge, 68-78, 2019.
- “Legitimate Agents of Peacebuilding: Deliberative Governance in Zones of Peace.” In *Local Peacebuilding and Legitimacy: Interactions between National and Local Levels*, edited by Landon E. Hancock and Christopher Mitchell, 20-42. London: Routledge, 2018.
- “Legitimacy, Peace and Peacebuilding.” (with Christopher Mitchell) In *Local Peacebuilding and Legitimacy: Interactions between National and Local Levels*, edited by Landon E. Hancock and Christopher Mitchell, 222-236. London: Routledge, 2018.
- “Peace from the People: Identity Salience and the Northern Irish Peace Process.” In *Lessons from the Northern Irish Peace Process*, edited by Timothy White, 61-93. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press, 2013.
- “Zones of Peace.” In *The Routledge Handbook of Peacebuilding*, edited by Roger Mac Ginty, 237-248. London: Routledge., 2013.
- “Belfast’s Interfaces: Zones of Conflict or Zones of Peace?” In *Local Peacebuilding and National Peace: Interaction between Grassroots and Elite Processes*, edited by Christopher Mitchell and Landon E. Hancock, 111-132. London, New York: Continuum Publishing, 2012.
- “Between Local and National Peace: Complementarity or Conflict?” (with Christopher Mitchell) In *Local Peacebuilding and National Peace: Interaction between Grassroots and Elite Processes*, edited by Christopher Mitchell and Landon E. Hancock, 220-238. London, New York: Continuum Publishing, 2012.
- “Ethnic Identities and Boundaries: Anthropological, Psychological and Sociological Approaches.” In *The International Studies Encyclopedia*, edited by Robert A. Denmark, 1656-76. Oxford: Blackwell Publishers Inc., 2010. Also available [Online](#).
- “El Salvador's Post-Conflict Peace Zone.” In *Zones of Peace*, edited by Landon E. Hancock and C. R. Mitchell, 105-22. Bloomfield, CT: Kumarian Press, 2007.
- “Local Zones of Peace and a Theory of Sanctuary.” (with Christopher R. Mitchell) In *Zones of Peace*, edited by Landon E. Hancock and C. R. Mitchell, 189-221. Bloomfield, CT: Kumarian Press, 2007.

- “The Nature, Structure and Variety of ‘Peace Zones’.” (with Pushpa Iyer) In *Zones of Peace*, edited by Landon E. Hancock and C. R. Mitchell, 29-50. Bloomfield, CT: Kumarian Press, 2007.
- “Significant Events in the Northern Irish Peace Process: Impact and Implementation.” In *From Power Sharing to Democracy: Post-Conflict Institutions in Ethnically Divided Societies*, edited by Sid Noel, 67-84. Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press, 2005.
- “The Pecos River Case: Sharing a Resource Among old Rivals.” (with Annette Hanada) In *Braving the Currents: Evaluating Environmental Conflict Resolution in the American West*; edited by T.P. d'Estrée and B.G. Colby, 157-176. Norwell MA: Kluwer. 2004.

NON PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- “Background Note: Peacebuilding Fund’s Community-Based Monitoring & Evaluation.” (as member of PBF’s monitoring & evaluation team) The United Nations Secretary General’s Peacebuilding Fund, March 2022, available [online](#).
- “Multilateral Diplomacy and the Korean Peninsula: Lessons from Conflict Resolution.” *JPI PeaceNet*. Jeju Peace Institute, fall 2019.
- “Deliberative Democracy & Peacebuilding in Belfast.” Unpublished report prepared for the Suffolk-Lenadoon Interface Group, fall 2017.
- “The Role of Narrative in Identity-Driven Conflict.” Unpublished report prepared for CENTRA Technologies, spring 2016.
- “Zones of Peace.” In *The Oxford International Encyclopedia of Peace*, edited by Nigel Young, 495-97. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009.
- “Zones of Peace: A Framework for Analysis.” (with Pushpa Iyer) In *Conflict Trends*, January (2004): 16-24.
- The Construction of Sanctuary: Local Zones of Peace Amid Protracted Conflict*. (with C.R. Mitchell) Arlington, VA: Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution, 2004.
- “Pushing for Peace and Stability: Some Comments on Colin Irwin's Polls: Forum on Northern Ireland.” *The Global Review of Ethnopolitics* 2, no. 3-4 (2003): 79-91.
- “The role of European Security Organizations in the Prevention of Violent Conflict and Post-Conflict Peacebuilding: a Review of OSCE and WEU Capabilities, Strengths and Weaknesses.” (with Valery Perry and Allison Friendak) *Peace Research Abstracts* 37 (5) (2000).
- “A Skeletal Solution to an Enigmatic Puzzle: A framework for intervening to prevent violent ethno-identity conflict. (with Joshua N. Weiss and Valery Perry) *The CASID Connection* 16, no. 1 (Summer) (2000): 38-58.

“Participation, Negotiation and Conflict Management in Large Dams Projects.” (with RESOLVE, Bruce J. Stedman, Juliana E. Birkhoff) *World Commission on Dams Thematic Review Volume 5* (2000), <http://www.dams.org/kbase/thematic/tr55.htm>

Solider, Scientist, Diplomat, Mediator: The Multi-Disciplinary Context of Conflict Resolution. (Editor in Chief) Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution: Fairfax, VA, 1999.

“The Patterns of Ethnic Conflict.” *Ethnos-Nation* 6, no. 1-2 (Winter) (1998): 9-28.

“Northern Ireland: Troubles Brewing.” Conflict Archive on the Internet (CAIN), Available [Online](#).

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of *Resilient Communities: Non-Violence and Civilian Agency in Communal War*. Jana Krause. *Perspectives on Politics*. 19, no. 3 (2021).

Review of *Resisting War: How Communities Protect Themselves*. Oliver R. Kaplan. *Peacebuilding*. 7, no. 2 (2019).

Review of *Unionists, Loyalists, and Conflict Transformation in Northern Ireland*. Lee A. Smithey. *Ethnopolitics*. 12, no. 1 (2013).

Review of *Social Culture, Politics, and Nationalism in the Age of Globalization*. Ed. R. Lukic and M. Brint. *Nationalism & Ethnic Politics*. 9, no. 3 (2003).

Review of *Social Conflicts and Collective Identities*. Ed. P.G. Coy and L.M. Woehrle. *Peace & Change*. 28, no. 4 (2003).

Review of *Reconciliation, Justice and Coexistence*. Ed. Mohammed Abu-Nimer. *Peace and Conflict*. 8, no. 3 (2002).

Review of *Identity in Northern Ireland*. By Cathal McCall. *The Ethnic Conflict Research Digest*. 3, no. 1 (2000).

Review of *Identity and affect*. Eds. John R. Campbell and Alan Rew. *The Ethnic Conflict Research Digest*. 2, no. 2 (1999).

Review of *A question of identity*. Ed. Anne J. Kershen. *The Ethnic Conflict Research Digest*. 2:2. 1999.

Review of *Culture and conflict resolution*. By Kevin Avruch. *The Ethnic Conflict Research Digest*. 2, no. 2 (1999).

Review of *Peacemaking in international conflict: Methods and techniques*. Ed. I. William Zartman and Lewis Rasmussen. *The Ethnic Conflict Research Digest*. 2, no. 1 (1999).

GRANT ACTIVITY AND FELLOWSHIPS

Council on Foreign Relations

International Affairs Fellowship for Tenured International Relations Scholars
Local Peacebuilding Advisor, the UN Secretary General's Peacebuilding Fund, UN
Peacebuilding Support Office, New York, NY, 2021-22.

US Dept of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs

Fulbright Specialist Roster, 2021-2025.
Economic Development & Peacebuilding in Colombia, June 2021.

US Dept of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs

Senior Fulbright Scholar, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies, Kyung Hee
University, Seoul, South Korea. 2018-19.

Kent State University Libraries

OER ALM 'Super' Grant to develop Open Access textbook for Intro to ACM. Co-
PI with A.E. Nickels. Grant of \$5,000.

Research Council of Kent State University

Summer Research & Creative Activity Appointment, 2016
Deliberative Democracy & Peacebuilding in Zones of Peace. Grant of \$6,500.

University of Pennsylvania, Solomon Asch Center for Study of Ethnopolitical Conflict

Summer Fellow, 2003

Grant: "The Impact of the Oslo Process on Israeli-Jewish Identity."
Co-investigator with Donald G. Ellis (University of Hartford) and Ephraim
Tabory (Bar-Ilan University). Grant of \$7,561.

Grant: "A Meta-Analysis of the Relationship Between Identity and Threat."
Co-investigator with Hanna Zagefka (University of Kent). Grant of \$4,300.

United States Institute of Peace

Peace Scholar Fellowship, 2001-2002

RESOLVE, Center for Environmental Conflict Resolution, Research and Education

Research Fellow, 1999-2000

COURSES TAUGHT

Introductory Courses

- Introduction to Applied Conflict Management
- Introduction to Conflict Analysis and Resolution (MS)
- Understanding and Assessing Conflict (MA)
- Foundations of Conflict Analysis & Management (MA & Ph.D.)

Core Courses & Electives

- Conflict Theory
- Environmental Conflict Resolution
- Ethnic and Cultural Dimensions of Conflict (BA, MA & Ph.D.)
- Identity Conflicts Across the Globe (BA, MA & Ph.D.)
- Integration of Conflict Theory, Research and Practice (MS Capstone)
- International Conflict Resolution
- Reconciliation vs. Revenge: Searching for Transitional Justice
- Conflict Transformation & Reconciliation (MA & Ph.D.)
- Seminar in Peacebuilding (MA & Ph.D.)
- Global Governance (MA & Ph.D.)
- Conflict & Consensus in the Public Sector (MA & Ph.D.)

Research Courses

- Qualitative Research in Conflict Management
- International Peace and Conflict Studies Research Seminar
- Philosophy and Methods of Conflict Research (MS)
- Advanced Methods of Conflict Research (MS)
- Fieldwork in Conflict Management (MA)
- Seminar in Qualitative Research Methods (Ph.D.) co-taught w/P.G. Coy
- Focus Groups in Conflict Interventions (MS Practice Seminar)
- Systematic Observation Skills (MS Practice Seminar)

Graduate Independent Studies

- Global Governance. Fall 2017, 2 Students
- Gender & Peacebuilding. Fall 2014, 2 Students
- Ethnic Conflict & Its Resolution (MA). Fall 2010, 1 Student
- Ethnic Groups & Identity Politics. Fall 2009, 1 Student
- Identity and Conflict. Spring 2009, 1 Student
- Ethnic Terror and State Responses. Fall 2008, 1 Student
- Secessionism in Ethnic Conflict. Fall 2008, 1 Student
- Nationalism & Ethnic Conflict: Fall 2007, 3 Students

INVITED TALKS, GUEST LECTURES & TRAINING SESSIONS

- Invited Speaker for IAF Virtual Roundtable Series: U.S. Interagency and Multilateral Approaches to Peacebuilding and Democratic Resilience. The Council on Foreign Affairs, July 31, 2023.
- Invited Participant for ‘Localization, Peace Processes and the Aid Agency.’ Special issue workshop hosted by *Negotiation Journal* and Humanity United. Thomson House, McGill University, Montreal, March 14, 2023.
- Invited Speaker for “Peacebuilding Accountability: The UNPBF and Community-Based Monitoring & Evaluation.” School of Peace & Conflict Studies Fall Colloquia, December 1, 2022.
- Invited Speaker for “Confronting Peace: Local Peacebuilding in the Wake of National Agreement.” Virtual book launch hosted by the Jimmy and Rosalyn Carter School of Peace and Conflict Studies, April 6, 2022.
- Invited Panelist “Innovations in Qualitative Research Methods”, Healthy Communities Research Institute, Kent State University, September 30, 2021.
- Keynote Speaker “Local Peacebuilding & Legitimacy in Post-Conflict Colombia” Fulbright Forum and Panel discussion hosted by Javeriana University, June 25, 2021.
- Seminario "Construcción de paz local y legitimidad". El seminario sería en la Sala del Consejo de Economía (estamos esperando autorización) y en modalidad combinada. Colloquium conducted by the Department of Philosophy and History of Law at Javeriana University, Bogota Colombia, June 22-23, 2021.
- Informal Lecture “Building Effective Networks and Getting Research Funding” for faculty and graduate students from the Faculty of Law, Javeriana University, Bogota, June 18, 2021.
- Invited Panelist “Between Order, Authoritarianism and Mobility: Conceptual Approaches to Local Local Ordering and Peace Formation in Central Eurasia.” Studying Everyday Order and Peace from the Ground up, hosted by the Institute for Peace Research and Security Policy at the University of Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany. October 8-9, 2020.
- Invited Panelist “Sustainable and Resilient Democracy and Transitional Justice – Asia’s Human Rights and Democracy Threatened.” The Gwangju Asia Forum Commemorating the 40th Anniversary of the Gwangju Democracy Uprising. Hosted by the May 18 Memorial Foundation, Gwangju, South Korea. May 17-20, 2020.
- Invited Speaker “Multilateral Diplomacy and the Korean Peninsula: Lessons from Conflict Resolution.” For the panel “Multilateralization of the Korean Peninsula Peace Process: An Initiative for Revitalization of ‘Jeju Peace Process’”, presented at the Jeju Forum for Peace and Prosperity, Jeju-do, South Korea. May 30, 2019.
- Keynote Speech “White Nationalism in the United States? An Analysis of Support for ‘Blue Lives Matter’” for the American Studies Association of Korea’s

- (ASAK) 2019 Undergraduate Workshop at Hankuk University of Foreign Studies, Seoul, South Korea. May 11, 2019.
- Guest speaker on “Deliberative Peacebuilding on the Interface: The Suffolk-Lenadoon Interface Group” for ‘International Conflict Resolution’ at the Global Campus of Kyung Hee University, Suwon, South Korea. April 15, 2019.
 - Invited speaker for “Facing History: The Question of Transitional Justice.” A presentation for the Wednesday Forum for the Graduate Institute of Peace Studies, Kyung Hee University, Gwangneung, South Korea. December 5, 2018.
 - Invited speaker for “Post-Conflict Development: A Zones of Peace Approach.” A lecture for George Mason University Korea’s *Global Academy on Conflict Resolution and Sustainable Development for Korean Unification*. George Mason University, Incheon, South Korea. October 20, 2018.
 - Invited speaker for “Local Peacebuilding and Legitimacy” book launch at the *Point of View* conference center, School of Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University, Lorton VA. April 2018.
 - Invited speaker on “Deliberative Peacebuilding: A New Model for Agency and Development in Post-Conflict Practice” at the Research & Innovation Forum at Kent State University, Kent, OH. November 15, 2017
 - Guest speaker on “Zones of Peace, Agency and Peacebuilding” for ‘Approaches to Conflict Transformation II: Third Party Roles for Peacebuilders’ at the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies at the University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN. March 2015.
 - Invited speaker for “Local Peacebuilding and National Peace” book launch at the School for Conflict Analysis and Resolution at George Mason University, Arlington VA. October 2013.
 - Guest speaker on ‘The History and Current Status of Conflict in Northern Ireland’ at the Irish Salon of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH. February 2013.
 - Guest speaker for ‘The Politics of War and Peace’ at Xavier University, Cincinnati, OH. February 2013.
 - Guest speaker and panel member for KSU’s School of Teaching, Learning and Curriculum Studies’ School Meeting focusing on Social Justice, November 2011.
 - Theory of Conflict Management and Peace Studies: Integration into Courses for Cuyahoga Community College. Two-day teacher-training workshop offered in February and April 2009. One-day training offered in January 2011.
 - Guest speaker and panel member for Symposium on Zones of Peace in the South Caucasus. Two-day seminar at George Mason University, May 2009.
 - Identity Transformation in the Northern Irish Peace Process. Bar-Ilan University, Tel-Aviv, Israel. Brown bag lecture given for the Conflict Management Program, July 2004.

- Sources of Conflict; Methods of Analysis; Escalation, De-escalation and Ripeness. Tbilisi State University, Republic of Georgia. Series of lectures given for the Conflict Resolution Program, May 2003.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS

“From Plantation to Partition: Fear of Extinction and the Formation of the Ulster Protestant Identity.” Paper presented at the 64th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Canada, March 15-18, 2023.

“Peacebuilding Accountability: The UNPBF and Community-Based Monitoring & Evaluation.” Paper presented at Multidisciplinary Futures of United Nations Peace Operations, the Open University, Milton Keynes, UK, February 20-21, 2023.

“Peacebuilding and Accountability: The UNPBF and Community-Based Monitoring & Evaluation.” Paper presented at the 63rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Nashville, TN, March 28-April 2, 2022.

“Commemorations of Difference, Commemorations of Conflict in Northern Ireland.” Presentation at *Rebuilding State & Society After Civil War*. Kent State University, Kent Ohio, February 20-21, 2020.

“Peacebuilding through Storytelling and Narrative in Northern Ireland” With Elizabeth Schmidt, Jenna Lada, and Amanda Donahoe. Paper presented at *Commemorating Violent Conflicts, Building Sustainable Peace*. The bi-annual conference of the Peace History Society, co-hosted with the Peace Studies Section of the International Studies Association and the School of Peace and Conflict Studies, Kent State University. Kent Ohio, October 24-26, 2019.

“Expressions of American White Ethnonationalism in Support for ‘Blue Lives Matter.’” With Johanna Solomon and David H. Kaplan. Paper presented at *Commemorating Violent Conflicts, Building Sustainable Peace*. The bi-annual conference of the Peace History Society, co-hosted with the Peace Studies Section of the International Studies Association and the School of Peace and Conflict Studies, Kent State University. Kent Ohio, October 24-26, 2019.

“1916-2016: Commemorations of Difference.” Paper presented at the 59th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA, April 4-7, 2018.

“1916-2016: Commemorations of Difference.” Paper presented at the Peace History Society’s 2017 Conference ‘Remembering Muted Voices: Conscience, Dissent, Resistance, and Civil Liberties’ at the National World War I Museum and Memorial, Kansas City, MO, October 19-22, 2017.

“Deliberative Democracy & Peacebuilding in Belfast: The Suffolk-Lenadoon Interface Group.” Paper presented at the 58th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Baltimore, MD, Feb. 22-25, 2017.

“Parades & Place: Identity-Driven Protest at Belfast’s Interfaces.” Paper presented at the 58th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Baltimore, MD, Feb. 22-25, 2017.

“Parades & Place: Identity-Driven Protest at Belfast’s Interfaces.” Paper presented at Race, Ethnicity & Place VIII, Kent State University, Kent OH, Sept. 23, 2016.

“Narratives of Identity in the Northern Irish Troubles.” Paper presented at the Program on History, Memory & Conflict at the School for Conflict Analysis & Resolution. Arlington, VA, April 22, 2016.

“Legitimate Agents of Peacebuilding: Deliberative Governance in Zones of Peace.” Paper presented at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

“Selling Iran: Prospect Theory and the Campaign to Frame the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action.” With Lisa Hager, Oindrila Roy and Michael Ensley. Paper presented at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

“Agency and Peacebuilding: the Paradox of Local Zones of Peace.” Paper presented at the 56th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA, February 17-21, 2015.

“Into the IRIS: A model for analyzing identity dynamics from outbreak to resolution of conflict.” Paper presented at the 55th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Toronto, Canada, March 26-29, 2014.

“National Identity and Nonviolent Movements in Iran.” With Alireza Raisi. Paper presented at the 55th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Toronto, Canada, March 26-29, 2014.

“Peace from the People: Identity Salience and the Northern Irish Peace Process.” Paper presented at the American Conference of Irish Studies Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference. Rochester, NY November 15-16, 2013.

“We Shall Not Overcome: Divided Identity and the Failure of NICRA 1968.” Paper presented at the 54th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA. April 3-6, 2013.

“Capturing the Flag: the Struggle for National Identity in Nonviolent Revolutions.” Paper presented at the 53rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Diego, CA. April 1-4, 2012.

“Narratives of Identity in the Northern Irish Troubles.” Paper presented at the 52nd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Quebec. March 15th—19th, 2011.

“Belfast’s Interfaces, Zones of Conflict or Zones of Peace.” Paper presented at the 52nd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Quebec. March 15th—19th, 2011.

“Transitional Justice and the Consultative Group: Facing the Past or Forcing the Future.” Paper presented at the 51st Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA. February 16th—20th, 2010

“Culture and Procedural Justice in Transitioning Societies.” With Tamra P. d’Estrée. Paper Presented at the 32nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, July 14th—17th, 2009. Dublin, Ireland.

“The Procedural Injustice of International Justice.” With Tamra P. d’Estrée and Claude d’Estrée. Paper Presented at the 32nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, July 14th—17th, 2009. Dublin, Ireland.

“Peace May Sell: Promotion, Implementation and Popular Support for Peace Agreements.” With Joshua N. Weiss and Glen M. E. Duerr. Paper Presented at the Mid-West Political Science Association’s 67th Annual National Conference, April 2nd—5th, 2009. Chicago, IL and at the 32nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, July 14th—17th, 2009. Dublin, Ireland.

“Will Belgium Dissolve?” With Glen M. E. Duerr. Paper presented at the 50th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. New York, NY. February 15th—18th, 2009.

“Whose Truth, Whose Justice? Culture and Transitional Justice.” With Aysegül Keskin. Paper Presented at the 49th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA. March 26th—29th, 2008.

“You, Me, Us, Them: Identities in Conflict.” Presentation for *Why Neighbours Kill: Explaining the Breakdown of Ethnic Relations*, the 10th international conference of the Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict Research Group, University of Western Ontario, June 4-5, 2004. London, Ontario, Canada.

“Local Zones of Peace: A Framework for Analysis.” Paper Presented at the 45th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Canada. Mar. 17-20, 2004.

“Framing Peace: Promotion, implementation & popular support for peace agreements.” Paper Presented at the 45th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Canada. Mar. 17-20, 2004.

“Peace from the people: Identity salience and the Northern Irish peace process.” Presentation and panel chair for the 26th annual scientific meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, July 6-9, 2003. Boston, MA.

“Away from the table: Alternative experiences of the peace process.” Panel presentation at the 44th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Portland, OR. Feb. 25-Mar. 1, 2003.

“Peace from the people: Events and identity salience in the Northern Irish peace process.” Presented at *Power Sharing and Democracy*, the 8th international conference of the Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict Research Group, Nov. 8-10, 2002. University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada.

“When to intervene? Ripeness and war termination.” Presented at the 41st, Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Los Angeles, CA. Mar. 14-18, 2000.

“The Indo-Sri Lankan Accord: Conflict termination on the Island of Tears.” Presented at the 1999 ISSS-ISA annual meeting, Nov. 11-13, 1999. Georgetown University, Washington, DC.

“Global economic faultlines: Roles and responsibilities for the conflict resolution field.” Presented at “Weaving a New Beginning,” The National Conference of Peacemaking and Conflict Resolution’s bi-annual conference, May 29-June 2, 1999. Phoenix, Arizona.

“US media perceptions of the Western European Union,” Panel presentation at the Consortium of Peace Research and Education’s 28th annual conference, Apr. 8-11, 1999. Siena College, New York.

“The patterns of ethnic conflict.” Presented at *Conflict Studies: The new generation of ideas*. Oct. 22-24, 1998. University of Massachusetts Boston.

PANEL AND WORKSHOP ROLES

Youth & Peacebuilding in Northern Ireland: 25 Years After the Belfast/Good Friday Agreement. Moderator for panel discussion as part of the 53rd Annual Commemoration of May 4th, Kent State University, May 2, 2023.

Colombia, Philippines and beyond: Comparing the paths for local peacebuilding. Panel Chair and Discussant at the 64th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Canada, March 15-18, 2023.

Problematic Peacebuilding: A Comparative Analysis. Roundtable participant at the 64th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Canada, March 15-18, 2023.

Challenges to Transitional Justice. Panel chair at the 63rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Nashville, TN, March 28-April 2, 2022.

Goal 16 of the Sustainable Development Goals: Institutions and Inclusivity in Fragile and Conflict-Affected States. Panel discussant at the 63rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Nashville, TN, March 28-April 2, 2022.

Beyond the Local Turn: New Directions in Peace & Peacebuilding. Panel chair at the 63rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Nashville, TN, March 28-April 2, 2022.

Dynamics of Civil Activities Under Authoritarian Powers. Panel chair at the 63rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Nashville, TN, March 28-April 2, 2022.

Panel Discussant at *Barriers, Bodies and Ideas: The Politics of Walls and Fences*. Kent State University, Kent Ohio, November 15, 2019.

The Economics of Ethnic Conflict. Panel chair and discussant at the 59th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA, April 4-7, 2018.

International Interventions and Local Resistance. Discussant at the 59th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA, April 4-7, 2018.

Nexus of Peacekeeping and Peacebuilding. Panel chair at the 58th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Baltimore, MD, Feb. 22-25, 2017.

ENMISA Distinguished Scholar Panel: Celebrating the work of John McGarry and Brendan O’Leary. Panel participant at the 58th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Baltimore, MD, Feb. 22-25, 2017.

Peacebuilding and Civil Resistance in Colombia. Panel discussant at the 58th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Baltimore, MD, Feb. 22-25, 2017.

Power Sharing in Northern Ireland and the Implications of a formal Opposition: Prelude to a Political Realignment? Participant in workshop hosted by the University of Kent and Stratagem-Northern Ireland at the Girdwood Community Hub, Belfast, Northern Ireland, June 24, 2016.

PEACE Honors the work of Nils Petter Gleditsch, Galia Golan, John Groom and Peter Wallensteen. Organizer and Chair at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

The State of Peace Research: Themes, Approaches, and Methods. Roundtable Participant at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

Zones of Peace I: Peacebuilding & Legitimacy at the Local Level. Panel Chair and Discussant at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

Zones of Peace II: Peacebuilding & Legitimacy from the International to the Local and Back Again. Panel Discussant at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

Theoretical and Methodological Foundations of Peace Research. Panel Chair and Discussant at the 57th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA, March 16-19, 2016.

PEACE Honors the work of Vivienne Jabri, Christopher Mitchell, and I. William Zartman. Organizer and Chair at the 56th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA, February 17-21, 2015.

Everyday Agency in Peacebuilding and Post-Conflict Recovery. Chair at the 56th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA, February 17-21, 2015.

PEACE Honors the work of Cynthia Enloe, Abdul Said and John Paul Lederach. Organizer and Chair at the 55th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Toronto, Canada, March 26-29, 2014.

Nonviolence: Contours and Questions. Chair and discussant at the 55th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Toronto, Canada, March 26-29, 2014.

Towards Vertically-Integrated Peacebuilding: Bridging Top-down and Bottom-up Approaches. Pre-conference workshop at the Peace and Justice Studies Association Annual Conference. Waterloo, ON. October 17, 2013.

Integrating Core Theories of Conflict Resolution Across Disciplines. Pre-conference training session offered at the 6th International Summit on Conflict Resolution Education. Cleveland, OH. June 12-17, 2013.

Peace and Conflict Resolution: Building a New Agenda. Chair and discussant at the 54th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA. April 3-6, 2013.

Divided Societies in Comparative Perspective. Poster session discussant at the 53rd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Diego, CA. April 1-4, 2012.

Confronting Challenges in Learning and Reflective Practice in Peacebuilding. Roundtable Participant at the 52nd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Quebec. March 15th—19th, 2011.

Local Peacebuilding and National Peace: Interaction between Grassroots and Elite Processes. Panel Chair at the 52nd Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Montreal, Quebec. March 15th—19th, 2011.

“Mainstreaming Peace and Conflict Studies: Designing Introductory Courses in Peace and Conflict Studies to Fit Liberal Arts Education Requirements.” With Patrick G. Coy. Workshop conducted for the 3rd International Conference on Conflict Resolution Education. March 26th & 27th, 2010. Cleveland, OH.

After Intervention: Iraq, Afghanistan and Bosnia. Panel Discussant at the 51st Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA. February 16th—20th, 2010

Nationalism and Conflict. Panel Discussant for the Mid-West Political Science Association’s 67th Annual National Conference, April 2nd—5th, 2009. Chicago, IL.

Communication, Culture, Psychology: Approaches to Understanding Violent Conflicts. Workshop Discussant for the 49th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA. March 26th—29th, 2008.

Leaders, Fixers, and Spoilers in Peace Processes: Northern Ireland and Cyprus in Comparative Perspective. Panel Discussant for the 49th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA. March 26th—29th, 2008.

Peacemaking & Peacebuilding: From Grassroots to Institutional Approaches. Panel Discussant for the 49th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA. March 26th—29th, 2008.

Emerging Discourse in Conflict Resolution: Bridging Academia to Post Conflict Realities on the Ground. Panel chair and discussant for the 48th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association. Chicago, IL, February 28th—March 3rd, 2007.

Prospects for Conflict Resolution. Panel Chair and Discussant for the Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, April 7-10, 2005. Chicago, IL.

Conflict and Human Security I: Theoretical Explanations. Panel Discussant for the International Studies Association annual meeting, Mar. 17-20, 2004. Montreal, Canada.

Bosnia: a critique of the global response, Panel Discussant at “Managing World Chaos: Is America responsible?” The World Affairs Council or Northern California’s 49th Annual weekend conference, May 5-7, 1995. Asilomar, California.

MEDIA APPEARANCES

North Korea: War of Words? “World Class” Podcast Episode 2, published October 3, 2017 at: <https://www.kent.edu/ci/global/world-class-podcast/2>

Local Zones of Peace: Communities Withdrawing from Conflict. “Insight on Conflict” interview and podcast with Rauri Nolan, Head of Research and Engagement for Peace Direct, published January 24, 2013 at: <https://www.peaceinsight.org/blog/2013/01/zones-of-peace-landon-e-hancock/>

RESEARCH & POLICY APPOINTMENTS

United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office, New York, NY

Local Peacebuilding Advisor, UN Secretary General’s Peacebuilding Fund. 2021-2022.
Member of Design, Monitoring & Evaluation Team, Financing for Peacebuilding Branch.

United States Institute of Peace, Washington, DC

Research Assistant to Mr. Graham Day, Senior Jennings Randolph Fellow, 2000-2001.
Project focus on role of law and order and international policing in post-conflict environments.

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA

- Office of the Vice-Provost for Strategic Planning
Research Assistant to Dr. Linda A. Schwartzstein, 2000. Project focus on evaluation of fairness in divorce mediation programs.
- Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution.
Editorial Assistant to Drs. Tamra Pearson d’Estrée & Bonnie Colby, 1999-2000.
Project focus on evaluating cases of environmental conflict resolution and the creation of a framework, guidebook and case book of examples.
- *Graduate Research Assistant to Dr. Dennis J. D. Sandole*, 1997-1999.
- *Editorial Assistant to Dr. Ho-Won Jeong*, 1998.

RESOLVE, Center for Environmental Conflict Resolution, Research and Education. Washington, DC. Research Fellow to Dr. Juliana Birkhoff, Research Director, 1999-2000. Projects including creation of environmental conflict resolution case database and research on best practices for public participation in large dam projects.

Initiative on Conflict Resolution and Ethnicity. Univ. of Ulster, Magee Campus. Derry/Londonderry, Northern Ireland. Summer Intern, 1998.

PHD DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Chair, Felix Akinboyea (in progress)

Chair, Mehdi Haghighi (Fall 2023)

“Persian Heritage and Tajik Ethnic and National Identity: The Effect of Common Cultural Identities on Tajik-Iranian Diplomatic and Cultural Relationships.”

Chair, Adhik Badal (Fall 2023)

“Ethnic Uprising in Nepal’s Tarai: The Making of Madhesi Identity in the Post-Civil War Transition.”

Chair, Laine Seliga (Fall 2023)

“Unpacking the Gendered Discourse of Peace Policy: A Feminist Post-Structural Analysis of the United Nations’ Peacebuilding Commission’s Gender Strategy.”

Chair, Maxwell Adjei (Fall 2022)

“Assessing the role of National Peace Infrastructures in Conflict Prevention: A Study of Ghana’s National Peace Council.”

Co-chair (with Julie Mazzei), Sweta Sen (Fall 2019)

“When Rebels Talk Human Rights: Non-State Armed Groups and Humanitarian Agreements.”

Chair, Anuj Gurung (Summer 2019).

“Anatomy of Resettlement: Mixed-Method Research on Bhutanese Refugees.”

Co-chair (with Patrick Coy), Aysegul Keskin-Zeren (Spring 2014).

“Iraq’s De-Ba’athification: Analyzing the degrees which the implemented policy reflected the particular rationales.”

Co-chair (with Andrew Barnes), Glen Duerr (Summer 2012).

“Talking with nationalists and patriots: an examination of ethnic and civic approaches to nationalism and their outcomes in Quebec and Flanders.”

Co-chair (with Andrew Barnes), Elena Pokalova (Fall 2011).

“Shifting faces of terror after 9/11: framing the terrorist threat.”

Member, Michaela Gawrys (Geography, in progress)

Member, Harun Rashid (in progress)

Member, Passmore Chishaka (History, Summer 2023)

Member, Quintin W.O. Myers (Sociology, Spring 2021)

Member, Yeo Jung Yoon (Fall 2018)

Member, William Kiskowski (Geography, Summer 2017)

Member, Amber Thorne-Hamilton (Fall 2016).

Member, Alireza Raisi (Summer 2016)

Member, Mustafa Ozguler (Fall 2008).

Graduate Faculty Representative, Muhammad Farooq (English, Summer 2023)
Graduate Faculty Representative, William Kreiter (Sociology, Spring 2021)
Graduate Faculty Representative, Kathryn Hannum (Geography, Summer 2020)
Graduate Faculty Representative, John Mercer (History, Fall 2016)
Graduate Faculty Representative, Joshua Murray (English, Spring 2016)
Graduate Faculty Representative, Cadey Korson (Geography, Summer 2015)
Graduate Faculty Representative, Munshi Rahman (Geography, Fall 2014)

External Examiner, Maria Lucia Zapata-Cancelado (Peace and Conflict Studies,
University of Manitoba, Summer 2020)

MA THESIS COMMITTEES

Chair, Ildem Esin, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Spring 2020)
“The United Nations: A Peacebuilding Partner and Paragon. A Study of
Complementarity in the UN’s Peacebuilding Architecture.”

Chair, Cyan Khoo, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Fall 2019)
“National Identity in Nation Building – The Study of Intergroup Contact
Theory in Singapore.”

Chair, Katharina Valjak, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Spring 2019)
“The Creation of a Fear of Extinction: A Case Study of Rakhine-Rohingya
Identity Boundaries in Rakhine State, Myanmar, Between 2012 and
2017.”

Member, Maria Ahn, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Fall 2019)
Member, Sejeong Jeon, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Fall 2019)
Member, Adrienne Wu, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Spring 2019)
Member, Yeajea Kim, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Spring 2019)
Member, Wonkyung Bong, Graduate Institute of Peace Studies (Spring 2019)
Member, Lisa Seymour (Fall 2010)

HONORS THESIS COMMITTEES

Chair, Jessica Chapman (Spring 2016)
“American Exceptionalism and its Malleability: An examination of
Presidential rhetoric in State of the Union Addresses.”

Co-chair (with Patrick Coy), Anne Lucas (Fall 2010).
“Strategic nonviolence and humor: their synergy and its limitations: a case
study of nonviolent struggle led by Serbia’s Otpor.”

Member, Remona Dowell (Fall 2013)

OTHER STUDENT COMMITTEES

MA Capstone Director, Matthew Bado (Spring 2020)
Chair, MA Two Paper Option Committee, Elena Pokalova (Spring 2010)

PEER REVIEWING & REFEREEING

Reviewer of book manuscripts and/or proposals for:

- Georgetown University Press
- Kent State University Press
- Lexington Books
- Oxford University Press
- Palgrave Publishers
- Routledge Press
- Rowman & Littlefield
- Sage Publications
- US Institute of Peace Press

Reviewer of journal articles submitted to:

- *Asian Journal of Peacebuilding*
- *British Journal of Middle Eastern Studies*
- *Cambridge Review of International Affairs*
- *Conflict Resolution Quarterly*
- *Cooperation and Conflict*
- *Ethnic and Racial Studies*
- *Ethnopolitics*
- *Foreign Policy Analysis*
- *Globalizations*
- *Humanity & Society*
- *International Journal of Transitional Justice*
- *International Studies Review*
- *Intervention & Statebuilding*
- *Irish Studies Review*
- *Journal of Comparative Politics*
- *Journal of Ethics & International Affairs*
- *Journal of Pacifism and Nonviolence*
- *Journal of Peace Research*
- *Journal of Peacebuilding and Development*
- *Journal of Punjab Studies*
- *Narrative & Conflict*
- *National Identities*
- *Nationalism & Ethnic Politics*
- *Negotiation Journal*
- *Peace and Conflict Studies*
- *Peacebuilding*
- *Peace Research*
- *Political Psychology*
- *Research in Social Movements, Conflicts & Change*
- *World Development Journal*

Editorial Board Member for *Conflict Resolution Quarterly*, 2017—Present.

Editorial Review Board Member for the *Pathfinder* series of working papers at the Monterey Institute for International Studies, 2013-2015

Evaluator for the 2020-21 Fulbright Open Study Awards (social sciences panel)

Peer reviewer for the Korean American Educational Commission's evaluation of Korean applicants to teach in US universities.

Post-grant reviewer for the Economic & Social Research Council, United Kingdom, 2009.

Peer Reviewer for the European Research Council for its ERC 2015 Advanced Grant proposals.

Peer Reviewer for the Franklin Research Grant of the American Philosophical Society, 2014, 2016-2017, 2019-2020.

SCHOOL OF PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES SERVICE

Faculty Evaluation Committee, 2017-2018, 2019-2022 (Chair)

Ad-Hoc Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2017-2018, 2019-2021, 2022-2023

Representative to College Advisory Committee, 2017-2018, 2019-2021

SPCS Graduate Coordinator, 2023--

SPCS Liaison to the Political Science Graduate Committee, 2022--

SPCS Director Review Committee, 2022-2023 (Co-Chair)

SPCS Faculty Search Committee, 2020-2021 (Chair)

SPCS Faculty Search Committee, 2019-2020 (Chair)

SPCS Director Search Committee, 2017-18 (Chair)

SPCS Faculty Search Committee (two positions), 2016-2017 (Chair)

Ad-Hoc SPCS Strategic Hiring Plan Committee, 2017 (Chair)

Ad-Hoc SPCS Proposal Development Committee, 2015-2017

POLITICAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Faculty Advisory Committee, 2011-2013, 2015-2017

Faculty Evaluation Committee, 2014-2015 (Chair)

Ad-Hoc FEC Reform Committee, 2014-2015

Ad-Hoc Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2012-2013, 2015-2017

CACM Committee, 2006-2017

Graduate Studies Committee, 2006-2008, 2009-2013, 2016-2017

Undergraduate Studies Committee, 2015-2016

CAM Examination Committee 8/14, 8/15 (Chair), 1/16, 8/16 (Chair), 8/17 (Chair)

TCPP Examination Committee 8/07, 1/08, 8/08 (Chair), 1/12, 8/12 (Chair), 1/13

Search Committee (Transnational/Comparative) 2007-2008

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Promotion to Full Professor ad hoc Committee, Pan African Studies, 2020-21

Review Panel Member, 2019-2020 Outstanding Research Scholar Award and New Faculty Outstanding Research Scholar Award.

College of Arts & Sciences Representative to Provost's Advisory Committee, 2019-2021
 College of Arts and Sciences, College Advisory Committee, 2017-2018, 2019-2021
 University Requirements Curriculum Committee (Alternate), 2017-2018
 Ad Hoc Classroom Improvements Committee for Bowman Hall, 2007-2008
Applied for State funding and participated in equipment & furniture choice for Bowman Hall classroom improvements.

SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE

External reviewer for promotion to full professor, Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution, George Mason University, August 2023.

External reviewer for tenure and promotion, Department of History and Political Science, Centenary College of Louisiana, May 2023.

External reviewer for tenure and promotion, Department of Peace and Conflict Studies, Conrad Grebel University College, University of Waterloo, Nov. 2021

External reviewer for tenure and promotion. Department of Peace and Conflict Studies, University of North Carolina, Greensboro. August 2020.

External reviewer for promotion to Senior Lecturer. Graduate Program in Conflict Resolution and Negotiation, Bar Ilan University. April 2020.

Conference Co-Chair (with Patrick G. Coy), "Commemorating Violent Conflicts & Building Sustainable Peace." Combined conference of the Peace History Society (PHS) & the Peace Studies Section of the International Studies Association (PSS/ISA). Kent, OH October 24-26, 2019.

External reviewer for administrative faculty promotion. School of Conflict Analysis & Resolution, George Mason University. October 2019.

External reviewer for promotion to Full Professor, Stonehill College. September 2016.

International Studies Association (ISA) Chair of the Peace Studies Section & member of ISA Governing Council. April 2012-2016.

International Studies Association (ISA) Member of Executive Committee for the Peace Studies Section. March 2010 to April 2012.

Chair, Kenneth E. Boulding Award Committee for the best graduate student paper presented at the ISA's Annual Convention in 2011, 2023, 2024.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

May 18 Memorial Foundation, Gwangju, Republic of Korea
 Nomination Committee member for the 2021 Gwangju Prize for Human Rights and Special Prize for Human Rights.

Todos de la Paz, Bogota, Colombia
 Provided consulting services to nonprofit organization to assist in their preparation to support Colombia's fall 2016 peace agreement referendum.

Consulted with Dr. Fanie du Toit, UNDP representative for peacebuilding and reconciliation in Iraq, on best practices for establishing zones of peace and infrastructures for peace in post-conflict Iraq. August 2016.

Provided Consulting Services on the Role of Narratives of Identity in Conflict & Conflict Resolution to US Federal Government Agency through contracting agency CENTRA Technologies. Spring 2016.

Cuyahoga Community College (Tri-C) Global Issues Resource Center.
Advisory Board Member: January 2009-2013
Certificate Program Consultation, Training & Design, 2008-2013

Kent City Council and City Manager.
Presented options to Kent City Council on responses to 2009 College Fest riots and consulted with City Manager to write job description for Community/University Liaison position. May 2009 through January 2010.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Studies Association (ISA)
Member of ISA sections on Peace Studies, Ethnicity, Nationalism and Migration, Feminist Theory and Gender Studies, and Global South Caucus
Peace History Society