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FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Political Science, International Relations, International Law

CURRENT POSITIONS

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, Department of Political Science

Associate Professor (non-tenured), June 2015 - present

Assistant Professor, January 2007 - June 2015

Member, Arnold A. Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies January 2007 - present

CALIFORNIA STATE BAR, Member (since 2006)

EDUCATION

March 2005	STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Stanford, California Ph.D in Political Science
June 2002	HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, Massachusetts Juris Doctorate
June 1993	HARVARD UNIVERSITY, Cambridge, Massachusetts A.M. Regional Studies: Russia, Eastern Europe, & Central Asia
June 1991	UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, Salt Lake City, Utah Honors B.U.S, Soviet Studies, <i>magna cum laude</i> B.A. Russian Language & Literature, <i>magna cum laude</i>

PUBLISHED RESEARCH

Book:

Courts Without Borders: Law, Politics and U.S. Extraterritoriality, Cambridge University Press (2016)

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles (co-authors listed alphabetically)

“Mingling and Strategic Augmentation of International Legal Obligations”
(forthcoming at *International Organization*)

“International Law and Voter Preferences: The Case of Foreign Human Rights Violations” (with Jacob Shapiro), *Human Rights Review* 18:3, 243-262 (2017).

“Design in Context: Existing International Agreements and New Cooperation” (with Mark C. Copelovitch) *International Organization* 68:2, (Spring 2014)

- “Courts Without Borders: Domestic Sources of U.S. Extraterritoriality in the Regulatory Sphere”
International Organization, 63: 459-490, (Summer 2009)
- “State Militarism and Its Legacies: Why Military Reform Has Failed in Russia” (with Alexander Golts)
 in *International Security*, Vol 29, No. 2, (Fall 2004)
- “Detecting Nuclear Material in International Container Shipping: Criteria for Secure Systems” (with
 Michael May and Dean Wilkening) in *Journal of Physical Security* 1:1 (Fall 2004)

Book Chapters and Monographs (co-authors listed alphabetically)

- Report: Regional Consultation for North America*, June 1-2, 2017 Academic Platform for the 2020 Treaty
 Body Review, Columbia University and the Geneva Academy, <https://www.geneva-academy.ch/>
- “Human Rights and Sustainable Peace” in Stephen J. Stedman, Donald Rothchild and Elizabeth
 Cousens, eds., *Ending Civil Wars: The Implementation of Peace Agreements*, Boulder: Lynne Rienner,
 2002
- Communicating Nuclear Risk: Informing the Public About the Risks and Realities of Nuclear Terrorism*, Stanford
 University, Center for International Security and Cooperation (Monograph), September 2002
- “International Response to Cyber Crime” (with David Elliott) in Abraham D. Sofaer and Seymour E.
 Goodman eds., *The Transnational Dimension of Cyber Crime and Terrorism*, Stanford: Hoover
 Institution Press, 2001
- Talking Across Disciplines in the Study of Peace and Security* (with David Dessler), Stanford University:
 Center for International Security and Arms Control Conference Report (Monograph), 1996
- “Russia, Central Asia, and the Caucasus” in *Damage Limitation or Crisis: Russia and the Outside World*
 (Robert D. Blackwill and Sergei Karaganov, eds.) Brassey’s Inc., 1994.

WORKS IN PROGRESS (co-authors listed alphabetically)

Book Manuscript: *Indeterminacy in International Law and Politics*

- “Mutating Obligations in Treaty Practice” “Looking for Constraint in All the Wrong Places? Legal
 Oversight and Civilian Victimization in International Armed Conflicts” (with Alexander
 Downes)
- “Not Our Business: Examining the Effects of Cutting Off U.S. Court Jurisdiction for
 Extraterritorial Human Rights Claims”,
- “Rethinking Approaches to the Design of International Institutions” (with Marc Copelovitch)
- “Is Treaty Pessimism Premature? Theorizing Demand for Human Rights Violations” (with Jacob
 Shapiro),
- “Racially Targeted Weapons: The Law, Ethics, and Politics of Biological Weaponry in the Age of the
 Genome”

BOOK REVIEWS

- Review essay on *The Cultural Politics of Human Rights: Comparing the U.S. & the U.K.* by Kate Nash, and
The Leading Rogue State: the United States and Human Rights by Judith Blau *et al* (eds.) in
Contemporary Sociology, 9:6, November 2010, 668-671 and “Invited Response”
- Review of *The Perils of Global Legalism* by Eric Posner, *Political Science Quarterly*, 125:4 Winter 2010-2011
- Review of *Nations, States, and Violence* by David Laitin, *Political Science Quarterly*, 123:4 Winter 2008-2009
- Review of *Acceptable Risks: Politics, Policy and Risky Technologies* by C.F. Larry Heimann, *Journal of
 Contingencies and Crisis Management*, 8:4, December 2000

TEACHING

2014 - 2015	Graduate Dissertation Seminar in Political Science
2007, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2018	Graduate Seminar on International Law and Institutions, Columbia University
2009	Graduate Seminar on Transnationalism, Columbia University
2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016-2018	International Law, Columbia University
2010, 2013	Seminar on Human Rights: International Migration, Columbia University
2007-2010, 2013	Introduction to International Relations, Columbia University
2007, 2008	Introduction to Human Rights, Columbia University
2004, 2005	Undergraduate Honors Program for Interdisciplinary Research in Security Studies, CISAC, Stanford University (Teaching Assistant)
March 2005	The Strategic Dilemmas of Small States, Georgian Foundation for Strategic and International Studies (GFSIS), Tbilisi, Georgia (Lecture Series in Mid-Career Program),
1990-1991	First Year Russian Series, Department of Languages & Literature, University of Utah

PH.D. DISSERTATION SPONSORSHIPS & COMMITTEES

Leyla Kazemi (2008)	United Nations (Contractor)
Stefano Recchia (2011)	Cambridge University
Suzanne Katzenstein (2011)	Duke University
Michael Broache (2013)	University of North Carolina
Robert Chamberlin (2014)	West Point
Kate Cronin Furman (2015)	University College London
Stephanie Schwartz (2018)	University of Southern California
Egor Lazarev (2018)	University of Toronto
Erik Lin Greenberg (2019)	American University
Jacob Kopas (2019)	Earth Justice
Joonseok Yang	(ongoing)
Theo Milonopolous	(ongoing)
Alexander de la Paz (Sponsor)	(ongoing)

FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

2018	Columbia University Graduate Council Advising Award (one of two in Arts and Sciences)
2018	Columbia Political Science Graduate Student Association Award for Outstanding Graduate Mentoring
2016	Lenfest Junior Faculty Development Grant (Columbia University)
2012	Columbia Political Science Graduate Student Association Award for Outstanding Graduate Mentoring
Fall 2008	ISERP Seed Grant for “Cooperation By Design? Uncertainty, Context, and International Agreements” (with Mark Copelovitch)

Fall 2006	Visiting Scholar, Center for International Security & Cooperation (CISAC), Stanford University
2005-2006	Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Center for Globalization & Governance, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University
2005-2006	Global Fellows Post-Doctoral Fellowship, University of California Los Angeles (declined)
2004-2005	Department of Homeland Security Pre-/Post-Doctoral Fellow, CISAC, Stanford University
2004	CISAC Fellow at Institute for Qualitative Methods Research (IQRM), Arizona State University
2003-2004	Pre-Doctoral Fellow, CISAC, Stanford University
2000-2001	Littlefield Dissertation Fellowship, Stanford Institute for International Studies, Stanford University
2000-2001	MacArthur Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, CISAC, Stanford University (declined)
2000	Lily M. and Henry J. Budde Fellowship, Department of Political Science Stanford University
1997-1998	Graduate Student Fellow, Davis Center for Russian Studies, Harvard University
1991-1993	Russian Research Center Scholarship, Harvard University
June 1991	Honors Baccalaureate Award, University of Utah (one of two university-wide)
June 1991	Benson Award for Best Research Paper of the Year in Political Science, University of Utah
1991	Member, Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, and Golden Key Honor Societies

INVITED TALKS

March 2018	International Relations Speaker Series, Department of Politics, University of Pennsylvania
October 2017	International Relations Workshop, George Washington University
June 2015	International Politics Series, SOAS, University of London
February 2014	Comparative & International Relations Workshop, McGill University
April 2012	International Relations Workshop, Yale University
January 2012	Georgetown University International Theory and Research Seminar (GUITARS), Georgetown University
October 2011	International Law and Politics Colloquium, Cornell University
April 2011	International Relations Seminar Series, University of Wisconsin, Madison
March 2011	Seminar on Governance, Columbia Law School
February 2011	Seminar on Global Governance and Democracy, Duke University
November 2010	Workshop on Extraterritoriality, Southwestern Law School
September 2009	Roundtable on <i>Does the Constitution Follow the Flag</i> , Temple University School of Law
February 2008	International Law Colloquium, University of Georgia Law School
November 2007	International Relations Speaker Series, Department of Politics, University of Pennsylvania
October 2007	International Law Weekend, City Bar Association of New York City
May 2007	Program on International Security Policy (PISP), University of Chicago
May 2007	Sokol Colloquium in International Law, University of Virginia Law School
March 2007	International Law Scholars Workshop, Yale Law School

November 2006	Advanced Workshop in International Law and Politics, Stanford Law School
November 2006	Social Science Seminar, CISAC, Stanford University
March 2006	Workshop on Territoriality, UCLA Law School

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Why We Shouldn’t Hate Compliance” Presented at International Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, April 2018

Roundtable on *Voluntary Disruptions: International Soft Law, Power, and Finance* by Abraham Newman and Elliot Posner, International Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, April 2018

“Applied Legality as a Concept—And a Process” Presented at APSA Annual Meeting September, San Francisco, September 2017

“Distinguishing Legal Clarification and Enforcement in International Dispute Settlement” Presented at Northwestern University Workshop on Judicialization, May 2017, APSA Annual Meeting September, Philadelphia, PA, September 2016, and IPES Annual Meeting, Durham, N.C., November 2016

“The Law and Politics of Treaty Drift” Presented at the “Landscapes of Law” workshop at Princeton University, April 2016

“Mutating Obligations in Treaty Practice” presented at APSA Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, September 2015

“Not Our Business: Examining the Effects of Cutting Off U.S. Court Jurisdiction for Extraterritorial Human Rights Claims”, Presented at the Northwestern University Workshop on Judicialization, June 2015

“Looking for Constraint in All the Wrong Places? Legal Oversight and Civilian Victimization in International Armed Conflicts” (with Alexander Downes) presented at APSA Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., September 2014

“Distinguishing Legal Clarification and Enforcement in International Dispute Settlement” presented at International Studies Association Annual Conference, April 2013

“Rethinking Approaches to the Design of International Institutions” (with Marc Copelovitch), presented at APSA Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., September 2010

“Over-Selling Enforcement in International Law and International Relations” presented at International Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, April 2013

“Back to Bedrock with U.S. Extraterritoriality? Safeguarding Domestic Rule Integrity as a Touchstone for Judicial Action” Presented at the American Society of International Law Annual Convention, Washington D.C., March 2011

“Rationality in Context: Rethinking Approaches to the Design of International Institutions” (with Marc Copelovitch, University of Wisconsin, Madison), presented at APSA Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., September 2010

“Uncertainty, Context and the Duration of International Agreements” (with Marc Copelovitch, University of Wisconsin, Madison), presented at APSA Annual Meeting 2007, the International Studies Association Annual Conference, March 2008, and the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, March 2009

“Is Treaty Pessimism Premature? Theorizing Demand for Human Rights Violations” (with Jacob Shapiro, Princeton University), presented at the International Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, March 2008

“Racially Targeted Weapons: The Law, Ethics, and Politics of Biological Weaponry in the Age of the Genome”, presented at ISA Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 2006
 “Courts Without Borders: Domestic Sources of U.S. Extraterritorial Regulation” presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., 2005.
 “Extraterritorial Jurisdiction and U.S. Court Autonomy in Foreign Affairs”, presented at the International Studies Association Annual Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii, March 2005
 “Alien Tort Claims Act Alarmism and U.S. Federal Court Behavior: An Empirical Corrective”, presented at the Hawaii International Conference on the Social Sciences, Honolulu Hawaii, June 2004

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

2007, 2008, 2010, Graduate Ph.D. Admissions Committee
 2011, 2013 - 2019
 2007-2017 Co-Organizer for the Columbia University International Politics Seminar (CUIPS)
 2016 Mini APSA Chairperson
 2015 IR Faculty Search Committee
 2013, 2014 Department Fellowships Committee
 2010 Committee for Review of Methods Requirements for Undergraduate Majors

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2007-present Member of the Saltzman Institute for War and Peace Studies
 2007-present Member of the Board, Institute for the Study of Human Rights
 2015-2016 Member Lecturer Hiring Committee at Institute for the Study of Human Rights
 2010-2011 Member of Steering Committee for Harriman Human Rights Project 2010-2011
 2009-2017 M.A. Program Admissions for Institute for the Study of Human Rights

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER

American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, International Organization, International Security, International Interactions, International Studies Review, International Studies Quarterly, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Politics, International Theory, Political Science Research and Methods, World Politics

RELATED EXPERIENCE

DOMESTIC PREPAREDNESS PROJECT, CISAC, STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Stanford California (2002-2003)

- Project Coordinator and Consultant for Department of Homeland Security and State Department on preparations and scenario design for the Top Officials (TOPOFF-2) Exercise involving mock terrorist attacks in two U.S. cities
- On-site observer in Seattle, Washington for TOPOFF-2 Full Scale Exercise (FSE), May 12-17, 2003
- Editor-in-Chief, Final Report to Secretary Ridge evaluating the performance of various institutions and actors during the FSE, the exercise scenario, and the exercise staff

U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, Boston, Massachusetts (*Spring 2002*)

- Intern for two Assistant U.S. Attorneys, Economic Crimes Unit
- Assisted in law enforcement investigations and prepared legal memos for active cases

GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA, The Hague, Netherlands (*1998-1999*)

- 'Counsel and Advisor' on Namibia's international legal team in the Dispute Concerning Kasikili /Sedudu Island (Namibia/Botswana). Assisted in Namibia's written submissions to the International Court of Justice. Contributed to drafting and presentation of Namibia's Oral Argument before the Court, 15 February – 5 March 1999

PRISON LEGAL ASSISTANCE PROJECT, HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, Cambridge, Massachusetts (*1997-1999*)

- Student Attorney, assisting in written submissions for parole hearings and inmate preparation
- Advocate for inmates facing internal disciplinary charges

COMMITTEE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE, Belfast, Northern Ireland (*Summer 1997*)

- Legal assistant in cases of possible miscarriage of justice arising from British anti-terrorism measures and Northern Irish emergency legislation for submission to the Criminal Cases Review Commission
- Authored an *amicus curiae* brief on Right to Counsel submitted to the House of Lords July 23, 1997
- Human rights monitor observing conduct of Northern Irish Police and British Security Forces during riots and contentious parades

KENNEDY SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT, HARVARD UNIVERSITY, Cambridge Massachusetts (*1993-1994*)

- Managing Editor, *Damage Limitation or Crisis: Russia and the Outside World*, Brassy's Inc. 1994, (Robert D. Blackwill and Sergei Karaganov, eds.)
- Rapporteur, administrator, interpreter for Executive Programs for General Officers of the Russian Armed Forces, 1993, 1995, 1997 & 1998, and Russian State Duma Members 1994 & 1995

CONFLICT MANAGEMENT GROUP, Cambridge, Massachusetts (*1995-2000*)

- Control Team Member for extensive simulation exercise in joint planning, Executive Program for Civil-Military Planning (in cooperation with the Kennedy School of Government), October 1999 & May 2000.
- Researcher/editor of case studies in *Managing Conflict in the Former Soviet Union*, Brassey's Inc., 1997 (Abram Chayes and Antonia Handler Chayes, eds.), field research in Moscow