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Education

Ph.D. in government	Harvard University	June 1997
A.M. in government	Harvard University	June 1995
A.B. in history and political science, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Duke University	May 1991

Professional Appointments

Associate Professor (with tenure), September 2005 to present
Assistant Professor, September 1998 to September 2005
Lecturer (part-time), September 1997 to September 1998

Research and Teaching Interests

International relations theories
Security studies
United States foreign policy
Grand strategies of the great powers
Political psychology
International history and politics

Publications

Books

Neoclassical Realism, the State, and Foreign Policy (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2009); co-editor with Norrin M. Ripsman and Steven E. Lobell; simultaneous paperback and hard cover editions, 275 pp.

Balancing Risks: Great Power Intervention in the Periphery, Cornell Studies in Security Affairs, (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2004), hard cover, 320 pp.

Winner of the 2005 Robert L. Jervis-Paul W. Schroeder Prize for the Best Book in International History and Politics, American Political Science Association.

Refereed Journal Articles

- "State Building for Future War: Neoclassical Realism and the Resource Extractive State," *Security Studies*, vol. 15, no. 3 (July-September 2006): 464-95.
- "Power Politics and the Balance-of-Risk: Hypotheses on Great Power Intervention in the Periphery," *Political Psychology*, vol. 25, no. 2 (March 2004): 177-211.
- "Realism, Power Shifts, and Major War," *Security Studies*, vol. 10, no. 4 (summer 2001): 145-78.
- "Security-Seeking under Anarchy: Defensive Realism Reconsidered," *International Security*, vol. 25, no. 3 (winter 2000/2001): 128-61.
- "Correspondence: Brother, Can You Spare a Paradigm? (Or Was Anybody Ever a Realist?)," *International Security*, vol. 25, no. 1 (summer 2000): 165-93.
- "Quagmires in the Periphery: Foreign Wars and Escalating Commitment in International Conflict," *Security Studies*, vol. 7, no. 3 (spring 1998): 94-144.
- "Quagmires in the Periphery: Foreign Wars and Escalating Commitment in International Conflict," *CFIA Working Paper 97-6*, Cambridge: Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, 1997.

Chapters in Edited Volumes

- "Introduction: Neoclassical Realism, States, and Foreign Policy" (with Steven E. Lobell and Norrin M. Ripsman) in *Neoclassical Realism, the State, and Foreign Policy*, ed. Lobell, Ripsman, and Taliaferro (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2009)
- "Neoclassical Realism and Resource Extraction: State Building for Future War" in *Neoclassical Realism, the State, and Foreign Policy*, ed. Lobell, Ripsman, and Taliaferro (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2009)
- "Conclusion: The State of Neoclassical Realism," (with Norrin M. Ripsman and Steven E. Lobell) *Neoclassical Realism, the State, and Foreign Policy*, ed. Lobell, Ripsman, and Taliaferro (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2009)
- "Neoclassical Realism: Prestige, Loss Aversion, and Great Power Intervention," in *Making Sense of International Relations Theory*, ed. Jennifer Sterling Folker (Boulder, Colo.: Lynne Rienner, 2005).

Books in Progress

- The Primacy of American Power: Realism and U.S. Grand Strategy, 1940-present* (advance contract from Routledge; expected publication 2011)
- Grand Strategy in the Interwar Period* (co-edited book project with Steven E. Lobell and Norrin M. Ripsman; manuscript to be submitted to Cambridge University Press, September 2010)

Clear and Future Dangers: Preventive War and Preemption Across History (single authored book manuscript in preparation)

Articles and Book Chapters in Progress or Forthcoming

(Co-authored with Steven E. Lobell and Norrin M. Ripsman) "Introduction: Rethinking Great Power Grand Strategies between the World Wars," in *Grand Strategy in the Interwar Period*, ed. Jeffrey W. Taliaferro, Norrin M. Ripsman, and Steven E. Lobell (manuscript to be submitted to Cambridge University Press, September 2010)

"A Strategy of Innocence or Provocation? The Roosevelt Administration and the Road to the Second World War, 1937-1941," in *Grand Strategy in the Interwar Period*, ed. Jeffrey W. Taliaferro, Norrin M. Ripsman, and Steven E. Lobell (manuscript to be submitted to Cambridge University Press, September 2010)

"The Road from 9/11 to Baghdad: Neoclassical Realism and the Origins of the Bush Doctrine" in *Making Sense of International Relations Theory II*, ed. Jennifer Sterling-Folker (Boulder, Colo.: Lynne Rienner, forthcoming)

"Prospect Theory and Foreign Policy Analysis," *International Studies Compendia: Section Volume Series* (London: Blackwell Publishers, forthcoming)

"Neoclassical Realism and Regional Orders" (article manuscript in progress)

"Japan's Rise

Review Essays

H-Net Diplo Roundtable, vol. VIII, no. 14 (2007): Tony Smith, *A Pact with the Devil: the Bush Doctrine and the Betrayal of the American Promise* (London: Routledge, 2007), available at <<http://www.h-net.org/~diplo/roundtables/PDF/APactWithTheDevil-Roundtable.pdf>>

"Hegemonic Delusions," *The Fletcher Forum of World Affairs*, vol. 31, no. 2 (summer 2007) [review essay of Christopher Layne, *The Peace of Illusions: American Grand Strategy from 1940 to the Present* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2006) and Tony Smith, *A Pact with the Devil: the Bush Doctrine and the Betrayal of the American Promise* (London: Routledge, 2007)]

Book Reviews

Kevin Narizny, *Political Economy of Grand Strategy* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2007) in *International Studies Review*, vol. 10, no. 2 (June 2008).

Colin Dueck, *Reluctant Crusaders: Power, Culture, and Change in American Grand Strategy* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2006) in *Perspectives on Politics*, vol. 5, no. 1 (February 2007).

Sheldon M. Stern, *Averting "The Final Failure": John F. Kennedy and the Secret Cuban Missile Crisis Meetings* (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2003) in *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, vol. 34, no. 2 (June 2004).

D.S.L. Jarvis, *International Relations and the Challenge of Postmodernism: Defending the Discipline* (Columbia, SC: University of South Carolina Press, 2000) in *American Political Science Review*, vol. 95, no. 1 (March 2001).

Ken Booth, ed. *Statecraft and Security: The Cold War and Beyond* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1998) in *Journal of Cold War Studies*, vol. 1, no. 2 (fall 1999).

General Interest Publications

"What Was at Stake in the Korean War?" and "Did Eisenhower Plan to Use Nuclear Weapons in Korea?" in *History in Dispute Encyclopedia: The Cold War*, vol. 2, ed. Benjamin Frankel (Framingham Hills: St. James Press, 2000).

Conference Papers (past 5 years)

"Strategy of Innocence or Calculated Provocation? Neoclassical Realism and the Roosevelt Administration's Road to World War II, 1938-41," Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 3-6 September 2009.

"The Primacy of Power: Realism and U.S. Grand Strategy," Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, 26-29 March 2008.

"Statesmen, the State, the Balance-of-power: Neoclassical Realism and the Politics of Grand Strategic Adjustment," Paper presented at the ISSS/ISAC Annual Conference, Montreal, Canada, 18-20 October 2007.

"American Realism and the Balancing of Power: Balance-of-Power Theories and Debates on U.S. Grand Strategy (1945-2005)" Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, 30 August-2 September 2006.

Dissertation

"Cognitive Realism: Risk Taking and the Psychology of Loss Aversion in Foreign Policy," doctoral dissertation, Harvard University, 1997 (Advisors: Stanley Hoffmann and Stephen Peter Rosen).

Research Grants, Fellowships, and Awards

Summer Faculty Research Grant, AS&E Faculty Research Awards Committee, Tufts University, 2008.

Grant-in-Aid, AS&E Faculty Research Awards Committee, Tufts University, 2003

Curriculum Development Grant, Critical Thinking Program, Tufts University, 2002

Junior Faculty Research Grant, Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc., 2000-01

Mellon Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Harvard University, 1996-97

Graduate Associate, Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, 1994-97

Graduate Prize Fellowship, Harvard University, 1993-94

Mellon Dissertation Research Fellowship, Harvard University, 1994

National Science Foundation Minority Pre-dissertation Fellowship, 1991-93

Dorothy Danforth Compton Fellowship, Institute for the Study of World Politics, 1991

Robert Rapkin Award for Leadership and Academic Achievement, Duke University, 1991

Senior Leadership Award, Duke University, 1991

Phi Beta Kappa, Duke University, 1990

Courses Taught

Political Science Department: Introduction to International Relations, United States Foreign Policy, The Rise and the fall of the Great Powers, Rethinking the Cold War (sophomore or senior seminar), Realism and U.S. Grand Strategy (sophomore seminar), Force, Strategy, and Arms Control, U.S. National Security in the Twenty-First Century (senior seminar), and International Relations Theory

International Relations Program: International Research Colloquium (half-credit course, co-taught), and International Research Colloquium II (half-credit course, co-taught)

Global Master of Arts Program, The Fletcher School: Security Studies (GMAP-March)

Academic Service

Political Science Department

T&P Subcommittee on Ioannis Evrigenis's Application for Tenure (November 2009)

International Relations Search Committee (2006-07, chair)

Graduate Program Committee (2005-07)

Comparative Politics (Western Europe) Search Committee (2005-06)

Methodology Committee (2003-present, chair from 2005)

Tufts-in-Washington Program Committee (2003-05)

Comparative Politics (East Europe/Russia) Search Committee (2004-05)

Advisor, Rho Omicron Chapter, Phi Sigma Alpha (2003-05)

Director, Tufts-in-Washington Program (2001-2003)

Transfer Credit Coordinator (1999-2000)

Transfer Student Coordinator (1999-2000)

James V. Elliot Prize Committee (1999-2000)

International Political Economy Search Committee (1998-99)

Tufts Program in International Relations

IR Executive Committee (2004-present)

Faculty Advisor, Beta Chi Chapter, Sigma Iota Rho (2008-09)

IR Academic Awards Committee (2004-07)

Curriculum Committee (1999-2007, 2009-present)

Faculty of Arts, Sciences, and Engineering (AS&E) Bylaw Committees

Budget and University Priorities Committee, elected (2007-12)

Undergraduate Admissions and Financial Aid Committee (2003-09; co-chair, 2007-09)

Ad-hoc School of Arts & Sciences Committees

Advisory Task Force to the Dean of Graduate School of Arts & Sciences (2007)
Joint Fletcher School-Political Science Ph.D. Program Committee (2007-08)

Global Master of Arts Program, Fletcher School

GMAP Technology Platform Committee (2005-06)

University Committees

Institute for Global Leadership Faculty Advisory Board (2006-07)

Professional Activities

Article referee for *American Political Science Review*, *Contemporary Security Policy*, *Diplomatic History*, *International Interactions*, *International Security*, *International Studies Perspectives*, *International Studies Review*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *Review of International Studies*, *Security Studies*, and *World Politics*

Book manuscript referee for Oxford University Press, Stanford University Press, State University of New York Press, Palgrave Press/St. Martin's Press, and Routledge, Taylor, and Francis

Editorial Board, *International Studies Review* (2007-present)

Member, Diversity Committee, International Studies Association (2007-2010)

Chair, Helen Dwight Reid Award Committee, American Political Science Association (annual award for the best dissertation in international relations sub field), 2003

Member, Robert L. Jervis and Paul W. Schroeder Prize Committee, APSA International History and Politics Section (annual award for the best book in the fields of international history and politics), 2003

Term Member, Council on Foreign Relations, 1999-2004

Invited Presentations and Conferences (past 5 years)

Second Annual Tobin Project National Security Conference: Power through its Prudent Use, Ballantyne Lodge and Hotel, Charlotte, NC, 4-6 December, 2009.

Co-organizer, "Conference on Grand Strategy between the World Wars," University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, 26-27 March 2009.

First Annual Tobin Project National Security Conference,

"EUCOM 2020: Partnership Building Symposium," U.S. European Command (EUCOM) and Business Transformation Agency, U.S. Department of Defense, Edelweiss Lodge and Resort, Garmisch, Germany, 4-7 August 2008.

"The Primacy of Power: The Realism of U.S. Foreign Policy," Ambassador John and Marcia Price World Affairs Lecture Series, Hinckley Institute of Politics, University of Utah, 11 April 2008.

"Realism and U.S. Foreign Policy: The Primacy of Power," Mershon Center for International Security Studies, Ohio State University, 25 April 2007.

"U.S. Grand Strategy and American Realism: Confronting Global Power Shifts from Regional Hotspots," Bob Jones Memorial Lecture, Star Island International Affairs Conference, Star Island, NH, 23 July 2006.

Co-organizer, "Conference on Neoclassical Realism and the State," Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, 25-26 May 2006.

"After the Bush Doctrine: The Case for Prudent Realism in U.S. Foreign Policy," Sixteenth Reunion of the Tufts College Class of 1946, 21 May 2006.

"State Building for Future Wars: Neoclassical Realism and the Resource Extractive State," Program in International Politics, Security, and Economics (PIPES), University of Chicago, 1 December 2005.

Pedagogical Programs

Writing Fellows Program, Tufts University, 2002-present (PS 174: Rise and Fall of Great Powers, PS 160: Force, Strategy, and Arms Control, and PS 63: Realism and U.S. Grand Strategy)

Professional Memberships

American Political Science Association (APSA), since 1992

International Studies Association (ISA), since 1995

International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP), since 1995

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations (SHAFR), since 2008

Government Advisory Boards

Director of the Central Intelligence Agency's Historical Review Panel (HRP), since 2008

Media Exposure—Radio, Television, and Print

"7 NEWS" and "Eleven O' Clock News," WHDH-TV (Boston); "News Night with R.D. Sahl and Amanda Rossiter," New England Cable News (NECN); "Greater Boston with Emily Rooney," WGBH-TV (Boston); the "Six O' Clock News," WCVB-TV (Boston); "CBS-4 Eleven O' Clock News," WBZ-TV (Boston); and "Nitebeat with Barry Nolan," CN8-the Comcast Network (New England); and "Lester Holt Live," MSNBC (cable). Repeated radio appearances: "The Connection" and "Here and Now," WBUR-Radio (NPR affiliate station); "Marketplace," National Public Radio"; "The Exchange," New Hampshire Public Radio; and the "Boston Sunday Review," WBCN Radio, and others. On the record interviews with correspondents for *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, *Boston Globe*, *Boston Herald*, *Christian Science Monitor*, *New York Post*, *Washington Post*, Italian State News Service, Cox News Service, and others.