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Curriculum Vitae

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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

March 2022 – present	Dean School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
January 2022 – present	Vice Dean School of Law, Seton Hall University
August 2019 – March 2022	Acting Dean School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
July 2014 – August 2019	Senior Associate Dean School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
July 2008 – June 2014	Associate Dean School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
September 2005 – present	Associate Professor with Tenure School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
June 2005 – June 2008	Associate Dean of Academic Affairs School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
January 2001 – present	Director, United Nations Intensive Summer Study Program School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
August 1999 – August 2005	Assistant Professor School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University
January 1999 – July 1999	Lecturer Political Science and International Studies Departments, Ohio State University
June 1995 – December 1998	Instructor Political Science and International Studies Departments, Ohio State University
September 1992 – May 1995	Graduate Teaching and Research Associate Political Science Department, Ohio State University

EDUCATION

December 1998	Ph.D., Political Science, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio
June 1995	M.A., Political Science, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio
May 1992	B.A., <i>in honors</i> , International Studies, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Virginia

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

At the School of Diplomacy and International Relations:

- Academic: administer the School's curricula and assist with their further development; maintain and implement the academic policies and procedures of the School; approve semester and summer course schedules; serve as the School's representative on University committees dealing with academic affairs; prepare School reports and documents for the Provost's Office and the Division of Academic Affairs
- Faculty: support the hiring of full-time and adjunct faculty, including handling negotiations and paperwork; mentor and aid the professional development of School faculty; approve faculty travel for scholarship; advise faculty on tenure/promotion, research grants, and sabbaticals
- Students: coordinate undergraduate and graduate student services with the School's administrative team; handle complex advising situations; monitor student academic progress; assist with graduate and undergraduate recruitment; serve as an advisor for various student organizations and initiatives
- Administrative: develop the School's budget; manage School expenses and revenue; supervise all instructional and administrative personnel; manage School facilities and plan for future space needs; guide strategic planning efforts for the School
- External: build strategic partnerships for the School with the United Nations community, other academic institutions, and potential donors; promote School and University efforts to bring speakers and other events to campus; develop potential off-site locations for School courses and programs

As Director of the United Nations Intensive Summer Study Program:

- Program Development: designed an innovative one-week program that immerses students in the political dynamics of the United Nations by having them participate in briefings with UN delegates and staff and attend official UN meetings; direct the program for all 24 sessions over the past 23 years
- Partnerships: develop and maintain relationships with School partners in the program including the United Nations Association of the USA and the United Nations Foundation; work with various UN offices and missions to arrange for speakers, meeting access, and conference rooms at UN headquarters
- Pedagogy: manage all academic components of the program, including speaker topics, reading lists, and discussion sessions; develop all course assignments and conduct student and program assessment; provide background briefings before student interaction with each practitioner and conduct follow-up debriefings
- Recruitment: advertise the program to potential participants within and outside of Seton Hall, including internationally; review application materials from advanced undergraduate and graduate students and mid-career professionals; coordinate admissions decisions; enroll approximately 40 participants in each program (for 960 total to date), typically two-thirds drawn from other universities and one-quarter from overseas
- Logistics: work with other University offices to arrange for housing, dining, parking, and technology; organize group transportation between campus and New York City

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate: International Relations, International Organizations, United Nations System, Model United Nations, Global Governance, European Union, Peace Studies, Human Rights, and History of Diplomacy

Graduate: International Relations Theory, International Organizations, United Nations System, European Union, and Leadership

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Decisionmaking in international organizations; implementation of United Nations decisions; member state foreign policy towards the UN; relations between the UN and nongovernmental organizations; leadership at the UN; the role of the UN in building peace; UN reform

PUBLICATIONS

“Purpose-Driven Leadership: The Value in Finding Your Why.” Pages 27-33 in the American Conference of Academic Deans’ Resource Handbook for Academic Deans. Johns Hopkins University Press, 2023.

“Enhancing the Attractiveness of Joint Undergraduate and Graduate Degrees.” Capstone project blog post for the EAB Rising Higher Education Leaders Fellowship in fall 2021. Published online at www.eab.com. 1 March 2022.

“Every Silver Lining Has a Cloud: Working Methods in the UN Security Council.” *Global Governance*, special issue on the 75th anniversary of the United Nations, vol. 26, no. 2, 2020, pages 276-290.

“Building Peace through the Political Processes of the United Nations.” Pages 145-163 in The United Nations edited by Sam Daws and Natalie Samarasinghe. Volume 5: Conflict and Crisis. London, UK: SAGE Publications, 2015. (reprint from below)

“‘Nobody Can Do Everything, but Everybody Can Do Something:’ An Interview with UN Deputy Secretary-General Jan Eliasson.” *The Interdependent*, published online at www.theinterdependent.com by the United Nations Association of the USA, 12 December 2012.

“Informal Governance at the United Nations.” Pages 236-254 in the International Handbook on Informal Governance edited by Thomas Christiansen and Christine Neuhold. Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar Publishers, 2012. (adapted from Politics and Process at the United Nations below)

“The Impact of Dues Withholding on the U.S.-UN Relationship.” *White House Studies*, special issue on U.S. Presidential Leadership at the United Nations, vol. 11, no. 3, 2011, pages 261-281.

“Kofi Annan.” Pages 74-77 in volume one of the Encyclopedia of Human Rights edited by David P. Forsythe. New York, NY: Oxford University Press, 2009.

A review essay of The United Nations, Peace, and Security: From Collective Security to the Responsibility to Protect by Ramesh Thakur. *International Affairs*, vol. 83, no. 6, November 2007, pages 1196-1197.

“Politics and Values at the United Nations: Kofi Annan’s Balancing Act.” Pages 299-336 in The UN Secretary-General as a Moral Authority: Ethics and Religion in International Leadership edited by Kent J. Kille. Washington, DC: Georgetown University Press, 2007.

Politics and Process at the United Nations: The Global Dance. Lynne Rienner Publishers, 2006, ISBN: 1-58826-323-1 (hc) / 1-58826-348-7 (pb).

“Bringing Practitioner Experience into the Classroom: The United Nations Intensive Summer Study Program.” *International Studies Perspectives*, vol. 5, no. 4, November 2004, pages 325-340.

“Building Peace through the Political Processes of the United Nations.” *International Journal of Peace Studies*, vol. 9, no. 2, Autumn/Winter 2004, pages 11-29. (reprinted above)

“The Politics of US-UN Reengagement: Achieving Gains in a Hostile Environment.” *International Studies Perspectives*, vol. 5, no. 2, May 2004, pages 197-215.

“The United Nations as a Vehicle for Dialogue.” *Peace and Change*, vol. 28, no. 4, October 2003, pages 555-569.

“Learning about International Relations in a Changing World.” Part of a Forum on “How Do Textbooks Represent the Field of International Studies?” in *International Studies Review*, vol. 5, no. 3, September 2003, pages 421-426.

“The Preemptive Use of Force: Prudent Policy or Slippery Slope?” Pages 293-295 in *A Global Agenda: Issues before the 58th General Assembly of the United Nations* edited by Angela Drakulich. New York: United Nations Association of the United States of America, 2003.

“More Secretary or General? Effective Leadership at the United Nations.” Review Essay for *International Politics*, vol. 40, no. 1, March 2003, pages 137-147.

“Reforming the United Nations Security Council: A Decisionmaking Analysis.” Pages 37-67 in *Policymaking and Peace: A Multinational Anthology* edited by Stuart Nagel. New York: Lexington Books, 2003.

“Three Perspectives on Global Consensus Building: A Framework for Analysis.” Pages 265-292 in *Policymaking and Democracy: A Multinational Anthology* edited by Stuart Nagel. New York: Lexington Books, 2003. (reprint from below)

“Three Perspectives on Global Consensus Building: A Framework for Analysis.” *International Journal of Organization Theory and Behavior*, vol. 5, nos. 1-2, 2002, pages 115-140. (reprinted above)

“The Need for Effective Peacekeeping.” *Encyclopedia of Life Support Systems* edited by the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). Oxford, United Kingdom: EOLSS Publishers, 2001, 16 pages. Published on CD-ROM and online at <http://www.eolss.net>.

“The Politics of Global Consensus Building: A Comparative Analysis.” *Global Governance*, vol. 5, no. 2, April/June 1999, pages 173-201.

UNIVERSITY AND SCHOOL SERVICE

Main Representative, United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) Special Consultative Status for Seton Hall University (January 2023-present)

Search Committee for the Executive Director of the Buccino Leadership Institute, Seton Hall University (October 2022-February 2023)

Middle States Standard VII Working Group, Seton Hall University (January 2022-present)

Co-Chair of the Faculty Guide Working Group, Seton Hall University (March 2021-present)

Chair of the Committee on the Affordability of Joint Undergraduate and Graduate Degree, Seton Hall University (March 2021-May 2022)

Accelerated Program Sustainability Assessment Coordinating Committee, Seton Hall University (October 2020-present)

Distinctive Educational Experience and Programs Strategic Planning Implementation Coordinating Committee and Chair of its Growth and Intentional Investment Subcommittee (October 2020-present)

Student Success Strategic Planning Implementation Coordinating Committee and Co-Chair of its Access and Affordability Subcommittee (October 2020-present)

Strategic Planning and Contingency Group, Seton Hall University (April 2020-September 2020)

Strategic Direction and Sustainability Working Group of the Strategic Planning Committee, Seton Hall University (January 2020-March 2020)

Procurement Discussion Group, Seton Hall University (October 2018-present)

Stewardship Taskforce Committee, Seton Hall University (November 2017-November 2018)

University Budget Committee, Seton Hall University (May 2017-present)

Study Abroad Task Force, Seton Hall University (November 2014-May 2015)

Middle States Self Study Steering Committee, Seton Hall University (May 2013-November 2014)

Banner and Cognos Academic Affairs Steering Committee, Seton Hall University (March 2013-March 2015)

Improving the University Performance Appraisal Process Working Group, Seton Hall University (February 2013-November 2014)

Teaching Learning and Technology Roundtable Executive Committee, Seton Hall University (February 2013-present)

Middle States Self Study Working Group on Ambition in Outreach, Seton Hall University (Member, January 2012-November 2014; Chair, May 2013-November 2014)

Academic Success Coach, Seton Hall University (August 2011-present)

Ad-Hoc Committee for the Employment Liability Initiative, Seton Hall University (October 2010-June 2012)

International Celebration Planning Committee, Seton Hall University (September 2010-October 2010)

Recruiting Employees for Mission Committee, Seton Hall University (March 2010-May 2011)

Fire Awareness and Safety Team, Seton Hall University (October 2009-present)

Academic Affairs Budget and Fiscal Management Group, Seton Hall University (September 2009-May 2017)

Community Emergency Response Team, Seton Hall University (October 2008-present)

Chair of the Research and Education Committee of the Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability Initiative, Seton Hall University (October 2008-May 2009)

Campus Safety and Emergency Preparedness Advisory Council, Seton Hall University (September 2008-August 2011)

Strategic Planning Sub-Committee on Academics, Seton Hall University (July 2008-October 2008)

Faculty Advisor, *The Diplomatic Envoy*, a student-run newspaper focusing on international affairs published by the School of Diplomacy and International Relations (June 2007-present)

Interviewed by Marie Cueman of the College of Education and Human Services as part of a study on the tenure process at Seton Hall University (November 2006)

Co-Organizer of a People Speak Forum on “The United Nations’ Role in Peace, Security, and Human Rights: What’s in it for the United States?” sponsored by the School of Diplomacy and International Relations at Seton Hall University and the League of Women Voters of Maplewood/South Orange (October 2006)

University Retention and Completion Committee, Seton Hall University (July 2006-present)

Provost’s Core Curriculum Committee, Seton Hall University (July 2006-July 2007)

Banner Academic Affairs Advisory Group, Seton Hall University (June 2006-September 2011)

Executive Committee of the Council of Chairs, Seton Hall University (October 2005-June 2007)

University Assessment Committee, Seton Hall University (July 2005-January 2011)

Core Curriculum Committee, Seton Hall University (March 2005-May 2005)

Graduate Admissions Committee, School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (September 2004-June 2005)

Program Review Committee, Faculty Senate, Seton Hall University (March 2003-August 2004)

Academic Policy and Core Curriculum Committee, Faculty Senate, Seton Hall University (January 2003-August 2004)

Co-Chair, Educational Policy Committee, School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (September 2002-August 2004)

Best Practices Committee, Teaching Learning Technology Roundtable, Seton Hall University (September 2002-September 2003)

Faculty Judge for the United Nations Year of Dialogue Among Civilizations International Essay Contest administered by the Islamic Republic of Iran and the School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (October 2001)

Faculty Convocation Committee, Seton Hall University (June 2001-September 2001)

Library Committee, Faculty Senate, Seton Hall University (June 2001-June 2002)

Facilitator for an online discussion of “Diversity and Globalization” as part of the Master of Arts degree program in Strategic Communication and Leadership, Seton Hall University (April 2001)

Member or Chair of seven Faculty Search Committees for the School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (January 2001-April 2005)

Main Representative, United Nations Department of Global Communications Nongovernmental Organization Affiliation for the School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (October 2000-present)

Nominations and Elections Committee, Faculty Senate, Seton Hall University (June 2000-August 2004)

Faculty Consultant for the Secretariat of the Dialogue Among Civilizations Project sponsored by United Nations General Assembly Resolution 53/22 of November 4, 1998, proclaiming 2001 as the “United Nations Year of Dialogue Among Civilizations” which was based at the School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (June 2000-November 2001)

Search Committee, Director of Admissions, Seton Hall University (May 2000-June 2000)

Faculty Senate, Representative of the School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (December 1999-June 2001)

Advisory Board Member, *Seton Hall Journal of Diplomacy and International Relations* (December 1999-present)

Organizer of videoconferences between Seton Hall University and United Nations Headquarters featuring UN ambassadors and officials discussing the International Criminal Court (May 2002), the Brahimi Report on reforming UN peacekeeping (November 2000), and the challenges of UN reform (December 1999)

Admissions Committee, Faculty Senate, Seton Hall University (November 1999-May 2005)

Faculty Advisor, Seton Hall University Model United Nations Association and the Seton Hall University Model United Nations Conference (September 1999-present)

Graduate Student Teaching Committee, Department of Political Science, Ohio State University (December 1997-March 1998)

Faculty Advisor, Joseph Kruzel Global Affairs Conference for Honors Students, Ohio State University (October 1996-January 1997)

Implemented Model United Nations Security Council Simulations for the International Studies Club at Ohio State University covering the topics of Kosovo (April 1999), Iraq (February 1998), Central Africa (May 1997), and Bosnia (April 1996)

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Member, Board of Directors, Academic Council on the United Nations System (June 2023-present)

Member, Board of Directors, American Conference of Academic Deans (February 2023-present)

Member, Annual Meeting Program Committee, American Conference of Academic Deans (February 2022-present)

Consultant, College of International Studies, American University of Iraq – Baghdad (November 2020-July 2021)

Treasurer, Academic Council on the United Nations System (July 2020-June 2023)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Master of Arts in Humanitarian Action and Development Program at the Emirates Diplomatic Academy in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (June 2019)

International Studies Association (ISA) Representative to the United Nations Non-Governmental Organization Committee and Member of the ISA Governing Council (December 2018-January 2021)

Board Member and Treasurer, Friends of the Academic Council on the United Nations System (November 2018-July 2020)

Invited Participant in a Delegation of U.S. Congressional Staff Members and Scholars visiting the United Nations Peacekeeping Mission in Mali hosted by the United Nations Foundation (October-November 2018)

Invited Reviewer for *The Challenges of Multilateralism*, Yale University Press (October 2018)

Member of an External Review Team evaluating DeSales University in Center Valley, Pennsylvania for the Middle States Commission on Higher Education (March 2018)

Invited Participant in a Delegation of Business Executives, Civil Society Leaders, and Scholars visiting Israel hosted by the America-Israel Friendship League (March 2018)

Invited Reviewer for the *Journal of International Organizations Studies* (June 2017)

Distance Reviewer for the Master of Arts in Diplomacy and International Relations Program at the Emirates Diplomatic Academy in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (April 2017)

Member of an External Review Team evaluating Widener University in Chester, Pennsylvania for the Middle States Commission on Higher Education (March 2017)

Distance Reviewer for a Substantive Change Request for the College of Security and Global Studies at the American University of the Emirates in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (March 2017)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Doctoral Program in Security and Strategic Studies at the American University of the Emirates in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (January 2017)

Invited Reviewer for *The Politics of Multilateralism and Democracy*, Yale University Press (November 2016)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Master of Arts in Diplomacy Program at the American University of the Emirates in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (October 2016 and January and May 2017)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Program and the Master of Arts in Diplomacy and International Affairs Program at Zayed University in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (March and December 2016 and March 2017)

Invited Reviewer for *Administrative Justice in the UN: Procedural Protections, Gaps and Proposals for Reform*, Edward Elgar Publishers (February 2016)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Doctoral Program in Strategic Studies at the National Defense College in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (February, May, and July 2016)

Invited Reviewer for *The United States and the United Nations*, Lynne Rienner Publishers (May 2015)

Invited Reviewer for the *Journal of International Organizations Studies* (March 2015)

Invited Reviewer for *International Studies Perspectives* (March 2015)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Doctoral Program in Security and Strategic Studies at the American University of the Emirates in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (February 2015)

Invited Participant in a Delegation of United Nations Scholars and Civil Society Leaders hosted by the Government of the Republic of China (December 2014)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Postgraduate Diploma Program in International Relations and UAE Diplomacy at the Emirates Diplomatic Academy in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (December 2014 and March 2015)

Invited Member of the Youth Sub-Committee of the United Nations Nongovernmental Organization/Department of Public Information Executive Committee (December 2014-present)

Invited Reviewer for *The UN Security Council in the 21st Century*, Lynne Rienner Publishers and the International Peace Institute (November 2014)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Syria for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2014)

Invited Reviewer for the *Journal of International Organizations Studies* (October 2014)

Invited Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of International Organizations Studies* (November 2013-present)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Syria for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2013)

Interviewed by the International Studies Department at DePaul University regarding its program review process (September 2013)

Invited Reviewer for *The Law and Meaning of International Organizations*, Edward Elgar Publishers (February 2013)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Master of Arts in International Relations Program at Abu Dhabi University in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (December 2012 and March 2013)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Syria for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2012)

Invited Reviewer for *Narratives of Global Governance: Modernity, Risk, Ideas and the United Nations*, Edward Elgar Publishers (June 2012)

Invited Reviewer for *Global Health Governance* (April 2012)

Chair of an External Review Team for the Bachelor of Arts in International Relations Program at the University of Sharjah in Sharjah, United Arab Emirates (March 2012)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Syria for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2011)

Invited Reviewer for *International Organisations*, Edward Elgar Publishers (August 2011)

Invited Member of the International Studies Association International Organization Section Distinguished Scholar Selection Committee (May 2011-June 2011)

Invited Member of the Advisory Board for *A Global Agenda: Issues Before the United Nations 2011-2012* published by the United Nations Association of the USA (March 2011-July 2011)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Iran for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2010)

External Review Team Member for the Bachelor of Arts in International Affairs Program at the American University of Sharjah in Sharjah, United Arab Emirates (October 2010 and January 2011)

Invited Member of the Advisory Board for *A Global Agenda: Issues Before the United Nations 2010-2011* published by the United Nations Association of the USA (March 2010-July 2010)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Darfur for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2009)

External Review Team Member for the Master of Arts in Diplomacy Program at the American University in the Emirates in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (August and October 2009)

Member of the 2009 Academic Council on the United Nations System Book Award Committee (April 2009)

External Review Team Member for the Master of Arts in International Relations Program at City College of the City University of New York (March 2009)

Invited Member of the Advisory Board for *A Global Agenda: Issues Before the United Nations 2009-2010* published by the United Nations Association of the USA (December 2008-April 2009)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Darfur for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2008)

Invited Reviewer for a proposed second edition of *International Organization: The Politics and Processes of Global Governance*, Lynne Rienner Publishers (December 2007)

Invited Organizer and Chair of a United Nations Security Council Simulation focusing on Darfur for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation Fall Academy “Understanding the United Nations” (November 2007)

Member of a Dissertation Project Advisory Committee at Drew University and the St. Josephs Children’s Hospital (November 2006-June 2007)

Invited Participant in the *UN Chronicle* Advisory Group convened by the Academic Initiative Section of the United Nations Department of Public Information (November 2006)

Invited Reviewer for *Political Studies* (October 2006)

Invited Reviewer for the *Guide to the UN*, Congressional Quarterly Press (January 2006)

Interviewed by Anders Wivel from the University of Copenhagen for a research project on United States policy toward the United Nations (June 2005)

Instructor for a day-long seminar on the political processes of the United Nations Security Council with a simulation focused on the Sudan held at Seton Hall University for the students of the Civics and Government Institute at Montclair High School in Montclair, New Jersey (March 2005)

Hosted twenty students from the Universiteit Leiden for a day-long program on the political processes of the United Nations and the graduate programs of the School of Diplomacy and International Relations (February 2005)

Invited Reviewer for a proposed third edition of *The United Nations in the Post-Cold War Era*, Westview (November 2004)

Chair, International Organization Section of the International Studies Association (March 2004-March 2006)

Instructor for a day-long seminar on the political processes of the United Nations Security Council with a simulation focused on Iraq held at Seton Hall University for the students of the Civics and Government Institute at Montclair High School in Montclair, New Jersey (February 2004)

Invited Reviewer for *Global Governance* (August 2003)

Invited Reviewer for the second edition of *Dynamics of International Relations*, Rowman and Littlefield (January 2003)

Advisory Committee Member for a project on “The Impact of Religious and Ethical Values of United Nations Secretaries-General on Building the Peace” (September 2002-March 2008)

Vice President of the Montclair/Essex County (New Jersey) Chapter of the United Nations Association of the USA (June 2002-August 2010)

Program Co-Chair for the International Organization Section of the International Studies Association in charge of organizing all international organization panels for the 2003 International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Portland, Oregon (March 2002-February 2003)

Executive Committee Member, International Organization Section of the International Studies Association (March 2002-March 2006)

Invited Reviewer for *Dynamics of International Relations*, Rowman and Littlefield (March 2002)

Board Member of the Montclair/Essex County (New Jersey) Chapter of the United Nations Association of the USA (November 2000-November 2010)

Board Member, New Jersey Division of the United Nations Association of the USA (October 2000-January 2002)

Invited Reviewer for *Non-Governmental Organizations in International Politics*, Addison, Wesley, Longman (May 2000)

Invited Reviewer for *Global Politics: A Reader*, Houghton Mifflin (September 1998)

Assistant Editor for the *International Journal of Peace Studies* (January 1998-June 1999)

Invited Reviewer for *The Contours of Power: An Introduction to Contemporary International Relations*, St. Martin's Press (May 1997)

Facilitator for Great Decisions Series discussions on US Foreign Policy towards the United Nations (March-April 1999), Human Rights in US Foreign Policy (April 1998), and Environmental Threats to Security (March 1997) held at four community retirement centers in Columbus, Ohio

PRESENTATIONS

Discussant for a panel on “Unexplored Approaches of UN Studies and Global Governance” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Washington, DC (June 2023)

Roundtable workshop leader on “Purpose-Driven Leadership: The Value in Finding Your Why” at the American Conference of Academic Deans Annual Meeting held in Tampa, Florida (February 2023)

Invited Participant in a panel on “Higher Education and Multilateralism: Academia Responding to Global Challenges” hosted by the United Nations Academic Impact at UN Headquarters in New York City to celebrate UN Day (October 2022)

Chair, Discussant, or Roundtable Participant for four panels at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Geneva, Switzerland (June 2022)

Chair for a panel on “Institutional Challenges Facing the United Nations in the 21st Century” for the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held virtually due to COVID-19 (June 2021)

Panel presentation on the relationship between the United States and the United Nations under the Biden Administration for the School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University (January 2021)

Paper presentation on “Every Silver Lining Has a Cloud: Working Methods in the UN Security Council” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held virtually due to COVID-19 (June 2020)

Invited Panel Participant during the Opening Ceremony of the 2020 Petersheim Academic Exposition at Seton Hall University (April 2020)

Paper presentation on “Every Silver Lining Has a Cloud: Working Methods in the UN Security Council” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Toronto, Canada (March 2019)

Roundtable Participant in a panel on “A Return to San Francisco: The Evolution and Adaptation of the UN System” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in San Francisco, California (April 2018)

Invited Briefer for United Nations Tour Guides on U.S.-UN relations and the UN budget process held at the United Nations Foundation in New York City (January 2018)

Invited Speaker for a panel on “University Faculty and the United Nations: Building Sustainable Partnerships for Education, Scholarship, and Change” held at United Nations Headquarters (October 2015)

Invited Speaker on United Nations Security Council Politics and Reform at the New York Dominican Republic Model United Nations Conference hosted by the United Nations Association of the Dominican Republic and the Fundación Global Democracia y Desarrollo in New York City (March 2015)

Invited Speaker for a High-Level Panel on the Post-2015 Agenda at the International Conference of the Americas hosted by the United Nations Association of the Dominican Republic and the Fundación Global Democracia y Desarrollo in Punta Cana, Dominican Republic (October 2014)

Roundtable Discussant for a panel honoring Chadwick Alger as the International Organization Distinguished Scholar at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in San Diego, California (April 2012)

Invited Speaker on “The Impact of Dues Withholding on the U.S.-UN Relationship” for a Symposium on “U.S. Presidential Leadership at the United Nations: Evaluating the Past 65 Years and Looking Ahead to 21st Century Governance” held at Hofstra University (October 2010)

Invited Sermon on the “Meaning of Peace” for the First Presbyterian Church of Verona, New Jersey (August 2010)

Invited Speaker on “The US-UN Relationship during the Obama Administration: Where Do We Go from Here?” for the Montclair/Essex County (New Jersey) Chapter of the United Nations Association of the USA (September 2009)

Roundtable Discussant for a panel on “The Power of the Press, the Power of the Person: Lynne Rienner and the Promotion of IPE/IR Scholarship” for the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in New York, New York (February 2009)

Roundtable Discussant for a panel on “The UN Secretary-General and Moral Authority” for the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in San Francisco, California (March 2008)

Invited Speaker on “The United Nation’s Role in Building Peace” for the Ethics Symposium for Educators sponsored by the Mountain Lakes (New Jersey) Board of Education (June 2007)

Invited Speaker on the “Responsibility to Protect and a United Nations Emergency Peace Service” for a workshop on “The Prevention of Genocide and Crimes against Humanity: Diverse Perspectives on a Standing, Rapid-Response UN Emergency Peace Service” held at the Rutgers School of Law-Newark (March 2007)

Invited Speaker on the role of the Secretariat in the political processes of the United Nations for the Rutgers University Model UN Conference for high school students (November 2006)

Chair and Discussant for a panel on “Reforming the United Nations” for the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in San Diego, California (March 2006)

Chair for a panel on “International Institutions Addressing Global Challenges” for the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in San Diego, California (March 2006)

Invited Speaker on “Working for the United Nations” and “Becoming a Book Author” for the Career Day at Queen of Peace High School in North Arlington, New Jersey (November 2005)

Paper presentation on “Politics and Values at the United Nations: Kofi Annan’s Balancing Act” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada (June 2005)

Invited Speaker on “Enhancing the Effectiveness of the United Nations” for the Forum Class at Second Presbyterian Church in Richmond, Virginia (April 2005)

Invited Speaker on United Nations Reform for the Graduate Diplomacy Council at Seton Hall University (April 2005)

Invited Keynote Speaker on the Future of the United Nations for the Seton Hall University Model United Nations Conference (April 2005)

Paper presentation on “Values and Vision in the Leadership of Kofi Annan” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Honolulu, Hawaii (March 2005)

Invited Speaker on “Values and Vision in the Leadership of Kofi Annan” as part of the Faculty Lunch Seminar Series at Seton Hall University (March 2005)

Paper presentation on “Strategies of Influence at the United Nations” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Geneva, Switzerland (June 2004)

Paper presentation on “Informal Politics and United Nations Decisionmaking” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Montreal, Quebec, Canada (March 2004)

Paper presentation on “Politics and Process at the United Nations: The Global Dance” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in New York City (June 2003)

Paper presentation on “Teaching International Relations in a Changing World” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Portland, Oregon (February 2003)

Chair and Discussant for a panel on “States and International Organizations: Contestation or Cooperation” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Portland, Oregon (February 2003)

Moderator for a Panel Discussion on “The Differences between the United Nations and Model United Nations” and “Differences between Model United Nations Conferences” at the United Nations Association of the USA’s 2002 Model United Nations Summit and Leadership Conference held at Seton Hall University and United Nations Headquarters (July 2002)

Paper presentation on “The United Nations as a Vehicle for Dialogue” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Cascais, Portugal (June 2002)

Paper presentation on “Diplomats in the Classroom” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in New Orleans, Louisiana (March 2002)

Invited Discussant for a panel on “Managing Cooperation or Cooperative Management?: International Institutions and the Actors That Create Them” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in New Orleans, Louisiana (March 2002)

Invited Speaker on “Course Outlines and Textbooks in Model United Nations” at the United Nations Association of the USA’s 2001 Model United Nations Summit and Leadership Conference held at Fordham University and United Nations Headquarters (July 2001)

Organizer and Chair of a panel on “Teaching the United Nations” for the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Puebla, Mexico (June 2001)

Paper presentation on “Bringing Practitioner Experience into the International Organization Classroom” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Puebla, Mexico (June 2001)

Organizer and Chair of a panel on “The United Nations Year of Dialogue Among Civilizations” for the Montclair/Essex County (New Jersey) Chapter of the United Nations Association of the USA (June 2001)

Paper presentation on “The US – UN Reengagement: Helms – Biden in its Second Year” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Chicago, Illinois (February 2001)

Invited Speaker for a panel on “The Human Rights Dimension of the Secretary-General’s Millennium Report” sponsored by the New Jersey Division of the United Nations Association of the USA (December 2000)

Invited Speaker for a panel on “The US – UN Relationship” sponsored by the Montclair (New Jersey) Chapter of the United Nations Association of the USA (June 2000)

Paper presentation on “The United States in the United Nations: A New Opportunity?” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System Annual Meeting held in Oslo, Norway (June 2000)

Invited Speaker for a Roundtable Discussion on “US – UN Reengagement: What Opportunities and Limits for the United Nations” held at the New York headquarters of the United Nations Association of the USA (April 2000)

Moderator for a panel on “United Nations Responses to Transnational Threats” held at United Nations Headquarters in New York for Members Day of the United Nations Association of the USA (April 2000)

Co-organizer and Co-chair of two panels on “International Organizations: Where Are We? Where Do We Need to Go?” for the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Los Angeles, California (March 2000)

Paper presentation on “New Directions in Multilateral Efforts to Promote Global Security” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Los Angeles, California (March 2000)

Invited Speaker for a panel on “Growing Inequality, Domestic and Global” sponsored by the First Presbyterian and Trinity Church, South Orange, New Jersey (January 2000)

Paper presentation on “Studying International Organizations as Organizations” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Washington, DC (February 1999)

Organizer and Chair of a panel on “Future Directions in IO Research: Insights from Diverse Fields” for the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Washington, DC (February 1999)

Invited Speaker for a panel on “Options and Opportunities: Arms Control and Disarmament for the 21st Century” sponsored by the United Nations Association of the USA, Columbus (Ohio) Chapter (May 1998)

Paper presentation on “The Politics of Global Consensus Building: A Comparative Analysis” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Minneapolis, Minnesota (March 1998)

Paper presentation on “Three Perspectives on Global Consensus Building: A Framework for Analysis” at the International Studies Association Annual Midwest Region Conference held in Cleveland, Ohio (October 1997)

Paper presentation on “Reforming the UN Security Council: A Decisionmaking Analysis” at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Toronto, Ontario, Canada (March 1997)

Paper presentation on “Decisionmaking in the United Nations General Assembly: The Politics of Institutional Reform” at the Academic Council on the United Nations System and the American Society of International Law Summer Workshop on International Organization Studies held in Providence, Rhode Island (July and August 1996)

Paper presentation on “Sinking the Billiard Ball Model in the Corner Pocket: An Analytic Typology of NGOs and the Implications for IR Research” (co-authored with Kent Kille and Shannon Peterson) at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in San Diego, California (April 1996)

Paper presentation on “An Analysis of Achievement in the UN Commission on Human Rights” at the International Studies Association Annual Midwest Region Conference held in Columbus, Ohio (September 1994)

MEDIA APPEARANCES

Interviewed by Laura Cantekin from China Global TV Network on the United Nations General Assembly High-Level Debate (September 2022)

Interviewed by Tim McLaughlin from *The Atlantic* on how the United Nations recognizes the representation of member states undergoing contested political transitions (July 2021)

Interviewed by Thalif Deen for *Inter Press Service* on the politics of the Security Council during the 75th anniversary of the United Nations (September 2020)

Interviewed by Joe Bakes for *Jersey’s Best* magazine on the School of Diplomacy’s new undergraduate certificate in global affairs (June 2020)

Interviewed by David Cooper for an article in *International Studies Perspectives* on how international relations theory is taught at professional schools of international affairs (April 2020)

Interviewed by Marisela Rivera for *Yomiuri Shimbun* on the United Nations General Assembly’s Annual General Debate (September 2019)

Interviewed by Miguel Velazquez for *One Metro* on the United Nations General Assembly’s Annual General Debate (September 2019)

Interviewed by Ben Evansky for *Fox News* on immunity for United Nations peacekeepers (September 2019)

Interviewed by Andrej Matisak for *Pravda* Newspaper (Slovakia) on the legacy of former United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Annan (August 2018)

Interviewed by Farnaz Fassihi for the *Wall Street Journal* on the U.S. decision to withdraw from UNESCO (October 2017)

Interviewed by James Menendez for *Newshour* on BBC World Service Radio on President’s Trump’s speech about United Nations reform (September 2017)

Interviewed by James Reinl for Al Jazeera English Online Edition on President Trump’s first speech to the United Nations General Assembly (September 2017)

Interviewed by ZP Heller for *The Interdependent*, published by the United Nations Association of the USA, on the role of U.S. public opinion regarding the United Nations in the U.S. presidential election (October 2012)

Interviewed by Alan Weisman for Press TV’s *Hearts and Minds* as part of a panel on the foreign policy priorities of President Obama (January 2009)

Interviewed by Steven Edwards for the *National Post* of Canada on Kofi Annan’s farewell address as United Nations Secretary-General (December 2006)

Interviewed by Greg Simmons for *FoxNews.com* on Kofi Annan’s farewell address as United Nations Secretary-General (December 2006)

Interviewed by Greg Coy on the “Your Morning” show on Comcast channel CN8 on the decision by John Bolton to step down as United States Ambassador to the United Nations (December 2006)

Interviewed by Steven Edwards for the *National Post* of Canada on the decision by John Bolton to step down as United States Ambassador to the United Nations (December 2006)

Interviewed by Susan Feng for *China Business News* of Shanghai, China on the candidates for Secretary-General of the United Nations (September 2006)

Interviewed by Paul Harris for *The Observer* of London, United Kingdom on the United Nations Secretary-General selection process (September 2006)

Interviewed by Robert Wiener for *New Jersey Jewish News* on the role of the United Nations in the Middle East (August 2006)

Interviewed by Warren Hoge for the *New York Times* on the United Nations Secretary-General selection process (January 2006)

Interviewed by Roger Cohen for his Globalist column in the *International Herald Tribune* on the United Nations Secretary-General selection process (December 2005)

Interviewed by Dionne Jackson Miller on Radio Jamaica's current affairs program "Beyond the Headlines" on United Nations reform (September 2005)

Interviewed by Doug Bernard on Voice of America's international discussion program "Talk to America" on the United Nations World Summit (September 2005)

Interviewed by Camilo Amaya for Colombia's daily newspaper *Semena* on the present challenges and future opportunities facing the United Nations (September 2005)

Interviewed by Lori Varga from the *Seton Hall University Magazine* for a profile of the United Nations Intensive Summer Study Program (Spring 2005)

Interviewed by Alicia Zadrozny for the *Montclair Times* of Montclair, New Jersey on United States public opinion toward the United Nations and on the role of the United Nations Association of the USA (January 2004)

Interviewed by Charles Goldman for *The Delegate* published by the United Nations Association of the United States of America on the educational benefits of participation in model United Nations programs (September 2003)

Interviewed by Bernard Holloway for the *Daily Tarheel* of Chapel Hill, North Carolina on the address by President Bush to the 58th Session of the United Nations General Assembly (September 2003)

Interviewed by David Decamp for the *Times Union* of Jacksonville, Florida on United Nations Reform (September 2003)

Interviewed by Judy Fetner for the "Bloomberg Forum Series" about the relationship between the United States and the United Nations during the Iraq War (March 2003)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

EAB Rising Higher Education Leaders Fellowship (April 2021-December 2021)

American Conference of Academic Deans (ACAD) Annual Deans' Institute held virtually (January 2021)

Equity Now online training offered by the Race and Equity Center at the University of Southern California (October 2020)

United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) Online Training Program on Multilateral Diplomacy and Negotiation (March-April 2020)

Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) Workshop on Development for Deans and Academic Leaders in Fort Lauderdale, Florida (February 2020)

American Conference of Academic Deans (ACAD) Annual Deans' Institute in Atlanta, Georgia (January 2019)

Executive Leadership Forum hosted by Pearson and Google in New York City (October 2018)

Middle States Commission on Higher Education Workshop for Chairs and Evaluators in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (September 2016)

Advanced University Seminar on Mission sponsored by the Center for Vocation and Servant Leadership at Seton Hall University (September-November 2016)

Middle States Commission on Higher Education Workshop for Peer Evaluators in Washington, DC (December 2015)

Leadership Coaching with C Global Consulting (April 2015-April 2017)

Micah Seminar on Global Leadership sponsored by the Center for Catholic Studies and the School of Diplomacy and International Relations at Seton Hall University (September-December 2014)

Faculty/Administrator Workshop on "Transforming Conflict through Insight" sponsored by the Center for Catholic Studies at Seton Hall University (May 2014)

Administrators Workshop on "Leadership, Mission, and Meaning: Engaging the Curriculum" sponsored by the Lilly Fellows Program in Humanities and the Arts at Samford University (October 2011)

Professional Fundraising Workshop for Deans, Department Chairs, and Aspiring Academic Leaders sponsored by Advancement Resources in Chicago, Illinois (December 2010)

University Seminar on Mission sponsored by the Office of Mission and Ministry and the Center for Vocation and Servant Leadership at Seton Hall University (September-November 2009)

Leadership Development Program sponsored by the Center for Creative Leadership in San Diego, California (June 2008)

Faculty/Administrator Workshop on "My Mission and the University Mission" sponsored by the Center for Catholic Studies at Seton Hall University (May 2006)

Mentor and Participant in a Curriculum Development Initiative on Writing Intensive Courses sponsored by the Teaching Learning Technology Center at Seton Hall University (July 2002-June 2004)

Preparing Future Faculty Fellow sponsored by the Ohio State University Graduate School at Denison University and Otterbein College (January-June 1998)

Summer Workshop on International Organization Studies sponsored by the Academic Council on the United Nations System and the American Society of International Law at Brown University (July-August 1996)

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

Monsignor Robert Sheeran Pirate of the Year Award, which is the highest recognition given by students to members of the campus community at Seton Hall University (2007)

Outstanding Academic Title List selected by *Choice: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries*, which recognizes books for their excellence in scholarship and their contribution to their field (2006)

Victor Urquidi Best Publication Award presented by the Friends of the Academic Council on the United Nations System for the best recent (2003-2006) book or article published on the United Nations System (2006)

Honorary Member of the Beta Kappa Chapter of Sigma Iota Rho National Honor Society for International Studies (2006)

Provost's Faculty Scholarship Award for Book Publications presented by the Office of the Provost and the Office of Grants and Research Services at Seton Hall University (2005)

Researcher of the Year Award for the School of Diplomacy and International Relations presented by the Office of the Provost and the Office of Grants and Research Services at Seton Hall University (2005)

Nominated by current and former students for the ninth edition of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers* (2005)

Henry R. Spencer Award for Distinguished Teaching by a Graduate Student in the Political Science and International Studies Departments at Ohio State University (1998)

Lawrence S. Finkelstein Award for the Best Graduate Student Paper on International Organizations presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention held in Minneapolis, Minnesota (1998)

Graduate Student Alumni Research Award from Ohio State University to fund dissertation field research at United Nations headquarters in New York (1997-1998)

Title VI Foreign Language Area Study Fellowship for Russian Language (1993-1994)

Margaret Lee Pollack Cobb Award for Excellence in the Study of Russian given by Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (1992)

Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society (1992)

Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society (1991)

Mortar Board National Senior Honor Society (1991)

Golden Key National Honor Society (1990)

Eagle Scout (1986)

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International Studies Association
Academic Council on the United Nations System
United Nations Association of the United States of America
American Conference of Academic Deans