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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Williams College Department of Political Science

Assistant Professor of Political Science (2018-Present)

University of Texas-Austin Clements Center for National Security

Clements Postdoctoral Fellow (2017-2018)

Williams College Department of Political Science

Stanley Kaplan Postdoctoral Fellow (2016-2017)

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) Security Studies Program

Stanton Nuclear Security Predoctoral Fellow (2015-2016)

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Texas National Security Review

Associate Editor (2018-Present)

EDUCATION

University of California-Los Angeles (UCLA)

Ph.D., Political Science (2016)

University of Chicago Committee on International Relations (CIR)

M.A., International Relations (2010)

Honors

Williams College

B.A., History and Political Science (2009)

Cum Laude

Departmental Highest Honors in History

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

“Who Killed Détente? The Superpowers and the Cold War in the Middle East, 1969-77.”

International Security (forthcoming, 2019).

“The United States, the Israeli Nuclear Program, and Nonproliferation, 1961-1969.” *Security Studies*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (forthcoming, April/June 2019).

“Strategy and Two-Level Games: U.S. Domestic Politics and the Road to a Separate Peace, 1977-1978.” *Journal of Cold War Studies*, Vol. 19, No. 3 (Summer 2017): 160-195.

“The Showdown That Wasn’t: U.S.-Israeli Relations and American Domestic Politics, 1973-75.” *International Security*, Vol. 39, No. 4 (Spring 2015): 130-169.

“The Offshore Balancing Thesis Reconsidered: Realism, the Balance of Power in Europe, and America’s Decision for War in 1917.” *Security Studies*, Vol. 21, No. 3 (July/September 2012): 455-489.

REVIEWS

H-Diplo Article Review 772, June 6, 2018: James Jungbok Lee, "The Importance of Status: The US-ROK Alliance Cohesion and the First Korean Nuclear Crisis, 1993-1994," *International History Review*, Vol. 40, No. 2 (April 2018): 315-357.

BOOK PROJECT

"The Lost Peace: Great Power Politics and the Arab-Israeli Dispute, 1967-1979"

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

University of California Institute for Global Conflict and Cooperation (IGCC) Herbert F. York Global Security Fellowship (2014-2015)

Bradley Foundation Fellowship (2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014, 2014-2015)

Lyndon B. Johnson Foundation Moody Research Grant (2014)

Gerald R. Ford Presidential Foundation Research Grant (2013)

UCLA Graduate Research Mentorship (2012-2013)

UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship (2012)

Foreign Language and Area Studies Summer Fellowship (2011, 2012; used for study in Middlebury College's immersion program and the American University in Cairo)

University of Chicago CIR Unendowed Scholarship (2009-2010)

Williams College Department of History William Bradford Turner Prize (2009)

Williams College Department of Political Science Ursula Prescott Prize (2009)

Williams College Class of 1945 World Fellowship (2008)

United States Army Reserve National Scholar Athlete Award (2005)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"The Superpowers and the Road to Security Council Resolution 242"

"The October 1973 War and Israel's Nuclear Arsenal: A Case of Nuclear Blackmail?"

"Hoodwinked? American Intelligence and the Israeli Nuclear Program"

"The Consequences of Nuclearization: Israel's Acquisition of the Bomb and the Politics of the Arab-Israeli Dispute, 1967-1979"

"Dimona and Moscow: Israel's Nuclearization and Soviet Middle East Policy after 1967"

PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

Boston University Frederick S. Pardee School of Global Studies, Policy and Security Initiative, Boston, MA (November 30, 2018)

Talk Title: "'Nuclear Insanity'? American Nonproliferation Policy in Historical Perspective"

George Washington University Elliott School for International Affairs, Institute for Security and Conflict Studies (ISCS), Washington, D.C. (November 5, 2018)

Talk Title: "Under the Cover of Realism: The Middle East and the End of Détente, 1967-1979"

Air War College International Security Studies Department, Montgomery, AL (November 20, 2017)

Talk Title: "Nonproliferation Above All? The United States and the Israeli Nuclear

- Question, 1961-1969”
U.S. Naval War College, Newport, RI (November 8, 2017)
Talk Title: “Nonproliferation Above All? The United States and the Israeli Nuclear Question, 1961-1969”
- MIT Political Science Department, Cambridge, MA (November 6, 2017)
Talk Title: “Nonproliferation Above All? The United States and the Israeli Nuclear Question, 1961-1969”
- Texas National Security Review* Launch Conference Workshop, Washington, D.C. (October 27, 2017)
Talk Title: “‘Taken to the Cleaners’: The Middle East and the Collapse of Détente, 1969-1976”
- RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA (May 25, 2017)
Talk Title: “Nonproliferation Above All? The United States and the Israeli Nuclear Question, 1961-1973”
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL (April 8, 2017)
Talk Title: “U.S. Nonproliferation Strategy: The Israeli Case, 1961-1973”
- Texas A&M University Bush School of Government and Public Service, College Station, TX (January 27, 2016)
Talk Title: “Statecraft and the Two-Level Game: Domestic Politics and the Road to a Separate Peace”
- Stanton Nuclear Security Fellows Seminar, Washington, D.C. (October 15, 2015)
Talk Title: “The Consequences of Nuclearization: Israel’s Acquisition of the Bomb and the Politics of the Arab-Israeli Dispute, 1967-1979”
- University of Chicago Department of Political Science Program on International Politics, Economics, and Security (PIPES) Speaker Series, Chicago, IL (May 14, 2015)
Talk Title: “Separate Peace: U.S. Arab-Israeli Diplomacy and American Domestic Politics, 1977-1980”
- IGCC Herbert F. York Global Security Fellows Symposium, Los Alamos National Laboratory, Los Alamos, NM (May 1, 2015)
Talk Title: “Great Power Politics and the Arab-Israeli Problem, 1977-1979”
- Triangle Institute for Security Studies New Faces Conference, Chapel Hill, NC (September 6, 2014)
Talk Title: “The Showdown That Wasn’t: U.S.-Israeli Relations and American Domestic Politics, 1973-1975”
- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. (August 28, 2014)
Talk Title: “Follow the Footnotes: History, Theory, and the Case of U.S Intervention in the First World War”
- International Studies Association, Midwest Conference, St. Louis, MO (November 11, 2011)
Talk Title: “The Offshore Balancing Thesis Reconsidered: The Military Balance in Europe and America’s Decision for War in 1917”

MEDIA APPEARANCES

KNX1070 Radio Los Angeles Interview (August 8, 2017)

PROFESSIONAL WORKSHOPS

Nuclear Proliferation International History Project Boot Camp, University of Roma Tre—Machiavelli Center for Cold War Studies, Allumiere, Italy (June 15-25, 2017)

Clements Center for National Security Summer Seminar in History and Statecraft, Beaver Creek, CO (July 27-August 1, 2014)

Public Policy and Nuclear Threats Training (PPNT) Program, University of California-San Diego, San Diego, CA (August 4-18, 2013)

Summer Workshop on Analysis of Military Operations and Strategy (SWAMOS), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY (July 7-21, 2013)

COURSES TAUGHT

The Nuclear Revolution (Seminar, Fall 2018)

International Security (Lecture, Fall 2018)

International Relations of the Middle East (Lecture, will teach in Spring 2019)

Leadership and Grand Strategy (Seminar, Spring 2017)

America and the World (Lecture, Spring 2017)

Introduction to International Relations (Lecture, Fall 2016; co-taught with James McAllister; will teach again in Spring 2019)

LANGUAGES

Modern Standard Arabic (working knowledge)

Egyptian Colloquial Arabic (basic comprehension)

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER

International Security, Texas National Security Review