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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS and APPOINTMENTS

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- 2020- **The George Washington University**  
Associate Professor of International Affairs  
Director of the Humanitarian Assistance Initiative
- Global Studies Quarterly**  
Editorial Board
- 2018- **PS: Political Science and Politics**  
Editorial Board
- 2019-2020 **University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany**  
Senior Research Fellow, Käte Hamburger Kolleg / Centre for Global  
Cooperation Research
- 2018-2019 **Temple University, Philadelphia, PA**  
Visiting Research Scholar, Department of Political Science
- 2011-2018 **Arcadia University, Glenside, PA**  
Associate Professor of Political Science (2017-2018)  
Assistant Professor of Political Science (2011-2017)  
Assistant Director of the MA Program in International Peace and Conflict  
Resolution (2011-2013)
- 2009-2011 **Temple University, Philadelphia, PA**  
Instructor, Department of Political Science

## EDUCATION

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- 2011 Ph.D. in Political Science  
The George Washington University, Washington D.C.
- Dissertation: *Doing Good: Social accountability in humanitarianism*  
Dissertation Committee: Martha Finnemore (Chair), Susan Sell, Jennifer  
Brinkerhoff
- Qualifying fields: International relations; Public Policy

Qualifying exams - *High pass with distinction*

- 2002 M.A. in International Relations  
Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris (Sciences Po), Paris, France
- 2000 B.A. Political Science  
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL
- Study Abroad: Institut des Etudes Européennes (IES); Internships in Francophone Europe (IFE): Internship at the French National Assembly, Paris, France (1998-1999)

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## PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

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"What role for Political Scientists? Civic engagement, citizen empowerment, advocacy and activism," edited Symposium and Introduction, with Carrie Booth Walling, *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 50 (4): 985-989 (2017). DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1049096517001111>

"Global Accountability Communities: NGO Self-Regulation in the Humanitarian Sector," *Review of International Studies*, 42 (4): 724-747 (2016). DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S0260210515000601>

"Human Security Governance: Is UNMEER the Way Forward?" *Global Health Governance: The Scholarly Journal for the New Health Security Paradigm*, Vol. X, No. 1: 41-60 (Spring, 2016).

"Policymaking in the Global Context: Training Students to Build Effective Strategic Partnerships with Nongovernmental Organizations," *Journal of Public Affairs Education* 21(3): 417-434, (2015) with Cristina M. Balboa.

"Human Security, Humanitarian Response and Ebola." *PS: Political Science and Politics* 48 (01): 13-14, (2015).

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## BOOK CHAPTERS

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"Non-governmental Organizations and the Peace, Security, and Development Nexus" in *Routledge Handbook of Peace, Security, and Development* Fen Osler Hampson, Alpaslan Ozerdem, Jonathan Kent (Eds.). Taylor and Francis, pp. 420-432.

"Legitimacy of International NGOs" in *Routledge Handbook of NGOs and International Relations* Thomas Davies (Ed.). Taylor and Francis (2019) with Hans Peter Schmitz, pp. 606-620.

"Making Change-makers: Integrating Project-based Learning in NGO Management Courses," In Agnieszka Paczynska and Susan F. Hirsch (Eds.) *Conflict Zone, Comfort Zone: Ethics, Pedagogy, and Effecting Change in Field Based Courses*. Ohio University Press, pp. 159-179 (2019).

“NGO Accountability Clubs in the Humanitarian Sector: Social Dimensions of Club Emergence and Design.” In Mary Kay Gugerty and Aseem Prakash (Eds.) Nonprofit Clubs: Voluntary Regulation of Nonprofit and Nongovernmental Organizations. Cambridge University Press, pp. 169-200, (2010).

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## BOOK REVIEWS

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“HIV Exceptionalism: Bypassing and building the state in Sierra Leone” review of *HIV Exceptionalism: Development through Disease in Sierra Leone* by Adia Benton, University of Minnesota Press (2015), *International Politics Reviews* (November 2016), pp. 1-4.

ISSF Roundtable on *The Taming of Democracy Assistance: Why Democracy Promotion Does Not Confront Dictators* by Sarah S. Bush, H-Diplo, ISSF Roundtable, Volume VIII, No. 18 (2016), pp. 5-7. <http://issforum.org/roundtables/8-18-democracy-assistance>

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## PUBLICALLY ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP AND PUBLICATIONS

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“Failed or Failsafe?: Global Pandemic Response as Polycentric Governance,” *Global Cooperation Research: A Quarterly Magazine*, Käte Hamburger Kolleg / Centre for Global Cooperation Research, April 17, 2020, pp. 8-9. <https://bit.ly/GCRApril20>

“It’s not too Late to Stem the Third Wave of the Coronavirus Pandemic: Bottom-up approaches to Pandemic Response,” *Opinion: Scientific Blog*, Käte Hamburger Kolleg / Centre for Global Cooperation Research, April 1, 2020, <https://www.gcr21.org/opinion/year/2020/its-not-too-late-to-stem-the-third-wave-of-the-coronavirus-pandemic-bottom-up-approaches-to-pandemic-response>

Guest blogger, Duck of Minerva, <http://duckofminerva.com/> (2015-2017)

“Three lessons from Ebola can help us fight the Zika Virus,” *The Monkey Cage*, The Washington Post, February 14, 2016. <https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2016/02/14/heres-why-zika-and-ebola-are-more-than-public-health-crises/>

“Human Security in the Age of Ebola: Towards People-Centered Global Governance.” *E-International Relations*, October 25, 2014, <http://www.e-ir.info/2014/10/25/human-security-in-the-age-of-ebola-towards-people-centered-global-governance/>

- Reprinted by Global Studies Institute *The Glocal* on November 10, 2014.
- Reprinted by *Global Policy Journal* on January 21, 2015.
- Reprinted by The Marshall Center *Transnational Weekly* on January 27, 2015.

“Will AFRICOM’s Ebola response be a watershed moment for international action on human security?” *The Monkey Cage*, The Washington Post, September 29, 2014, <https://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/monkey-cage/wp/2014/09/29/will-africom-s-ebola-response-be-watershed-moment-for-international-action-on-human-security/>

## **WORK IN PROGRESS**

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### *Under review*

The Sphere Project: Imagining Better Humanitarian Action through Reflective Accountability Institutions and Practices

Metagovernance Norms and Polycentricity in Global Humanitarian Governance

### *Working manuscripts*

The Good Humanitarian: The role and influence of the SCHR in creating social hierarchy through humanitarian standard-setting

Beyond Cooperation and Competition: NGO-NGO Interactions in Global Politics (with Sigrid Quack, Professor of Sociology, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany): in progress edited book volume

Accountability in Global Humanitarian Governance (book manuscript)

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

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| 2019-2020        | Research fellowship, Käte Hamburger Kolleg / Centre for Global Cooperation Research at the University of Duisburg-Essen                    |
| 2017             | Conference scholarship, Association for Research on Nonprofit and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA)  |
| 2017, 2016, 2014 | Faculty Development Grant, Arcadia University  |
| 2013             | American Political Science Association Small Research Grant  |
| 2011             | Faculty Development Grant, Arcadia University  |
| 2010             | Summer Research Grant, Institute on Corporate Responsibility, The George Washington University   |
| 2007             | Professional Development Funding Grant, Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER), The George Washington University |
| 2006             | Emerging Scholar Award, Association for Research on Nonprofit and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA)  |
| 2006             | Shirley H. and Robert L. Richards Scholarship in Political Science, The George Washington University                                       |
| 2006             | Columbian College of Arts and Sciences Graduate Student Research Grant (departmental nomination; college-wide competition)                 |
| 2003-2004        | Selective Excellence Graduate Student Fellowship, The George Washington University   |
| 2000-2002        | Multi-year scholarship, awarded by the Sciences Po Alumni Association, Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris                               |
| 1996-2000        | Pi Delta Phi National French Honor Society<br>Pi Sigma Alpha National Political Science Honor Society                                      |

Joshua L. Grafton Scholarship for Student Leadership (1998, by nomination;  
university-wide competition)  
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (from 2007)**

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(P)resenter, (C)hair, (D)iscussant, (O)rganizer

International Studies Association (ISA)	2019 (O, P, C); 2018 (O, P, D); 2017 (P); 2015 (P, D); 2014 (P); 2012 (P, O); 2008 (P); 2007 (P)
Association for Research on Nonprofit and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA)	2017 (P, C, D); 2016 (P); 2011 (P); 2010 (P); 2007 (P)
American Political Science Association (APSA)	2018 (O,P); 2016 (P); 2013 (P, C, D)
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)	2013 (P)
British International Studies Association (BISA)	2015 (P)

## **INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS**

Käte Hamburger Kolleg / Centre for Global Cooperation Research, University of Duisburg-  
Essen, Research Colloquium 2019

International sef: Expert Workshop, “The Essential World Organization: Reinvigorating the UN at  
75.” Duisburg, Germany, 2019.

Temple University, Department of Political Science Working Paper Series, Philadelphia, PA,  
2019

Marxe School of Public and International Affairs, Baruch College, City University of New York,  
Faculty Seminar, New York, NY, 2019

Temple University Workshop on International Institutions and Global Governance, Philadelphia,  
PA, 2018, 2017, 2016

Arcadia University, Faculty Forum, 2016, 2013

Arcadia University, Faculty Development Workshop on Teaching, Learning and Assessment,  
2016 (with Michelle Reale)

British International Studies Association, NGO Working Group Workshop, “NGOs in Global  
Governance,” London, UK, 2015

Istanbul Policy Center: NGOs, Health Aid and Turkish NGOs, Istanbul, Turkey, 2015

Reclaiming Global Governance: Prospects for an Uncertain World Workshop, Balsillie School of International Affairs, Carleton University, 2013

International Studies Association, Venture Workshop: "INGOs by the Numbers: Innovations in Data Collection and Methods," 2012

InterAction Evaluation and Program Effectiveness Working Group (EPEWG), Washington, D.C. 2008

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Undergraduate	Introduction to International Relations Introduction to Comparative Politics Political Science Research Writing Global Governance and International Organization NGOs in International Politics: Concepts and Challenges
Graduate (M.A.)	Foundations of Humanitarian Action Global Governance & International Organization NGOs in International Politics NGO Management: Program design, implementation and evaluation Social Science Research Design & Methods Qualitative Research Methods Master's Capstone (thesis)

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & SERVICE**

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### **Service to the Profession**

#### **American Political Science Association (APSA)**

- Editorial Board Member, *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 2018-
- Human Rights Section, Member-at-large elected 2016-2019
- Qualitative and Mixed Methods Research Section, Sage APSA Paper Award Committee 2014-2015

#### **International Studies Association (ISA)**

- Editorial Board Member, *Global Studies Quarterly*, 2020-

#### **Association for Research on Nonprofit and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA)**

- Accountability, Evaluation, and Outcomes track, Track Chair, Annual Conference 2017, 2018
- Emerging Scholars Awards committee member, 2017

## Peer Referee (listed alphabetically):

*Administration and Society; Contemporary Security Policy; CRC Press Taylor & Francis; Environmental Politics; Global Public Health; International Studies Review; International Studies Quarterly; International Political Sociology; Non-profit Management & Leadership; Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly; Political and Legal Anthropology Review; Political Research Quarterly; PS: Political Science and Politics; Review of International Studies; World Development*

## Service to the University

### Arcadia University

#### *University-wide*

2017-2018	Middle States Commission of Higher Education Evaluation Self-study Working Group A – Evaluation of mission and goals; ethics and integrity; university's strategic plan assessment
2013-2017	Full member of the Institutional Review Board (IRB)
2013-2014	Elected Member of the Graduate Academic Programs Committee

#### *Department*

2018-2011	Undergraduate and graduate academic advising, International Studies program, International Peace and Conflict Resolution program
2013-2018	International Peace and Conflict Resolution program Steering Committee
2012-2013	Search committee member for director position, International Peace and Conflict Resolution Program
2011-2013	Assistant Director, International Peace and Conflict Resolution program

#### *Other Departments*

2017	Search committee (external) member for faculty position in Italian, Department of Modern Languages
2013-2014	Search committee (external) member for faculty position in Trauma Counseling, Department of Psychology
2013-2014	Search committee (external) member for faculty position in French, Department of Modern Languages
2012-2013	Search committee (external) member for faculty position in Trauma Counseling, Department of Psychology

## RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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2017	Alliance for Peacebuilding, Washington D.C. Innovative Financing for Peace Steering Committee
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2017	WorldVision UK Expert advisory group on Accountability, evidence review of how downward NGO accountability contributes to wider outcomes
2003	OXFAM, Oxford, England Research Intern
2001-2002	Action Contre la Faim (Action Against Hunger), Paris, France Research Assistant

## **LANGUAGES**

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French	Native fluency, Certified National French Exam
Spanish	Beginner, basic reading proficiency
Farsi	Conversational proficiency