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Dean’s Professor of Political Science, International Affairs, and Diplomacy
Director of the Center for International Affairs & World Cultures
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Research Areas

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| Transnational political networks (elite and societal) | Transatlantic & European security |
| Ultrasociality and international cooperation | Soft & Smart Power |
| Diplomacy, public diplomacy, cultural diplomacy | Space Diplomacy |

Education

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| Harvard University A.B. with honors, Government, 1999 | Princeton University M.A., Politics, 2002; Ph.D., Politics, 2005 |
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Academic Experience

Northeastern University, College of Social Sciences & Humanities (2013-present)
Dean’s Professor of Political Science, International Affairs, and Diplomacy (2022-present)
with joint appointment in the Policy School (2024-present)
Edward W. Brooke Professor of Political Science (2016-2022)
Full Professor of Political Science & International Affairs (2020-present)
Associate Professor of Political Science & International Affairs (2016-2020)
Assistant Professor of Political Science & International Affairs (2013-2016)

ARENA Centre for European Studies, University of Oslo (2012-2018)
Senior Researcher on EuroDiv, Antero, and Globus (Horizon 2020) projects
(2012-2014 full-time; 2014-2018 part-time)

University of Southern California, School of International Relations (2008-2013)
Assistant Professor of International Relations & Public Diplomacy

Colgate University (2005-2008)
Assistant Professor of Political Science

University Leadership

Northeastern University, College of Social Sciences & Humanities
Director of the Center for International Affairs & World Cultures (2022-present)
Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs (2021-2024); also of Diversity and Inclusion (2021-2023)
Co-Chair of the Council on Civic Sustainability, Diversity, and Inclusion (2021-2023)
Director of Graduate Studies, Political Science (2018-2020)

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Northeastern University

Member of the Provost Search Committee (2025)

Ex-Officio Member of Presidential Council on Diversity and Inclusion (2021-2023)

External Grants

Carnegie Corporation of New York, “Transnational Political Networks and the Future of Global Order,” PI, 2024-2026 (\$445,000)

Norwegian Research Council, “Earth to Orbit – Building Bridges in Space Governance (DISCOVER),” Project Partner, 2025-2028 (\$1.1 million)

EU Horizon 2020, “Reconsidering European Contributions to Global Justice (GLOBUS),” Work Package Leader at ARENA Center for European Studies, 2016-2018 (€2.5 million)

Norwegian Research Council, “Transatlantic Relations in times of Uncertainty,” Contributing Researcher, 2016-2018 (\$6,000)

International Studies Association Catalytic Research Grant, 2015-2016 (\$10,000)

Journal of Common Market Studies workshop grant for special issue, 2015 (£2000)

University Association for Contemporary European Studies Workshop Award, 2012 (£400)

Policy Experience

Council on Foreign Relations Independent Task Force on US Space Policy Management, 2024-2025

Life Member of the Council on Foreign Relations, 2023-present (Term Member, 2014-2019)

Seattle Working Group on Space (SWAG), 2022-present

Public Diplomacy Diplomatic Training Course, European External Action Service, 2021-present

Senior Visiting Fellow at the Netherlands Institute of International Relations Clingendael, 2012-2022

Public Diplomacy Advisory Group, United Nations Sustainable Development Goals Fund, 2016-8

Policy Briefing on EU public diplomacy to the EU’s Committee of the Regions, 2013

Guest speaker, Transatlantic relations & Diplomacy, French Air Force Academy, 2010 & 2011

Visiting Fellow, European Union Institute for Security Studies, 2009

Consultant, National Endowment for Democracy, 2000

Intern, U.S. Department of State, Foreign Service Institute, Washington DC, Summer 1998

Fellowships

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| Institute of European Studies, University of California Berkeley, Summer Visiting Scholar | 2022 |
| Humanities Center, Northeastern University | 2017-8 |
| Nobel Fellowship, Nobel Peace Institute, Oslo | 2016 |
| Fulbright, EU Affairs Research Program, Brussels, Paris, London | 2009 |
| European Union Institute for Security Studies, Paris | 2009 |
| Institute for European Studies, Cornell University | 2006-8 |
| Bradley Fellowship for research in Madrid, Brussels, Valladolid | 2004-5 |
| Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques (Sciences Po), Paris | 2002-3 |
| Princeton University President’s Fellowship | 2000-5 |

Publications all single-authored unless otherwise noted

Books:

(under contract) *European Union Grand Strategy*, Oxford University Press, due 2025.

International Cooperation Against All Odds: The Ultrasocial World, Oxford University Press, 2024.

European-Russian Power Relations in Turbulent Times, (co-edited with Ireneusz Pawel Karolewski), University of Michigan Press, 2021. Selected for Open Access.

The Politics of Crisis in Europe, New York: Cambridge University Press, 2017.

European Public Diplomacy: Soft Power at Work, (co-edited with Jan Melissen), Series in Global Public Diplomacy, New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2013.

Security Integration in Europe: How Knowledge-based Networks are Transforming the European Union, Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2011. Winner of the **2012 Best Book Prize** from the University Association for Contemporary European Studies.

The European Diplomatic Corps: Diplomats and International Cooperation from Westphalia to Maastricht, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2007.

Edited Special Journal Issues:

(in progress) *Transnational Political Networks & the Future of Global Order* (co-edited with Marianne Riddervold), a project supported by Carnegie Corporation of New York

Space Diplomacy, (co-edited with Saadia Pekkanen), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, 18(2-3), 2023.

Europe's Hybrid Foreign Policy: The Ukraine-Russia Crisis, (co-edited with Ireneusz Pawel Karolewski), *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 2017.

Articles:

(in progress) "Transatlantic Security Cooperation & the New Space Age," special issue in *International Affairs*

(under review) "Critical Investments in Bioregenerative Life Support for Sustainable Human Space Operations: A Bioastronautics Architecture to Enable Lunar Surface Habitation and Exploration," (co-authored with Marshall Porterfield, Dana Tulodziecki, et. al), *Nature Microgravity*, 2025.

"Space Age or Space Race?" *Georgetown Journal of International Affairs*, Summer 2025.

"Space Diplomacy: The Final Frontier of Theory & Practice," 2023, (with Saadia Pekkanen), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy* 18(2-3): 1-25.

- “Counter-terrorism & the Intelligence Network in Europe.” 2023. *The International Journal of Law, Crime, and Justice* 72(March): 1-9.
- “Space Security & the Transatlantic Relationship.” 2022, *Politics and Governance* 10(2): 134-143.
- “‘United Space in Europe’: The European Space Agency and the EU Space Program.” 2021. *European Foreign Affairs Review* 26: 31-46.
- “Outer Space and the Idea of the Global Commons,” 2021. *International Relations* 35(3): 384-402.
- “The European Space & Intelligence Networks,” 2020. *Journal of Transatlantic Studies* 18 (2): 209-230.
- “The Social Construction of the Space Race: Then & Now.” 2019. *International Affairs* 95(6): 1403-1421.
- “Reactive Power EU. Russian aggression and the development of an EU Arctic policy.” 2019. (with Marianne Riddervold), *European Foreign Affairs Review* 24(1): 43-60.
- “Partners at Paris? Climate Negotiations and Transatlantic Relations.” 2018. *Journal of European Integration* 40(5): 571-586.
- “Secrecy and the Making of the Common Foreign & Security Policy.” 2018. *West European Politics* 41(4): 914-932.
- “Counter-terrorism in the EU’s external relations.” 2017. *Journal of European Integration* 39(5): 609-624.
- “The European Union & Image Resilience During Times of Crisis: The Role of Public Diplomacy.” 2016. (with Teresa La Porte), *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy* 2(3): 257-282.
- “The Global Strategy and EU Diplomacy.” 2016. Forum: The EU Global Strategy, *Contemporary Security Policy* 37(3): 402-413.
- “What type of power has the EU exercised in the Ukraine-Russia crisis? A framework of analysis.” 2016. (with Ireneusz Pawel Karolewski), Special Issue: Europe’s Hybrid Foreign Policy, *Journal of Common Market Studies* 55(1): 3-19.
- “The EU’s Power in the Russia-Ukraine Crisis: Enabled or Constrained?” 2016. (with Ireneusz Pawel Karolewski), Special Issue: Europe’s Hybrid Foreign Policy, *Journal of Common Market Studies* 55(1): 137-152.
- “EU Crises & Integrational Panic: The Role of the Media.” 2015. (with Xinru Ma), *Journal of European Public Policy* 22(8): 1053-1070.
- “The European Defence Agency and the Member States: Public and Hidden Transcripts.” 2015. *European Foreign Affairs Review*, 20(3): 83-102.
- “The Limits of Epistemic Communities: EU Security Agencies.” 2015. *Politics & Governance* 3(1): 90-100.

- “Rethinking Epistemic Communities Twenty Years Later.” 2013. *Review of International Studies*, 39(1): 137-160.
- “The Military Dimension of European Security: An Epistemic Community Approach.” 2013. *Millennium* 42(1): 45-64.
- “A European Transgovernmental Intelligence Network and the Role of IntCen.” 2013. *Perspectives on European Politics and Society*, 14(3): 388-402.
- “Identity Politics and European Integration.” 2012. *Comparative Politics*, 44(2): 229-246.
- “Europe, A Smart Power?” 2011. *International Politics*, 48(6): 691-706.
- “Building a European Diplomacy: Recruitment & Training to the EEAS.” 2011. *European Foreign Affairs Review*, 16(4): 447-464.
- “Cooperation by Committee: The EU Military Committee and the Committee for Civilian Crisis Management.” 2010. *Occasional Paper, No. 82*. Paris: European Union Institute for Security Studies, pp. 1-38.
- “An EU Homeland Security? Sovereignty vs. Supranational Order.” 2007. *European Security*, 16(1): 79-97.

Book Chapters:

- (in progress) “EU Grand Strategy after Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine,” in Marianne Riddervold and Perniller Rieker (eds), *European Security After Ukraine*.
- (under review) “Space,” (with Jonathan Michanie) in Thomas Christansen, Emil Kirchner, et. al (eds), *The Palgrave Handbook on EU-Asia Relations*, Palgrave, 2026.
- “International Cooperation during the Space Race,” in Otfried Liepack (ed), *History of Rocketry and Astronautics*, American Astronautical Society History Series, Volume 52, San Diego: Univelt, 2022.
- “The Challenges Ahead for European Cultural Diplomacy,” in Roberta N. Haar, et al. (eds) *The Making of European Security Policy: Between Institutional Dynamics and Global Challenges*, Routledge, 2021, pp. 46-62.
- “Power Dynamics in EU-Russian Relations,” (with Pawel Karolewski) in *European-Russian Power Relations in Turbulent Times*, University of Michigan Press, 2021, pp. 1-28.
- “Europe-Russia Relations in the Shadow of the Transatlantic Divide,” (with Pawel Karolewski) in *European-Russian Power Relations in Turbulent Times*, University of Michigan Press, 2021, pp. 240-263.
- “Social Constructivism,” in Marianne Riddervold, Jarle Trondal, and Akasemi Newsome (eds) *The Palgrave Handbook of EU Crisis*, Houndmills: Palgrave, 2020, pp. 195-211.

- “Security and Terrorism,” in Rory Costello and Neil Robinson (eds.), *Comparative European Politics: distinctive democracies, common challenges*. Oxford University Press, 2020.
- “The merits of informality: The European trans-governmental intelligence network,” in Jan-Hendrik Dietrich & Satish Sule, *Intelligence Law and Policies in Europe*, Munich: C.H. Beck, 2020. pp. 235-48.
- “EU Institutions & Peace,” in Asle Toje (ed.), *The Causes of Peace: What We Know Now*, Oslo: Nobel Symposium Proceedings, 2019. pp. 235-58.
- “Investigating Discrimination: Injustice against Women of Color in the Academy,” (with Jane Junn) in Kieu Linh Valverde and Wei Ming Dariotis (eds), *Fight the Tower: Asian American Women Scholars’ Resistance and Renewal in the Academy*, Rutgers University Press, 2019.
- “Counter-terrorism in the EU’s external relations,” in Kalypso Nicolaidis, Richard Bellamy, and Joseph Lacey (eds), *European Boundaries in Question*, Routledge, 2018. (article reprint)
- “Environmental and Climate Diplomacy,” (with Diarmuid Torney) in Camilla Adelle, Katja Biedenkopf, and Diarmuid Torney (eds) *The External Dimension of European Union Environmental Policy: Rules, Regulation and Governance Beyond Borders*, Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2017.
- “The Public Diplomacy Role of the EEAS: Crafting a Resilient Image for Europe,” in David Spence and Jozef Batora (eds), *The European External Action Service: European Diplomacy Post-Westphalia*, Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2015. pp. 341-355.
- “A Media Perspective on European Crises,” (with Xinru Ma), in Hans-Joerg Trenz, Carlo Ruzza, Virginie Guiraudan (eds), *Europe’s Prolonged Crisis: The Making or the Unmaking of a Political Union*, Palgrave, 2015. pp. 210-231.
- “The Practice of Diplomacy and EU Security Policy,” in Maciej Wilga and Ireneusz Pawel Karolewski (eds), *New Approaches to EU Foreign Policy*, London: Routledge, 2014. pp. 106-124.
- “Transatlantic Cultural Diplomacy,” in Raphaela Henze and Gernot Wolfram (eds), *Exporting Culture: Which Role for Europe in a Global World?* Springer VS, 2014. pp. 13-24.
- “Conceptualizing Public Diplomacy” in *European Public Diplomacy: Soft Power at Work*, New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2013.
- “La coopération par comité. Le Comité militaire de l'UE et le Comité pour la gestion civile des crises,” in Grégory Bouterin et Emmanuel Goffi (eds), *L'Europe et sa défense*. Paris: éditions Choiseul, 2011. pp. 97-124. (article reprint)
- “Sustainable Diplomacy in the European Union,” in Costas M. Constantinou and James Der Derian (eds), *Sustainable Diplomacies*, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2010. pp. 192-212.
- “A European Epistemic Community of Diplomats,” in Paul Sharp and Geoffrey Wiseman (eds), *The Diplomatic Corps as an Institution of International Society*, Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2007. pp. 223-245.

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Encyclopedia Contributions:

- “Epistemic Communities,” in Jean-Frédéric Morin and Amandine Orsini (eds), *Essential Concepts of Global Environmental Governance*, Abingdon: Routledge, 2014, pp. 69-72. (2020 reprint)
- “Diplomacy,” *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd edition, Macmillan Reference, October 2007.
- “European Union,” *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd edition, Macmillan Reference, October 2007.

Selected Print & Broadcast Interviews

Scientific American
The Independent
Associated Press
Bloomberg
Newsweek
USA Today
BBC

Vanity Fair
Vox
PolitiFact
NBC Boston (TV)
Global News Canada (TV)
Arirang Global Insight (TV)

Op Eds & Policy Briefs:

- (forthcoming) “The Cosmic Precipice: Why Weaponizing Space Harms Us All,” with Ann C. Thresher, *Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs*, 2025
- (forthcoming) “Space-Biotech Policy Brief,” *Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs*, 2025.
- “Why There’s Always a Path to International Cooperation,” *Multilateralism in Action*, Columbia University, 2025.
- “The Tides of Change in Transatlantic Security,” *Euractiv*, September 2021.
- “Why we don’t understand what a space race means,” OUPblog, Oxford University Press, December 2019. (re-published on SpaceWatch.Global)
- “The Hour of Europe: The EU Becomes a Global Power,” *European Security 2030: The Results of the Dabrendorf Foresight Project*, London School of Economics Ideas series, September 2019.
- “50 Years After the Moon Landing: Why Europe Should Lead the Next 50,” *NUPI Policy Brief*, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, July 2019.
- “Strategic flexibility and willingness to engage,” *Cultures of We? Europe and the search for a new narrative*, EU National Institutes of Culture Yearbook 2018, pp. 184-189.
- “Don’t be fooled by the UK election: There’s nothing democratic about Brexit,” *The Washington Post*, DemocracyPost, June 7, 2017.

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- “Macron’s victory shows why its time to stop panicking about Europe,” *The Washington Post*, Global Opinions, May 8, 2017.
- “European Security & the Power of Knowledge-based Networks,” *NUPI Policy Brief*, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, August 2015.
- “From Internal Diplomacy to External Diplomacy,” *Diplomat Magazine*, February 2015.
- “European Integration and Security Epistemic Communities,” *e-International Relations*, January 2014.
- “Communicating Europe: At Home in Tomorrow’s World,” (with Jan Melissen), *Clingendael Policy Brief*, No. 24, October 2013.
- “Common Security & Defense Policy and the Transatlantic Partnership,” EUForum.nl, March 2013.
- “European leaders should change their tone when talking to the world,” (with Jan Melissen), *EUobserver.com*, October 2013.
- “And they didn’t fall down,” *Indian Express*, January 19, 2013.
- “Europe as a Security Actor,” *Public Diplomacy Magazine*, Summer 2012.
- “All talk and no action,” *Culture Report: Europe’s Foreign Cultural Relations*, EU National Institutes of Culture Yearbook 2011, pp. 20-25.
- “The European External Action Service and Smart Power,” CPD Blog, Center on Public Diplomacy, November 3, 2011.
- Interview for China Radio International about EU military integration, July 2011.
- “Transatlantic Misperceptions: American Views of Europe,” Atlantic-Community.org, March 9, 2011.
- “The European External Action Service & Smart Power,” EUSA Review, EU Studies Association, Spring 2011.
- “Turning Diplomacy Inside-Out,” *CFSP Forum*, 8(3): 1-7. May 2010.
- “Head-scarves: Discrimination or Democratization?” *The Soapbox*, Princeton University, Feb 2004.
- “Democracy in Danger: Hong Kong Democratic Leader Martin Lee Prepares for Chinese Rule,” *Harvard Political Review*, 1996 Winter Issue. (published interview)

Book Reviews:

- Hylke Dijkstra, *International Organizations and Military Affairs*, Routledge, 2016, for *European Security*, 26(1), October 2016, pp. 149-150.
- Raymond Smith, *The Craft of Political Analysis for Diplomats*, Dulles, Potomac Books, 2011 for *Political Science Quarterly*, 127(4), December 2012, pp. 720-721.
- Iver Neumann, *At Home with the Diplomats: Inside a European Foreign Ministry*, Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2012 for *H-Diplo*, *H-Net Reviews*, August 2012.

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Nicolas Jabko, *Playing the Market: A Political Strategy for Uniting Europe*, Cornell University Press, 2006 for *Comparative Political Studies*, 40(8), August 2007. pp. 1019-1022.

Patrick O. Cohrs, *The Unfinished Peace after World War I: America, Britain and the Stabilisation of Europe, 1919-1932*, Cambridge University Press, 2006 for the *Journal of British Studies*, 46(2), April 2007. pp. 409-11.

Invited Talks (selected)

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| Royal Irish Academy | 2025 (keynote) |
| University of Lisbon | 2025 (keynote) |
| ARENA Centre for European Studies | 2025 (upcoming), 2015, 2013 |
| Council on Foreign Relations | 2025, 2023 |
| Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs | 2025 |
| Boston University | 2025 |
| Bridgewater State University | 2025 |
| Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (NUPI) | 2025, 2024, 2019, 2015 |
| University of Leiden | 2024 |
| Smithsonian National Air & Space Museum | 2024 |
| RELATE Network Webinar | 2024 |
| Erasmus Jean Monnet Network, University of Leuven | 2024 |
| RAND | 2024 |
| European Institute of Public Administration | 2025, 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021, 2009 |
| University of Washington | 2025 (upcoming), 2024, 2023 |
| World Affairs Council Seattle | 2023 |
| University of Southern California | 2023, 2012, 2010 |
| Academy of International Affairs, Bonn | 2023 |
| Duke University, Space Diplomacy Lab | 2023 |
| Finnish Institute of International Affairs | 2023 |
| French Consulate in Boston | 2022 (keynote) |
| Overview Effect Roundtable | 2022 |
| European Consortium on Political Research | 2022 |
| Princeton University | 2021, 2018, 2015, 2013, 2011 |
| School of Public Policy – University of Maryland | 2021 |
| Fletcher School at Tufts | 2021 |
| University of Pittsburgh | 2020, 2016 (keynote) |
| European University Institute | 2020, 2018, 2017 |
| Brandeis University | 2019 |
| University of Edinburgh | 2018 |
| Yale University | 2018 |
| University of Alaska | 2018 |

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| Scripps College | 2017 (keynote) |
| Northeastern University | 2017, 2014 |
| Tufts University EPHC Symposium | 2017, 2016, 2015 |
| Nobel Symposium | 2016 |
| Nobel Institute Public Lecture | 2016 |
| University of Amsterdam | 2015 |
| Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | 2015 |
| Boston University | 2015 |
| British Consulate – Boston | 2015 |
| University of Texas-Austin | 2015 |
| University of Florida | 2014 |
| University of Siegen | 2014 (keynote) |
| London School of Economics | 2013 |
| Belgrade Security Forum | 2013 (keynote) |
| Swedish Institute of International Affairs | 2013 |
| University of Agder | 2013 |
| Sciences Po Grenoble | 2013 |
| Oxford University | 2013 |
| University of Navarra | 2012 |
| American University | 2012 |
| University of San Diego | 2012 |
| Chapman University | 2012 |
| University of Chicago | 2012 |
| Sciences Po Paris | 2012 |
| French Air Force Academy Salon de Provence | 2012, 2010 |
| Netherlands Institute of International Relations Clingendael | 2011 |
| EU Center of Excellence in Miami | 2011 |
| Institut für Auslandsbeziehungen in Brussels | 2010 |
| EU Institute for Security Studies Paris | 2009 |
| Maastricht University | 2009 |
| Watson Institute at Brown University | 2008 |
| Cyprus Centre of the International Peace Research Institute | 2007 |
| Eurosim | 2007 (keynote) |
| Colgate University | 2007, 2006 |

Conference Presentations

Full list available upon request.

Teaching

Awards:

American Political Science Association Pi Sigma Alpha Teaching Recognition, 2012

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USC Learning Environment Award for teaching using technology, 2012

Winner of the USC Steven B. Sample Teaching and Mentoring Award, 2011 (granted to one junior-faculty member university-wide annually)

Courses in development

Space Policy & Security

Public Diplomacy

Courses I have created & taught – graduate level:

Global Governance

Hard Power, Soft Power, Smart Power

European Foreign & Security Policy

International Relations

European Public Diplomacy

European Union

Courses I have created & taught – undergraduate level:

Europe & the European Union

International Affairs Capstone

European Foreign & Security Policy

British Politics

West European Politics

International Relations

Continuity & Change in IR (seminar)

Brexit “pop-up”

International Security

Courses in development:

Space Diplomacy

Diplomacy & Public Diplomacy

Ph.D. students:

Primary advisor for nine students (eight completed)

Committee member for ten students (eight completed)

Internal Grants & Awards

Dean’s Professor of Political Science, International Affairs, and Diplomacy, 2022-present

Edward W. Brooke Chair, 2016-2022 (\$35,000)

Northeastern University Research Development Initiative seed funding, 2016 (\$5,000)

Northeastern University Humanities Center grant, 2015-2016 & 2021-2022 (\$10,000)

Harvard’s Louis Sudler Award, graduating senior with most outstanding accomplishment and talent in the arts, 1999 (\$1,000)

Harvard College Scholarship for superior academic achievement, 1995-1999

Editorships & Board Memberships

Editor, Journal of European Integration, 2020-2023 (Associate Editor, 2018-2020)

Guest Editor, 2023 double-length Special Issue of the *Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, 2021-2023

Working Group on Earth-Space Governance, Earth System Governance Project – Scientific Steering Committee, 2023-present

STRAX - Transforming strategic cultures in contemporary Europe – Advisory Board, 2022-present

Guest Editor, January 2017 Special Issue of the *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 2015-2017

Journal of European Integration – Editorial Board, 2023-present

Cooperation and Conflict – Editorial Board, 2023-present

European Security – Editorial Board, 2019-present

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Series Editor, Palgrave Studies in International Relations, 2016-2021

The Hague Journal of Diplomacy – International Advisory Board, 2014-present

Palgrave Macmillan Series in Global Public Diplomacy – Editorial Board, 2012-present

Place Branding and Public Diplomacy – Editorial Board, 2012-present

Workshop Organization

Co-Organizer of Transnational Political Networks & the Future of Global Order workshop, Jindal Global University, March 2026 (upcoming)

Co-Organizer of Transnational Political Networks & the Future of Global Order workshop, University College Dublin, November 2025 (upcoming)

Co-Organizer of Transnational Political Networks & the Future of Global Order workshop, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, October 2025 (upcoming)

Organizer of Transnational Political Networks & the Future of Global Order workshop, Northeastern University, April 2025

Organizer of Biotech-Space Working Group, Northeastern University, 2024-2025.

Organizer of workshop, “Space Diplomacy,” Northeastern University, October 2021, and Co-organizer at the University of Leiden, June 2023

Co-organizer of workshop, “Europe’s Parallel Foreign Policy: The Ukraine-Russia Crisis,” at the University of Wroclaw’s Willy Brandt Center (Poland) November 2015

Co-organizer of workshop, “Europe’s Parallel Foreign Policy: The Ukraine-Russia Crisis,” at Harvard University’s Weatherhead Center for International Affairs April 2015

Co-host of workshop, “Communicating Europe: At Home in Tomorrow’s World,” at the Committee of the Regions, European Commission, Brussels, October 2013

Co-host of workshop, “Communicating Europe: At Home in Tomorrow’s World,” at Clingendael, the Hague, Summer 2011

Organizer of workshop, “European Public Diplomacy: Soft Power at Work,” University of Southern California, March 2012

Professional Committees & Leadership

Center for Emerging Markets, D’Amore-McKim School of Business, Northeastern University – Faculty Fellow, 2024-present

European Union Studies Association Best Dissertation Prize Committee, 2023

American Astronautical Association – History Committee Member, 2021-present

International Astronautical Association – History Committee Member, 2020-present

Council for European Studies – First Article Prize Committee 2021

Faculty Advisor, European Horizons at Yale University (student network), 2016-2019

European International Studies Association Best Dissertation prize committee, 2018

Co-chair of the EU as a Global Actor interest section of the EU Studies Association, 2015-9

Reviewer

Council on Foreign Relations Robert A. Belfer International Affairs Fellowship selection committee
Book reviewer for University of Michigan Press, Oxford University Press, MIT Press, Palgrave,
Rowman & Littlefield, Sage/CQ Press, Ashgate, Continuum, Brill, and Routledge

Journal reviewer for *International Organization*, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, *European Union Politics*, *Hague Journal of Diplomacy*, *European Security*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *European Journal of International Relations*, *Journal of Contingencies and Crisis Management*, *Journal of International Relations and Development*, *Governance*, *Review of International Studies*, *The Review of International Organizations*, *Political Science Quarterly*, *The Journal of Australian Anthropology*, *European Societies*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *Law & Policy*, *Diplomacy & Statecraft*, *Scandinavian Political Studies*, *Place Branding & Public Diplomacy*, *International Security*, *Journal of European Integration*, *Comparative European Politics*, *Journal of European Public Policy*, *Defense Studies*, *Cooperation & Conflict*, *Comillas Journal of International Relations*, *Regulation & Governance*, *European Journal of International Security*, *Journal of Global Ethics*, *Space Policy*, *International Affairs*

Proposal reviewer for the European Science Foundation, Austrian Science Foundation, and The Research Foundation – Flanders

University Service (selected)

Provost Search Committee, 2025

Global China Search Committee, 2024

Fulbright Alumni Internal Review Panel, 2024-present

Founder & Organizer of Research Colloquium in IR & Comparative Politics, 2018-2020

Advisory Board Member, Center for International Affairs and World Cultures, 2018-2020

Faculty Advisor, European Horizons (student group), 2016-2019

Organizer of Roundtable, “Cultural Diplomacy in Times of Political Ferment,” April 2018

Advisory Council for Civic Sustainability, Diversity, and Inclusion Initiatives, 2016-2018

College of Social Sciences & Humanities Undergraduate Academic Advisory Committee, 2014-6

Non-Academic Experience & Internships

AlphaSights Cultural Diplomacy Consultant, 2024

Mitchell Madison Group – Associate Intern, New York City, Summer 2004

National Endowment for Democracy – Consultant, Washington DC, 2000

Goldman Sachs & Co. – Financial Analyst, New York City, 1999-2000

U.S. Department of State, Foreign Service Institute – Intern, Washington DC, Summer 1998

South China Morning Post – News Desk Reporter Intern, Hong Kong, Summer 1997

TIME Magazine – News Reporter Intern, Hong Kong, Summer 1997