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**Current Position**

2014 - Present Associate Professor of Political Science Wabash College

2008 - 2014 Assistant Professor of Political Science Wabash College

**Education and Employment History**

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| 2006-08 | Faculty Fellow | University of California, San Diego |
| 2006 | Ph.D. | University of California, San Diego |
| 1999 | M.A. | University of California, San Diego |
| 1994 | B.A. (with High Honors) | Wesleyan University |
| 1992-93 | Junior Year Abroad | St. Patrick’s College (Maynooth, Ireland) |

**Book Manuscript**

*Hegemony and the Holocaust: State Power and Jewish Survival in Occupied Europ*e

Forthcoming by Palgrave Press (Expected in print late 2016)

**Areas of Interest**

Comparative Politics, International Relations, Ethnic Conflict and Genocide, State-sponsored Violence, Authoritarian Regimes, Democratization, Political Development, and the Holocaust

**Research Fellowships, Awards, and Affiliations**

2015 **McLain-McTurnan-Arnold Research Scholar Award.**

2015 **Fellow, Holocaust Education Foundation Workshop** at Northwestern U.

2013 **McLain-McTurnan-Arnold Research Scholar Award, Runner-up.**

2011 **Byron K. Trippet Research Support.** For research at the National Archives and the Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies in Washington, DC.

2009 **Faculty Development Research Support.** For attending the *Internationale Konferenz zur Holocaustforschung: Helfer, Retter und Netzwerker des Widerstands*. Berlin 2011

2010 **Visiting Professor** at the International Summer School of the East China Normal University in Shanghai, China.

2009 **Faculty Development Research Support.**

For participation in ICPSR Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research

2009 **Byron K. Trippet Research Support.** For research at the National Archives and the Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies in Washington, DC.

2006-2008 **Faculty Fellowship.** University of California, San Diego.

2004 **Dean’s Social Science Travel Grant.** For interview with Maurice Papon, France

2001-2003 **Visiting Scholar** at the *Zentrum für Antisemitismusforschung* (Center for Research on Antisemitism). Technische Universität Berlin, Germany

2001-2002 **Institute for Global Conflict and Cooperation** (IGCC)

Dissertation fellowship for research in Berlin and Jerusalem

2001 **German Academic Exchange Service** (DAAD)

Scholarship for language study at the *Göthe Institut*, Berlin

2000 **Dorot Foundation Fellowship** for Dissertation Research. Conducted at the International Institute for Holocaust Research (*Yad Vashem*), Jerusalem

1997 **Carter Presidential Center**, Latin American Department

Research on unresolved border and territorial disputes in Latin America

**Publications**

“Explaining the Intensity of the Arab Spring.” *Digest of Middle East Studies*. Vol. 24: No. 1 (Spring 2015): pp. 26-46. Co-authored with Chonghyun “Christie” Byun.

“International Hierarchy and the Final Solution.” In *Global Perspectives on the Holocaust: History, Identity and Legacy*. (Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2015): 136-159.

“Democratic Transition and Electoral Choice: The Legacy of One-Party Rule in Hungry and Poland.” *Journal of the Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences*. Vol. 16: No. 1 (Fall/Winter 2013): 87-102.

“The Banality of Goodness: Collaboration and Compromise in the Rescue of Denmark’s Jews.”

In *The Journal of Jewish Identities.* Vol. 6: No. 2 (July 2013): 41-66.

“The Bystander in Holocaust History and Education.”

In *Forum 21: European Journal on Child and Youth Research.* No. 7 (June 2011): pp. 28-35.

“The Final Solution in Bulgaria and Romania: A Comparative Perspective.”

In *East European Politics and Societies.* Vol. 22: No. 2 (Spring 2008): pp. 203-248.

“Modern Day Masada: Moral Commitment and the Sacrifice of Norway’s Jews.” In *The Legacy of the Holocaust: National Perspectives* by Zygmunt Mazur, Fritz Konig, Arnold Krammer, and Władysław Witalisz (eds). Krakow: Jagiellonian University Press, 2004: pp. 109-136.

**Book Reviews and Other Publications**

“A Foot in Two Worlds.” Dramaturgical Essay on *Fiddler on the Roof* for the Vanity Theater, Crawfordsville, Indiana. (September 19-28).

“U.S. Patronage and the Unlikely Dynamics of Democratization in the Middle East” (Book Review of Amaney A. Jamal’s *Of Empires and Citizens: Pro-American Democracy or No Democracy at All?*) *The Journal of Politics.* (October 2013).

“Puerto Sagua: Door to Cuba’s Past” (Reflective essay.) *Wabash Magazine: The Journal of Wabash College.* (Winter 2013): pp. 91-92.

“Track: Teaching Research Methods” (Track summary for 2010 APSA Teaching and Learning Conference.) *PS: Political Science and Politics.* Volume 43: Number 3 (July 2010): pp. 579-80. Co-authored with Leland M. Coxe and Brooke Thomas Allen.

“All Too Human” (Book Review of Wolfgang Benz’s *Concise History of the Third Reich.*) *Journal of Jewish Identities.* Issue 3: Number 1 (January 2010): pp. 69-71.

“Escaping the Danish Rescue” (Book Review of Peter H. Tveskov’s *Conquered, Not Defeated: Growing up in Denmark during the German Occupation of World War II*). *Journal of Genocide Research.* Vol. 6: No. 2 (June 2004): pp. 301–303.

“ניאו פשיזם חוצה גבולות” [“Italian Fascism and the Jews”]. Op-ed piece published in הארץ [*Haaretz*], December 2, 2003. Translated by Nadav Gabay.

**Works-in-progress and Under Review**

“Islands in a Storm: Reputation, Signaling and Effective Indivisibility in the Falklands/Malvinas Crisis.” (Under review)

**Editorial Experience**

Reviewer for *British Journal of Political Science*; *Journal of Jewish Identities*

Textbook review for Houghton Mifflin Company (*A History of World Societies, 7th Ed.*).

Assistant Editor for *Political Theory* (1997-99).

**Conference Papers and Presentations**

“Globalization, the Environment, and Politics” (Panel Discussant)

Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences Annual Meeting. Anderson University 2014.

“Explaining the Intensity of the Arab Spring”

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2013.

“Explaining the Intensity of the Arab Spring” (Prepared but not presented. Meeting cancelled.)

Prepared for American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans 2012.

“Underlying Causes of the Arab Spring”

Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences Annual Meeting. Indiana University Northwest 2012.

“Explaining the Intensity of the Arab Spring”

Western Economics Association International. San Francisco 2012.

“Occupation, Collaboration and Rates of Jewish Victimization During World War II”

10th Biennial MTSU International Holocaust Studies Conference. Murfreesboro, TN 2011.

“Anthropology, History, and International Studies” (Panel Discussant)

Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences Annual Meeting. Valparaiso University 2011.

“Swords or Shields? Implementing and Subverting the Final Solution in German-occupied Europe”

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Seattle 2011.

“Human Rights and the European Union” (Panel Chair and Discussant)

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2011.

“Swords or Shields? Implementing and Subverting the Final Solution in Nazi-occupied Europe”

*Internationale Konferenz zur Holocaustforschung: Helfer, Retter und Netzwerker des Widerstands*. Berlin 2011.

“International Hierarchy and the Final Solution”

Indiana Academy of Social Sciences Annual Meeting. Indianapolis 2010.

“Democratic Transition and Electoral Choice: The Legacy of One-Party Rule in Hungary and Poland” Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2009.

“Empire and Hegemony” (Panel Discussant)

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2009.

“Historical Legacies and Transitions Toward Democracy” (Panel Chair)

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2009.

“Ethnicity, Party Politics and Public Policy in Europe” (Panel Discussant)

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2009.

“Teaching the Holocaust” (Panel Discussant)

German Studies Association Annual Conference. San Diego 2007.

“International Hierarchy and the Final Solution”

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2007.

“The Banality of Goodness: The Danish Rescue in Comparative Perspective”

Inaugural proceedings at the *HL-senteret* (Center for Studies of the Holocaust and Religious Minorities) in Oslo. Norway 2006.

“An Interview with Maurice Papon”

The International Association of Genocide Scholars Biennial Conference. Boca Raton 2005.

“Military Occupation and the Limits of Hierarchy”

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago 2004.

“Islands in a Storm: Signaling and Effective Indivisibility in the Falklands/Malvinas Crisis”

International Studies Association Annual Meeting. Montreal 2004.

“Authority and Coercion in the War on Terror” (with Chad Rector).

International Studies Association International Conference. Budapest 2003.

“Implementing and Subverting the Final Solution in Nazi-occupied Eastern Europe”

International Association of Genocide Scholars Annual Conference. Galway 2003.

“Swords or Shields? Implementing and Subverting the Final Solution in Nazi-occupied Europe”

Zentrum für Antisemitismusforschung Colloquium Series. Berlin 2003.

“The Stuff of Legend: Resignation and Resistance in Occupied Denmark and Norway”

2nd International Holocaust Conference at the Jagellonian University, Krakow 2003.

**Invited Lectures**

“An Interview with Ethan Hollander.” Interviewed for *Wabash On My Mind* podcast (Episode 47). Wabash College Media Center, April 6, 2015.

“Sectarianism in the Middle East”

Bob Calhoun Memorial Great Decisions Program for the Foreign Policy Association and the Indiana Council on World Affairs, March 24, 2015.

“Turkey at the Crossroads”

Bob Calhoun Memorial Great Decisions Program for the Foreign Policy Association and the Indiana Council on World Affairs, February 12, 2014.

“Please Don’t Pee in the Chapel”

Chapel Talk, Wabash College, November 7, 2013.

“Humanitarian Intervention”

Bob Calhoun Memorial Great Decisions Program for the Foreign Policy Association and the Indiana Council on World Affairs, February 27, 2013.

“Mexico on the Edge”

Bob Calhoun Memorial Great Decisions Program for the Foreign Policy Association and the Indiana Council on World Affairs, February 15, 2012.

“Germany Ascendant”

Bob Calhoun Memorial Great Decisions Program for the Foreign Policy Association and the Indiana Council on World Affairs, February 9, 2011.

“Swords of Shields: Implementing and Subverting the Final Solution during WWII”

Yom Limmud: San Diego’s Community Day of Learning, January 30, 2011.

“Panel Discussion on Arthur Miller’s ‘Incident at Vichy’”

Ball Theater of the Fine Arts Center, Wabash College, October 8, 2010.

“Panel Discussion on Representations of the Holocaust”

Watson Forum, Pulliam Center for Contemporary Media, DePauw University, September 23, 2010.

Political Science Instructor for East China Normal University International Summer Institute

East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, Summer 2010.

“The Final Solution in Bulgaria and Romania”

Senior Seminar on Genocide and Political Violence, DePauw University, April 12, 2010.

“Difficult Moral Questions and the Holocaust”

Lecture for the Brotherhood of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, September 20, 2009.

“War by Other Means: Germany and the European Union”

Lecture on German Literature and Culture, Wabash College, April 30, 2009.

“Beer and Guns”

Chapel Talk, Wabash College, April 9, 2009.

“Panel Discussion on the Artwork of Samuel Bak”

Eric Dean Gallery, Wabash College, April 8, 2009.

“The Banality of Goodness: Reconsidering the Rescue of Denmark’s Jews During the Holocaust”

Graduation Speech for Melton Class of San Diego’s Agency for Jewish Education. June 5, 2008.

Interviewed on ABC-Affiliate KGTV-Channel 10 News at 5:30 as “International Conflict Expert” after the reported capture of Abu Ayyub al-Masri, leader of Al-Qaeda in Iraq. May 8, 2008.

“Why We Must Remember the Perpetrators of the Holocaust as well as the Victims”

Sponsored by the UCSD Int’l Affairs Group on Holocaust Remembrance Day. May 1, 2008.

“This Is Important”

‘Last Lecture’ Series, Sponsored by UCSD Student Life and Associated Students. April 16, 2008.

“Moral Judgment and the Holocaust”

Mandelbaum Family Lecture Series of San Diego’s Agency for Jewish Education. April 9, 2008.

“Ethnic Conflict and Nationalism”

Lecture for the Mid-East Forum at Booz Allen Hamilton Consulting. San Diego, May 16, 2007.

**Teaching Experience (at Wabash College, unless otherwise noted)**

PSC 121 Introduction to Comparative Politics

PSC 297 Research Methods and Statistics for Political Science

PSC 322/ECO 221 Politics of the European Union

PSC 324 Political and Economic Development

PSC 326 Politics of the Middle East

PSC 327 Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict

PSC 372/SPA 177 Cuban Politics and Culture

FRT Bugs, the Freshman Tutorial

FRC-EQ Freshman Colloquium - Enduring Questions

C&T 1 and 2 Cultures and Traditions

MMW5 Revolution, Industry and Empire (UCSD)

MMW6 The American Century (UCSD)

**Student Advising, Mentorship and Independent Study**

“Out of the Rubble: Explaining Democratic Developments in post-Arab Spring Egypt.”

M. Trevino, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“The Arab Spring: A Study in Phenomenology.”

B. Kested, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“A New Typology for Authoritarian Regimes.”

T. Counceller, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“Organizing an Archive of Holocaust-related Teaching Material.”

M. Osnowitz, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“The United Nations, the United States, and International Peacekeeping Operations.”

J. Koch, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“Criminal Networks, Ethnic Tensions, and Government Corruption in Bosnia-Herzegovina.”

H. Stone, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“Rationalist Foundations of Terrorism.”

J. Clough, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“Rural Rebellion in Modern China.”

F. Lempa, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“Motivation and Decision for the Genocidaires in the Rwandan Genocide.”

T. Neymeiyer, Independent Study, Wabash College.

“An Analysis of Vietnam War Photography: Culture, Media and the Image.”

S. Hagerty, Senior Honors Thesis (Committee Member), Dept. of Art History.

“The Politics of Immigration in Italy and Germany.”

C. Pierobon, Independent Study, Dept. of Political Science.

“Why Big States Lose Small Wars: Bargaining in Asymmetric Warfare.”

W. Spaniel, Independent Study, Dept. of Political Science.

“The Place of Motown in the Civil Rights Movement.”

K. Gustavson, Independent Study, Dept. of Political Science.

“Member-Country Compliance with EU Immigration Policy Guidelines.”

C. Pierobon, Independent Study, Dept. of Political Science.

“The War on Drugs during the War on Terror: US Foreign Policy in Columbia and Venezuela.”

G. Blanche, Academic Outreach Program.

“African Legislatures and Electoral Systems.”

J. Schoner, Senior Thesis, Dept. of Political Science.

“Family Values in Hobbes and Marx.”

A. Rodriguez, Eleanor Roosevelt College Honors Program.

**Academic Service**

Department Chair, Department of Political Science.

Tenure and Promotional Review Committees for Political Science, 2014.

Search Committees for Political Science in 2008, 2011, 2011, 2012, 2015.

Board of Directors, Indiana Academy of Social Sciences, 2010 – Present

Served on academic committees for Academic Policy; Visiting Lectures and Films; and International and Off-Campus Studies.

ICPSR Coordinator for Wabash College, 2010-14.

Education Studies Program Accreditation Process for Content Area in Government, 2011 and 2015

Member of Search Committees for Departments of Psychology (2013), Modern Languages (2012 and 2011), Religion (2012 and 2009), Chemistry (2011), Economics (2010), Theater (2009).

Oktoberfest Planning Committee, Wabash College German Club

Dramaturge for “Fiddler on the Roof” (Vanity Theater, Crawfordsville, IN. Fall 2014)

Dramaturge for Arthur Miller’s “Incident at Vichy,” (Wabash College Theater Dept., Fall 2010)

Admissions Office Representative

Recruitment trips to Munster, Indiana, Fall 2011 and Fall 2012

Recruitment presentation in Shanghai, China, Summer 2010

Recruitment trip to China with Sino-American Liberal Arts Education Exchange, Summer 2009

Moot Court Judge, 2008-2010, 2012-15.

New Faculty Orientation Tourguide, 2011-14.

New Faculty Orientation Conference Participant, Wabash College, May 2009

Guide and Chaperone for Immersion Trip to the European Union, Spring 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015

Guide and Chaperone for Immersion Trip to Cuba, Fall 2013

Guide and Chaperone for Immersion Trip to Germany, Spring 2010

Faculty Sponsor, Experience Indiana Program

Organized lecture series and a trip to see Shakespeare’s *Henry V* at Purdue University

Guest Professor for All College Colloquium, Wabash College.

Leader for discussions on: *The Genealogy of Morals*, *The Nicomachean Ethics*, *Lolita*, and *King Lear.*

Faculty Advisor to various student organizations, including College Democrats, Wabash Conservative Union, and the Homebrew Society

UCSD Graduate Student Association (GSA)

President, 2000-01

Representative, 1998-2000

**Related Professional Experience**

**Human Rights** and **Planning & Community Development Commissions.** Appointed by Crawfordsville Mayor Todd Barton to serve on two city commissions.

**Research Director**, Florida Democratic Party: Opposition research for various campaigns across the state. Preparation of candidates for meetings, speaking engagements and debates. Fall 1994.

**Research Coordinator**, Rep. Peter Deutsch’s (D-FL) Congressional Campaign. Opposition and issues research. Drafted policy papers, press releases, and constituent letters. Responded to candidate questionnaires from PAC’s and special interest groups. Summer 1992.

**Professional Affiliations**

American Political Science Association (APSA)

International Association for Research on Income and Wealth (IARIW)

Indiana Academy of Social Sciences (IASS)

International Association of Genocide Scholars (IAGS)

**Languages**

*German* – Solid knowledge for research, reading and communication.

*Spanish* – Reading and conversation.

*French* – Reading knowledge.