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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

### **Director** (2013-2016)

European Union Centre for Excellence, Dalhousie University, Halifax (Canada)

### **Assistant Professor** (2010-today)

Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University, Halifax (Canada)

### **Postdoctoral Fellow** (2008-2010)

Munk School of Global Affairs, University of Toronto (Canada)

### **Lecturer** (2007)

Department of Political Science, McMaster University (Canada)

## EDUCATION

### **Ph.D.**

University of Toronto (2008), Department of Political Science

### **Master of Studies**

University of Oxford (2000), Department of International Development

### **Bachelor of Arts**

University of Bologna (1998), Department of Political Science

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Monographs*

*Cultures of Border Control: Schengen and the Evolution of Europe's Frontiers*, University of Chicago Press (2011)

### ***Edited Volumes***

*Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, Mutinies*, Houndmills: Palgrave (2008) (co-edited with Markus Kornprobst, Nisha Shah, and Vincent Pouliot)

### ***Refereed Journal Articles***

“Practical Continentalism: North America, Territorial Security and the European Model”, *Journal of Transatlantic Studies*, (Forthcoming 2014)

“Pragmaticist explorations: C.S. Peirce, the logic of inquiry and international relations”, *Bridges: Conversations in Global Politics*, Volume 2, No1 (2013)

“Practicing Homeland Security across the Atlantic: Practical Learning and Policy Convergence in North America and Europe”, *European Security*, Vol. 21, No. 3 pp.328-346 (2012)

“Performing Schengen: Myths, Rituals and the Making of European Territoriality beyond Europe”, *Review of International Studies*, Volume 37, No.2, pp.537-556 (2011)

“Of Friends and Fences: Europe’s Neighbourhood Policy and the ‘Gated Community Syndrome’”, *Journal of European Integration*, Volume 29. No.2, pp. 143-162 (2007)

“Revisiting Schengen: Europe and the Emergence of a new ‘Culture of Border Control’”, *Perspectives on European Politics and Society*, Volume 8 No. 1, pp. 31-54 (2007)

“Spreading Security: Europe and the Schengenisation of the Neighbourhood Policy”, *Cultures & Conflicts*, Vol. 66, pp. 61-76 (2007) (in French)

“International Law, International Relations, and the ‘War on Terror’”, editorial for the special issue of *Journal of International Law and International Relations*, Vol. 3. No. 1, pp. 2-8 (2007)

“Dealing with Non-Palestinian Refugees in the Middle East: Policies and Practices in an uncertain Environment”, *International Journal of Refugee Law*, Volume 10 No.2, pp. 333-353 (2006)

### ***Chapters in Edited Volumes***

Chronic anxiety? Schengen and the fear of enlargement, in Finn Laursen (ed.), *The EU and the Eurozone Crisis: Policy Challenges and Strategic Choices*, Ashgate, (Forthcoming, 2014)

“The European Neighbourhood Policy and Security: Creating New Dividing Lines in Europe?”, in Thierry Balzacq, *The External Dimension of EU Justice and Home Affairs: Governance, Neighbours, Security*, Houndsmill: Palgrave (2009)

“Bridging Commonsense: Pragmatic Metaphors and the ‘Schengen Laboratory’”, in Markus Kornprobst et al. (eds.), *Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, Mutinies*, Houndmills: Palgrave, pp. 66-80 (2008)

“From Engagement to Deadlock: a Regional Analysis of Refugee Policies in the Middle East between

the two ‘Gulf Crises’ (1990-2003)”, in Hana Jaber and France Métral (eds.), *Mondes en Mouvements. Migrants et Migrations au Moyen-Orient au tournant du XIXe Siècle*, Beyrouth: IFPO, pp. 37-60 (2005)

“Introduction: Mirrors, Magicians and Mutinies of Globalization” and “Conclusions: Metaphors we Globalize By”, in Kornprobst et al. (eds.), *Metaphors of Globalization: Mirrors, Magicians, Mutinies*, Houndmills: Palgrave, pp. 1-16 and 237-252 (2008)

### **Other Publications**

“Into the Radical Right: the Development of Anti-Immigrant Parties in Western Europe”, Book review, *Canadian Political Science Journal*, Vol. 46 No.1 (2013)

“Europe’s Migrant Policies: Illusion of Integration”, Book review, *London School of Economics Review of Books*, January 23 2013

“The Beginning of the End? The Italo-French Row over Schengen and the Lessons of Past ‘Crises’ for the Future of Border Free Europe”, European Union Centre of Excellence (EUCE) Occasional Paper No. 12 (June 2011), Dalhousie University

“The Hybrid Continent: Envisioning Europe as Superstate and Neo-medieval Empire”, paper presented at the First Annual European Studies Colloquium, European Mediations: Transnational and Supranational Formations, Dalhousie University, Halifax, April 9, 2011

“Book review of *Managing Migration: the promise of cooperation* by Philip L. Martin, Susan Forbes Martin, Patrick Weil”, Munk Centre for International Studies Occasional Paper, 2009

“Pragmatism, International Relations and the Leap into the Dark Predicament”, paper presented at the 48<sup>th</sup> International Studies Association Convention, San Francisco, 26-29 March 2008

“Explaining International Cooperation on Migration: Insights from IR theory”, paper presented at the workshop ‘Inter-state cooperation, domestic politics and migrant integration’, Munk Centre for International Studies, Toronto, June 1-2 2007

“Alien neighbours: the influence of proximity to a detention centre on people's perceptions of the asylum issue: a case study of the Campsfield House Immigration Detention Centre, Kidlington”, University of Oxford, Refugee Studies Centre (2000) (with Max Martin and Toby Porter)

“Refugee Flows and Humanitarian Intervention: the Theory and Practice in the 1990s”, *Intercultura*, Vol. No. 6, pp. 21-37 (2000) (in Italian)

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

“International Relations Theory”, Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University (2010-13)

“Political Inquiry: Qualitative Research Methods”, Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University (2010-12)

“Contemporary Security Studies”, Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University (2010-12)

“Politics of the European Union”, Department of Political Science, Dalhousie University (2010-12)

“Public International Law”, Department of Political Science, University of Toronto (2008)

“Contemporary Security Studies”, Department of Political Science, McMaster University (2007)

“Topics in International Relations - Culture and Identity in World Politics”, Department of Political Science, University of Toronto (2006)

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

### **Post-Doctoral Fellow** (2008-2010)

Centre for European, Russian, and Eurasian Studies (CERES), University of Toronto. Title of Project: “Europe, North America and Transatlantic Homeland Security”

### **Research Associate** (2006-2008)

Munk Centre for International Studies, University of Toronto. Title of project: “Interstate cooperation, domestic politics and migrant integration”. Project leader: Prof. Randall Hansen

### **Research Fellow** (2001-2003)

IFPO (Institut Français Du Proche Orient) and KAS (Konrad Adenauer Stiftung). Title of project “Migration in the Arab Middle East: Policies, Networks and Communities in the Context of Globalisation”, Amman – Jordan

### **Visiting Fellow** (1997)

CERMOC (Centre d'Etudes et Recherches sur le Moyen Orient Contemporain). Title of research: “Immigrant Communities in the Middle East”, Amman - Jordan

## **RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Editorial Board Member** (2012-today)

European Studies: History, Society, Culture

### **Editor-in-Chief** (2006-2007)

Journal of International Law and International Relations, University of Toronto

### **Associate Editor** (2007-2008)

Discourse, Newsletter of the Department of Political Science, University of Toronto

## **STUDENT SUPERVISION**

### **Ph.D. Committee Member**

Eric Lehre (2012)

Iain Grant (2011)

**MA Thesis Supervisor**

Carolyn Ferguson (2011)

**BA Honours Thesis Supervisor**

Elizabeth Corbett (2013)

Morgan Knox (2013)

**MA Second Reader**

Mike Boone (2011)

Matilka Krow (2011)

Katherine Vergos (2011)

Toni Bislimi (2010)

Lauren Moslow (2010)

**BA Honours Thesis Second Reader**

Ashley Mulrooney (2013)

Ben Dievepeen (2012)

Yolanda Lapegna (2011)

**ACADEMIC REVIEWS**

Security Dialogue, Geopolitics, Review of International Studies, International Journal, European Security, Oxford University Press, Sage, Pearson International, Economic and Social Research Council (UK)

**GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- European Union Centre for Excellence grant, European Commission; €300,000 (2013-2016)
- Insight Development Grant, Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council, Canada; \$68,000 (2012-14)
- Research & Development Fund for the Humanities & Social Sciences, Dalhousie University; \$3,500 (2012-13)
- Postdoctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council, Canada; \$81,000 (2008-10)
- W.L. Mackenzie King Fellowship in International Relations, University of Toronto; \$2,000 (2005)
- Dissertation Completion Award, Joint Initiative in German and European Studies (JIGES), University of Toronto; \$5000 (2007)
- University of Toronto Doctoral Fellowship, University of Toronto; \$40,000 (2000-2005)
- Research grant, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, Amman, Jordan; € 2,000 (2001-2003)
- ERASMUS Fellowship, European Union; €6000 (1994-1995)

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

International Studies Association (ISA), American Political Science Association (APSA), Canadian

Political Studies Association (CPSA), European Community Studies association – Canada (ECSA-C)

**PUBLIC ENGAGEMENTS (2010-12)**

- Interview for Spanish newspaper El Pais on the enlargement of Europe’s free travel area, January 29 2013
- Interview for Global Insight Magazine, International Bar Association (UK), on Romania and Bulgaria’s application to join Europe’s free travel area, August 29 2012
- Guest Speaker, Radio China International (Beijing), “The Presidential elections in France”, March 23, 2012
- Lead presenter, dialogue session on “Immigration and Citizenship in Europe”, 2011 Trudeau Foundation Conference on Public Policy, Halifax, (NS), November 17-19 2011
- Panelist, video presentation on “The past and future of Schengen”, in “Freedom of movement in Europe – a Dream or Nightmare in a Populist Age? Public debate organized by the European Stability Initiative (ESI), Vienna, September 15, 2011
- Guest Speaker, Radio China International (Beijing), “Refugees Challenge Schengen Agreement”, May 25, 2011
- Guest speaker, The Radio Room, CKDU Radio (Halifax), “The popular uprising in Egypt”, February 1, 2011
- Guest speaker, CBC Radio’s Maritime Noon (Halifax), “Reflecting on Canada’s Mission in Afghanistan”, November 25, 2010

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