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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2021-present **Vice Provost, Research Policies & Governance**
New York University Abu Dhabi
- 2018-present **Lecturer**, Social Science
New York University Abu Dhabi
- 2016-18 **Visiting Lecturer**, Social Science
New York University Abu Dhabi
- 2015-16 **Lecturer**, Political Science
University of Göttingen, Germany

EDUCATION

- 2015 **Ph.D. Political Science & International Relations**, University of Southern California
Dissertation: “International Politics and Domestic Institutional Change: The Rise of Executive War-Making Autonomy in the United States”
Committee: Patrick James, Brian Rathbun, Norrin Ripsman
Field Exams: *Distinction*, International Relations, and Comparative Politics
- 2007 **M.A. Security Studies**, Georgetown University
GPA: 3.81, Graduation with Honors
Field Exam: *Distinction*, International Security
- 2004 **B.B.A. Economics & Finance**, Temple University
GPA: 3.95, Summa Cum Laude

***Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research**, Syracuse, New York (2010)

***European Consortium for Political Research**, Ljubljana, Slovenia (2012)
Coursework in Experimental Methods

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

International Relations Theory; Security Studies; U.S. Foreign and National Security Policy; Middle East Politics and Security; Political and Social Thought

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Articles

- 2018 Eric J. Hamilton, "Systems Theory," *Oxford Bibliographies in International Relations*, ed. Patrick James (November 2018).
- 2017 Eric J. Hamilton, "Democratic Domestic Institutions and Foreign Policy," in *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*, ed. William R. Thompson (September 2017).
- 2013 Eric J. Hamilton and Brian Rathbun, "Scarce Differences: Towards a Material and Systemic Explanation of the Difference between Offensive and Defensive Realism," *Security Studies*, Vol. 22, No. 3, p. 436-465.

Work In Progress

Creating the American Warfare Executive (book manuscript based on dissertation)

"The Strategic Construction of Norms: Realist Constructivism and the Ideational Origins of Executive War-Making Power in the United States" (paper)

"Reimagining War and Peace in the Postwar Period: The Ideational Origins of American Force Projection" (paper)

"Bringing Scarcity Back In: Resource Competition and the Future of U.S.-China Relations" (paper)

Other Publications

- 2023 Eric Hamilton (PI) and Brad Bauer (co-PI), "History of Emirati Study in the US," White Paper for the US State Department (January 2023): 1-28.
- 2008 Eric Hamilton, "Expanding Security in Diyala," *Iraq Report #10*, Institute for the Study of War (August 13, 2008): 1-36.
- Eric Hamilton, "The Fight for Mosul," *Iraq Report #8*, Institute for the Study of War (June 4, 2008): 1-28.
- Eric Hamilton, "Targeting the Diyala Suicide Bombing Network," *Backgrounders #24*, Institute for the Study of War (March 6, 2008).
- Eric Hamilton, *Iraq Situation Report*, Institute for the Study of War (February 8, 2008): 1-71 (w/Kimberly Kagan, Marisa Cochrane, Farook Ahmed, Andrea So, Wesley Morgan)
- Eric Hamilton, "Developments Fighting Al Qaeda in Iraq," *Backgrounders #21*, Institute for the Study of War (January 29, 2008).

Eric Hamilton, "December Operations in Muqadadiyah," *Backgrounder* #18, Institute for the Study of War (January 8, 2008).

Eric Hamilton, "Operation Raider Harvest," *Backgrounder* #19, Institute for the Study of War (January 7, 2008).

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

- 2021-23 **Smith Mundt Public Diplomacy Grant**, US Department of State, Award #STC10021GR3013 (\$37,800)
- 2021 **Distinguished Service Award**, NYU Abu Dhabi
- 2020 **Summer Scholars Award**, NYU Abu Dhabi
- 2014 **Dissertation Completion Fellowship**, USC Provost's Office
- 2013 **Dissertation Fellowship**, USC Center for International Studies
- 2012 **Russell Fellowship**, Endowed Fellowship, USC College of Arts & Sciences
Travel Grant, American Political Science Association
- 2011 **Willard and Betty Beling Scholarship for Research in the Middle East**, Albert and Elaine Borchard Foundation
- 2009-13 **Summer Funding Grant**, USC School of International Relations
- 2009-14 **Conference Travel Grant**, USC School of International Relations
- 2009, 10 **Graduate Professionalization Initiative Grant**, for "Publishing in IR Series," USC College of Arts and Sciences
- 2008-13 **College Doctoral Fellowship**, USC College of Arts and Sciences, 2008-2013
- 2008-13 **Departmental Fellowship**, USC Politics and International Relations Program

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2012, 14 **Best Paper Award**, USC Center for International Studies
- 2010 **Award for Excellence in Teaching**, USC Center for Excellence in Teaching
- 2005 **Freedom Scholar Award**, Fund for American Studies
- 2004 **Presidential Scholar**, Temple University
International Institute for Political & Economic Studies Scholarship, Fund for American Studies
- 2003 **Supplemental Academic Scholarship Award**, Temple University

- Huston Foundation Scholarship**, Fund for American Studies
- 2002 **Dr. Stanley F. Chamberlin Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement**, Fox School of Business, Temple University
- 2001 **Rome Study Abroad Scholarship**, Temple University

INSTITUTIONAL & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2022-present Space Planning Working Group, NYUAD
- 2022-present Joint Committee, MBA Space Planning
- 2022-present Data Privacy Program Steering Committee, NYUAD
- 2022 Distinguished Service Award Selection Committee, NYUAD
- 2021-present Truman Scholarship Nominating Committee, NYU
- 2021-present Worksmart Steering Committee and Portfolio Lead for the Culture Project, NYUAD
- 2021-present Academic Strategy Steering Committee, NYUAD
- 2020-22 Return to Campus Committees: (1) Academics and (2) Research Portfolio lead groups; Academics committees on (3) Curriculum Planning, (4) Undergraduate Affairs and Education, (5) Academic and Campus Life Coordination, (6) Academic and Student Government Coordination, and the (7) Spring 2021 Planning Group
- 2020-present Administrative Recruitment Committees: Chief Compliance Officer; Director of Research Ethics and Governance; Director of Fiscal Affairs; Associate Vice Chancellor of External Relations; Senior Director of the Office of Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity.
- 2020-21 Chair, Academic Strategy Task Force, NYUAD
- 2020-21 Chair, Capstone Task Force, NYUAD
- 2020-21 Dean of Social Science Search Committee, NYUAD
- 2020 Co-Chair, Academic Year Planning Task Force, NYUAD
- 2019-20 Co-Chair, Working Group on Global Academic Engagement, NYUAD
- 2019-present US Rhodes Nomination Committee, NYUAD
- 2018-21 Faculty Council Steering Committee, NYUAD
Chair: December 2019 – present
Vice-Chair: January 2019 – December 2019

- 2018-21 Member, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Board, NYUAD
- 2018-20 Member, Contract Faculty Committee, NYUAD
- 2010-13 Teaching Assistant Fellow, USC Center for Excellence in Teaching
- 2010-11 Graduate Student Representative to the School of International Relations and Vice-President of the POIR Graduate Student Association, USC
- 2009-10 Creator & Organizer of the “Publishing in International Relations” Seminar Series, USC Center for International Studies
 Sean Lynn-Jones, Editor, *International Security*
 Emanuel Adler, Editor, *International Organization*
 Colin Wight, Editor, *European Journal of International Relations*

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & TALKS

- 2017 “A Theory of the National Security State,” International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD
- 2016 “The Rise of Executive War-Making Autonomy in the United States,” New York University Abu Dhabi, February
- 2015 “The Rise of Executive War-Making Autonomy in the United States,” Nuffield College, University of Oxford, November
- “State-building for Executive War-Making in the United States: Toward a Realist Theory of State,” International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA
- 2014 “Democracy, the State, and War: Executive War Powers and the Use of Force by America,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada
- 2013 “Grand Strategy, Resources, and the Future of U.S.-Chinese Competition,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA
- 2012 “Fear Creates Fear: Foreign Threats and Domestic Politics,” American Political Science Association Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA (Cancelled)
- “Explaining U.S. Grand Strategic Stability After the Cold War: An Institutional Approach,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, San Diego, CA
- 2009 “Reformulating the Revisionist State,” International Studies Association-West Conference, San Francisco, CA

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2016- New York University Abu Dhabi
 HIST 184: US Foreign Policy Since 1898 (F: 16)
 SRPP 163: Leadership and Diplomacy (S: 17)
 SRPP 400: Capstone Seminar (F: 16-20; S: 17)

SRPP 401: Capstone Project (S: 17-21; F: 17)
SOSC-SC 1310: Foundations of Modern Social Thought (F: 17-21; S: 18-20; Su: 18-20)
Capstone Advisor (14 students)

- 2015-16 Georg-August-Universität Göttingen, Germany
Seminar: American Foreign Policy (F15)
Seminar: Contemporary Problems in American Foreign Policy (S16)
Undergraduate Thesis Advisor
- 2009-14 USC, School of International Relations
IR 101: International Relations (Co-Instructor, Summer 2014 w/Patrick James)
IR 306: International Organizations (TA, Summer 2011, w/Brian Rathbun)
IR 303: Leadership and Diplomacy (TA, Fall 2010, w/Geoffrey Wiseman)
IR 210: International Relations – Introductory Analysis (TA, Fall 2009, w/Steven Lamy)
IR 210: International Relations – Introductory Analysis (TA, Fall 2009, w/Dan Lynch)
- 2011 **Research Assistant**, USC School of International Relations
Supervisor: Brian Rathbun
- 2007-08 **Research Analyst**, Institute for the Study of War, Washington, D.C.
Project: “Iraq Study Project.” Responsible for portfolio on the Iraq insurgency and counter-insurgency operations in Northern Iraq.
- 2006-07 **Research Assistant**, Georgetown University
Project: “International Perceptions of U.S. Nuclear Policy” (for the Advanced Concepts Group at Sandia National Laboratories), P.I. Elizabeth Stanley.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2009-present **International Studies Association**
- 2010-present **American Political Science Association**
- 2015-19 **The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations**

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2020 **Faculty Leadership Workshop on Inclusion, Diversity, Belonging, and Equity**,
Center for Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education, University of Maryland
- 2019 **Restorative Problem-Solving Workshop**, NYUAD Office of Faculty Development and
Diversity
- 2019 **Faculty Leadership Development Program**, NYUAD Office of Faculty Development
and Diversity
- 2013 **Diversity Outreach & Academic Professional Development Institute**, USC Office of
Diversity Outreach & Academic Professional Development

- 2009 **Ankara Üniversitesi TÖMER**, Istanbul, Turkey, Turkish Language & Culture Studies
- 2006 **Dilmer**, Istanbul, Turkey, Turkish Language & Culture Studies
- 2004 **International Institute of Political & Economic Studies**, Chania, Greece, Program on conflict management sponsored by Georgetown University, the Fund for American Studies and the Greek Association for Atlantic and European Cooperation
- 2003 **Engalitcheff Institute on Comparative Political and Economic Systems** Washington, D.C., Program on political theory and political economy sponsored by Georgetown University and Fund for American Studies
- 2001, 02 **Temple University Rome**, Rome, Italy, Study Abroad