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ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

Professor of Political Science, Department of Political Science, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, present position.

Ralph Emerson and Alice Freeman Palmer Professor of Political Science, Department of Political Science, Wellesley College, 1997-2018

Chair of the Department of Political Science, Wellesley College, 2007-2010

Jane Bishop '51 Associate Professor of Political Science, Wellesley College, 2004-2007

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Wellesley College, 1997-2004

Assistant Professor, Department of Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina, Columbia. 1995-1997

EDUCATION:

Princeton University: Princeton, NJ. Ph.D. Department of Politics and Program in Near Eastern Studies (1995)

Georgetown University: Washington D.C. Arabic Language Institute, summer 1990

Middlebury College: Middlebury, VT. Arabic Summer Language Program, 1989

Wesleyan University: Middletown, CT. B.A. Philosophy Major (1988). Honors in Philosophy, *Phi Beta Kappa*

TEACHING AND RESEARCH AREAS:

Comparative Political Theory: Islamic and Euro-American political and social thought, particularly modern and contemporary; 20th-21st-century Islamist political thought; Muslim feminist thought; Arab intellectual history comparative political thought and the politics of comparisons

Political Theory: History of Euro-American political thought (ancient, modern, contemporary), contemporary social thought (post-modernism, critical theory, feminist theory)

Middle Eastern and North African Politics: Colonial and postcolonial history and politics of Middle Eastern and North African countries

ACADEMIC AWARDS:

John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellow, 2016-17

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship Award, 2012-13

Frank L. Wilson Best APSA Paper Award for 2005, French Politics Group of the American Political Science Association

Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study Fellowship, Harvard University, 2004-2005

Pinanski Teaching Prize, Wellesley College, May 2003

Andrew Mellon Senior Faculty Development Grant, Wellesley College, 2002

Foundations of Political Theory First Book Award, Honorable Mention: *Enemy in the Mirror*, American Political Science Association, 2000-2001

American Council of Learned Societies/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies Fellowship, 2000-2001

Visiting Scholar Research Appointment, the Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University 2000-2001

Excellence in Teaching Award, University of South Carolina Mortar Board (Honor Society), 1996

Research and Productive Scholarship Award, University of South Carolina, 1996

Princeton Wilson Fellowship, Princeton Society of Fellows of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, Princeton, 1993-95

Graduate Prize Fellowship, the University Center for Human Values, Princeton, 1992-93

PUBLICATIONS:

Books

Princeton Readings in Islamist Thought: Texts and Contexts from Al-Banna to Bin Laden, with Muhammad Qasim Zaman. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 2009.

Journeys to the Other Shore: Muslim and Western Travelers in Search of Knowledge. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 2006.

Enemy in the Mirror: Islamic Fundamentalism and the Limits of Modern Rationalism. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 1999.

Articles

- “Spectacles of Sovereignty: ISIS Executions, Visual Rhetoric, and Sovereign Power.” 2017. *Perspectives on Politics* 15(4): 1007-1033.
- “In Praise of Heresy,” *The Immanent Frame: Secularism, Religion and the Public Sphere*. Social Science Research Council, Forum on Saba Mahmood, [Religious Difference in a Secular Age: A Minority Report](#). February 18, 2016. <http://blogs.ssrc.org/tif/2016/02/18/in-praise-of-heresy/>
- “Humiliation and the Political Mobilization of Masculinity.” *Political Theory* 43(4), 2015: 500-532.
- “ISIL and the armchair Islamist: How execution videos sell a fantasy of masculinity.” *Quartz.com* (Online magazine of *The Atlantic*) August 13, 2015. <http://qz.com/477063/isil-and-the-armchair-islamist-how-execution-videos-sell-a-fantasy-of-masculinity/>
- Symposium: Understanding Suicide Terror. *Perspectives on Politics* 5(1), March 2007: 129-133. New York, NY: Cambridge University Press.
- “The Comparative Politics of Travel.” *parallax* 9 (2003): 18-28. Oxon, UK: Routledge.
- “A Counternarrative of Shared Ambivalence: Some Muslim and Western Perspectives on Science and Reason.” *Common Knowledge* 9 (1), 2003:50-77. Durham, NC: Duke University Press.
- “Jihad and Political Violence.” *Current History*, 101(638), November 2002: 365-76. Philadelphia, PA: New York Times, Co.
- “Killing (for) Politics: Jihad, Martyrdom and Political Action.” *Political Theory* 30 (1), February 2002: 4-35. London, UK: Sage Publications.
- “The New Manichaeans.” *Theory & Event*, 5 (4), 2001. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- “Contingent Borders, Syncretic Perspectives: Globalization, Political Theory and Islamizing Knowledge.” *International Studies Review*, (Spring 2002): 23-48. Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing.
- “Premodern, Antimodern, or Postmodern?: Islamic and Western Critiques of Modernity.” *The Review of Politics* 59 (1997): 429-59. Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press.
- “Comparative Political Theory: An Islamic Fundamentalist Critique of Rationalism.” *The Journal of Politics* 59 (1997): 28-55. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press.
- “When Worldviews Collide: Conflicting Assumptions about Human Behavior Held by Rational Actor Theory and Islamic Fundamentalism.” *Political Psychology* 16 (1), March 1995: 157-178. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell Publishing.

Chapters

- “Humiliation through the Prism of Islamic Thought.” In *The Oxford Handbook in Comparative Political Theory*, ed. Leigh Jenco, Murad Idris, and Megan Thomas. New York, NY: Oxford University Press. Forthcoming.
- “Visual Rhetoric, Retaliatory Humiliation: ISIS Executions, Performative Violence and Sovereign Power.” In *The Oxford Handbook of Rhetoric*, ed. Keith Topper. New York, NY: Oxford University Press. Forthcoming.
- “In Praise of Disorder: The Untidy Terrain of Islamist Political Thought,” In *Radical Futures Past: Untimely Essays in Political Theory*, ed. Romand Coles, Mark Reinhardt, and George Shulman, pp.283-316. Lexington, KY: The University of Kentucky Press, 2014.
- “Cosmopolitanisms Past and Present, Muslim and Western.” In *Islam and Theory of Statecraft: Mirror for the Muslim Prince*, ed. Mehrzad Boroujerdi, pp. 297-325. Syracuse, NY: Syracuse University Press, 2013.
- “Der Blick auf die Jahrhundertwende: Islam als Religion der Vernunft” In *Staatsdenken in der islamischen Welt*, ed. Zapf and Lino Klevesath, pp. 59-86. Baden-Baden, Germany: Nomos 2012.
- “Extracting ‘Gold’ from Paris: A 19th-century Egyptian Journey in Search of Knowledge” In *Changing Conceptions of the ‘Other’: Travel Writing in the Mediterranean from the Ancient World to Contemporary Society*, ed. Silvia Ross, Pat Crowley and Noreen Humble, pp. 114-133. Oxford, UK: Legenda Press, 2011.
- “A View Across Time: Islam as the Religion of Reason.” In *Comparative Political Theory: An Introduction*, ed. Fred Dallmayr, pp. 55-69. Palgrave MacMillan, 2010.
- “The Comparative Politics of Travel: Theôria, Talab al-‘Ilm and the Search for Knowledge.” In *When Worlds Elide: Classics, Politics, Culture*, ed. Karen Bassi and J. Peter Euben, pp. 301-30. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, 2009..
- “Changing Interpretations of Modern and Contemporary Islamic Political Theory.” In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Theory*, ed. John Dryzek, Bonnie Honig and Anne Phillips, pp. 297-313. New York, NY: Oxford University Press, 2006.
- “Traveling Theorists and Translating Practices.” In *What is Political Theory?*, ed. Stephen K. White and J. Donald Moon, pp. 145-173. London, UK: Sage Publications, 2004.
- “Mapping Modernities, ‘Islamic’ and ‘Western.’” In *Border Crossings: Toward a Comparative Political Theory*, ed. Fred R. Dallmayr, pp. 11-37. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 1999.

Reviews

- Review Essay, “Making the World Safe for Compatibility.” *Political Theory* 38 (3), June 2010: 424-441. London, UK: Sage Publications.

Review Essay on *Beyond Rights Talk and Culture Talk and Political Theory and Feminist Social Criticism*. *Political Theory*, 29 (6), December 2001: 888-895. London, UK: Sage Publications.

Review Essay: "Journeys to 'the Other Shore.'" *Political Theory* 28 (2000): 399-420. London, UK: Sage Publications.

Book Review of Larbi Sadiki's *The Search for Arab Democracy: Discourses and Counter-Discourses*, *International Journal of Middle East Studies* 37 (1), February 2006: 134-36. New York, NY: Cambridge University Press.

Book Review of *Overcoming Tradition and Modernity: The Search for Islamic Authenticity* (by Robert D. Lee), *American Political Science Review* 92 (1998): 443-44. Baltimore, MD: American Political Science Association.

Book Review of *Gender Politics in Sudan: Islamism, Socialism, and the State* (by Sondra Hale), *African Studies Review* 40 (1997): 186-88. East Lansing, MI: African Studies Center, Michigan State University.

Book Review of *Islamic Fundamentalism* (eds, Abdel Salam Sidahmed and Anoushiravan Ehteshami), *Review of Politics* 59 (1997): 643-47. Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press.

Encyclopedia/Dictionary Entries

"Fundamentalism." In *The Princeton Encyclopedia of Islamic Political Thought*, ed. Gerhard Bowering, pp. 179-188. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 2013.

"Comparative Political Theory." In *The Encyclopedia of Political Theory*, ed. Mark Bevir, pp. 260-61. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, 2010.

"Jihad." In *Cambridge Dictionary of Political Thought*. New York: Cambridge University Press, expected publication date TBD.

"Islamism." In *Cambridge Dictionary of Political Thought*. New York: Cambridge University Press, expected publication TBD.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

Book project, *Rhetorics of Humiliation and the Affects of Domination: Radical Islamism, Trumpism and the Arab Spring*

MEDIA INTERVIEWS/CONTRIBUTIONS

Sabah Ülkesi: Üç Aylık Kültür-sanat ve Felsefe Dergisi: "Tocqueville ve Tahtâvi Sinirda" (English version: "Walls and Windows: Tocqueville and Tahtawi at the Border"). Sayı 55, 2018: 104-111.

Time Magazine: Interviewed for "Bernie Sanders is Winning Feminists, even at Hillary Clinton's Alma Mater," Charlotte Alter, 2/15/16. <http://time.com/4220427/bernie-sanders-wellesley-hillary-clinton-femisim/>

WBUR-Radio Boston: Participant in live broadcast, “Is There a Generational Divide Between Female Democratic Voters?” 2/23/16. <http://radioboston.wbur.org/>

Gulan Media (Kurdish magazine): Interview on the Growth of Jihadism in Europe, 11/15/15. <http://Gulan-media.com/english/details.php?section=2&id=145>

National Public Radio (NPR): Interviewed for Here & Now story “Fatwa Forbids Terrorism,” 7/28/05

British Broadcasting Company (BBC): Appeared in “The Power of Nightmares,” documentary about Islamic Fundamentalism, Adam Curtis reporting, first U.S. Broadcast, 10/04

The New York Times: Interviewed in “The Latest Obscenity Has Seven Letters: F-a-s-c-i-s-t,” Alexander Stille, 9/14/03

Christian Science Monitor: Interviewed in “Two Men Two Missions,” feature on Osama bin Laden and Saddam Hussein, Josh Burek, 2/26/03

The (London) Times Higher Education Supplement: article “West’s Lessons in Decadence Fuel the Making of a Martyr.” August 1, 2003. London, UK: TSL Education, Ltd.

ABC News.com: Interviewed in “Providing Fodder for his Enemies: Bin Laden Tape May Work Against Him,” Andrew Chang, 12/13/02

The Boston Globe: Interviewed in *Boston Globe* article on meanings of jihad, “Speechmaker, Aspiring Peacemaker,” Patrick Healy, 6/6/02

Newark Star-Ledger: Interviewed in “One Life to Give, and Others to Take, in the Name of Martyrdom,” Farnaz Fassihi, 4/7/02

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND INVITED LECTURES:

“Islam and Religious Pluralism.” The Madeleine Korbelt Albright Institute for Global Affairs, Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA, January 11, 2018.

“Spectacles of Sovereignty in Digital Time.” Yale Political Theory Colloquium, Yale University, New Haven, CT., November 15, 2017

“Summoning the Mujahidin: ISIS Videos and the Inversion of Power.” University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA., April 12, 2017

“Spectacles of Sovereignty: ISIS Executions, Visual Rhetoric, and Sovereign Power.” Columbia University Seminar on Social and Political Thought, Columbia University, New York, NY, November 17, 2016

“Gender, Humiliation, and Radical Islamist Rhetoric.” Roosevelt House Public Policy Institute Lecture, Hunter College, New York, NY, November 15, 2016.

Presentation on Theme Panel: “Political Theory and Political Transformation.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 2, 2016.

- Presentation on Theme Panel: "Terrorism and Political Transformations." American Political Science Association Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 2, 2016.
- "Rhetorics of Humiliation: The Case of Islamist Discourse." Middle East Studies Association (MESA) Annual Conference, Denver, CO. November 24, 2015.
- "ISIS Propaganda, Performative Violence and the Conquest of Impotence." Caribbean Philosophical Association Meeting, Cancún, Mexico. June 18-21, 2015.
- "Islamic Rhetoric of Humiliation in Comparative Perspective." Social and Political Theory Workshop, Vanderbilt University, January 16, 2015.
- "Islam and Religious Pluralism?" Research Lecture, The Goldman School of Public Policy, University of California at Berkeley, April 21, 2014.
- "Islamism, Humiliation, and Mobilization of Masculinity." Political and Moral Thought Seminar, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD., October 30, 2014.
- "Rhetorics of Humiliation: Islamist Discourse in Comparative Perspective," American Political Science Association Meeting, Washington, D.C., August 30, 2014
- "Islamism, Humiliation, and Mobilization of Masculinity." Political Science Mead Lecture, Trinity College, Hartford, CT., March 25, 2014.
- "Islam versus the West and Other Fictions." Museum of Fine Arts Lecture Series, Boston, MA. November 13, 2013.
- "Islamism, Humiliation, and the Mobilization of Masculinity." International Studies Public Forum Lecture. University of California at Irvine, Irvine, CA. May 2, 2013.
- "Comparative Political Theory as Practice: Travel, Translation and Islamic Political Thought." Drexel Colloquium in Comparative Political Theory. Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA. March 14, 2013.
- "Islamism, Humiliation and the Mobilization of Masculinity." Religion and Politics Seminar, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA. February 11, 2013
- "Islam, Gender and the Politics of Humiliation." Political Theory Workshop, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. September 13, 2012
- "Travel, Translation and Comparative Political Theory." Mellon Humanities Lecture, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. August 30, 2011
- "Journeys." Melbern G. Glasscock Center for Humanities Research, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. March 24, 2010
- "Politics After the Fact: Unfinished Answers, Uncertain Times." Distinguished Faculty Lecture, Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA. February 10, 2010

Middle East Studies Forum Roundtable Panelist. Haverford College, Haverford, PA. October 29-30, 2009

“The Politics of Jihad in Islamist Thought.” Annual Sam Clark Memorial Lecture, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI. April 15, 2009.

Language Matters: A Post-election Re-reading of Islamist Political Thought.” Political Philosophy Workshop, Brown University, Providence, RI. February 26, 2009

“Islamic Cosmopolitanism.” Centre for Ethics Seminar Series, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada. September 15, 2008

Roundtable panelist, "Political Ideologies in the Global Age: Continuity or Novelty?" American Political Science Association Meeting, Boston, MA. August 28-31, 2008

“Travel, Comparative Knowledge and Muslim Cosmopolitanism.” Departments of Near Eastern Studies and Religion, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ. December 7, 2007

Visiting Scholar, Globalization Studies Program, Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, PA. Sept. 20-22, 2007

“Cosmopolitanisms Past and Present, Muslim and Western.” Distinguished Speaker Series, Department of Political Science, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA. May 14, 2007

"Cosmopolitanisms Past and Present, Islamic and Western." Cornell Political Theory Workshop, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. April 27, 2007

"Muslim and Western Cosmopolitanism." Department of Political Science, University of Hawai`i at Manoa, Honolulu, HI. March 19, 2007

“Muslim and Western Cosmopolitanism.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Philadelphia, PA. August 31-September 3, 2006

“Islam vs. Universal Rights?: Power and the Politics of Cultural Authenticity.” National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute, Human Rights in Conflict: Interdisciplinary Perspectives, The Graduate Center, The City University of New York, New York, NY. July 11, 2006

“Cosmopolitanisms Past and Present, Muslim and Western.” Ray Smith Symposium, *Mirror for the Muslim Prince: Islam and the Theory of Statecraft*, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, March 30-April 1, 2006

“Travel, Theory and the Search for Knowledge: Muslim and Western Journeys to the Other Shore.” Department of Government, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, January 23, 2006

“Theorizing Past and Future: Between Tocqueville and Tahtawi.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Washington, D.C., August 31-Sept. 4, 2005

Roundtable, “Political Violence in an Era of Globalization.” MacArthur Foundation, Chicago, IL. January 31-February 1, 2005

- “The Comparative Politics of Travel.” Political Theory Colloquium, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. January 28, 2005
- “Traveling Theorists and Translating Practices.” Political Theory Colloquium, Department of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA. December 9, 2004
- “Travel, Theory, and the Search for Knowledge: Western and Islamic Journeys to ‘The Other Shore’.” Radcliffe Institute Fellows’ Presentation Series, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Cambridge, MA. December 15, 2004
- “Travel, Theory and the Search for Knowledge.” Columbia University Colloquium on Politics, Religion and Human Rights, sponsored by the Department of Political Science and the Center for Comparative Studies and Social Science, New York, NY, September 29, 2004
- “Jihad, Martyrdom, and Political Action.” The Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ. January 22, 2004
- “Differences – within and without.” Irreconcilable Differences? Jacques Derrida and the Question of Religion, Conference at the University of California, Santa Barbara, CA. October 23-25, 2003
- “Islamic Fundamentalism, Revolution and the Politics of Jihad.” New York University Public Lecture Series: “The Search for Armageddon: The Rise of Religious Terrorism,” New York, NY. October 8, 2003
- “Islam Versus the West and Other Fictions.” University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI. September 12, 2003
- “Marginalized Meanings: Interpretive Strategies in Middle Eastern Politics.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Philadelphia, PA. August 28-31, 2003
- “Islam Versus the West and Other Fictions.” Brooke Anderson Memorial Lecture, Brown University, Providence, RI. March 18, 2003
- “Militant Islam: Legitimate Religion or Rationale for Terrorism?” 9/11 Commemoration, U.S. Coast Guard Academy and Connecticut College, New London, CT. September 24, 2002
- “Islam vs. the West and Other Fictions.” Milleret Lecture, Assumption College, Worcester, MA. April 9, 2002
- “Mincing Words: ‘Islam,’ ‘the West,’ and Other Language Problems.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Boston, MA. August 28-September 1, 2002
- “Is There a Clash of Civilizations? Can Democracy and Pluralism Exist With Islamic Law?” Academic Council on the United Nations System (ACUNS), Lisbon, Portugal. June 22, 2002
- “Killing for Politics.” Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, NY. May 3, 2002
- “Fundamentalism as Anti-modernism? As Anti-Secularism?” Gerst Program in Political, Economic, and Humanistic Studies, Duke University, Durham, NC. April 12-14, 2002

- “Jihad, Islam and Political Action.” Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI. April 18, 2002
- “Moral Vessel and Weakest Link: Women and Gender in Islamist Thought.” Conference on Afghanistan and Beyond: Women’s Activism in Times of War. The Five College Women’s Studies Research Center, Mt. Holyoke College, South Hadley, MA. March 7-8, 2002
- “Killing (for) Politics: Jihad, Martyrdom and Political Action.” Michigan Colloquium in Political Theory, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. March 15, 2002
- The Road to Kandahar: A Genealogy of Jihad in Modern Islamist Thought.” Divinity School Colloquium, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL. January 16, 2002
- “A Genealogy of Jihad in Modern Islamist Political Thought.” Political Theory Colloquium, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL. January 18, 2002
- “Jihad and Politics?” Political Theory Workshop, Institution for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, New Haven, CT. October 16, 2001
- “Reflections in the Wake of September 11: Martyrdom, Jihad and Politics.” Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT. October 1, 2001
- “War Against What?” Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA. September 26, 2001
- “Reinterpretation and the Politics of Forgiveness: the Political Thought of Hannah Arendt.” Conference on Forgiveness, College of the Holy Cross Center for Religion, Ethics and Culture, Worcester, MA. September 14-15, 2001
- Panel Organizer, “Comparative Political Theory: Conversations Across History and Culture.” International Society for the Study of European Ideas (ISSEI), University of Bergen, Norway. August 14-18, 2000
- “Travel, Theory, and Political Wisdom in Islamic Thought: The *Rihlas* of Ibn Battuta and al-Tahtawi.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Washington, D.C. August 31-September 3, 2000
- “Killing (for) Politics: Jihad, Martyrdom and Political Action.” Western Political Science Association Meeting, San Jose, CA. March 24-26, 2000
- “West versus Non-West?: Cultural Syncretism in Modern Islamic Political Thought.” International Studies Association Convention, Washington D.C. February 16-20, 1999
- “A Critical Assessment of Huntington on Fundamentalism.” International Sociological Association Meeting, Montreal, Canada. July 26-August 1, 1998
- “Comparative Political Theory and Modernities, Islamic and ‘Western’.” American Political Science Association Meeting, Washington D.C. August 28-31, 1997.
- “An Islamist Critique of Rationalism: Epistemological Conflict and Synthesis.” International Society for the Study of European Ideas (ISSEI), University for Humanist Studies, Utrecht, The Netherlands, 1996

ASSOCIATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

Member, American Political Science Association (APSA) Council, 2015-2017

Chair, APSA Ad-hoc Committee on Sexual Harassment, 2016-2017. Charged with drafting APSA's procedures for investigating, adjudicating and sanctioning sexual harassment violations of the Association's anti-harassment policy.

Member, APSA Committee on Professional Ethics, Rights and Freedoms, 2013-2016

Officer (Secretary), American Political Science Association Council, 2009-10

Executive Editorial Board Member, *Political Theory*, 2011-present

Editorial Board, *The American Political Science Review*, 2007-2016

Editorial Board, *Polity*, 2011-present

Chair, Leo Strauss Award Committee (for best doctoral dissertation in political theory), American Political Science Association, September 1, 2008-August 31, 2009

First Book Award Committee, Foundations of Political Theory, American Political Science Association, 2007

Foundations of Political Theory Council, American Political Science Association, 2004-2006

Advisory Editor, *Cambridge Dictionary of Political Thought*, Cambridge University Press, in progress

Senior Faculty Discussant, POMEPS (The Project on Middle East Political Science) Junior Scholars Book Development Workshop, Institute for Middle East Studies, George Washington University, held at Yale University, New Haven, CT, October 5-6, 2012.

Member, External Visiting Committee, Department of Political Science, Amherst College, April 2010

Manuscript Referee, *American Political Science Review, Political Theory, Perspectives on Politics, Journal of Politics, The Review of Politics, International Journal of Middle East Studies, Law & Society, International Studies Review, Journal of the American Academy of Religion, Comparative Studies in Society and History, Polity, Journal of Islamic Studies, European Journal of International Relations, International Studies Quarterly, History of Religions, Theory & Event*

Editorial Board, *Journal of Intercultural Studies*, 2005-present

Advisory Board, *Encounters: An International Journal for the Study of Culture and Society*, 2009-present

Editorial Board, *The Journal of Politics*, 2004-2007

Editorial Board, *International Studies Review*, 1999-2003

Guest Editor, *Critical Horizons*, Special Issue on Comparative Political Theory, Spring 2001 (Brill Publishers)

Member, American Political Science Association, 1993-present

Member, Middle East Studies Association, 1997-present