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Academic Positions

Lecturer (Assistant Professor), Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2015-present.
Post-Doctoral Fellow, Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 2013-2014, concurrently with Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations, 2014-2015.
Academic Staff, Ruderman Program for American Jewish Studies and the State of Israel, Haifa University, 2013-2014.
Post-Doctoral Fellow, Taub Center for Israel Studies, New York University, 2012-2013
Doctoral Research Fellow, Argov Center for the Study of Israel and the Jewish People, Bar-Ilan University, 2011-2012.

Education

Ph.D. Political Science, Northwestern University, December 2012
Dissertation: "Security or Identity? Narratives of state & nation in international territorial conflict protraction"
Fields: International Relations & Comparative Politics
M.A. Political Science, University of British Columbia (UBC), November 2006
B.A. with Honours, Political Science & International Relations, UBC, May 2005

Publications

Defending the Faith? Assessing the impact of state religious exclusivity on territorial MID initiation, with Prof. Jonathan Fox, *Politics & Religion* 13, no. 3 (2020), 465-491.
Cheap Talk or Policy Lock? Nationalist frames and sympathetic audience costs in international territorial disputes, *Territory, Politics, Governance* 8, no. 3 (2020), 336-355.
'Hawking' territorial conflict: Ethnopolitism and nationalist framing strategies, *East European Politics* 35, no. 4 (2019), 474-495.
Uneven Ground: Nationalist frames and the variable salience of homeland, *Security Studies* 27, no. 3 (2018), 485-510.
Framing consensus: Evaluating the narrative specificity of territorial indivisibility, *Journal of Peace Research* 52, no. 4 (July 2015), 492-507.
Review of 'Proxy Warfare', *Political Science Quarterly* 129, no. 2 (Summer 2014).
Review of 'Evolving Nationalism: Homeland, Identity, and Religion in Israel, 1925-2005', *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics* 27, no. 2 (Summer 2011).
Nuclear cooperation with India & its consequences for the NPT regime, in *Nuclear Cooperation with India: New Challenges, New Opportunities*, eds. Wade L. Huntley and Karthika Sasikumar, Vancouver, BC: Simons Centre for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation Research, 2006, 84-89.

Working Papers and Research in Progress

Compromising Values: The Politics of Partitioning Homeland (Book Project)
Correlates of Hate: Explaining the recent fall and rise of American hate groups, 2000-2016.
Explaining Duration and Intensity in Ideological Civil Wars, with Mora Deitch and Matthias Basedau
Ideational versus material factors in foreign policy preferences: Evidence from European attitudes towards the Israeli-Palestinian arena, with Toby Greene and Jonathan Rynhold.
"If I Forget Thee..." - Understanding Zionist Compromises over Jerusalem (1917-1967), Association of Israel Studies conference (AIS), Israel, June 24-26, 2019.
Religious Minorities at Risk Project (rMAR), with Jonathan Fox and Matthias Basedau.

Uneasy Lies the Crown: External Threats to Religious Leadership and Interstate Dispute Militarization, Eurasian Peace Science Conference, Koç University, Istanbul, 13-14 January 2020, with Davis Brown.

Additional Conference Papers

Homeland as concept, 'Concepts at Work' Workshop, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 1 July 2015.

Irredenta reframed: Narrative variability and ontological insecurity in nationalist territorial politics, International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, New Orleans, February 18-21, 2015.

Settler spoilers? How public appeals influence Israeli 'settler lobby' success, ISA, 2015.

Giving without receiving? Justifying unilateral territorial withdrawal in Israeli politics, ISA, Toronto, March 26-29, 2014.

From indivisibility to partition? Kosovo & Jerusalem as contested homeland territories, ISA, San Francisco, April 3-6, 2013.

Defending the homeland: Territorial conflict, popular narratives, and the limits of elite issue framing, Association of Jewish Studies Annual Conference (AJS), Chicago, 17 December 2012

Security or Identity? State & homeland in Israeli politics & public opinion, ISA, San Diego, 1 April 2012; Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, 12 April 2012.

Kosovo is Serbia: Nation and homeland in contentious territorial politics, ISA, New Orleans, 20 February 2010.

Proxy warfare and uncertain sovereignty, MPSA, Chicago, 2 April 2009. With Miklos Gosztonyi and Christopher Day.

Disputed territoriality and ethnohistorical claims: Understanding intractable territorial conflict in Israel, Serbia, and Armenia, ISA, New York, 15 February 2009. [Previously as Masters Thesis, Northwestern University, 4/2008]

Ethnic violence, international norms, and federalism: Domestic problems and international solutions, ISA, San Francisco, 28 March 2008.

Failed states, civil militia, and deconstructive violence, International Security Studies Section Annual Conference of ISA (ISSS), Montreal, 19-20 October 2007.

Encouraging state irresponsibility: International responses to the conflict in Darfur, Sudan and unintended consequences, ISSS, Tucson, 27 October 2006. [Previously as Masters Thesis, University of British Columbia (UBC), 6/2006]

The Janjaweed in the Sudan: A case of chronic paramilitarism, ISA, San Diego, 23 March 2006. [Previously as Undergraduate Honours Thesis, UBC, 6/2005]

Invited Lectures & Seminars

Partitioning Homeland: West Bank, Identity & Security in Israeli Political Discourse since 1948, "Israel and the Middle East seminar," Tulane University Student delegation, Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 15 June 2015, 5 June 2017.

Jerusalem: The United/Divided City, Gonzaga University student delegation to Israel, 24 May 2017.

Framing consensus: Evaluating the narrative specificity of territorial indivisibility, Departmental seminar/colloquium, Bar-Ilan University, 20 January 2015.

Temple Mount Activism: Agenda, Popularity & Peacemaking, "Emerging Patterns in a Turbulent Middle East," briefing for Italian Committee of Defense, Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 2 December 2014.

Greater Serbia Reframed: Irredentist narratives & territorial belonging in the Western Balkans, Departmental seminar/colloquium, Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 24 November 2014.

Between interests and identity: Negotiating homeland claims in Jerusalem & Kosovo, Young Russian Diplomats Seminar, Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 8 July 2014.

Defending Homeland: Territorial conflict, popular narratives, and the limits of elite issue framing, Departmental seminar/colloquium, Department of Political Science, University of Haifa, 31 April 2014 / Departmental seminar/colloquium, Department of International Relations, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 19 February 2014.

Partitioning Homeland: West Bank, Identity & Security in Israeli Political Discourse since 1948, "The Two State-Solution: The U.N. Partition of Mandatory Palestine - Analysis and Sources , A Book Event in honor of Prof. Ruth Gavison," Taub Center for Israel Studies, New York University, 4 December 2012.

Received Academic Awards, Grants

“Political Correlates of Hate: A Global Study of White Nationalist Movements and their Influence in American Politics,” Seed Grant from *Argov Center for the Study of Israel and the Jewish People*, 4000 NIS, 2020.

Social Science Faculty Outstanding Lecturer, *Hebrew University of Jerusalem*, Fall 2013, Fall 2014

“From Indivisibility to Partition? Kosovo & Jerusalem as Contested Homeland Territories,” SPME Fellow, *Scholars for Peace in the Middle East*, \$2000, 2013-2014.

“Security or Identity? State and Homeland in Israeli Politics and Public Opinion,” Israel Scholar Award, *AICE-Schusterman Foundation*, \$15000, 2011-2012.

“Exclusive Histories, Disputed Lands: Ethnonationalism in Territorial Conflict,” Dispute Resolution Research Center Grants, *Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University*, \$15500, 2009-2011.

“Exclusive Histories, Disputed Lands: Ethnonationalism in Territorial Conflict,” Crown Family Middle East Research Award, *Buffett Center of International and Comparative Studies, Northwestern University*, \$4000, 2010.

Academic Grants, Graded or under Consideration

Under God, Indivisible? Sacred Sites, Religious Actors, and Territorial Conflict, *ISF Individual Research Grant*, Israel Science Foundation, 2019. *Grade: Commended*

Under God, Indivisible? Sacred Sites, Religious States, and Interstate Territorial Conflict, *ISF Individual Research Grant*, Israel Science Foundation, 2018. *Grade: Commended*

Current Courses

Introduction to Research Methods, Undergraduate Course, Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2016-.

Introduction to Statistics & Computer Applications, Undergraduate, Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2016-.

Nations & Nationalism, Undergraduate, Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2015-16, 2017-2018, 2019-.

Territorial Politics, Graduate, Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2015-.

Past Courses

Foundations of Scientific Research, Graduate, Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2015-2018.

Israeli & American Politics in Comparative Perspective, Graduate, Ruderman Program for American-Jewish Studies, University of Haifa, Spring 2014.

Israeli Territorial Politics, Undergraduate, Department of International Relations, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 2013-2015.

Israeli Territorial Politics, Undergraduate, Taub Center for Israel Studies, New York University, Spring 2013

Qualitative and Quantitative Research Methods in Political Science, Graduate, Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University, 2018-2019.

Academic Service

Member-at-large, 2017-20, *Ethnicity, Nationalism, & Migration Studies (ENMISA) section of ISA*

Mock Interviewer, 2017, Israel-Europe R&I Directorate, for European Research Council grant applicants

Ad-hoc Reviewer: *American Journal of Political Science, East European Politics and Societies, Foreign Policy Analysis, International Interactions, International Studies Quarterly, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Global Security Studies, National Identities, Political Psychology, Politics & Religion*

Languages

English, 1st language

Hebrew, 2nd language

Spanish, intermediate fluency

Serbo-Croatian, basic knowledge

Arabic, basic knowledge

Professional Affiliations

American Political Science Association

Midwest Political Science Association

International Studies Association

Association for Jewish Studies

Association for Israel Studies

Field Research

Israel and West Bank, 2010-2011

Serbia and Kosovo, Spring 2011

Serbia and Kosovo, Summer 2009

Israel and West Bank, Summer 2007

Software

LibreOffice Suite – Writer/Calc/Impress

MS Office Suite – Word/Excel/Powerpoint

SPSS

Stata