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My work is on the theory and practice of international law. I have written on the law of international organizations, international human rights law, international relations theory, and the practical problems of international cooperation. I have articles and books on organization theory and international institutions, the politics of legitimacy at the United Nations, UN reform, labor standards, and the International Criminal Court. I am currently writing a book on law-breaking in international politics, and have other projects on human rights instruments, new kinds of diplomacy, international criminal law on torture, and rationalism/constructivism in International Relations.

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, DEPT. OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY  
2008- present  
Assistant Professor of Political Science, 2001-2008

FELLOW, NIEHAUS CENTER ON GLOBALIZATION AND GOVERNANCE, WOODROW WILSON  
SCHOOL, PRINCETON UNIVERSITY  
2010-11 academic year

VISITING FACULTY, SCIENCES PO, PARIS  
spring 2009

VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPT. OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, UNIV. OF WISCONSIN -  
MADISON  
1999-2001

## HONORS AND ACTIVITIES

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ASSOCIATED SCHOLAR, CENTER ON LAW AND GLOBALIZATION, AMERICAN BAR FOUNDATION/  
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS COLLEGE OF LAW  
2008- present

EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER, JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION STUDIES  
2010- present

INVITED PARTICIPANT, VENICE ACADEMY ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND COSMOPOLITANISM  
July 2011

INVITED INSTRUCTOR, VENICE SCHOOL OF HUMAN RIGHTS, EUROPEAN INTER-UNIVERSITY  
CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEMOCRATISATION  
July 2011

CO-ORGANIZER “LEGITIMACY AND THE UNITED NATIONS”  
Seminar series at the United Nations, with Jean-Marc Coicaud of the United Nations  
University, May-June 2011

CHADWICK ALGER BOOK PRIZE FOR *AFTER ANARCHY*  
International Studies Association, 2008, best book on international organizations

MYRES MCDUGAL BOOK PRIZE FOR *AFTER ANARCHY*  
Policy Sciences Society book of the year, 2008

ROBERT O. KEOHANE PRIZE FOR “THE STRATEGIC USE OF LIBERAL INTERNATIONALISM:  
LIBYA AND THE UN SANCTIONS, 1992-2003”  
Best article in *International Organization* by an untenured scholar, 2005

FELLOW, HOOVER INSTITUTION SUMMER PROGRAM IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS  
summer 1996

## **PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH**

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### BOOKS

*Making and Breaking International Law*. Book project in process.

*International Organizations: Politics, Law, Practice*. Cambridge University Press, 2011.

*After Anarchy: Legitimacy and Power at the UN Security Council*. Princeton University Press, 2007.

Winner, 2008 Chadwick Alger Award for best book on international organizations,  
presented by the International Studies Association

Winner, 2008 Myres McDougal Prize of the Policy Sciences Society.

*The UN Security Council and the Politics of International Authority*. Bruce Cronin and Ian Hurd eds. Routledge, 2008. Includes:

“Introduction” by Bruce Cronin and Ian Hurd

“Theories and Tests of International Authority” by Ian Hurd

“Conclusion” by Bruce Cronin and Ian Hurd

## WORK UNDER REVIEW AND IN PROGRESS

“Norms, Interests, and Rules in International Theory,” revise and resubmit

“Breaking Rules in International Law and Politics.”

“Torture and the Politics of Legitimation in International Law,” under review

## ARTICLES - REFEREED

“Choices and Methods in the Study of International Organizations,” *Journal of International Organization Studies*, 2011, forthcoming.

“Law and the Practice of Diplomacy,” *International Journal*, 2011, v.66, n.3.

“Is Humanitarian Intervention Legal? The Rule of Law in an Incoherent World,” *Ethics and International Affairs*, 2011, v.25, n.3.

“Myths of Membership: The Politics of Legitimation in UN Security Council Reform,” *Global Governance*, 2008, v.14, n.2.

“Breaking and Making Norms: American Revisionism and Crises of Legitimacy,” *International Politics*, 2007, v.44:194-213.

“The Strategic Use of Liberal Internationalism: Libya and the UN Sanctions, 1992-2003,” *International Organization*, Summer 2005, v. 59, 3.

Winner, Robert O. Keohane Award 2005 for best article in *International Organization* by an untenured scholar

Reprinted in Lisa Martin ed. *Global Governance* (Ashgate, 2008).

“Labor Standards through International Organizations: The Global Compact in Comparative Perspective,” *Journal of Corporate Citizenship*, v.11, July 2003.

“Legitimacy, Power, and the Symbolic Life of the Security Council,” *Global Governance*, v.8, n. 1, 2002: 35-51.

“Legitimacy and Authority in International Politics,” *International Organization*, v.53, n.2, 1999. Reprinted in Harold Hongju Koh and Oona Hathaway eds. *Foundations of International Law and Politics*, Foundation Press, 2004.

## BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER WRITING

“United Nations,” in Richard Devetak *et al.* eds. *Introduction to International Relations*, 2nd. ed. Cambridge University Press, 2011.

“The Libyan Intervention in the Rearview Mirror,” *Telos*, March 31 2011, also available in French.

“By the Book: Bush’s Memoirs and the Rule of Law,” Policy Brief #10, Centre for International Policy Studies, University of Ottawa, 2010.

- “How not to Argue against the Crime of Aggression: A Reply to Michael Glennon,” Working Paper 10-001, Buffett Center for International and Comparative Studies, Northwestern University, 2010.
- Book review of Richard Ned Lebow, *A Cultural Theory of International Relations* (Cambridge University Press, 2009) in *Perspectives on Politics*, 8(2), 2010.
- “Constructivism,” in Duncan Snidal and Christian Reus-Smit eds. *Oxford Handbook of International Relations*. Oxford University Press, 2008.
- “Theories and Tests of International Authority,” in Bruce Cronin and Ian Hurd eds. *The UN Security Council and the Politics of International Authority*. Routledge, 2008.
- “Introduction” and “Conclusion,” co-authored with Bruce Cronin in Cronin and Hurd eds. *The UN Security Council and the Politics of International Authority*. Routledge, 2008.
- “Legitimacy,” in *Princeton Encyclopedia of Self-Determination*. Princeton University Press.
- “Negotiation and Institutional Design: Deliberating over the UN Security Council at San Francisco 1945,” working paper published by the Dispute Resolution Research Center at the Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University (#350, June 2006). [http://www1.kellogg.northwestern.edu/wps/SelectDocument.asp?dept\\_id=DRRC](http://www1.kellogg.northwestern.edu/wps/SelectDocument.asp?dept_id=DRRC)
- Book review of Ian Clark, *Legitimacy in International Society*, (Oxford University Press) in *International History Review*, 28(1), March 2006.
- “Unrealizable Expectations: Collective Security, the UN Charter, and Iraq,” in Harvey Starr ed. *Approaches, Levels, and Methods of Analysis in International Politics: Crossing Boundaries*. Palgrave Macmillan, 2006.
- “Legitimacy,” “Anarchy,” and “Authority,” all in Martin Griffiths ed. *Routledge Encyclopedia of International Relations and Global Politics*. Routledge, 2005.
- “Reforming the United Nations,” *Northwestern University Journal of International Human Rights* symposium on the United Nations, 2005.
- “Of Words and Wars: The Security Council’s Hard Life Among the Great Powers,” *Seton Hall Journal of Diplomacy and International Relations*, 5(1), Winter/Spring 2004.
- “Stayin’ Alive/Too Legit to Quit: A Response to Michael J. Glennon,” *Foreign Affairs*, July/Aug 2003. Reprinted in James F. Hoge Jr. and Gideon Rose eds. *American Foreign Policy: Cases and Choices*. New York: Foreign Affairs/Norton, 2003. Also reprinted in Karen Mingst and Jack Snyder eds. *Essential Readings in World Politics*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. New York: Norton, 2004.
- “Why Iraq, not the US, Should Prosecute Hussein’s Pals,” *Chicago Tribune*, May 19, 2003.
- “The Unspoken Meanings of Symbols,” *Chicago Tribune*, April 10, 2003.
- “The New Iraq Must be Independent from US,” *San Francisco Chronicle*, April 9, 2003.
- Book Review of Nicholas N. Kittrie’s *Rebels with a Cause* (Westview Press, 2000), in *Canadian Journal of Political Science*, Dec. 2000.
- “Security Council Reform: Informal Membership and Practice,” in Bruce Russett ed., *The Once and Future Security Council* (New York: St. Martin’s Press, 1997).

## SELECTED INVITED TALKS

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Legitimacy and the United Nations, panelist and co-organizer, United Nations, May-June 2011.

Columbia University, March 2011.

“Is Humanitarian Intervention Legal? The Rule of Law in an Incoherent World,” Center for International Policy Studies, University of Ottawa, February 18 2011.

“Actor, Forum Resource: Legal and Political Aspects of International Organizations,” American Society of International Law, IO Working Group, October 2010.

“Norms, Interests, and Rules in International Theory,” Faculty Colloquium in IR Theory, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University, September 2010.

Arizona State University, March 2010.

Midwest Political Science Association, April 2010.

American Bar Foundation, February 2010.

George Washington University, February 2010.

University of Minnesota, Minnesota International Relations Colloquium (MIRC), September 2009.

Sciences Po, Paris, May 2009.

Oxford University, May 2009.

University of Washington International Security Colloquium (UWISC), April 2009.

Berkeley Law School, International Law Workshop, November 2008.

McGill/University of Montreal Research Group in International Security, November 2008.

Yale Law School, Oona Hathaway organizer, for Junior International Law Scholars Roundtable, March 9 2007.

Carleton University/Norman Paterson School of International Affairs, March 5, 2007.

University of Exeter, Dept. of Politics, February 14, 2007.

Vanderbilt Law School, Allison Danner and Larry Helfer, roundtable on “Law and Politics of International Cooperation,” January 26-27, 2007.

University of California, San Diego, Michael Hechter (ASU) and David Lake, workshop on “Legitimacy in the Modern World,” December 7-9, 2006.

Australian National University, Canberra, on legitimacy in international relations, July 2005.

Follow-up in Bellagio, Italy, May 2006 (not attended).

Center for International Studies, University Southern California, “Legitimacy and Power in the Post 9/11 World,” April 28<sup>th</sup> 2005.

*A Night with Northwestern*, Hudson Theater, New York City, April 12<sup>th</sup> 2005.

Institute for War and Peace Studies, Columbia University, Feb. 28, 2005.

Northwestern University Law School, on UN SC and International Human Rights, Jan 24<sup>th</sup>, 2005.

Indonesian Mission to the UN, with ASEAN, seminar on UN SC Reform, Dec. 2004.

Center for International and Comparative Studies, Northwestern University, Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> 2004.

George Washington University, Department of Political Science, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 2004.

University of Oxford, Centre for International Studies, May 19, 2004.

Dartmouth College, Dickey Center and Dept. of Political Science, March 10, 2004.

Carleton University, College of Public Affairs, “Leadership Forum,” Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> 2004.

“Arguing About Law and Legitimacy: UN Controversy over the Libyan Sanctions 1993-2003,” at Columbia Law School, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> 2003.

University of Chicago, PIPES seminar, "Taking Authority Seriously: Who Had Authority in Cambodia 1992-1994? Implications for IR Theory," May 30<sup>th</sup> 2002.  
Yale University, International Security Studies seminar, "Power of Symbolic Politics at the Security Council," 1999.

## **WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCE PAPERS**

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Legitimacy and the United Nations, United Nations, New York, May-June 2011.  
Workshop on the Legitimacy of International Human Rights Instruments, University of Oslo Law Faculty, May 2011.  
Workshop on International Law and International Politics, discussant, Temple University, April 2011.  
Workshop on the New Diplomacy, McGill University, March 2011.  
International Studies Association annual meetings, Montreal, March 2011.  
Legitimacy and Human Rights Systems workshop, University of Oslo, December 2010.  
"Actor, Forum, Resource: Legal and Political Aspects of International Organizations," American Society of International Law, International Organizations Working Group workshop, Washington DC, October 2010.  
Midwest Political Science Association, April 2010.  
International Studies Association, New Orleans, February 2010.  
Roundtable on Decision-Making in the UN Security Council, ISA 2009.  
"Constructive Non-Compliance," APSA 2008.  
"The Instrumental Use of Norms in World Politics," paper for International Studies Association annual meeting, March 2007, Chicago.  
"The Enigma of Article 2(4)" paper for APSA 2006, Philadelphia.  
Roundtable on Frank Schimmelfennig's *The EU, NATO and the Integration of Europe*, at Council on European Studies meeting, April 2006, Chicago.  
"Negotiation and Institutional Design: Deliberating over the UN Security Council at San Francisco 1945," paper presented at ISA 2006, San Diego.  
Roundtable on "Crossing Boundaries: Internal-External Approaches, Levels and Methods of Analysis in International Politics," at ISA 2006, San Diego.  
"International Political Authority and the Inter-State System" paper at ISA 2006, San Diego.  
"Theories of International Authority," to Northwestern University conference on 'The Changing Authority of the UN Security Council,' June 6<sup>th</sup> 2005.  
"The Strategic Use of Liberal Internationalism: Libyan and the UN Sanctions, 1993-2003," to ISA, Montreal, March 2004.  
"Legitimizing Inequality through Democratic Procedures: Selling the Security Council at San Francisco 1945," to ISA, Portland, Feb. 2003.  
"Legitimacy and the United Nations: Deliberation and Effectiveness in the Security Council," to conference at the European Parliament on *Democracy and Legitimacy of the EU and Other International Organizations*, Oct. 2002.

- “Assessing the UN’s Global Compact: A Hard Life Between the ‘Anarchist Turtle-People’ and the ‘Merchants of Global Death,’ to APSA, San Francisco, August 2001.
- “States, IOs, Firms, and Other Structures of Authority: Pluralism in the Units of Analysis,” to International Studies Association meetings, Chicago, February 2001.
- “UNTAC, Authority, and IR Theory,” to Midwest Political Science Association meetings, Chicago, April 2000.
- “Legitimacy and the Symbolic Life of the Security Council,” to International Studies Association, Washington DC., February 1999.
- “Legitimacy and the Symbolic Life of the Security Council,” to ISA-Northeast, Boston, November 12-14, 1998.
- “Legitimacy in International Politics,” to International Studies Association, Toronto, March 1997.
- Rapporteur to “A Changing Security Council in a Changing World: Form and Substance”, held at Jagiellonian University, Crakow, Poland, August 1996.
- “After Anarchy: Political Authority in the International System,” to Canadian Political Science Assoc., Brock University, St. Catherines, Canada, June 1996.
- “Linkages between Audit and Evaluation in Canadian Federal Departments,” Discussion Paper for Treasury Board Secretariat, Government of Canada, 1993. Accessible in English and French at: <http://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/eval/pubs/pubs-to-1995/links-liens-e.htm>

## EDUCATION

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### YALE UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Ph.D.	2000 (Alexander Wendt, Bruce Russett, H. Brad Westerfield)
M.Phil	1997
M.A.	1996

### CARLETON UNIVERSITY, OTTAWA, DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

B.A. Hons (highest honors) 1994  
winner of the President’s Medal in Social Science

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

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### RESEARCH AWARDS

Chadwick Alger Award 2008 for *After Anarchy*. Best book on international organizations, presented by the International Studies Association.

Myres McDougal Prize 2008 for *After Anarchy*. Policy Sciences Society.

Robert O. Keohane prize 2005 for the best article of the year in *International Organization* by an untenured scholar.

#### TEACHING AWARDS

Hewlett Grant for Teaching Innovation, Northwestern University Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences, 2009-10.

NU Faculty Honor Roll, 2010-11, 2009-10, and 2004-05, as voted by the undergraduate college through the Associated Student Government.

Farrell Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, NU Dept. of Poli.Sci. 2003-04.

Searle Center for Teaching Excellence, Fellowship, 2003-04.

Voted 'Best Professor of an Introductory Class,' *The Daily Northwestern*, Northwestern University, March 3, 2004.

#### PRE-DOCTORAL AWARDS

Yale Dissertation Fellowship, 1998-99

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Ph.D. award, 1995-1998

Yale Fellowship, 1994-1998

Marcel Cadieux Fellowship, Dept. of For.Aff & Int'l Trade, Canada, 1998-99 (declined)

Dept. of National Defence of Can., Military & Strategic Studies award, 1994-1997

Ontario Graduate Scholarship, 1994 (declined)

Mackenzie King Traveling Scholarship, 1994 (declined)

#### RESEARCH GRANTS

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Hewlett Grant, Northwestern University, for research travel associated with book project on *International Organizations in Law and Politics*. 2009-2010.

Kellogg School of Management, Dispute Resolution Research Center, for research on negotiations over UN Charter at San Francisco, October 2005

Alumnae Board of Northwestern University, April 2003, for research on the reform of the UN Security Council

University Research Grant, Northwestern University, March 2003



Carnegie Council on Ethics and International Affairs, team with NU Center for International and Comparative Studies, 2002

## **SERVICE TO THE FIELD**

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### MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER FOR:

Yale University Press 2011, *Journal of International Organization Studies* 2010, *Journal of Military and Strategic Studies* 2009, *Journal of Politics* 2006, *International Organization* 2010, 2007, 2006, 2004, 2003, *European Journal of International Relations* 2006, Bloomsbury 2006, *International Studies Quarterly* 2005, *World Politics* 2009, 2005, *RIS* 2005, 2004, *Millennium* 2007, 2005, Cambridge University Press 2005, *J. of Peace Research* 2005, 2004, *ISQ* 2004, *Comparative Labor Law and Policy J.* 2004, University of Chicago Press 2004, *Grawemeyer Award in Ideas Improving World Order* 2004, 2002, 2001, MIT Press 2004, *Global Governance* 2004, 2003, Longman 2004, 2003, *J. of Corporate Citizenship* 2003, Princeton University Press 2003, Prentice Hall 2003, Wadsworth 2003, *J. of Law and Social Inquiry* 2003, Pearson 2003, Oxford University Press 2003, Prentice Hall 2002, *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 2002, Routledge 2002, Lynne Rienner Press 2002, Westview Press 2000, *Journal of Peace Research* 1999, *Millennium* 1997.

### MEMBER OF:

the Academic Council on the UN System

the American Political Science Association

the American Society of International Law

the International Studies Association

## **TEACHING**

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### UNDERGRADUATE

International Law: Freshman Seminar  
Introduction to International Relations  
International Relations Theory  
International Organizations  
International Political Economy  
Globalization  
States and Rules  
Senior Honors Thesis Seminar

## GRADUATE

International Relations Field Seminar  
International Relations Theory  
Special Topics in IR theory  
Making and Breaking International Norms

## **SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY**

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### AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Reappointment Review Committee, Dept. of Political Science, 2010.

Member, Curriculum Review Committee of Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences, Northwestern University, 2009-

Chair, Search Committee, Political Science 2008-09.

Chair, Farrell Fund Distinguished Speaker Series Committee, 2003-present

Director, Political Science Honors Program, 2007-08

Member, Search Committee, Political Science 2006-07

Faculty Affiliate, Center for International and Comparative Studies, 2001-

Faculty Affiliate, French Interdisciplinary Group, 2003-

Member, CICS Advisory Board, 2003.

Member, International Studies Review Board (Committee for the Program in International Studies), 2003.

Member, Graduate Admissions committee, Dept. of Political Science, 2002-03, 2003-04

External Member, Search Committee, Dept. of History, 2002-03

Willard Residential College, College Fellow, 2002-2006

## **REFERENCES**

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