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Education:

Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY

- Ph.D., Political Science, 2006
 - Fields: Public Policy and American Politics
 - Dissertation: *Sparta in Babylon: Case Studies in the Public Philosophy of Soldiers and Citizens*
 - Committee: Grant Reeher, Suzanne Mettler, Rogan Kersh, Don Snider, and Robert Rubenstein
 - Syracuse University Award for Best Dissertation in Political Science
- M.A., Political Science, May 2002

University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN

- B.A., Government and International Relations, May 1994

Experience:

Professor, U.S. Army War College and Director of the Advanced Strategic Art Program (May 2023-Present), Department of Military Strategy, Planning, and Operations, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA

Associate Professor and Director of the Advanced Strategic Art Program (Jul 2022-May 2022), Department of Military Strategy, Planning, and Operations, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA

Associate Professor and Director of the Regional Studies Program (Jun 2017-Jul 2022), Department of National Security and Strategy, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA

- Director of the Army War College Regional Studies Program, a core course with approximately 30 instructors teaching in seven different regional concentrations, 2018-2022
- Deputy Chair, Department of National Security and Strategy, 2020-2022
- Overall Director for the Advanced Regional Studies Program and Advanced European Regional Studies, a special program that includes an annual two-week in-region field study, 2018-2022
- Director of European Regional Studies, 2017-2022
- Faculty Instructor for War, Policy, and National Security Course, 2017- 2022
- President of the USAWC Academic Review Board, 2020-2021
- Chair, Research and Advancing Knowledge Committee of the USAWC Faculty Council, 2020-2021

Adjunct Professor, Graduate Program in National Security and Intelligence Studies (2009-Present), School of Security and Global Studies, American Public University System, Charles Town, WV

- Course Developer, Concepts in National Security
- Faculty Instructor, International Security
- Faculty Instructor, Institutions of National Security
- Faculty Instructor, Interagency Operations
- Faculty Instructor, International Relations
- Faculty Instructor, Intelligence and Homeland Security
- Faculty Instructor, Social Science Research Design and Methods

Deputy Chief, Strategy Division (NATO Policy), Directorate for Policy, Strategy, and Plans, U.S. European Command (USEUCOM) (Jul 2015-Jun 2017), Headquarters USEUCOM, Stuttgart, Germany

- Deputy Chief of USEUCOM Strategy Division, J5, responsible for NATO Policy and Support, 2016-2017
- Director of the USEUCOM Foreign Liaison Officer Cell, 2016-2017
- Director of the USEUCOM Support NATO Line of Effort, 2015-2017
- NATO Branch Chief, 2015-2016

U.S. Army War College Fellow (Jul 2014-Jul 2015), George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch, Germany

- Faculty Instructor, Program on Applied Security Studies
- Faculty Instructor and Plenary Lecturer, Program on Security Sector Capacity Building
- Outreach Lecturer, National Security Strategy Implementation and NATO Defense Planning

Defense Policy Advisor, U.S. Mission to NATO (Jun 2012-Jul 2014), Headquarters, North Atlantic Treaty Organization, Brussels, Belgium

- Defense Advisor to the U.S. Ambassador to NATO
- U.S. Representative to the NATO Defense Policy and Planning Committee
- U.S. Representative to the NATO-European Union Capabilities Group

Strategic Planner and Policy Advisor, Executive Strategy Group, Office of the Chief of Staff, U.S. Army (Nov 2010-Jun 2012) Headquarters Department of the Army, 200 Pentagon, Washington D.C.

Europe Regional Affairs Specialist, International Affairs Division (Jul-Nov 2010) Army G-3/5/7, Headquarters Department of the Army, 400 Pentagon, Washington D.C.

Council on Foreign Relations, International Affairs Fellow (2009-2010)

- Visiting Scholar, Center for Transatlantic Relations, The Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins U., Washington D.C. 2009.
- Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary for International Affairs, Office of Policy, Department of Homeland Security, Washington D.C. 2010.

Director of Strategy and Military Professor of Security Studies (2006-2009), George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch, Germany

- Course Developer and Faculty Instructor, National Security Strategy for Individual States
- Faculty Instructor, National Security Strategy and Scenario Planning
- Plenary Lecturer, Program on Security Stability Transition and Recovery

Assistant Professor of Political Science (2003-2006), Social Sciences Department, United States Military Academy, West Point, NY

- Course Developer and Faculty Instructor, Advanced American Politics
- Course Developer and Faculty Instructor, Colloquium in American Political Thought
- Faculty Instructor, American Politics
- Faculty Instructor, Defense Policy and American Civil-Military Relations
- Faculty Instructor, Public Policy

Academic Awards and Honors:

- U.S. Army War College Colonel John J. Madigan Excellence in Scholarship Award for Academic Year 2022.
- U.S. Army War College Excellence in Service Award for Exemplary Service during Academic Year 2021.
- Military Order of the World Wars Writing Award, presented for writing and research excellence in academic research at the U.S. Army War College, 2015.
- Hugh G. Nott Prize, 1st place award for most exceptional article published in U.S. Naval War College Review, 2013.
- Commandant's Award for Writing, Joint and Combined Warfighting School, Joint Forces Staff College, Norfolk, VA, 2012.
- Council on Foreign Relations International Affairs Fellowship, Council on Foreign Relations, 58 East 68th Street, New York, New York, 2008.
- Best Dissertation in Political Science Award, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Service, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, 2006.

Research Interest and Projects:

- Research Interests: European Security and Foreign Policy, Civil Military Relations, and U.S. Defense and Security Policy
- Current Book Project: *Generals in International Politics: NATO's Supreme Allied Commander, Europe, the Post-Cold War Years*. This is a co-edited volume with Dr. Seth Johnston that considers the role the Supreme Allied Commanders Europe (SACEUR) played in shaping the direction of transatlantic foreign and security policy in the period between 1990 and 2014. The book is meant to be a follow-on to the 1987 *Generals in International Politics* that covered the role and influence of SACEURs of the Cold War. The volume is a part of the Association of the U.S. Army's Book Program.

Publications:

Book:

- *Sparta in Babylon: Case Studies in the Public Philosophy of Soldiers and Civilians*. Verlag Dr. Muller: Saarbrücken, Germany. 2009.

Articles and Book Chapters:

- “Disrupting Alliances: Technological Adaptation, Military Doctrine, and Alliance Politics,” in *International Security Studies and Technology*, (forthcoming).
- “Civil-Military Bargaining in Early NATO Institution Building,” *Australian Journal of Politics and History*, (forthcoming).
- “Return to Realism? NATO and Global Competition,” *Defence Studies*, Vol 22, (June 2022). (co-authored)
- “Learning Styles in PME: A Q-Method Study of U.S. Army War College Students.” *Journal of Military Learning*. Vol. 5, No. 2. (October 2021).
- “SACEUR, CJCS, and U.S. Military Influence in Transatlantic Foreign Policy.” *Journal of Transatlantic Studies*. Vol. 19, No iii, June 2021.
 - Colonel John J. Madigan Excellence in Scholarship
- “Deterrence in Eastern Europe in Theory and Practice.” *Connections: The Quarterly Journal*. Vol. 18, No 1/2, (Winter/Spring), 2019.
- “This Isn’t Your Father’s Anti-War Movement: Comparing the Political Mobilization of Vietnam and Iraq Veterans.” *Journal of Veterans Studies*. Vol 4, No 1, 2019. (co-authored)
- “Burden Sharing and the Future of NATO: Wandering Between Two Worlds.” *Defense and Security Analysis*. Vol 32, No. 1. 2016.
 - Military Order of the World Wars Writing Award
- “Smart Defense: Brave New Approach or Déjà Vu?” *U.S. Naval War College Review*. Summer 2013. (co-authored)
 - Hugh G. Nott Prize, 1st place award for most exceptional article published in U.S. Naval War College Review
- “Citizenship in Early American Romance: Case Studies in Charles Brockden Brown, Washington Irving, and James Fenimore Cooper.” *New England Journal of Political Science*. Vol. 5, No. 1. 2011. (co-authored)
- “Integrating Security: The Comprehensive Approach and the Civil-Military Dilemma.” *Per Concordiam*. Vol. 1, Issue 4. 2011.
- “The European Union and the Comprehensive Civil-Military Approach in Transatlantic Security: Matching Reality to Rhetoric.” *Strategic Studies Quarterly*. Vol. 4, No 3. 2010.
- “The Military Mind and American Public Philosophies: A Q-Methodology Approach.” *Operant Subjectivity*. Vol. 31. 2009.
- “Ideology and the Military Profession: A Reassessment of the Military Mind” In *American Civil-Military Relations: The Soldier and the State in a New Era*. Johns Hopkins University Press. 2009.
- “The National Interests and Threats to National Security” Scenario Planning and Individual State Security Strategy Reader. College of International Security Studies, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, 2008. (co-authored)

- “Student Learning Identities: Developing a Learning Taxonomy for the Political Science Classroom.” *Journal of Political Science Education*. Vol. 4, Issue 1. 2007. (co-authored)
- “Professionals, Bureaucrats, and Citizen Soldiers: The Countervailing Patterns of American Military Administration.” In *Handbook on Military Administration*. Taylor and Francis Publishing. 2007.

Blogs, Podcasts, Media, and Review Essays

- "Like UBER In a Gang Fight: The Future of CASEVAC," *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, July 25, 2023.
- “The Future is Expeditionary: Joint Warfighting HQ,” *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, October 11, 2022.
- “The European Union Looks Forward II: Developing EU Capabilities,” *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, April 26, 2019.
- “Transatlantic Trade: More Important Than Ever,” *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, March 26, 2019.
- “Russia, Great Power Competition, and Politics of Hybrid War,” *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, March 5, 2019.
- “Burden Sharing Dilemmas and NATO’s Tumultuous Summer,” *War Room*, U.S. Army War College, September 27, 2018 (co-authored, blog).
- “Is Transatlanticism Dead?” *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, April 10, 2018.
- “United in Diversity: The European Union Looks Forward,” *A Better Peace: The War Room Podcast*, March 13, 2018.
- “Don’t Go After Military Pensions,” *New York Times*. Opinion Editorial. 26 December, 2011. (co-authored)
- “Armed Forces and Society in Europe,” *Armed Forces and Society Journal*, Review Essay, Fall 2006.

Select Invited Talks and Presentations:

- “Strategy and Policy” and “Regional Issues” Plenary Lectures, USAWC European International Fellows Continuing Education Program, Zagreb, Croatia, October 2021.
- “Transatlantic Security, NATO-EU Relations.” Virtual Security Jam, Marshall Center-German Marshall Fund, June 2020.
- “NATO Defense Planning.” Seminar for North Macedonian Parliamentarians, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch, Germany, September 2019.
- “The Rise of European Populism,” Great Decisions Lecture Series, Army Heritage and Education Center (AHEC), Carlisle, PA, March 2019.
- “The Future of Deterrence in Eastern Europe,” Atlantic Council of Bulgaria, Sofia, Bulgaria, September 2018.
- “Hybrid Warfare and Collective Defense.” National Defense University Conference, Bucharest, Romania, February 2017.
- “NATO after Warsaw.” Seminar for Baltic State Parliamentarians, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch, Germany, January 2017.

- “What to Expect from NATO’s Warsaw Summit.” Seminar for Members of the Turkish Parliament, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch, Germany, April 2016.
- “NATO and Montenegro.” Seminar for Members of the Montenegrin Parliament, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch, Germany, January 2016.
- “The Advantages of Membership in NATO: View from the Perspective of NATO.” Conference on The Benefits of Montenegro’s Membership in NATO, University of Donja Gorica, Podgorica, Montenegro, May 2015.
- “NATO after the Wales Summit.” George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies Outreach Networking Conference, Ljubljana, Slovenia, November 2014.
- “National Strategies and Defense and Security Reviews: From Adoption to Implementation.” Managing Smart Security: National Strategy, Defense, and Security Review Implementation, Ljubljana, Slovenia, November 2014.
- “Citizenship in Early American Romance.” Symposium on Self among Selves: Emotion in the Common Life.” Syracuse University, October 2011.

Select Conference Presentations:

- “How Alliances Change How They Fight: From Air-Land Battle to Multi-Domain Operations, the Intra-Alliance Politics of Doctrinal Adaptation” “Order, Counter-Order, Disorder? Regional and Global Security Orders in the Shadow of Sino-American Competition,” Conference, February 2023
- “Civil-Military Bargaining in NATO Institution Building,” Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, January 2022
- “Civil-Military Relations in NATO Institution Building,” Biennial International University Seminar's Conference on the Armed Forces in Society, October 2021.
- “Transatlantic Civil-Military Bargaining in NATO Institution Building,” Annual Conference of the Transatlantic Studies Association. July 2021.
- “Putting the ‘O’ in NATO: Civil-Military Bargaining in NATO Institution Building” Annual Conference of the New England Political Science Association. April 2021.
- “Our Man in Mons: U.S. Military Influence in Transatlantic Foreign Policy.” Biennial International University Seminar's Conference on the Armed Forces in Society, November 2019.
- “European Strategic Autonomy, NATO and U.S. Foreign Policy.” European Workshops in International Studies, Krakow, Poland, June 2019.
- “The Pentagon’s Seventy Year War Against a European Army: U.S. Foreign Policy and European Strategic Autonomy.” International Studies Association Conference, Toronto, Canada, March 2019.
- “Mobilizing Veterans against the War: Comparing Vietnam and Iraq Veterans’ Anti-War Movements.” Veterans in Society Conference: Veterans, Globalized Veterans, and Their Societies in International Perspective, Roanoke, VA, March 2018.
- “The Comprehensive Approach: A Transatlantic Comparison of Security Institution Reform.” Biennial International University Seminar's Conference on the Armed Forces in Society, October 2009.

- “Veterans’ Anti-War Movements, Yesterday and Today: Comparing Vietnam and Iraq.” Biennial International University Seminar's Conference on the Armed Forces in Society, October 2007.
- “Taking People Seriously: How the U.S. Army has been Shaped by the All-Volunteer Force Policy.” (co-authored) Conference on Citizenship, the Soldier, and the State, April 2006.
- “The Military Mind: Commensurability and the Limits of Shared Experience.” International Studies Association, March 2006.
- “Learning Identities: Assessing Approaches to Learning in the College Classroom.” (coauthored) Southern Political Science Association, January 2006.
- "The Military Mind: Using Q-Method to Explore the Ideological Relationship between the Military and Civilian Leaders." Q Conference of the International Society for the Scientific Study of Subjectivity, October 2005.
- "The Military Mind and American Public Philosophy." Biennial International University Seminar's Conference on the Armed Forces in Society, October 2005.
- “Sparta in Babylon: The Public Philosophy of Soldiers and Civilians.” International University Seminar’s Conference on the Armed Forces in Society (Canada), October 2004.
- “Citizenship in Early American Romanticism.” New England Political Science Association, May 2004.
- “The Evolution of American Civil-Military Relations: A Conflict in Worldviews.” Mid-West Political Science Association, April 2004.
- “Latino Congressional Representation: Substantive, Descriptive or Situational.” Southern Political Science Association, November 2002.

Additional Academic Activities and Awards:

- Award for Outstanding Service, Presented by the U.S. Army War College, (September 2021).
- Conference Co-Chair, (April 2006) “Citizenship, the Soldier, and the State” co-sponsored by Syracuse University and the McCormick Tribune Foundation.
- Master Teacher Certification Award, (October 2005) U.S. Military Academy, West Point, NY
 - Completed USMA’s two-year program of studies in teaching at the university level.
- U.S. Military Academy Student Admissions Committee Member, (2003-2005).
- Fellow, Inter-University Seminar on Armed Forces and Society, (2003-Present).
- Member, Transatlantic Studies Association, (2019-Present).

Languages:

- English, Native
- French, 20/30 Defense Language Proficiency Test (DLPT)

Additional Professional Positions:

Deputy Chief of Economics, Governance, and Civil-Military Operations (G9), (2008)
Multi-National Division-North, 1st Armored Division, Tikrit, Iraq

U.S. Army Liaison to the U.S. Congress (July-August 2005) Chief of Legislative Liaison Office, House of Representatives, Legislative Affairs Division, U.S. Congress, Washington D.C.

U.S. Army Rifle Company Commander and Battalion Logistics Officer (1998-2001)
2nd Battalion, 327th Airborne Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division

U.S. Army Rifle Platoon Leader and Rifle Company Executive Officer (1995-1998)
B Company, 1st Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division

Select Military Education:

- U.S. Army War College Fellow (Writing Award) 2014-2015
- Joint Combined Warfighting School (Commandant's Award) April-June 2012
- U.S. Army Command and General Staff College (Distance) May 2007
- U.S. Army Strategic Arts Program (Distinguished Graduate) September 2006
- U.S. Army Combined Arms Services School September 1998
- U.S. Army Infantry Officer Advanced Course (Commandant's List) July 1998
- U.S. Army Pathfinder School October 1996
- U.S. Army Ranger School April 1995
- U.S. Army Infantry Officer Basic Course (Honor Graduate) October 1994

Select Military Awards:

- Legion of Merit Medal: June 2022
- Bronze Star Medal: December 2008
- Defense Meritorious Service Medal: July 2009; July 2014; June 2017
- Meritorious Service Medal: April 2001; June 2006; June 2012
- Iraq Campaign Medal: December 2008
- Kosovo Campaign Medal: October 2000