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Fields of Study

International Security Studies, Terrorism and Counterterrorism in Democracies, Public Opinion and Security Policy, Behavioral Approaches to Decision-making in Security Contexts, Religion and Political Violence, International Relations Theory, Political Theory (Democracy)

Academic Appointments

Columbia University

Department of Political Science, School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA)

Adjunct Assistant Professor – Security Policy in Democracies, “Inside the Situation Room” (corresponding to lecture by Keren Yarhi-Milo and Hillary Clinton), Introduction to International Politics (2023 – Current)

New York University

Department of Politics

Lecturer – American Foreign Policy (2024 – Current)

Rutgers University

Department of Political Science

Lecturer – Criminal Intelligence Studies (Independent Study), Counterterrorism & Democracy, Introduction to Western Political Thought (2020 – Current)

University and Louis Bevier Fellow (Dissertation Writing Fellowship, 2022 – 2023)

TA/GA Appointment/ Grader – Introduction to International Relations, Research Methods for Political Science, American Foreign Policy (2019 – 2022)

Excellence Fellow (2017-2021)

Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis

“Life and Death” Studies Graduate Fellow (2020-2021)

Publications

Jayme R. Schlesinger. “When Enough is Enough: Terrorism, Counterterrorism, and Public Opinion.” *Critical Studies on Terrorism*. (Published online April 2024): 1-30 DOI:

<https://doi.org/10.1080/17539153.2024.2327722>

Jayme R. Schlesinger and Andrey Tomashevskiy. 2022. “Terror, Political Risks, and Effects on Foreign Direct Investment.” *Terrorism and Political Violence*. 36 (2): 145 - 165

DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/09546553.2022.2122816>

Jayme R. Schlesinger and Jack S. Levy. 2021. "Politics, audience costs, and signalling: Britain and the 1863-64 Schleswig-Holstein Crisis". *European Journal of International Security*. 6 (3): 338-357. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1017/eis.2021.7>

Data

Terrorism Events Immediate Response Data (TEIRD) [Codebook/dataset available upon request]

Manuscripts [Available Upon Request]

"Does Provocation Work? A Case Study Comparison of the ETA, LTTE, and Hamas" [currently under review]

"Patterns of Violence or Violence in Patterns? Terrorism and Counterterrorism in Democracies" [currently under review]

"Holy Wars Among the Self-Chosen: Studying Emotional Affect in Religiously Motivated. Terror"

"Terrorism at a Scale: Comparing Attacks on the World Trade Center, 1993 and 2001"

"Bigger Costs Than Audience Costs? Studying the Dynamics of Audience Costs theory in Asymmetric Conflicts" [with Ariel Zellman]

Works in Progress

When Democracies Are Provoked [book manuscript developed from doctoral dissertation]

"We Didn't Start the Fire: Explaining Support in Violent Protest"

"A Machiavellian Discourse on the Role of Third-Party Fighters: Studying the Russian War in Ukraine"

"A Discourse on *Proportionality* in Democratic Responses to Terror"

Additional Publications

"Pandemic Politics: 'While doctors fight one disease, the world is fighting another'." *International Affairs – Medium*. Chatham House. (Ed.) Op-Ed. Summer 2020. Retrieve from: <https://medium.com/international-affairs-blog/pandemic-politics-while-doctors-fight-one-disease-the-world-is-fighting-another-d8d233bedea2>

Education

Ph.D., Rutgers University – New Brunswick, Political Science (2023)

Dissertation: “Does Provocation Work? Lessons Learned From the Success and Failure of Counterterrorism in Democracies”

Committee Members: Manus Midlarsky (Chair, Rutgers University), Jack S. Levy (Rutgers University), Page Fortna (Columbia University), Michael Kenwick (Rutgers University)

Major Field: International Relations (International Security)

Minor Filed (1): Political Theory

Minor Field (2): Comparative Politics

Additional Courses: Theories of International Relations, Terrorism Studies (Columbia University)

M.A., Rutgers University – Newark, Political Science (2017)

Concentration: International Relations

B.A. Rutgers University – New Brunswick (2014)

Major Field(s): Economics, Political Science

Minor Field: French (Language and Literature)

Exchange Program, Institut D’Études Politiques (Sciences Po – Paris, 2013)

Concentration: International Security

Additional Methodological Training

Bayesian Updating, American Political Science Association Annual Conference (APSA, 2022)

Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Rutgers University (Spring 2021)

Summer Institute in Computational and Social Sciences Trainee, Rutgers University (Summer 2020)

Non-Rutgers Courses

Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse University (Summer 2019)

Game Theory, Columbia University (Fall 2018)

Certification in Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Program on Human Subjects Research (Renewed May 2023)

Training and experience in R Studio, Python, Stata, and LaTeX

Grants and Fellowships

Rutgers University, University and Louis Bevier Fellowship, Rutgers University (2022-2023)

Rutgers University, School of Graduate Studies Travel/Research Funds (2022-2023)

William and Mary Porte Peace Dissertation Fellowship, Rutgers University (2021)

Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis “Life and Death” Project, Graduate Fellow, Rutgers University (2020-2021)

General Use Research Grant, Rutgers University – School of Graduate Studies (2020)

“The Future of Conflict and Cooperation in the Covid-19 Era” Forum, Sponsored Participant, Center for Strategic & International Studies (Summer 2020)

Rutgers’ Political Science Department Summer Research Fellowship, Rutgers University (Summer 2018)

Excellence Fellowship, Rutgers University – School of Graduate Studies (2017-2021)

Reviewer Experience

International Studies Review, Journal of Global Security Studies

Conferences and Workshops

International Political Science Association	(2023)
International Studies Association	(2020 – 2022, 2024)
American Political Science Association	(2022 – 2024)
Midwest Political Science Association	(2020, 2022 – 2023)
Northeastern Political Science Association	(2021)
Rutgers University, Department of Political Science, <i>ET Speaker Series</i>	(2019 – 2021)

Teaching Experience

Security Policy in Democracies and Inside the Situation Room (Seminar), Columbia University (Current)
American Foreign Policy, New York University (Current)
Introduction to International Politics, Columbia University (Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024)
Counterterrorism and Democracy, Rutgers University (Fall 2021, Summer 2023)
Introduction to Political Theory, Rutgers University (Spring 2020, Summer 2021)

Additional Teaching Experience

Guest Lecturer, “Case Study Analysis”, Introduction to Political Science Research Methods, Rutgers University (Spring 2022)
Teaching Assistant, Introduction to International Relations, Rutgers University (Fall 2020, Spring 2021)
Grader, American Foreign Policy, Rutgers University (Fall 2019, Fall 2020)
Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Political Theory, Rutgers University (Fall 2019)
Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Political Science Research Methods, Rutgers University (Spring 2019)

Other Professional Activities

Faculty Search Committee (International Relations), Department of Political Science, Rutgers University (2022)
Faculty Advisor, Senior Thesis, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University (2022)
Faculty Mentor, First-year Interest Group Seminars (Rutgers – FIGS) Program, Rutgers University (2021)
Mentee, Mentoring Program, American Political Science Association (2021) [with Anne Santiago]
Teaching Instruction, “New TA Orientation”, Rutgers University (August 2019)

President, Political Science Graduate Student Association, Rutgers University (2018-2019)

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