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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Science

Howard University, Washington, DC

December 2001

Specializations: International Relations and Political Economy

M.A. in Near Eastern Studies

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

April 1993

B.A. in International Studies and Journalism

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

December 1990

LANGUAGES Fluent in Arabic and Urdu

WORK EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor & Khaled Chair in Political Science and International Policy 8/2025 – Present
Auburn University at Montgomery (AUM), Department of Political Science & Public Administration

Associate Professor, National Security Affairs Department 7/2007 – 08/2025

US NAVAL WAR COLLEGE, Newport, RI

Taught Graduate Foreign Policy Analysis, International Security, & Elective Courses

- Organizer and Presenter of six annual Genocide Studies conferences 2018-2023
- Faculty, Taught in Strategy & Policy Department (Strategy & War course) Nov. 2019 – March 2020
- Interim Director, Greater Middle East Regional Studies Program March 1 – Sept. 1, 2018
- Middle East Expert & Lecturer: <https://youtu.be/NfnaQpqqNrK>
- *Volunteer participant to the USS George Washington (GW) aircraft carrier "SouthernSeas 2024" trip: Chile-USS Porter (DDG) and USS George Washington (CVN) - Lima, Peru; taught Embarked International Students (EIS) from the Southcom region on the USS George Washington for a week* 6/12-20/2024

Online Professor, Adjunct

9/2005 – 08/2025

Master of Arts in Diplomacy; MA in International Relations

NORWICH UNIVERSITY, Northfield, VT

Online Professor, Adjunct

9/2024 – 12/2024

International Relations: South Asia in World Affairs Course

SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY, Newport, RI

Director of International Studies Program

8/2005 – 6/2007

Assistant Professor of International Studies, Department of History

ARCADIA UNIVERSITY, Glenside, PA

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

8/2001 – 6/2005

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN CAIRO, Egypt

PUBLICATIONS

REFEERED BOOKS

- *The Russian Genocide in Ukraine: An Existential Struggle*, forthcoming (under review)
- *Nonviolent Activism in Islam: The Message of Abul Kalam Azad* (Lexington Books, 2021).
- *The Political Economy and Islam of the Middle East: The Case of Tunisia* (Palgrave MacMillan, July 2019).
- *Regional Integration in the Middle East: An Analysis of Inter-Arab Cooperation* (Edwin Mellen Press, 2007).

OTHER BOOKS

- *U.S.-Egyptian Security Cooperation: The Western 'Frenemy' in Complex Bilateral Relations* (CreateSpace, March 2017).
- Co-Editor: *Case Studies in Policy Making*, 12th edition, edited by Hayat Alvi and Nikolas Gvosdev (NWC, Newport, August 2010): <https://www.hsdl.org/?view&did=709625>.
- Co-Editor: *Case Studies in Policy Making*, 11th edition, edited by Hayat Alvi and Stephen Knott (NWC, Newport, August 2008).
- *Ashes and Rubble: Short Stories* (XLibris, March 31, 2017) – Fiction.

REFEREED CHAPTERS

- Chapter, "Eastern Religious Cults," segment about the Case of Aum Shinrikyo, in *A Clinical and Forensic Guide to Cults and Persuasive Leadership*, edited by Tyler Durns, Charles Scott, Paul Whitehead, and Barbara McDermott (Cambridge University Press, July 2025).
- Chapter, "Elements of Genocidal Ideology in Al Qaeda and its Offshoots," in *Cambridge World History of Genocide*, edited by Ben Kiernan, Wendy Lower, Norman Naimark, and Scott Straus (Cambridge University Press, 2023).
- Chapter, "Jordan's National Security," *Handbook of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan*, edited by P.R. Kumaraswamy (Palgrave, 2019).
- "Bigger Carrots, Bigger Sticks: U.S. Policy towards Iran," in *Case Studies in Policy Making*, 12th edition, edited by Hayat Alvi & Nikolas Gvosdev (NWC, NSA Department, Newport, Aug. 2010).
- "To Close or Not to Close: U.S. Security Policy on Guantánamo," in *Case Studies in Policy Making*, 12th edition, edited by Hayat Alvi and Nikolas Gvosdev (NWC, Newport, Aug. 2010).
- Chapter 11, "The Human Rights of Women & Social Transformation in the Arab Middle East," in *Human Rights: An Introduction*, edited by Santap Sanhari Mishra (Icfai University Press, 2007), 169-193.

Book Foreword: Christopher Nouryeh, *The Art of Narrative in the Holy Qur'an: A Literary Appreciation* (Edwin Mellen Press, 2008).

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- "Islamists' Fear of Females: The Roots of Gynophobic Misogyny among the Taliban and Islamic State," *Journal of Indo-Pacific Affairs*, Air University Press, 2022: <https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/IIPA/Display/Article/2891300/islamists-fear-of-females-the-roots-of-gynophobic-misogyny-among-the-taliban-an/source/GovD/>.
- "Musical Criminology: A Comparative Analysis of Jihadist Nasheeds and Narco Corridos," in two journals: *Journal of European, Middle Eastern, & African Affairs (JEMEAA)*, and *Journal of the Americas* (Multilingual), Air University Press, vo. 2, no. 2, Summer 2020 (42-60): <https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/JEMEAA/Display/Article/2213615/musical-criminology-a-comparative-analysis-of-jihadist-nasheeds-and-narco-corri/>.
- "Terrorism in Africa: The Rise of Islamist Extremism and Jihadism," *Insight Turkey*, Special Issue on Africa, Winter 2019, vol. 21, no. 1: <https://www.insightturkey.com/alvi/terrorism-in-africa-the-rise-of-islamist-extremism-and-jihadism>. [Invited to submit]

- “The Post-Secular Republic: Turkey’s Experiments with Islamism,” *Air & Space Power Journal (USAF)*, 2nd Quarter, vol. 6, issue 2, Summer 2015 (22-39):
http://www.au.af.mil/au/afri/aspi/apjinternational/aspi_f/article.asp?id=151.
- “The Islamic Principles of Social Justice: Maulana Abul Kalam Azad and Nonviolent Civil Disobedience,” *Contemporary Review of the Middle East (CRME)*, vol. 2, no. 1 & 2, March & June 2015 (14-30):
<http://cme.sagepub.com/content/2/1-2/14.abstract>. [Invited to submit]
- “Women’s Rights Movements in the ‘Arab Spring’: Major Victories or Failures for Human Rights?” *Journal of International Women’s Studies (JIWS)*, July 2015, vol. 16, no. 3 (294-318):
<http://vc.bridgew.edu/jiws/vol16/iss3/19/>.
- “The Human Rights and Development Impetuses for Tunisia’s Jasmine Revolution,” *Contemporary Review of the Middle East*, March 2014, vol. 1, issue 1 (25-51):
<http://cme.sagepub.com/content/1/1/25.abstract>.
- “Women in Afghanistan: A Human Rights Tragedy a Decade after September 11,” *Middle East Review of International Affairs (MERIA)*: vol. 16, no. 3, Fall 2012: <http://www.gloria-center.org/2012/11/women-in-afghanistan-a-human-rights-tragedy-a-decade-after-september-11/>.
- “Women in Afghanistan: A Human Rights Tragedy Ten Years after 9/11,” *Human Rights & Human Welfare Journal*, November 8, 2011: <http://www.du.edu/korbel/hrhw/workingpapers/index.html>.
- “Hard and Soft Jihad in International Relations,” *Journal of Development Alternatives and Area Studies*, vol. 28, no. 2, 3, 4 (June, September, December), 2009 (5-23).
- “A Progress Report on Women’s Education in Post-Taliban Afghanistan,” *International Journal of Lifelong Education (IJLLE)*, vol. 27, no. 2, March/April 2008 (169-178).
- “The Non-Governance of Divided Territories: A Comparative Study of Bangladesh, Pakistan & Palestine,” *Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa, & the Middle East*, 28:3, 2008 (467-472).
- “The Human Rights of Women and Social Transformation in the Arab Middle East,” *Middle East Review of International Affairs (MERIA)*, June 2005, vol. 9, no. 2 (142-160):
<http://www.rubincenter.org/meria/2005/06/Alvi%20Hayat%20pdf.pdf>.
- “Reconstruction in Post-Taliban Afghanistan: Women and Education,” *Resources for Feminist Research (RFR)*, Special Issue on Women, War and Militarization, Spring/Summer 2004, vol. 30, no. ¾ (13-37).

Workshop Proceedings:

- “The Greater Middle East: Summary of Discussion,” William B. Ruger Chair of National Security Economics Workshop Proceedings, *American Foreign Policy: Regional Perspectives*, Panel Five, US NWC, Newport, RI, May 13-15, 2009.

BOOK REVIEWS (select)

Review in *Contemporary Review of the Middle East (CRME)*, January 2025:
<https://doi.org/10.1177/23477989241310660>

Kristian Coates Ulrichsen. *Centers of Power in the Arab Gulf States*. London: Hurst Publishers, 2024.

Review in Nova Science Publishers, September 30, 2024:
<https://novapublishers.com/shop/intersectionality-and-lgbtq-rights-a-comparative-analysis-of-iran-turkey-and-egypt/> and <https://novapublishers.com/book-reviews/?faq-s=Alvi>

Hussein Solomon and Simoné Bekker. *Intersectionality and LGBTIQ+ Rights: A Comparative Analysis of Iran, Turkey, and Egypt*. Nova Science Publishers, 2023.

Review in *Digest of Middle Eastern Studies (DOMES)*, August 2013, vol. 1, issue 4:
<http://membr.uwm.edu/review.php?id=62>:

Suleyman Elik. *Iran-Turkey Relations 1979-2011: Conceptualizing the Dynamics of Politics, Religion and Security in Middle-Power States*. New York: Routledge, 2012.

Review in *Review of Middle East Studies (RMES)*, Summer 2010, 44:1 (97-98):

Caught in Crossfire: Civilians in Conflicts in the Middle East. Edited by P.K. Kumaraswamy. Reading, UK: Ithaca Press, 2008.

Review in the *African Studies Review (ASR)*, April 2010, 53:1:

Yehudit Ronen. *Qaddafi's Libya in World Politics*. London: Lynne Rienner Publishers, 2008.

Joint Review in the *Naval War College Review*, Winter 2009, 62:1 (154-155):

Shirin Ebadi. *Iran Awakening: One Woman's Journey to Reclaim Her Life and Country*. NY: Random House, 2007.

Vali Nasr. *The Shia Revival: How Conflicts within Islam Will Shape the Future*. NY: W.W. Norton & Co., 2007.

Review in the *Naval War College Review*, Autumn 2008, 61:4 (154-155):

Michael Oren. *Power, Faith and Fantasy: America in the Middle East: 1776 to Present*. NY: W.W. Norton & Company, 2007.

Review in *British Journal of Middle Eastern Studies (BJMES)*, November 2002, 29:2 (194):

Muslim-Jewish Encounters: Intellectual Traditions and Modern Politics. Edited by Ronald Nettler and Suha Taji-Farouki. Amsterdam: Harwood Academic Publishers, 1998.

Joint Review in *British Journal of Middle Eastern Studies (BJMES)*, 2001, 28:1 (113-116):

Israel: The First Hundred Years, volume 1: "Israel's Transition from Community to State." Edited by Efraim Karsh. London: Frank Cass Publishers, 2000.

Baylis Thomas. *How Israel Was Won: A Concise History of the Arab-Israeli Conflict*. London: Lexington Books, 1999.

MEDIA ARTICLES (select)

- "How Hassan Nasrallah's Death Affects the US and Middle East Policy," *The Hill*, October 1, 2024: <https://thehill.com/opinion/international/4907121-hezbollah-leader-death-middle-east/>
- "Why Does the Taliban Hate the Women of Afghanistan This Much?" *Newsweek*, September 17, 2024: <https://www.newsweek.com/why-does-taliban-hate-women-afghanistan-this-much-opinion-1955220>
- "Reassessing Genocide in Ukraine," Podcast: <https://podcasters.spotify.com/pod/show/hayat-alvi/episodes/Reassessing-Genocide-in-Ukraine-e1jcbnk/a-a81ls97>, June 1, 2022.
- "Turkey's Erdogan is Playing Political Poker," *The Hill*, October 26, 2021: <https://thehill.com/opinion/national-security/578385-turkeys-erdogan-is-playing-political-poker?rl=1>.
- "Taliban Control Creates New Risk for the Region: Clashes with India or Iran," *The Hill*, August 16, 2021: <https://thehill.com/opinion/national-security/567963-taliban-control-creates-new-risk-for-the-region-clashes-with-india>.

- “A Confused US Plan in Syria Hurts Our Friends – Again,” *The Hill*, October 9, 2019: <https://thehill.com/opinion/national-security/464861-a-confused-us-plan-in-syria-hurts-our-friends-again>.
- Hayat Alvi & Paul Smith, “U.S.-India Ties: Long-Term Courtship, but No Marriage in Sight,” *The National Interest*, June 12, 2019: <https://nationalinterest.org/feature/us-india-ties-long-term-courtship-no-marriage-sight-62382>
- “Millions in U.S. Military Equipment Lost as Yemen Heads Down Syria’s Path,” *Reuters Opinion*, March 24, 2015.
- “Egypt Must Commit to India-Style Democracy,” *Sunday Guardian India*, August 4, 2013.
- “Indian Violence Shatters Gandhi’s Dream,” *Middle East Times*, March 15, 2002.

MEDIA INTERVIEWS (Select)

- **“The Middle East after the Iran Strikes,” Facing Coming Storms – Talking International Defence,” Podcast Interview** by Peter Apps, UK, August 11, 2025: <https://open.spotify.com/episode/14OKv4qbamp009Dm01Vt6o?si=qhEhfo7cTJa03oIwmjO-w>
- **“Mideast Confrontations: Facing Coming Storms – Talking International Defence,” Podcast Interview** by Peter Apps, UK, February 19, 2025: <https://podcasts.apple.com/nz/podcast/mideast-confrontations/id1792464468?i=1000695474980>.
- **NPR On Point Program Interview:** “Banned from Speaking in Public, Afghan Women Risk Telling Us their Stories,” September 27, 2024 (podcast): <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/banned-from-speaking-in-public-afghan-women-risk-telling/id121534955?i=1000670991170>.
- **BBC Newshour Interview:** “Syria’s Cyber-War,” *BBC World Service*, August 8, 2012: <http://hayatalvi.org/2012/08/08/syria-cyber-war-bbc-world-service-interview-aug-8-2012/>.
- **Radio Interview about Syria, Radio Popolare (Italy),** October 30, 2012: <http://www.facebook.com/photo.php?v=711546328761>.
- **Interview Published in *Gulan Magazine, Iraqi-Kurdistan*,** January 7, 2012: http://www.gulan-media.com/english/t_detail.php?section=21&id=37.
- **“The 9/11 Decade: Voices from the US Naval College,”** Online VIDEO, *Providence Journal*, Providence, RI, September 11, 2011: <http://www.projo.com/video/index.html?bctid=1148961742001>.
- **TV Interview,** topic “Pakistan Floods,” *Channel ABC6*, Providence, RI, August 12, 2010: <http://www.abc6.com/global/story.asp?s=12971724>.
- **Radio Interview,** topic “Pakistan Governor's Assassination Highlights Security, Extremist Problems,” *Voice of America*, January 5, 2011: <http://www.voanews.com/english/news/asia/Pakistan-Governors-Assassination-Highlights-Security-Extremist-Problems-112963179.html>.
- **Profiled in Article, “Movement Growing for an ‘American Spring’,”** by Kyle Hence, *EcoRI News*, March 30, 2012: <http://www.ecori.org/front-page-journal/2012/3/30/movement-growing-for-an-american-spring.html>.
- **Profiled in Article, “Arab Awakening Offers Challenges across Mideast,”** by R. Alexander, *Newport Navallog*, March 16, 2012 (page 16): http://www.cninavy.mil/navycni/groups/public/@ca/@cnrma/@newport/documents/document/cnicp_a286517.pdf.
- **TV Interview, “Local Expert Speaks on Crisis in Syria,”** WPRI Channel 12 (CBS), Newport, RI, September 11, 2013: <http://www.wpri.com/web/wpri/news/local/local-expert-speaks-on-crisis-in-syria>.
- **Quoted in “New Government in Tunisia,”** by Bassem Aly, *Al Ahram Weekly*, Cairo, Egypt, March 3, 2020: <http://english.ahram.org.eg/NewsContent/50/1203/364629/AlAhram-Weekly/World/New-government-in-Tunisia.aspx>.

- **Quoted in “US Military Strategy in the Middle East is Growing Increasingly Unclear,”** by D. Parvaz, *Think Progress*, February 5, 2018: <https://thinkprogress.org/us-military-strategy-middle-east-unclear-e1a38f3105bb/>.
- **Interview / Quoted in “Ataque de Estados Unidos en Siria: por qué Donald Trump, por qué ahora,”** (in Spanish) *Infobae* (Argentinian Newspaper), by Darío Mizrahi, April 9, 2017: <http://www.infobae.com/america/eeuu/2017/04/09/ataque-de-estados-unidos-en-siria-por-que-donald-trump-por-que-ahora/>.
- **Interview / Quoted in “En Qué Guerras Piensa Donald Trump Cuando Dice que Estados Unidos Tiene que Volver a ganarlas,”** (in Spanish) *Infobae* (Argentinian Newspaper), by Dario Mizrahi, March 4, 2017: <http://www.infobae.com/america/eeuu/2017/03/04/en-que-guerras-piensa-donald-trump-cuando-dice-que-estados-unidos-tiene-que-volver-a-ganarlas/>.
- **Quoted in “U.S., Iran Seek Common Ground against Militants, but Doubts Persist,”** By Matt Spetalnick & Peter Apps, *Reuters*, Sept. 23, 2014: <http://www.reuters.com/article/2014/09/23/us-iraq-crisis-usa-iran-idUSKCN0HI08G20140923>.
- **Quoted in “As Islamic State Fighters Begin to Blend In, Defeating Them No Easy Matter,”** By Isabel Coles & Peter Apps, *Reuters*, Sept. 1, 2014: <http://www.reuters.com/article/2014/09/01/iraq-islamicstate-idUSL1N0QX2J620140901>.
- **Quoted in Brazilian newspaper *Mundo*, “Medo Suspende Voos,”** in Portuguese by Rodrigo Craveiro, July 23, 2014.
- **Quoted in “Analysis: Strike on Syria Could Trigger Retaliatory Attacks, Cyberwar,”** By Warren Strobel & David Alexander, *Reuters*, Aug. 29, 2013: <http://www.reuters.com/article/2013/08/29/us-usa-syria-consequences-analysis-idUSBRE97S06220130829>.
- **Radio Interview, “Short Sharp Strike on Syria Expected,”** Radio New Zealand, Aug. 28, 2013: <http://www.radionz.co.nz/national/programmes/morningreport/audio/2567230/short-sharp-strike-on-syria-expected>.
- **Quoted in “Analysis: U.S. Strike Would Aim to Punish Assad, Not Turn Tide of War,”** By Peter Apps, *Reuters*, Aug. 27, 2013: <http://www.reuters.com/article/2013/08/27/us-syria-usa-options-analysis-idUSBRE97Q0I420130827>.
- **Radio Interview, Anthony McCarthy Show,** WEAA 88.9 FM, Topic: Egypt, Aug. 19, 2013.
- **Quoted in “As Suez Cities Burn, Canal Shipping Sails on, For Now,”** By Peter Apps, *Reuters*, January 29, 2013: <http://www.reuters.com/article/2013/01/29/us-egypt-protests-suez-idUSBRE90S0UD20130129>.
- **Quoted in “In Syria, the Cyberwar Intensifies,”** by Justin Salhani, *Defense News*, January 18, 2013: <http://www.defensenews.com/article/20130118/C4ISR01/301180018/In-Syria-Cyberwar-Intensifies>.

AWARDS / RECOGNITION

- ❖ **Certificate of Recognition, *Thank-a-Prof Program***, Teaching Excellence Center, NWC. 6/21/2024; 3/10/2023; 3/4/2022; 11/19/2021; 6/23/2021
- ❖ **Faculty Service Award**, NWC, Newport, RI. 6/2019
- ❖ **Certificate of Recognition for participation in Professional Development Seminar** for the Joint Enabling Capabilities Command and Joint Planning Support Element, briefing on “Iran’s National Security in the 21st Century,” Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA. 2/28/2019
- ❖ **Certificate of Recognition for Fifteen Years of Service** in the U.S. Government, NWC, Newport, RI. 7/2023
- ❖ **Award of Appreciation** by General David Puster for giving Keynote Speech, US Army Ball, Dept of Defense Convention Center, Southbridge, MA. 3/17/12
- ❖ **Recognition Award, "In Recognition of Outstanding Performance,"** for Roundtable Discussion about Jordanian Armed Forces, for the US Army Reserve 75th Battle Command Training Division. 10/1/11
- ❖ **Support Excellence Award**, Leader Development & Education for Sustained Peace (LDESP), Naval Postgraduate School, presentation “Pakistan’s Internal Politics” at Ft. Hood, Texas, 1st Cavalry Division. 1/12/2011
- ❖ **1st Cavalry Division Award for Excellence**, “Pakistan’s Internal Politics,” Ft. Hood, Texas. 1/12/2011
- ❖ **Certificate of Appreciation**, from **US Central Command Multinational Coalition Forces**, MacDill Air Force Base, Tampa, FL: *“For your outstanding support to our Senior National Representative Roundtable. Your briefing provided our 60 Coalition partners pertinent and useful information that will enable those countries to continue their struggle against extremism.”* Signed by Steven J. Hashem, MG, USA, Director, Coalition Coordination, and Jens Praestegaard, Brig. General, Denmark Army Chairman, Senior Coalition Group. 11/9/2010
- ❖ Inducted into the **Phi Beta Delta Honor Society** for International Education, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA. 4/28/2006
- ❖ **Fulbright Fellowship** — Damascus, Syria. 9/93 - 6/1994
- ❖ **Fulbright-Hays Award** — to study Arabic at Yarmouk University, Irbid, Jordan. 6/93 - 8/1993
- ❖ **First-Place Winner, Patricia Roberts Harris Essay Contest**, Ralph Bunche Center, Howard University. 1998

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, & SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS (Select)

- Panelist Presenter, “The Rohingya Refugee Crisis: A Reflection on Global Displacement,” for Virtual Conference, “The Possibility of Living Together in Peace in a Changing World.” 5/3/2025
- Panel Participant, “Rebuilding Gaza: A Path to Lasting Peace?” Webinar, Consortium of Indo-Pacific Researchers: <https://youtu.be/5WaBYV0FOI?si=6TSol-kCOT5a0EMd> 3/3/2025
- Guest Speaker, “The Geopolitics of Regime Change in Syria,” Philadelphia Committee on Foreign Relations (PCFR), Philadelphia, PA. 2/20/2025
- “ICC Warrants of Taliban Leaders,” News Interview for Journalism Student, University of London, via Zoom. 1/28/2025
- Guest Speaker, “Illegal, Unreported, & Unregulated (IUU) Fishing in Africa,” Circle of Scholars, Newport, RI. 10/30/2024
- Panel Co-Chair & Discussant, “Security Issues in South Asia,” American Political Science Association (APSA) annual conference, Philadelphia, PA. 9/8/2024
- Presenter, “The Middle East: Israel, Gaza, Iran,” for Leadership Rhode Island, Newport, RI. 7/31/2024
- Participant, “India 2024 Elections” Webinar, Consortium for Indo-Pacific Scholars: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZZ4et4NVE5k> 5/27/2024
- Presenter, “Women in Genocide: Weaponizing the Womb,” International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Conference, San Francisco. 4/5/2024

- Guest Speaker, “The Psychology of Genocide,” for Psychological Concepts for Military Leaders Elective Course, Professor Leigh Ann Perry, NWC, Newport, RI. 4/1/2024
- Organizer & Moderator, Lecture of Opportunity: Providence Nkurunziza, “The Genocide Perpetrated against Tutsis in Rwanda, 1994: A Personal Story,” NWC, Newport, RI. 3/25/2024
- Presenter/Lecturer, “Terrorism & Strategy” and “Transnational Criminal Organizations,” for the National Defense College, Oman, via Zoom. 12/4/2023
- Guest Speaker, “The Middle East & North Africa,” for International Relations undergraduate class (Dr. Don Thieme), Salve Regina University, Newport, RI. 11/8/2023
- Panelist, “India-Israel-U.S.-U.A.E.(I2U2): Expanding Partnership,” for the Consortium of Indo-Pacific Researchers (CIPR) annual Conference, via Zoom:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lKhmh4zPLLE&t=412s> 11/4/2023
- Guest Speaker, “Wildcards in the Netanyahu-Hamas Conflict: Strategic Opportunism in the Middle East,” the Walpole International Affairs Discussion Group (WIADG), Walpole, NH. 11/2/2023
- Guest Speaker, “Women, Peace, & Security (WPS),” for the Judge Advocate Career Training Course, Naval Justice School, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/26/2023
- Lecture of Opportunity (LOO), “Israel-Hamas Conflict” panelist with Heidi Lane, NWC:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mpxpYk7vHo> 10/23/2023
- Guest Speaker, Podcast, “Eroding Women’s Rights & Freedoms after Two Years of Taliban Rule,” Consortium of Indo-Pacific Researchers: <https://podcasters.spotify.com/pod/show/vanguard-indo-pacific/episodes/Episode-25-Eroding-Womens-Rights-and-Freedom--2-Years-of-Taliban-Rule-e29e52a/a-aac7l0n> 9/17/2023
- Panel Chair, “Indo-Pacific Security: South Asian Regional Priorities and Geopolitics,” American Political Science Association annual conference (APSA), Los Angeles, CA. 8/31/2023
- Panel Presentation, “The Psychology of Hate and Genocide,” American Psychiatric Association (APA) Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA. 5/20/2023
- Panel Moderator, Women, Peace, and Security Annual Symposium, Newport, RI. 4/27/2023
- Guest Speaker, “The Psychology of Genocide,” for the elective course, “Psychological Concepts for Military Leaders” – Leadership and Ethics – Professor Leigh Ann Perry, NWC. 4/3/2023
- Lecturer of two sessions, “Terrorism and Strategy,” and “Transnational Criminal Organizations (TCOs),” for the National Defense College, Muscat Oman (via Zoom). 3/20/2023
- Panelist, Virginia Journal of International Law Annual Symposium, Persian Gulf Region Panel Discussion, Charlottesville, VA. 2/21/2023
- Presenter, “One Year after the Russia-Ukraine War: Conditions for Truce & Peace; Implications for the Indo-Pacific,” Consortium of Indo-Pacific Researchers Webinar: <https://youtu.be/L7z9R22q5Yk> 2/18/2023
- Presenter, “Afghanistan and Iran: Women, Life, Freedom,” Circle of Scholars, Webinar via Zoom. 10/19/2022
- Organized and presented 5th Annual Genocide Studies Conference, with the theme: “The Psychology of Genocide”: <https://youtu.be/np-RW9qYgGM> 10/14/2022
- Presenter, “Crumbling Afghanistan: One Year of Taliban Rule,” the Consortium of Indo-Pacific Researchers, Webinar. 10/5/2022
- Keynote Speaker: Senior Leadership Symposium, Phoenix Express Military Exercise, NAVEUR-NAVAF, Tunisia: <https://usnwc.edu/News-and-Events/News/Senior-Leadership-Symposium-held-for-Exercise-Phoenix-Express-2022> 7/18/2022
- Presenter, “Universal Human Rights and Inclusivity: The American Way,” the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), U.S. Department of Commerce, Virtual. 7/6/2022
- Presenter, “Accountability in the 21st Century: Ecocide and Genocide,” International Studies Association (ISA) annual Conference, Nashville, TN. 3/31/2022

- Discussant: Strategies of Islamic Feminisms, International Studies Association Conference, Nashville, TN. 3/30/2022
- Moderator for panel, "Indo-Pacific Command," for the National Security Significance of a Changing Climate: Operationalizing Climate Security Conference (virtual), NWC, Newport, RI. 3/18/2022
- "Strategies for Counterterrorism" Virtual Lecture, National Defense College, Muscat, Oman. 3/17/2022
- Guest Presenter, "Islamists' Fear of Females: The Roots of Gynophobic Misogyny among the Taliban and the Islamic State," Circle of Scholars, Newport, RI. (virtual) 3/2/2022
- Panelist, "Afghanistan: Impact of Strategy, Transition, & Shared Humanity Personally & Collectively," Officer Women's Leadership Symposium Online:
<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1c2Mm0D9nLt2Gz4kNNL5r6shUOzp2eb8F> 11/9/2021
- Attendee, International Criminology Conference, Virtual, Policy Studies Organization (PSO). 11/5/2021
- Guest Panelist, "9/11 and Afghanistan: A 20 Year Retrospective," Pell Center, Salve Regina University, Webinar: <https://www.facebook.com/PellCenter/videos/618363912532403> 10/13/2021
- Presenter, "What Happened to R2P?" Talk on Genocide, OP-Law Training, NWC. 9/25/2021
- Moderator, Lecture of Opportunity Panel Discussion on Events in Afghanistan, with Jim Cook, Rabia Zafar, & Nick Gvosdev, NWC: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1WHSqEXqYoU>. 8/30/2021
- Presenter, "War in the 2020s," PS21 Webinar (Zoom), sponsored by PS21 in the UK. Podcast: <https://anchor.fm/projects21/episodes/War-in-the-2020s-e11p1gn> 5/25/2021
- Panel Discussion Participant/Presenter, "Current Perspectives on the Palestinian-Israeli War in Gaza," Lecture of Opportunity, NWC, via Zoom:
<https://usnwc.hosted.panopto.com/Panopto/Pages/Viewer.aspx?id=c2897873-0727-4b85-9e5f-ad9401258109> 5/24/2021
- Presenter, "Elements of Genocidal Ideology in Al Qaeda and its Offshoots," Genocide Politics Panel, International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Conference – Virtual. 4/8/2021
- Guest Speaker, Middle East Institute (MEI), New Delhi, India: Musical Criminology: A Comparative Analysis of Jihadist *Nasheeds* & *Narco Corridos*, (via Zoom): <https://youtu.be/k00kCQRYMYo> 11/18/2020
- Guest Speaker, Circle of Scholars, topic: "Musical Criminology: A Comparative Analysis of Jihadist *Nasheeds* & *Narco Corridos*," Newport, RI (via Zoom). 11/11/2020
- Organized & conducted the 3rd Annual Genocide Conference: "Genocidal Ideologies: Warning Signs & Prevention," U.S. Naval College, WEBINAR. YouTube: <https://youtu.be/VCrwHJ55sv0>. 10/21/2020
- Webinar Presenter, Book Talk for my book, *The Political Economy and Islam of the Middle East: The Case of Tunisia* (Palgrave, 2019) sponsored by Norwich University, MA in Diplomacy (MDY) Online Program: <https://register.gotowebinar.com/recording/4650291378649873676>. 6/8/2020
- Organized 2nd Annual Genocide Conference, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/15/2019
- Guest Speaker, topic: "Strategic Challenges & Opportunities for the U.S. in the Middle East," the Naval College Foundation Summer Symposium, Newport, RI. 8/16/2019
- Briefer for Admiral Mike Boyle, NWC, Newport, RI. 5/13/2019
- "Decision Points: The Cases of Kony, Syria, & Yemen," Holocaust Memorial Museum, Joint Service Academies Mass Atrocity Prevention Symposium, Washington, DC. Co-presentation w/ Prof. Don Thieme. 4/26-27/2019
- Lecture of Opportunity, "Musical Criminology: A Comparative Analysis of Jihadist *Nasheeds* and *Narco Corridos*," US Naval College, Newport, RI. 3/13/2019
- Guest Speaker, "Iran's National Security in the 21st Century," Joint Enabling Capabilities Command (JECC), Professional Development Seminar (PDS 19-2), Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA. 2/28/2019
- Briefer for Rear Admiral John Meier, CDR, Carrier Strike Group TEN, "Middle East," NWC. 1/7/2019
- Paper Presenter, "Musical Criminology: A Comparative Analysis of Jihadist *Nasheeds* and *Narco Corridos*," Middle East Studies Association (MENA) Conference, San Antonio, TX. 11/18/2018

- Guest Speaker for Tufts University Undergraduate Organization, Alliance Linking Leaders in Education and the Services, (ALLIES), about the Middle East, Medford, MA. 10/24/2018
- Briefer for VADM (Ret.) Pandolfe, former ACJCS, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/19/2018
- Briefer for RADML Matthew Zirkle, Office of Chief of Naval Operations, Newport, RI. 7/16/18
- Panel Moderator, "Genocide Discussion," for Women, Peace and Security Conference, Brown University and US Naval College, Providence, RI. 5/31/2018
- Briefer for RADML Heidi Berg, AFRICOM J2, "Middle East and Africa," NWC, Newport, RI. 5/25/2018
- Guest Speaker for Maritime Staff Operators Course (MSOC), topic: "Middle East Security Overview," NWC, Newport, RI. 4/13/2018
- Briefer for RADML Karl Thomas P-CSG5, Topic "Middle East Geopolitical Trends Related to NAVCENT Deployer," NWC, Newport, RI. 4/11/2018
- Paper Presentation, "Geopolitical Darwinism: The Legacy of Criminal Cartography," International Studies Association (ISA) Conference, San Francisco, CA. 4/5/2018
- Panel Chair, "The Logic of Militarized Protection," with Dr. Valerie Hudson (Discussant), International Studies Association (ISA) Conference, San Francisco, CA. 4/4/2018
- Guest Speaker, "The Message of Malala Yousafzai," Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI. 3/21/2018
- Invited - Panel Discussion Participant, "Twelve Middle East Headlines You Need to Know," 2018 Middle East Forum, World Affairs Council of Rhode Island (WACRI), WACRI Panel on the Contemporary Middle East, Rumford, RI: <http://www.wacri.org/event-2843714>. 3/15/2018
- "Iran's Winter of Discontent," Guest Speaker for Circle of Scholars, Newport, RI. 1/31/2018
- Panel Moderator, "Women, Peace and Security," Annual Conference, Newport, RI. 8/11/2017
- Participant, "Scholars at Risk Conference," Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI. 6/2/2017
- Guest Speaker, "Female Literacy and the Message of Malala Yousafzai," for Past Presidents Colloquium and Strategy Review: Spouse Program, US Naval College. 5/18/2017
- Guest Speaker, "Female Literacy, Education, and the Message of Malala Yousafzai," Naval College Spouses Lecture Series, Newport, RI. 4/25/2017
- Paper Presentation, "Hybrid Actors in a Changing Global Order," International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD. 2/25/2017
- Guest Presenter, "Tenth Anniversary of 9/11 Symposium," University of Maine, School of Law, Portland, Maine. 9/12/2011
- Panel Chair, for panel "Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism," at the American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Conference, Seattle, WA. 9/3/2011
- Presenter, "Iran's Nuclear Program: The Right to Nuclear Deterrence, or Illegal WMD?" at the American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Conference, Seattle, WA. 9/1/2011
- Guest Seminar Instructor, topic: "Pakistan's Internal Dynamics," for AFPAK Hands Program, Ft. McNair, Washington, DC (for the LDESP Program, Naval Postgraduate School). 8/14/2011
- Panel Participant & Presenter, "Revolutions & Reinvention in the Middle East & North Africa," with Professors Sally Gomaa and Chad Raymond of Salve Regina University, The Redwood Library, Newport, Rhode Island. 6/16/2011

ACADEMIC SERVICE & ACTIVITIES (Select)

- Committee Member, AI Policy Working Group, NWC. 8/21/2024
- Peer Reviewer for *Small Wars & Insurgencies Journal*: "When Terrorists Attempt Politics: An Evaluation of LeT's Pursuit of Political Transformation." 8/2024
- Volunteer participant to the USS George Washington (GW) aircraft carrier "SouthernSeas 2024" trip: Chile – embarked on USS Porter (DDG); embarked on USS George Washington (CVN) - Lima, Peru; taught Embarked International Students (EIS) from Southcom on the USS George Washington for a week. 6/12-20/2024
- Lecture designer and deliverer (YouTube recording) for Great Lakes Lecture Series, "Iran," NWC: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MIsPhbCzdU8> 5/30/2024
- Supported delegation from UAE, roundtable discussion, NWC. 5/9/2024
- Reviewer, "The Khilafat Movement & Armenian Genocide Denial," *Contemporary Review of the Middle East (CRME)*, New Delhi, India. 4/15/2024
- Guest Speaker, "The Psychology of Genocide," for Psychological Concepts for Military Leaders Elective Course, Professor Leigh Ann Perry, NWC, Newport, RI. 4/1/2024
- Organizer & Moderator, Lecture of Opportunity (LOO): Providence Nkurunziza, "The Genocide Perpetrated against Tutsis in Rwanda, 1994: A Personal Story," NWC, Newport, RI. 3/25/2024
- Hosted S&P Dept. Chair Dr. Ulrich in my seminar (13): discussed Constructivism and Feminism. NWC. 3/4/2024
- Presenter/Lecturer, "Terrorism & Strategy" and "Transnational Criminal Organizations," for the National Defense College, Oman, via Zoom. 12/4/2023
- Guest Speaker, "The Middle East & North Africa," for International Relations undergraduate class (Dr. Don Thieme), Salve Regina University, Newport, RI. 11/8/2023
- Organized and hosted the 6th Annual Genocide Studies Conference, NWC. 10/27/2023
- Guest Speaker, "Women, Peace, & Security (WPS)," for Judge Advocate Career Training Course, Naval Justice School, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/26/2023
- Taught the "Genocide Studies" elective course, NWC. Fall 2023
- Lecture of Opportunity, "Israel-Hamas Conflict" panelist with Heidi Lane, NWC: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mpxpYk7vHo> 10/23/2023
- Organized and presented Lecture of Opportunity (LOO): Dr. Ashok Swain, "In India, Democracy is in Its Deathbed," via Zoom, Newport, RI. 10/16/2023
- Reviewed article for *Journal of North African Studies*. 10/5/2023
- Research trip to Chicago for book project: Genocide in Ukraine. 9/2023
- Electives Fair participant, promoting "Genocide Studies" elective course, NWC. 8/2/2023
- Sabbatical Research: Germany, genocide museums, memorials, and camps (for book on genocide) – Sachsenhausen, Ravensbruck, Dachau, Topography of Terror Museum. 4/29-5/12/2023
- Panel Moderator, Women, Peace, and Security Annual Symposium, Newport, RI. 4/27/2023
- Guest Speaker, "The Psychology of Genocide," for the elective course, "Psychological Concepts for Military Leaders" – Leadership and Ethics – Professor Leigh Ann Perry, NWC, Newport, RI. 4/3/2023
- Lecturer of two sessions, "Terrorism and Strategy," and "Transnational Criminal Organizations (TCOs)," for the National Defense College, Muscat Oman (via Zoom). 3/20/2023
- Organized and presented 5th Annual Genocide Studies Conference, with the theme: "The Psychology of Genocide": <https://youtu.be/np-RW9qYgGM> 10/14/2022
- Briefed RADML Hayden on regional security issues – Middle East and North Africa, NWC. 8/15/2022
- Course Designer of Groundbreaking "Genocide Studies" & "Arab-Israeli Conflict" Electives. 02/2021
- Organized and Conducted the 4th Annual Genocide Conference, theme: "War Crimes Accountability," NWC, Newport, Rhode Island, virtually via Zoom: <https://youtu.be/e00qkn5P2hg> 10/15/2021

- Participant, Emotional Intelligence (EI) Seminar, led by Liz Cavallaro, Leader Development, College of Leadership & Ethics, NWC, Newport, RI. 6/22/2021
- Panel Discussion Participant, "Current Perspectives on the Palestinian-Israeli War in Gaza," Lecture of Opportunity, NWC, via Zoom: [LOO Current Perspectives on the Palestinian-Israeli War in Gaza 05-24-2021](#) 5/24/2021
- Organized and conducted the 3rd Annual Genocide Conference, theme: "Genocidal Ideologies: Warning Signs & Prevention," U.S. Naval College, WEBINAR. YouTube: <https://youtu.be/VCrwhI55sv0>. 10/21/2020
- Designed and taught as lead professor - New Elective Course: "The Arab-Israeli Conflict," NWC. 2021
- Taught Elective Course: Genocide Studies, NWC, Newport, RI. Fall 2020
- Served on Search Committee for College of Leadership and Ethics, NWC, Newport, RI. Fall-Winter 2020-2021
- NSA Summer Course, US Strategy & Security – Indo-PACOM, volunteered to teach, NWC – *Virtual*. 7/2020
- Serve on the Academic Advisory Board, by invitation, for the University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, Republic of South Africa: <https://www.ufs.ac.za/>. 7/2020-Present
- Participant, Electives Fair online, for Genocide Studies course, NWC, Newport, RI. 7/29/2020
- Served on Post-Doc search committee for Strategy & Policy Department, NWC. 4/2020-6/2020
- Taught the ILC (one seminar), Strategy & Policy Department, Naval College, as part of faculty exchange program between departments. 11/2019-2/2020
- Organized 2nd Annual Genocide Conference, Newport, RI: <https://usnwc.edu/News-and-Events/News/US-Naval-War-College-Holds-Conference-Exploring-the-Definitions-of-Genocide> 10/15/2019
- Taught Elective Course: Genocide Studies, NWC, Newport, RI. Fall 2019
- Elective Course Design: The Arab-Israeli Conflict, development in progress. Winter 2019
- Elective Course for College of Distance Education (CDE): Genocide, Fascism & Mass Atrocities in the Modern Era, development in progress. 2019-2020
- Briefed four Army Special Operations Psyops personnel, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/2/2019
- Participant, Strategy & Policy Department Bootstrap Meeting, for teaching in S&P Dept. ILC course November 2019 through March 2020, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/1/2019
- Briefer for RADM Loiselle, NWC, Newport, RI. 8/23/2019
- Guest Speaker for the Naval War College Foundation, "Strategic Challenges & Opportunities in the Middle East," NWC, Newport, RI. 8/16/2019
- Recorded Video for "NWC Talks," entitled, "US Interests in the Middle East." <https://youtu.be/oAHRf3P-YxE> 6/18/2019
- Briefer for ADM Mike Boyle about the Middle East, NWC, Newport, RI. 5/13/2019
- Briefer for RADM Dan Cheever about the Middle East, NWC, Newport, RI. 4/18/2019
- Reviewed article about Algerian civil war for *Contemporary Review of the Middle East Journal* (CRME), New Delhi, India. 3/11/2019
- Guest Speaker, "Iran's National Security in the 21st Century," Joint Enabling Capabilities Command (JECC), Professional Development Seminar (PDS 19-2), Norfolk Naval Station, Norfolk, VA. 2/28/2019
- Search Committee Member, Faculty Position, Strategy & Policy Department. 11/2018-2/1/2019
- Briefer for Rear Admiral John Meier, CDR, Carrier Strike Group TEN, "Middle East." 1/7/2019
- Briefer for VADM (Ret.) Pandolfe, former ACJCS, NWC, Newport, RI. 10/19/2018
- Interviewed potential students for the EEMT Program, NWC, Newport, RI. 8/2-3/2018
- Briefer for RADML Matthew Zirkle, Office of Chief of Naval Operations, Newport, RI. 7/16/2018
- Briefer for RADML Heidi Berg, AFRICOM J2, "Middle East and Africa," NWC. 5/25/2018

- Meeting in my office with the POLAD, Ms. Catherine Hill-Herndon, to the CENTCOM Commander, General Votel. 5/2/2018
- Search Committee Chair, Post-Doc Fellowship, NWC, Newport, RI. April-May 2018
- Interim Director, Greater Middle East Regional Studies Program. 3/1/2018 – 9/1/2018
- Guest Speaker for Maritime Staff Operators Course (MSOC): “Middle East Security Overview.” 4/13/2018
- Spring Elective, designed and taught new course: “Genocide, Fascism and Mass Killings in the Modern Era,” NWC, Newport, RI. Spring 2018
- Briefer for RADM Karl Thomas, “Middle East Geopolitical Trends Related to NAVCENT Deployer,” NWC. 4/11/2018
- Roundtable Participant, Pakistani Ambassador Aizaz Chaudhry, NWC, Newport, RI. 3/27/2018
- Presentation as Consultant, Sexual Assault in the Egyptian Context, International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), Washington, DC meeting, via phone conference. 12/11/2014
- Participant, Political Science Department Faculty Retreat, Saqqara, Cairo, Egypt. 3/19/05
- Participant, Self-Assessment Workshop for the Dept. of Political Science, AUC, Egypt. 3/15/05
- Reader/Supervisor for M.A. Theses, Department of Political Science, AUC, Egypt. 2001-2005
- Committee Member, Wisner Award, AUC, Egypt. 5/03, 2/04
- Committee Member, Sasakawa Fellowship, AUC, Egypt. 2001-2004
- Founding Committee Member, American Studies Program, American University in Cairo (AUC), Egypt. 2001-2005

Annual Genocide Studies Conference (organized & hosted):

- * Organized and Conducted *First Ever* NWC Conference on GENOCIDE STUDIES (Dec. 19, 2018) – Theme: “Cases of Slow Genocide in the 21st Century” * <https://usnwc.edu/News-and-Events/News/US-Naval-War-College-hosts-its-first-conference-examining-genocide>; YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nqBSHlAszpU&feature=youtu.be>
- * 2nd Annual Genocide Studies Conference (October 15, 2019) US Naval War College, Newport, RI – Theme: “Defining Hate and Extermination” * YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLam-yp5uUR1buZf22bbj7ke7BuutzvX8>
- * 3rd Annual Genocide Studies Conference (October 21, 2020) WEBINAR, US Naval War College – Theme: “Genocidal Ideologies: Warning Signs & Prevention” * YouTube: <https://youtu.be/VCrwHJ55sv0>
- * 4th Annual Genocide Studies Conference (October 15, 2021) WEBINAR, US Naval War College – Theme: “War Crimes Accountability” * YouTube: <https://youtu.be/eO0qkn5P2hg>
- * 5th Annual Genocide Studies Conference (October 14, 2022) WEBINAR, US Naval War College – Theme: “The Psychology of Genocide” * YouTube: <https://youtu.be/np-RW9qYgGM>
- * 6th Annual Genocide Studies Conference (October 27, 2023) WEBINAR, US Naval War College – Theme: “Informational Tools of Genocide” * YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RDupT86KgfY>

AFFILIATIONS

- International Advisory Board Member, Middle East Institute (MEI), New Delhi, India
- Academic Advisory Council Member, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa
- Member, International Association of Genocide Scholars (IAGS)
- Member, International Network of Genocide Scholars (INGS)
- Member, Middle East Studies Association (MESA)
- Member, International Studies Association (ISA)
- Member, American Institute of Afghanistan Studies (AIAS)

PROFESSIONAL ROLES

- ❖ Editorial Board Member, *Contemporary Review of the Middle East (CRME)*, New Delhi
- ❖ International Advisory Board Member & Contributor: Middle East Institute, New Delhi (<http://www.mei.org.in/index.php>)
- ❖ Fellow & Contributor, Project for the Study of the 21st Century (PS21) Think Tank (<http://projects21.com/>)