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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Professor, Department of Political Science, Brown University. July 2014 – present.

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Brown University. July 2009 – June 2014.

Takemi Fellow in International Health, Harvard School of Public Health, supported by the New Directions Fellowship, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, August 2013 – June 2014.

Director, Watson Institute Postdoctoral Fellows Program, Brown University. September 2013 – present.

Faculty Fellow, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University. September 2013 – present.

Faculty Fellow, Population Studies and Training Center, Brown University. January 2012 – present.

Dupee Faculty Fellow, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University. July 2012 – June 2013.

Director, Middle East Studies Program, Brown University. September 2009 – June 2012.

Kutayba Alghanim Assistant Professor of Political Economy and Assistant Professor of Political Science, Department of Political Science, Brown University. July 2005-June 2009.

Academy Scholar, Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies, The Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University. 2005-2006, 2007-2008.

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Brown University. July 2002-July 2005.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of California at Berkeley. Political Science. December 2002.

M.A. University of California at Berkeley. Political Science. 1996

M.A. The Fletcher School, Tufts University. International Relations. 1994
Fields: Development Economics, International Conflict Resolution

B.A. Brown University. International Relations. 1991

BOOKS

Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2014.

The Politics of Non-State Social Welfare. (Co-edited with Lauren Morris MacLean). Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2014.

Globalization and Business Politics in Arab North Africa: A Comparative Perspective. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2007, 2010.

ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS

“Is There an Islamist Political Advantage?” In *Annual Review of Political Science*, vol. 17(May/June 2014). (With Pauline Jones Luong)

“Governance and Health in the Arab World.” In *The Lancet*, vol. 382(2013): 1-13. (With Rajaie Batniji (lead author), Sanjay Basu, Rita Giacaman, Amaney Jamal, Lina Khatib, Geoffrey Sweet, and Paul Wise)

“Power-Sharing in Post-Conflict Societies: Implications for Peace and Governance.” In *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 56, no. 6 (December 2012): 982-1016. (With Edmund Malesky)

“Informal Politics and Access to Health Care in Lebanon.” In *International Journal for Equity in Health*. 11, no. 23(2012): 1-8. (With Bradley Chen)

“Introduction: The Political Consequences of Non-State Social Welfare in the Global South.” Article in special issue of *Studies in Comparative International Development* on “Non-State Actors, States and Citizens and the Provision of Social Welfare in the Global South.” 46, no. 1(Spring 2011): 1-21. (With Lauren Morris MacLean)

“Partisan Activism and Access to Welfare in Lebanon.” Article in special issue of *Studies in Comparative International Development* on Non-State Actors, States and Citizens and the Provision of Social Welfare in the Global South.” 46, no. 1(Spring 2011): 70-97. (PMCID: PMC4043299)

“Bricks and Mortar Clientelism: The Political Geography of Welfare in Lebanon.” In *World Politics* 62, no. 3(July 2010): 381-421. (With Sukriti Issar). (PMCID: PMC4029429)

Winner of the 2011 Alexander L. George Award, Section on Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, American Political Science Association.

“Labor Standards and Labor Flexibility in the Middle East: Freer Trade and Freer Unions?” In *Studies in Comparative International Development* 45, no. 2(Summer 2010). (With Marsha Pripstein Posusney)

“Business-Government Relations and Industrial Change: The Politics of Upgrading in Morocco and Tunisia.” In *World Development* 35, no. 11(2007): 1889-1903.

“Development and the Changing Dynamics of Global Production: Global Value Chains and Local Clusters in Apparel Manufacturing.” In *Competition and Change* 10, no. 1(March 2006): 23-48.

“Fat Cats and Self-Made Men: Globalization and the Paradoxes of Collective Action.” In *Comparative Politics* 37, no. 4(July 2005): 379-400.

“International Exposure, Domestic Response: Financiers, Weavers and Garment Manufacturers in Morocco and Tunisia.” In *Arab Studies Journal* 7, no. 2/8, no. 1(Fall 1999/Spring 2000): 26-51.

“Defensive Integration and Late Developers: The Gulf Cooperation Council and the Arab Maghreb Union.” In *Global Governance* 5, no. 3(July-September 1999): 379-402.

WORKS IN PROGRESS AND UNDER REVIEW

A Political Economy of the Middle East, 4th ed. Under contract with Westview Press, forthcoming 2014. (With Ishac Diwan)

“Does Risk Promote or Undermine Citizen Trust in Government? The Case of Health Care in Europe.” Manuscript under review. (With Julia Lynch and Gavril Bilev)

“State and Nation-Building Imperatives and Welfare Regime Formation in the Middle East.” Manuscript in progress.

“The Varied Effects of Conflict on Youth in the Middle East.” Chapter in preparation for the *Arab Human Development Report*, forthcoming 2015. (With Nisreen Salti.)

“Inequality and Perceptions of Public Welfare in the Middle East.” Manuscript in progress. (With Nisreen Salti)

“The Politics of Social Spending in Turkey.” Manuscript in progress. (With Mine Eder and Ernest Sergenti)

“Social Welfare.” In Tulia Falleti, Orfeo Fioretos and Adam Sheingate, eds., *Handbook of Historical Institutionalism*. New York: Oxford University Press, forthcoming 2014. (With Aytug Sasmaz)

“Sectarianism and the Ambiguities of Welfare in the Middle East.” Article for a special issue of *Cultural Anthropology* on the “Politics of the Urban Poor,” co-edited by Veena Das and Shalini Randeria.

BOOK CHAPTERS

“Development and Underdevelopment in the Middle East.” In Carol Lancaster and Nicolas van de Walle, eds. *Handbook of the Politics of Development*. New York: Oxford University Press, forthcoming 2014.

“Human Insecurity: Poverty and Welfare in Lebanon.” In Donna Lee Bowen and Becky Schulthies, eds, *Everyday Life in the Middle East*, 3rd ed. Indianapolis, IN: Indiana University Press, forthcoming 2014.

“Epilogue: A Political Economy of the Arab Uprisings.” *A Political Economy of the Middle East*. Third ed. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, forthcoming 2013. (With Ishac Diwan.)
Abridged versions reprinted in Arabic in *Kalamon Al-Thaqafiyya* (Fall 2013), *Le Monde Diplomatique/Al-Khaleej* (October 2013) and *Le Monde Diplomatique/Al-Ahram* (Sept. 28, 2013); and in English in *Jadaliyya* (January 2013).

“Using Proxy Interviewing to Address Sensitive Topics.” In Layna Mosley, ed., *Interviewing in Political Science*. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2013.

“The Diversity of Islamic Charitable Activities: Analytical Distinctions Among Shi’a Muslim Organizations in Lebanon.” Manuscript in Progress.” In Raj Brown and Justin Pierce, ed., *Charities in the Non-Western World: The Development and Regulation of Indigenous and Islamic Charities*. London: Routledge, 2013.

“The Political Economy of Development in the Middle East.” In Ellen Lust, ed., *The Middle East*, 13th ed. New York: CQ Press, 2013.

“The Political Economy of Development in the Middle East.” In Ellen Lust, ed., *The Middle East*, 12th ed. New York: CQ Press, 2010.

“Challenges to Networks of Privilege in Morocco: Implications for Network Analysis.” In Steven Heydemann, ed. *Networks of Privilege in the Middle East: The Politics of Economic Reform Revisited*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2004, pp. 245-279.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

“The Syrian Conflict’s Impact on Lebanese Politics.” In *PeaceBrief*, U.S. Institute of Peace, Washington, D.C., November 18, 2013. Available at <http://www.usip.org/publications/the-syrian-conflict-s-impact-lebanese-politics>.

“The Dynamics of Democratic Transitions: Insights from Democratization Theory and Case Studies of Non-MENA Countries.” Background paper prepared for the Arab Transitions Report, Middle East and North Africa Division, World Bank, May 2013.

“Democracy in Post-Invasion Iraq.” Report for the Costs of War Project, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University, February 10, 2012. Available at www.costsofwar.org.

“The Politics of Economic and Social Change in the MENA.” In “Arab Uprisings: New Opportunities for Political Science.” POMEPS Briefing, no. 12, June 12, 2012. Available at http://www.ssrc.org/publications/docs/POMEPS_Conf12_Book_Web.pdf.

“The Limits of Anti-Islamism in Tunisia.” In *Foreign Policy Online*, October 31, 2011. Available at http://mideast.foreignpolicy.com/posts/2011/10/31/will_an_islamist_victory_translate_to_democracy.

“Hezbollah in Latin America: Implications for U.S. Homeland Security.” Testimony before the Subcommittee on Counterterrorism and Intelligence, Committee on Homeland Security, U.S. House of Representatives, July 7, 2011. Available at <http://homeland.house.gov/sites/homeland.house.gov/files/Testimony%20Cammett.pdf>. Video of proceedings available at <http://homeland.house.gov/hearing/subcommittee-hearing-hezbollah-latin-america-implications-us-homeland-security>.

“Democracy, Lebanese Style.” In *Middle East Report Online*, August 2009. Available at <http://www.merip.org/mero/mero081809.html>.

“The War on Terror: Implications for Data Collection in the Middle East.” In *APSA-CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Division of the American Political Science Association*. 18, no. 1 (Winter 2007): 16-19.

“Political Ethnography in Deeply Divided Societies.” In *Qualitative Methods: Newsletter of the American Political Science Association Organized Section on Qualitative Methods*. 4, no. 3 (Fall 2006): 15-18.

“Habitat for Hezbollah.” In *Foreign Policy*, August 2006. Available at http://www.foreignpolicy.com/story/cms.php?story_id=3572.

“Reviving the Global Economy.” Parliamentarians for Global Action, Background Paper, PGA-World Bank Joint Conference, Washington, D.C., October 1995.

“The Madrid Conference: Baker's Enticing Diplomacy (March-October 1991),” Working Paper, Harvard Law School Program on Negotiation, 1993.

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of Jason Brownlee, *Democracy Prevention: The Politics of the U.S.-Egyptian Alliance* and Amaney Jamal, *Of Empires and Citizens: Pro-American Democracy or No Democracy At All?* In *Perspectives on Politics* (December 2013).

Review of Mona Harb, *Le Hezbollah à Beyrouth (1985-2005): De la Banlieue à la Ville*. In *Arab World Geographer* 15, no. 3(Fall 2012).

Review of Augustus Richard Norton, *Hezbollah: A Short History*. In *MESA Bulletin* 42, no. 3(Summer 2008).

Review of Jagdish Baghwati, *In Defense of Globalization*. In *International Journal* 60, no. 2(Spring 2005).

Review of Eva Bellin, *Stalled Democracy: Capital, Labor and the Paradox of State-Sponsored Development* and Stephen King, *Liberalization Against Democracy: The Local Politics of Economic Reform in Tunisia*. In *Perspectives on Politics* 2, no. 2(2004).

Review of Hugh Roberts, *The Battlefield Algeria: Studies of a Broken Polity, 1988-2002*. In *Science and Society* 68, no. 1(Spring 2004).

Review of Gregory White, *A Comparative Political Economy of Morocco and Tunisia: On the Outside of Europe Looking In*. In *Journal of North African Studies* 7, no. 2(Summer 2002): 122-25.

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Comparative Politics and Political Economy (Social Policy, Identity Politics, Globalization, State-Society Relations, Economic Development, Business and Labor Politics)
- Methodology (Research Design and Qualitative Methods)
- Middle Eastern and North African Politics

AWARDS AND HONORS

- New Directions Fellowship, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation (2013-2014)
- Takemi Fellow in International Health, Harvard School of Public Health (2013-2014)
- Dupee Faculty Fellow, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University (2012-2013)
- 2011 Alexander L. George Award, Section on Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, American Political Science Association.
- “Health and Social Protection in Weak States: Comparative Research on the Middle East,” International Research on Public Health Seed Grant, Office of International Affairs, Brown University (2010-2011)
- Junior Faculty Research Grant, International Security and Foreign Policy Program, Smith Richardson Foundation (2007-2008)
- Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies Scholarship, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University (2005-2006, 2007-2008)
- United States Institute of Peace Grant (September 2005-June 2007)
- Faculty Research Grant, Department of Political Science, Brown University (2004-2005)
- Richard B. Salomon Faculty Research Award, Brown University (2004-2005)
- Nominee, Karen T. Romer University Teaching Award, Brown University (2004)
- Faculty Research Grant, Department of Political Science, Brown University (2003-2004)

- Kappa Alpha Theta Mentoring Award, Brown University (2003)
- Simpson Fellowship for Research in International and Comparative Studies, Institute for International Studies, University of California, Berkeley (2001-2002)
- Social Science Research Council International Dissertation Research Fellowship (1999-2000)
- American Institute for Maghrib Studies Dissertation Grant (1999-2000)
- Social Science Research Council International Predissertation Fellowship Program Fellowship (1997-1998)
- Distinction, Comparative Politics Qualifying Examination, U.C. Berkeley (March 1997)
- The Berkeley Fellowship (1995-1997, 2000-2001)
- Fulbright IIE Fellowship, Jordan (1994-1995)
- Foreign Language Area Studies Fellowship, Arabic language study (1993-1994)
- Program on Southwest Asia and Islamic Studies Grant, The Fletcher School (Summer 1993)
- Fletcher School Fellowship (1992-1993)
- Graduated *Cum Laude*, International Relations, Brown University (1991)

SELECTED INVITED PRESENTATIONS

“Human Security: Concepts and Methods.” Presentation at the Workshop on Human Security and Humanitarian Response, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University, June 9, 2014.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Comparative Politics Seminar, Columbia University, New York, NY, April 30, 2014.

“Organizational Culture and the Quality of Service Provision: Prospective Research in the Middle East and North Africa.” Presentation at the Academy Scholars Program, Harvard University, April 22, 2014.

“Social Rights and Non-State Welfare in the Middle East.” Paper presented at the Workshop on Democracy, Citizenship, and Constitutionalism, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, April 17, 2014.

“Perceptions of Public Welfare and Political Mobilization in the Middle East: Preliminary Evidence from Egypt and Tunisia.” Paper presented at the Workshop on the Pulse of the Arab Street, co-sponsored by the Economic Research Forum, Silatech, and the Middle East Initiative at the J.F.K. School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, April 3, 2014

“The Politics of Welfare in the Middle East.” Presentation at the Government Department, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, February 3, 2014.

“Governance and Health in the Arab World.” Presentation at the Launch Event of the Lancet Arab World Series, American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon, January 23, 2014. (With Lina Khatib.)

“Inequality of Opportunity and the Arab Uprisings.” Presentation at Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, December 17, 2013, co-sponsored by Development Analytics

“The Dynamics of Regime Transitions: Insights from Theory and Historical Experiences for the Arab Countries.” Presentation at the John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, November 20, 2013 and at the at Dept. of Political Science, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, December 17, 2013.

“The Political Economy of the Arab Uprisings.” Presentation at the Conference on the “Arab Spring: Accomplishments, Failures, and Prospects.” Boston University, November 15, 2013.

“Is There an Islamist Governance Advantage?” Presentation at the Dept. of Government Seminar Series, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., October 28, 2013.

“State and Nation-Building Imperatives and Welfare Regime Formation in the Middle East.” Paper presented at the Workshop on the Impact of Ethnicity on State Capacity, Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies, Harvard University and the Barcelona Institute of International Studies (IBEI), Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, October 25-26, 2013.

“Sectarianism and the Ambiguities of Welfare in Lebanon,” Paper presented at the Symposium on the Politics of the Urban Poor, Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, Villa Lupis, Rivarotta di Pasiano, Italy, September 20-26, 2013.

“Sectarianism in Syria and the Threat of Regional Spillover,” presentation at the Workshop Sectarianism in the Arab East: Trends and Implications, U.S. Institute of Peace and U.S. Department of State, Washington, D.C., September 16, 2013.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Presentation at the MNA Office of the Chief Economist Seminar Series, World Bank, Washington, D.C., June 19, 2013.

“Is There an Islamist Governance Advantage?” Paper presented at the Conference on Religion, Identity, and Politics, Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, May 10-11, 2013.

“Civil Society From Repression to Revolutionary Uprising.” Paper presented at the Workshop on Securing the Place of Organized Civil Society in Emerging Arab Democracies, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Studies, Harvard University, February 7-8, 2013.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Hagop Kevorkian Center for Near Eastern Studies, New York University, January 31, 2013.

“Political and Economic Challenges of the Arab Transitions.” Presentation co-sponsored by Center for Middle East Studies and the Middle East Initiative, J.F.K. School, Harvard University, December 6, 2012.

“Patronage, Politics, and Sectarianism in the Middle East.” Presentation at the Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies, University of Michigan, December 4, 2012.

“Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Presentations at the Department of Political Science, University of Toronto, November 9, 2012 and the Department of Political Science, University of Guelph, November 8, 2012.

“Political Inclusion and Development in the Middle East.” Presentation at the Centre d’Etudes Maghrébines à Tunis (CEMAT), Sidi Bou Said, Tunisia, November 1, 2012.

“Economic Governance.” Presentation at the Conference on “From Arab Spring to Economic Spring: A Forward-Looking Research Agenda for More Inclusive, Sustainable Growth.” Sponsored by the International Development Research Centre (IDRC) Gammarth, Tunisia, October 29-30, 2012.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” John F. Kennedy School, Harvard University, March 19, 2012.

“Revolutions in the Middle East and North Africa: Tunisia.” Presentation at the Tanwir Seminar on Revolutions in the MENA, Oberlin College, March 4, 2012.

“The Arab Uprisings and Political Change in the Middle East.” Presentation at the Institute for the Study of Muslim Societies and Civilizations, Boston University, February 29, 2012.

“Is there an Islamist Governance Advantage? The Politics of Public Goods Provision by Islamists in the Middle East.” Paper presented at the Northeast Middle East Politics Workshop, Princeton University, February 26, 2012.

“Shia Sectarian and Religious Organizations in Lebanon: Charitable Activities and Analytical Distinctions.” Paper presented at the Working Group on Charities in Asia and the Middle East sponsored by Hong Kong University, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, December 13, 2011.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in the Middle East.” Book manuscript workshop at the Graduate Seminar on Middle East Politics, Yale University, November 29, 2011.

“Islamists and the Political Landscape in Tunisia.” Presentation at the Open Classroom Program sponsored by the Social Science Research Council, Northeastern University, Boston, MA, November 15, 2011.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in the Middle East.” Presentation at the Research Group, World Bank, Washington, D.C., September 20, 2011.

“Political institutions and Access to Welfare to Lebanon.” Presentation in the Global Health & Medicine Lecture Series, Brown University, May 4, 2011.

“The Political Geography of Welfare in Lebanon.” Presentation in the Spatial Structures in the Social Sciences Workshop, Population Studies and Training Center, Brown University, April 22, 2011.

“Compassionate Communalism: Welfare and Sectarianism in Plural Societies.” Presentation in the Comparative Politics Workshop, Dept. of Political Science, U.C. Berkeley, April 14, 2011.

“Politics and Access to Welfare to Lebanon.” Paper presented at the Comparative Politics Workshop, Department of Political Science, M.I.T, April 7, 2011.

“Partisan Activism and Access to Welfare in Lebanon.” Paper presented at the Conference on Islam and Muslim Societies: An Analytical Examination, JFK School, Harvard University, April 9, 2011.

Fragmented Politics, Sectarian Organizations and Social Protection in Lebanon.” Paper presented at the International Workshop on Medical Charities in Asia and the Middle East Sponsored by Hong Kong University, Penang, Malaysia, November 30-December 2, 2010.

“Everyday Sectarianism: Social Welfare and Communal Politics in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Graduate School Conference, the Fletcher School, Tufts University, October 15, 2010.

“Welfare and Politics in Weak States: Social Provision and ‘Sectarianism’ in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Symposium on New Directions in Middle East and North African Studies, Northwestern University, May 20-21, 2010.

Panelist. “Roundtable on James McGuire’s *Wealth, Health and Democracy in East Asia and Latin America*.” Presentation at the New England Political Science Association, Newport, RI, April 24, 2010.

“Bricks and Mortar Clientelism: The Political Geography of Welfare in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Seminar on Religion and Politics, Yale University, October 26, 2009.

“Bricks and Mortar Clientelism: Sectarianism and the Logics of Welfare Allocation in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Colloquium on Comparative Research, Watson Institute for International Affairs, Brown University, October 14, 2009. (With Sukriti Issar, Sociology, Brown University.)

“‘Bricks and Mortar’ Clientelism: Sectarianism and the Logics of Social Provision in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Middle East Politics Working Group, Harvard University, April 29, 2009.

“Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Presentation at the Middle East Studies Program, Yale University, April 15, 2009.

“State Legitimacy in the Middle East.” Presentation at the Workshop on Legitimacy, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, March 9-10, 2009.

“Providers and Politics.” Presentation at the Comparative Politics Workshop, University of Pennsylvania, December 2, 2008. (With Julia Lynch, Political Science, University of Pennsylvania.)

Presentation for the Panel on “What are the Most Promising New Frontiers in the Study of Comparative Politics?”, Minda de Gunzburg Center for European Studies, Harvard University, October 17, 2008.

“Social Welfare and Sectarianism: The Spatial Logic of Service Provision in Lebanon.” Paper presented at the Workshop on Middle East Politics, Princeton University, April 18-19, 2008.

“Providers and Politics: The Effects of Non-State Provision of Health Services on Attitudes towards State Institutions and National Identity.” Presentation at the Academy Scholars Program, Weatherhead Center for International and Area Studies, Harvard University, September 26, 2007.

“Social Welfare and Political Identities in Divided Societies: Preliminary Evidence from Lebanon.” Paper presented at the Comparative Politics Workshop, Department of Political Science, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, April 10, 2007.

“Political Order in Plural Societies: Social Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Paper presented at the Department of Near Eastern Studies, Princeton University, March 5, 2007.

“Political Order in Plural Societies: Social Welfare and Sectarianism in Lebanon.” Paper presented at the Comparative Politics Workshop, Department of Political Science, University of Chicago, Illinois, February 12, 2007.

“Business-Government Relations and Industrial Change: The Politics of Upgrading in Morocco and Tunisia.” Paper presented at the Inaugural Symposium of the Maghreb Center, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., February 7, 2007.

“Preparing and Conducting Research.” Lecture presented at the Institute for Qualitative Research Methods, Arizona State University, Tempe, January 2, 2007. With Lauren Morris MacLean.

“Strategies for Field Research in Comparative and International Politics.” Short Course, co-taught with Lauren Morris MacLean and Benjamin Read, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 1, 2004, August 31, 2005 and August 30, 2006.

“Political Economy Research on the Middle East: Business-Governments Relations and Authoritarianism.” Presentation at the Conference on Research Scholarship on the Middle East, the Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, May 18, 2005.

“Globalization, Business Politics and Democratic Opening: Will Free Markets Bring Political Change in the Middle East?” Lecture presented at the Middle East Center, The Graduate Center, City University of New York, March 8, 2005.

“Business Politics and the Rule of Law in the Middle East: Morocco and Tunisia in Comparative Perspective.” Lecture presented at the Middle East Center, Harvard University, March 1, 2005.

“Field Research Methods.” Lecture presented at the Institute for Qualitative Research Methods, Arizona State University, Tempe, January 6-7, 2005.

“Labor Market Flexibilization and Labor Standards in the Middle East.” Paper presented at the Conference on “Globalization and Labor in Developing Countries,” Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University, December 10-11, 2004. (With Marsha Pripstein Posusney).

“The U.S.-Morocco Free Trade Accord: Implication for Industrial Development in Morocco.” Paper presented at the Tangier-American Legation Conference on the U.S.-Morocco Free Trade Accord, Tangier, Morocco, April 10, 2004.

“Deconstructing the National: Is There a “Logic” of Sectoral Politics?” Paper prepared for the Comparative Research Workshop, Department of Sociology, Yale University, February 25, 2004.

“Field Research Methods.” Lecture presented at the Institute for Qualitative Research Methods, Arizona State University, Tempe, January 12, 2004. With Marc Morjé Howard and Evan Lieberman.

“The Homogenization of Innovation: Exporters and Development in Global Apparel Markets.” Paper prepared for the Comparative Development Lecture Series, Watson Institute for International Affairs, Brown University, September 22, 2003.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Chair, Organized Section on Comparative Politics of Developing Countries, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August 28-31, 2014.

Member, Editorial Board, *Comparative Political Studies*, September 2013 – present.

Vice President, Organized Section on Comparative Democratization, American Political Science Association, September 2012 – present.

Editor, *Middle East Law and Governance*, January 2013 – present.

Member, Editorial Board, Tadween Publishing, November 2012 – present.

Member, Steering Committee, Program on Middle East Political Science (POMEPS), November 2012 – present.

Member, Nominating Committee, Middle East Studies Association, 2012 – present.

Regular presenter and discussant at professional conferences such as the American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, and the Middle East Studies Association.

Member, Workshop Grants Committee, International Studies Association, 2011 – present.

Chair, Organized Section on Comparative Democratization, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, September 1-4, 2011.

Director, Middle East Studies Program, Brown University, 2009 – present.

Member, Editorial Board, *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, 2009 – present.

Member, Board of Directors, Society for Comparative Research, 2008-2010.

Member, Board of Directors, American Institute for Maghrib Studies, 2004-2008.

Director, International Relations Concentration, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University, 2006-2007.

Co-Chair, Organized Section on Qualitative Methods, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 31-September 3, 2006. (With Julia Lynch)

Coordinator, Colloquium on Comparative Research lecture series, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University, 2004-2005, 2011-2012.

Book Review Editor/Associate Editor, *Journal of North African Studies*, 2004-2007.

Director, Middle East Study Abroad Committee, Brown University, 2004-2005.

Manuscript and Proposal Reviewer: Cambridge University Press, Columbia University Press, CQ Press, Indiana University Press, Johns Hopkins University Press, Lynne Rienner Press, National Science Foundation, Oxford University Press, Pluto Press, Routledge Press, Sage Publications, Stanford University Press, *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *Civil Wars*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Comparative Politics*, *Critique International*, *Feminist Economics*, *Governance*, *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *Journal of Middle East Women's Studies*, *Journal of North African Studies*, *Journal of Politics*, *Perspectives on Politics*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Review of International Political Economy*, *Studies in Comparative International Development*, *World Politics*.

Regular presenter and discussant at professional conferences (i.e., American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Middle East Studies Association); participant in numerous public fora on political and economic development and current events in the Middle East.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Political Science Association
- International Studies Association
- Middle East Studies Association
- American Institute for Maghrib Studies
- American Association of University Professors
- American Association of University Women

LANGUAGES AND FIELD RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Field research throughout the Middle East and North Africa (i.e., Lebanon, Egypt, Jordan, Morocco, Palestine, Tunisia, Turkey), Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Arabic: Functionally fluent/advanced proficient speaking and reading, proficient writing
- French: Functionally fluent speaking and reading, advanced proficient writing