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**Fields:** Political Science; International Relations; Comparative Politics

**Teaching:** International Relations; International Relations Theory; International Conflict and Security; American Foreign Policy; Political Development

**Education:** Ph.D. (Political Science) Binghamton University, New York, 1998  
M.A. (International Studies) University of Denver, 1991  
B.A. (Political Science) State University of New York, 1986

## Academic Experience

University of Central Florida	<i>Professor</i> , 2015 – ; <i>Associate Professor</i> , 2013-2015
Koç University	<i>Professor</i> , 2010 – ; <i>Associate Professor</i> , 2002 – 2010; <i>Assistant Professor</i> , 1998-2002
Columbia University	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , Saltzman Institute of War & Peace Studies, 2010-2011
Harvard University	<i>Research Fellow</i> , International Security Program, Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, John F. Kennedy School of Government, 2005-2006
Yale University	<i>Research Fellow</i> , United Nations Studies. Summer 2003
Harvard University	<i>Research Fellow</i> , Center for Middle Eastern Studies. Summers 2000, 2002, 2012

## Publications (\* indicates graduate student co-authors)

### Articles

20. “The End of War: How a Robust Marketplace and Liberal Hegemony Are Leading to Perpetual World Peace,” *International Security*, Vol. 44, No. 1 (Summer 2019), pp. 160-196, [doi.org/10.1162/ISEC\\_a\\_00352](https://doi.org/10.1162/ISEC_a_00352).
19. “Four Ways We Know the Democratic Peace Correlation Does Not Exist in the State of Knowledge,” *Peace Economics, Peace Science, and Public Policy*, Vol. 25, No. 4 (December 2019).
18. “Grasping the Scientific Evidence: The Contractualist Peace Supersedes the Democratic Peace,” *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, Vol. 35, No. 2 (2018), pp. 175-192.
17. “Why Some Countries are Immune from the Resource Curse” (with \*Erdem Aytac and \*Omer Orsun), *Democratization*, Vol. 23, No. 1 (2016), pp. 71-92.
16. “The Democratic Peace Unraveled: It’s the Economy,” *International Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 57, No. 1 (March 2013), pp. 186–197.
15. “Capitalist Development and Civil War,” *International Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 56, No. 3 (September 2012), pp. 470-483.

14. "Urban Poverty and Support for Islamist Terror: Survey Results from Muslims in Fourteen Countries," *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 48, No. 1 (January 2011), pp. 35-47.
13. "Commentaries: The Capitalist Peace" (with Richard Rosecrance, Bruce Russett and Erich Weede), *International Interactions*, Vol. 36, No. 2 (2010), pp. 185-192. Reprints:
  - a. *Assessing the Capitalist Peace*, edited by Gerald Schneider and Nils Petter Gleditsch (Routledge, 2012).
12. "The Social Market Roots of Democratic Peace," *International Security*, Vol. 33, No. 44 (Spring 2009), pp. 52-86.
11. "The Contracting Roots of Human Rights" (with Demet Mousseau), *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 45, No. 3 (May 2008), pp. 327-344.
10. "Comparing New Theory with Prior Beliefs: Market Civilization and the Democratic Peace," *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, Vol. 22, No. 1 (Spring 2005), pp. 63-77. Reprints:
  - a. *The Causes of International Conflict: Data, Methods and Theory*, edited by Glenn Palmer (Taylor and Francis, 2007).
9. "The Nexus of Market Society, Liberal Preferences, and Democratic Peace: Interdisciplinary Theory and Evidence," *International Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 47, No. 3 (September 2003), pp. 483-510.
8. "How the Wealth of Nations Conditions the Liberal Peace" (with John R. Oneal and Håvard Hegre), *European Journal of International Relations*, Vol. 9, No. 2 (June 2003), pp. 277-314.
7. "The Sources of Terrorism" (with Charles Knight and Melissa Murphy), *International Security*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (Fall 2003), pp. 192-198.
6. "Market Civilization and its Clash with Terror," *International Security*, Vol. 27, No. 3 (Winter 2002-03), pp. 5-29. Reprints:
  - a. *Contending with Terrorism: Roots, Strategies, and Responses*, edited by Michael E. Brown, Owen R. Coté Jr., Sean M. Lynn-Jones and Steven E. Miller (MIT Press, 2010);
  - b. *Twentieth Century International Relations, Vol. 8: Beyond the 20th Century*, edited by Michael Cox (SAGE, 2007);
  - c. *New Global Dangers: Changing Dimensions of International Security*, edited by Michael E. Brown, Owen R. Coté Jr., Sean M. Lynn-Jones and Steven E. Miller (MIT Press, 2004).
5. "An Economic Limitation to the Zone of Democratic Peace and Cooperation," *International Interactions*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (April 2002), pp. 137-164.
4. "Market Prosperity, Democratic Consolidation, and Democratic Peace," *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, Vol. 44, No. 4 (August 2000), pp. 472-507.
3. "A Test for Reverse Causality in the Democratic Peace Relationship" (with Yuhang Shi), *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 36, No. 6 (November 1999), pp. 639-663.
2. "Democracy and Compromise in Militarized Interstate Conflicts, 1816–1992," *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, Vol. 42, No. 2 (April 1998), pp. 210-230.
1. "Democracy and Militarized Interstate Collaboration," *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 34, No. 1 (February 1997), pp. 73-87.

## Book Chapters

7. “The Liberal Peace,” in John Vasquez and Sara Mclaughlin Mitchell (editors), *What Do We Know About War? 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition*, Rowman and Littlefield.
6. “How the Contractualist Peace Overtook the Democratic Peace” (with \*Xiongwei Cao), *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*, Oxford University Press, 2017.
5. “Does the Market-Capitalist Peace Supersede the Democratic Peace? The Evidence Still Says Yes” (with \*Omer Orsun and \*Jameson Ungerer) in Gerald Schneider and Nils Petter Gleditsch (editors), *Assessing the Capitalist Peace*, Routledge, 2013.
4. “Capitalism and Peace: It’s Keynes, not Hayek” (with \*Omer Orsun, \*Jameson Ungerer, and Demet Yalcin Mousseau) in Gerald Schneider and Nils Petter Gleditsch (editors), *Assessing the Capitalist Peace*, Routledge, 2013.
3. “A Market-Capitalist or a Democratic Peace?” in John Vasquez, *What Do We Know About War? 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition*, Rowman and Littlefield, 2012.
2. “Terrorism and Export Economies: The Dark Side of Free Trade”, in *The Making of a Terrorist: Recruitment, Training, and Root Causes, Volume III*, edited by James Forest. Praeger Publishers (November 2005).
1. “Globalization, Markets, and Democracy: An Anthropological Linkage”, in *Globalization and Civilizations*, edited by Mehdi Mozaffari. London: Routledge (August 2002), pp. 97-124.

## Book Reviews

4. Beatrice Heuser, *Evolution of Strategy: Thinking War from Antiquity to the Present* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2010), *Perspectives on Politics*, Vol. 10 (2012), pp. 1117-1118.
3. Douglass C. North, John Joseph Wallis and Barry R. Weingast, *Violence and Social Orders: A Conceptual Framework for Interpreting Recorded Human History* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2009), *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 48, No. 1 (January 2011).
2. Karen Rasler & William Thompson, *Puzzles of the Democratic Peace: Theory, Geopolitics and the Transformation of World Politics* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2005), “Some Systemic Roots of the Democratic Peace,” *International Studies Review*, Vol. 9, No. 1 (Spring 2007), pp. 93-95.
1. Hooman Peimani, *Falling Terrorism and Rising Conflicts: The Afghan Contribution to Polarization and Confrontation in West and South Asia* (Westport: Praeger 2003). *Comparative Political Studies*, Vol. 38, No. 3 (April 2005), pp. 327-329.

## Invited Talks, Roundtables, & Workshops

10. “What Do We Know About War?” Sponsored by the Benjamin F. Shambaugh Memorial Fund and the Department of Political Science, International Programs, and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Iowa. December 5-7, 2019.

9. "The Capitalist Origins of Global Inequality." Innovations in Comparative Capitalism: The State of the Field. A Joint Conference by the University of Utah and the University of Sydney, Sponsored by the Betty Glad Foundation and the Scholars Strategy Network. University of Utah. September 27-29, 2017.
8. "The Political Economy of Power Projection". University of Southern California Center for International Studies Annual Symposium, November 2016, Los Angeles, California.
7. "Critiquing the Democratic Peace: Nails in the Coffin of a Dying Research Agenda?" Roundtable participant (with Miriam Elman, Michal Hass, Piki Ish-Shalom, Margaret Hermann, John Mearshimer, and Brian Rathbun), Annual meeting of the *International Studies Association*, 2014, Toronto, Canada
6. "Capitalism, Democracy, and War: A Liberal Theory of International Relations?" University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, October 15, 2010.
5. "Does the Capitalist Peace Trump the Democratic Peace? Yes it Does." Rutgers University, October 4, 2010.
4. "The Economic Peace." Presentation of economic norms theory before the Storting (Norwegian Parliament) Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and Defence, sponsored by Civita (a Norwegian think-tank), Oslo, Norway, March 3, 2010.
3. "Social Markets versus Free Markets in the Capitalist Peace." Civita (a Norwegian think-tank), Oslo, Norway, March 3, 2010.
2. "Political Strategy in the War on Terror: Some Common Roots of Sectarianism and Democratic Peace." Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Oct 14, 2005.
1. "The Sources of Terrorism." Turkish Euro Atlantic Youth Committee (NATO related), Istanbul, 2006.

## Professional Activities

Editorial Board Memberships: *International Studies Quarterly*, 2010-2014.

Founder, *Eurasian Peace Science Network*

[http://conflictstudiescenter.ku.edu.tr/eurasian\\_peace\\_science\\_network.html](http://conflictstudiescenter.ku.edu.tr/eurasian_peace_science_network.html).

Organized Panels & Conferences:

- *Eurasian Peace Science* annual meetings 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013.
- "The Emerging Capitalist Peace," panel organized for the *Conflict Processes* section of the Annual Meeting of the *American Political Science Association*, Washington DC, September 2010.

Grant Reviewer: *National Science Foundation*; *Israel Science Foundation*; *Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities and Social Sciences*.

Manuscript Reviewer: *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Political Science Review*; *British Journal of Political Science*; *Comparative Political Studies*; *Civil Wars*; *Conflict Management and Peace Science*; *European Journal of International Relations*; *International Area Studies Review*; *International Interactions*; *International Journal of Disaster Relief*; *International Organization*; *International Security*; *International Studies Quarterly*; *International Theory*; *Journal of Conflict Resolution*; *The Journal of Global Security Studies*; *Journal of International Relations and Development*; *Journal of Inter-Cultural Studies*; *Journal of Peace Research*; *Journal of Politics*; *Review of International Studies*; *Security Journal*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Terrorism and Political Violence*; *University of Pennsylvania Press*; *World Development*.

Conference Paper, Discussant & Panel Chair Participations: *American Political Science Association* (various years), *Association for the Study of Nationalities* (2007), *European Peace Science Conference* (2002), *European Consortium for Political Research* (2005, 2007, 2009), *International Political Science Association* (2000), *International Studies Association* (various years), *International Association for Conflict Management* (2001, 2005), *Midwest Political Science Association* (2021), *Peace Science Society (International)* (various years).

Professional Affiliations: *American Political Science Association*, *Eurasian Peace Science Network*, *International Studies Association*, *International Association for Conflict Management*, *Network of European Peace Scientists*, *Peace Science Society (International)*, *Standing Group on International Relations of the European Consortium for Political Research*.

### **Administrative Positions**

Director, Graduate Studies (PhD and MA), Department of Political Science, University of Central Florida, 2014 – 2017

Department Coordinator (head) (Koc University, 2000-2002)

### **Grants and Awards**

Excellence in Graduate Teaching Award. College of Science, University of Central Florida, 2020

Best Graduate Student Paper Award, Annual Meeting of the Peace Science Society (International), Columbus, Ohio, 1995

Dissertation Year Fellowship (university wide competition), Binghamton University, 1995-1996