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**Curriculum Vitæ**

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#### Employment

**Professor**,Political Science and Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies, University of Pittsburgh (Sept. 2018—).

Courtesy appointments: Philosophy; University Honors College Faculty Fellow.

**Associate Professor**, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh (2007–2018).

**Assistant Professor**, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh (2001–07).

***Related Positions and Appointments***

**Fellow**,Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study (2021-22).

**Director**,Global Studies Center (January 2017 – 2021; Interim Director, 2015).

**Co-President**,Association for Political Theory (elected: October 2017—November 2020).

**Chair**, APSA Task Force on Democracy, Social Justice, and Economic Security in a Volatile World (2010–12).

**Guest Professor**, Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, Germany (2008-2010).

**Research Fellow**, Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung, Berlin, Germany (2008-09).

**Director of Undergraduate Studies**, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh

(2005–12).

#### Education

**Ph.D.** Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles (September 2000).

**M.A.** Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles (June 1996).

**B.A.** w/High Honors, Government and Foreign Affairs, University of Virginia (May 1992).

**Publications**

***Monographs***

*Injustice: Political Theory for the Real World*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2018.

*Democracy as Human Rights: Freedom and Equality in the Age of Globalization.* New York: Routledge, 2005.

***Edited Collections***

*Social Movements and World-System Transformation* (with Jackie Smith, Patrick Manning, and John Markoff). New York:Routledge, 2017.

*Human Rights: Politics and Practice.* Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009, 2012, 2016, 2022.

*Deepening Democracy,* a special issue of *Polity* 44, 4 (2012).

*Human Rights in the 21st Century: Continuity and Change since 9/11* (with Anja Mihr). London: Palgrave, 2011.

***Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles and Book Chapters***

“Climate Change and the Politics of Responsibility,” *Perspectives on Politics*, 21, 4 (2023): 550-568.

“The Future of Human Rights is Local” in *Human Rights at the Intersections: Transformation through Local, Global, and Cosmopolitan Challenges*, Anthony Tirdao Chase, et. al., eds. London, Bloomsbury/I.B. Tauris (2023).

“Revisiting Interdependence in Times and Terms of Crisis,” *Journal of Human Rights*, 19, (2020): 520-527.

Reprinted in: *Rights at Stake and the COVID-19 Pandemic*, Shareen Hertel and Catherine Buerger, eds. (New York: Taylor and Francis, 2023.

“How do Human Rights Matter?” in *Why Human Rights Still Matter in Contemporary Global Affairs*, Mahmood Monshipouri, ed. New York: Routledge, 2020.

“Human Rights Cities: Making the Global Local,” in *Contesting Human Rights: Norms,*

*Institutions and Practice*, Alison Brysk and Michael Stohl, eds. Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar, 2019.

“Constructing dignity: Human rights as a praxis of egalitarian freedom,” *Journal of Human*

*Rights* 17, 4 (2018), 403-417.

“Interpreting Responsibility Politically,” *Journal of Political Philosophy* 25, 2 (2017), 173-95.

“Introduction: Unthinking the world-system” (with Patrick Manning, John Markoff, and Jackie Smith), in *Social Movements and World-System Transformation*, Jackie Smith, Michael Goodhart, Patrick Manning, and John Markoff, eds*.* New York:Routledge, 2016.

“Accountable International Relations,” in *The Oxford Handbook of Public Accountability*, Mark

Bovins, Robert Goodin, and Thomas Schillemans, eds. Oxford: Oxford University Press,

2014: 289-304.

“Constructing Global Justice: A Critique,” *Ethics and Global Politics* 5, 1 (2012), 1-26.

“Human Rights and the Politics of Contestation,” in *Human Rights at the Crossroads*, Mark

Goodale, ed. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012.

“**The New Sovereigntist Challenge for Global Governance: Democracy without Sovereignty”**

**(with Stacy Bondanella Taninchev), *International Studies Quarterly,* 55, 4 (2011), 1047-1068.**

“Democratic Accountability in Global Politics: Norms, not Agents,” *Journal of Politics*, 73, 1

(2011): 45–60.

“Democracy as Human Rights,” in *Routledge Handbook of Human Rights*, Thomas Cushman, ed. London: Routledge, 2011.

“Introduction” (with Anja Mihr), in *Human Rights in the 21st Century: Continuity and Change*

*since 9/11*, Michael Goodhart and Anja Mihr, eds. London: Palgrave, 2011: 1-9.

“Conclusion” (with Anja Mihr), in *Human Rights in the 21st Century: Continuity and Change*

*since 9/11*, Michael Goodhart and Anja Mihr, eds. London: Palgrave, 2011: 256-270.

“Reverting to Form: American Exceptionalism and Human Rights after 9/11,” in *Human*

*Rights in the 21st Century: Continuity and Change since 9/11*, Michael Goodhart and Anja Mihr, eds. London: Palgrave, 2011: 65-85.

“World State and Global Democracy,” in *Global Governance, Global Government: Institutional Visions for an Evolving World System*, Luis Cabrera, ed. Albany: SUNY Press, 2011.

“Global Democracy Through Transnational Human Rights,”in Global Democracy and its Difficulties, Anthony J. Langlois and Karol Edward Soltan, eds. London: Routledge, 2009: 54-67.

“Human Rights and Global Democracy,” *Ethics and International Affairs* 22, 4 (2008):395-420.

“Neither Relative nor Universal: A Response to Donnelly,” *Human Rights Quarterly* 30, 1 (2008): 183-93.

“A Democratic Defense of Universal Basic Income,” in *Illusion of Consent: Essays after Carole Pateman*, Iris M. Young, Mary L. Shanley, and Daniel I. O’Neill, eds. State College, PA: Pennsylvania State University Press, 2008: 139-162.

“Europe’s Democratic Deficits Through the Looking Glass: The European Union as a Challenge for Democracy,” *Perspectives on Politics* 5, 3 (2007): 567-84.

“Children Born of War and Human Rights: Philosophical Reflections,” in *Born of War,* R. Charli Carpenter, ed. Bloomfield, CT: Kumarian Publishers, 2007: 195-216.

“‘None So Poor that He is Compelled to Sell Himself’; Democracy, Subsistence, and Basic Income,” in *Economic Rights*, Lanse Minkler and Shareen Hertel, eds. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2007: 94-114.

Reprinted in *Human Dignity and the Promise of Human Rights*, Richard P. Hiskes, ed. New York: Open Society Foundation, 2015.

“Sins of the Fathers: War Rape, Wrongful Procreation, and Children’s Human Rights,” *Journal of Human Rights* 6, 3 (2007): 307-324.

“Human Rights and Non-State Actors: Theoretical Puzzles,” in *Non-State Actors in the Human Rights Universe*, George Andreopoulos, Zehra F. Arat, and Peter Juviler, eds. Bloomfield, CT: Kumarian Publishers, 2006: 23-41.

“Civil Society and the Problem of Global Democracy,” *Democratization* 12, 1 (2005): 1–21.

“Origins and Universality in the Human Rights Debates: Cultural Essentialism and the Challenge of Globalization,” *Human Rights Quarterly* 25, 4 (2003): 935-64.

“Sovereignty:Reckoning What is Real,” *Polity* 34, 2 (2001): 241-57 [review article].

“Democracy, Globalization, and the Problem of the State,” *Polity* 33, 4 (2001): 527-46.

“Theory in Practice: Quentin Skinner’s Hobbes, Reconsidered,” *The Review of Politics* 62, 3 (2000): 531-61.

***Other Publications***

“The Politics of Human Rights,” in *Human Rights: Theory and Practice,* Michael Goodhart, ed. New York: Oxford University Press, 2022, 49-70.

“Human Rights Activism and the Grounds of Theory,” contribution to a symposium on Brooke Ackerly’s “Just Responsibility: A Human Rights Theory of Global Justice,” *Journal of Global Ethics* 16, 1 (2020), 105-109.

Review of Eva Erman and Niklas Möller’s “The Practical Turn in Political Theory,” Critical Dialogues, *Perspectives on Politics* 17, 4 (2019), 1133-1135.

Response to Eva Erman and Niklas Möller’s review of “Injustice: Political Theory for the Real World,” Critical Dialogues, *Perspectives on Politics* 17, 4 (2019), 1138-1138.

Review of Brooke Ackerly, “Just Responsibility: A Human Rights Theory of Global Justice,” *Political Theory* 47, 6(2019), 890-95.

Review of Samuel Moyn, “Not Enough: Human Rights in an Unequal World,” *Perspectives on Politics* 16, 4 (2018), 1160-1162.

“Liberal Conundrums,” contribution to a symposium on Jamie Mayerfeld’s “The Promise of Human Rights,” *Human Rights Review* 19, 33 (2018), 385-389.

Review of Joe Hoover, “Reconstructing Human Rights: A Pragmatist and Pluralist Inquiry into Global Ethics,” *Ethics and International Affairs* 31, 4 (2017), 513-15.

“Reflection Now! Critique and Solidarity in the Trump Era” (with Jeanne Morefield), *Theory & Event* 20.1 [supplement] (2017), 68-85.

“Recent Works on Dignity and Human Rights: A Road Not Taken,” *Perspectives on Politics* 12.4 (2014), 846-856.

“Deepening Democracy: An Introduction,” in *Polity Symposium: Deepening Democracy*, Michael Goodhart, ed. *Polity* 44, 4 (2012), 1-10.

“The Future of Human Rights,” in *Human Rights: Politics and Practice*, 2ed, Michael Goodhart, ed. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012.

*Democratic Imperatives: Innovations in Rights, Participation, and Economic Citizenship.* Report of the APSA Presidential Task Force on Democracy, Economic Security, and Social Justice in a Volatile World. *American Political Science Association*, 2011 (report author).

Review of Wiktor Osiatyński, “Human Rights and their Limits,” *Journal of Human Rights* 10:1 (2011): 120-125.

Review of Charles R. Beitz, and Robert E. Goodin “Global Basic Rights,” *Perspectives on Politics* 8.4 (2010): 1184-1186.

“Human Rights,” in *Encyclopedia of Political Theory*. Los Angeles: SAGE, 2010. Review of John S. Dryzek, “Deliberative Global Politics: Discourse and Democracy in a Divided World,” *Swiss Political Science Review* 13.4 (Winter 2007-08): 681–86.

“Universalism,” in *The Essential Guide to Human Rights*. London: Hodder Arnold, 2005.

“Deliberative Democracy and Human Rights” [Harold Hongju Koh and Ronald C. Slye, eds.], *Philosophy in Review* 20, 3 (June 2000): 196-98.

**Grants, Awards, Honors, and Professional Recognition**

Author of successful Title VI NRC and FLAS grants for University of Pittsburgh Global Studies Center (2022-2026) cycle: $2.2 million.

Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study year-long residential research fellowship (2021-22).

Special recognition: for service on the Provost's Committee on Anti-Black Racism and Transformative Pedagogy (2020)

Provost’s Award for Diversity in the Curriculum, University of Pittsburgh, November 2018.

Social Science Research Initiative Grant, University of Pittsburgh, “Migration and Neoliberal

Governance: the case of healthcare,” (with Heath Cabot), $49,090.

### European Union Center of Excellence Grant for **Faculty Research or Teaching in Germany (summer salary), Berlin Graduate School for Transnational Studies (2010).**

Alexander von Humboldt Foundation Research Fellowship (awarded 2007 for AY 2008-09).

Arts and Sciences Faculty Research and Scholarship Program grant, University of Pittsburgh,

2007.

Finalist for the Tina and David Bellet Arts and Sciences Teaching Excellence Award, 2007.

Arts and Sciences Summer Research Grant, University of Pittsburgh, 2005.

Member of the inaugural class for The Democracy Collaborative’s *Training Young Scholars*

program, University of Maryland, 2002.

#### Select Invited Presentations

“Backlash: Against Cosmopolitan Human Rights,” paper presented at the Department of Political Science, Lund University (Sweden), 6 April 2022).

“Taking Responsibility for Human Rights,” paper presented at the University of Minnesota Political Theory Colloquium, 28 February 2020.

“The Seductions of the Real: The ‘Realist Turn’ and the Refusal of Politics,” paper presented at the POLSIS Departmental Seminar, University of Birmingham (UK), 22 January 2020.

“How Can Political Theory ‘Get Real’?” paper presented at The Ohio State University Political Theory Workshop, 7 October 2019.

“Local Ownership of Human Rights,” paper presented at the workshop *Cross-Cutting Conversations on Human Rights*, Occidental College, 26 September 2019.

“Political Theory for the Real World,” lecture presented at the Center for Interpretive and Qualitative Research (CIQR), Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA, 6 December 2018.

“Political Theory for the Real World,” lecture presented at the Political Theory Seminar, University of Cambridge (UK), 20 November 2018.

“Political Theory for the Real World,” lecture presented at the Oxford Political Thought Seminar, University of Oxford (UK), 16 November 2018.

“Caring Responsibilities: Political All the Way Down,” remarks presented at the Care Symposium in honor of Joan Tronto, University of Minnesota, 12 October 2018.

“Picturing Injustice,” the 2018 Vanka Lecture, Society to Preserve the Millvale Murals of Maxo Vanka, St. Nicholas Croatian Catholic Church, Millvale, PA, 5 September 2018.

“Political Theory for the Real World,” lecture delivered at the University of Washington, Seattle, 30 January 2018.

“Constructing Human Dignity,” lecture presented at the Politics, Philosophy, and Public Affairs

program, University of Washington, Tacoma, 29 January 2018.

“Human Rights Cities: Making the Global Local,” paper presented at the workshop *Emerging Frontiers of Human Rights Scholarship: Dynamics of Change,* University of California at Santa Barbara, 1-2 December 2017.

“Of Mountaintops and Masterpieces: What Kind of Problem is Justice?” lecture delivered at the Global Studies Symposium, Shantou University, 28 October 2016.

“Human Rights as Political Tools,” keynote address at the launch of the Human Rights Program at Grand Valley State University, 19 April 2016.

“Human Dignity and the Politics of Human Rights,” paper presented at the Political Theory colloquium, University of Copenhagen, 16 December 2015.

# “R2P3: The Responsibilities to Prevent, Protect, and Promote,” lecture presented at the Christopher H. Browne Center for International Politics, University of Pennsylvania, 19 March 2015.

“Responsibility for Injustice,” lecture presented to the Political Theory Workshop at Vanderbilt University, 9 October 2013.

“Democracy Today with an Eye on Tomorrow: A Public Conversation,” forum hosted by the Whitlam Institute within the University of Western Sydney, Catalyst, and Unions NSW.

“Moral and Political Responsibility for Injustice,” lecture presented in the Social and Political Sciences Seminar Series, University of Melbourne, 15 August 2013.

“The Authority of Norms,” paper presented at the workshop Public Authority in the Era of Globalization, Whitlam Institute, University of Western Sydney, 12-14 August 2013.

# “Human Rights in the 21st Century: Continuity and Change,” lecture presented at the University of Hyderabad Human Rights Centre, 14 March 2013.

# “Human Security, Human Rights, and Politics,” paper presented as part of the G.E. Hendricks Symposium, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1-2 November 2012.

# “Idealism, Realism, and Human Rights,” paper presented at the Monash Politics Research Workshop: “How can theories of global justice and democracy get real? Problems of power and domination in normative international political theory,” Monash University, Melbourne, 15-16 March 2012.

“Taking Responsibility for Human Rights,” paper presented at the Center for Global Ethics and Politics, City University of New York, 9 December 2010.

“Democratic Accountability in Global Politics,” paper presented in the Seminar on Political Economy and Contemporary Social Issues, Columbia University, New York, 9 December 2010.

“On the Turkish Question: the EU as Examplar of Post-Political Citizenship?" paper presented at the conference *The Dynamics of Citizenship in the Post-Political World*, Stockholm University, 26-28 May 2010.

“Institutions and Obligations in Global Perspective,” presented as part of the panel discussion *The Causes of Poverty and Obligations to the Global Poor: What is the Link?*  The Humanities Center Lecture Series Global Connections, Global Responsibilities, Carnegie Mellon University, 19 April 2010.

“Representation and Human Rights,” presented in the Mellon Sawyer Seminar on Human Rights, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 16 April 2010.

“Democracy: a Political System for Securing Human Rights,” presented at the conference

*Human Rights, Democracy, and Democratization* sponsored by the Oxford Uehiro Centre for Practical Ethics, Oxford University; the Uehiro Foundation of Japan; and the Carnegie Council of New York, 12-13 November 2009, New York.

“Justice or Injustice?” paper presented to the research unit “Transnational Conflicts and International Institutions” at the Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin für Sozialforschung, 24 March 2009.

“Justice or Injustice?” lecture presented at the Global Governance Colloquium, Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, 19 March 2009.

“Democratic Roots,” lecture presented as part of the Saul O. Sidore Memorial Lecture Series *Exploring Democracy at Home and Abroad*, University of New Hampshire, 27 September 2007.

“A Transnational Human Rights Regime as a Mechanism for Democratizing Power,” lecture presented at the Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, Germany, 10 May 2007.

“Democracy as Human Rights: Freedom and Equality in the Age of Globalization,” address presented at the annual dinner of the Global and International Studies Program at the State University of New York at Oswego, 27 April 2006.

“Democracy as Human Rights: Freedom and Equality in the Age of Globalization,” lecture presented at the Political Theory Colloquium, City University of New York Graduate Center, 7 April 2006.

“Transnational Human Rights Regimes as Mechanisms for Democratizing Power,” paper presented at the conference *Globalization and Democracy*, sponsored by the Democracy Collaborative/PEGS/Key Center, University of Maryland, 30 March – 1 April 2006.

“Reconsidering Universal Human Rights in the Age of Globalization,” lecture presented under

the auspices of the Haverford College Distinguished Visitors program, 11 April 2005.

“Promoting Global Democracy,” lecture presented at the Carnegie Council on Ethics and International Affairs, 23 February 2004, New York, New York,

“Should Global Democratic Society Be ‘Civil’?” paper presented as part of the Democracy Collaborative affiliates’ conference *The State of Democratic Practice*, University of Maryland, 24-26 January 2002.

“Human Rights and Non-State Actors: Theoretical Puzzles,” paper presented to the University Seminar on Human Rights, Columbia University, 27 March 2001.

#### Conference Papers

“Paradoxes of Emancipation,” paper presented at 2022 Association for Political Theory annual meeting, Houston, TX.

“Taking Responsibility for Climate Change,” paper presented at the 2019 WPSA Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.

“This is a Fight, not an Argument: Taking Responsibility for Climate Change,” paper presented at the 2018 IPSA meeting, Brisbane, Australia.

“Human Rights Cities - making the global local,” paper presented at the 2018 WPSA annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

“Of Mountaintops and Masterpieces: What Kind of Problem is Justice?” paper presented at the 2017 APSA annual meeting, San Francisco, CA

“Of Mountaintops and Masterpieces: What Kind of Problem is Justice?” paper presented at the 2017 ISA annual meeting, Baltimore, MD

“Human Rights as Political Tools,” paper presented at the 2016 WPSA annual meeting, San Diego, CA.

“Dignity: Political, not Metaphysical,” paper presented at the 2015 Association for Political Theory annual meeting, Boulder, Colorado.

“Indignation, or, Reconsidering the Place of Dignity in Human Rights Theory and Practice,” paper presented at the conference The Social Practice of Human Rights, University of Dayton, 1-3 October 2015.

“Dignity: Political, not Metaphysical,” paper presented at the 2015 APSA annual meeting, San Francisco, California.

“The Authority of Norms,” paper presented at the 2013 Association for Political Theory annual meeting, Nashville, Tennessee.

“Who and How do Human Rights Persuade?” paper presented at the 2013 APSA annual meeting,

Chicago, Illinois.

“Communitarians for Cosmopolis!” paper presented at the 2012 ISA annual meeting, San Diego, California.

“How is World Trade Unjust?” paper presented at the 2012 ISA annual meeting, San Diego, California.

“Political Responsibility for Injustice,” paper presented to the Economic Rights Group, University of Connecticut, 18 November 2011.

“Communitarians for Cosmopolitanism!” paper presented at the 2011 Association for Political Theory annual conference, South Bend, Indiana.

“How is World Trade Unjust?” paper presented at the bi-annual General Meeting of the European Consortium for Political Research, Reykjavik, 25-27 August 2011.

“An Enabling Global Institutional Order: Contingent Sovereignty, Positive Conditionality, and the Promotion of Democracy and Human Rights,” paper presented at the 2010 APSA annual meeting, Washington, DC.

“The Causes of Injustice,” paper presented at the University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, 17 April 2010.

“Taking Responsibility for Human Rights,” paper presented at the 2009 Association for Political Theory annual conference, College Station, Texas.

“Reverting to Form: American Exceptionalism and Human Rights after 9/11,” paper presented at the international conference *The International Human Rights Regime since 9/11: Transatlantic Perspectives*, University of Pittsburgh, 17-19 April 2008.

“For Coherence, Appeal, and Effectiveness: Interdependence and Indivisibility as the Core of Human Rights Theory,” paper presented at the University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, 12 April 2008.

“Democratic Accountability: A Reappraisal,” paper presented at the 2008 ISA annual meeting, San Francisco, California.

“Democratic Accountability in Global Politics: Norms not Agents,” paper presented at the 2007 Association for Political Theory annual conference, London, Ontario.

“American Exceptionalism and Human Rights after 9/11,” paper presented at the expert workshop *Transformation of the International Human Rights Regime after 9/11*, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany, 27-29 April 2007.

“Transnational Human Rights Regimes as Mechanisms for Democratizing Power,” paper presented at the 2006 APSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

“Global Parliament/Global Government? A Roundtable on Power and Possibility in an Evolving World System” held at the 2006 APSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

“Subsistence Rights,” paper presented to the Economic Rights Group, University of Connecticut, 13 March 2006.

“The Changing Political Context of Universal Human Rights,” paper presented at the 2006 ISA annual meeting, San Diego, California.

“A Democratic Defense of Economic Rights and Basic Income,” paper presented at the conference *Economic Rights: Conceptual, Measurement, And Policy Issues*, University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute, 27-29 October 2005.

“Sovereign Democracy,” paper presented at the meeting of the International Political Science Association’s Research Committee 31, 28-29 April 2005, Atlanta, Georgia.

“The Substance of Democracy: Human Rights and the Democratization of the WTO,” paper presented at the 2005 ISA annual meeting, Honolulu, Hawaii.

“American Exceptionalism and Human Rights,” paper presented at the conference *The United*

*States and Global Human Rights*, Rothermere American Institute, Oxford University, November 2004.

“Reconsidering Justice in the World Economy: Outlines for a Democratic Approach,” paper presented at the 2004 APSA annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

“Borders, Democracy, and Human Rights,” paper presented at the 2004 ISA annual meeting, Montreal, Quebec.

“Democracy, Human Rights, Universality: Globalization and the Boundaries of the Political,” paper presented at the 2003 APSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

“Civil Society and the Problem of Global Democracy,” paper presented at the 2003 MPSA Annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

“Globalization as ‘Lockeanization’?” paper presented at the 2002 APSA annual meeting, Boston, Massachusetts.

“Globalization and the Cultural Values Debates in Human Rights: John Locke, Revisited,” paper presented at the 2001 NPSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

“Making Democracy Global: Democracy, Human Rights, and the World Trade Organization,” paper presented at the 1999 NPSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

“Democratization: A Theory of Democracy as Human Rights,” paper presented at the 1999 APSA annual meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.

“Democracy After Globalization: Critical Reconstructions,” paper presented at the conference *Democracy, Community, and Social Justice in an Era of Globalization*, University of Denver, April 1998.

“Back to the Future? Democratic Theory and the ‘New Medievalism,’” paper presented at the 1998 WPSA annual meeting, Los Angeles, California.

“A Matter of Desire: Plato, Nietzsche, and Postmodernist Political Theory,” paper presented at the 1996 SWPSA annual meeting, Houston, Texas.

**Other Conference Participation**

Participant, Expert Workshop, “Generating Rights,” University of California, Santa Barbara, January 2023.

Convener, Author Meets Critics; Jeanne Morefield’s *Unsettling the World: Edward Said and Political Theory*, 2022 APSA Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Panelist, “What Can Political Theory Learn from Activists?” 2022 APSA Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Discussant, “Debating Rights,” panel presented at the 2022 APSA Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Author, Author Meets Critics; Michael Goodhart’s Injustice: Political Theory for the Real World, 2019 APSA Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

Critic, Author Meets Critics: Brooke Ackerly’s Just Responsibility: A Human Rights Theory of Global Justice, 2019 APSA Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

Author, Roundtable: 'Injustice: Political Theory for the Real World,' by Michael Goodhart, 2019 WPSA Annual Meeting.

Panelist, Symposium on Brooke Ackerly’s Just Responsibility: A Human Rights Theory of Global Justice, roundtable presentation at the 2019 ISA annual meeting, Toronto, ON.

Panelist, “Reinterpreting the Foundations of Human Rights,” roundtable presentation at the 2018 APSA annual meeting, Boston, MA.

Panelist, “Multiple Meanings of Human Rights,” roundtable presented at the 2018 ISA annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Panelist, “Why Human Rights Matter in Contemporary World Affairs,” roundtable presented at the 2018 ISA annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Discussant, “How to Judge Human Rights and Humanitarian Law Violations,” panel presented at the 2018 ISA annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Discussant, “Public Space and Democratic Virtues,” panel presented at the 2018 WPSA annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Discussant, “Nation-State, Human Rights, and Security,” panel presented at the 2017 APT annual meeting, Ann Arbor, MI.

Organizer and Panelist, “*The Promise of Human Rights: Constitutional Government, Democratic Legitimacy, and International Law*, by Jamie Mayerfeld,” roundtable presented at the 2017 WPSA annual meeting, Vancouver, BC.

Panelist, “The Future of Human Rights,” roundtable presented at the 2017 ISA annual meeting, Baltimore, MD.

Organizer and panelist, “New Directions in Human Rights Research,” roundtable presented at the   
2016 WPSA annual meeting, San Diego, CA.

Discussant, “(In)justice, (In)dignity, and Human Rights,” panel presented at the 2016 SPSA Annual Meeting, San Juan, PR.

Discussant, “Just Responsibility,” book workshop presented at the 2016 SPSA Annual Meeting, San Juan, PR.

Discussant, “Belonging: Immigrants, Foreigners, and Strangers,” panel presented at the 2014 APT annual meeting, Madison Wisconsin.

Discussant, “Democratic and Cosmopolitan Non-domination,” panel presented at the 2014 APSA annual meeting, Washington, DC.

Discussant, “Poverty, Inequality, and Human Rights,” annual workshop of the Economic and Social Rights Group, Human Rights Institute, University of Connecticut.

Panelist, “Author meets Critics: Alison Brysk’s *Speaking Rights to Power*, panel presented at the 2014 ISA annual meeting, Toronto, Ontario.

Roundtable participant: “Human Rights Across Time and Space, 2014 ISA annual meeting, Toronto, Ontario.

Discussant, “Creating Critical Cosmopolitans,” panel presented at the 2013 APSA annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

Panelist, “Author meets Critics: Benjamin Gregg’s *Human Rights as Social Construction*, panel presented at the 2013 APSA annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

# Commentator, “Samuel Moyn’s The Last Utopia: Human Rights in History,” Roundtable presented at the Association for Political Theory annual conference, Columbia, South Carolina, 12 October 2012.

Discussant, “**Justice in Transitional and Global Perspectives,” 2011 Association for Political Theory annual conference, South Bend, Indiana.**

**Discussant, “Rights Based Approaches to Development: Have They Made a Difference?” panel presented at the 2011 APSA annual meeting, Seattle, Washington.**

Discussant, “**Local and Global Identities,” panel presented at the 2010** Association for Political Theory annual conference, Portland, Oregon.

Chair and Convener, “Theme Panel: Canadian Human Rights Commissions,” presented at the 2009 APSA annual meeting, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Discussant, “AnalysingComplexity and Change in Human Rights Research,” panel presented at the 2009 APSA annual meeting, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Chair/Roundtable participant “9/11 and the International Human Rights Regime,” **panel presented at the 2008** ISA annual meeting, San Francisco, California.

Roundtable participant, “Assessing Human Rights – A Compendium Project Panel,” **panel presented at the 2008** ISA annual meeting, San Francisco, California.

Discussant, “International Ethics and Non-State Actors,” panel presented at the Association for Political Theory conference, London, Ontario, 11-14 October 2007.

Discussant/Roundtable participant, “Interdisciplinary Research on Human Rights: The Challenge for Political Science,” panel presented at the 2007 APSA annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

Discussant, “Power and Human Rights,” panel presented at the 2006 APSA annual meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Chair and Discussant, “Political Theory and International Relations: Dialogues” panel presented at the 2006 ISA annual meeting, San Diego, California.

Chair and Convener, “Theme Panel: Balancing Human Rights and National Security in the Age of Terror,” presented at the 2005 APSA annual meeting, Washington, DC.

Discussant, “Ideology and Norms in International Studies,” panel presented at the 2004 APSA meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

Discussant, “Human Rights as a Political Lens,” panel presented at the 2002 APSA meeting, Boston, Massachusetts.

Participant, Democracy Collaborative/Advocacy Institute Human Rights Workshop, March 17-19, 2002, Washington, DC.

Discussant, “Human Rights and Democracy in a New Era,” panel presented at the 2001 APSA meeting, San Francisco, California.

Discussant, “Memory and Justice,” panel presented at the 2000 APSA meeting, Washington, DC.

# Professional Activities, Service, Memberships, and Related Affiliations

Member, University Sustainability Task Force (2022-present)

Member, elected, Chancellor Search Committee, University of Pittsburgh, 2022 (declined)

Director, DEI Committee, Department of Political Science (2020-present)

Provost's Committee on Anti-Black Racism and Transformative Pedagogy (2020-present)

External Reviewer, Department of Political Science, Tulane University

Editorial Board Member, *Perspectives on Politics*, September 2018-present

Member (elected), Provost Search Committee, University of Pittsburgh, 2018

Member, Steering Committee, Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance (2018-present)

Member, Board of Directors, The Global Switchboard, Pittsburgh, PA, 2004-2012, 2014-present (President: 2012, 2020-present)

Editorial Board Member, *Journal of Human Rights*, September 2010-present

Editorial Board Member,*Polity: The Journal of the Northeastern Political Science Association* (September 2007-present)

Convening Chair, Association for Political Theory Standing Committee on Mentoring and Professional Development, 2017

Member, University Senate ad-hoc committee on core values, 2017

Member, Faculty Advisory Board, World History Center, University of Pittsburgh (2017-2021)

Member, Global Studies Consortium Steering Committee (2015-2021)

Member, University of Pittsburgh Senate Standing Committee: Research (elected term: 2015-18)

Member, University Review Board, University of Pittsburgh (appointed: 2014-present)

Association for Political Theory Governance Committee (elected term: 2013-16). Governance Committee Chair: 2015-16

Chair, departmental search committee for Political Theory (2014)

Council for European Studies program committee 2014

Department of Political Science Chair’s Advisory Committee and Planning and Budget Committee (elected, 2014-17)

Dietrich School Council (elected term: 2014-17)

Arts and Sciences Nominating Committee (2013)

Faculty Assembly, University of Pittsburgh (elected term: July 2013-June 2016)

Chair, departmental search committee, senior search in European Politics (2012-13)

President of the Board of Directors, Global Solutions Pittsburgh (2012)

Provost’s Committee on Reaccreditation, Working Group on Using Assessment to Improve the Student Experience, 2010-11

Arts and Sciences Faculty Grants Committee, University of Pittsburgh, 2010-2012. *Chair*: 2011

Arts and Sciences Undergraduate Council, University of Pittsburgh (elected term: September 2007-April 2010)

Editorial Board Member, *Human Rights and Human Welfare* (Jan 2007-2009)

Member, Center for Ethics and Policy, Carnegie Mellon University

Provost’s Advisory Committee for Undergraduate Programs (appointed member, 2007-2010)

Book Review Editor, *Polity: The Journal of the Northeastern Political Science Association* (April 2004-August 2007)

Affiliate, Economic Rights Group, University of Connecticut Human Rights Institute and Academy of Global Advancement (August 2006-present)

Member, Editorial Advisory Board of the International Encyclopedia of Political Science (a joint project of the American Political Science Association and CQ Press)

President, American Political Science Association Human Rights Organized Section (elected term: September 2004-September 2005)

Vice President, American Political Science Association Human Rights Organized Section (elected term: September 2003-September 2004)

APSA 2004 Program Committee

Faculty Assembly, University of Pittsburgh (elected term: July 2003-June 2006)

Faculty Advisory Board, European Union Center/Center for West European Studies, University of Pittsburgh

Core Faculty Affiliate, Global Studies Program, University of Pittsburgh

Affiliate, *The Democracy Collaborative*, University of Maryland

APSA Human Rights Organized Section Liaison with NPSA (2000 – 2002)

Columbia University Seminar on Human Rights (associate member: 1999-present)

American Political Science Association (1995-present)

**Teaching and Research Interests**

**Human Rights** – history; theoretical and political dimensions, especially in the context of

globalization; validity and justification; social practices of human rights.

**Global Justice/Injustice** – the scope of justice; structural injustice and responsibility for it;

problems of democratic development; ideal/nonideal/realist political theory.

**Democratic Theory/Democratization** – history; contemporary issues and perspectives, especially regarding democratization of transnational and global governance arrangements including the EU; historical and conceptual links with human rights.

**Political Theory** – early modern and modern political thought, contemporary theory; liberalism

and its critics; social contract; sovereignty, history of feminist political theory, ideal and non-ideal theory; critique of neoliberalism.

**Globalization** –economic, structural, and ideological issues related to democracy,

sovereignty, justice, freedom, and equality; neoliberalism; global inequalities; democratic implications of integration.

**Courses Taught** (U=Undergraduate, G=Graduate)

Introduction to Political Theory (U) American Political Thought (U)

Human Rights and Political Theory (U)

Politics of Global Inequality (U)

Politics and Liberal Democracy (U)

Dem. Theory and Democratization (U/G)

Politics of Human Rights (U/G)

Contemporary Political Theory (U)

Human Rights and Int’l Relations (U)

Women and Political Theory (U) Contemporary Theories of Justice (U/G) Global Justice (U/G)

Normative Political Science (G)

Introduction to Global Studies (U)