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Education

- 1985-1989 D. Phil. (Politics) St. Hilda's College, University of Oxford, UK
- 1983-1985 M. Phil. (Politics) St. Peter's College, University of Oxford, UK
- 1978-1982 B. A. (Magna Cum Laude), Duke University, Durham, N.C.
Majors: Political Science and History.
- 1972-1978 High School Diploma, Ashley Hall, Charleston, S.C.

Academic and Administrative Positions

- 2023-present Associate Chair, African Studies, Department of Afroamerican and African Studies,
- 2022-present Joel Samoff Collegiate Professor of Political Science and Afroamerican and African Studies,
- 2020-present Research Professor, Center for Political Studies, Institute for Social Research
- 2018-2022 Professor, Department of Political Science and Department of Afroamerican and African Studies
- 2013-2020 Faculty Associate, Center for Political Studies, Institute for Social Research,
- 2010-2013 Associate Chair, African Studies, Department of Afroamerican and African Studies, University of Michigan
- 2009-2017 Professor, Department of Afroamerican and African Studies and Department of Political Science (by courtesy),
- 2004-2009 Professor, Department of Political Science
Colgate University, Hamilton, NY

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1996-2004 Associate Professor, Department of Political Science
Colgate University

1990-1996 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Colgate University,

Academic Awards, Grants and Projects

Co-Investigator, "Climate Change, Demographic Shifts, and Socio-Political Stability in Sub-Saharan Africa" with Co-Principal Investigators Arun Agrawal and Yuri Zhukov and Co-Investigators Ken Kollman, Yang Chen, H. V. Jagadish, and Ragnhild Nordas, Minerva Research Initiative, Washington Headquarters Services, 2023-2026, \$3,099,798 (Cancelled 2/25 by the Federal government).

Co-Principal Investigator, "ObSERV: The Observation of Subnational Election-Related Violence and Security in Africa" with Grant Masterson, Electoral Institute for Sustainable Democracy in Africa (EISA) and Rod Alence, University of the Witwatersrand, funded by Carnegie Corporation of New York (CCNY), 2020-2024, \$500,000.

Invited Reviewer, Democracy Capture Index, Center for Democratic Development, Accra, Ghana in collaboration with the Open Society Foundation, 2024.

Invited Participant, State Capture Work Stream, Prevention Project, Center for Human Rights and Global Justice, New York University School of Law, 2020-2023.

Participating Investigator, National Science Foundation Research Grant (SES: 1925693). "RIDIR: The Sub-National Data Archive System for Social and Behavioral Data" with Principal Investigator Kenneth Kollman and Yuri Zhukov and Participating Investigators Robert Franzese Jr, Brian Min, Christopher Fariss, Nahomi Ichino, Allen Hicken, Walter Mebane Jr, Mai Hassan, Yuki Shiraito, and Kevin Quinn, 2019-2021, \$1,406,312.

Co-Principal Investigator, "Local Patterns of Election Related Violence and Peace," with Grant Masterson, Electoral Institute for Sustainable Democracy in Africa and Rod Alence, University of the Witwatersrand, funded by Carnegie Corporation of New York (CCNY), 2018-2020, \$300,000.

Residential Fellowship, Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Study (STIAS), University of Stellenbosch, South Africa, January-May 2019.

University of Michigan Office of Research (UMOR) Small Scale and Preliminary Projects Grant "Explaining the Causes and Consequences of New Peri-Urban Developments in Luanda, Angola and Nairobi, Kenya" 2016, \$14,351.

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Co-Principal Investigator, “Rethinking the African Humanities: A Trans-Continental Collaboration.” African Studies Center, University of Michigan and the Witwatersrand Institute for Social and Economic Research, funded by the Andrew Mellon Foundation, 2013-2019, \$1,200,000.

Co-Principal Investigator, “Distributive Goods and Distributive Politics,” American Political Science Association Africa Workshop, funded by the Andrew Mellon Foundation, Maputo, Mozambique, July, 2014, \$200,000.

African Social Research Initiative (ASRI). Grant from President of the University of Michigan (Wrote most of the grant as the Coordinator of ASRI), \$450,000, 2012-2016.

African Social Research Initiative Seed Grant (with Sylvia Croese), “The Relationship between Property Rights and Political Preferences: An Analysis of Home Ownership in Africa’s Urban Areas.” Survey research in collaboration with Development Workshop, Luanda, Angola, 2014, \$9,984.

Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan Spring/Summer Fellowship, 2012, \$6000.

Center for International Business Education and Research, Research Grant, Angola, May 2012, \$5000.

Center for International and Comparative Studies, University of Michigan, International Security and Development Fellowship, 2010-2011, \$16,000.

Colgate University Research Council Major Grant, Mozambique and Zambia, Summer 2008, \$5000.

Presidential Scholar, Colgate University, 2006-2007.

Hearst Fellow, Colgate University Research Council Major Grant, Angola and Zambia, June, 2005 \$3000.

Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C., September-May, 2003-2004. Project title: “Divergent Reformers: The Political Dynamics of Economic Restructuring in Africa” \$37,000.

American Political Science Association Small Grants Award for research in Mozambique and Angola, (June-July 2003) \$3000.

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Picker Fellowship, Colgate University, Uganda, June 2001.

Fulbright Scholarship, Centro de Estudos Africanos, Universidade Eduardo Mondlane, Maputo, Mozambique (January-June 1998).

Colgate University Research Council Major Grant for research in Mozambique (January-June 1998).

Howard Foundation Merit Award Recipient, 1997-1998.

Hearst Fellow, Colgate University Research Council Major Grant, 2 months research, Mozambique (June-July, 1995).

Picker Fellowship, Colgate University, Mozambique (Feb-May 1994)

Colgate University Faculty Development Grant, Zimbabwe, (June-July, 1992).

Fulbright Scholarship, Instituto de Ciencias Sociais, Lisbon, Portugal, 1988-89.

Senior Studentship, St. Hilda's College, Oxford University, 1985-1987.

Publications

Books

Party Politics and Economic Reform in Africa's Democracies, (NY: Cambridge University Press, 2012). Honorable Mention, African Politics Conference Group Best Book Award, American Political Science Association and African Studies Association

African Postsocialisms (Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press, 2006). Co-edited with Kelly Askew.

Transforming Mozambique: The Politics of Privatization, 1975-2000 (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2002, reprinted in paperback, 2008)

Politics in the Portuguese Empire: The State, Industry and Cotton, 1926-1974 (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1993).

Peer Reviewed Articles in Academic Journals

"Intellectual and Cultural Work in Times of Austerity." With Emma Park, Derek Peterson, and Keith Breckenridge. *Africa*. Vol. 91, no. 4 (August 2021): 517-531.

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"Mozambique elections 2019: Pernicious Polarization, Democratic Decline, and Rising Authoritarianism." *African Affairs*. Vol 119, no. 476 (July 2020): 468-486.

"Resisting State Capture in South Africa." With Rod Alence. *Journal of Democracy*. Vol. 30, no. 4 (October 2019): 5-19.

"The paradox of Isabel dos Santos: State capitalism, dynastic politics, and gender hostility in a resource rich, authoritarian country." With Edalina Rodrigues Sanches. *Cahiers d'Études africaines*. Vol. LIX (2), no. 234 (June 2019): 597-624.

"Ordering power? The politics of state-led housing delivery under authoritarianism - the case of Luanda, Angola." With Sylvia Croese. *Urban Studies*. Vol. 56, no. 2 (February 2019): 401-418.

"The ASA at 60: Advocacy in an Age of Tyranny." *African Studies Review*. Vol. 61, no. 3 (September 2018): 8-26.

"Contingent Technocracy: Bureaucratic Independence in Developing Countries." With Manny Teodoro. *Journal of Public Policy*, vol. 37, no. 4 (2017): 401-429.

"Varieties of Residential Capitalism in Africa: A Comparison of Urban Housing Provision in Angola and Kenya." *African Affairs*, Vol. 116, no. 464, (July 2017): 365-390.

"Party System Competition and Private Sector Development in Africa." *The Journal of Development Studies*, vol. 53, no. 1 (2017): 1-17.

Winner, Dudley Seers Prize for Best Article, *Journal of Development Studies*, 2017.

"Was Privatisation Necessary and Did it Work? The Case of South Africa." *Review of African Political Economy*, vol. 39, no. 132 (2012): 243-260.

"Re-thinking Patrimonialism and Neopatrimonialism in Africa." With Mary Moran and Michael Johnston. *African Studies Review*. 52, 1 (April 2009): 125-156. Finalist, Best Article Award, African Politics Conference Group, American Political Science Association and African Studies Association, 2009.

"What has Happened to Organized Labor in Southern Africa?" *International Labor and Working Class History*, 72, Fall (2007): 134-160.

"African Socialisms and Postsocialisms." With Kelly Askew, *Africa* 76, 1 (2006): 1-14.

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“Forgetting from Above and Memory from Below: Strategies of Legitimation and Struggle in Postsocialist Mozambique.” *Africa* 76, 1 (2006): 88-112.

“Eleições de 2004 em Moçambique: escolhas, implicações, e visões.” *Política Internacional* (Lisbon), Série II, no. 28 (July 2005): 59-78.

“Les Élections Générales de 2004 au Mozambique: Choix, Conséquences et Perspectives.” *Politique Africaine*, 98 (June 2005): 149-165.

“Conditions, Commitments and the Politics of Restructuring in Africa.” *Comparative Politics*, 36, 4 (July 2004): 379-398.

“The ‘Basket Case’ and the ‘Poster Child’: Explaining the end of civil conflicts in Liberia and Mozambique” (with Mary Moran), *Third World Quarterly*, 25, 3 (2004): 501-519.

“Surviving Transition: The Legacy of Former Colonial Companies in Mozambique”,¹ (in Portuguese) *Análise Social*, xxxviii, 168, (2003): 793-820.

"What's missing from 'what's missing'? A Reply to C. Cramer and N. Pontara, 'Rural poverty and poverty alleviation in Mozambique: what's missing from the debate?'" , *Journal of Modern African Studies*, 37, 4 (December 1999): 697-710.

"Disruption without Transformation: Agrarian Relations and Livelihoods in Nampula Province, Mozambique, 1975-1995", *Journal of Southern African Studies* (special issue on Mozambique), 24, 1 (March 1998): 115-140.

"Conflict and Cooperation: Gendered Roles and Responsibilities within Cotton Households in Northern Mozambique", *African Studies Review*, 39, 3 (December 1996): 81-112.

"Recreating Colonialism or Reconstructing the State? Privatisation and Politics in Mozambique", *Journal of Southern African Studies*, 22, 1 (March 1996): 49-74.

"Sowing the Seeds of Failure: Early Portuguese Cotton Growing Attempts in Angola and Mozambique, 1820-1926", *Journal of Southern African Studies*, 17, 1 (March 1991): 43-70.

"Lancar as sementes de fracasso: As primeiras tentativas de cultivo de algodão em Angola e Moçambique", *Revista Internacional de Estudos Africanos* (International Review of African Studies - Lisbon, Portugal), 12-13 (Jan-Dec, 1990): 99-135.

Chapters, Articles in Edited Volumes, Edited Volumes, Review Essays

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“Kleptocracy.” With John Heathershaw in Thomas Ambrosio and Stephen Hall, eds. *Encyclopedia of Authoritarianism*. Edward Elgar Publishing, forthcoming.

“The Resurgence of Comparative Political Economy Approaches to the Study of Africa”. Review Essay. *Perspectives on Politics*, forthcoming.

“Are Parliamentary Elites in Africa also Power Elites? Researching the Origins and Consequences of Varying Elite Configurations”. With Edalina Sanches, Anja Osei, and Batlang Seabo. Special Issue, *Journal of Southern African Studies*, Vol. 50, 4, 2024.

“Authoritarian Regimes in the Global Economy” with John Heathershaw and Ricardo Soares de Oliveira in Ann-Margret Wolf, ed. *Oxford Handbook of Authoritarian Politics*, published online 19 November 2024. <https://doi.org/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780198871996.013.49>

Introduction, with John Heathershaw and Ricardo Soares de Oliveira, “Transnational Kleptocracy and the International Political Economy of Authoritarianism”, Special Issue, *Journal of International Relations and Development*, vol. 26 (August), 2023: 215-223.

“Transnational Kleptocracy and the International Political Economy of Authoritarianism,” With John Heathershaw and Ricardo Soares de Oliveira, eds. Special Issue. *Journal of International Relations and Development*, vol. 26 (August), 2023.

“States, Markets, and Financial Liberalization in Africa.” In John Harbeson and Don Rothchild, ed., *Africa in World Politics: Sustaining Reform in a Turbulent World Order* (NY: Routledge, 2023).

"Political Parties and Political Economy in Africa's Democracies, 1990-2018." *Oxford Encyclopedia of African Politics*. August, 2019.
<https://oxfordre.com/politics/view/10.1093/acrefore/9780190228637.001.0001/acrefore-9780190228637-e-856>

“The Bureaucracy: Privatization Agencies, Regime Type, and Economic Reform in Africa.” With Manny Teodoro. In Nic Cheeseman, ed. *Institutions and Democracy in Africa: How the rules of the game shape political developments* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2018): 160-188.

“Turbo-Suburbanism in a Post-Conflict, African City: Luanda, Angola.” With Sylvia Croese. In Alan Berger and Joel Kotkin, eds. *Infinite Suburbia* (Princeton: Princeton Architectural Press, 2017): 722-731.

“Entrepreneurial Governance and the Expansion of Public Investment Funds in Africa” In

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John Harbeson and Donald Rothchild, eds., *Africa in World Politics: Constructing Political and Economic Order* (Boulder: Westview Press, 2017): 80-102.

“City Building in Post-Conflict, Post-Socialist Luanda: Burying the past with phantasmagorias of the future.” With Marissa Moorman. In Ntone Edjabe and Edgar Pieterse, eds. *African Cities Reader III: Land, Property, Value*. (Vlaeberg, South Africa: Chimurenga and the African Centre for Cities, 2015): 123-135.

“Comparative Politics of Angola, Mozambique, and Guinea-Bissau.” With Benedito Machava. In Rick Valelly, ed., *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2013. Oxford Bibliographies online, www.oxfordbibliographies.com.

““Cars are killing Luanda: Cronyism, Consumerism and other Assaults on Postwar Angola’s Capital City” (with Aubrey Graham) in Martin Murray and Garth Myers, eds., *Cities in Contemporary Africa*, (NY: Palgrave, 2006): 173-194.

“Photographic Essay II” Photographs by Aubrey Graham, Text by Anne Pitcher in Martin Murray and Garth Myers, eds., *Cities in Contemporary Africa*, (NY: Palgrave, 2006): 195-199.

"Celebration and Confrontation, Resolution and Restructuring: Mozambique from Independence to the Millennium" in York Bradshaw and Stephen Ndegwa, eds., *The Uncertain Promise of Southern Africa*, (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2001): 188-212.

"Men, Women, Memory and Rights to Resources in Zambezia Province, Mozambique" (with Scott Kloeck-Jenson), in Rachel Waterhouse and Carin Vijfhuizen, eds. *Strategic Women, Gainful Men: Gender, land and natural resources in different rural contexts in Mozambique* (Maputo: Imprensa Universitária, Universidade Eduardo Mondlane, 2001): 125-152. (also published in Portuguese)

"From Coercion to Incentives: Portuguese Colonial Cotton Policy in Angola and Mozambique, 1946-1974" in Allen Isaacman and Richard Roberts, eds., *Cotton, Colonialism, and Social History in Sub-Saharan Africa* (Heinemann, 1995): 119-143.

Manuscripts Under Review or in Progress

“The politics of space and time: variation in opposition party support across urban areas in Africa”. With Peter Penar and Nic Cheeseman. Under review.

“The Spatial Effects of Political Violence on Election Outcomes: A Tale of Two South African Provinces, 2021” with Rod Alence. In progress.

“The Political Treadmill of Local Public Goods Provision in Electoral Autocracies" with Rod

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Alence. In progress.

“City Limits: Urban Politics and Support for Opposition Parties in Africa” With Nic Cheeseman and Peter Penar. In progress

“Military Economic Participation as a Mechanism of Coup Proofing” With Celso Monjane and Hood Ahmed. In progress.

“The Partisan Origins of Capital Accumulation in Mozambique.” With Celso Monjane. In progress.

Other Publications and Contributions (including blogs, podcasts, interviews, book reviews, etc.)

“What Has Happened to USAID?” Center for Political Studies blog. Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan. April 28, 2025. <https://cpsblog.isr.umich.edu/?p=3450>

Participant, Webinar on “Mozambique and the Politics of Popular Uprising.” Sponsored by *Africa Is A Country*. November 21, 2024. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LISjZsSsnLs>

“30th Anniversary of the Rome Peace Accords in Mozambique,” Interview, *Voice of America*, October 6, 2022. The broadcast was aired a few days later. See <https://www.voaafrica.com/a/6780601.html>

“The Elusive Dream of Democracy, Security, and Well-Being in Mozambique,” With Celso M. Monjane. *Current History*, 2022 (May).

“Authoritarian Power in the Global Economy,” Co-edited with Ricardo Soares de Oliveira. Democracy and Autocracy Newsletter, American Political Science Association, 2022 (May).

"Mozambique's elections saw violence, vote rigging and a landslide win for the Frelimo party." *The Monkey Cage-Washington Post*. October 23, 2019.

<<https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2019/10/23/mozambiques-elections-saw-violence-vote-rigging-landslide-victory-frelimo-party/?fbclid=IwAR1C05uKRqm0vvq06GjDYILizyZiUnLziILKbrGBq0yvbxbKCrj9MtGTPLAE>>

Podcast participant, "The Party Don't Stop", *Into Africa* Podcast, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, DC. September 5, 2019,

< <https://www.csis.org/podcasts/africa/party-dont-stop>>

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"How the ANC survived Jacob Zuma-and eked out a win in South Africa's election." With Rod Alence. *The Monkey Cage-Washington Post*. May 17, 2019.

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2019/05/17/how-anc-survived-jacob-zuma-eked-out-win-south-africas-election/?utm_term=.6bdecaeb6bb4>

Book Review of *Magnificent and Beggar Land: Angola Since the Civil War* by Ricardo Soares de Oliveira. *Journal of Modern African Studies*, 54, 2 (June 2016): 352-354.

"Transnational Eugenics", *Africa is a Country*, October 6, 2016.

<<http://africasacountry.com/2016/10/transnational-eugenics/>>

"Could Angola have prevented its yellow fever epidemic?" *Africa is a Country*, May 20, 2016,

< <http://africasacountry.com/2016/05/could-angola-have-prevented-its-yellow-fever-epidemic/>>

"The Politics of the Belly" (with Marissa Moorman), *Africa is a Country*, May 7, 2014,

<<http://africasacountry.com/2014/05/the-politics-of-the-belly/>>.

Book Review of *Governing Africa's Changing Societies: Dynamics of Reform*. Edited by Ellen M. Lust and Stephen N. Ndegwa. *Perspectives on Politics*. 11, 2 (June 2013): 679-681.

"Lions, Tigers, and Emerging Markets: Africa's Development Dilemmas," *Current History*. May, 2012: 163-168.

Review Article "Cape Town Beyond Apartheid," *Canadian Journal of African Studies*, 46, 1 (2012): 139-143 (with Martin Murray).

"Economic Transformation and Popular Contestation in Africa", *International Connections*, Center for International and Comparative Studies, 3, 2 Spring (2011), 2-5.

Book Review of *Local Politics and the Dynamics of Property in Africa* by Christian Lund in *Comparative Political Studies*, 42, 7 (July 2009): 1001-1005.

Book Review of *Esquerda e Direita na Política Europeia: Portugal, Espanha e Grécia em Perspectiva Comparada* by André Freire in *Lusotopie*, 15, 2 (2008): 253-255.

"Lectures: Autour d'un livre" (Exchange between Critics and Authors), on *Kinshasa: Tales of the Invisible City* by Filip de Boeck and Marie-Françoise Plissart in *Politique Africaine*, 110 (June 2008): 175-179 (with Martin Murray).

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“Exploring Cityscapes: Kinshasa and Johannesburg”, Review Essay of *The Making and Shaping of Johannesburg* by Keith Bevan, *Kinshasa: Tales of the Invisible City* by Filip de Boeck and Marie-Françoise Plissart, and *Reinventing Order in the Congo* edited by Theodore Trefon in *African Studies Review*, 50, 3, 2007: 143-146 (with Martin Murray).

Book Review of *Global Shadows: Africa in the Neoliberal World Order* by James Ferguson in *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, 40, 2 (2007), 310-312.

Book Review of *Ending Empire: Contested Sovereignty and Territorial Partition* by Hendrik Spruyt in *Perspectives on Politics*, 4, 1 (March 2006): 237-239.

Book Review of *People's Spaces and State Spaces: Land and Governance in Mozambique* by Rosemary Galli in *Journal of Modern African Studies*, 43, 3 (September 2005): 494-496.

Book Review of *Os Outros: Um historiador em Moçambique, 1994* by Michel Cahen in *H-Luso Africa*, August 2005.

Film Review of *The Last Just Man* (documentary) directed by Stephen Silver in *Political Communication*, 21, 1 (Jan.- March, 2005).

Book Review of *Rabidantes: Comércio Espontâneo Transnacional em Cabo Verde* by Marzia Grassi in *Lusotopie*, 7 (2004): 428-429.

Book review of *Pounders of Grain: A History of Women, Work, and Politics in Mozambique* by Kathie Sheldon in *Canadian Journal of African Studies* (2004).

Book Review of Patrick Chabal with David Birmingham, Joshua Forrest, Malyn Newitt, Gerhard Seibert, Elisa Silva Andrade, *A History of Postcolonial Lusophone Africa* in *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, 37, 1 (2004): pp. 167-169.

Book Review of Linda Heywood, *Contested Power in Angola, 1840s to the Present* in *The American Historical Review* (October 2002).

Book Review of Tony Hodges, *Angola from Afro-Stalinism to Petro-Diamond Capitalism* in *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, 34, 2 (2001).

Book Review of Merle Bowen, *The State against the Peasantry: Rural Struggles in Colonial and Postcolonial Mozambique* in *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, 33, 2 (2000).

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Book Review of Ana de Matos, *Ciencia, Tecnologia e Desenvolvimento Industrial no Portugal Oitocentista: O Caso dos Lanifícios do Alentejo* in *Análise Social*, Vol. XXXV, 154-155 (2000), pp. 441-444.

Entry on "The Portuguese Textile Industry, 1926-1974" for the *Historical Dictionary of Portugal*, 1999.

"Chiefs, Companies and Cotton: Observations from Rural Nampula", *Southern Africa Report*, 12, (November 1996), pp. 26-30.

Book Review of Allen Isaacman, *Cotton is the Mother of Poverty: Peasants, Work and Rural Struggle in Colonial Mozambique, 1938-1961* in *Journal of Southern African Studies*, 22, 4 (December 1996), pp. 689-691.

"Taking Gender Seriously in Rural Mozambique" (a summary of my fieldwork and findings in northern Mozambique), *Africa Notes*, Institute for African Development, Cornell University (April 1995), pp. 9-10.

Book Review of Diamantino P. Machado, *The Structure of Portuguese Society: The Failure of Fascism in The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 527 (May, 1993), p. 187.

"Protectionist Past Haunts Portugal's Textile Industry", *The Wall Street Journal* (European edition), 11/28/1989, p. 21.

Book Review of Gervase Clarence-Smith, *The Third Portuguese Empire* in *Review of African Political Economy*, 36 (September 1986), pp. 115-116.

Professional Associations and Service

Current Member: American Political Science Association
 African Studies Association
 Midwest Political Science Association

Member, Editorial Board, *Oxford Studies in African Politics and International Relations*, Oxford University Press, 2021- present

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Southern African Studies*, 2021-Present.

Member, Recruitment Committee, Professorship, African Studies, Oxford University, Oxford, 2024-2025.

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Member, Recruitment Committee, Professorship, International Political Economy, Le Centre de recherches internationales (CERI), Sciences Po, Paris, 2024.

Technical consultant, Electoral Institute for Sustainable Democracy in Africa, Liberia, 2023 elections, Kenya 2022 elections, Mozambique 2019 elections, South Africa 2019 elections, Mozambique 2018 Municipal Elections.

Member, Clarence Stone Scholar Award Committee, Urban and Local Politics section, American Political Science Association, 2021.

Country Expert, Asylum cases, Mozambique and Angola, 2018-2024.

Member, Advisory Board, *Journal of Southern African Studies*, 2014-2021.

Member, Editorial Board, *African Studies Review*, 2011-2021.

Member, Advisory Board, Centro de Estudos e Investigação Científica (CEIC) Universidade Católica de Angola and Chr.Michelsen Institute (CMI), Norway Cooperative Partnership sponsored by the Norwegian Embassy, Luanda Angola, 2014-2021.

Co-Editor with Kelly Askew (and from 2019, with Kelly Askew and Laura Fair), *African Perspectives* Book Series, University of Michigan Press, 2014-2021.

Vice-President, President, Past President, (2015-2018), African Studies Association, USA.

External Reviewer, Einaudi International Center, Cornell University, 6-9 May, 2018.

Chair, Power and Politics Section, African Studies Association Conference, San Diego, 2015.

Reviewer, National Science Foundation, May 2015.

Member, Selection Committee, Africa-based Scholars, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research 2015 Summer Training 2015, Syracuse University.

Member, Distinguished Africanist Committee, African Studies Association, 2012-2015

Nomination Reviewer, 2015 Grawemeyer Award for Ideas Improving World Order, University of Louisville, 2014.

Reviewer, Next Generation Social Sciences in Africa Program, Social Science Research Council, 2013-2014.

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Chair: African Politics Conference Group (Elected position), Organized Section, the American Political Science Association; affiliate organization, African Studies Association, 2012-2014

Member, International Editorial Board, African Histories and Cultures Book Series, Michigan State University Press, 2013-2014

Member, Board of Directors, African Studies Association (Elected position), 2008-2011

Chair, Publications Committee, ASA, 2010-2011

Chair, Finance Committee, ASA, 2008-2010

Member, Executive Committee, ASA, 2008-2010

Nominations Committee, Comparative Democratization Section, Organized Section of the American Political Science Association, 2009.

Chair, 2008 Gabriel A. Almond Award Committee of the American Political Science Association for the best doctoral dissertation in Comparative Politics in the years 2006 or 2007.

Member, Editorial Board, *Lusotopie*, 2003-2010.

Founding member, Hamilton Emerald Foundation, a not-for-profit (501c3) Organization dedicated to enriching the educational experience of Hamilton Central School students, Hamilton, NY, 2005-2009

Nominations Committee, African Politics Conference Group, Related Group of the American Political Science Association and the African Studies Association, 2008

Reviewer, Panel Proposal Review Committee, Luso-African Studies Organization, Associated Group of the African Studies Association, 2008

Peer reviewer, 2008-2009 fellowship proposals, international panel, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, December, 2007

Treasurer, African Politics Conference Group, Related Group of the American Political Science Association and the African Studies Association, 2004-2006

Peer reviewer, small grant proposals, American Political Science Association Small Grants Award Committee, March, 2005

Peer reviewer, fellowship proposals, international panel, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, January 2005

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Election Observer, Carter Center Election Observer Team, Mozambique General Elections, 27 November- 5 December 2004

Participant, *Aluka* Project, Mellon Foundation project to digitize primary sources relating to the liberation struggles in Africa, October 2003

Section Chair (with Martin Murray), “Youth and Urban Space in Africa” Section, 2003 African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Boston, 30 October-2 November, 2003

Fellow, Centro de Estudos Africanos, Universidade Eduardo Mondlane, Maputo, Mozambique, 1998-present

Fellow, Instituto de Ciencias Sociais, Lisbon, Portugal, 1988-present

Peer review for Cambridge University Press, Heinemann Press, Indiana University Press, Ohio University Press, Oxford University Press, Princeton University Press, Routledge, University of Michigan Press, University of Pennsylvania Press, University of Rochester Press, University of Virginia Press, Westview Press; *African Affairs*, *African Studies Review*, *Afrika Spectrum*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Business History*, *Canadian Journal of African Studies*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Comparative Politics*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, *International Journal of Housing Policy*, *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, *International Studies Perspectives*, *Journal of Agrarian Change*, *Journal of Development Studies*, *Journal of International Development*, *Journal of Modern African Studies*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Southern African Studies*, *Kronos*, *Lusotopie*, *Party Politics*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *Political Behavior*, *Political Communication*, *Political Geography*, *Political Studies*, *PS: Political Science and Politics*, *Journal of Peace Research*, *The Journal of International Development*, *Third World Quarterly*, *Women in International Development*, *Review of International Political Economy*, *Urban Studies*, *World Politics*, *Zeitschrift fuer Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft*.

Academic Conferences and Invited Presentations (last 10 years)

2025 Presenter, “The State of Democracy in Africa, 2024”, University of Michigan Seminar on Democracy, 2/25/2025; Poster Session, “The Things We’ll Never Know: A Science Fair of Canceled Grants”, United States House of Representatives, 7/8/2025

2024 Presenter, “The Political Treadmill of Local Public Goods Provision in Electoral Autocracies”, Southern Political Science Association, 1/9/2024; Participant, Democracy Capture Training Workshop, Center for Democratic Development, Accra Ghana, 2/26-3/1/2024; Presenter, “Political Violence and the 2021 South African Municipal Elections” with Rod Alence, African Studies Center 15th Anniversary, 4/5/2024; Presenter, “Officers,

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Politicians, and Businesspeople: The effects of military political and economic power for democracy and human rights in Mozambique” with Celso Monjane, Mellon Conference on “The Art of Democracy,” Maputo, Mozambique 5/28/2024; Presenter with Celso Monjane, “Politicized capital accumulation in Mozambique: The role of the military”, African Studies Association Conference, Oxford UK, 8/28/2024; Presenter; Authors Meet Critics: Aditi Malik and Michael Wahman book panel, APSA conference 9/5/2024; Presenter, Author Meets Critics, Cathy Boone book panel, APSA conference, 9/6/2024; Presenter with Udoi Rateng, “The Promise and Practice of Populism in Kenya: William Ruto’s Presidential Campaign and Administration”, APSA Conference, Philadelphia PA 9/6/2024

2023 Presenter, “Officers and Businessmen: Military intervention in the economies of developing countries” (with Celso Monjane); Presenter, Roundtable on *Parties, Political Finance and Governance in Africa* by Rachel Sigman, African Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco CA

2022 Presenter, “Authoritarian Power in the Global Economy,” Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies Panel 3/8/2022; Panel Chair, “Electoral Violence, Voter Attitudes and Voter Behavior in Africa,” and Presenter, “Political Violence and the 2021 South African Municipal Elections” (with Rod Alence), Midwest Political Science Association 4/8/2022; Presenter, “30th Anniversary of Rome Peace Accords in Mozambique,” *Voice of America* , 10/6/2022; Presenter, “City Limits: Urban Politics in Africa,” American Political Science Association; Presenter (with Rod Alence), “Political Violence and the 2021 South African Municipal Elections,” Conference on Elections and Violence, 10/25/2022; Chair and Discussant, Workshop on the Politics of Economic Policy in African Countries, Oxford University 11/3-4/2022; Panel Chair, African Studies Association, “How has rapid urbanization in Africa reshaped livelihoods, identities, attitudes, and political support?”; Presenter, “City Limits: Urban Politics in Africa”, 11/18/2022; Presenter, “The 2023 Election and the Future of Human Rights and Democracy in Nigeria,” Donia Human Rights Center, University of Michigan, 11/30,2022;

2021 Discussant, “Democracy Capture and the Shadow State in Africa” Report Launch, Ghana Center for Democratic Development (CDD-Ghana) and Democracy in Africa; Discussant, “Author Meets Critics: Antoinette Handley,” American Political Science Association Annual Conference

2020 "Local Election Related Violence and Security in Africa," Presentation to Carnegie Corporation of New York with Grant Masterson, Electoral Institute for Sustainable Democracy in Africa and Rod Alence, University of the Witwatersrand; Presenter, American Political Science Association Annual Conference,

2019 Invited speaker, Oxford Political Economy Conference, Oxford University, Oxford, UK; Invited speaker, Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Study, Stellenbosch, South Africa; Paper presenter, panel chair, European Consortium on African Studies Bi-annual conference,

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Edinburgh Scotland); Invited speaker, workshop on Authoritarianism, Oxford University, Oxford, UK; Organizer, Chair and Presenter, "Austerity and Anti-Austerity Beyond Capitalism", Conference, University of Michigan; Invited Speaker, Osher Life-Long Learning Institute, University of Michigan; Invited speaker, Authoritarian Crisis and Adaptation Panel, Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies, University of Michigan; Discussant, American Political Science Association, Washington, DC; Organizer and Presenter, African Studies Center/Wiser Mellon Conference on "Historical and Contemporary Expressions of Populism in Africa and Beyond", University of Michigan; Paper presenter, panel chair, African Studies Association, Boston, MA.

2018 Invited Speaker, Ifrane University, Ifrane, Morocco; Invited speaker, Seminar : "The Ageing out of Africa's Liberation Cadres", United States State Department, Washington, DC; Invitation only conference, Université de Laval (Quebec City, Canada); Austerity Conference (sponsored by Mellon Foundation, Maputo, Mozambique; American Political Science Association, Boston MA; African Studies Association-United Kingdom, Birmingham, UK; African Studies Association, Atlanta, GA.

2017 American Political Science Association, African Studies Association, Michigan State University, Rutgers University, University of Chicago, Oxford University; United States State Department (incoming Ambassador to Angola).

2016 American Political Science Association, African Studies Association, Oxford University, Yale University, New Haven, CT; Department of Economics, University of Cape Town, Cape Town, South Africa; Faces of the City Seminar, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa; Kennesaw State University, Atlanta, GA

2015 American Political Science Association, African Studies Association, Center for Scientific Research and Investigation, Catholic University, Luanda Angola; United States Agency for International Development, Luanda, Angola; Angolan Political Science Association, Luanda, Angola; Colgate University.

Courses Taught (Last ten years)

Pro-Seminar on Research Design and Methods (Graduate)

Pro-Seminar on Interdisciplinary Approaches to African Studies (Graduate)

Authoritarian Regimes (Graduate)

African Politics (Graduate)

Culture, Class, and Conflict in South Africa (Undergraduate/Graduate and Upper Level Writing Seminar)

Business and Politics in Developing Countries (Undergraduate/Graduate)

Political Science Honors Seminar (Undergraduate)

Democracy and Development in Africa (Undergraduate)

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International Studies (Politics and Development) (Undergraduate)
African Economies: Social and Political Settings (Undergraduate)
Urban Politics in Comparative Perspective (Undergraduate Upper Level Writing Seminar)
States, Markets and Global Change (Undergraduate Upper Level Writing Seminar)

University Service and Additional Academic Appointments

2025-present	Rackham Executive Board, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
2022-present	Executive Committee, Department of Afro-American and African Studies; Chair, Graduate Committee, DAAS
2022- 2025	Faculty Advisor, Interdisciplinary Workshop in Comparative Politics, Department of Political Science
2022-2023	Advisory Committee, Center for Political Studies, Institute for Social Research,
2020-2022	Executive Committee, Department of Political Science
2018-2022	Executive Committee, Masters' in International and Regional Studies (MIRS), International Institute, University of Michigan
2018-2019	Co-Director, Africa Workshop Lecture Series, Dept. of Afro-American and African Studies, University of Michigan
2012-2017	Coordinator, African Social Research Initiative, African Studies Center, University of Michigan
April-June, 2016	Visiting Senior Member, St. Peter's College, Oxford University
Jan-March, 2016	Visiting Researcher, Department of International Relations, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa
Fall, 2015	Member, Race and Ethnicity Review Committee, University of Michigan
2011-2013	Member, Executive Committee, African Studies Center, University of Michigan
2009-2014	Member, President's African Advisory Council, University of Michigan

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- 2007-2008 University Professor (Director)
Core Cultures- A component of Colgate's Liberal Arts Program
- 2007-2008 Member, Core Revision Committee, Responsible for revising Colgate
University's Liberal Arts Curriculum
- Member, Steering Committee, Africana and Latin American Studies
Program, Colgate University
- Jan-June, 2007 Visiting Lecturer
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Rue de Lausanne 132, Case postale 36
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- 2005-2007 Director, Center for Ethics and World Societies
2006-2007 Theme: "Cities, Citizenship, and Civic Participation"
2005-2006 Theme: "Cities, Citizenship, and Modernity"
Colgate University
- Fall, 2004 Interim Director, Core Cultures Program
Colgate University
- 1999-2002 Coordinator, African Studies
Africana and Latin American Studies Program, Colgate University
- Jan.-June, 1998 Visiting Researcher, Centro de Estudos Africanos,
Universidade Eduardo Mondlane, Maputo, Mozambique
- Feb.-June, 1994 Visiting Researcher, Centro de Estudos Africanos
Universidade Eduardo Mondlane, Maputo, Mozambique
- 1988-89 Visiting Researcher, Instituto de Ciencias Sociais, Lisbon, Portugal

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English-fluent

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