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ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH POSITIONS

MCGILL UNIVERSITY, Montreal (2014-present)

Associate Professor, Political Science and International Development Studies (2018-present)

Assistant Professor, Political Science and International Development Studies (2014-2018)

- Associate Director, Centre for International Peace and Security Studies (CIPSS) (2015-present)
- Co-founder and coordinator, McGill Refugee Research Group (2018-present)

BROOKINGS INSTITUTION, Washington, DC (2012-2016)

Fellow (2012-2014) and Non-Resident Fellow (2014-2016), Brookings-LSE Project on Internal Displacement/
Foreign Policy Program

SAINT PAUL UNIVERSITY, Ottawa (2009-2014)

Assistant Professor, Conflict Studies

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD (2005-2010)

- DPhil (PhD) in International Relations (St Antony's College)
- Honours: University of Oxford's Winchester Dissertation Prize, Academic Council on the UN System (ACUNS) Dissertation Award

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD (2003-2004)

- MSc in Forced Migration (Distinction)

UNIVERSITY OF ST. ANDREWS (UK) (1999-2003)

- MA (Hons.) in International Relations and Philosophy (BA equivalent) (First Class Honours)

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY (2001-2002)

- Academic exchange (Dean's Honour Roll, GPA 4.00)

PUBLICATIONS

Single-authored books

Megan Bradley (forthcoming, 2019) *The International Organization for Migration: Commitments, Challenges, Complexities*, London: Routledge.

Megan Bradley (2013) *Refugee Repatriation: Justice, Responsibility and Redress*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Edited books

Megan Bradley, James Milner and Blair Peruniak (eds.) (2019) *Refugees' Roles in Resolving Displacement and Building Peace: Beyond Beneficiaries*, Washington, DC: Georgetown University Press.

Megan Bradley (ed.) (2015) *Forced Migration, Reconciliation and Justice*, Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press.

Co-authored book

Megan Bradley, Ibrahim Fraihat and Houda Mzioudet (2016) *Libya's Displacement Crisis: Uprooted by Revolution and Civil War*, Washington, DC: Georgetown University Press (digital shorts series).

Special Issue

Megan Bradley and Roger Duthie (guest editors) (2014) Special Issue on "Accountability and Redress for the Injustices of Displacement," *Journal of Refugee Studies* 27(2).

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Megan Bradley (2019) "Unresolved and Unresolvable? Tensions in the Refugee Regime," *Ethics and International Affairs* 33(1): 45-56.

Megan Bradley (2018) "Durable Solutions and the Right of Return for Internally Displaced Persons: Evolving Interpretations," *International Journal of Refugee Law* 30(2): 218-242.

Megan Bradley (2017) "More than Misfortune: Recognizing Natural Disasters as a Concern for Transitional Justice," *International Journal of Transitional Justice* 11(3) 400-420.

Megan Bradley (2017) "The International Organization for Migration (IOM): Gaining Power in the Forced Migration Regime," *Refuge* 33(1): 91-106.

Megan Bradley, Angela Sherwood, Lorenza Rossi, Rufa Guiam and Bradley Mellicker (2017) "Researching the Resolution of Post-Disaster Displacement: Reflections from Haiti and the Philippines," *Journal of Refugee Studies* 30(3): 363-386.

Megan Bradley (2014) "Rethinking Refugeehood: Statelessness, Repatriation and Refugee Agency," *Review of International Studies* 40(1): 101-123.

Megan Bradley and Roger Duthie (2014) "Introduction: Accountability and Redress for the Injustices of Displacement," *Journal of Refugee Studies* 27(2): 161-170.

Mike Asplet and Megan Bradley (2013) "Introductory Note to the African Union Convention for the Protection and Assistance of Internally Displaced Persons in Africa (Kampala Convention)," *International Legal Materials* 52(1): 397-410.

Megan Bradley (2012) "'Migrants in a Feverland': State Obligations towards 'Environmental Refugees,'" *Journal of International Political Theory* 8 (1-2): 147-158.

Mike Asplet and Megan Bradley (2012) “Strengthened Protection for Internally Displaced Persons in Africa: The Kampala Convention Comes into Force,” *American Society of International Law (ASIL) Insights* 16(36).

Megan Bradley (2011) “Unlocking Protracted Displacement: Central America’s ‘Success Story’ Reconsidered,” *Refugee Survey Quarterly* 30(4): 84-121.

Roberta Cohen and Megan Bradley (2010) “Disasters and Displacement: Gaps in Protection,” *Journal of International Humanitarian Legal Studies* 1(1) (2010): 95-142.

Megan Bradley (2009) “Return in Dignity: A Neglected Refugee Protection Challenge,” *Canadian Journal of Development Studies* 28(3): 371-382.

Megan Bradley (2009) “Obstacles to Realising Guiding Principle 29 in Afghanistan,” *Forced Migration Review* (Special Edition): 24-25.

Megan Bradley (2008) “Back to Basics: The Conditions of Just Refugee Returns,” *Journal of Refugee Studies* 21(3): 285-304.

Megan Bradley (2008) “On the Agenda: North-South Research Partnerships and Agenda-Setting Processes,” *Development in Practice* 18(6): 673-685.

Megan Bradley (2007) “Redress and Refugees: Reflections on some Recent Literature” (review essay), *Journal of Refugee Studies* 20(4): 662-668.

Megan Bradley (2007) “Refugee Research Agendas: The Influence of Donors and North-South Partnerships,” *Refugee Survey Quarterly* 26(3): 119-135.

Book Chapters

Megan Bradley (forthcoming, 2019) “Is Return the Preferred Solution to Refugee Crises?,” in David Miller and Christine Straehle (eds.) *The Political Philosophy of Refuge* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press).

Megan Bradley (forthcoming, 2019) “Repatriation and Restitution,” in Cathryn Costello, Michelle Foster and Jane McAdam (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of International Refugee Law* (Oxford: Oxford University Press).

Megan Bradley, James Milner and Blair Peruniak (2019) “Shaping the Struggles of their Times: Refugees, Peacebuilding and Resolving Displacement,” in Megan Bradley, James Milner and Blair Peruniak (eds.) *Refugees’ Roles in Resolving Displacement and Building Peace: Beyond Beneficiaries*, Washington, DC: Georgetown University Press.

James Milner, Megan Bradley and Blair Peruniak (2019) “Conclusion: Where Do We Go From Here?” in Megan Bradley, James Milner and Blair Peruniak (eds.) *Refugees’ Roles in Resolving Displacement and Building Peace: Beyond Beneficiaries*, Washington, DC: Georgetown University Press.

Megan Bradley (2017) “Whose Agenda? Power and Priorities in North-South Research Partnerships,” in L. Mougeot (ed.) *Putting Knowledge to Work: Collaborating, Influencing and Learning for International Development*, Ottawa: IDRC, pp. 37-70.

Megan Bradley and Angela Sherwood (2016) “Addressing and Resolving Internal Displacement: Reflections on a Soft Law ‘Success Story,’” in T. Gammeltoft-Hansen, S. Lagoutte and J. Cerone (eds.) *Tracing the Roles of Soft Law in Human Rights*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 155-182.

Megan Bradley (2015) "Introduction: The Troubled Intersection of Forced Migration, Justice and Reconciliation," in M. Bradley (ed.) *Forced Migration, Reconciliation and Justice*, Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press, pp. 3-25.

Megan Bradley (2015) "Advancing the Agenda: Implications for Research, Policy and Practice," in M. Bradley (ed.) *Forced Migration, Reconciliation and Justice*, Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press, pp. 345-358.

Megan Bradley (2014) "Displacement in Central America and the Caribbean: Cooperation and Challenges," in E. Fiddian-Qasmiyeh, G. Loescher, K. Long and N. Sigona (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Refugee and Forced Migration Studies*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 664-674.

Megan Bradley (2013) "Liberal Democracies' Divergent Interpretations of the Right of Return: Implications for Free Movement," in W. Maas (ed.) *Democratic Citizenship and the Free Movement of People*, Leiden: Brill/Martinus Nijhoff, pp. 195-216.

Megan Bradley and Roberta Cohen (2013) "Disasters, Displacement and Protection: Challenges, Shortcomings and Ways Forward," in T. Faist and J. Schade (eds.) *Disentangling Migration and Climate Change: Methodologies, Political Discourses and Human Rights*, New York: Springer, pp. 207-228.

Megan Bradley (2013) "Redressing Internally Displaced Palestinians in Israel," in R. Brynen and R. El-Rifai (eds.) *Compensation to Palestinian Refugees and the Search for Palestinian-Israeli Peace*, London: Pluto Press, pp. 224-244.

Megan Bradley (2013) "Gender Dimensions of Redress for the Palestinian Refugees," in R. Brynen and R. El-Rifai (eds.) *Compensation to Palestinian Refugees and the Search for Palestinian-Israeli Peace*, London: Pluto Press, pp. 204-223.

Megan Bradley (2012) "Truth-Telling and Displacement: Patterns and Prospects," in R. Duthie (ed.) *Displacement and Transitional Justice*, New York: SSRN, pp. 189-231.

Megan Bradley (2011) "Reparations," in G. Kurian, et al. (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Political Science*, Washington, D.C.: CQ Press (Sage Publications).

Megan Bradley, J.M. Labatut and G. Morin-Labatut (2008) "L'aide canadienne à la recherche pour le développement" ("Canadian aid for research for development"), in F. Audet, M. Desrosiers and S. Roussel (eds.) *L'aide canadienne au développement*, Montreal: University of Montreal Press.

Book Reviews

Megan Bradley (2011) "Review of *Land, Memory, Reconstruction and Justice: Perspectives on Land Claims in South Africa*, by Anna Bohlin, Cheryl Walker, Ruth Hall and Thembele Kepe and *Overcoming Historical Injustices: Land Reconciliation in South Africa*, by James Gibson," *International Journal of Transitional Justice* 5: 530-535.

Megan Bradley (2011) "Review of *Skeletons in the Closet: Transitional Justice in Post-Communist Europe*, by Monika Nalepa," *Political Studies Review* 9(2).

Megan Bradley (2011) "Review of *After Genocide: Transitional Justice, Post-Conflict Reconstruction and Reconciliation in Rwanda and Beyond*, edited by Phil Clark and Zachary Kaufman," *Political Studies Review* 9(2).

Megan Bradley (2008) “Review of *The Future for Palestinian Refugees: Toward Equity and Peace*, by Michael Dumper,” *Journal of Refugee Studies* 21(2): 256-257.

Megan Bradley (2008) “Review of *Conflict and the Refugee Experience: Flight, Exile and Repatriation in the Horn of Africa*, by Assefaw Bariagaber,” *Political Studies Review* 6(3): 409-410.

Megan Bradley (2007) “Review of *Palestinian Refugee Repatriation: Global Perspectives*, edited by Michael Dumper,” *Journal of Refugee Studies* 20(1): 152-154.

Policy Briefings, Reports and Working Papers (selected)

Megan Bradley (forthcoming, 2019) “Resolving Refugee Situations: Seeking Solutions Worthy of the Name,” *World Refugee Council Research Report*, Waterloo: Centre for International Governance Innovation (CIGI).

Megan Bradley (2018) “Recognizing Natural Disasters as a Concern for Transitional Justice,” *McGill ISID Global Governance Lab Policy Brief*, Montreal: McGill University Institute for the Study of International Development.

Angela Sherwood, Megan Bradley, Rufa Guiam, Lorenza Rossi and Bradley Mellicker (2015) *Resolving Post-Disaster Displacement: Insights from the Philippines after Typhoon Haiyan (Yolanda)*, Washington, DC: Brookings Institution/International Organization for Migration.

Angela Sherwood, Megan Bradley, Lorenza Rossi, Rosalia Gitau and Bradley Mellicker (2014) *Supporting Durable Solutions to Urban, Post-Disaster Displacement: Challenges and Opportunities in Haiti*, Washington, DC: Brookings Institution/International Organization for Migration.

Megan Bradley (2012) *Displacement, Transitional Justice and Reconciliation: Assumptions, Challenges and Lessons*, University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre Policy Briefing 9.

Megan Bradley, Roger Duthie and Bryce Campbell (2012) *Transitional Justice and Displacement: Challenges and Recommendations*, Brookings Institution/International Center for Transitional Justice, July 2012.

Megan Bradley (2011) “Unlocking Protracted Displacement: Central America’s ‘Success Story’ Reconsidered,” *University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre Working Papers* 77.

Megan Bradley (2007) “Return in Dignity: A Neglected Refugee Protection Challenge,” *University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre Working Papers* 40.

Megan Bradley (2007) “North-South Research Partnerships: Challenges, Responses and Trends,” *IDRC Canadian Partnerships Working Papers* 1.

Megan Bradley (2007) “On the Agenda: North-South Research Partnerships and Agenda-Setting Processes,” *IDRC Canadian Partnerships Working Papers* 2.

Megan Bradley (2005) “The Conditions of Just Return: State Responsibility and Restitution for Refugees,” *University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre Working Papers* 21.

Other Peer-Reviewed Publications

Megan Bradley (2006) *Reparations, Reconciliation and Forced Migration: A Research Guide*, Oxford: University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre-Forced Migration On-Line.

Megan Bradley (2006) *Return of Forced Migrants: A Research Guide*, Oxford: University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre-Forced Migration On-Line.

Opinion Pieces and Feature Interviews (selected)

Megan Bradley (2015) “Canada Falling Short Amid Global Refugee Crisis,” *Toronto Star*, 20 June 2015.

Megan O’Toole (2015) “Q&A: Pressure Builds on Libya’s Displaced (Interview with Megan Bradley),” *Al-Jazeera*, <http://www.aljazeera.com/news/2015/04/qa-pressure-builds-libya-displaced-150419122318326.html>

Megan Bradley (2014) “Four Years after the Haiti Earthquake, the Search for Solutions to Displacement Continues,” Brookings Up Front blog, 13 January 2014, see <http://www.brookings.edu/blogs/up-front/posts/2014/01/13-haiti-earthquake-anniversary-bradley>.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Rethinking Return: Defining Success in Refugee Repatriation,” *World Politics Review*, 3 December 2013.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Celebrating the Kampala Convention on Internal Displacement as Conflict Escalates in the Central African Republic: A Bittersweet Anniversary,” Brookings Up Front blog, 3 December 2013, <http://www.brookings.edu/blogs/up-front/posts/2013/12/03-central-african-republic-idps-bradley>.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Is Resettlement a Solution to Syria’s Refugee Crisis?,” Brookings Up Front blog, 13 November 2013, <http://www.brookings.edu/blogs/up-front/posts/2013/11/13-syria-refugee-crisis-bradley>.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Humanitarian Crisis Spilling from Syria,” *CNN.com*, 11 September 2013, http://www.cnn.com/2013/09/11/opinion/bradely-syria-refugees/?hpt=hp_bn7.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Hospitality in Crisis: Reflections on Jordan’s Role in Responding to Syrian Displacement,” Brookings Up Front blog, 27 August 2013, <http://www.brookings.edu/blogs/up-front/posts/2013/08/27-syrian-refugees-jordan-bradley>.

Megan Bradley (2013) “For Regional Stability, Help Syria’s Internally Displaced,” *The Christian Science Monitor*, 12 June 2013.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Camps are Not the Answer to Syria’s Displacement Crisis,” *The Atlantic*, 19 April 2013.

Megan Bradley (2013) “Syria’s Unseen Crisis: Displaced Women Face Rape, Insecurity, Poverty,” *The Daily Beast*, 8 March 2013.

Megan Bradley (2012) “Gaza Conflict Overshadows Essential Debate on the Right of Return” (op-ed), *Ottawa Citizen*, 17 November 2012.

Megan Bradley (2012) “Bracing for Sandy: Cutting the Cost of Disaster” (op-ed), *Ottawa Citizen*, 30 October 2012.

Megan Bradley (2012) “Waiting on Isaac, Reflecting on Katrina” (op-ed), *Ottawa Citizen*, 28 August 2012.

Megan Bradley and Jane McAdam (2012) “Rethinking Durable Solutions to Displacement in the Context of Climate Change,” Brookings Institution web-ed, 14 May 2012, see <http://www.brookings.edu/research/papers/2012/05/14-displacement-bradley-mcadam>.

Megan Bradley (2012) “The Crime of Displacement: Holding Charles Taylor and other Political Leaders Accountable,” Brookings Up Front blog, 7 May 2012, see http://www.brookings.edu/opinions/2012/0507_charles_taylor_bradley.aspx.

Work in Progress

Megan Bradley. “Cultivating Moral Authority in International Organizations: Humanitarianism, Protection and the International Organization for Migration (IOM)” (revise and resubmit with *International Studies Quarterly*).

Megan Bradley and Cate Duin. “A Port in the Storm: Resettlement and Private Sponsorship in the Broader Context of the Refugee Regime,” in *Strangers to Neighbours: Private Refugee Sponsorship in Canada and Beyond*, eds. Shauna Labman and Geoff Cameron, under review for publication with McGill-Queen’s University Press.

Megan Bradley. *The Right of Return: Origins, Evolution and Scope* (book manuscript, based on SSHRC-funded study).

Blair Peruniak and Megan Bradley. “Refugees and Just War Theory” (working paper, to be submitted for peer review in Spring 2019).

Megan Bradley. “Socializing UNHCR: Refugees’ Roles in Interpreting and Promoting International Norms” (working paper).

Mohamed Sesay and Megan Bradley. “‘When the Earth Opened’: Responsibility and Accountability After Disasters – Insights from Sierra Leone” (working paper).

Megan Bradley and Mohamed Sesay. “‘Survivors Amongst Survivors’: Narrating Loss Across Disaster, Epidemic and War in Sierra Leone” (working paper).

Megan Bradley and Merve Erdilmen. “Speaking of Rights: Protection Norms, Rights-Talk and the International Organization for Migration” (working paper).

GRANTS, AWARDS AND HONOURS

- ***SSHRC Partnership Grant***, 2018-2025
Co-applicant and research cluster lead on seven-year grant of \$3.676 million (\$2.5 million from SSHRC) for project entitled “Civil Society and the Global Refugee Regime” (PI: Professor James Milner, Carleton University)
- ***SSHRC Insight Grant***, 2015-2020
Principal investigator. Grant of \$161,000 for research project entitled “The International Organization for Migration: Understanding a Rising Humanitarian Actor”; *ranked 1/78 applications in Committee 2C (Political science and public administration)*
- ***SSHRC Connection Grant***, 2019-2020

Co-applicant on grant of \$18,187 for project on “The Margins of Accountability” (PI: Professor Catherine Lu, McGill University)

- **SSHRC Connection Grant, 2018-2019**
Collaborator on grant of \$34,868, “Research from the Ground Up: Building a Migration Research Collective” (PI: Professor Luna Vives, University of Montreal)
- **SSHRC Insight Development Grant, 2015-2019**
Principal investigator. Grant of \$59,705 for research project entitled “Seeking Justice after Natural Disasters” (grant period extended owing to parental leave)
- **FRQSC New Researchers Grant, 2015-2019**
Principal investigator. Grant of \$39,600 for research project entitled “Recherche de la justice après les catastrophes naturelles,” awarded through the Établissement de nouveaux professeurs-chercheurs program of the Fonds de recherche du Québec – Société et culture (FRQSC) (grant period extended owing to parental leave)
- **McGill Political Science Students Association (PSSA) “Course of the Year” Award, 2018**
Award received for POLI 448 course on “Gender and International Relations”
- **SSHRC Connection Grant, 2015-2017**
Principal investigator. Grant of \$24,959 for research project entitled “From Beneficiaries to Actors: Understanding Displaced Persons’ Roles in Resolution Processes”
- **SSHRC Connection Grant, 2015-2016**
Collaborator on \$25,000 grant for project entitled “Power and Influence in the Global Refugee Regime: Canada in a Comparative Perspective” (PI: Professor James Milner, Carleton University)
- **SSHRC Standard Research Grant, 2011-2015**
Principal investigator. Three-year grant of \$81,090 for research project entitled “The Right of Return: Origins, Evolution and Scope of an International Norm”
- **Publication Grant from Awards to Scholarly Publications Program (ASPP), 2014**
Principal investigator. SSHRC-funded grant of \$8,000 from Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences to support publication of *Forced Migration, Reconciliation and Justice* by McGill-Queen’s University Press
- **Brookings Institution Director’s Strategic Initiatives Fund (DSIF) Grant, 2013**
Co-principal investigator. Grant of \$71,570 for research project entitled “Resolving Libya’s Displacement Crisis” (with Dr. Ibrahim Fraihat)
- **International Development Research Centre (IDRC) Canadian Partnerships Grant, 2011-2012**
Principal investigator. Grant of \$25,500 to support organization of Conference on Displacement and Reconciliation, held at Saint Paul University from 9-11 June 2011
- **German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Grant, 2011 (co-applicant, with C. Straehle and P. Lenard)**
Grant of \$12,450 for project entitled “Germany’s Immigration and Integration Experience: Lessons for Canada”
- **Marchioness of Winchester Thesis Prize, 2010**

Award from the University of Oxford Department of Politics and International Relations for the most outstanding thesis submitted in 2009 addressing issues of human rights and fundamental freedoms

- ***SSHRC Postdoctoral Prize***, 2009 (declined to take a tenure-track position)
Prize awarded annually to the most outstanding SSHRC postdoctoral fellowship recipient (first in field of 766 applicants)
- ***SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship***, 2009-2011 (declined to take up tenure-track position)
Two-year fellowship at McGill University, funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (proposal received score of 30/30)
- ***ACUNS Dissertation Award***, 2009
Award from the Academic Council on the United Nations System for exceptional PhD research addressing key challenges facing the UN
- ***Sauvé Scholar (McGill University)***, 2008-2009
Annual fellowship awarded by Sauvé Foundation in cooperation with McGill University for academic and professional achievement and demonstrated leadership ability
- ***Cadieux-Léger Fellowship***, 2007-2008
Fellowship awarded annually by the Policy Research Division of the Canadian Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade (DFAIT), to a researcher examining issues of importance to Canadian foreign policy
- ***Kari Polanyi-Levitt Award***, 2007
Awarded by the Canadian Association for the Study of International Development, for the best essay by a graduate student in the area of international development studies
- ***Canadian Friends of Peace Now (CFPN) Peace Fellowship***, 2007
Fellowship awarded annually for research advancing Middle East peacemaking
- ***Frank H. Epp Memorial Scholarship***, 2007
Scholarship from Conrad Grebel College, University of Waterloo for Middle East peacemaking research
- ***CIDA-CFHSS Graduate Student Award***, 2007
Graduate student prize from Canadian International Development Agency and Canadian Federation of the Humanities and Social Sciences, for study on international cooperation and development research agendas
- ***Overseas Research Student Award***, 2006-2007
Doctoral scholarship from UK government, awarded to international students for academic merit
- ***Nathalie des Rosiers Audacity of Imagination Award***, 2006
Graduate student prize from Law Commission of Canada/Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences
- ***Wingate Scholarship***, 2005-2006
Doctoral scholarship awarded to promising researchers from Commonwealth countries
- ***Pirie-Reid Scholarship (University of Oxford)***, 2003-2006
Full scholarship from University of Oxford for Master's studies; partial scholarship for doctoral research
- ***McEuen Scholarship to University of St Andrews***, 1999-2003

Full scholarship granted to one Canadian annually for academic performance and student leadership

- ***Gilbert Murray Trust International Studies Committee Junior Award, 2003***
Awarded for commitment to the purposes and work of the UN, supported research trip to Milosevic trial at the ICTY

KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

“More than Misfortune: Disasters and Transitional Justice”

- Keynote address at "Towards new understandings of culture and disasters in the context of disaster risk reduction," Conference at Friedrich-Alexander Universität, Erlangen-Nürnberg, Germany, 28-29 June 2018

“Ending Exile: The Meaning and Making of Solutions to Refugee Crises”

- Keynote lecture, Dr. Harold Abel Endowed Lecture Series in the Study of Dictatorship, Democracy and Genocide, Central Michigan University, 21 March 2018

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS *(selected)*

“Vicious Cycles: Toward a Research Agenda on Refugee Return and Repeat Migration”

- Workshop at University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, 11 June 2019

“‘Survivors Amongst Survivors’: Narrating Loss Across Disaster, Epidemic and War in Sierra Leone”

- Symposium on Loss, McGill University, 9-10 May 2019 (with Mohamed Sesay)

“Speaking of Rights: Protection Norms, Rights-Talk and the International Organization for Migration”

- International Studies Association Conference, Toronto, 27-30 March 2019 (with Merve Erdilmen)

“Migrant Protection, Moral Authority and IOM”

- Invited talk at University of Pennsylvania, Perry World House, 13 March 2019
- American Political Science Association (APSA) annual conference, San Francisco, 31 August-3 September 2017

“‘When the Earth Opened’: Responsibility and Accountability After Disasters – Insights from Sierra Leone”

- Workshop on New Directions in Global Justice, Freie Universität Berlin, 6-7 December 2018 (with Mohamed Sesay)
- International Studies Association Conference, Toronto, 27-30 March 2019 (with Mohamed Sesay)

“IOM’s Evolving Mandate”

- Workshop on “IOM: The UN Migration Agency?” Refugee Studies Centre, University of Oxford, 2 February 2019

“Ending Exile: The Meaning and Making of Solutions to Refugee Crises”

- Invited talk at Carleton College, Northfield, MN, 24 January 2019

“A Port in the Storm: Resettlement and Private Sponsorship in the Broader Context of the Refugee Regime”

- Workshop on Private Refugee Sponsorship, Munk School of Global Affairs, University of Toronto, 18-19 October 2018 (with Cate Duin)

“Refugees’ Roles in Resolving Displacement and Building Peace: Beyond Beneficiaries”

- Roundtable at International Association for the Study of Forced Migration (IASFM) Conference, Thessaloniki, Greece, 24-27 July 2018
- “Socializing UNHCR: Refugees’ Roles in Interpreting and Promoting International Norms”*
- International Association for the Study of Forced Migration (IASFM) Conference, Thessaloniki, Greece, 24-27 July 2018
- “Is Return the Preferred Solution to Refugee Crises?”*
- Canadian Association for the Study of Forced Migration (CARFMS), Ottawa, 24 May 2018
- “‘Joining the UN family’: Inter-organizational relations, the International Organization for Migration (IOM) and the politics of entering the UN system”*
- International Studies Association Conference, San Francisco, 4-6 April 2018
- “Resolving Refugee Crises: Conceptualizing Cities’ Contributions”*
- Pre-ISA workshop on “Cities and the Contentious Politics of Migration,” San Francisco, 3 April 2018
- “Asylum and Refugee Return: Balancing Moral and Legal Obligations and State Interests”*
- Workshop on “Legal Norms, Moral Values and National Interests,” Convened by Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena, Berlin, 19-21 February 2018
- “Seeking Moral Authority in Humanitarian Responses to Forced Migration”*
- Invited talk, Queen’s University (event on “Refugees and Migration”), Kingston, Ontario, 17 November 2017
- “Seeking Moral Authority: Humanitarianism, Protection and the IOM”*
- Invited talk, Université de Montréal (event on “Managing Migration in a Global Context”), 10 November 2017
- “Strategies for Improving Migrant Protection in Countries of Origin and Host States”*
- LSE Institute of Global Affairs and Ortygia Business School research workshop, Recommendations on Migration for the G7, Siracusa, Italy, 25-26 April 2017
- “Natural Disasters and the Scope of Transitional Justice”*
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, Baltimore, 22-25 February 2017
- “Explaining the Expansion of the International Organization for Migration”*
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, Baltimore, 22-25 February 2017
- “UNHCR and IOM: Power and Authority in the Emerging Global Forced Migration Regime”*
- Presentation for workshop on “Managing migration in world society: International organizations in migration politics,” Carleton University, Ottawa, 11 March 2016 (co-authored work presented by James Milner)
- “Beyond Beneficiaries: Understanding Displaced Persons’ Roles in Resolution Processes”*
- Presentation of background paper for workshop on “Beyond Beneficiaries: Understanding Displaced Persons’ Roles in Resolution Processes,” McGill University, Montreal, 14-15 December 2015 (co-authored with James Milner and Blair Peruniak)
- “The International Organization for Migration: What Role in the Global Forced Migration Regime?”*
- Presentation for workshop on “Power and Influence in the Global Refugee Regime: Canada in a Comparative Perspective,” Carleton University, Ottawa, 23-25 September 2015

“What is the Scope of the Right of Return?”

- American Political Science Association (APSA) annual conference, San Francisco, 3-6 September 2015

“Resolving Post-Disaster Displacement Crises: Insights from the Philippines”

- Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, 24 June 2015

“Resolving Post-Disaster Displacement Crises”

- International Organization for Migration headquarters, Geneva, 15 June 2015

“Addressing and Resolving Internal Displacement: Reflections on a Soft Law ‘Success Story’”

- Canadian Association for Refugee and Forced Migration Studies (CARFMS) annual conference, Ryerson University, Toronto, 15 May 2015

“An Overlooked Crisis: Humanitarian Consequences of the Conflict in Libya”

- Presentation at Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, 24 April 2015

“Seeking ‘Durable Solutions’ to Libya’s Displacement Crisis”

- Presentation at event on Libyan displacement crisis, Brookings Institution Doha Research Centre, Doha, Qatar, 21 April 2015

“Displacement, Transitional Justice and Reconciliation: Links, Lessons and Limits”

- Guest lecture at New York University (NYU) Abu Dhabi campus, United Arab Emirates, 19 April 2015

“Supporting ‘Solutions’ to Displacement in Port-au-Prince, Haiti”

- Presentation for GeoSpectives speakers series, McGill University, 30 March 2015

“Resolving Post-Disaster Displacement Crises: Reflections from Research in Port-au-Prince, Haiti”

- Presentation for Institute for the Study of International Development (ISID) “Notes from the Field” speakers series, McGill University, 5 February 2015

“Uprooted, Unprotected: Libya’s Post-Gaddafi Displacement Crisis”

- Presentation hosted by Hans & Tamar Oppenheimer Chair in Public International Law, McGill Faculty of Law, 27 January 2015

“Resolving Internal Displacement Crises: The Influence of Soft Law”

- Presentation for workshop on Tracing the Roles of Soft Law in the Field of Human Rights, Danish Institute for Human Rights, Copenhagen, 30 September-1 October 2014 (with Angela Sherwood)

“Internally Displaced Persons: Normative Frameworks and Assistance and Protection Challenges”

- Presentation for Summer School on Forced Migration, Centre for Refugee Studies, York University, May 2013 and May 2014

“Insights from the Kampala Convention for Other Regions”

- Presentation for event on The Kampala Convention on Internal Displacement: Significance and Next Steps, at Swiss Mission to the United Nations, New York, 8 April 2014

“Supporting Durable Solutions to Urban, Post-Disaster Displacement: Challenge and Opportunities in Haiti”

- Presentations at the Brookings Institution (Washington, DC), IOM Headquarters (Geneva), IOM Mission to the European Union (Brussels) and in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, March 2014
- “Durable Solutions to Displacement in South Sudan: A Roundtable Discussion”*
- Opening remarks/moderator, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, 14 November 2013
- “Durable Solutions to Displacement: Development and Peacebuilding Dimensions”*
- Presentation for event at UN Headquarters in New York with UN Special Rapporteur on Internal Displacement, UNDP, UNHCR and Peacebuilding Support Office, 25 October 2013
- “Preventing and Responding to Sexual Violence in Conflict: Next Steps in a Global Struggle”*
- Opening remarks/moderator for event with Nobel peace prize nominee Dr. Denis Mukwege, and Ambassador Melanne Verwee, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, 21 October 2013
- “Transitional Justice and Post-Conflict Land Issues”*
- Guest lecture for United States Institute of Peace (USIP) course on Land, Property and Conflict, Washington, DC, December 2012 and June 2013
- “Internal Displacement and Development Agendas: A Roundtable Discussion with Sadako Ogata”*
- Opening remarks/moderator, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, 14 May 2013
- “The Right of Return: Conceptualizing Claims”*
- Presentation for workshop on the Ethics and Politics of the Global Refugee Regime, Princeton University, March 2013
- Linking Displacement and Transitional Justice: What Does it Mean for Development?”*
- Presentation for World Bank Global Centre on Conflict, Security and Development, Washington, DC, March 2013
- “The Kampala Convention on Internal Displacement in Africa: A Human Rights Milestone”*
- Opening remarks/moderator, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, March 2013
- “Gender and IDP Livelihoods: Insights from the Philippines, Côte d’Ivoire and Azerbaijan”*
- International Association for the Study of Forced Migration conference, Kolkata, January 2013
- “Jus Post Bellum and the Resolution of Displacement: Implications for Policy and Practice”*
- International Association for the Study of Forced Migration conference, Kolkata, January 2013
 - University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre 30th anniversary conference, Oxford, December 2012
- “Displacement, Transitional Justice and Reconciliation: Assumptions, Challenges and Lessons”*
- Presentation given for panel discussions on forced migration, transitional justice and reconciliation, International Centre for Ethnic Studies, Colombo, Sri Lanka, January 2013; London and Oxford, June 2012
- “Displacement, the Right of Return and Transitional Justice: Results of Recent Research”*
- Presentation given for inter-agency Advocacy Task Force in Colombo, Sri Lanka, January 2013
- “Linking Displacement, Transitional Justice and Reconciliation: Implications for Peacebuilding”*
- University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre 30th anniversary conference, Oxford, December 2012
- “Accountability for Displacement: Trends and Prospects”*

- World Crime Forum, World Bank, Washington, DC, December 2012

“The Right of Return: A Typology of Claims”

- American Political Science Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, August 2012 (paper available via APSA on-line forum; not presented in person due to Hurricane Isaac)
- International Studies Association Annual Conference, Montreal, March 2011

“Truth-Telling and Forced Migration”

- Presentation given for panel discussions on transitional justice and displacement at International Organization for Migration, Geneva, June 2012; Swisspeace, Bern, July 2012; UN Women/International Center for Transitional Justice, New York, July 2012; Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, July 2012

“Crisis in the Horn of Africa and the Sahel: The Cost of Late Response to Early Warning”

- Opening remarks/moderator, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, May 2012

“Liberal Democracies’ Divergent Interpretations of the Right of Return: Implications for Free Movement”

- Workshop on Free Movement and Discrimination, York University, November 2011

“Resolving Trade and Investment-Induced Displacement in Latin America: Rethinking Durable Solutions”

- Workshop on “Trade and Investment-Induced Population Displacement in Latin America, York University, October 2011

“Unlocking Protracted Displacement: Central America’s ‘Success Story’ Reconsidered”

- Workshop on Unlocking Protracted Displacement, convened by the University of Oxford Refugee Studies Centre, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, Norwegian Refugee Council and the Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre, Geneva, June 2011

“Rethinking Refugeehood: Statelessness, Repatriation and the Contributions of Hannah Arendt”

- International Studies Association Annual Conference, Montreal, March 2011
- International Association for the Study of Forced Migration (IASFM) Conference, Makerere University, Kampala, July 2011

“Truth-Telling and Displacement: Patterns and Prospects”

- International Association for the Study of Forced Migration (IASFM) Conference, Makerere University, Kampala, July 2011
- Canadian Association for the Study of Forced Migration Conference, McGill University, Montreal, May 2011

“State Obligations towards ‘Environmental Refugees’”

- Migration and Justice Workshop, University of Ottawa, March 2011

“The International Protection of Environmental Migrants: Challenges, Shortcomings and Ways Forward”

- European Science Foundation (ESF) Conference on Environmental Change and Migration, Bad Salzflun, Germany, December 2010

“Interpreting the Right of Return”

- Canadian Association for Refugee and Forced Migration Studies Conference, McMaster University, Hamilton, May 2010

“Resolving Internal Displacement in Israel”

- International Studies Association Conference, New Orleans, February 2010

- Canadian Association for Refugee and Forced Migration Studies Conference, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, June 2009

“Redressing Refugees: The Emergence of International Norms on Reparations for Refugees”

- International Studies Association Conference, New York, February 2009
- An Unsettled Future? Forced Migration and Refugee Studies in the 21st Century, University of Oxford, Oxford, December 2007

“Repatriation and Land Conflict in Afghanistan: Challenges and Opportunities”

- Presentation for Montreal Research Group on Ethnic Conflict, McGill University, Montreal, December 2008
- Presentation for Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada (DFAIT), June 2008

“Refugee Returns, Property Rights and Post-Conflict Justice: Recent Developments”

- Presentation for Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA), May 2008

“Redressing Refugees: Repatriation and Post-Conflict Justice”

- Presentation for Humanitarian Affairs and Disaster Response Group, Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada (DFAIT), March 2008

“Migration, Redress and Democratic Development in North and South”

- Immigration, Minorities, Multiculturalism and Democracy Conference, Montreal, October 2007

“On the Agenda: North-South Research Partnerships and Agenda-Setting Challenges”

- International Development Research Centre, Ottawa, July 2007
- Canadian Association for the Study of International Development Conference, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, June 2007

“Return in Dignity: A Neglected Protection Challenge”

- Canadian Association for the Study of International Development Conference, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, June 2007
- Refugee Studies Centre Public Seminar Series, University of Oxford, March 2007
- International Conference on Refugees and International Law: The Challenge of Protection, University of Oxford, December 2006

“North-South Research Partnerships: Challenges, Responses and Trends”

- International Development Research Centre, Ottawa, April 2007

“Reparations and the Return of the Palestinian Refugees in ‘Safety and Dignity’”

- International Conference on the Palestinian Refugees: Conditions and Recent Developments, Al-Quds University, Jerusalem, November 2006

“Repatriation, Redress and Security”

- Canadian Defence and Foreign Affairs Institute 9th Annual Graduate Student Symposium, Kingston, October 2006 (Distinction Award)

“From Divided Cities to Diverse Cities: Legal and Cultural Approaches to Reparations for Refugees”

- Canadian Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, York University, Toronto, June 2006 (Nathalie Des Rosiers Award panel)

“In Safety and Dignity: Refugee Returns, Redress and Post-Conflict Security”

- Canadian Institute of International Affairs Youth Symposium, Vancouver, March 2006
- “*The Conditions of Just Return: State Responsibility and Restitution for Refugees*”
- Refugee Studies Guest Seminar Program, American University in Cairo, November 2004

TEACHING ACTIVITIES *(selected)*

Undergraduate courses taught

- POLI 353: Politics of the International Refugee Regime (McGill)
- POLI 448: Gender and International Relations (McGill)
- INTD 497: Refugees and Forced Migration – Rights and Responsibilities (McGill)
- INTD 497: Transitional Justice (McGill)
- ECS 3120: Armed Conflict and Humanitarian Intervention (Fall 2010) (Saint Paul University)

Graduate courses taught

- POLI 670: Refugees and Humanitarianism (Winter 2017) (McGill)
- ECS 5103: Research Methods in Conflict Studies (Saint Paul University)
- ECS 5302: Approaches to Conflict and Social Justice (Saint Paul University)
- ECS 6140: Conflict Studies Research Seminar (Saint Paul University)
- ECS 5120: Refugees and Forced Migration (Saint Paul University)
- ECS 5120: Armed Conflict and Humanitarian Intervention (Saint Paul University)

MA students supervised

- Kip Jorgenson (Fall 2018-present)
- Isabelle LeMay (Fall 2017-present)
- Cate Duin (Fall 2017-present)
- Mélinda Lacroix (Fall 2017-present)
- Stephanie Bourassa (Fall 2017-Winter 2018)
- Victoria de Keizer (“Caught in the middle: How the Eritrean diaspora navigates its relationship with the international community and the PFDJ regime”) (2016-2018)
- Tamara LaCasse (“The origins and development of refugee social movements in the global South”) (2014-2016)
- Ecem Oskay (“The refugee as an agent: Insights from structuration theory”) (2013-2016)
- Blair Peruniak (“Dual citizens, double agents? The agency and obligations of dual citizens”) (2011-2013)
- Jay Heisler (“Gestures of dissent: Nonviolent communication tactics of revolutionary movements in Burma and Iran”) (2010-2012)

PhD students supervised and PhD committees

- Merve Erdilmen (primary supervisor) (Fall 2018-present)
- Lou Pingeot (“From protection of civilians to policing of civilians: UN peace operations and the management of global disorder”) (Political Science, McGill University) (2016-present)
- Jaime Lenet (“Deportation practices and the migration cycle experiences of refused asylum seekers”) (Social Work, McGill University) (2015-present)
- Amanda Coffee (“Returning to rebuild: Forced migration, resource transformation and reintegration of Liberian returnees from Ghana and Guinea”) (Political Science, Carleton University) (External Committee Member, 2014)

Postdoctoral researchers supervised

- Dr. Zinaida Miller (Global Governance Fellow, Institute for the Study of International Development, McGill) (2015-2016)
- Dr. Mohamed Sesay (Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Research Group on Global Justice, Yan P. Lin Centre, McGill) (2017-2019)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS *(selected)*

Leadership

- Co-founder and coordinator, McGill Refugee Research Group (2018-present)
- Interim Director, Centre for International Peace and Security Studies (CIPSS), McGill University (June-December 2018)
- Associate Director, Centre for International Peace and Security Studies (CIPSS), McGill University (2015-present)
- Co-Director, Conflict Research Centre, Saint Paul University (2009-2012)

Editorial activities

- Co-editor, McGill-Queen's University Press (MQUP) Refugee and Forced Migration Series (2017-present)
- Member, Editorial Advisory Board, *Refuge* (2014-present)
- Member, Advisory Board, Politics of Citizenship and Migration series, Palgrave MacMillan (2015-present)

Peer review activities

- Member, College of Reviewers, Canada Research Chairs Program (2015-present)
- Peer reviewer for Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Routledge, Springer, Edinburgh University Press
- Peer reviewer for Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) Insight Grant and Standard Research Grant Programs
- Peer reviewer for *American Political Science Review*, *British Journal of Political Science*; *Perspectives on Politics*; *Ethics and International Affairs*; *Global Governance*; *Political Geography*; *Social Politics*; *Journal of Refugee Studies*; *International Journal of Transitional Justice*; *International Journal of Refugee Law*; *Refuge*; *Global Justice*; *Migration Studies*; *Political Studies*; *Law & Social Inquiry*; *Ethics & Global Politics*, *Global Policy*; *St Antony's International Review*; *Windsor Yearbook of Access to Justice*, *Journal of International Migration and Integration*

Other service roles and affiliations

- Testified before Canadian House of Commons Standing Committee on Immigration and Citizenship, on migration challenges and opportunities for Canada in the 21st century (2 October 2018)
- Media commentary (op-eds and interviews) on refugees, humanitarian, human rights and development issues with outlets including CNN, CBC, Radio-Canada, Reuters, NPR, CTV News, *The Atlantic*, *Daily Beast* (*Newsweek*), *Christian Science Monitor*, *Globe and Mail*, *Toronto Star*, *Ottawa Citizen*
- Member, SSHRC Doctoral Awards Pre-Selection Committee (2013-2014, 2014-2015, 2015-2016)
- Member, McGill University Faculty of Arts Graduate Student Travel Award Committee, 2015
- Member, McGill University Faculty of Arts Scholarship Committee (2015-2018)
- Executive Committee Member, Canadian Association for Refugee and Forced Migration Studies (Secretary, 2010-2011; Policy Partnerships Officer, 2009-2010)

- Member, Canadian Political Science Association, American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, International Association for the Study of Forced Migration, Canadian Association for the Study of Forced Migration

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

- Institute on Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Arizona State University (2008)
- Intensive training on university teaching and course design, McGill University Teaching and Learning Services (2008)
- Cadieux-Léger Fellow, Policy Research Division, Canadian Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, 2007-2008
- Consultant, researcher, intern, International Development Research Centre (IDRC), Ottawa, various periods, 2002-2011
- Resettlement Caseworker, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), Cairo, 2004

LEAVES

- Maternity leave (February-November 2016)