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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer in Security Studies (Economic Statecraft), King's College London

September 2026 – present

LSE Fellow in International Relations, London School of Economics

September 2023 – August 2026

EDUCATION

London School of Economics, Eden Centre

PGCertHE 2024 – 2025

University of Oxford, St Antony's College

DPhil International Relations 2017 – 2023

Title: 'Rising powers, subordinate monopolization, and major interstate war'

Supervisor: Andrew Hurrell. Examiners: Andrea Ruggeri and Steven Ward.

Teaching Recognition Scheme: Fellowship of the HEA 2023

University of Maryland, College Park

MA Government and Politics 2014 – 2017

University College London

MSc Security Studies 2010 – 2011

University of Oxford, Regent's Park College

BA History and Politics 2006 – 2010

PUBLICATIONS

1. 'Subordinate monopolization and the origins of major power conflict' (forthcoming in *Security Studies*)
2. 2022. '[A liberal peace? The growth of liberal norms and the decline of interstate violence.](#)' *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 66:3, pp 413-442.

WORKING PAPERS

1. 'Second rank powers and international order' (Target: *International Organization*)
2. 'The location of rising power disputes: social position and regional expansion' (Target: *Journal of Peace Research*)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

1. 'War, victory, and state formation' (with Luis L. Schenoni, UCL)
2. Book manuscript: 'Open Hierarchies: Access and Order in World Politics' (Target: *CUP*)
3. 'The impact of UN peacekeeping norms on interstate conflict'

POLICY AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

1. '[The Age of Strategic Exclusion.](#)' *War on the Rocks*, 14th September 2026
2. '[The Future of Multilateralism: Economic Security, Great Power Competition, and the Role of Second-Rank States.](#)' Written evidence submitted to the House of Lords International Relations and Defence Committee, inquiry into *Multilateralism*, 2026. Evidence no. MUL0016
3. With Jacklyn Majnemer, '[Europe's nuclear dilemma: deterrence without the United States?](#)' for LSE Department of International Relations blog, 11th June 2025
4. '[European naval deployments in the Indo-Pacific: why are they there?](#)' for LSE Department of International Relations blog, 9th May 2024
5. '[Shinzo Abe or Abe Shinzo: from western order to international order?](#)' for OxPol blog, 17th April 2020
6. '[London and the rest: regional transport disparities in the UK](#)' for OxPol blog, 13th May 2019

7. [‘Is power-sharing a solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict?’](#) for OxPol blog, 3rd April 2019
8. [‘Japan’s aircraft carriers and the balance of naval capabilities in Asia’](#) for OxPol blog, 17th December 2018
9. [‘NATO, the Russian threat and defence spending’](#) for OxPol blog, 26th July 2018

BOOK REVIEWS

1. 2024. [‘Hybrid Sovereignty in World Politics: By Swati Srivastava.’](#) *The Journal of Development Studies*, 1-2.
2. 2023. [‘Book Review of The New Atlantic Order by Patrick O. Cohrs.’](#) *International Studies Review* 25 (4) viad048.
3. 2023. [‘Review of Shrinking Whitehall: Fundamental reform to improve efficiency by Tim Ambler.’](#) *Governance* 36 (4): 1343-1344.
4. 2023. [‘Review of Renegotiating the Liberal Order: Evidence from the UN Security Council by Brian Frederking.’](#) *Journal of Peace Research*.
5. 2022. [‘Zala, Benjamin. National Perspectives on a Multipolar Order: Interrogating the Global Power Transition.’](#) *St Antony’s International Review* 18 (1): 307-309.
6. 2019. [‘Review of Restraining Great Powers by T.V. Paul.’](#) *St Antony’s International Review* 14 (2): 201-204.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

King’s College London (September 2026 – present)

Undergraduate courses

1. Causes and Consequences of War (2026/27 co-convenor/lectures)
2. Contemporary Security Issues (2026/27 co-convenor/lectures)

Graduate courses

1. National Security Studies (2026/27 co-convenor/lectures/seminars)

London School of Economics (September 2023 – August 2026)

Undergraduate courses

1. International Security (2024-25 co-convenor/lectures/classes; 2025-26 solo convenor/lectures)
2. International Organisations (2025-26 classes)

Graduate courses

1. International Institutions (2023-24 seminars; 2024-25 seminars; 2025-26 seminars)
2. Foreign Policy Analysis (2023-24 seminars)

Dissertation supervision

1. MSc x 21
2. BSc x 2

Executive masters

1. Policy in Practice I and III: Cybersecurity: Challenges and Governance (2024-25 tutor)
2. Strategy in a Changing World (2025-26 guest lecturer)

University of Oxford (October 2017 – June 2023)

College Lecturer in Politics, St John’s College, Oct 2022 – Sept 2023

Stipendiary Lecturer in Politics, St John’s College, Oct 2018 – Sep 2022

Retained Lecturer and Director of Politics, Regent’s Park College, Sep 2019 – Aug 2021

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Oxford Q-Step Centre, Jan 2019 – Jun 2020

Tutorials – weekly tutorials

1. International Relations (core paper), taught more than once per year
2. British Politics and Government since 1900 (core paper), taught once per year
3. Practice of Politics (core first-year paper), taught once per year
4. International Security and Conflict (optional paper), taught once per year
5. IR in the Era of Two World Wars (optional paper), taught infrequently
6. IR in the Era of the Cold War (optional paper), taught infrequently

Seminars

1. Introductory Quantitative Methods in R (core first-year paper, lab sessions), taught annually

University of Maryland (August 2014 – June 2017)

Graduate Assistant, Department of Government and Politics, Aug 2014 – Jun 2017

Teaching Assistant – 3 seminars p/w

1. International Political Relations (Fall 2014, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017)
2. US and China in a Changing World (Fall 2015)
3. Global Politics of Food (Spring 2015)

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2025** LSE Class Teacher Award (Highly commended)
- 2019** American Political Science Association Travel Grant, \$400 for presenting at APSA
Cyril Foster Fund, DPIR, Oxford £300 for presenting at APSA
STAR Grant, St Antony's College, Oxford £113.10 for presenting at APSA
- 2018** STAR Grant, St Antony's College, Oxford £300 for presenting at Naples hierarchy workshop
- 2016** Departmental Travel Funds, University of Maryland \$300 for presenting at MPSA
- 2015** IR Subfield Summer Funds, University of Maryland \$1,000 to attend ECPR training in Ljubljana
- 2015** Graduate Summer Research Fellowship, University of Maryland \$5,000
- 2011** MSc Security Studies dissertation mark of 75 was one of the ten highest across the 400 graduate students in the department

MEDIA CONTRIBUTIONS

1. Molly Blackall, [‘How Trump has played into China’s hands,’](#) *The I Paper*, 16th May 2026
2. Molly Blackall, [‘Fears of WWII are growing. This is what insiders really think,’](#) *The I Paper*, 4th April 2026
3. Molly Blackall, [‘What Putin is actually after in landmark Ukraine peace meeting,’](#) *The I Paper*, 23rd January 2026
4. Weekend World with Ahsan Ahmed, Interview on: [‘International Sanctions as a Tool of Global Power,’](#) *Voice of Islam Radio*, 18th January 2026
5. Molly Blackall, [‘Starmer, Meloni or even Putin - who is the real Trump whisperer?’](#) *The I Paper*, 17th September 2025
6. Molly Blackall, [‘The Vance-Lammy bromance will continue - but risks Cabinet tensions,’](#) *The I Paper*, 9th September 2025
7. Molly Blackall, [‘Trump escalated the war on drugs by killing Venezuelans. What could happen next,’](#) *The I Paper*, 4th September 2025
8. Nadha Rashada S V, [‘A conversation with Dr Patrick Gill-Tiney, LSE Fellow Department of International Relations, UK,’](#) *Online Indian Journal of Peace and Conflict Resolution*, 21st August 2025
9. Kollen Post, [‘Infighting around EU rearmament undermines grand ambitions for European defense,’](#) *Kyiv Independent*, 29 May 2025
10. Molly Blackall, [‘How it took Trump only 100 days to make the world a more volatile place,’](#) *The I Paper*, 30th April 2025

CONFERENCES

- 2026** Paper: ‘The rise of the second rank: strategy and coordination beneath the major powers,’ ISA/APSIA International Security Studies Conference (Los Angeles, CA: October 2026)

Paper: ‘Open hierarchies: major powers, subordinates, hybrid actors, and the politics of access,’ ISA/APSIA International Security Studies Conference (Los Angeles, CA: October 2026)

Chair: ‘Conflict, insecurity, and evolving strategies,’ ISA/APSIA International Security Studies Conference (Los Angeles, CA: October 2026)

Paper: ‘Where do rising powers fight? Explaining the geography of rising power disputes,’ ISA Annual Conference (Columbus, OH: March 2026)

Paper: ‘Second-rank powers in a fragmenting world order,’ ISA Annual Conference Columbus, OH: March 2026)

Chair and Discussant: ‘How multilateralism matters in a time of crisis: Comparative perspectives,’ ISA Annual Conference Columbus, OH: March 2026)

Chair: ‘Author meets critics – Bringing War Back In: Victory, Defeat, and the State in Nineteenth-Century Latin America,’ ISA Annual Conference (Columbus, OH: March 2026)

- 2025** Paper: 'Rising powers and revisionism: subordinate monopolization and major power conflict,' ISA Annual Conference (Chicago: March 2025)
- Paper: 'The impact of UN peacekeeping norms on interstate conflict,' ISA Annual Conference (Chicago: March 2025)
- Roundtable chair: 'India as a rising power,' ISA Annual Conference (Chicago: March 2025)
- Discussant: 'UN peacekeeping operations in the contemporary international era,' ISA Annual Conference (Chicago: March 2025)
- 2024** Paper: 'Mechanisms of the dyadic democratic peace,' ISA Annual Conference (San Francisco: April 2024)
- 2021** Paper: 'Rising power disputes: subordinate monopolization and major power war,' APSA Annual Meeting (online: October 2021)
- Paper: 'Rising power disputes: subordinate monopolization and major power war,' MPSA Annual Meeting (online: April 2021)
- Paper: 'Rising power disputes: subordinate monopolization and major power war,' PSA Annual International Conference (online: March 2021)
- 2020** Paper: 'Rising powers and conflict: the social causes for great power restraint during the Spanish-American War,' APSA Annual Meeting (San Francisco: September 2020, online due to Covid 19)
- Paper: 'Rising powers and conflict: the social causes for great power restraint during the Spanish-American War,' EPSA Annual Meeting (Prague: June 2020, cancelled due to Covid-19)
- 2019** Paper: 'Rising power hierarchies: functional form and prospects for war,' APSA Annual Meeting (Washington DC: August 2019)
- 2016** Paper: 'International society: the effects of norm evolution and cascade upon interstate violence,' MPSA Annual Meeting (Chicago: April 2016)
- 2013** Paper: 'British foreign policy during the breakup of Yugoslavia: factors affecting the decision to recognise Slovenian and Croatian independence,' International Studies Association, ISSS-ISAC Joint Annual Conference (Washington DC: October 2013)

WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS AND ROUNDTABLES

- 2025** 'Where do rising powers fight? Explaining the geography of rising power disputes,' LSE IR Department Security and Statecraft Research Cluster Workshop (London: November 2025)
- 'The impact of GenAI on student learning in IR,' LSE Eden Centre AI in Education Showcase (London: October 2025)
- Discussant for Matias Spektor, 'Hypocrisy Costs in World Politics: Early Evidence from the Global South,' LSE IR Department Security and Statecraft Research Cluster Workshop (London: October 2025)
- Discussant for Marina Henke, 'Intervention Entrepreneurs,' LSE IR Department Security and Statecraft Research Cluster Workshop (London: March 2025)
- 'The impact of UN peacekeeping norms on interstate conflict,' LSE IR Department International Institutions, Law and Ethics Research Cluster Workshop (London: February 2025)
- 2024** Chair: 'Acknowledging Agency in Central Asia: China, Russia, and U.S. Engagement,' LSE IDEAS China Foresight Workshop (London: December 2024)
- Panel discussion on 'International organisations in crisis: Palestine, paralysis and progress,' LSE War Studies Society (London: October 2024)

‘Rising powers and revisionism: subordinate monopolization and major power conflict,’ LSE IR Department Security and Statecraft Research Cluster Workshop (London: October 2024)

Panel discussion on ‘The Changing Face of War,’ LSE International Relations Department Student Partnership Committee (London: February 2024)

2023 ‘A liberal peace? The growth of liberal norms and the decline of interstate violence,’ graduate student seminar with Molly Melin, Loyola University Chicago (online: November 2023)

‘Rising powers, major power conflict, and norms of subordinate governance,’ The Dimensions of Great Power Competition, University of Surrey (Guildford: June 2023)

Discussant for Sam Seitz, ‘Purchasing prestige or seeking security? Military procurement choices between the dual pressures of status loss and military threats,’ DPIR IR Research Colloquium (Oxford: January 2023)

2021 Discussant for Eddie Keene, ‘Mapping the global international system of the nineteenth century (1815-1914),’ DPIR IR Research Colloquium (Oxford: November 2021)

‘Rising powers and subordinate monopolization: the early Cold War in Western and Southern Asia,’ Seminar in the History of International Politics (online: May 2021)

2020 ‘Rising powers and conflict: the social causes for great power restraint during the Spanish-American War,’ OxPo Doctoral Workshop (Paris: May 2020, cancelled due to Covid-19)

‘Rising powers and conflict: the social causes for great power restraint during the Spanish-American War,’ Seminar in the History of International Politics (Oxford: February 2020)

2019 Discussant for TV Paul, ‘Restraining great powers: soft balancing from empires to the global era,’ DPIR IR Research Colloquium (Oxford: January 2019)

2018 ‘Rising powers and hierarchy construction: ideology, prestige and material goods in Asia,’ Winter Workshop: Rethinking Regional Orders: Hierarchies and Heterarchies (Naples: December 2018)

2016 ‘International society: the effects of norm evolution and cascade upon interstate violence,’ Graduate Student Workshop, University of Maryland (March 2016)

‘Process tracing,’ Graduate Student Methods Workshop, University of Maryland (March 2016)

RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

Territorial Disputes. Professor Paul Huth (PI)

September 2015 – June 2017

Collated open-source information on three aspects of territorial disputes: the legal claims made, any diplomatic or legal efforts to solve the dispute, and the degree of militarization. Updated existing cases and identified four new cases which I added to the dataset. Qualitative data collected to allow quantitative coding.

Rebel Sanctuary. Dr Jacob Aronson and Professor Paul Huth (co-PIs)

Summer 2016

Collated open-source information on the characteristics of rebel bases in Northern Ireland and the Philippines from 1970 onwards. Applied the project codebook to the data collected to allow quantitative analysis.

OTHER TRAINING

Oxford Spring School in Advanced Research Methods

April 2022, online

Quantitative Text Analysis

European Consortium for Political Research, Summer Methods School

Summer 2015, Ljubljana
Process Tracing (introductory and advanced)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Hawkins Wright (London) – Market Research Analyst

September 2011 – June 2013

Specialist consulting in forest products and bioenergy. Worked for the bioenergy practice to produce bimonthly market reports, multi-client research papers, and biopower supply-chain/project due diligence.

SKILLS

Statistical programming: Stata; R
Other software: Yoshikoder
Languages: German (B1)

SERVICE

IR BSc Exam Sub-board, LSE (2024 –)
Academic Skills Coordinator, St John's College (2022-23)
International Relations undergraduate examiner (2019, 2022-23)
Admissions Committee, St John's College (2018-23)
Admissions Working Group, Regent's Park College (2019-21)
Tutorial Committee, Regent's Park College (2019-21)
College Advisor, Regent's Park College (2020-21)
Co-Convenor, Seminar in the History of International Politics, DPIR Oxford (2020)
Student DPhil representative, Graduate Joint Consultative Committee, DPIR Oxford (2018-19)
Student Workshop Coordinator, UMD Graduate Student Association (2016-17)
Co-Chair, UMD Graduate Student Association (2015-16)
First Year Representative, UMD Graduate Student Association (2014-15)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

ISA, EISS, APSA

REVIEWER

Journal of Conflict Resolution; Media, War & Conflict; Peace & Change; Global Studies Quarterly; SAGE Publications; Foreign Policy Analysis; International Interactions

REFERENCES

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