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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2018– Assistant Professor, Political Science Department & International Studies Program,
Washington College
- 2017–2018 Visiting Assistant Professor, Politics Department, Pomona College.

EDUCATION

- 2017 Ph.D., Political Science, Feminist Theory Emphasis, University of California, Irvine
Fields: International Relations, Political Theory
- 2014 M.A., Political Science, University of California, Irvine
- 2005 M.Sc., Gender and International Relations, University of Bristol
- 2002 B.A., Peace Studies, English, Gustavus Adolphus College.

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed

- 2017 "[Pragmatic Scepticism in Implementing the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda](#),"
Global Affairs 3(4–5): 469–481. DOI: 10.1080/23340460.2017.1440803.

Under Review

- "Does Gender Inclusion Equal Security Sector Reform? Implementing UNSCR 1325
in Côte d'Ivoire" – *revise and resubmit*

Non-Peer Reviewed

- 2001 "[Jubilee 2000: Churches on the Frontlines](#)," *Foreign Service Journal*, January

Web-Based Publications

- 2017 "[On Geography, Borders, and Seams of Expertise](#)," *Progress in Political Economy*,
October 30
- 2016 "[Track Changes: Countering a Limited Perspective on Mental Illness](#)," *The Critical
Investigations into Humanitarianism in Africa Blog*, April 4
"[6 things you need to know about Côte d'Ivoire in the wake of Sunday's attack](#),"
with Justine Davis, *Monkey Cage blog*, *The Washington Post*, March 15
- 2015 "[Local Reclamation of Transnational Activism: Bettering Advocacy in Conflict](#),"
The Critical Investigations into Humanitarianism in Africa Blog, December 16
"[Track Changes: Reports of Sexual Abuse by Peacekeepers Meets 'Romantic
Rights'](#)," with Jolene McCall, *The Critical Investigations into Humanitarianism
in Africa Blog*, August 12
"[The Cure-all of Online Organizing](#)," *The Critical Investigations into
Humanitarianism in Africa Blog*, March 23

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & AWARDS

External

- 2016 National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant
2014–2015 Fulbright Fellowship to Cote d’Ivoire, Institute for International Education

University of California, Irvine

- 2016–2017 Associate Dean’s Fellowship, School of Social Sciences
- 2016 Kugelman Research Fellowship, Center for Citizen Peacebuilding
Graduate Research Award, Department of Political Science
Summer Grant, Department of Political Science
- 2015 Kugelman Research Fellowship, Center for Citizen Peacebuilding
Graduate Research Award, Department of Political Science
Dean’s Workshop Funding, School of Social Sciences (group grant)
Summer Grant, Department of Political Science
- 2014 Kugelman Research Fellowship, Center for Citizen Peacebuilding
Graduate Research Grant, Center for Global Peace and Conflict Studies
Graduate Research Award, Department of Political Science
Dean’s Workshop Funding, School of Social Sciences (group grant)
Summer Grant, Department of Political Science
- 2013 Graduate Research Grant, Center for Global Peace and Conflict Studies
Graduate Research Travel Grant, Center in Law, Society and Culture
Graduate Research Award, Department of Political Science
Summer Grant, Department of Political Science
- 2012 Research/Mentoring Grant, Interdisciplinary Center for Ethics & Morality
Summer Grant, Department of Political Science

INVITED TALKS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

- 2018 “Researching from Below: Feminist Field Research and the ‘Local Turn,’”
Researching the United Nations and Other International Organizations,
Geneva, Switzerland, June 18–20
“Development as a Priority Area in WPS National Action Plans: West Africa Case
Studies,” EISA European Workshops in International Studies, Groningen,
Netherlands, June 6–9
“Furthering the ‘Local Turn’: Feminist Fieldwork Methodologies in Peace and
Conflict Studies,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, San
Francisco, CA, April 4–7
“Gendering Peace and Security in Mali,” International Studies Association Annual
Convention, San Francisco, CA, April 4–7
“Incorporating Feminist Knowledges of Development in the Women, Peace, and
Security Agenda,” International Feminist Journal of Politics Annual Conference,
San Francisco, CA, April 2–3
- 2017 “Two Models, One Goal: Gender Security in Africa,” African Studies Association
Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 16–18
“Redefining Peace and Security in Mali: Incorporating Women’s Perspectives,”
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA,
August 31–September 3

- “Dueling Models: Tackling Women's Empowerment Through Both Security and Development,” European Conference on Politics and Gender, Lausanne, Switzerland, June 8–10
- “Incorporating Development into the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda,” Gender Centre, The Graduate Institute, Geneva, Switzerland, June 7
- “Recentering the Policy Recipient: Self-Decolonizing Practices of Women in Conflict,” Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Genders and Sexualities, Hempstead, NY, June 1–4
- “Conceptualizing Peace Through Postcolonial Feminism: West African Case Studies,” Feminist Peace Research Network Second Workshop, Lund, Sweden, May 23–24
- “Holistic Women’s Security: Incorporating Development into the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda,” International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention, Baltimore, MD, February 22–25
- “Decolonizing Peace and Security Policies: Women’s Local Practices Overcoming International Discourses,” ISA Annual Convention, Baltimore, MD, February 22–25
- Roundtable: The Academy as a Hostile Work Environment: Challenging the Chilly Climate for Women, ISA Annual Convention, Baltimore, MD, February 22–25
- 2016 “Women’s Participation in Politics and Peacebuilding in Mali,” Information Resource Center, U.S. Embassy, Bamako, Mali, December 5
- “Decolonizing Peacebuilding Policies: Women’s Local Practices and International Discourses,” International Peace Research Association General Conference, Freetown, Sierra Leone, November 27–December 1
- “How Local Women’s Peacebuilding Organizations Integrate Interfaith Perspectives,” Conference on Religion, Governance, and Humanitarianism in Africa, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Pietermaritzburg, South Africa, October 19–20
- “Women, Peacebuilding and Political Participation,” Information Resource Center, U.S. Embassy, Conakry, Guinea, June 8
- “Enacting Inclusion: Women’s Peace Participation in Cote d’Ivoire,” selected for Junior Scholar Symposium, ISA Annual Convention, Atlanta, GA, March 16–19
- “Priorities in Tension: International Pressures and National Politics in Local Implementation of Cote d’Ivoire’s National Action Plan,” Workshop on Women, Peace and Security Post-2015: Concepts, Criticisms and Challenges, London, UK, March 9–10
- 2015 “Critical Questions on the Humanitarian Intervention in Biafra,” Workshop on Rethinking the Origins of Humanitarian Action in Africa, Institute of African Studies, Accra, Ghana, October 18–20
- “Women, Leadership, and Security,” U.S. Embassy, Abidjan, Cote d’Ivoire, June 26
- “Women and Political Leadership,” American Corner, Abidjan, Cote d’Ivoire, March 19
- 2014 “Women, Peace, and Security in Cote d’Ivoire,” Save the Children, Abidjan, Cote d’Ivoire, November 6
- “[Security, Rights, and Sexualized Violence: A West African Lens into the UN Women, Peace, and Security Framework](#),” International Feminist Journal of Politics Annual Conference, Los Angeles, CA, May 9–11 (also presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, April 17–19 and the ISA Annual Convention, Toronto, ON, March 26–29)
- “Contradictions of Gender Mainstreaming in Post-Conflict Institution-Building,” ISA Annual Convention, Toronto, ON, March 26–29

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Washington College

Modern African Politics (fall 2018)
International Political Economy (fall 2018)
Introduction to World Politics (fall 2018)

Pomona College

Gender and Conflict (spring 2018)
Introduction to International Relations (spring 2018)
U.S. Foreign Policy (spring 2018, fall 2017)
The “Human” in IR: Security and Intervention (fall 2017)

Chapman University

Introduction to International Relations (2 sections, spring 2018)
International Development Strategies and NGOs, graduate level (fall 2017)

University of California, Irvine

Introduction to International Relations (summer 2017)

Undergraduate Thesis Supervised

Reader, Maabena Jessica Debrah, International Relations, Pomona College, 2017–2018

FIELDWORK & RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2016 Dissertation fieldwork: Guinea, Sierra Leone, and Mali, April–June and September–December, funded by National Science Foundation Grant
- 2014–2015 Dissertation fieldwork: Cote d’Ivoire, October–July and September–November, funded by Fulbright Fellowship
- 2013–2017 Editorial assistant: The CIHA Blog – Critical Investigations into Humanitarianism in Africa, Dr. Cecelia Lynch, University of California, Irvine
- 2013 Pre-dissertation fieldwork: Senegal, June–September
- 2013 Pre-dissertation fieldwork: 57th Session of Commission for the Status of Women, United Nations Headquarters, New York, March 4–15
- 2012–2014 Graduate student researcher: Institute for International, Global and Regional Studies, Dr. Cecelia Lynch, University of California, Irvine
- 2012–2013 Graduate student researcher: Solutions and Failures of Identity-Based Conflicts, Cyprus Case Study, Dr. Patrick Morgan, University of California, Irvine

WORKSHOPS & ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2018 Researching the United Nations and Other International Organizations: Rethinking Methods of Investigation Workshop, Geneva, Switzerland, June 18–20
European International Studies Association, European Workshops in International Studies: The Women, Peace, and Security Agenda and Economic Empowerment, Groningen, Netherlands, June 6–9
- 2017 SGBV and SEA: Bridging the Research and Practices Divides, Missing Peace/US Institute of Peace, San Francisco, CA, July 10–11

- Feminist Global “Secureconomy”: Linking Political Economy and Security, British International Studies Association, Brighton, UK, June 13
Journeys in World Politics Workshop, University of Iowa, May 4–7
The Futures of Women, Peace and Security: New Directions in Research Workshop, International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, February 21
- 2016 Pay It Forward: Women Helping Women in International Relations, International Studies Association, Atlanta, GA, March 15
- 2013 Interpretive and Relational Research Methodologies Workshop, International Studies Association–Northeast, Providence, RI, November 9
Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, June 17–28
Interpretive Methods for Grant Proposal Development Workshop, University of California, Irvine, May 30–31.

SERVICE & PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Service to Profession

Referee: *International Feminist Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Women, Politics and Policy*; *Stability*; *Violence Against Women*

- 2016–2017 Member-at-Large, Online Media Caucus, International Studies Association
- 2014–2016 Secretary/Treasurer, LGBTQA Caucus, International Studies Association
- 2013–2014 Graduate Student Representative, Feminist Theory and Gender Studies, International Studies Association

Service to University and Department

- 2015–2016 Postcolonialism of Africa and the Middle East Reading Group Co-Facilitator, School of Social Sciences, University of California, Irvine
- 2014–2015 International Relations Working Group Co-Facilitator, Institute for Int'l, Global and Regional Studies, University of California, Irvine
- 2014 Student Facilitator, Women in Academia Group, Department of Political Science, University of California, Irvine
- 2012–2013 Graduate Student Representative to Faculty, Department of Political Science, University of California, Irvine

Media Appearances

- 2016 [“Call Me Professor Jolie Pitt: The Buzz About Her New Job,”](#) NPR Goats and Soda blog, May 31
[“Is Terrorism in West Africa the New Normal?”](#) UN Dispatch, March 18

Professional Associations

[American Political Science Association](#)
[African Studies Association](#)
[Feminist Peace Research Network](#)
[International Studies Association](#)
Missing Peace/US Institute of Peace Young Scholars Network
[Women in Conflict Studies](#)
[Women in International Security](#)
[Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom Academic Network](#)

