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### **POSITIONS HELD**

**College of William & Mary.** Williamsburg, VA . 2010-present.

Assistant Professor, Department of Government.  
AidData Research Associate.

**University of Georgia.** Athens, GA. 2003-2010.

Assistant Professor, Department of International Affairs.

**University of Pennsylvania.** Philadelphia, PA. 2000-2003

Post-doctoral Fellow at the Christopher H. Browne Center for International Politics.  
Visiting Lecturer at the Department of Political Science.

**ARENA** (Research Center on European integration). Oslo, Norway. Summer 2001, 2004.

Visiting Researcher.

### **RESEARCH & TEACHING AREAS**

International political economy

European integration & comparative European politics

Foreign aid

International relations theory (with an emphasis on the impact of ideas and identity)

Human rights and humanitarianism

Agent-based computational modeling

Rhetoric and rationality in decision-making

### **EDUCATION**

**Harvard University.** Ph. D. in Government (Political Science). June 2000.

Dissertation: Ideas and Interests in Foreign Policy:  
The Politics of Official Development Assistance.

**Santa Fe Institute.** Complex Systems Summer School. Summer 1999.

**Stanford University.** M.S. in Computer Science. June 1992.

**Dartmouth College.** B.A. *summa cum laude*. June 1989. Salutatorian, ΦBK.

**United World College of the Adriatic.** International Baccalaureate. 1985.

## PUBLICATIONS & PAPERS

### Books

2011. *Ideas, Interests, and Foreign Aid*. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.  
(Under review) *A shared fate? Membership, enlargement, and the purpose of the European Union*.

### Peer reviewed journal articles

2005. Rousseau, David L., and Maurits van der Veen. "The Emergence of a Shared Identity: An Agent-Based Computer Simulation of Idea Diffusion." *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 49(5):686-712, October.
2001. Van der Veen, A. Maurits, Ian S. Lustick, and Dan Miodownik. "Studying Performance and Learning with ABIR: The Effects of Knowledge, Mobilizing Agents, and Predictability." *Social Science Computing Review*, 19(3):263-279, Fall 2001.

### Under review

- "Enlargement and the anticipatory deepening of European integration." (revise & resubmit, *Journal of European Public Policy*)
- "Defending integration or integrating defense? Ratifying the EDC in Belgium and the Netherlands" (revise & resubmit, *Journal of European Integration*)
- "The Dutch Tulip Mania: The Social Politics of a Financial Bubble." (revise & resubmit, *Financial History Review*)
- "The persistence of aid frames: President Carter and the introduction of human rights." (*Political Communication*)
- "Framing Anti-Terrorism Policies: Debates in the United Kingdom and the Netherlands." (*Policy Studies*)
- "Fifty years of public preferences for supranational European governance." in Alex Caviedes and Willem Maas, eds. *Sixty years of European governance*. Under review at University of Toronto Press.

### Book chapters

- 2014 (forthcoming). "The power of terrorism frames: Responses to non-Islamist lone-wolf terrorism in Europe," chapter 3 in Daniela Pisoiu and David Scheuing, eds. *Arguing counterterrorism: New perspectives*. New York: Routledge.
2012. Van der Veen, A. Maurits, and David Laitin. "Modeling the Evolution of Ethnic Demography." pp. 277-311 in Kanchan Chandra, ed. *Constructivist theories of ethnic politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2012. Laitin, David, and A. Maurits van der Veen. "Ethnicity and Pork: A Virtual Test of Causal Mechanisms." pp. 341-358 in Kanchan Chandra, ed. *Constructivist theories of ethnic politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2012. Van der Veen, A. Maurits and Christopher S. Allen. "European Integration, Social Protection, and the Lisbon Agenda." pp. 53-73 in Mitchell P. Smith, ed. *Europe and National Economic Transformation: The EU after the Lisbon Decade*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

2005. “The Purpose of the European Union: Framing European Integration,” pp. 88-107 in Erik Jones and Amy Verdun, eds. *The Political Economy of European Integration: Theory and Analysis*. New York: Routledge.

### Other publications

2012. “The European Union as a comparative politics ‘case’.” Contribution to a forum on “Teaching the EU as part of broader courses.” *EUSA Review*, 25(3):5-6.
2012. Review of *Evolution, Creationism, and the Battle to Control America’s Classrooms* by Michael Berkman and Eric Plutzer (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2010). *Perspectives on Politics* 10(1):155-156.
2011. “European Publics and the Lisbon Agenda.” *EUSA Review*, 24(1):19-24. Winter.
2010. “Ireland Votes ‘No’, then ‘Yes’, Once More: The Lisbon Treaty Referenda.” *EUSA Review*, 23(1):15-18. Winter.
2009. “The European Parliament Elections of 2009: A First Assessment.” *EUSA Review* 22(3): 18-22. Summer.
2007. “If at First You Don’t Succeed, Try, Try Again? Prospects for Referenda on the EU Constitution in France and the Netherlands.” *EUSA Review* 20(2):21-25. Spring.
2007. “Framing Anti-Terrorism Policies: Debates in the United Kingdom and the Netherlands” *Occasional Papers #2*, Dept. of International Affairs, University of Georgia.
2007. Response to a *New York Times* column by John Tierney, “Where Cronies Dwell.” Published in the *New York Times*, Oct. 12, 2005. Republished in Lunsford, Andrea A., John J. Ruskiewicz, and Keith Walters. *Everything’s an Argument, with Readings*. Boston: Bedford / St. Martin’s, p. 973.
2002. Review of *The Dynamics and Evolution of Social Systems: New Foundations of a Mathematical Sociology* by Jürgen Klüver (Dordrecht: Kluwer, 2000). *Journal of Artificial Societies and Social Simulation*, 5(4), Fall.
2000. Lustick, Ian S., Dan Miodownik, and Maurits van der Veen. “Studying Performance and Learning with ABIR: A Research Note.” Published in *Proceedings of Agent 2000 – The Simulation of Social Agents: Architectures and Institutions*, Chicago, October.
1995. Erik Bleich and Maurits van der Veen. “Maastricht and the Social Protocol: The perspective of the European citizen.” Working paper WP61, Center for European Studies, Harvard University.

### In process

- “Believing in the euro? Public attitudes towards the euro during the financial crisis.”
- “Who Can Join, and Why? Public Opinion and EU Enlargement.”
- “National Governments and EU Referendums: Sorcerers or Apprentices?”
- “Who really cares, and why? Explaining public attitudes towards development assistance.”
- “Lobbying the Court of Public Opinion: Terminological Rent-Seeking on Genocide, Torture, and Apartheid.”
- “Politics and Global Issues in Graphic Novels: A Survey.”
- “A Different Kind of ‘New Media’: Teaching Global Issues through Graphic Novels.”
- “The Logic and Patterns of Denial: Questioning Genocides in Armenia, World War II, and Bosnia.”

- “What’s in a Name? The Armenian Genocide and Terminological Rent-Seeking.”  
“The Emergence of a European Identity: Modeling International Contacts.”  
“European Identity and Support for the European Union: Investigating the Causal Connection.”  
“Selecting the recipients of aid: A two-stage, sample-selection model.”  
“Irrational Choice or Reshaping Reality? The Bush Administration and the War in Iraq.”

### **Conference & workshop presentations**

- “Solidarity with whom? Support for bailouts across the European Union.” Annual conference of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 2013.  
“Enlargement and the deepening of European integration.” European Union Studies Association biennial conference, Baltimore, MD, April 2013; Jean Monnet Workshop on Widening and Deepening, Rutgers University, 4-5 May 2012.  
“Knowledge about and support for the European Court of Justice.” European Union Studies Association biennial conference, Baltimore, MD, April 2013.  
“Believing in the euro? Public attitudes towards the euro during the financial crisis.” Annual conference of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, March 2013.  
“Fifty years of public (dis-)satisfaction with European governance.” Jean Monnet Workshop on European governance, York University, 13-14 September 2012.  
“Who really cares, and why? Explaining public attitudes towards development assistance.” Council on European Studies, Boston, MA, March 2012 & International Studies Association, San Diego, CA, April, 2012  
“Whose Democratic Deficit? National Opinions about EU Legitimacy.” 1<sup>st</sup> annual conference of the European Political Science Association, Dublin, Ireland, June 2011 & Council of European Studies conference, Barcelona, Spain, June 2011.  
“A Beacon in the Storm? Economic Uncertainty and Support for Monetary Integration.” 1<sup>st</sup> annual conference of the European Political Science Association, Dublin, Ireland, June 2011.  
“Frames and Reversion Points: Explaining Vote Choice in European Referenda.” Biennial conference of the European Union Studies Association, Boston, MA, March 2011.  
“Measuring European Identity among EU Member State Publics.” Annual conference of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 2010.  
“Measuring European Identity among EU Member State Publics.” Ibid.  
“Taking Perceptions Seriously: Ideational Intergovernmentalism.” Biennial conference of the European Union Studies Association, Los Angeles, CA, April 2009.  
“Who Can Join? Perceptions of European Identity among EU Member State Publics” Annual conference of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, August 2008.  
“Transforming the Prisoner's Dilemma: Beyond One-Dimensional Utility Functions.” Ibid.  
“National Governments and EU Referendums: Sorcerers or Apprentices?” Annual conference of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, March 2008.  
“Turkey’s European Union Membership: Destined for Failure.” Annual conference of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 2007.

- “European Integration Seen from the North: Debating Membership in Denmark, Norway, and Sweden in the 1960s.” Biennial conference of the European Union Studies Association, Montreal, Canada, May 2007.
- “European Defense Integration: Lessons from the Failure of the EDC.” Ibid.
- “Framing Anti-Terrorism Policies: Debates in the United Kingdom and the Netherlands.” Workshop on Islam and Violence in Europe, Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT, April 2007.
- “Framing anti-terrorist policies: Debates in the Netherlands and the United Kingdom.” Biennial meeting of the Council for European Studies, Chicago, IL, March 2006.
- “The European Union and Globalization: Symbiosis or Opposition?” Annual meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, CA, March 2006.
- “Debating EU Enlargement: Arguments, Justifications, and Rationalizations in Six European Legislatures.” Annual conference of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 2005.
- “Globalization and European Integration: Symbiosis or Opposition?” Biennial conference of the European Union Studies Association, Austin, TX, March 2005.
- “Modeling the Evolution of Ethnic Demography” with David Laitin. Annual conference of the Association for the Study of Nationalities, New York City, April 2004.
- “Domestic Structures, Learning, and the Democratic Peace: An Agent-Based Computational Simulation.” with David L. Rousseau. Annual conference of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, September 2004.
- “The Emergence of a European Identity: Modeling International Contacts.” Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, September 2003.
- “Identity, Interests, and Conflict: An Evolutionary Model.” Second Lake Arrowhead Conference on Human Complex Systems, April 2003.
- “National Identity and the Origins of Development Assistance.” Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, September 2002.
- “European Identity and Support for the European Union: Investigating the Causal Connection.” Annual meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, March 2002.
- “Not Whether But Why: Using Public Opinion to Explain Foreign Policy.” Annual meeting of the American Political Science Assn., San Francisco, September 2001.
- “Not Whether But Why: Using Public Opinion to Explain Foreign Policy.” Fourth joint ECPR International Relations Conference, Canterbury, UK, September 2001.
- “The Evolution of Cooperation in Society: Transforming the Prisoner’s Dilemma.” Annual meeting of the American Political Science Assn., Washington, DC, 2000.
- “Selecting the Recipients of Aid: A Two-Stage, Sample-Selection Model.” Ibid.
- “The Generosity Contest: Ideas and the Determinants of Foreign Aid.” Annual Methodology Summer Conference, Los Angeles, CA, 2000.

## TEACHING

**College of William & Mary.** 2010-present.

International Political Economy, Politics of European Cooperation, Introduction to International Politics, Politics of the euro (seminar), Human Rights and Humanitarianism (seminar), Darwinian Evolution in Politics and Society (seminar), Berlusconi’s Italy (1 credit).

**University of Georgia.** 2003-2010.

*Graduate*

International Relations Theory Field Seminar, International Political Economy  
European Union Politics

*Undergraduate*

International Political Economy, Politics of the European Union, Human Rights and  
Humanitarianism, Globalization and Distributive Justice, Post-Industrial  
Democracies, Introduction to International Relations, Introduction to Global Issues,  
Politics and Propaganda in Cartoons

**University of Pennsylvania.** 2000-2003.

*Graduate/Undergraduate*

Politics of the European Union, Politics of International Humanitarianism

*Undergraduate*

International Political Economy, IR Thesis Seminar, West European Foreign Policy

**Harvard University.** 1994-2000 (Teaching Fellow)

*Graduate*

Varieties of Capitalism (Kennedy School of Government)

*Undergraduate*

International Conflict in the Modern World (head TF), Politics of Western Europe,  
International Political Economy, Comparative Politics, Policy Analysis

**Learning in Retirement,** Athens, GA. 2005-2009.

(3-4 week courses for 25 senior citizens)

Financial Bubbles Past and Present (2009), Globalization and American Jobs (2008),  
International Criminal Tribunals (2006), The European Union (2005)

**APSA Short Course.** Philadelphia, PA 2003.

Agent-Based Modeling

## GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

Faculty Summer Research Grant from the College of William & Mary. 2011. \$4000, for  
research project “Europe is in the eye of the beholder: Grappling with European  
identity.”

May Seminar Grant from the College of William & Mary (jointly with Helen A.  
Murphy), 2011. For the development of a new course on Darwinian evolution in  
politics and the social sciences (taught in Spring & Fall 2012).

Junior Faculty Research Grant from the University of Georgia Research Foundation.  
2005. \$7000 grant for research project “Framing EU Diplomacy: Ideas and National  
Support for European-level foreign policy.”

Junior Faculty Research Grant from the University of Georgia Research Foundation.  
2004. \$6000 grant for research project “Imagined European Unions: Ideas and the  
Support for EU enlargement and foreign policy.”

Investigator (PI: Ian S. Lustick) on NSF Grant “ITR: Development and Applications of the PS-I Computational Modeling Platform for Problems of Ethnic Conflict, Globalization, State Stability, and Terrorism.” 2002.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### Professional affiliations

*American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, European Union Studies Association, Dutch Political Science Association (NKWP), Council on European Studies, European Political Science Association.*

### Association activity

Chair, Public Opinion and Participation Section, European Union Studies Association, 2009-2011.

Web-page editor, Foreign Policy section, American Political Science Association, 2000-2004.

### Journal reviewer

*American Political Science Review, International Studies Quarterly, Comparative Political Studies, Journal of Politics, International Political Science Review, Political Psychology, Foreign Policy Analysis, Journal of International Development, International Studies Review, International Journal of Public Opinion Research*

### Book manuscript reviewer

*University of Chicago Press, University of Pennsylvania Press, Lynne Rienner Publishers, Polity Press, Congressional Quarterly Press.*

### Conference panel chair & discussant

ISA 2013 (San Francisco, CA), 2008 (San Francisco, CA).

APSA 2011 (Seattle, WA)

Council for European Studies 2006 (Chicago, IL).

ECPR-IR 2001 (Canterbury, UK)

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Program director, William & Mary study abroad in Florence, Italy, summer 2012, 2014.

Member, Department of Government Faculty Evaluation Committee (elected), 2011-.

Organizer, Department of Government Junior Faculty Writing Group.

Interview for William & Mary news video (posted on W&M website, April 12, 2011)  
on aid to Japan after the earthquake/tsunami disaster.

Occasional contributions to The First Tranche, research blog for AidData ([www.aiddata.org](http://www.aiddata.org)).

### (at UGA)

School for Public and International Affairs (SPIA) Council, 2008.

Department of International Affairs Faculty Executive Committee, 2007-2008.

SPIA Graduate Admissions Committee, 2006, 2009.

Creator & Organizer, Dept. of International Affairs/GLOBIS Colloquium, 2007-2009.

Undergraduate research advisor for CURO (Center for Undergraduate Research).  
Foundation Fellows dinner host.  
Amnesty International guest speaker.

### ADVISING

#### **PhD committees**

Mwita Chacha. “Regional Integration in Africa.” UGA, 2011.  
Milward, Mary. “European Union Electoral Support to Transitional and Non-Established Democracies.” UGA, 2011.  
Kolemen, Aysuda. 2010. “Worlds of Welfare and Worlds of Discourse: Welfare Discourses in Germany, Sweden, and the U.S.” UGA, 2010.  
Choy, Young Seok. 2010. “Explaining North Korean Foreign Policy: Focusing on Human Needs and Prospect Theory.” UGA, 2010.  
Nathan W. Freeman. “The International Investor Rights Regime: Domestic Sources of Commitment and Compliance.” UGA, 2009.  
Michael Jasinski. “Domestic Anarchy and Conflict.” UGA, 2008.  
Dan Miodownik. “Antecedents of Demands for Regional Autonomy: Computer Simulation and European Evaluation.” University of Pennsylvania, 2005.

Regularly advise honors theses and independent study projects.

### LANGUAGES

Fluent in Dutch, English, and Italian. Proficient in French, German, and Norwegian.  
Competent in Danish, Spanish, and Swedish. Rudimentary Greek, Latin, and Portuguese.