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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

University of California, Berkeley

Chancellor's Professor of Political Science and Law and Affiliated Professor of Philosophy and Classics	2012-
Professor of Law and Associate Professor of Political Science	2011-2012
Assistant Professor of Political Science and Law	2008-2011

University of Oxford

CUF Lecturer in Philosophy, Faculty of Philosophy	1998-2007
Member, Faculty of Philosophy	1996-1998

Balliol College, Oxford

Leveson Gower Fellow and Tutor in Ancient and Modern Philosophy	1998-2007
Tutorial Fellow in Philosophy and Classics	1996-2007

New College and Jesus College, Oxford

Lecturer in Classical Philosophy	1994-1995
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VISITING POSITIONS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Carlyle Lecturer in the History of Political Thought, University of Oxford	2017
Department of Politics and International Relations and Faculty of History; and Visiting Professorial Fellow, Nuffield College	

University Center for Human Values, Princeton University	2011-2012
Rockefeller Visiting Faculty Fellow	

Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton	2004-2005
Member, School of Historical Studies	

UCLA Center for 17th- & 18th-Century Studies	2001-2002
Ahmanson-Getty Fellow	

Arts and Humanities Research Board of the UK	2001-2002
Research Leave Award	

Deep Springs College, California	1991-1994, 2000, 2005, 2008
Visiting Professor	

PUBLICATIONS AND COMPLETED WORK

- "The Liberties of the Ancients," with Quentin Skinner, *Journal of the History of European Ideas* (forthcoming, 2018)
- Editor, with Introduction ("The View From Erewhon"), of Philip Pettit, *The Birth of Ethics* (forthcoming, Oxford University Press, 2018)
- "Thucydides in the Renaissance and Reformation," *The Cambridge Companion to Thucydides*, ed. Polly Low (forthcoming, Cambridge University Press, 2018)
- Thomas Hobbes and the Creation of Order* (full MS accepted without revisions by Oxford University Press)
- "Thucydides and the Politics of Necessity" (with Mark Fisher), in *The Oxford Handbook of Thucydides*, ed. Sara Forsdyke, Ryan Balot, and Edith Foster (Oxford University Press, 2017)
- Editor (with A. P. Martinich) of *The Oxford Handbook of Hobbes* (Oxford University Press, 2016)
- "Hobbes's Thucydides," in *The Oxford Handbook of Hobbes* (Oxford University Press, 2016)
- "Athenian Democracy and Popular Tyranny," in *Popular Sovereignty in Historical Perspective*, ed. Richard Bourke and Quentin Skinner (Cambridge University Press, 2016)
- "The Intellectual Context of *Leviathan*," *Journal of the History of Ideas* 76:2 (April, 2015)
- "Early Modern Absolutism and Constitutionalism," *Cardozo Law Review* 34:3 (February 2013)
- "Hobbesian Equality," in *Hobbes Today: Insights for the 21st Century*, ed. S. A. Lloyd (Cambridge University Press, 2012)
- "Thucydides and the Bellicose Beginnings of Modern Political Theory," in *Thucydides and the Modern World: Reception, Reinterpretation, and Influence from the Renaissance to the Present*, ed. Katherine Harloe and Neville Morley (Cambridge University Press, 2012)
- "A Source of War: Gentili's Thucydides," in *Alberico Gentili - La salvaguardia dei beni culturali nel diritto internazionale* (Milan: Giuffrè, 2008), with Italian translation
- "The Natural Condition of Mankind," in *The Cambridge Companion to Hobbes's Leviathan*, ed. Patricia Springborg (Cambridge University Press, 2007)
- "A Lion in the House: Hobbes and Democracy," in *Rethinking the Foundations of Modern Political Thought*, ed. James Tully and Annabel Brett (Cambridge University Press, 2006)
- "The End of Philosophy (The Case of Hobbes)," *Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society* 106:1 (2006)

“Disarming the Prophets: Thomas Hobbes and Predictive Power,” *Rivista di storia della filosofia* 21:1 (2004); reprinted in *New Critical Perspectives on Hobbes’s Leviathan*, ed. George Wright and Luc Foisneau (Milan: Franco Angeli, 2004)

“The *De Facto* Turn in Hobbes’s Political Philosophy,” in *Leviathan After 350 Years*, ed. Tom Sorell and Luc Foisneau (Oxford University Press, 2004); reprinted in Chinese translation by Ren Junfeng in *Si Xiang Shi Yan Jiu (Journal of Intellectual History)* 1:2 (2006)

“Hobbes on Law, Nature, and Reason,” *Journal of the History of Philosophy* 41:1 (2003)

“Tyrannus Rex vs. Leviathan,” special issue of *Pacific Philosophical Quarterly* 82:3&4 (2001): *Recent Work on the Moral and Political Philosophy of Thomas Hobbes*, ed. Sharon Lloyd

“Nothing to Declare? Hobbes on the Advocate of Injustice,” *Political Theory* 27:2 (1999)

“Hobbes and the Foole,” *Political Theory* 25:5 (1997); reprinted in Gabriella Slomp, ed., *Thomas Hobbes* (Aldershot: Ashgate, 2008)

IN PROGRESS

The Thucydidean Renaissance (a book based on the 2017 Carlyle Lectures)

Thomas Hobbes and the Politics of Philosophy (a book based on the 2018 Benedict Lectures)

Editor of Hobbes’s Thucydides (*Eight Bookes of the Peloponnesian Warre, written by Thucydides the sonne of Olorus, 1629*) (with Luca Iori), with textual and general introductions, for the Clarendon Edition of the Works of Thomas Hobbes, Oxford University Press

REFERENCE WORK AND REVIEWS

Review of Christopher Tomlins, *Freedom Bound: Law, Labor, and Civic Identity in Colonizing English America, 1580-1865*, in *Law & Society Review* 46:3 (2012)

“Aristotle,” 5000-word entry in *The Encyclopedia of Political Theory*, ed. Mark Bevir (Sage, 2010)

Review of Clifford Orwin, *The Humanity of Thucydides*, in *Political Theory* 25:2 (1997)

Review of Quentin Skinner, *Reason and Rhetoric in the Philosophy of Hobbes*, in *Filosofia Politica* 11:1 (1997)

Review of *Three Discourses: A Critical Modern Edition of Newly Identified Work of the Young Hobbes*, ed. Noel B. Reynolds and Arlene W. Saxonhouse, in *The Times Literary Supplement*, 20 December 1996

“The Stranger and the City” (review of Stanley Rosen, *Plato’s ‘Statesman’: The Web of Politics*), *The Times Literary Supplement*, 12 July 1996

Review of Gregory Vlastos, *Studies in Greek Philosophy*, in *The Times Literary Supplement*, 15 September 1995

Review of Stanley Rosen, *The Ancients and the Moderns: Rethinking Modernity*, in *Ancient World* 23 (1992)

Review of Matthew H. Kramer, *Legal Theory, Political Theory, and Deconstruction: Against Rhadamanthus*, in *The Law Quarterly Review* 108 (1992) (with Mark Greenberg)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Upcoming in 2018: Law and Humanities Workshop, Stanford Law School, (29 Jan); UCLA Political Theory Workshop (13 Apr); The Benedict Lectures on the History of Political Philosophy, Boston University (23, 25, 27 Apr); "Political Thought, Time, and History" conference, University of Cambridge (10 May); European Hobbes Society conference, University of Amsterdam (14 May).

Minor presentations in 2017 included a commentary on Seth Jaffe, "Man, the Measurer: Promethean Utilitarianism in Plato's *Protagoras*," at the American Political Science Association, 31 Aug; "Why Read *Leviathan*?", Renaissance and Early Modern Studies, Berkeley, 15 Nov; and commentary on Melissa Lane's draft Carlyle Lectures, "Constitutions before Constitutionalism: Classical Greek Ideas of Office and Rule," 1 Dec, Princeton.

Workshop on *The Creation of Order*, King's College, University of Cambridge, 4 Jul 2017

"Prudent Realism Against War: Hobbes and Thucydides," Faculty of Law, University of Tokyo, 27 Mar 2017

"Thucydides as a Mirror of Princes," Lorenzo Valla Group, University of Tokyo, 28 Mar 2017

Discussion of the 2017 Carlyle Lectures, History of Political Thought Research Seminar, University of Oxford, 10 Mar 2017

"Thucydides in the Reformation," Workshop in Early Modern Political Philosophy, The Academy of Finland, Helsinki, 13 Feb 2017

"In His Veins the Blood of Kings: Thucydides in the Renaissance," Cambridge Centre for Political Thought, University of Cambridge, 6 Feb 2017

"War and Peace in Hobbes's Thucydides," Institut für Politische Wissenschaft, Friedrich-Alexander Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg, 30 Jan 2017

"Making the Future Safe from Prophecy," Department of Political Science, University of California, Davis, 18 Apr 2016

"The Politics of the Future in *Leviathan*," Renaissance Society of America, Boston, 1 Apr 2016

"Hobbes and Thucydides," Department of Philosophy, Università degli Studi di Milano, 25 Feb 2016

"Liberty: An Ancient Idea for the Contemporary World," concluding remarks (with Quentin Skinner), University College London, 5-6 June 2015

"Humanism, the Classics, and the Historical," convened workshop on the Renaissance (with Victoria Kahn), The University of Chicago, 4-5 Dec 2014

"The Unaccountable Demos in Fifth-Century Athens," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 29 Aug 2014

"The People as Tyrant in Democratic Athens," Stanford University, 26 Apr 2013

"Hobbes on Mixed Government," Texas A&M, 12 Apr 2013

“Hobbes’s Thucydides,” University of Leuven, 26 Mar 2013
 “Athenian Democracy and Popular Tyranny,” Queen Mary, University of London, 23 Mar 2013
 “The Intellectual Context of *Leviathan*,” University of London, 11 Jan 2013
 “Why Did Thomas Hobbes Translate Thucydides?” Political Theory Workshop, Yale University, 31 Oct 2012
 “Early Modern Absolutism and Constitutionalism,” Constitutionalism, Ancient and Modern, Cardozo School of Law, 2 Apr 2012; Rockefeller Center for Human Values, Princeton University, 23 Apr 2012
 “Thucydides Lost: The Peloponnesian War as an Argument for Peace in the Renaissance,” The Legacy of Greek Political Thought, University of Reading, 2 Dec 2011
 “Thomas Hobbes’s Translation of Thucydides,” Workshop on Translating Thucydides, Bristol University, 26 Oct 2011
 “Hobbesian Equality,” Legal Theory Workshop, University of Toronto, 14 Oct 2011; Political Theory Workshop, University of Pennsylvania, 4 Nov 2011; Political Theory Colloquium, Harvard University, 17 Nov 2011
 “Tolerance and Intolerance in Theory and Practice,” Yale European Studies Council, Yale University, 23 Sep 2011
 “Hobbes and Thucydides” and “Hobbes on Equality,” University of Tokyo School of Law, 25 and 27 June 2011
 “Hobbes from Equality to Sociability,” Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, 14 Aug 2010
 “Thucydides Before Hobbes,” Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, 3 Apr 2010
 “Hobbesian Naturalism,” American Philosophical Association, San Francisco, 2 Apr 2010
 “Early Modern Thucydides,” Political Philosophy Colloquium, Princeton University, Department of Politics, 1 Oct 2009
 “Absolutism vs. Mixed Government,” Penn Law, 1 May 2009
 Workshop on *Thomas Hobbes and the Creation of Order* draft, Groupe de recherche interuniversitaire en philosophie politique de Montréal, McGill University, 21-22 Mar 2009
 “Prophecy in *Leviathan*,” Political Theory Colloquium, Northwestern University, 2 Mar 2009
 “Hobbes on Equality and Inequality,” American Political Science Association, Boston, 30 Aug 2008
 “Abizadeh on Hobbes,” James A. Moffett Research Workshop, University Center for Human Values, Princeton University, 18 Apr 2008
 “Contextualism and Intellectual History”: commentator on papers by Mark Bevir, Robert Lamb, and A. P. Martinich, American Philosophical Association, Pasadena, 19 Mar 2008; commentator on Gary Herbert, “The Non-Normative Nature of Hobbesian Natural Law,” 22 Mar 2008
 “Hobbes on Equality,” Political Theory Workshop, Stanford University, 14 Mar 2008
 “Thucydides in Early Modern Political, Moral, and Legal Thought,” AHRC conference on the Reception of Thucydides, Faculty of Classics, University of Oxford, 17 Nov 2007
 “The Hobbesian State of Nature” and “Hobbes on Political Obligation,” Bilkent University, Turkey, 11 and 12 Dec 2006

- "A Source of War: Gentili, Thucydides, and the Justification of Pre-emption," Centro Internazionale Studi Gentiliani, San Ginesio, Italy, 22 Sep 2006
- "Kinds of Consent in Hobbes," Political Theory Workshop, London School of Economics, 30 May 2006
- "Hobbes on Consenting to Obey," Political Theory Workshop, University of York, 9 May 2006
- "Intellectual Rebels," with Jonathan Israel, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, 9 Apr 2005
- "The Hobbesian State of Nature," Sara Yates Exley Lecture in the Great Books, Sarah Lawrence College, 1 Feb 2005
- "State of Nature and State of Liberty," European University Institute, Fiesole, Italy, 28 Jan 2005
- "Individualism and Equality in Hobbes," Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, 19 Jan 2005
- "Sovereignty vs. Government in the Seventeenth Century," Faculty of Law, University of Tokyo, 28 Sep 2004
- "The End of Philosophy," Cambridge Seminar in Intellectual History and Political Thought, University of Cambridge, 26 Apr 2004
- "On the Foundations of Radical Democracy (Reply to Richard Tuck)," University of Cambridge, 11 Apr 2003
- "Legal and Political Obligation," The Faculty of Law, University of Tokyo, 26 Mar 2003
- "The Subject of Rights in Hobbes's State of Nature," William Andrews Clark Memorial Library, UCLA, 2 Nov 2001
- "Explication du chapitre 36 du *Léviathan* de Hobbes, 'De la parole de Dieu et des prophètes'," Université de Paris I - Panthéon/Sorbonne, 24 Feb 2001
- "L'image du Léviathan comme symbole du théologico-politique," Université de Paris I - Panthéon/Sorbonne, 28 Feb 1998
- "Hobbes and the Foole," Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association, Atlanta, 30 Dec 1996
- "Commentaire du *Léviathan*, chapitre 17 sur les causes, la génération et la définition de la république," Université de Paris I - Panthéon/Sorbonne, 14 Dec 1996
- "Desiderio di potere e desiderio di saggezza: *Teage, Repubblica, Leggi*," Università di Venezia, 21 May 1996
- "Rights and Powers: Rousseau's Criticism of Hobbes and Spinoza," The University of the South, 18 Apr 1996
- "Derivazione o identificazione? Hobbes sul rapporto tra obblighi politici e vantaggio proprio," Università di Bologna, 29 Jan 1996

AWARDS

Distinguished Faculty Mentor Award, 2016, Graduate Assembly, UC Berkeley

Faculty Award for Outstanding Mentorship of Graduate Student Instructors, 2013, Graduate Council and Graduate Division, UC Berkeley

ACADEMIC SERVICE

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

Tanner Lectures Committee, 2008-

Co-editor (with Jay Wallace) of the Berkeley Tanner Lecture Series for Oxford University Press, 2017-

Advisory Board, Kadish Center for Morality, Law & Public Affairs, 2007-

Graduate Advisor and Executive Committee Member, Program in Renaissance and Early Modern Studies, 2016-

Advisory Committee, Baxter Liberty Initiative, 2011-

Anglo-American Studies Program Advisory Committee, 2013-

Planning and Personnel Committee, Political Science, 2015-16, 2017-18

Search Committee, Political Science, 2017

Executive Committee, Center for British Studies, 2013-2016

Chair, Political Theory Search Committee, 2014-15

Editorial Board, *Representations*, University of California Press, 2010-2014

Commission on the Future of the UC Berkeley Library, 2012-2013

Search Committee for U.S. Legal History, Berkeley Law, 2012-2013

Committee on Academic Freedom, 2008-2011

Rhodes, Marshall, and Mitchell Scholarships Committee, 2008-2011

Senior Faculty Fellow of the Townsend Center for the Humanities, 2008-2009

Political Science Admissions Committee, 2009-2011; Graduate Affairs Committee, 2010; Department Citation Selection Committee, 2010; etc.

Judge for the Philo Sherman Bennett Essay Contest in Political Science, 2010

Committee on Legal Studies, 2007-2009; Legal Studies Renovation Committee, 2010

Jurisprudence and Social Policy (JSP) Admissions Committee, 2008-2009

Dissertation committees include: Nabil Ansari, Jason Blakely (2013), Ali Bond (2017), Will Callison, Mark Fisher (2016, chair), Andrius Galisanka (2013), Nura Hossainzadeh (2016), Athmeya Jayaram, Tacuma Peters (2015), Mike Polyakov (2015), Mahendra Prasad, Rosemarie Wagner (chair), Haozhe Wang (2013), and Samuel Zeitlin (chair) (Political Science); Stephen Galoob (2015), David Louk, and Megan Wachspress (JSP); Jeremiah Carey (2017), Nicholas Gooding (co-chair), Markus Kohl (2012), Erich Matthes (2013), and George Tsai (2011) (Philosophy); Max Staley and Thomas Lowish (History); Zachary Manfredi (Rhetoric); Derin McLeod (2016) and David Pass (2013) (Classics)

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

Political Theory Panel, Department of Politics and International Relations, 1998-2007

Associate Member of the Centre for the Study of Social Justice, 2006-2007

Search Committee Member, Faculty of Philosophy, 2006-2007

Member of the Board of the Faculty of Philosophy, 2003-2004

Placement Officer, Faculty of Philosophy, 1998-2004

Graduate Studies Committee, Faculty of Philosophy, 1998-2004

Examiner for Philosophy, Politics, and Economics; Philosophy Convener, 2005-2007

Examiner for Literae Humaniores, 2000-2004

Examiner for MPhil in Political Theory, 2002-2004

Member of the Board of Electors for many positions, incl. the Professorship of the Philosophy of Law, two University Lectureships in Ancient Philosophy, the University Lectureship in Early Modern Philosophy, and CUF positions in Philosophy of Physics, Philosophy of Logic and Language, and Ancient History

BALLIOL COLLEGE, OXFORD

Senior Tutor, 2005-2007. Responsible for the day-to-day running of the academic program, including faculty hiring and evaluation, student appeals, and academic policy

Senior Classics Fellow, 2005-2007; Senior Philosophy Fellow, 2007

Organizing Tutor for Philosophy, Politics, and Economics, 2000, 2003-2004

Financial Planning Committee, 2002-2004, *ex officio* 2005-2007

College Counselor and Harassment Advisor, 2002-2004

Executive Committee, 1998-2001, *ex officio* 2005-2007

Nominating Committee, 2007

Academic Committee, Financial Aid Committee, Staff Committee, Computing Committee, and Financial Committee (executive officer): *ex officio* 2005-2007

OTHER ACADEMIC SERVICE

Referee for *American Political Science Review*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie*, *British Journal of Politics and International Relations*, *Classical Antiquity*, *History of Political Thought*, *Hobbes Studies*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of the History of European Ideas*, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, *Oxford Review of Education*, *Philosophical Quarterly*, *Political Theory*, *Review of Politics*, *Social Theory and Practice*, Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Polity Press, Princeton University Press, and University of Chicago Press (many of these several times)

External Review Panel, Institute for Advanced Study, School of Historical Studies, 2008-2017

Corresponding Member, Scuola Internazionale di Alti Studi, Fondazione Collegio San Carlo di Modena, 2009-

Trustee of Deep Springs College, 2007- ; member of the Academic Affairs Committee, 2007-2009, 2011-15; Secretary to the Board of Trustees, 2008-2009; Chair of the Budget and Operations Committee (and *ex officio* member of the Audit, Fundraising, and Investment Committees), 2009-2011

Reviewer of cases for tenure and promotion to full professorship at other universities, every year since 2012

Member of the Advisory Group, Leverhulme Trust Project on the Changing Character of War
(War and Ethical Norms), 2003-2007

Member of the Council and the Executive Committee of the Aristotelian Society, 2003-2006

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

D.Phil. in Philosophy, 1998

Bernard Williams, supervisor; G. A. Cohen and Quentin Skinner, examiners

Marshall Scholar, Honorary Mellon Fellow

BROWN UNIVERSITY

B.A., double major, 1987 (4.0 g.p.a.)

Phi Beta Kappa; St. Andrew's Society, Brown University, and Furnas Foundation Scholarships

Transfer student from Deep Springs College