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Professional Experience

The American University of Paris, Associate Professor 2004-ongoing

- Department of International and Comparative Politics, and
- Programme for Master's Degree in Conflict Resolution, International Affairs and Civil Society Development, Institut Catholique & The American University of Paris
- Awarded 'The Board of Trustees Award for Distinguished Teaching', May 2006
- Promoted to Associate Professorship, Fall 2006
- Examine/advise students for Master's Programme, Fall 2006
- Nominated for Distinguished Teaching Award, AUP Board of Trustees, 2005
- Courses taught:
 - "Politics and Society in Russia, 1917-2005": Undergraduate and Graduate-level sections. Course examines sources and causes of the Bolshevik Revolution, Stalinism, Communism's demise and the Soviet Union's collapse. After 1991, Russia's post-Communist transition is evaluated in comparative perspective. Fall 2005
 - "Ideas of Europe": A tour of Europe's competing visions of the European Project (1945-2005): Countries examined include: France, Britain, Germany, Italy, Spain, Central Europe, as well as US and Russia. Spring 2004, 2005, 2006
 - "Great Powers of Tomorrow": Survey of global power "BRIC" newcomers (Brazil, Russia, India and China), the US and the EU in the early 21st century, with analysis of possible implications for the international system. Fall 2004

St. Antony's College, Oxford University, Senior Associate Member 2002-ongoing

- Awarded rank of Senior Associate Membership of College for research on EU-Russian relations
- Research Fellow, nominated by College, confirmation pending, Fall 2006. Research projects: Interaction between ideas/identity and Russian foreign policy, EU-Russian relations

The French Institute for International Relations (IFRI), Paris, Analyst 1993-1994

Associate analyst for specific project on post-Soviet affairs for IFRI's Deputy Director, Dominique Moïsi. Lead organiser for Franco-Russian conference featuring French Foreign Minister Alain Juppé and Russian Communist Party leader Gennady Zyuganov

Oxford University, Tutor 1987-1989

Taught Soviet and East European politics and history to Oxford University graduates

Education

Oxford University, St. Antony's College, Department of Politics 1986-1993

Doctorate (D.Phil.) in Soviet and Russian politics from the faculty of Social Studies (March 1994). Advisors: Dr. Alex Pravda, Professor Archie Brown

Thesis: '*Soviet Policy towards France, 1958-1991: A Case Study for Reflection on the Soviet Union's Westpolitik*'

Columbia University, New York, School of International and Public Affairs and The Harriman Institute for the Advanced Study of the Soviet Union 1983-1986

Master's degree in International Relations, 1985

Certificate essay: '*Soviet Policy towards Mitterrand's France, 1981-1986*'

Princeton University 1979-1983

BA, *cum laude*, in Russian literature and language
Middlebury College, Russian Language Program Summer 1988
Certificate, *magna cum laude*, in Russian language

Other Professional Activities

Oxford University, St. Antony's College 1998-2005
Board member, Executive Advisory Committee from North America (ECANA)
Oxford University, Russian Centre, St. Antony's College 2004-2006
Steering Committee for fund-raising campaign
The International School of Paris 2003-2006
Board member and Chairman of Marketing Committee for International Baccalaureate school, featuring the PYP, MYP and IB. 560 students, K-12,
Faculty Advisor, 'The Economist Club', The American University of Paris. Weekly 2005-2006
student discussion group of current events, based partly on *The Economist* magazine.
Introduce competing points of view; provide alternative articles on same subject matter (often from foreign press); moderate and guide student discussion.

Awards

International Fellow for the US Fund for Peace (Compton Scholar) 1989-1990
First-ever recipient of special grant from the US Congress. Awarded rank of Guest Fellow of the Soviet Academy of Sciences and attached to the institute, World Economy and International (IMEMO)
International Research and Exchange Board (IREX) 1989-1990
Fellowship for 10-month stay in Moscow at the Soviet Academy of Sciences. Conducted over 75 interviews with Soviet academics and public officials, including former Politburo members and Gorbachev advisors

Language fluency: English, Russian, French

DOB 7/6/61, Florida, USA
Married, 2 children

Publications

Russia, France, and the Idea of Europe, (Basingstoke, UK: Palgrave-Macmillan, 2003), 357 pages
[Favourably reviewed by Lord Truscott of St James, in *Slavic Review*, (Spring 2005), p. 201.]
[Favourably reviewed in *Slavonic and East European Review*, Review Article by Neil Malcolm, 'Russia and Europe in the New World Order', vol 83, no 3 (July 2005), pp. 495-507.]
'The EU and Russia: the Promise of Partnership', Review Article, of book with same title by John Pinder and Yuri Shishkov, *International Affairs*, London, Royal Institute for International Affairs, vol 79, no 5, (October 2003).
'A Dynamic Threesome: Ideas, Materialism and Leadership', *Journal of Political Ideologies*, vol 10, no 2 (June 2005), pp. 219-228.
'Annotated Bibliography of Published Works by Archie Brown', Alex Pravda, editor, *Leading Russia: Essays on Leadership* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2005), pp 275-295.
'Poles Apart?: Russia, France and the Concept of Multipolarity', book chapter. Graham Timmins and Jackie Gower, editors, *An Uneasy Partnership: Russia and Europe in the 21st Century* (Anthem Press, forthcoming, 2006).

Book review: 'Re-Assessing Robert English's, *Russia and the Idea of the West*', in *The Russian Review*, (Fall 2005).

Co-editor with William Tompson, *Institutions, Ideas, and Leadership in Post-Soviet Russia*, (Palgrave-Macmillan, forthcoming, 2006). Author of Chapter, 'Assessing the Role of Ideas and National Identity in Post-Soviet Russian'.

After the Superpowers: Drawing the Wrong Lessons (Book project for general readership discussing US foreign policies and Russian domestic and foreign policies since 1985. To be based on primary and archival research in both Russia and the US.)

International Encyclopedia of Social Sciences, 2nd edition, contributor, Macmillan reference, forthcoming, 2006.

Conferences and Public Talks

'Ideas and Foreign Policy Change in the USSR and Post-Soviet Russia: The Case of Soviet policy towards Europe'. St. Antony's College, seminar speaker, December 1994

'Russia today'. Jacksonville Florida. Lecture to Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, December 1994

'Russia, France, and the Idea of Europe', St. Antony's College, seminar speaker, December 2001

'Russia and Europe', New York University in Paris, Paris, France, December 2002

'The Role of Ideas in Soviet and Russian Foreign Policy,' The British Association for the Slavic and East European Studies (BASEES), annual conference, Cambridge, UK, March, 2003

'Russia and France since Putin', for Conference on "Russia and Europe", 50th Anniversary Celebration, The Russian and Eurasian Studies Centre, St. Antony's College, Oxford. July 4-6, 2003

'Russia and the EU: Past and Present', New York University in Paris program, Paris, France. October 30, 2003

'Ideas in Soviet European Policy: A Case-Study of Soviet-French relations', The American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS), annual conference, Toronto, Canada. November 19-23, 2003

'Russia and France since Putin', Mellon Lecture Series, The American University of Paris, December 3, 2003

'France and Russia', for 'Russia and Europe Workshop' at the University of Stirling, UK June 18-19, 2004.

'The European Union: Its History, Institutions and Prospects for the Future', New York University in Paris, September 22, 2004.

'The European Union as a Global Actor: The EU We Need', New York University in Paris, February 2, 2005

'Russia and the European Union today', for Europeum Conference featuring Gregory Yavlinsky, Chairman of Liberal Yabloko Party in Russia, January 21, 2005, St. Antony's College, Oxford.

'The European Union in the World', New York University in Paris, March 15, 2005

'British Intellectual Perspectives towards the European Project,' for conference organized by 'ForumduFutur' at The French National Assembly, June 21, 2005, Paris, France.

‘Assessing the Role of Ideas and Identity in Soviet and Post-Soviet Transitions’, for Conference “Political Leadership, Political Institutions and Political Culture in the Soviet Union and Russia”, in Honour of Professor Archie Brown, St Antony’s College, Oxford, June 24-26, 2005.

‘Explaining Perestroika: Twenty Years After’, Discussant for Papers by Professor Archie Brown of St. Antony’s College, Dr. Lilia Shevtsova, Carnegie Institute of Moscow, and Dr. Graeme Gill, Univ. of Sidney, Australia, for Conference entitled: ‘Europe: Our Common Home?’ of the VII World Congress of International Council for Central and East European Studies (ICCEES), 25-30 July, 2005, Berlin, Germany.

‘Russia and the European Union: A Forced Marriage?’ St. Antony’s College, 20 November 2006, upcoming.

Speakers brought to AUP Community

William Tompson, Birkbeck College, London and OECD (Russia Desk Chief Economist), ‘Russia: Aspiring to Great Powerdom’, The American University of Paris, 12 November 2004

Nanno Mulder, Economist, OECD, ‘Brazil as a Potential Great Power of Tomorrow’, The American University of Paris, 16 November 2004

Dilip Lahiri, Indian Ambassador to France, ‘India Today: A Great Power of Tomorrow?’ The American University of Paris, 23 November 2004,

Sean Dougherty, OECD, ‘Is China a Rising (Economic) Power?’, 22 October 2004, The American University of Paris

Dov Lynch, Senior Researcher, The EU Institute for Strategic Studies, ‘Russia and the European Union: Strategic Partners?’ The American University of Paris, 2 May 2005