

Denis J. Sullivan
Professor, Political Science & International Affairs
Northeastern University

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science (Comparative Politics, Middle East) University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

M.A. (honors) International Relations, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo

B.B.A., *summa cum laude*, Business Administration, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo

ZAYED UNIVERSITY: (2021 - 2022)

Dean, College of Humanities & Social Sciences, Abu Dhabi & Dubai

NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY: (1987 – present)

Professor, Political Science & International Affairs (2001 – present)

– Associate Professor (1995-2001)

– Assistant Professor (1987-1995)

Graduate Program Director, Political Science PhD & MA programs (2015-2017)

Director, Middle East Center (2005-2020)

Director, Dialogue of Civilizations Program, Office of the Provost (1995-2015)

Director, Middle East Studies program (2005-2013)

Director, International Initiatives, Office of the Provost (2009-2013)

Director, International Affairs Program, College of Social Sciences & Humanities (1995-2012)

Chairman, Political Science Department (2001-2003)

Assistant to the President. Principal Liaison for the President to key internal (Board of Trustees, Cabinet, Provost, Deans, Faculty, Staff & Students) & external constituencies. (1997-1998)

Director, Curriculum Reform, Office of the Provost (1995-1997)

OTHER POSITIONS

Founding Director, **Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies**, 2013-present

Director (US), **Palestinian American Research Center**, an American Overseas Research Center, 2005-06

Executive Director, **Cronin International Center and Chairman, International Studies Department, Bentley University** (2003-2005)

Founding Director, **Institute in Governance, Public Policy & Civil Society**, The University of the Middle East, Cambridge, MA & Toledo, Spain, 2001-2003

Visiting Scholar, **Teachers as Scholars Program**, Harvard Graduate School of Education. K-12 Teacher Training and Curriculum Development on Middle East Studies, 1998-2004

Chairman, **Arlington School Committee** (1999-2001) In coordination with full committee, evaluate Superintendent; oversee \$32 million budget process. (School Committee Member 1997 – 2003)

Visiting Researcher, **Bir Zeit University**, West Bank (Fulbright Regional Scholar), 1995-96

Research Associate, Center for Political Research & Studies, Cairo University, 1990-91

Lecturer, American University in Cairo, Department of Political Science, 1990-91

LANGUAGES:

Arabic (Egyptian dialect)

CONSULTING (partial)

Middle East Policy Council, “*Teach-Mideast*” Curriculum project for secondary education, 2022-present

Huron Associates (Boston Office), Designing MA programs (International Affairs; Arab Region Studies; Global Cultures & Societies) for new university in Saudi Arabia, 2022-2023

Research Director, Jordan's Work Permit Initiative for Syrian Refugees, UNHCR-Amman & BCARS research project (pro-bono), 2016-2017

Team Leader, American Political Science Association *Middle East & North Africa* "Civil Society Revisited: Researching Associational Life in Comparative Perspective." In partnership with Boston University, American University in Cairo and American University of Beirut. 2015-16

Developing Public Policy programs for graduate training, American University of Beirut, 2015

Curriculum Development & Faculty Recruitment Consultant, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies (Doha, Qatar), 2013-14

External Evaluator, University of Massachusetts-Lowell, Global Studies PhD program, 2011

External Evaluator, Emmanuel College (Boston), Global Studies B.A. program, 2011

External Evaluator, Lebanese American University, political science and international affairs, 2009

Advisor, U.S. Department of State and Foreign Service Institute on Egypt, Islam, Palestine, U.S. Policy in the Middle East, 1995-2008

Consultant, A.B. Floyd. Analyze political, social, economic, military, & foreign policy issues on Egypt, 2005-06

Evaluator, Palestinian American Research Center. Conduct evaluation of PARC, after 5 years of operations, to assess impact on scholarship in and on Palestine, 2005

Team Leader, managing 5-person Consultant Team for **World Bank "Palestinian NGO Project,"** Mid-Term Review. Evaluate management performance especially Governance structure of NGO Project. Advise World Bank on future of Project, including revised management and governance structures, capacity building, sustainability, and Bank exit strategy. 2003

Consultant World Bank "Palestinian NGO Project," Mid-Term Review. Evaluate management performance especially Governance structure of NGO Project. Lead "focus group discussions" in Arabic, gathering qualitative data/feedback from grant recipients. Advise World Bank on future of Project, including revised management & governance, capacity building, sustainability. 2000

Consultant, Bunker Hill Community College. Develop Fulbright-Hayes Grant application to integrate Middle East Studies into Secondary & Higher Ed. Curriculum through Faculty Development, 2000

Consultant, America's Development Foundation. Develop Proposal in response to USAID RFP on "Civil Society Organizations" in West Bank/Gaza; recruit Chief of Party candidate and other staff; negotiate terms between ADF and local Palestinian partners; provide communications support., 2000

"Group of Experts", Council on Foreign Relations. Advising Palestinian Authority on political and economic institutions for a democratic system., 2000

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

2020-23 **US Embassy, Belgrade. University Partnership Program:** Northeastern University – Belgrade University, Faculty of Economics (faculty and student exchanges; Model EU program)

2018-22 **Carnegie Corporation of New York**, Principal Investigator, "The Crisis and Future of Citizenship in the Arab Region" (BCARS research and policy project)

2016-18 **Carnegie Corporation of New York**, Principal Investigator, "Learning from Syria and the Balkans: Policy Development related to Transnational Crises" (BCARS research and policy project)

2012-18 **Project Global Officers (Project GO): Arabic Language training for ROTC Cadets**, IIE – Institute of International Education and U.S. Department of Defense

2017-18 **Scholar Rescue Fund**, to mentor and host a refugee-scholar at risk, IIE – Institute of International Education.

2015-16 **American Political Science Association 2016 Middle East & North Africa** Workshop, "Civil Society Revisited: Associational Life in Comparative Perspective." Team Leader with colleagues from Boston University, American University in Cairo, & American University of Beirut.

- 2013-16 **Carnegie Corporation of New York**, Principal Investigator, establishing [BCARS](#), the Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies
- 2013-14 **College of Social Sciences & Humanities Faculty Development Research support**
- 2011-12 **Carnegie Corporation of New York & Social Science Research Council**, “Islamic Traditions & Muslim Societies”
- 2011-12 **Center for Emerging Markets, Northeastern University**: “Getting back to business in Egypt.”
- 2008-09 **CASA III – Center for Arabic Study Abroad**, American University in Cairo, Arabic Language and Research Fellowship
- 2008-09 **ENHANCE Grant for Senior Scholars**, Office of the Provost, Northeastern University
- 2007-09 **US Department of Education Title VI, “Undergraduate International Studies & Foreign Language Program”**, Principal Investigator. Project to create Middle East Studies Major & enhance language training (Arabic and Hebrew).
- 2002-03 **Fulbright Group Project**, Binational Fulbright Commission, Cairo Egypt
Instructional Development Fund, Northeastern University
- 1999-00 **Research & Scholarship Development Fund**, Northeastern University
Faculty Mentor in Educational Technology, College of Arts & Sciences, Northeastern
- 1998 **U.S. Institute of Peace Faculty Seminar on Conflict & Peacemaking in an Evolving World**
- 1995-96 **Fulbright Regional Research Grant** for the Middle East (West Bank/Gaza & Egypt)
- 1995-97 **FIPSE/U.S. Dept. of Education Grant** “Achieving General Education through the Major” (co-PI)
- 1994-95 **Pew Faculty Fellowship in International Affairs**, Harvard University, John F. Kennedy School of Government
- 1990-91 **Fulbright Senior Research Grant** (Egypt)
National Endowment for the Humanities/American Research Center in Egypt
- 1986-87 **Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research**, Cairo, Egypt (field research)
Rotary International Fellowship, Cairo University
- 1984 **CASA** (Center for Arabic Study Abroad), Arabic language grant, American University in Cairo

AWARDS

- 2018 **Institute of International Education (IIE) Scholar Rescue Fund Outstanding Service Award**, “in recognition of extraordinary commitment to preserving the life, voice, ideas, and work of a persecuted scholar by providing a safe academic haven.”
- 2011 **IIE Andrew Heiskell Award for Innovation in International Education**: Study Abroad (“Dialogue of Civilizations” program, Northeastern University)
- 2010 **NAFSA Senator Paul Simon Award for Campus Internationalization**, Northeastern University (including “Dialogue” program)

ADVISORY BOARDS

- [Empower Women2Women](#), 2003-present
- [The Review of International Affairs](#), Belgrade (Editorial Board)
- Middle East Policy Council, 2023-present
- Virtual Activism, 2002-2011

PUBLICATIONS

I. POLICY BRIEFINGS:

- 2019 “[Climate Change Displacement: Through the Lens of Citizenship and Belonging](#), **BCARS Bulletin 05 | December 2019** (Sydney Wise, lead author)
“[Citizens of Somewhere: A Case Study of Refugees in Towns - Amman Jordan](#),” **Feinstein International Center Case Report**, August 2019 (with Allyson Hawkins and Ruby Assad)
“Citizenship in Context: Lebanon,” *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, **BCARS Bulletin 04 | April 2019 [epublication](#)** (with Allyson Hawkins)
“Security for Whom? Europe in an Era of Forced Migration,” **BCARS Report 06 | February 2019 [epublication](#)** (with Allyson Hawkins)
- 2018 “The Crisis and Future of Citizenship in the Arab Region,” *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, **BCARS Bulletin 03 | December 2018 [epublication](#)** (with Allyson Hawkins).
- 2018 “New Realities, New Futures: Integration and other Durable Solutions for Refugees,” *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, **BCARS Bulletin 02 | February 2018 [epublication](#)** (with Amira Mohamed and Allyson Hawkins).
- 2017 “The Story of the World’s Refugees,” *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, **BCARS Bulletin 01 | December 2017 [epublication](#)** (with Amira Mohamed and Allyson Hawkins).
- 2017 [Opportunities along the Balkan Route: Policy Proposals for Modernizing the Response to Forced Migration](#), *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, [epublication](#).
- 2017 [Syrian ‘Guests’ in Jordan: Family Ties, Strained Relations & Recommendations for Mutual Development](#), *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, [epublication](#). (with Charles Simpson)
- 2015 [Syria's Humanitarian Crisis: A Call for Regional and International Responses](#), *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, [epublication](#). (Editor; Jaime Jarvis, co-editor)
- 2014 [Understanding Today’s Middle East: Peoples & Places of the Arab Spring](#), *Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies*, [epublication](#) (Editor; Sarah Tobin, co-editor)

II. BOOKS & MONOGRAPHS

- 2013 Co-editor with Elsa Marston Harik, *Democracy, Culture, and the Grip of Arab History: Essays honoring the work of Iliya Harik*, a special issue of the [Journal of New Media Studies in the Middle East and North Africa](#) (August)
- 2008 [Egypt: Global Security Watch](#), New York: Praeger. Senior co-author, with Kimberly Jones.
- 2001 [The World Bank and the Palestinian NGO Project: From Service Delivery to Sustainable Development](#). Jerusalem: Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs
- 1999 [Islam in Contemporary Egypt](#). Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner Publisher. Senior co-author, with Sana Abed-Kotob.
- 1996-97 Co-editor with Sara Roy, Special Issues of [Middle East Policy Journal](#), *U.S. Development Assistance to the Middle East: Critical Perspectives* (October 1996; January 1997).
- 1994 [Private Voluntary Organizations in Egypt: Islamic Development, Private Initiative, and State Control](#). University Press of Florida
- 1992 [Privatization & Liberalization in the Middle East](#), co-editor with Iliya Harik. Bloomington: Indiana University Press.

III. SOLICITED ARTICLES (partial)

- 2019 “Migrants and Refugees: Crisis Responses from the Middle East, the Balkans, and the EU,” [Horizons: Journal of International Relations and Sustainable Development](#) Winter 2019, Issue #13 (Senior author, with Allyson Hawkins)

- 2016 “Egypt”, Encyclopedia of Islam and the Muslim World, 2nd Edition, Richard C. Martin, ed. Macmillan Press (Gale, Cengage Learning).
- 2003 “The Struggle For Egypt’s Future”, Current History, January
- 2001 “NGOs and Development in Egypt: Developing a Partnership Between Government and Civil Society,” Middle East Insight May-June
- 2000 “NGOs in the Arab World: The Critical Importance of a Strong Partnership Between Government and Civil Society,” Civil Society & Democratization in the Arab World (Ibn Khaldun Center, Cairo), June

IV. JOURNAL ARTICLES (partial)

- 2017 “Five Myths About Syrian Refugees: Separating Fact from Fiction,” Foreign Affairs, March 22 (with Max Abrahms and Charles Simpson)
- 2016 “Oasis in the Desert? Coproduced Governance & the future of Za’atari,” MERIP (print), April (with Charles Simpson)
- 2014 “Security and Resilience among Syrian Refugees in Jordan,” MERIP (online), October 14, 2014. <http://www.merip.org/mero/mero101414>. Senior co-author, with Sarah Tobin
- 1997 “State & Civil Society in Conflict in Egypt” Middle East Affairs Journal V. 3 no 1-2 (Winter/Spring)
- 1996 “NGOs in Palestine: Agents of Development & Foundation of Civil Society,” Journal of Palestine Studies XXV, no. 3 (Spring)
- 1996 “The Failure of U.S. Foreign Aid: An Examination of Causes and a Call for Reform,” Global Governance Vol. 2, no. 3 (September)
- 1996 “Introduction: Reinventing U.S. Foreign Assistance,” Middle East Policy Journal (IV, 4; October)
- 1996 “American Aid to Egypt, 1975-96: Peace without Development,” Middle East Policy Jnl (IV, 4)
- 1995 “The Israel-PLO Declaration of Principles,” Pew Case Studies in International Affairs. Institute for the Study of Diplomacy, Georgetown University.
- 1991 “Bureaucratic Politics in Development Assistance: The Failure of American Aid in Egypt,” Administration & Society (May)
- 1990 “The Political Economy of Reform in Egypt” International Jnl of Middle East Studies 22, 3 (August)

V. CHAPTERS IN EDITED VOLUMES (partial)

- 2020 “Egypt,” The Middle East and North Africa 2020 (66th Ed.). London: Routledge. (senior co-author, with Alice Verticelli) [annually updated from 2010 – present]
- 2007 “Egypt”, Countries at the Crossroads: A Survey of Democratic Governance. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield. A Freedom House Publication
- 2005 “Egypt” in Sarah Repucci & Christopher Walker (Eds.), Countries at the Crossroads: A Survey of Democratic Governance. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield. A Freedom House Publication
- 2002 “Between the Palestinian Authority & Palestinian Civil Society: International Aid and the Peace Process,” in Structural Flaws in the Middle East Peace Process, J. W. Wright Jr., ed. Hampshire, England: Palgrave/MacMillan. (Chap. 10, pp. 154-177)
- 1998 “The World Bank’s Trust Fund for Palestinian NGOs,” in Civil Society Empowerment: Policy Analysis. Jerusalem: PASSIA (Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs)
- 1993 “Privatization in Egypt” (with Hassan Hayawan) in Privatization: A Global Perspective V.V. Ramanadham (ed.) London: Routledge.
- 1992 “Extra-State Actors & Privatization in Egypt” in Harik & Sullivan (eds.) Privatization & Liberalization in the Middle East. Bloomington: Indiana University Press.
- 1990 “Bureaucracy & Foreign Aid in Egypt: The Primacy of Politics,” in Ibrahim Oweiss (ed.) Political Economy of Contemporary Egypt. Washington, DC: Center for Contemporary Arab Studies.

PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS (partial)

- 2019 “Worst Humanitarian Crises of our Time: Syria and Yemen,” **Emile Bustani Seminar, MIT**, February 12
- 2017 Panel Chair, “Vulnerability and Exclusion: Examining Access to Services and Institutions for Syrian Refugees and Residents of Cairo’s *ashwayyat*,” **Middle East Studies Association Annual Meeting**, Washington, November 19-21.
- 2016 Panel Chair, “Mass Displacement and Struggles over Identity in the Contemporary Middle East,” **Middle East Studies Association Annual Meeting**, Boston, November 17-20.
- “From the Middle East to the Balkans: Trans-regional forced migrations and the Syrian refugee crisis,” **Simmons College Warburg Program**, Boston, February 23
- 2015 “Syria’s Refugee Crisis & The Impact on Children and Youth: Research Questions & Policy Options,” **American Political Science Association Annual Meeting**, San Francisco, September 3-6
- “The Syrian Humanitarian Crisis: What is to be done?” **Capitol Hill Forum, Middle East Policy Council and the Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies**, Washington DC, April 21.
 - “Security First: Finding the ‘Right Mix’ of Safety and Aid Provision to Syrian Refugees in Jordan and Lebanon”, **Yale Conference: Service Provision in a Changing Arab World**, New Haven, April 10 (paper and presentation with Rima Rassi)
- 2014 “Humanitarian Crisis in Syria and Refugees in Jordan: Zaatari Refugee Camp as a Case Study of Resilience,” **Carr Center for Human Rights, Harvard Kennedy School**, April 30.
- “Security and Resilience among Syrian Refugees in Jordan: Abus [“fathers”], Community Policing, and Secret Police,” **North East Middle East Politics Workshop**, Burlington VT, April 4-6.
- “UNHCR, Jordanian Police, and Syrian Refugees: Developing a new model of security in Zaatari Refugee camp,” **Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies & Boston University Institute for Iraqi Studies Workshop on The Syrian Refugee Crisis and the Contiguous States**. January 31.
- 2013 “The Clash of Values in the Wake of the Arab Uprisings” **Herbert C. Kelman Seminar on International Conflict Analysis and Resolution, Harvard University**, April 29.
- 2012 “International Students in a Global Classroom: Adaptive Teaching and Accommodating to Diverse Learning Styles,” **Workshop on Internationalizing Cairo University: Building Capacity for Study Abroad**,” January 4. (AMIDEAST-Cairo University Workshop)
- 2010 “Financing short-term, faculty-led research programs abroad for students,” **International Studies Association**, New Orleans, February 18.
- 2009 “Conducting Social Science Research in Middle East” and “Language Acquisition and its Impact on Study and Cultural Exchange,” Moderator and Discussant, **Fulbright Enrichment Seminar**, Cairo, Egypt, May 17-18
- “Re-engineering student learning opportunities abroad: Globalizing the Professional Schools and Re-energizing Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences,” **International Studies Association**, New York, NY February 15-18
- 2007 “American Efforts to ‘Democratize’ the Middle East: Iraq, Lebanon, Egypt, and Palestine”, Program on *Reform, Resistance, and Conflicts in the Middle East*, conference at **Chaim Herzog Center, Ben Gurion University**, 8-9 January 2007.
- 2006 “Engaging American and Egyptian Students: A *Dialogue of Civilizations* Seminar,” **Misr International University**, Cairo, June 7
- 2005 “Prospects for Egypt-Palestine Trade and Economic Cooperation: A Policy Analysis”, **Middle East Studies Association**, Washington, DC, November 18-21
- “International learning: Building Coalitions Across Institutions to promote ‘Global Experiential Learning’” Chair and Presenter. **AIEA – Association of International Education**

Administrators – Annual Conference, Washington, DC February 16-19, 2005

- 2003 “Targeting the Poor: The World Bank in Palestine,” **Bentley College’s “Global Issues, Bentley Action” Program**. November 4.
- 2002 “Palestinian Politics after September 11th 2001,” with Sara Roy. **Watson Institute, Brown Univ.**
- “Islam: Mainstream vs. Militants,” **John F. Kennedy Library Forum, “Global Crisis”**, Feb. 7
- 2001 “Osama Bin Laden, al-Qa’eda, and the Taliban vs. the U.S.” **Brandeis University**, November 28
- “September 11th: Challenges to US Foreign Policy in Central Asia & the Middle East,” **Bunker Hill Community College**, October 30

WORKSHOPS & TRAININGS (BCARS and partners) (partial)

- 2018 “Security for Whom? Europe in an Era of Forced Migration,” Workshop on Human Security & State Security in partnership with **German Marshall Fund of the United States (Berlin)**, June 25-26
- 2017 “Cooperation in Responsibility Sharing for Refugees in the Euro-Mediterranean Space,” **American University in Cairo**, October 9-10
- 2016 “Implementing Humanitarian and Development Aid Projects in Conflict Zones,” **Harvard University Center for Middle Eastern Studies & Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies**, December 9
- “Civil Society, Associational Life, and Prospects for Research in the Arab Region,” Doctoral Student Training Workshop, **Amman Jordan**, September 9-14 (2nd of 2)
 - “Civil Society Revisited: Researching Association Life in Comparative Perspective.” Doctoral Student Training Workshop, **American University of Beirut**, May 16-21 (1st of 2)
- 2015 “Syria’s expanding refugee crisis: Policy options for US Government, the EU, & UN Agencies”, **Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies & Boston University**, October
- “The Challenge of conducting research in the Middle East: Quantitative and Qualitative Methods in war zones and perpetual crises,” **Harvard University Center for Middle Eastern Studies & Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies**, February 21-22
- 2014 “Syria's Humanitarian Crisis: Regional and International Responses,” **Boston Consortium for Arab Region Studies**, October 31

PUBLIC LECTURES, COMMUNITY & MEDIA APPEARANCES (partial)

- 2020 “Red Sea Security,” **Foreign Policy Association *Great Decisions 2020***, Hingham MA, February 19
- 2018 “UN Security Council demands Cease-Fire and Humanitarian Corridor in Syria,” **Voice of America Radio**, February 27.
- 2017 “Syria’s Expanding Crisis: From Aleppo to New England,” **International Institute of New England** lecture series: “Intersections: Syncing Policy, Practice & Personal Experience.” January 24
- 2014 “The Syrian Crisis and Regional Impact: What can Americans do to help?” **Civic Leadership Lab**, Cambridge, MA May 1.
- 2012 “Egypt and the Arab Spring – The Revolution is Over,” **World Affairs Council (Boston) & Foreign Policy Association (New York)**, Boston Public Library, February 14
- “Islamists in Parliament: Egypt’s Muslim Brothers Fail the Test,” **Minaret Businessmen’s Organization**, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, January 8
- 2011 “Egypt’s Revolution and US-Egypt relations,” Congregation Mishkan Tefila, Chestnut Hill, March 7

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Co-Chair (with Augustus Richard Norton), APSA Conference Group on the Middle East (2015-2019)

Grant Review Panels: Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council of Canada (2017); Fulbright/IIE Committee on Egypt (2013; 2012; 2005); Binational Fulbright Commission-Egypt (2013; 2012; 2008); American Research Center in Egypt (2001); Instructional Development Fund, Northeastern

Program Committee for MESA 2016, Middle East Studies Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA 2016

AMIDEAST Study Abroad Academic Consortium member, 2013-2015

Working Group on Transformative Movements in the Arab World, Harvard University, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, 2011-2014

Associate Editor, Middle East Studies Association Bulletin, 1997-99

Coordinator, "Egypt Study Group", Harvard University, Center for Middle Eastern Studies (CMES), 1992-96 (Arabic & English sub-groups)

Participant, "Egypt Discussion Group", Council on Foreign Relations, New York, 1993

Conference Organizer, "Privatization in Egypt & the Middle East," Boston, April 1990

Co-Chair, Middle East Round Table, 1988 Student Conference on U.S. Affairs, U.S. Military Academy West Point

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Middle East Studies Association
- American Political Science Association
- International Studies Association

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

- **Comparative Politics:** Citizenship, Participation, and Civil Society; Human Resource Development in the Arab Region; Comparative Politics in MENA: elections and electoral systems, governance and state formation; Political Economy.
- **International Politics:** Refugees and forced migration; Politics of Aid, Trade & Privatization; American Foreign Policy in the Middle East; Conflict & Negotiations; Simulation & Case Teaching

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- Interfaith Dialogues (Arlington, Somerville, Boston), 2000 – 2020
- Arlington School Committee, 1997-2003 (elected office)
- Chairman, Arlington School Committee, 1999-2001
- Co-Chairman, Rebuild Arlington Neighborhood Schools, 2000 (Citizens' Initiative on Prop. 2 ½)
- Precinct Co-ordinator, Rebuild Arlington Neighborhood Schools, 1997
- Election Monitor, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1988-92) and State of Michigan (1980-82)
- Town Meeting Member, Arlington, MA 1988-91