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Education

1997 Ph.D. Political Science. University of California at Los Angeles
1992 M.A. Political Science. University of California at Los Angeles
1987 B.A. Political Science. University of Washington

Language Training & Field Work

1993-94 IIE Fulbright Award for dissertation research at Kuwait University.
1992-93 Center for Arabic Studies Abroad (CASA), American University in Cairo

Employment

Georgia State University, Department of Political Science

Associate Professor September 2005 -
Assistant Professor 1998 to August 2005.

Book

All in the Family: Absolutism, Revolution and Democracy in the Middle Eastern Monarchies. 1999.
Albany: State University of New York Press.

Articles

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"Princes and Parliaments in the Arab World." 2004. *Middle East Journal* 58, no. 3 (Summer): 367-384.

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"Subordinate Communities and the Utility of Ethnic Ties to a Neighboring Regime: Iran and the Shi'a of the Arab States of the Gulf." 1999. In *Ethnic Conflict and International Politics of the Middle East*. Ed. Leonard Binder. Gainesville: University Press of Florida. 155-180.

Other publications

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