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j) works in progress

-projected book project on crises in the Saudi state and how the regime successfully dealt with them

Academic Honors and Professional Activities

- -Smith-Richardson Foundation grant for Saudi Arabia project, 2009-10
- -Fulbright Scholar, American University of Kuwait, January-June 2009
- -Participant, Council on Foreign Relations Task Force on Democracy in the Arab World, 2004-5
- -Project Director (with Richard Murphy), Council on Foreign Relations Study Group on the Gulf Monarchies, 1999
- -Project Director (with Richard Murphy), Council on Foreign Relations Seminar Series on Democratization and American Foreign Policy in the Arab World, 1995
- -Pew Summer Fellowship in Case Teaching in International Relations, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, 1989
- -American Professors for Peace in the Middle East traveling fellowship (Israel), summer 1988
 - -Charles Sumner dissertation award, Harvard University, 1987
 - -Research Fellow, Foreign Policy Studies, Brookings Institution, 1986-87
 - -Foreign Language and Area Studies grants, 1982-83, summer 1984, 1984-85, 1985-86
 - -Intern, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA, summer 1981
- -Harry S. Truman Memorial Scholar (a four-year scholarship given annually by the Federal government to 50 students interested in the study and practice of politics), 1978

Professional Service

- -Editorial Board, Middle East Journal, 2015-present
- -Board of Directors, Arab Gulf States Institute in Washington, 2014-present
- -Vice-President, Association of Gulf and Arabian Peninsula Studies, 2013-2015
- -Editorial Board, Political Science Quarterly, 2011-present
- -Editorial Board, Journal of Arabian Studies, 2010-present
- -Editorial Board, Cambridge Middle East Studies, Cambridge University Press, 2008-present
 - -Editorial Board, International Journal of Middle East Studies, 2005-2009
- -Editorial Board, *Polity* (journal of the Northeast section of the American Political Science Association), 1997-2009
- Middle Eastern Studies Association of North America: Chair, Program Committee, 2018 Annual Meeting; Member, Committee on Academic Freedom in the Middle East and North Africa, 2000-05; Chair of the Program Committee, 2018 Annual Meeting
- -Nominating Committee, Arthur Ross Book Award, Council on Foreign Relations, 2010, 2002-05
 - -Associate Editor, Middle East Studies Association Bulletin, 1997-2002
- -Social Science Research Council: Member, Graduate Fellowship Screening Committee, Joint Committee on the Near and Middle East, 1995
- -Society for Gulf Arab Studies: President, 1994-96; Vice-President, 1998-2000; Board of Directors, 1993, 1996-98; Nominating Committee, 1992; Dissertation Prize Committee, 1991, 1997
- -American Institute for Yemeni Studies: Nominating Committee, 1997; Fellowship Committee, 1996-7, 1995-6, 1994-95
- -Editorial Board, *Encyclopedia of the Modern Middle East* [a joint project of Columbia's Middle East Institute and Macmillan], published in 1996
- -Nominated Memberships: Council on Foreign Relations, International Institute for Strategic Studies, Foreign Policy Association
- -Manuscript reviewer: Cornell University Press, Princeton University Press, Columbia University Press, Cambridge University Press, Harvard University Press, State University of New York Press, University Press of Florida, Oxford University Press, I.B. Tauris, Lynne Rienner, W. H. Freedman, Westview Press, Stanford University Press, Polity Press, University of Pennsylvania Press, International Organization, Middle East Journal, International Journal of Middle East Studies, International Studies Quarterly, Comparative Politics, Studies in Comparative International Development, International Affairs (Canada), World Politics, Security Studies, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Studies in Society and History, International Security, Journal of Military History, Theory and Society, Journal of Politics, Middle East Law and Governance

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