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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor (with tenure/permanent contract) 2020 – Present
Institute of Security & Global Affairs, Leiden University

Assistant Professor 2016 – 2020
Department of Professional Security Studies, New Jersey City University

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Science, Binghamton University (SUNY) 2016
Distinguished Dissertation Award in Social Sciences: *Alternative Politicking: Terrorism as a Mechanism for Political Mobilization*

M.A. in International Peace & Conflict Resolution, American University 2014

AWARDED GRANTS & FUNDING

Terrorist Group Adaptation & Lessons for Counterterrorism [ERC Starting Grant] 2024-2028
Sponsor: European Union (ERC, Grant Number: 101116436). €1.500.000
Role: PI

Countering Violent Extremist Content Online: A Multidisciplinary Approach 2024
Sponsor: Google Academic Research Award
Role: Co-PI (*with Joana Cook*)

Blue Sky Workshop on Terrorist Exploitation of AI 2024
Sponsor: National Coordinator for Security and Counterterrorism
Role: Co-PI (*with Joana Cook & Barbara Molas*)

Explaining Changes in Counterterrorism Practices 2022-2023
Sponsor: Global Transformations & Governance Challenges Seed Grant, 2022-23
Role: Co-PI (*with Silvia D'Amato, Roos van der Haer, & Eelco van der Maat*)

Attitudes & Beliefs Toward US Counterterrorism Policy 2019-2020
Sponsor: Specially Budgeted Research Grant, New Jersey City University
Role: PI

Intelligence Community Center of Academic Excellence (IC-CAE), 2019-2024
Rutgers University Consortium Sub-Awardee (Project Number: HHM402-19-FOA-399)
Sponsor: Office of the Director of National Intelligence.
Role: Co-PI in 2019 & 2020 (*with Scott Fisher*)

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Alparone, Diletta, Jaroslaw Kantorowicz, & Graig R. Klein. *Forthcoming*. Comparative Public Attitudes About Drone Strikes: Survey Experiments in Italy, Germany, and Poland. *Foreign Policy Analysis*.

Klein, Graig R. 2024. Refugees, Perceived Threat & Domestic Terrorism. *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*. 47(6): 668-99.

Fisher, Scott, Graig R. Klein, Juste Codjo, & Juris Pupcenoks. 2024. Answering Authoritarian State Asymmetric State Challenges: Tools for Deterring Hybrid Threats and Non-Military Coercion from China and Russia. *Journal of Indo-Pacific Affairs*, 53-77.

Pupcenoks, Juris, Scott Fisher, & Graig R. Klein. 2024. Sentiment Shifts and a New Approach to Strategic Narratives Analysis: Russian Rhetoric on Ukraine. *Demokratizatsiya: The Journal of Post-Soviet Democratization* 32(1): 85-112.

Fisher, Scott, Graig R. Klein, & Juste Codjo. 2022. FOCUSdata: Foreign Policy Through Language & Sentiment. *Foreign Policy Analysis* 18(2).

Klein, Graig R., José Cuesta, & Cristian Chagalj. 2022. The Nicaragua Protest Crisis in 2018-2019: Assessing the Logic of Government Responses to Protests. *Journal of Politics in Latin America* 14(1): 55-83.

Tokdemir, Efe & Graig R. Klein. 2021. Strategic Interaction of Governments and Terrorist Groups in Times of Economic Hardship. *Defence and Peace Economics* 32(6): 742-56.

Bodderly, Scott S. & Graig R. Klein. 2021. Presidential Use of Diversionary Drone Force and Public Support. *Research & Politics* 8(2): 1-7.

Farrer, Benjamin & Graig R. Klein. 2019. How Radical Environmental Violence Impacts US Elections. *Terrorism and Political Violence* 34(2): 218-39.

Klein, Graig R. & Efe Tokdemir. 2019. Domestic Diversion: Selective Targeting of Vulnerable Minorities. *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 36(1): 20-41.

Klein, Graig R. & Patrick M. Regan. 2018. Protest Dynamics. *International Organization* 72(2): 485-521.

Farrer, Benjamin & Graig R. Klein. 2017. The Political Roots of Domestic Environmental Sabotage. *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties* 27(2): 133-55.

Klein, Graig R. 2016. Ideology Isn't Everything: Transnational Terrorism, Recruitment Incentives & Attack Casualties. *Terrorism and Political Violence* 28(5): 868-87.

Book Chapter

Klein, Graig R. *forthcoming*. Comparative Counterterrorism: Approaches in the Global North & Global South. In Tahir Abbas, Sagnik Dutta, & Sylvia Bergh (eds.) *Counterterrorism in a Global Context: A Decolonial Approach*. Manchester, UK: Manchester University Press.

Current Events Analyses

Klein, Graig R. 2024. Counter-Terrorism Targeted Killing of Hassan Nasrallah. Is Hezbollah Weaker? *International Centre for Counter-Terrorism*.

Klein, Graig R. 2024. Terrorism as a Strategy of Retribution. *International Centre for Counter-Terrorism*.

Klein, Graig R. & Scott S. Boddery. 2023. Turkey's Erdogan Took a Page from US Presidents and Boosted Reelection Campaign by Claiming to Have Killed a Terrorist. *The Conversation*.

Abbas, Tahir, Inés Bolaños Somoano, Joana Cook, Isabelle Frens, Graig R. Klein, & Richard McNeil-Wilson. 2022. The Buffalo Attack – An Analysis of the Manifesto. *International Centre for Counter-Terrorism*.

Pupcenoks, Juris & Graig R. Klein. 2022. Using Lies and Disinformation, Putin and His Team Have Been Building the Case For a Ukraine Invasion for 14 Years. *The Conversation*.

Pupcenoks, Juris & Graig R. Klein. 2022. First Georgia, Then Ukraine: How Russian Propaganda Justifies Invasions. *Carnegie Council for Ethics in International Affairs*.

Klein, Graig R. 2022. The Leader of ISIS is Dead, but are Targeted Killings Effective? *International Centre for Counter-Terrorism*.

Klein, Graig R. 2021. Reframing Threats of Migrants in Europe. *International Centre for Counter-Terrorism*.

- Klein, Graig R., Carla Martínez Machain, & Efe Tokdemir. 2020. Trump Gambles on American Racial Tension. *Political Violence at a Glance*.
- Farrer, Benjamin & Graig R. Klein. 2019. Environmental Direct Action May Be Forgiven By Voters If They Can See That Conventional Politics Are Not Working. *London School of Economics – US Centre (USAPP)*.
- Klein, Graig R. 2019. Accommodating the Hong Kong Protests, It's Not Too Surprising. *Political Violence at a Glance*.
- Klein, Graig R. & Patrick M. Regan. 2018. Explaining Iran's Response to the Protests. *Political Violence at a Glance*.
- Farrer, Benjamin & Graig R. Klein. 2017. Words and Deeds: Electoral Success for Greens in the US Leads to Less Environmental Sabotage. *Democratic Audit*.
- Farrer, Benjamin & Graig R. Klein. 2016. Will Next Week's U.S. Elections Lead to Violence? Here's What Environmental Extremists Can Teach Us. *The Washington Post Monkey Cage*.
- Klein, Graig R., Carla Martínez Machain, & Efe Tokdemir. 2016. It's the Economy, Stupid (But Blame Minority Groups). *Political Violence at a Glance*.
- Klein, Graig R. 2015. These Two Reasons Explain Why the Islamic State Attacked France Now. *The Washington Post Monkey Cage*.
- Klein, Graig R. 2015. Rethinking Terrorism as a Strategy of Provocation. *Political Violence at a Glance*.

INVITED TALKS & WORKSHOPS

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| Non-Kinetic Activities as Effect Multiplies in CT
<i>North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO): Centre of Excellence-Defence Against Terrorism (COE-DAT) Diamond Event</i> | 2024 |
| Radicalization
<i>United Nations International Crime & Justice Research Institute</i> | 2024 |
| Joint Training and Education Academic Workshop (JTEAW)
<i>NORAD & USNORTHCOM</i> | 2017, 2019 |
| Domestic Terrorism Conference
<i>New Jersey Office of Homeland Security & Preparedness</i> | 2017 |
| New Era Foreign Policy Conference [Fellow]
<i>Bridging the Gap, American University</i> | 2015 |

Dialogue on Iraqi Minority Communities 2010
George Washington University

Project on Middle East Democracy (POMED) 2009
Project on Middle East, Cairo, Egypt

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

International Studies Association Annual Meeting 2013-2018, 2020, 2022, 2023
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2013-2022
Peace Science Society Annual Meeting 2013-2014, 2022
Council for European Studies International Conference of Europeanists 2023
Conflict Research Society Annual Meeting 2021, 2023-2024
Network of European Peace Scientists Annual Meeting 2021-2023
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2015-2016
European Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2017, 2021, 2023-2024
Eurasian Peace Science Conference Annual Meeting 2022
Annual Northeast Regional Security Education Symposium 2017-2020
Dr. Han-Jyun Hou Conference – Political Violence: Bargaining Through Coercion 2016

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Leiden University

BSc Security Studies – Research Methods II
BSc Security Studies – Thesis
MSc International Relations & Diplomacy – Thesis Lab I & Thesis Lab II
MSc Crisis Security & Management – Terror Groups’ Non-Violent Activities & Government Responses
MSc Crisis Security & Management – Terrorism & Counterterrorism: Governing Wicked Problems

New Jersey City University

SECU 155: Introduction to International Security
SECU 221: Contemporary International Security
SECU 398: Research Methods in Professional Security Studies
SECU 615: Research Methods I
SECU 810/815: Current Issues in Civil Security I/II
SECU 860/865: Dissertation Proposal I/II
SECU 900/910: Dissertation Seminar I/II

Binghamton University

PLSC 486Z: Political Economy of Conflict
PLSC 486K: Insurgency & Counterinsurgency
PLSC 380P: Fighting the State
PLSC 380A: Protest Behavior & Dynamics