

# Graig R. Klein

## Curriculum Vitae

Assistant Professor  
Institute of Security & Global Affairs  
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**Appointments** Assistant Professor 2020 – Present  
Leiden University  
Institute of Security & Global Affairs  
(Terrorism and Political Violence & War, Peace and Justice Research Groups)

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

**Education** Ph.D. in Political Science, 2016  
Binghamton University (SUNY)

M.A. in International Peace & Conflict Resolution, 2010  
American University

B.A. with High Honors in Political Science, 2007  
Binghamton University (SUNY)

**Peer-Reviewed Publications** Klein, Graig R. 2021. Refugees, Perceived Threat & Domestic Terrorism. *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*. Online First: October 31.

Fisher, Scott, Graig R. Klein, and Juste Codjo. *forthcoming*. FOCUSdata: Foreign Policy Through Language & Sentiment. *Foreign Policy Analysis*.

Klein, Graig R., José Cuesta, and Cristian Chagalj. 2021. The Nicaragua Protest Crisis in 2018-2019: Assessing the Logic of Government Responses to Protests. *Journal of Politics in Latin America*. Online First: July 7.

Tokdemir, Efe and Graig R. Klein. 2021. Strategic Interaction of Governments and Terrorist Groups in Times of Economic Hardship. *Defence and Peace Economics*. Online First: June 14.

Bodderly, Scott S. and Graig R. Klein. 2021. Presidential Use of Diversionary Drone Force and Public Support. *Research & Politics*. Online first: May 26.

Farrer, Benjamin and Graig R. Klein. 2019. How Radical Environmental Violence Impacts US Elections. *Terrorism and Political Violence*. Online first: Nov. 4.

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

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

Farrer, Benjamin and Graig R. Klein. 2017. The Political Roots of Domestic Environmental Sabotage. *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties* 27(2): 133-155.

Klein, Graig R. 2016. Ideology Isn't Everything: Transnational Terrorism, Recruitment Incentives & Attack Casualties. *Terrorism and Political Violence* 28(5): 868-887.

***Awarded  
Grants***

**(PI)** Attitudes & Beliefs Toward US Counterterrorism Policy, Specially Budgeted Research Grant, New Jersey City University, 2019-20.

Intelligence Community Center of Academic Excellence (IC-CAE), Office of the Director of National Intelligence. Rutgers University Consortium Sub-Awardee, 2019-2024. Project Number: HHM402-19-FOA-399.

***General  
Audience  
Publications***

Monkey Cage (The Washington Post)

Will Next Week's U.S. Elections Lead to Violence? Here's What Environmental Extremists Can Teach Us. With Benjamin Farrer. Nov. 1, 2016.

These Two Reasons Explain Why the Islamic State Attacked France Now. Nov. 18, 2015.

Political Violence @ a Glance

Trump Gambles on American Racial Tension. With Carla Martinez Machain & Efe Tokdemir. July 9, 2020.

Accommodating the Hong Kong Protests, It's Not Too Surprising. September 24, 2019.

Explaining Iran's Response to the Protests. With Patrick M. Regan. Jan. 18, 2018.

It's the Economy, Stupid (But Blame Minority Groups). With Efe Tokdemir & Carla Martinez Machain. Oct. 27, 2016.

Rethinking Terrorism as a Strategy of Provocation. June 1, 2015.

London School of Economics – US Centre (USAPP)

Environmental Direct Action May Be Forgiven By Voters If They Can See That Conventional Politics Are Not Working. With Benjamin Farrer. Dec. 12, 2019.

Words and Deeds: Electoral Success for Greens in the US Leads to Less Environmental Sabotage. With Benjamin Farrer. Nov. 2, 2017.

Quantitative Peace

Calling All Martyrs: Recruitment Incentives & Terror Attack Casualties. Sep. 9, 2014.

G8 Summit Magazine

Social Media and Rethinking the 'Clash of Civilizations.' May, 2011: 92.

Diplomatic Courier

Madame Secretaries. Spring 2011, 5(2): 11.

Malaysia: Series of Cyber Attacks Mark Regional Elections. Apr. 21, 2011.

Emboldening the Arabian Peninsula. Mar. 16, 2011.

Niger: A Surprising Model for Democratic Transition. Mar. 16, 2011.

Libya: A Watershed for Pro-Democracy Protests in MENA. Feb. 22, 2011.

Egypt on the Brink: Update. Jan. 29, 2011.

Egypt on the Brink & What it Means for Yemen and Jordan. Jan. 28, 2011.

Turmoil in Tunisia: The Beginning of a Domino Effect. Jan. 17, 2011.

How the Culmination of Violence, Religion and Politics Effects Egypt's Future. Jan. 13, 2011.

Hugo Chavez is Feeling the Squeeze. Jan. 2, 2011.

France Looks to the East, Russia Looks to the West. Dec. 21, 2010.

Lifting Sanctions & Unemployment: How They Impact Iraq's Future. Dec. 21, 2010.

Russia's Privatization Debate. Nov. 18, 2010.

American University

US Government Innovations in Peacebuilding and Conflict Resolution: Implications for the IPCR Program. With Ronald Fisher & Sarah Beller. 2010.

***Teaching  
Experience***

*Leiden University*

BSc Security Studies – Research Methods II

MSc International Relations & Diplomacy – Thesis Lab I

MSc International Relations & Diplomacy – Thesis Lab II

BSc Security Studies – Thesis

MSc Crisis Security & Management – Terror Groups' Non-Violent Activities  
& Government Responses

*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

**Honors & Awards** Rising Star: Excellence in Service Award, *New Jersey City University*, 2017  
Dissertation Fellowship, *Binghamton University*, 2015  
Excellence in Research Award, *Binghamton University*, 2015  
Certificate in Monitoring & Evaluation for NGOs, *American University*, 2009

**Invited Workshops** Counterterrorism in a Global Perspective, *Leiden University & The Hague University of Applied Sciences*  
Joint Training and Education Academic Workshop (JTEAW), *NORAD & USNORTHCOM*, 2017 & 2019  
Domestic Terrorism Conference, *New Jersey Office of Homeland Security & Preparedness* 2017  
New Era Foreign Policy Conference [Fellow], *Bridging the Gap, American University* 2015  
Dialogue on Iraqi Minority Communities, *The Elliot School of International Affairs, George Washington University*, 2010  
Project on Middle East Democracy (POMED), *Project on Middle East, Cairo, Egypt*, 2009

**Conference Participation** *Presentations*  
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2013-2021  
International Studies Association Annual Meeting, 2013-2018, 2020, 2022  
Peace Science Society Annual Meeting, 2013-2014  
Conflict Research Society Annual Meeting, 2021  
Network of European Peace Scientists Annual Meeting, 2021  
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2015-2016  
European Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2017, 2021  
Eurasian Peace Science Conference Annual Meeting, 2022  
Dr. Han-Jyun Hou Conference – Political Violence: Bargaining Through Coercion, 2016

*Panel Chair/Discussant*  
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2017-2018  
International Studies Association Annual Meeting, 2015, 2017-2018, 2020  
Peace Science Society Annual Meeting, 2018  
Eurasian Peace Science Conference Annual Meeting, 2022

*Organizer*

Competition for Legitimacy: Constituency Relations and Conflict Processes.

American Political Science Association, 2018

Annual Northeast Regional Security Education Symposium. New Jersey City

University, 2017-2020

Dr. Han-Jyun Hou Conference – Political Violence: Bargaining Through

Coercion. Binghamton University, 2016

***Journal  
Reviewer***

American Political Science Review; Journal of Politics; Terrorism and Political  
Violence; Conflict Management and Peace Science; Foreign Policy Analysis;  
Journal of Global Security Studies; The Social Science Journal; Journal of  
Policing, Intelligence and CT