

## **CURRICULUM VITA**

### **PERSONAL DATA**

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### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D.: The Ohio State University, 1996 (Political Science)  
M.A.: The University of Essex, United Kingdom, 1988 (Government)  
B.A.: Washburn University, 1986 (Political Science) Summa Cum Laude

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2008-present	Professor of International Relations, School of Politics, Philosophy, and Public Affairs, Washington State University.
8/2011-6/2016	<i>Claudius O. and Mary W. Johnson Distinguished Professor of Political Science.</i>
9/2012-3/2015	Director - School of Politics, Philosophy and Public Affairs, Washington State University.
8/2011-9/2012	Associate Director and Director of Graduate Studies - School of Politics, Philosophy and Public Affairs, Washington State University.
2001-2008	Associate Professor of International Relations, Department of Political Science, WSU.
1994-2001	Assistant Professor of International Relations, Department of Political Science, WSU.

### **SPECIALIZATIONS**

**International Relations** – Security Studies, Foreign Policy Analysis, Political Psychology; U.S. Foreign & Defense Policy; Presidential Studies; Leadership and Decision Making; Nuclear & Biological Weapons Proliferation; Intelligence Analysis; Russian and North Korean Security Policy.

### **PUBLICATIONS – (Books)**

Martha Cottam, Elena M. Mastors, Thomas Preston & Beth Dietz-Uhler. *Introduction to Political Psychology*. Erlbaum, 2004 / 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Taylor & Francis, 2010 / 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, Routledge, 2016 / 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, Routledge, 2022.

*Oxford Research Encyclopedia on Crisis Analysis*. Editors: Eric Stern, Thomas Preston, Daniel Nohrstedt, Denis Fischbacher-Smith, Alan McConnell, and Sanneke Kuipers. Oxford University Press, 2022.

Thomas Preston. *Pandora's Trap: Presidential Decision Making and Blame Avoidance in Vietnam and Iraq*. Boulder, CO: Rowman & Littlefield: 2011/2013.

Thomas Preston. *From Lambs to Lions: Future Security Relationships in a World of Biological and Nuclear Weapons*. Boulder, CO: Rowman and Littlefield, 2007/2009.

Thomas Preston. *The President and His Inner Circle: Leadership Style and the Advisory Process in Foreign Affairs*. New York: Columbia University Press, 2001.

### **PUBLICATIONS – (Journal Articles and Book Chapters)**

Phil Tomsovic and Thomas Preston. *President Ford, the ASALH, and the Political Origins of Black History Month*. *Presidential Studies Quarterly* (Forthcoming, March 2023).

*Oxford Research Encyclopedia on Crisis Analysis*. Oxford University Press, 2022. Editors: Eric Stern, Thomas Preston, Daniel Nohrstedt, Denis Fischbacher-Smith, Alan McConnell, and Sanneke Kuipers.

Thomas Preston. "Advisory Systems and Crisis." *Oxford Research Encyclopedia on Crisis Analysis*. Oxford University Press, (2020).

Thomas Preston. "The Nuclear Standoff Between the United States and North Korea: Searching for Progress During the Obama and Trump Administrations." In Ralph G. Carter (ed.), *Contemporary Cases in U.S. Foreign Policy: From National Security to Human Security*, pp.191-215. Chapter Nine. Sixth Edition. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2021.

Thomas Preston. "Deterrence, Compellence, and Containment in the Trump Foreign Policy: Comparing Present and Past Strategies of American Leadership. In Stanley Renshon and Peter Suedfeld (eds.), *The Trump Doctrine and the Emerging International System*, pp.155-179. Chapter Six. New York: Springer, 2020.

Thomas Preston. "The Nuclear Standoff between the United States and Iran: Muscular Diplomacy and the Ticking Clock." In Ralph G. Carter (ed.), *Contemporary Cases in U.S. Foreign Policy: From Terrorism to Trade*. Fifth Edition. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2013.

Thomas Preston. "The Role of Leaders in Sequential Decision-Making: Lyndon Johnson, Advisory Dynamics, and Vietnam." In Charles F. Hermann (ed.), *When Things Go Wrong: Foreign Policy Decision Making Under Adverse Feedback*, pp.53-88. New York: Routledge, 2012.

Thomas Preston and Michael P. Infranco. "The Nuclear Standoff between the United States and Iran: Seeking a Diplomatic Path through a Minefield of Mutual Distrust." In Ralph G. Carter (ed.), *Contemporary Cases in U.S. Foreign Policy: From Terrorism to Trade*, pp.108-137. Fourth Edition. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2011.

Arjen Boin, Paul 't Hart, Allan McConnell, and Thomas Preston. "Leadership Style, Crisis Response, and Blame Management: The Case of Hurricane Katrina." *Public Administration* Vol. 88, No.3, (September 2010): 706-723.

Thomas Preston. "Leadership and Foreign Policy Analysis." In Robert A. Denemark (ed.), *The International Studies Encyclopedia*, Vol. 8, pp.4856-4874. Wiley-Blackwell Publishing, 2010.

Thomas Preston. "Weathering the Politics of Responsibility and Blame: The Bush Administration and Its Response to Hurricane Katrina." In Paul 't Hart, Arjen Boin, and Allan McConnell (eds.), *Crisis and After: The Politics of Investigation, Accountability, and Learning*, pp.33-61. Cambridge University Press, 2008.

Thomas Preston and Michael P. Infranco. "The Nuclear Standoff Between the United States and Iran: Conflict, Misunderstandings and Diplomatic Inflexibility." In Ralph G. Carter (ed.), *Contemporary Cases in U.S. Foreign Policy: From Terrorism to Trade*, pp.91-149. Chapter 4, Third Edition. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2007.

Michael P. Infranco and Thomas Preston. "The Nuclear Standoff Between the United States and Iran." In Ralph G. Carter (ed.), *Instructor's Manual for Contemporary Cases in U.S. Foreign Policy: From Terrorism to Trade*. (3<sup>rd</sup> online ed., <http://college.cqpress.com/ccusfp>). Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, 2007.

Stephen Benedict Dyson and Thomas Preston. "Individual Characteristics of Leaders and the Use of Analogy in Foreign Policy Decision Making." *Political Psychology*, pp.265-288, Vol. 27, No.2, April 2006.

Thomas Preston and Margaret G. Hermann. "Presidential Leadership Style and the Foreign Policy Advisory Process." In Eugene R. Wittkopf and James M. McCormick, eds., *The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy: Insights and Evidence*, pp.363-380. Fourth Edition. New York: Roman & Littlefield, 2004.

Tanyel Taysi and Thomas Preston. "The Personality and Leadership Style of President Khatami: Implications for the Future of Iranian Political Reform." In Ofer Feldman and Linda O. Valenty (eds.), *Profiling Political Leaders: A Cross-Cultural Studies of Personality and Behavior*, pp.57-77. Westport, Connecticut: Praeger, 2001.

Margaret G. Hermann, Thomas Preston, Baghat Korany, and Timothy M. Shaw. "Who Leads Matters: The Effects of Powerful Individuals." *Leaders, Groups, and Coalitions: Understanding the People and Processes in Foreign Policymaking*. Boston: Blackwell Publishers, 2001, pp.83-131. Also appears as a Special Issue of the *International Studies Review* (Fall 2001) as part of ISA Millennial Series.

Thomas Preston. "The President's Inner Circle: Leadership and Advisory Processes in Foreign Policymaking." In Robert Shapiro, Martha Kumar, and Larry Jacobs (eds.), *Presidential Power: Forging the Presidency for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, Chapter 7, pp.105-155. New York: Columbia University Press, 2000.

Thomas Preston. "'Securing Tomorrow': A Simulation of the U.S. National Security Policy Process." In Jeff Lantis, Lynn Kuzma, and John Boehrer (eds.), *The New International Studies Classroom: Active Teaching, Active Learning*, pp.111-128. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner Publishers, 2000.

Margaret G. Hermann and Thomas Preston. "Presidents, Leadership Style, and the Advisory Process." In Gene Wittkopf and James McCormick (eds.), *Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy*, pp.351-368, Third Edition, New York: Rowman & Littlefield Press, 1999.

Thomas Preston and Paul 't Hart. "Understanding and Evaluating Bureaucratic Politics: The Nexus Between Political Leaders and Advisory Systems." *Political Psychology*, pp.49-98., Vol.20, No.1, March 1999.

Thomas Preston. "'From Lambs to Lions': Nuclear Proliferation's Grand Reshuffling of Interstate Security Relationships." *Cooperation and Conflict: Nordic Journal of International Studies*, Vol.32 (1), pp.79-117, Swedish Institute of International Affairs, Stockholm, Sweden, Sage Publications, March 1997.

Thomas Preston. "Following the Leader: The Impact of U.S. Presidential Style Upon Advisory Group Dynamics, Structure, and Decision." In Bengt Sundelius, Paul 't Hart, & Eric Stern (eds.), *Beyond Groupthink: Group Decision Making in Foreign Policy*, pp.191-248, Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 1997.

Thomas Preston and Martha Cottam. "Simulating U.S. Foreign Policy Crises: Uses and Limits in Education and Training." Special Issue on Crisis Management Competencies: the Role of Simulations, *The Journal of Contingencies and Crisis Management*, pp.224-230, December 1997.

Martha Cottam and Thomas Preston. "An Overview of the Value and Use of Simulations in the Academic, Business, and Policy Communities." Special Issue on Crisis Management Competencies: the Role of Simulations, *The Journal of Contingencies and Crisis Management*, pp.195-197, December 1997.

Margaret G. Hermann and Thomas Preston. "Presidents, Advisers, and Foreign Policy: The Effect of Leadership Style on Executive Arrangements." Special Issue of *Political Psychology* Honoring Alexander George, Vol.15, No.1, pp.75-96, March 1994.

Margaret G. Hermann and Thomas Preston. "Presidents and Their Advisers: Leadership Style, Advisory Systems, and Foreign Policy Making." In Gene Wittkopf (ed.), *Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy*, pp.340-356, Second Edition, New York: St. Martin's Press, 1994.

## **PUBLICATIONS – (Book Reviews)**

Thomas Preston. Book Review in *Journal of Politics*, Vol.63, No.1 (February 2001) of Donald Sylvan (ed.), Problem Representation in Foreign Policy Decision Making, pp.347-349.

Thomas Preston. Book Review in *International Politics*, Vol.38, No.4 (December 2001) of Avery Goldstein, Deterrence and Security in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: China, Britain, France, and the Enduring Legacy of the Nuclear Revolution, pp.610-612.

Sarkis Mahdasian and Thomas Preston. Book Review in *Journal of Contingencies and Crisis Management*, Vo.8, No.3 (September 2000) of Philip E. Tetlock and Aaron Belkin (eds.), *Counterfactual Thought Experiments in World Politics: Logical, Methodological, and Psychological Perspectives*, pp.181-183.

## **UNDER REVIEW OR IN PROGRESS**

Thomas Preston. "The Biden and Trump Foreign Policies: Comparing Differing Approaches to the Use of Force and Diplomacy." In Stanley Renshon and Peter Suedfeld (eds.), *Presidential Leadership and Foreign Policy: Comparing the Trump and Biden Doctrines*. (chapter manuscript under review)

Margaret G. Hermann, Thomas Preston, and Heidi Stallman. *The Personality and Leadership Style of Donald Trump*. Journal article manuscript in preparation.

Thomas Preston and Eric Stern (eds.). *Improving Policymaking and Leadership in Government: Bridging the Gap Between Theory and Practice*. (Book manuscript in preparation)

Thomas Preston. *The Psychological Aspects of Bio-Terrorism: Present Threat, Future Danger*. Journal article manuscript in preparation.

## **GRANTS**

*WSU Research Advanced Challenge Grant*. "WSU Consortium for Innovations in Sustainable Nuclear Technologies and Policy." (1 October 2012 to 30 September 2013; \$75,000).

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

*Fulbright Senior Scholar Award* (2020) from U.S. State Department and the Fulbright Romania Program. Ovidius University, Constanta, Romania

*Claudius O. and Mary W. Johnson Distinguished Professorship in Political Science*, 2011-2016. School of Politics, Philosophy, and Public Affairs. Washington State University.

*Fulbright Senior Scholar Award* (2010) from U.S. State Department and the Fulbright New Zealand Programme. University of Wellington, NZ.

*Faculty Research Associate of the Moynihan Institute of Global Affairs*, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, New York – (2005 to the present).

*Faculty Research Associate at CRISMART* (The National Center for Crisis Management, Research and Training), part of the Swedish National Defense College, Stockholm, Sweden – (2009 to the present).

*Faculty Excellence Award* (2018) from the University of Idaho and Washington State University Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC).

*Faculty Member of the Year* (2013). WSU School of Politics, Philosophy, and Public Affairs Graduate Student Association.

*Faculty Appreciation Award for Outstanding Political Science Professor* (2007-2008) from WSU Pi Sigma Alpha.

Selected as a *WSU Innovator* (Spring 2007). (<http://www.wsu.edu/theinnovators/overview.html>)

*Outstanding Mentoring and Advising Faculty Appreciation Award* (2005-2006) from WSU Political Science/Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association.

Named the first *JICUF Visiting Scholar* (January 2005) by the Japan ICU Foundation in New York and International Christian University in Tokyo, Japan.

*William F. Mullen Excellence in Teaching Award* (2003) from the College of Liberal Arts, Washington State University.

*Faculty Appreciation Award for Outstanding Political Science Professor* (2003) from WSU Pi Sigma Alpha.

*Outstanding Political Science Faculty Award* (2002-2003) from WSU Political Science Graduate Student Association.

*Faculty Excellence Award* (2003) from the University of Idaho and Washington State University Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC).

*Faculty Appreciation Award for Outstanding Political Science Professor* (2002) from WSU Pi Sigma Alpha.

Invited Keynote Speaker for U.S. Army ROTC Officer Commissioning Ceremony, Washington State University, May 11, 2001.

*Faculty Excellence Award* (1999) from the University of Idaho and Washington State University Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC).

Meyer Grant from Washington State University, with Martha Cottam, for conducting workshop on the Use of Simulations in Research and Classroom Instruction, October 1995.

Dissertation Fellow with the Mershon Center Research Training Group on the Role of Cognition in Collective Political Decision Making at the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio 43210. National Science Foundation Grant (DIR-9113599), July 1992 to June 1993.

## **CONSULTING**

Wide range of invited presentations and active participation in projects for various U.S. government departments and agencies in the foreign, defense, and intelligence communities (1997 to the present).

Invited Expert for *2021 Virtual National Security Seminar*, The United States Army War College, June 7-9 2021, Carlisle, PA.

External Expert Panel Consulting on Russia/Ukraine for USG (September 2013-present).

Member of the Romania Peer Review Committee for U.S. Fulbright Scholar applications to Romania, 2020-21.

Member of the U.S. Regional Peer Review Committee for U.S. Fulbright Scholar applications to New Zealand, 2011-12; 2012-13; 2013-14.

Member of ODNI Summer Hard Problem Program 2009 Studying “Nuclear Attribution in Nuclear Forensics and Intelligence Analysis” – Assisted in discussions and debates and prepared an analytic product for use by the Intelligence Community for use on this issue as further studies continue.

Senior Leadership Trait Analyst for Social Science Automation, Inc., on “Tailored Foreign Leadership Cognitive Assessment Capabilities.” (Department of Defense Contract Number MDA908-01-C-0006).

Co-director of the *Leadership Analysis Workshop* for USG agency, Washington, D.C.. Sponsored by the Moynihan Institute of Global Affairs and the Executive Education Program of the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs of Syracuse University.

Invited participant, *Terrorism, Transnational Networks and WMD Proliferation: Indications and Warning in an Era of Globalization*. Conferenced sponsored by the Defense Threat Reduction Agency's Advanced System Concepts Office and organized by the Center for Contemporary Conflict, Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, CA, July 25-27, 2006.

Invited participant (member of U.S. policy team) for Pyong-Hwa ‘00, a Combined Forces Command and Republic of Korea Joint Chiefs of Staff senior-level political-military seminar in South Korea, U.S. Department of Defense, October 10-13, 2000.

Other members of the U.S. team included: Ambassador Joseph W. Prueher (U.S. Ambassador to People's Republic of China), General Robert Sennewald (former CINC, UNC/CFC, USFK), Lt. General H.C. Stackpole (President, Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies), W. David Straub (Minister-Counselor for Political Affairs, US Embassy, Seoul), Rear Admiral Donald Weiss (Director of Asian and Pacific Affairs, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs), Rear Admiral Steve Smith (J-5 US Pacific Command), Major General Michael Dunn (Deputy Chief of Staff, UNC/USFK), Major General Gary Hughey (Deputy Commander, US Forces, Japan), Brigadier General Kevin Chilton (Director, Politico-Military Affairs, J-5, The Joint Staff), Dr. Michael Swaine (Director, Center for Asia-Pacific Policy, RAND), and Mr. Homer Hodge (U.S. Army National Ground Intelligence Center).

Invited presentation to Defense Intelligence Staff, Ministry of Defence, United Kingdom, August 2000.

## **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

Thomas Preston. *Global Pandemics and Dynamics of World Affairs: Politics, Economics, and Technology*. The Southwestern Social Science Association Annual Conference in San Antonio, TX. Keynote Address for the SSSA Presidential Plenary Session, 21 April, 2022.

Thomas Preston. *Understanding the Mind of Vladimir Putin and the Ukraine Crisis: How His World View Led to War and What Comes Next?*. The World Affairs Council, Tacoma, WA, 7 April 2022.

Thomas Preston. *The Ukraine Crisis and the Importance of Understanding the Russian Context: How Did We Get Here and Where Do We Go From Here?*. Thomas S. Foley Institute, Coffee & Politics Series, Washington State University, 24 February 2022.

Thomas Preston. Invited presentation on the *Militarization of the Black Sea Region: Lessons for Other Regions of Europe*. Black Sea and Balkans Security Forum, (sponsored by the New Strategy Center, Ovidius University, and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization) Constanta, Romania, 13-15 June 2019.

Thomas Preston. Invited presentation on the *New Challenges of Hybrid Warfare*. Black Sea and Balkans Security Forum, (sponsored by the New Strategy Center, Ovidius University, and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization) Constanta, Romania, 14-16 June 2018.

Thomas Preston. Invited presentation on *President Trump's Personality and Foreign Policy*. Center for United States Studies of the Raoul Dandurand Chair in Strategic and Diplomatic Studies, University of Quebec at Montreal, Canada, 9 November 2017.

Thomas Preston. *The North Korean Nuclear Crisis*. Thomas S. Foley Institute, Coffee & Politics Series, Washington State University, 31 October 2017.

Thomas Preston. *Leadership in Crisis and Disaster*. Roundtable presentation for the University of Albany Crisis Studies and Community Resilience Workshop, New York, 20 October 2017.

Thomas Preston. *Trump and Foreign Policy*. Thomas S. Foley Institute, Coffee & Politics Series, Washington State University, 14 February 2017.

Thomas Preston. *The Leadership Style of President Donald Trump and It's Likely Impact on US Foreign and Security Policy*. Presentation for the Joseph Kruzel Memorial Foreign and Defense Luncheon Series, Washington State University, 10 February 2017.

Margaret E. Kosal and Thomas Preston. *Contagion: The Peril and Promise of Big Data Analytics and Technological Advances in the Life Sciences for Biological Security*. Paper presented at the 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, 21 February 2015.

Chair and discussant for panel on "Cognitive and Psychological Approaches of Foreign Policy Decision Making." 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, 21 February 2015.

Discussant for panel on "Leaders and Leadership in Foreign Policy." 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, 18 February 2015.

Thomas Preston and Haley Stevenson. *Advisor's Role, Decision Making, and Psychology: A First Cut of Presidential Advisor Psychological Profiles from George W. Bush to Barack Obama*. Paper presented at 55<sup>th</sup> Annual International Studies Association Conference, Toronto, Canada, 29 March 2014.

Chair and Organizer, *LIVE (Leadership Initiative Vision Enterprise) Network Workshop*. Held at the Greenberg House, Washington, D.C., 29 October 2013.

Chair and Organizer, *LIVE (Leadership Initiative Vision Enterprise) Network Workshop*. Held at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, 2 April 2013.

Chair and Organizer, Roundtable: "The Challenge of Communication and Signaling to Problematic Leaders: How Do the Personalities and Styles of World Leaders Complicate U.S. Foreign Policy?" Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, CA, 1 April 2012.

Invited address on "Future Security in a World of Biological and Nuclear Weapons," for the 58th National Security Forum (NSF) at the Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Alabama, 19 May 2011.

Invited presentation on "Knowing Leaders and Their Styles: How Differing Leadership Styles Pose Unique Challenges to Executives and Staff in Decision Making and Crisis Response," at Reykjavik University, Reykjavik, Iceland, 25 February 2011.

Invited presentation on "Leadership and Crisis Management" at the Crisis Management Secretariate, Office of the Prime Minister, Stockholm, Sweden, 23 February 2011.

Invited presentation on "Knowing Leaders and Their Styles: How Differing Leadership Styles Pose Unique Challenges to Executives and Staff in Decision Making and Crisis Response" at CRISMART (The National Center for Crisis Management, Research and Training), part of the Swedish National Defense College, Stockholm, Sweden, 22 February 2011.

Invited presentation on "The Design and Use of Simulations in Training Environments" at CRISMART (The National Center for Crisis Management, Research and Training), part of the Swedish National Defense College, Stockholm, Sweden, 22 February 2011.

Invited presentation on "Biowarfare: The New Face of Terrorism." U.S. Embassy, Wellington, New Zealand, Thursday, 27 May 2010.

Invited presentation on "Knowing Leaders and their Styles." Workshop on 'Leading Public Sector Change' sponsored by ANZSOG and the Melbourne School of Business, Melbourne, Australia, Tuesday, 11 May 2010.

Invited presentation on "Biowarfare: The New Face of Terrorism." Sponsored by ANZSOG and the Minter Ellison Group at the Minter Ellison Building, Canberra, Australia, Monday, 10 May 2010.

Invited presentation on "Biowarfare: The New Face of Terrorism." Sponsored by ANZSOG and Center for Excellence in Policing and Security in Brisbane, Australia at the Graduate Studies Center, South Bank Campus, Thursday, 6 May 2010.

Invited presentation on "Towards Self-Aware Leadership: How Differing Leadership Styles Pose Unique Challenges to Executives and Staff in Decision Making and Crisis Response." Special Seminar sponsored by The State Services Commission and the Australian New Zealand School of Government (ANZSOG) at the Duxton Hotel in Wellington, NZ – Tuesday, 4 May 2010.

Thomas Preston and Malcolm Dando. "Thinking the Unthinkable II: Three Scenarios for Biochemical Warfare in 2020: Characteristics, Concepts, and Policy Proposals." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association (ISA), New York City, NY, 15-19 February 2009.

Discussant for panel on "Blowback: Adverse Feedback to Major Foreign Policy Commitments & Policymakers Reactions" at the 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, 28 March 2008.

Martha Cottam and Thomas Preston. "Image Theory and Leadership Trait Analysis (LTA): An Integrated Analysis of Bill Clinton and George W. Bush." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP), Portland, OR, July 4-7, 2007.

Invited panelist for roundtable on "The Psychology of Presidential Decision Making." Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP), Portland, OR, July 4-7, 2007.

Chair and discussant for panel on "Leadership Trait Analysis Profiling." Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP), Portland, OR, July 4-7, 2007.

Martha Cottam and Thomas Preston. "Building Stronger Images of Leadership: A Framework for Integrating Image Theory and Leadership Trait Analysis (LTA) into a More Powerful Tool for Analyzing Leaders-at-a-Distance." Paper presented at the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Chicago, IL, February 28-March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007.

Discussant on panel, *Foreign Policy Decision Making*. 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Chicago, IL, February 28-March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007.

Thomas Preston and Margaret G. Hermann. "Leadership, Expertise, and Foreign Policy Decision Making" Paper for the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, CA, March 22-25<sup>th</sup>, 2006.

Discussant on panel, *Advisors and Small Group Decision-Making*. 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, CA, March 22-25<sup>th</sup>, 2006.

Invited participant at *Partnering Workshop: Toward the Development of a Transatlantic Crisis Management Capacity*. Maxwell European Union Center, Moynihan Institute of Global Affairs, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, New York, held at the Minnowbrook Retreat Center, 29-31 July 2005.

Invited speaker for panel entitled, "Is the War in Iraq Favorable or Destructive to Human Rights?" It was organized by a Moscow, Idaho civic association, October 29, 2005.

Appeared on National Public Radio (NPR) on a nation-wide feed with former U.N. Weapons Inspector Scott Ritter for a half-hour program examining U.S. policy in Iraq, Iran, and the War on Terror, May 2005.

Thomas Preston. *Has North Korea Achieved 'Security Juche'? : How Evolving Trends in Pyongyang's WMD Capabilities Will Constrain U.S. Foreign Policy and Military Options on the Korean Peninsula*. Paper presented at the 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association in Honolulu, Hawaii, March 1-5, 2005.

*The New U.S. Administration and the Future of Transatlantic Relations*. The First EUJ International Conference, "The New Frontier of the European Union." International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan, January 9, 2005.

*How American Leader's Personalities and Style Impact Foreign Policy*. Invited guest lecture at International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan, January 11, 2005.

*The U.S. and the Origins of the Cold War*. Invited guest lecture at International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan, January 13, 2005.

*Assessing and Understanding Governmental Leadership: Theories, Methods, Applications*. Invited guest lecture for the Department of Public Administration and the Department of Political Science at Leiden University, Netherlands, May 3, 2004.

Invited participant at *Conference on Peace, Security and Reconciliation in Northeast Asia*. Sponsored by the International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan, October 22-24, 2003.

Invited participant at *E.U./U.S. Crisis Management Conference*, funded by The European Commission. Sponsored by the Global Affairs Institute of the Maxwell School at Syracuse University, New York, Crisis Management Research and Training (CRISMART) at Stockholm, Sweden, and the Crisis Research Center at Leiden University, Netherlands. Minnowbrook Conference Center, New York, August 6-10, 2003.

Invited discussant on panel, *National Security, International Relations and U.S. Military Planning and Performance: Lessons-to-Date from Iraq*. Part of a series of public forums entitled *America at War: A Public Forum* presented by the Office of the Provost, Student Affairs, and the College of Liberal Arts at Washington State University, April 10, 2003.



Invited discussant on panel, *The United States and the Continuing Iraqi Crisis*. Forum sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts, Washington State University, December 5, 2002.

Invited discussant on panel, *A Year After 9-11: Our Nation and Society Now*. Forum sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts, the Asia Program, the Foley Institute, and the Honors College, Washington State University, September 19, 2002.

Invited discussant at *Colloquium on Homeland Security*, hosted by the Initiative for Research on Infrastructure Security (IRIS), University of Idaho, May 20, 2002.

Invited guest speaker for the *First Tuesday Lecture* series, sponsored by The Thomas S. Foley Institute for Public Policy and Public Service and Pi Sigma Alpha, Washington State University, April 30, 2002.

*Analogies in Policy Decision Making*. Paper presented with Stephen Benedict Dyson at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, March 24-27<sup>th</sup>, 2002.

Invited discussant on panel, *Homeland Security: Who Will We Turn To?* Forum for the CityClub of Seattle, November 30, 2001.

Invited discussant on panel, *The Internal Threat: Bioterrorism and Homeland Defense*, part of a series of public forums presented by Washington State University entitled *An American Tragedy: A Discussion Series*, October 24, 2001.

Invited discussant on panel, *How Should the U.S. Respond to the Recent Terrorist Attacks?* Sponsored by The Thomas S. Foley Institute for Public Policy and Public Service, Washington State University, October 4, 2001.

*The Role of Leaders in Sequential Decision-Making: Lyndon Johnson, Advisory Dynamics and Vietnam*. Invited paper for Symposium on Sequential Decision Making at The Bush School of Government and Public Service, Texas A&M University, May 18-20, 2001.

*Reference Populations for Leadership Trait Analysis*. Paper presented with Michael D. Young and Margaret G. Hermann at the Annual Conference of the International Studies Association, Chicago, IL, February 22-24, 2001.

Coordinator-panelist for workshop entitled, *Automated Content Analysis for the Remote Assessment of Leaders*. International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP) Meeting, Seattle, WA, July 2000.

*The Personality and Leadership Style of President Khatami: Implications for the Future of Iranian Political Reform*. Paper presented with Tanyel Taysi at the International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP) Meeting, Seattle, WA, July 2000.

Discussant on panel, *Setting Priorities in U.S. Foreign Policy*. International Studies Association (ISA) Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, March 2000.

Panelist on roundtable entitled, *Leadership, Foreign Policy Decision Making, and International Relations: Theoretical Imperatives*. International Studies Association (ISA) Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, March 2000.

Panelist on roundtable entitled, *Teaching in International Studies*. International Studies Association (ISA) Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, March 2000.

Invited discussant on panel, *U.S. and China Relations in the New Century*. Sponsored by The Thomas S. Foley Institute for Public Policy and Public Service, Washington State University, November 12, 1999.

Invited discussant on panel, *The Environment, National Security, and U.S. Foreign Policy*. Sponsored by The Thomas S. Foley Institute for Public Policy and Public Service, Washington State University, October 20, 1998.

Invited discussant on panel, *India, Pakistan, and the Nuclear Threat*. Sponsored by the Martin Institute for Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution, University of Idaho, June 2, 1998.

Discussant on panel, *Measuring the Individual Characteristics of U.S. Presidents*. International Studies Association (ISA) Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, March 1998.

*National Security Policy Simulations: Building Empathy and Understanding in Post-Cold War Classrooms*. Paper presented on roundtable entitled "Simulation in International Studies: An Interactive Roundtable." International Studies Association (ISA) Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, March 1998.

Discussant on panel, *Psychology and Bureaucratic Politics* at the International Studies Association sponsored, pre-conference workshop, "Bureaucratic Politics: The View from the Turn of the Century," Toronto, Canada, March 17-18, 1997.

*Towards a Political Psychology of Bureaucratic Politics: Explorations on the Role of Political Leaders and Intergroup Dynamics in Bureaucratic Conflict Resolution*. Paper presented with Paul 't Hart at the International Studies Association sponsored, pre-conference workshop, "Bureaucratic Politics: The View from the Turn of the Century," Toronto, Canada, March 17-18, 1997.

*Towards a Political Psychology of Bureaucratic Politics: Explorations on the Role of Political Leaders and Intergroup Dynamics in Bureaucratic Conflict Resolution*. Paper presented with Paul 't Hart at the International Studies Association Meeting, Toronto, Canada, March 17-22, 1997.

*The President and His Inner Circle: A New Theory of Leadership Style and Advisory Processes*. Invited paper presented at the Neustadt Conference, "Presidential Power: Forging the Presidency for the 21st Century," at Columbia University, November 15-16th, 1996.

Discussant on panel, *The 1996 Elections: Analysis and Predictions*. Public panel sponsored by WSU Department of Political Science at Washington State University, October 31, 1996.

*Understanding the Role of Individual Characteristics Upon Presidential Leadership Style: The Case of Harry S. Truman and Korea*. Invited Guest Lecture, Department of Political Science, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, May 20, 1996.

*Who Leads Matters: A Theoretical Framework for Leadership Analysis*. Paper presented with Margaret G. Hermann and Michael Young on the panel "No Nets: New Work in Foreign Policy Analysis", chaired by Alexander George, at the International Studies Association Meeting, San Diego, CA, April 17, 1996.

Presentation at Meyer Grant-funded WSU Workshop on Simulations in Research and Teaching, at the Alumni Center, WSU, October 30-31, 1995.

*The Leader-Group Nexus and the Case of Lyndon Johnson: Understanding the Role of Leadership Upon Small Group Dynamics*. Roundtable at the International Society of Political Psychology Conference, Washington, D.C., July 5-8, 1995.

Chair for Roundtable on *The Impact of Leaders Upon Group Dynamics*, at the International Society of Political Psychology Conference, Washington, D.C., July 5-8, 1995.

*Utilizing Political Psychology to Understand International Relations*. Roundtable at the Western Political Science Conference, Portland, OR, March 16-18, 1995.

Discussant on panel, *Post-Cold War Soviet Foreign Policy*, Western Political Science Conference, Portland, OR, March 16-18, 1995.

*The Leader-Group Nexus: Truman's Leadership Style and Decision Making in Korea*. Paper presented at Small Groups and International Policy Making Workshop, Chicago, IL, February 20-22, 1995.

Discussant on panel, *Predicting Policy Choices: Group Dynamics versus Individual Differences*, at Small Groups and International Policy Making Workshop, Chicago, IL, February 20-22, 1995.

*Understanding the Small Group in Politics: Theory, Research, and Practice.* Roundtable at the International Studies Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, February 23, 1995.

*Following the Leader: The Impact of U.S. Presidential Style Upon Advisory Group Dynamics, Structure, and Decision.* Paper presented at the Beyond Groupthink Author's Workshop, The Swedish Institute of International Affairs, Stockholm, Sweden, Nov. 24-26, 1994.

Discussant on panel, *Probing the Plausibility of Newgroup Syndrome: Kennedy and the Bay of Pigs*, Beyond Groupthink Author's Workshop, The Swedish Institute of International Affairs, Stockholm, Sweden, Nov.24, 1994.

*Nuclear Proliferation and the Struggle Over the 'Rules of the Game' in the International System.* Invited Guest Lecture, Department of Political Science, Stockholm University, Sweden, Nov. 28, 1994.

*Nuclear Proliferation's Challenge to Post-Cold War International Relations: The Gulf War Experience and Its Implications for U.S. Security Policy.* Presented at the International Studies Association Meeting, Washington, D.C., 1994.

*Presidents, Personality, and Performance: A Profile-based Assessment of the Bush and Clinton Leadership Styles.* Paper presented with M. Hermann at the Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1993.

*An Approach to Understanding Decision Making: The Bush Administration, The Gulf Crisis, Management Style, and Worldview.* Paper presented with M. Young at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Atlanta, Georgia, 1992.

*The Effects of Nuclear Proliferation on the Relationship Between Superpowers and Small States: Implications for Foreign Policy.* Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the International Security Studies Section of the International Studies Association, Columbus, Ohio, 1990.

## **COURSES TAUGHT –**

<b><i>Undergraduate Courses</i></b>	<b><i>Graduate Seminars</i></b>
PolSci 103 - <i>Intro to International Relations</i> PolSci 424 – <i>U.S. National Security Policy</i> PolSci 427 – <i>American Foreign Policy</i> PolSci 429 – <i>Intelligence Policy Analysis &amp; Analytic Tradecraft.</i>	PolSci 531 – <i>International Security</i> PolSci 533b – <i>Psychology of Political Leadership and Decision Making.</i>

## **DEPARTMENT/UNIVERSITY/PROFESSIONAL SERVICE -**

Editorial Board for *Politics and Life Sciences* research journal – (Fall 2016 to present)

Editorial Board of the International Society of Political Psychology research journal, *Political Psychology* — (January 2010 to 2020).

Member of the Romanian Regional Peer Review Committee for Fulbright scholar applications to Romania – (Fall 2020-Fall 2021).

Member of WSU Fulbright Review Committee – (Fall 2021).

Member of WSU Catalogue Subcommittee – (Fall 2015 to Spring 2019)

Member of CLA Distinguished Professor Awards Committee – (Fall 2016 to Spring 2019)

Graduate Studies Committee (GSC) – (Fall 1996-Spring 2000; Fall 2004-Spring 2005; Fall 2006-Spring 2008; Fall 2016 to Spring 2019).

Chair's Advisory Committee – (Fall 1999-Spring 2000; Fall 2002-Spring 2003; Spring 2008; Fall 2010-Spring 2011; Fall 2015 to Spring 2019; Fall 2020-Spring 2022).

Director - School of Politics, Philosophy and Public Affairs. (October 2012-March 2015).

Associate Director and Director of Graduate Studies - School of Politics, Philosophy and Public Affairs. (August 2011- September 2012); Interim Director of Graduate Studies (Fall 2022).

Director of the MA in *Global Justice and Security Studies* Program, Department of Political Science, WSU, 2008-2019.

Member of the U.S. Regional Peer Review Committee 2011-2014 for U.S. Fulbright scholar applications to New Zealand.

Editorial Board of the International Studies Association research journal, *Foreign Policy Analysis* – (September 2007 to September 2009).

Organizer and Director of the *Joseph Kruzel Memorial Foreign and Defense Policy* luncheon series, sponsored by College of Liberal Arts, Department of Political Science, Thomas S. Foley Institute, and Martin Institute (1996-present).

Board of Directors, WSU Institute for the Study of Intercommunal Conflict – (Spring 2007 to present).

Chair, Undergraduate & Scholarship Committee (UGSC) – (Fall 2001-Spring 2003).

Chair, Political Science Department Diversity Committee – (Fall 1997-Spring 2003).

Chair, Department Website Subcommittee – (Fall 2001-Spring 2003; Fall 2006; 2011-2015).

Comparative & International Politics Field Coordinator – (Fall 1996-Spring 1998; Fall 1999-Spring 2000).

Undergraduate and Scholarship Committee (UGSC) – (Fall 2000-Spring 2001; Fall 2005- Spring 2006).

Interim Advisory Council to the Provost on Native American Affairs – (Summer/Fall 1997 and Spring 1998).

Advisory Council to the Provost on Native American Affairs – (1998-2003, 2005-2006).

Faculty Advisor to the Washington State University-Washington Student Lobby – (Fall 2000-Spring 2003).

Young Scholars Committee, International Studies Association (ISA) – (1998-1999).

Standing Committee on Professional Development, International Studies Association (ISA) – (1999-2001).

## **PROFESSIONAL & MINORITY MEMBERSHIPS**

*International Studies Association (ISA)*

*International Society of Political Psychology  
(ISPP)*

*Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation of Kansas  
(enrolled tribal member)*

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE -**

**President of the Moscow 'Rendezvous in the Park' Music and Arts Festival, Moscow, ID –**  
(2007 to present; Board member from Summer 2006 to present)

President (2011-2022)

Chair of Fundraising & Grants Committee

Member of the Programming and Advertising Committees

**Board Member of the Palouse Wine Tasters, Moscow, ID –** (Fall 2014 to present)