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**PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION**

University of Georgia: Ph.D., International Affairs, 2008

University of Kansas: Master of Arts, Russian and East European Studies, 2000

Towson University: Bachelor of Science, 1989

**RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS**

Fields: International Relations, Comparative Politics

Topics of Interest: International Conflict, Inter-ethnic Conflict, Diversionary War, Democratic Peace, Politics of Post-Soviet States, Social Capital/Social Trust, Terrorism, US National Security, International Political Economy, Politics of Arms Control and Nonproliferation.

**COURSES TAUGHT**

Political Science 112: Power, Justice, and the State  
Political Science 115: Introduction to International Relations  
Political Science 245: Research Methods  
Political Science 317: US Foreign Policy  
Political Science 322: International Political Economy  
Political Science 313: Politics of Genocide  
Political Science 328: Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism  
Political Science 329: Political Psychology  
Political Science 336: Russian Politics  
Political Science 352: Politics of National Security  
Political Science 376: International Conflict

**BOOKS PUBLISHED**

Jasinski, Michael. 2024 (contracted). *Serfs, Soldiers, Citizens: Military Effectiveness and the Social Contract*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Prss.

Jasinski, Michael. 2017. *Analyzing Genocides: Means, Motive, and Opportunity*. New York: Rowman and Littlefield International.

Jasinski, Michael. 2011. *Social Trust, Anarchy, and International Conflict*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

### ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS PUBLISHED

Grunske, Joshua, and Michael Jasinski. 2021. "Two-Level Game Operational Code: Analysis of foreign and domestic policy preferences by national leaders," *SN Social Science* 1:142

Tir, Jaroslav, and Michael Jasinski. 2008. "Domestic-Level Diversionary Theory of War—Targeting Ethnic Minorities," *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 52(5): 641-664.

Jasinski, Michael. 2004. "The Military, the Regions, and Nuclear Weapons." in *Preventing Nuclear Meltdown*, edited by James Clay Moltz and Adam Stulberg, 79-104. Burlington: Ashgate Publishing Company.

Jasinski, Michael, and Charles Thornton. 2004. "The Implementation of US Nonproliferation Assistance Programs in Russia's Regions." in *Preventing Nuclear Meltdown*, edited by James Clay Moltz and Adam Stulberg, 211-233. Burlington: Ashgate Publishing Company.

Jasinski, Michael, and Victor Mizin. 2004. "Russian Strategic Aviation: In Search of a Mission." *Journal of Slavic Military Studies* 17(2): 215-235.

Mizin, Victor, and Michael Jasinski. 2003. "The Future of the Russian Sea-Based Deterrent." *Journal of Slavic Military Studies* 16(1): 69-83.

### CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Democratic Advantage? National Security and the Development of State-Society Relations", Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, 2019.

"Peasants or Barbarians? Reconciling Competing Domestic and Foreign Policy Demands," Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, 2019.

"Leadership Skill, Group Stereotype, and the Onset of Genocide", Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, 2016

"Leadership Style, Minority Stereotype, and Onset of Genocide", Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, 2014

"Military Revolutions and Domestic Institutions: A Two-Level Game Model of US Political Development" Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, 2012

Closing Pandora's Box: Leadership Style and Regime Strength as Explanations for 20<sup>th</sup> Century Genocidal Violence (with Prof. Tracy Slagter). International Conference of the International Studies Association, March 16-19, 2011 in Montreal, Canada.

“Brawling Alone: Social Trust, Democratic Peace, and Diversionary War” Peace Science Society Conference, Los Angeles, CA, 2011

“Brawling Alone: Democratic Peace, Diversionary War, and Social Trust”, Midwest Political Science Conference, Chicago, IL, 2010

“Domestic-Level Diversionary Theory of War: Targeting Ethnic Minorities” (w/ Prof. Jaroslav Tir), International Studies Association Conference, San Diego, CA, 2007.

“Risk Acceptance and Foreign Policy: Arms Transfers Between Rivals” (w. Prof. Jeffrey Berejikian), Midwest Political Science Conference, Chicago, IL, 2006.

### **ONGOING RESEARCH**

**Military Revolutions and the Putnam’s Two-Level Game Theory.** Development of Robert Putnam’s Two-Level Game Theory that examines the impact of the Napoleonic Revolution in warfare on domestic political systems, and determines the pattern of linkages between domestic and foreign policy preferences.

### **AWARDS**

**Institute of International Education Fulbright Research/Teaching Grant**, Vienna Diplomatic Academy, March-June 2012.

**UW Oshkosh Faculty Development Research Grant, Summer 2011.**

**Double Award for Best Graduate Student-Taught Independent Section, UGA Department of International Affairs May 2008.** Awarded for International Affairs 4410, Terrorism, and International Affairs 4430, US National Security Policy.

**UGA School of Public and International Affairs Dean’s Award, May 2007.** A \$1000 stipend.

### **SERVICE AND MENTORING ACTIVITIES**

Mentor, McNair Scholars Program at UW Oshkosh for students from under-represented population groups

Mentor and Methodology Advisor, Political Science Research Circle, UW Oshkosh

Faculty Advisor, Political Science Students’ Association, UW Oshkosh

Faculty Advisor, Pi Sigma Alpha National Science Honor Society, Pi Chi Chapter (Best Chapter Award, 2010-2011).

Judge, UW Oshkosh Celebration of Scholarship undergraduate research competition

Reviewer and Mentor, Oshkosh Scholar undergraduate research journal

Comparative Politics Advanced Placement Exam Reader

#### **OTHER RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

##### **Center for the Study of Global Issues (GLOBIS), Athens, GA: Research Associate, January 2006—June 2008**

- Participated in the development of the East Asia Collective Security Initiative intended to foster peaceful resolution of the North Korean nuclear crisis.

##### **Center for International Trade and Security, Athens, GA: Research Assistant, January 2004-December 2005**

- Conducted research and analysis on a number of U.S. government-funded CITS research projects in the area of nonproliferation and export controls.
- Performed an on-site evaluation of Kazakhstan's export control and border security systems.

##### **Center for Nonproliferation Studies, Monterey, CA: Research Associate, June 2000-December 2003.**

- Conducted research and analysis for CNS online nonproliferation databases, direct and supervise the activities of graduate research assistants.
- Analysis of nuclear weapon and arms control developments in Russia, Ukraine, and Belarus.
- Analysis of transfers of nuclear and missile technologies from NIS to third parties.
- Research on U.S. nonproliferation assistance programs.

##### **On-Site Inspection Agency, Washington, D.C.: Arms Control Inspector/Interpreter, January 1994-June 1997.**

- Implemented wide range of Cooperative Threat Reduction (CTR) projects conducted by Department of Defense and Department of Energy in the Newly Independent States.
- Conducted Conventional Forces in Europe (CFE) Treaty inspections and Threshold Test Ban Treaty verification activities.
- Staffed the Defense Cooperative Programs Office of the U.S. Embassy in Moscow, Russia, and the Arms Control Implementation Unit at U.S. Embassy in Minsk, Belarus.