

PERSONAL DETAILS

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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

(Awarded July 2005) PhD in Politics, Exeter University Passed with no corrections, 24 March 2005
Examiners: Prof M. Frost, Prof T. Dunne

(Awarded Feb 2001) MA International Relations (Distinction)
Exeter University, Exeter, England

(Awarded July 1998) BA Hons, English Literature (2:1)
Cardiff University, Wales

(Awarded 2008) Postgraduate Certificate in Learning and Teaching
in Higher Education, University of Plymouth

CURRENT POSITION

- Sept 2005 - present Lecturer in International Relations, University of Plymouth
Sept-Dec 11 Convenor, BISA British Foreign Policy Working Group
Visiting Scholar, Center for British Studies, Berkeley, UC.
- Modules taught:
 - Contemporary Topics in International Relations Year 1
 - International Security Studies Year 2
 - Foreign Policy Analysis Year 3
 - Critical Security Studies (MA)
- 2005-2010: Programme Manager, MA in International Relations: Global Security and Development
- Committee membership:
 - Faculty Teaching and Learning Committee
 - Faculty Appeals Board

BOOKS

Current project: *British Foreign Policy: Crises, Conflicts and Future Challenges*, Polity Press (Due Feb 2012, publication date: 2013).

British Foreign Policy: the New Labour Years (Basingstoke: Palgrave MacMillan, 2011), co-edited with Oliver Daddow.

ARTICLES IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

Gaskarth, J. 'Interpreting ethical foreign policy: traditions and dilemmas for policymakers' *British Journal of Politics and International Relations* (Special edition under review, 2013).

Gaskarth, J. 'The Virtues in International Society' *European Journal of International Relations* Vol: 18 No.2 (June 2012), accepted August 2010.

Gaskarth, J. 'Entangling Alliances: the UK's complicity in torture in the war on terrorism' *International Affairs* Vol: 87 No.4 (July 2011), pp.945-964.

Gaskarth, J. 'Where would we be without rules? A Virtue Ethics approach to foreign policy analysis' *Review of International Studies* Vol: 37 No. 1 (Jan 2011), pp.393-415.

Gaskarth, J. 'Discourses and ethics: the social construction of British foreign policy' *Foreign Policy Analysis* Vol: 2 Issue 4 (Oct 2006), pp.325-341.

Gaskarth, J. 'Ethical policies or empty promises?: New Labour and human rights in British foreign policymaking' *International Journal of Human Rights* Vol: 10 No. 1 (March 2006), pp.45-60.

CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

Gaskarth, J. 'Ethical Legacies from New Labour's Foreign Policy' in *British Foreign and Security Policy: Historical Legacies and Current Challenges* (Augsburg: Wißner Verlag, 2012)

Daddow, O. and Gaskarth, J. 'Introduction: Blair, Brown and New Labour's Foreign Policy, 1997-2010' in *British Foreign Policy: the New Labour Years* (Basingstoke: Palgrave MacMillan, 2011), co-edited with Oliver Daddow

Gaskarth, J. 'Identity and New Labour's Strategic Foreign Policy Thinking' in *British Foreign Policy: the New Labour Years* (Basingstoke: Palgrave MacMillan, 2011), co-edited with Oliver Daddow

Gaskarth, J. 'Because they lied? New Labour, Iraq's WMD and Trust' Chapter 2 in *Evaluating New Labour's Policy Achievements, 1997-2009: Social Policy and Public Trust* Nicholas Johns and Adrian Barton (eds) (Lampeter: Edwin Mellen Press, 2009).

Gaskarth, J. 'The Construction of British Foreign Policy: Ethics vs Interests?' Online Case Study for Smith, S. Hadfield, A. and Dunne, T. *Foreign Policy: Theories, Actors, Cases* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2008).

BOOK REVIEW

Gaskarth, J. 'An Unfinished Peace' *International Peacekeeping* Book Review Vol: 10 No.4 (Winter 2003), pp.147-149.

CONFERENCE PAPERS GIVEN

Gaskarth, J. (2011) 'Complicity in torture: ethical legacies from New Labour's foreign policy' ADEF-Annual Conference, 3-5 June 2011, Mülheim/Ruhr, (Invited speaker).

Gaskarth, J. (2011) 'Britain as a normative actor: a journey into the ethical dimension' BISA Conference, Manchester, April.

Gaskarth, J. (2010) 'A Mission to Venus? Interpreting ethical foreign policy' (Invited panellist), Berkeley, UC.

Gaskarth, J. (2010) 'Entangling Alliances? The UK's Complicity in Torture in the Global War on Terrorism' US Foreign Policy Working Group, Leeds, September.

Gaskarth, J. (2010) 'Nothing left to share with another? Entangling Alliances and the ethics of UK foreign policy' ISA, New Orleans; BISA Workshop, FCO Building, London.

Gaskarth, J. (2009) 'UK leadership and the ethics of British foreign policy' BISA Workshop, Plymouth.

Gaskarth, J. (2008) 'Virtue Ethics and foreign policy analysis' BISA Annual Conference, Exeter.

Gaskarth, J. (2008) 'He's not the messiah, he's a very naughty boy: the confused ethics of Blair's foreign policymaking' ISA Conference, San Francisco.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Research Grants Awarded:

British Academy Conference Support Grant for FCO Workshop (Gaskarth and Daddow, 2010) - £3290

(Conference support from FCO, value of £4200).

University of Plymouth International Networking Grant (2010) - £3000

University of Plymouth Strategic Research Award (2008) - £3500

Conferences organised:

BISA/FCO Workshop 'British Foreign Policy for the 21st Century' FCO, London 2010

- Brought together academics, policymakers, civil servants and NGOs for a 2 day conference on the identities, values and power concerns informing British foreign policy – hosted by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in Whitehall 4-5 Feb.

BISA Workshop, 'British Foreign Policy: Future Challenges', April 2009 Plymouth

Co-arranged BISA Workshop, 'British Foreign Policy', Nov 2006, LSE.

- BISA Working Group Co-Convenor duties:
 - Arranging panels for international and national conferences.
 - Organising workshops and facilitating research links between foreign policy scholars.
- Have reviewed papers and manuscripts for Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, the European Journal of International Relations, Review of International Studies, Political Studies and British Journal of Politics and International Relations.

- Co-supervised one ESRC-funded PhD student to completion (Sept 2010) entitled: 'Private Military Companies, Peacekeeping and African States: A Critical Analysis of Private Military Companies in Peacekeeping Operations in Africa'. Also awarded a University-funded PhD studentship. The candidate is writing on 'British foreign policy and the Overseas Territories'.

OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

- Fellow of 21st Century Trust.
- Media appearances on BBC Spotlight TV, BBC Devon (Radio), BBC South West.
- Professional training in PhD supervision and media training.

INVITED LECTURES

'Entangling Alliances: The UK's Complicity in Torture in the War on Terrorism', 16 February 2011, Loughborough University.

Holding people accountable in International Relations, 14 Oct 2009, University of Leeds.

Human Rights and Foreign Policy, November 2006 and 2007, Institute of Commonwealth Studies, University of London.

Ethics and Foreign Policy, 24 April 2006 Exeter University.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- BISA, ISA, PSA.