

Prof. JACK HOLLAND

Short CV for BISA – March 2024

EMPLOYMENT

- 2021- Professor of Global Security Challenges, University of Leeds
- 2016-2021 Associate Professor in International Security
Politics and International Studies, University of Leeds
- 2010-2015 Lecturer / Senior Lecturer (2014-) in International Relations
Politics, University of Surrey
- 2009-2010 Lecturer in International Relations (temporary)
Politics and International Studies, University of Leeds
- 2007-2009 Seminar Tutor & Lecturer
Politics and International Studies, University of Warwick

EDUCATION

- 2010-2012 Graduate Certificate in Learning and Teaching
University of Surrey
- 2006-2010 PhD ‘Framing the War on Terror’ (ESRC)
University of Warwick, supervised by VC Stuart Croft and Matt McDonald
- 2005-2006 MA Political Science (Research Methods, ESRC): Distinction
University of Birmingham
- 2002-2005 BA (Hons) Geography: First Class, with College and University prizes
Homerton College, University of Cambridge

PUBLICATIONS

(1800 citations, h-index 26, i10-index 35)

Books

Selling War and Peace: Syria and the Anglosphere, (Cambridge University Press, 2020)

Fictional Television and American Politics: From 9/11 to Donald Trump, (Manchester University Press, 2019)

The Obama Doctrine: A Foreign Policy Legacy of Continuity?, edited with Michelle Bentley, (Routledge, 2016)

Security: A Critical Introduction, with Lee Jarvis, (Palgrave, 2014)

Obama’s Foreign Policy: Ending the War on Terror, edited with Michelle Bentley, (Routledge, 2013)

Selling the War on Terror: Foreign Policy Discourses after 9/11, (Routledge, 2012)

Journal articles

‘Ontological Security Beyond Binaries: Islamic State’s brOthering of Jihadist Competitors through Genocide, with Harry Swinhoe, *International Studies Quarterly*, forthcoming

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- ‘Constructivism and the Capitol Riots: Beyond Single Dominant Narratives, Towards Eventful Sociology’, with Ryan O’Connor, *European Journal of International Security*, forthcoming
- ‘AUKUS and the Anglobal Colour Line: race, Anglosphere Aphasia, and (white) military supremacy’, *Australian Journal of International Affairs*, 80:1 (2026) 33-51
- ‘Editorial: Introduction to the 25th anniversary special issues’, *British Journal of Politics and International Relations*, 27:2 (2025) 433-6
- ‘COVID-19 and the limits of critical security theory: Securitisation, Cosmopolitanism, and Pandemic Politics’, with Lee Jarvis, *Journal of Global Security Studies*, 9:4 (2024)
- ‘Enactors of the State: The everyday coproduction of security in the prevention of radicalisation’, with Natalie Higham-James, *Political Studies*, (2024)
- ‘BrOthers in Arms: France, the Anglosphere and AUKUS’, with Eglantine Staunton, *International Affairs*, 100:2 (2024) 1-19
- ‘Narratology and the Syrian Civil War: Beyond identity binaries, towards narrative power’, with Xavier Mathieu, *International Studies Quarterly*, 67:4 (2023) 1-12
- ‘Editorial statement: British political studies and the politics of global challenges’, *British Journal of Politics and International Relations*, with editorial team, 24:1 (2022) 3-10
- ‘9/11 and Critical Terrorism Studies – the emotion, culture and discourse of the War on Terror’, *Critical Studies on Terrorism*, 14:4 (2021) 441-4
- ‘The discursive hegemony of Trump’s Jacksonian populism: Race, class, and gender in constructions and contestations of US national identity, 2016-2018’, with Ben Fermor, *Politics*, 41:1 (2021) 64-79
- ‘Security and polarisation in Trump’s America: Securitisation and the domestic politics of threatening others’, *Global Affairs*, with Ben Fermor, 6:1 (2020) 55-70
- ‘Lethal sterility: Innovative dehumanisation in legal justifications of Obama’s drone policy’, *International Journal of Human Rights*, with Jeff Bachman, 23:6 (2019) 1028-1047
- ‘The ritual of beer consumption as discursive intervention: effigy, sensory politics, and resistance in everyday IR’, with Robert Saunders, *Millennium Journal of International Studies*, 46:2 (2018) 119-41
- ‘The double delegitimation of Julia Gillard: Gender, the media and Australian political culture’, with Katharine Wright, *Australian Journal of Politics and History*, 63:4 (2017) 588-602
- ‘Trump’s rhetoric at 100 days: Contradictions within effective emotional narratives’, with Ben Fermor, *Critical Studies on Security*, 5:2 (2017) 182-6
- ‘Before the vote: UK foreign policy discourse on Syria, 2011-2013’, with Jason Ralph and Kalina Zhekova, *Review of International Studies*, 43:5 (2017) 875-97
- ‘Strategic Rhetorical Balancing and the Tactics of Justification in Afghanistan, Libya and Beyond’, with Mike Aaronson, *Intervention and Statebuilding*, 10:1 (2016) 3-24
- ‘Visual Literacy in International Relations: Teaching Critical Evaluative Skills through Fictional Television’, *International Studies Perspectives*, 17:2 (2016) 173-86
- ‘Leadership and the Media: Gendered Framing of Julia Gillard’s Sexism and Misogyny Speech’, with Katharine Wright, *Australian Journal of Political Science*, 49:3 (2014) 455-68

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‘Affect is What States Make of it: Articulating Everyday Experiences of 9/11’, with Ty Solomon, *Critical Studies on Security*, 2:3 (2014) 262-77

‘We (For)got Him: bin Laden’s Death and Narrative Forgetting’, with Lee Jarvis, *Millennium Journal of International Studies*, 42:1 (2014) 425-47

‘“Night Fell on a Different World”: Experiencing, Constructing and Remembering 9/11’, with Lee Jarvis, *Critical Studies on Terrorism*, 7:2 (2014), 184-204

‘Dominance through Coercion: Rhetorical Balancing and the Tactics of Justification in Afghanistan and Libya’, with Sir Mike Aaronson, *Intervention and Statebuilding*, 8:1 (2014) 1-20

‘Video Use and the Student Learning Experience in Politics and International Relations’, *Politics*, 34:3 (2014) 263-74

‘Foreign Policy and Political Possibility’, *European Journal of International Relations*, 19:1 (2013) 48-67

‘Blair’s ‘War on Terror’: Selling Intervention to Middle England’, *British Journal of Politics and International Relations*, 14:1 (2012) 74-95

‘When you think of the Taleban, think of the Nazis: Teaching Americans ‘9-11’ in NBC’s the West Wing’, *Millennium Journal of International Studies*, 40:1 (2011) 85-106

‘Howard’s ‘War on Terror’: A Conceivable, Communicable and Coercive Foreign Policy Discourse’, *Australian Journal of Political Science*, 45:4 (2010) 643-61

‘From September 11th 2001 to 9-11: From Void to Crisis’, *International Political Sociology*, 3:3 (2009) 275-92

Book chapters

‘Security and polarization in Trump’s America: Securitisation and the domestic politics of threatening Others’, with Ben Fermor, in Hill, M. and S. Hurst (eds.) *The Trump Presidency: Continuity and Change in US foreign policy*, (Routledge 2022)

‘Introduction’, with Michelle Bentley, in Bentley, M. and J. Holland (eds), *The Obama Doctrine: A Foreign Policy Legacy of Continuity?*, (Routledge, 2016)

‘Obama as modern Jeffersonian’, in Bentley, M. and J. Holland (eds), *The Obama Doctrine: A Foreign Policy Legacy of Continuity?*, (Routledge, 2016)

‘The Language of Counter-Terrorism’, in Jackson, R. (ed), *Handbook of Critical Terrorism Studies*, (Routledge, 2016)

‘Constructing Crises and Articulating Affect’, in Ahall, L. and T. Gregory (eds), *Emotions and International Relations*, (Routledge, 2015)

‘Obama’s War on Terror: Why is change so hard?’, in Bentley, M. and J. Holland (eds), *Obama’s Foreign Policy: Ending the War on Terror*, (Routledge, 2014)

‘Conceptualising Change and Continuity in US Foreign Policy’, with Michelle Bentley, in Bentley, M. and J. Holland (eds), *Obama’s Foreign Policy: Ending the War on Terror*, (Routledge, 2014)

‘The Elusive Essence of Evil’, in Pisiou, D. (ed) *Arguing Counter-Terrorism: New Perspectives*, (Routledge, 2013)

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‘Screening Terror on the West Wing’, in Hammond, P. (ed), *Screens of Terror: Representations of War and Terrorism in Film and Television since 9/11*, (Abramis, 2011)

‘Australian Identity, Interventionism and the “War on Terror”’, with Matt McDonald, in Siniver, A. (ed), *International Terrorism Post 9/11: Comparative Dynamics and Responses*, (Routledge, 2010)

Book reviews

‘The Anglosphere: Continuity, Dissonance and Location’, *Political Studies Review*, 19:3 (2020)

‘Conspiracy theory and American foreign policy, by Tim Aistrop’, *Global Discourse*, 7:2-3 (2017) 374-6

‘The Politics of Consolation: Memory and the Meaning of September 11, by Christina Simko’, *American Journal of Sociology*, 122:1 (2016) 297-8

‘Shocked and Awed: How The War on Terror and Jihad Have Changed the English Language, by Fred Halliday’, *Critical Studies on Terrorism*, 4:2 (2011) 293-5

Op-eds / other

‘Race, war and AUKUS’, *UKandEU*, 29 September 2021, <https://ukandeu.ac.uk/aukus-ideas-of-race-and-war/>

‘Responses to terrorism in mass observation writing’, *Mass Observation Project*, 2022

‘Donald Trump: Words matter and his hate preaching sponsors violence’, *The Conversation*, 5 November 2018

‘Beer’, *I-Peel: International Political Economy of Everyday Life*

‘By insisting Assad must go, the West has prolonged the Syrian conflict’, *The Independent*, 12 April 2017

Guide to International Relations Blogs, for Baylis, Smith and Owen’s *Globalization of World Politics*, Online Resources Centre, Oxford University Press

International Relations Theory Drag and Drop Mind Maps, for Baylis, Smith and Owen’s *Globalization of World Politics*, Online Resources Centre, Oxford University Press

Blog posts at *Active Learning in Political Science*, *CGSC*, *CTIS*, *E-IR*, *Political Insight* (Political Studies Association), *Politics @ Surrey* etc

ESTEEM INDICATORS

10 awards/prizes e.g. BISA teaching award, British Research Council Library of Congress Fellowship

3 keynotes, 23 invited talks, 30 conference papers since 2015

16 sources of research and related income e.g. ESRC, AHRC, Leverhulme, EU

SUPERVISION OF DOCTORAL STUDENTS

2 current, 10 completed (8 secured academic jobs, 1 in govt)

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TEACHING

Previous module leadership

American Foreign Policy (on and off since 2009, UG and MA), Applied Political Skills (2012-13, all UG and MA), Contemporary International History (2010-11, first year), Critical Security and Terrorism Studies (2013-15, MA), Dissertation Modules (2017-2018, third year) Ideas and Identity in the War on Terror (2010-11, third year), Introduction to International Relations (2010-15, first year), Key Issues in International Politics (2010-12, first year), Negotiating Politics (2011, third year), Security Studies (2019-2022, second year), Theories of International Relations (2010-12, second year)

Previous teaching contributions

Approaches to Analysis British Politics, Critical Terrorism Studies, Foreign Policy Analysis, International Politics, International Relations Theories, Research Skills (PhD training), Research Methods, Visual Politics, World Politics

ENTERPRISE and KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER

Regular collaboration with a range of stakeholders:

Policy makers e.g. expert witness for HoC Foreign Affairs Select Committee

Knowledge exchange e.g. 'Future Leader' at National Centre for Universities and Business

Television e.g. BBC Breakfast

Radio e.g. BBC Radio 5

News Media e.g. The Independent

ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP

Pro-Dean Research and Innovation (2025-)

Research oversight for the Faculty of Social Sciences

Director of Research and Innovation (2024-5)

Research oversight for School of Politics and International Studies

Editorial supervision (2021-)

Hiring, mentoring and supervision of editorial and communications assistants for BJPIR

Co-Director of the Centre for Global Security Challenges (2018-2024)

Co-founder of a new academic research centre. Research leadership for circa 50 members and supervision of communications assistant

REF reading group (2018-25)

Data coder supervision (2018-) – 9 paid coders

Academic Group Leader – International Relations and Security (2017-2020)

Oversight for research, teaching, and workloads for 20 staff

MA Programme Director for five IR and Politics programmes (2016-2017)

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Mentoring (2016-)

Probation, REF, TF, postdoc, and development mentoring to 12 staff

Research Director and Doctoral Programme Co-Director (2015)

Supervision allocation, research strategy, and REF planning

Subject Leader (Head of Politics) (2014-2015)

Departmental leadership across research, teaching, and administration, including workloads

External Relations (2013-2014)

Events, outreach, marketing

Teaching Assistants (2010-15, 18-) – circa 20 staff and graduate teaching assistants

Other roles

Internationalisation (US, Australia, Japan) (2012-13, 2017)

Student Support Advisor – additional learning needs, learning adjustments, extenuating circumstances (2010-13)

Assessment and feedback committee (2009-10)

ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP - EXTERNAL

Editing

Editor - British Journal of Politics and International Relations (2021-27)

Associate Editor - European Journal of International Security (2019-23)

Editorial boards - Critical Studies on Terrorism; Undergraduate Journal of Politics and International Relations

Reviewing

Research council - Economic and Social Research Council – Peer Review College (2015-) and Future Leaders pool (2022-) (and university panels for these schemes)

Publishers – reviewer for 11 publishers

Journals – reviewer for 50+ journals

Examining (since 2016)

e.g. Dublin City University, University of the Sunshine Coast, University of East Anglia, Royal Holloway, SOAS, Newcastle University, Plymouth University