

Curriculum Vitae

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Positions Held

Robert F. Philip Professor of International Studies, University of Washington, 1994-present

Professor of International Studies, University of Washington, 1982 - present

Chair, International Studies Program, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies,
University of Washington, 1981 - 1995

Director, National Resource Center in International Studies, University of Washington, 1985 –
1995

Chair, Jewish Studies Program, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of
Washington, 2001-2002

Associate Director, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of
Washington, 1983 - 1985

Associate Professor of International Studies, University of Washington, 1980 - 1982

Associate Professor of Government, Harvard University, 1975 - 1980

Research Fellow, Harvard Center for International Affairs, 1976 - 1980

Senior Lecturer, Tel-Aviv University, 1974 - 1975

Lecturer, Tel-Aviv University, 1972 – 1974

Graduate and Undergraduate Studies

Harvard University, Department of Government
M.A., 1968
Ph.D., 1972

Rutgers University (New Brunswick)
B.A., 1967, with highest honors

Awards

Provost Distinguished Lecturer, University of Washington, 2008
Marsha L. Landolt Distinguished Mentor Award, University of Washington, 2006
Lady Davis Fellow, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 2002-2003
Governor's Writers Award, 1994, for Palestinians: The Making of a People
Distinguished Teaching Award, University of Washington, 1993
Student Service Award, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington, 1992 (awarded in recognition of outstanding service to students in the International Studies Program)
Yavor Prize for the best work on developing countries, 1986, awarded by the David Horowitz Institute for the Research of Developing Countries for Strong Societies and Weak States: State Society Relations and State Capabilities in the Third World.
Principal Investigator for three major federal grants (Department of Education, Washington, D.C.) totalling well over \$1 million
World Society Fellowship (1989-90)
Fulbright Research Fellowship (declined)
Fulbright-Hayes Research Fellowship (1985-86)
Phi Beta Kappa
Harvard University Graduate Prize Fellowship
Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship
NSF—a number of grants as PI, with Ph.D students I supervise

Selected Professional Activities

Member editorial board, Comparative Political Economy Book Series, School of Government at Peking University, China
President, Association for Israel Studies, 2003-2005
Vice-president, Association for Israel Studies, 2001-2003
Editor, Studies on Israel series of the University of Wisconsin Press
Member, Visiting Committee, Harvard University Center for Middle Eastern Studies
Chair, Visiting Committee, Harvard Academy of International and Area Studies
Member, Editorial Board, Israel Studies Forum: An Interdisciplinary Journal, 2001-present.
Member, Editorial Board, World Politics, 1996-present.
Member, Editorial Board, Comparative Political Studies, 1992-present.
Member, American Political Science Association.
Member of the International Joint Committee for the Near and Middle East, Social Science Research Council, 1988-1996. Chair of Committee, 1991-92, 1992-93, 1993-96.

List of Publications

Books

Boundaries and Belonging: States and Societies in the Struggle to Shape Identities and Local Practices (editor) (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2004).

The Palestinian People: A History (with Baruch Kimmerling) (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2003).

Through the Lens of Israel: Explorations in State and Society (Albany: State University of New York Press, 2001).

State-in-Society: Studying How States and Societies Transform and Constitute One Another (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2001).

Joel S. Migdal, Atul Kohli, Vivienne Shue, eds., State Power and Social Forces: Domination and Transformation in the Third World (New York: Cambridge University Press, 1994).

Joel S. Migdal, Palestinians: The Making of a People (with Baruch Kimmerling) (New York: The Free Press, 1993). Paperback edition, Harvard University Press, 1994. Italian edition (I palestinesi: la genesi di un popolo), La Nuova Italia, 1994—second Italian edition, 2003; Hebrew edition, Keter, 1999. Serialized by Al-Ithihad (Israeli newspaper in Arabic), Jan.-March 2000. Arabic edition, The Palestinian Forum for Israeli Studies (Madar), 2001.

Ellis Goldberg, Resat Kasaba, and Joel S. Migdal, eds., Rules and Rights in the Middle East: Democracy, Law and Society (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1993).

Strong Societies and Weak States: State-Society Relations and State Capabilities in the Third World, (Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 1988).

Joel S. Migdal, et al., Palestinian Society and Politics (Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 1980).

John D. Montgomery, Harold D. Lasswell, and Joel S. Migdal, eds., Patterns of Policy: Comparative and Longitudinal Studies of Population Events (New Brunswick, NJ: Transaction Books, 1979).

Peasants, Politics, and Revolution: Pressures Towards Political and Social Change in the Third World (Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 1974) Chinese edition, 1996.

Articles

“Researching the State” Mark I. Lichbach and Alan S. Zuckerman, eds., Comparative Politics: Rationality, Culture, and Structure (Cambridge University Press, 2nd ed., forthcoming 2009).

“Constructing the Public Sphere: Integration and Disintegration,” The Public Sphere, no. 2 (Summer 2008), 9-38 [Hebrew].

“Estudiar el estado,” Revista Académica de Relaciones Internacionales, 8 (March 2008), translation of Conclusion of *State in Society*.

“Whose State Is It, Anyway? Exclusion and the Construction of Graduated Citizenship in Israel,” Israel Studies Forum, 21 (Fall 2006).

Joel S. Migdal and Klaus Schlichte, “Re-thinking the State” in Klaus Schlichte, ed., The Dynamics of States: The Formation and Crises of State Domination (Burlington, VT: Ashgate, 2005).

"Statebuilding and the Non-Nation-State," 58 Journal of International Affairs, (Fall 2004).

“Mental Maps and Virtual Checkpoints: Struggles to Construct and Maintain State and Social Boundaries” in Migdal, ed., Boundaries and Belonging.

"Changing Boundaries and Social Crisis: Israel and the 1967 War" in Stephen Heydemann, ed., War, Institutions, and Social Change in the Middle East (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2000).

"Why Do So Many States Stay Intact?" in Peter Dauvergne, ed., Weak and Strong States in Asia-Pacific Societies (Sydney: Allen and Unwin, 1998).

"Studying the State" in Mark I. Lichbach and Alan S. Zuckerman, eds., Comparative Politics: Rationality, Culture, and Structure (Cambridge University Press, 1997).

"Finding the Meeting Ground of Fact and Fiction: Some Reflections on Turkish Modernization" in Reşat Kasaba and Sibel Bozdoğan, eds., Rethinking Modernity and National Identity in Turkey (University of Washington Press, 1998). Also published in Turkish.

"Integration and Disintegration: An Approach to Society Formation" in Luc Van DeGoor, Kumar Rupesinghe, and Paul Sciarone, eds., Between Development and Destruction: An Enquiry into the Causes of Conflict in Post-Colonial States (St. Martin's Press, 1996).

"Society Formation and the Case of Israel" in Michael Barnett, ed., Israel in Comparative Politics: Challenging the Conventional Wisdom (SUNY Press, 1996).

Articles, continued

"The State in Society: An Approach to Struggles for Domination," in Joel S. Migdal, Atul Kohli, Vivienne Shue, eds., State Power and Social Forces: Domination and Transformation in the Third World (Cambridge University Press, 1994).

"Introduction" and "Civil Society in Israel," in Rules and Rights in the Middle East: Democracy, Law and Society, Ellis Goldberg, Resat Kasaba, Joel S. Migdal, eds. (University of Washington Press, 1993).

"The Power and Limits of States: Struggles for Domination Between States and Societies" in Volker Bornschier and Peter Lengyel, eds., Waves, Formations and Values in the World System, World Society Studies Vol. 2 (New Brunswick, N.J.: Transaction Publishers, 1992).

"Religion, Class, and Democracy in the Middle East," Perspectives on War and Peace, 8 (Spring, 1991): 13-14.

"The State in Society: Struggle and Accommodations in Multiple Arenas," States and Social Structures Newsletter, No. 13 (Spring, 1990): 1-5.

Individual Change in the Midst of Social and Political Change," Social Science Journal 25 (1988), 125-139.

"The Individual and Rapid Change," Paper No. 1/87 of The David Horowitz Institute for the Research of Developing Countries, Tel-Aviv University, Tel-Aviv, Israel (1987)

"The Crystallization of the State and the Struggles over Rulemaking: Israel in Comparative Perspective," in Boundaries of the Israeli System ed. by Baruch Kimmerling (Albany: SUNY Press, 1988).

"Vision and Practice: The Leader, the State, and the Transformation of Society," International Political Science Review 9 (1988): 23-41.

"Strong States, Weak States: Strategies of Elite Survival," in Understanding Political Development, ed. by Myron Weiner and Samuel Huntington (Cambridge, MA: Little, Brown, 1987).

"A Model of State-Society Relations" in New Directions in Comparative Politics, ed. by Howard J. Wiarda (Boulder: Westview Press, 1985)

"Studying the Politics of Development and Change: The State of the Art" in Political Science: The State of the Discipline, ed. by Ada W. Finifter (Washington, D.C.: American Political Science Association, 1983).

"Capitalist Penetration in the Nineteenth Century: Creating Conditions for New Patterns of Social Control" in Power and Protest in the Countryside: Studies of Rural Unrest in Asia, Europe and Latin America, ed. by Robert P. Weller and Scott E. Guggenheim (Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press, 1982).

Articles, continued

Harold D. Lasswell, John D. Montgomery, and Joel S. Migdal, "Thinking about Policies in Patterns: Contexts and Sequences" (in Patterns of Policy).

"Policy in Context: The Intended and the Unintended in Migration Policy in the third World" (in Patterns of Policy).

"Policy and Power: A Framework for the Study of Comparative Policy Contexts in Third World Countries," Public Policy, 25 (Spring, 1977); reprinted in Policy Studies Review Annual, Vol. II, ed. by Harold E. Freeman (Beverly Hills, Calif.: Sage, 1978).

"State and Society in a Society Without a State" in The Palestinians and the Middle East Conflict, ed. by Gabriel Ben-Dor (Ramat Gan, Israel: Turtledove, 1978).

"Urbanization and Political Change: The Impact of Foreign Rule," Comparative Studies in Society and History, 19 (July, 1977).

"The Tensions of Modernization: A Theory of the Role of the Family in Societal Change," International Journal of Group Tensions, (September, 1974).

"Internal Structure and External Behavior: Explaining Foreign Policies of Third World States," International Relations, 4 (May, 1974).

"Population Growth, Economic Crisis, and Development in Rural Areas of the Third World," ITCC Review, 3 (July, 1974).

"Why Change? Towards a Theory of Change Among Individuals in the Process of Modernization," World Politics, 26 (January, 1974).