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CENTER FOR GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT. *Research Fellow and Director, Project on Weak States and U.S. National Security.* Washington, D.C. February 2005–April 2008. Directed the Center’s research and policy engagement on the intersection between security and development, with particular focus on the relationship between weak states and transnational threats and on the policy challenges of building effective institutions of governance in fragile settings.

JOHNS HOPKINS SCHOOL OF ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL STUDIES. *Professorial Lecturer in International Relations/Conflict Management.* 2006–2008. Taught graduate course in Post-Conflict Reconstruction to M.A. Candidates.

SECRETARY OF STATE’S POLICY PLANNING STAFF, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. *Staff Member (non-political)* Washington, D.C., September 2002–January 2005. Lead professional staff member for U.S. policy toward Afghanistan and global/transnational issues. Portfolio responsibilities included analysis and recommendations for U.S. policies on failed/failing states and post–conflict reconstruction; international environmental cooperation; sustainable development; refugees and migration; international law enforcement; and global health affairs. Assisted creation of the Office of Reconstruction and Stabilization (S/CRS), forerunner of State Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations (CSO). Also prepared broader policy statements on U.S. foreign policy. Joined staff as an *International Affairs Fellow of the Council on Foreign Relations*.

POLITICS DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY. *Adjunct Professor of Politics.* 2001–2002. Taught U.S. Foreign Policy to NYU graduate students.

CENTER ON INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY. *Research Fellow.* New York, NY, 1997–2002. Designed and ran multi-scholar, collaborative research programs on Post-Conflict Reconstruction and on Multilateralism and U.S. Foreign Policy.

THE BROOKINGS INSTITUTION. *Pre-Doctoral Dissertation Fellow in Foreign Policy Studies.* Washington, D.C., 1992–94.

THE NORWEGIAN NOBEL INSTITUTE. *Guest Researcher,* Oslo, Norway. June–December, 1993.

CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY. *Tutor in International Politics,* Prague, Czech Republic, Summer 1992.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY. *Lecturer in International Politics.* Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford University, 1991–92.

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STANFORD UNIVERSITY. *Head Teaching Assistant,* Human Biology Program. 1987–88.

INSTITUTE OF HUMAN ORIGINS. *Paleoanthropology expedition fieldworker*, Olduvai Gorge, Tanzania. 1987, 1988.

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M. ST. (Master of Studies) in MODERN EUROPEAN HISTORY, with special commendation. 1989.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Stanford, California.

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