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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- Ph.D.** *Political Science*, University of California, Davis, December 2004
Fields: International Relations, Comparative Politics, Research Methodology
- M.S.** *Student Affairs in Higher Education*, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO
School of Education, 1994-1996
- B.S.** *Political Science*, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA, 1989-1993

Professional Experience

- 2020- Director, Triangle Institute for Security Studies
- 2014- present University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
Associate Professor, Department of Public Policy
Adjunct Associate Professor, Curriculum in Peace, War, and Defense
Affiliate Faculty, Curriculum in Global Studies
- 2011- 2014 University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
Assistant Professor, Department of Public Policy
Adjunct Assistant Professor, Curriculum in Peace, War, and Defense
Affiliate Faculty, Curriculum in Global Studies
Executive Board Member, Triangle Institute for Security Studies
- 2005-2011 School of Public and International Affairs, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
Assistant Professor, Department of International Affairs
Director, International Conflict Resolution Study Abroad Program in Ecuador
Faculty Fellow, Center for International Trade and Security
Faculty Associate, Globis Center for the Study of Global Issues

Honors

- 2015-17 *Andrew Carnegie Fellow*, Carnegie Corporation of New York.
- 2011 *School of Public and International Affairs Excellence in Teaching Award*, University of Georgia
- 2008-2010 *Lilly Teaching Fellow*, University of Georgia.

2004-2006 Walter Isard Award for the Best Dissertation in Peace Science, Peace Science Society International.

2005 Dissertation Award, Committee on the Analysis of Military Operations and Strategy (CAMOS), American Political Science Association.

Publications

Books:

Sullivan, Patricia. 2012. *Who Wins? Predicting Strategic Success and Failure in Armed Conflict*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Refereed Journal Articles:

* Graduate student co-author

Huang, Reyko and Patricia L. Sullivan. "Arms for Education? External Support and Rebel Social Service Provision." *Journal of Peace Research*, 58, no. 4 (2021): 794-808.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0022343320940749>.

Sullivan, Patricia L., Leo J. Blanken, and Ian C. Rice*. "Arming the Peace: Foreign Security Assistance and Human Rights Conditions in Post-Conflict Countries." *Defence and Peace Economics* 31, no. 2 (2020): 177-200. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10242694.2018.1558388>

Johannes Karreth, Sullivan, Patricia L., and Ghazal Dezfuli*. "Explaining How Human Rights Protections Change After Internal Armed Conflicts." *Journal of Global Security Studies* 5, no. 2 (2020): 248-264. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jogss/ogaa002>

Sullivan, Patricia L. and Johannes Karreth. "Strategies and Tactics in Armed Conflict: How Governments and Foreign Interveners Respond to Insurgent Threats." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 63, no. 9 (2019): 2207-2232. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0022002719828103>

Mars, Matthew, Judith Bronstein, and Patricia L. Sullivan. "The Ecosystem of Dark Networks: A Biological Perspective." *Combating Terrorism Exchange* 5, no. 3 (2015): 31-36.

Sullivan, Patricia L., and Johannes Karreth. "The Conditional Impact of Military Intervention on Internal Armed Conflict Outcomes." *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 32, no. 3 (2015): 269-288.

Shelton, Allison*, Szymon Stojek*, and Patricia Sullivan. "What Do We Know about Civil War Outcomes?" *International Studies Review* 15, no. 4 (2013): 515-538.

Tessman, Brock F., and Patricia L. Sullivan. "Bang for the Buck? Assessing U.S. Military Aid and Recipient State Cooperation." *Security and Defense Studies Review* 13 (2012): 11-31.

Sullivan, Patricia L., Brock F. Tessman, and Xiaojun Li*. "US Military Aid and Recipient State Cooperation." *Foreign Policy Analysis* 7, no. 3 (2011): 275-94. Reprinted in Milner, H.V., and D. Tingley. 2013. *Geopolitics of Foreign Aid*. Vol. II. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.

Koch, Michael T., and Patricia Sullivan. "Should I Stay or Should I Go Now? Partisanship, Approval, and the Duration of Major Power Democratic Military Interventions." *The Journal of Politics* 72, no. 03 (2010): 616-29.

Sullivan, Patricia L., and Michael T. Koch. "Military Intervention by Powerful States, 1945—2003." *Journal of Peace Research* 46, no. 5 (2009): 707-18.

Sullivan, Patricia. "Sustaining the Fight: A Cross-Sectional Time-Series Analysis of Public Support for Ongoing Military Interventions." *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 25, no. 2 (2008): 30-45.

Sullivan, Patricia. "At What Price Victory? The Effects of Uncertainty on Military Intervention Duration and Outcome." *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 25, no. 1 (2008): 49-66.

Sullivan, Patricia. "War Aims and War Outcomes: Why Powerful States Lose Limited Wars." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 51, no. 3 (2007): 496-524.

Sullivan, Patricia, and Scott Gartner. "Disaggregating Peace: Domestic Politics and Dispute Outcomes." *International Interactions* 32, no. 2 (2006): 1-25.

Engaged Scholarship:

Sullivan, Patricia. 2021. "Does Security Assistance Work? Why It May Not Be the Answer for Fragile States." Modern War Institute at West Point. Irregular Warfare Initiative. November 15, 2021.

<https://mwi.usma.edu/does-security-assistance-work-why-it-may-not-be-the-answer-for-fragile-states/>

Lethal Aid and Human Security Conference. June 22-24, 2017. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC. <http://humansecuritycollaboration.web.unc.edu/>

Sullivan, Patricia. 2017. "Is it ever a good idea to arm violent nonstate actors?" *The Conversation*, July 10, 2017. <https://theconversation.com/is-it-ever-a-good-idea-to-arm-violent-nonstate-actors-77652>

Sullivan, Patricia. "Key Findings: Is Military Aid an Effective Tool for U.S. Foreign Policy?." Scholars Strategy Network. May 2012. www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org

Datasets:

Sullivan, Patricia L. and Johannes Karreth. 2019. Strategies and Tactics in Armed Conflict (STAC), 1945-2012, Harvard Dataverse, V1, <https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/HHXDXR>.

Sullivan, Patricia L. and Michael T. Koch. 2009. Military Interventions by Powerful States (MIPS), 1945-2004. Harvard Dataverse, V1, <https://doi.org/10.7910/DVN/KRUFQH>. Downloaded over 1000 times.

Other Publications:

Sullivan, Patricia. "Review of Sarah E. Kreps. *Coalitions of Convenience: United States Military Interventions After the Cold War*," in H-Diplo/ISSF Roundtable Reviews, Volume IV, No. 7 (2012): 13-18. Available at <http://www.h-net.org/~diplo/ISSF/PDF/ISSF-Roundtable-4-7.pdf>

Manuscripts in Preparation:

Sullivan, Patricia L. "Lethal Aid: Military Assistance and Human Security" Book manuscript.

Academic Workshop:

The Impact of Intra-War Processes on Post-Conflict Outcomes. Day-long workshop for 20 scholars prior to the annual meeting of the Peace Science Society in South Bend, Indiana, on October 20, 2016. Co-organized with Professor Stephen Gent and Professor Mark Crescenzi
<https://postconflictoutcomes.web.unc.edu/>

Recent Invited Talks:

“Strategic Success and Failure”, The Ukraine Invasion: Lessons from the first 6 Weeks of War, University of New South Wales, Canberra, Australia (virtual), April 8, 2022

Irregular Warfare and Strategic Competition, Irregular Warfare Community of Interest (IW-COI) workshop, National Defense University, JFK Special Warfare Center and School, Ft. Bragg, NC, December 10, 2021

“Building Partner Capacity: Unintended Consequences and Second Order Effects”, Army Special Operations Seminar, Triangle Center on Terrorism and Homeland Security, Duke University, Durham, NC, August 26, 2021

“Train and Equip: The Long-term Impacts of Providing Lethal Aid to Foreign Forces”, Center for International Peace and Security Studies, Workshop on International Training Activities, November 14-15, 2019, Montreal, Canada.

“Full-Cost Accounting in Military Intervention Decisions”, Center for Strategic Studies, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, October 4-5, 2019, Medford, MA.

Guest Lecture, Department of Political Science, University of Vermont, October 11-12, 2018, Burlington, VT.

Guest Lecture, “The Utility and Limitation of Military Force”, 82nd ABN DIV, Fort Bragg, NC (May 11, 2017)

Guest Lecture, Naval Postgraduate School, February 8-9, 2017, Monterrey, CA

“Utility and Limitations of Military Force”, National Security Policy and Strategy Orientation. May 10, 2016. Duke University, Sanford School of Public Policy, Durham, NC

“Sunk Costs and Citizen Support for Ongoing Military Operations,” Violence and the Human condition: Political Violence and Issues of Measurement and Methodology. May 13-16, 2015. University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.

“Sunk Costs and Citizen Support for Ongoing Military Operations,” Institute for Security & Conflict Studies, George Washington University, November 3, 2014. Washington, DC.

Roundtable Discussion: “Intervention in Syria? Problems, Prospects, and Contexts,” September 3, 2013, FedEx Global Education Center, UNC.

“Who Wins? Predicting Strategic Success and Failure in Armed Conflict,” Naval Postgraduate School, April 2, 2013, Monterrey, CA.

Recent Conference Papers:

Sullivan, Patricia L. “Train and Equip: ‘Partner’ Forces and Postconflict Peacebuilding.” (March 27, 2020). Paper prepared for the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Honolulu, HI.

Huang, Reyko and Patricia L. Sullivan. “Wartime External Support and Rebel Governance.” (November 9, 2018). Paper presented at the Peace Science Society International Meeting, Austin, TX.

Sullivan, Patricia L. "Fuel for the Fire or Stabilizing Influence? Increasing Security in Fragile States" (April 5, 2018). Panel organized for the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. San Francisco, CA.

Blanken, Leo J. and Patricia L. Sullivan. " Foreign Military Assistance and Governance in Post-Conflict Countries" (February 23, 2017) Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. Baltimore, MD.

Sullivan, Patricia L., "Arming the Opposition: Long-term Impacts of Providing Lethal Aid to Non-state Actors." (October 20-22, 2016) Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Peace Science Society-International. Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana.

Sullivan, Patricia L. "Arming the Opposition: The Long-Term Impacts of Providing Lethal Aid to Nonstate Actors." (March 16-20, 2016) Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. Atlanta, GA.

Sullivan, Patricia L. and Ghazal Dezfuli. "Civil War Strategies, War Outcomes, and Human Security in Post- Conflict Societies." (February 21, 2015) Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA.

Sullivan, Patricia L. and Ghazal Dezfuli. "Civil War Strategies, War Outcomes, and Human Security in Post-Conflict Societies." (October 9-12, 2014) Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Peace Science Society International. Philadelphia, PA.

Sullivan, Patricia L. "Civil War Strategies, War Outcomes, and Human Security in Post-Conflict Societies." (August 31, 2014) Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C..

Research Grants

International Crisis Behavior - Escalation, Alliance Formation, and Policy Choices, co-PI with Kyle Beardsley (Duke University). Department of Defense and University of Maryland National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism (START). (\$152,141).

Venture Research Workshop Grant, International Studies Association. Lethal Aid and Human Security: Exploring the Impact of Transnational Flows of Military Assistance to Fragile States. July 2016-July 2017 (\$19,200).

2015-2017 Andrew Carnegie Fellowship. Arming the Opposition: Understanding the Long-term Impacts of Providing Lethal Aid to Nonstate Actors. Carnegie Corporation of New York. 2015-2017 (\$200,000).

Mapping the Trajectories of Military Intervention and Occupation: Towards an Empirical Model. Co-PI with Mia Bloom (Penn State). Additional team members include Alexander Downes (George Washington), David Edelstein (Georgetown), Ian Roxborough (SUNY Stony Brook), and Kathleen Deloughery (SUNY Albany). Office of Naval Research. May 2009- December 2012 (\$943,819; \$189,104 Sullivan sub-award).

RJ Reynolds Junior Faculty Development Award, University of North Carolina, 2012 (\$7500).

Junior Faculty Research Grant, International Security and Foreign Policy Program, Smith Richardson Foundation, 2008-2009 (\$60,000).

Faculty Research Grant, The University of Georgia Research Foundation, 2006 (\$8,100).

Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation, 2003-2005
Division of Social, Behavioral, and Economic Research, Political Science Program, Washington D.C.
(SES-0242022; \$7,819)

Dissertation Fellowship and Research Support, Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation (IGCC),
University of California, 2002-2003.

Teaching and Mentoring (2016-2020)

Department of Public Policy and Curriculum in Peace, War, and Defense, The University of North Carolina

PLCY 110/ PLCY 110H: *Global Policy Issues*

Spring 2022; Fall 2021; Fall 2020; Spring 2020; Fall 2019 (204 students); Spring 2019 (76 students); Spring 2018 (162 students); Spring 2017 (98 students); Fall 2017 (23 students)

PWAD 350: *National and International Security*

Fall 2021(89 students); Spring 2019 (84 students)

PLCY 430: *Analysis of U.S. National Security Policy*

Fall 2020; Fall 2019; Fall 2017 (36 students)

PLCY 581: *Research Design*

PLCY 717: *Political Institutions*

Spring 2022

Faculty Advisor/Ph.D. Committee Chair: Ghazal Dezfuli (PhD awarded 2019), Frances Jeffrey-Coker (PhD awarded 2020), Todd Burroughs (PhD awarded 2021)

Ph.D. committee member: Andre Assumpcao (Public Policy); Rob Williams (Political Science)

M.A. thesis committee member: Caleb Masten (Global Studies); Michal Brzezicki (Global Studies)

Honors thesis advisor, 9 UNC undergraduates in Public Policy and PWAD, 2014-2020. 2017-18 honors thesis student selected to present her research at the Triangle Institute for Security Studies Honors Dinner

Faculty Mentor, LTC Derek Noel, Counterterrorism and Public Policy (CTPP) Fellow, 2021-2011; COL Wesley MacMullen, US Army - Triangle Institute for Security Studies (TISS) National Security Fellows Program, 2016-2017. Civilian Research Paper.

Senior Scholar, Visions in Methodology conference, May 16-19, 2016. University of California, Davis, CA.

Additional Training

Racial Equity Institute (REI) Phase I Workshop, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, May 13-14, 2019

Faculty Administrator Development Program, 2017-18 Cohort, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill

Being Better Faculty Research Mentors, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, June 21-29, 2016

International Conference on Critical Thinking: How To Teach Students To Master Content

By Developing A Questioning Mind, Foundation for Critical Thinking, Berkeley, CA, July 19 - 22, 2010

Philip Merrill Center for Strategic Studies Teachers' Workshop, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), Stowe, Vermont, June 19-23, 2006.

Summer Workshop on the Analysis of Military Operations and Strategy, Columbia University Institute of War and Peace Studies, Cornell University July 8-27, 2001.

ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, University of Michigan, June 26-July 21, 2000.

Professional Service (2015-2022)

To Discipline

2018-current Editorial Board, *Foreign Policy Analysis*

2021 Program Co-chair, Peace Science Society annual meeting

2018-2021 Councilor, Peace Science Society

2016-19 Governing Council, International Security Studies Section, International Studies Association

2013-current Executive Board, Triangle Institute for Security Studies (TISS)

2015-18 Nominating Committee, International Studies Association (Convener 2016, 2017)

2017 Chair, ISSS Emerging Scholar and Distinguished Scholar Awards, International Security Studies Section of the International Studies Association

2017 J. David Singer Data Innovation Award Committee, Conflict Processes Section of the American Political Science Association

2016 Chair, ISSS Weitsman and Best Security Article Awards Committee. International Security Studies Section of the International Studies Association

2013-15 Nominating Committee, Peace Science Society International

2011-15 Correlates of War Project Board Member

2015 ISSS Best Book Award Committee. International Security Studies Section of the International Studies Association

UNC-Chapel Hill

2011-current Advisory Board for the Curriculum in Peace, War, and Defense

2019-2020; 2012-2015 Diversity Liaison to the College of Arts and Sciences Diversity Initiative, Department of Public Policy

2012-2014; 2019-2022 Undergraduate Affairs Committee, Department of Public Policy

July 2014-Dec 2015; 2017-18; 2020 Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Public Policy

2017 QEP CURE Course Proposal Review committee

2012-2015 Truman Scholars Selection Committee

2015 Guest lecture, The Warrior-Scholars Project at UNC, Office of the Chancellor

2014 Mitchell Scholarship and Marshall Scholarship practice interviewer

Public Outreach

Moderator and Convener, Afghanistan in Context panel discussion (virtual), Triangle Institute for Security Studies, UNC Center for Middle East and Islamic Studies, Curriculum in Peace, War, and

Defense, and UNC Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies, August 20, 2021

Panel Moderator, "NATO: Emerging Threats and Responses" Presented by the Triangle Institute for Security Studies (TISS) and the Joint Special Operations Masters in Arts (JSOMA) program at the National Defense University with support from the NATO Public Diplomacy Division. March 3, 2020.

Guest Lecture, "Lethal Aid: Security Assistance and Human Security" Carolina Public Humanities Warfare, Society, and the Military Series, Flyleaf books, Chapel Hill, NC, February 20, 2020.

Roundtable discussion with Congressman David Price, UNC Office of Federal Affairs and the UNC Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies (CSEEEES), April 23, 2019

Featured Speaker, "Defense Diplomacy: Is the Pentagon the New State Department?" Presented at the Carolina Public Humanities seminar. April 20-21, 2018, Chapel Hill, NC.

Guest Lecture, "The Utility and Limitations of Military Force," Humanities in Action lecture series, UNC Humanities Program, Flyleaf books, Chapel Hill, NC, March 18, 2015.

Paper, Book, and Grant Proposal Reviewer

American Political Science Review

American Journal of Political Science

Conflict Management and Peace Science

Foreign Policy Analysis

International Security

International Studies Quarterly

International Studies Review

Journal of Conflict Resolution

Journal of Peace Research

Journal of Politics

Security Studies

National Science Foundation

Stanford University Press

University of Georgia Press

Routledge Publishers

RAND Corporation