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Education

Harvard University. B.A. magna cum laude 1976, M.A. 1979, Ph.D. 1981.

Areas of Specialization

Global and Comparative History, Comparative/Historical Sociology, Political Sociology, Revolutions and Social Movements, Political Forecasting, Democratization, State-building, Global Population Trends and their Consequences

Academic Positions

George Mason University. Hazel Professor of Public Policy and Eminent Scholar, Mercatus Scholar, and Director, Center for the Study of Social Change, Institutions and Policy, 2004-
Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. Global Fellow, 2016-
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology. Elman Family Professor of Public Policy and Director, Institute of Public Policy, 2015-2016
Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Director, Research Laboratory on Political Demography and Social Macro-dynamics, 2013-2015
Brookings Institution. Non-resident Senior Fellow in Foreign Policy, 2011-2013
U. of California, Davis. Director, Center for Comparative Research in History, Society and Culture, 1989-91; Professor of Sociology and International Relations, 1989-2004.
Northwestern University. Associate Professor of Sociology and Political Science, 1985-1988; Assistant Professor of Sociology, 1981-84.
Visiting Scholar: Australian National University, University of Cambridge, UCLA, UC-Berkeley, UC-San Diego, University of Paris VI, California Institute of Technology, Konstanz University, Chuo University (Tokyo)

Fellowships and Awards for Research

Fellowship, American Council of Learned Societies, 1984
Fellowship, Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University, 1988
Fellowship, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, 1992-93, 1998
Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 2014-2015
John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellow, 2014
Sociological Research Association, 1991 (elected)
Society for Comparative Research, 2004 (elected)
Council on Foreign Relations, 2010 (elected)
American Sociological Association Distinguished Scholarly Publication Award, for
Revolution and Rebellion in the Early Modern World, 1993
CHOICE Outstanding Academic Title Award, for *States, Parties, and Social Movements*, 2004

ASA Barrington Moore Award for Best Article in Comparative/Historical Sociology, 2003
for "Efflorescences and Economic Growth in World History: Rethinking the 'Rise of
the West' and the British Industrial Revolution." *Journal of World History* (2002)13: 323-389.

ASA Best Article in Comparative/Historical Sociology, Honorable Mention (3 times)
1987 for "State Breakdown in the English Revolution: A New Synthesis," *American Journal of
Sociology* (1986) 92: 257-322.
1990 for "East and West in the Seventeenth Century: Political Crises in Stuart England, Ottoman
Turkey, and Ming China," *Comparative Studies in Society and History* (1988) 30:103-42.
1997 for "Gender, Work, and Culture: Why the Industrial Revolution came Early to England and
Late to China," *Sociological Perspectives* (1996) 20:1-22.

ASA Best Article in Political Sociology Award, 2003
for "Forging Social Order and Its Breakdown: Riot and Reform in U.S. Prisons." (with Bert
Useem). *American Sociological Review* (2002) 67:499-525.

ASA Best Article on Collective Behavior and Social Movements Award, 2003
for "Forging Social Order and Its Breakdown"

ASA Best Article in Social Theory, Honorable Mention 2003
for "Efflorescences and Economic Growth in World History."

The Historical Society Arnaldo Momigliano Award for Best Article in History, 2004
for "Efflorescences and Economic Growth in World History."

Mellon Fellowship for the Study of Contentious Politics, 1995-97
Research Associate, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research 1997
Crayborough Lecture in Comparative History, University of Leiden 1999
Faculty Research Lecturer Award, University of California-Davis, 2003
Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar, 2010-2011
Richard C. Holbrooke Distinguished Visitor, American Academy in Berlin, Germany 2011
Myron Weiner Award for Lifetime of Distinguished Scholarship, International Studies
Association, 2014
Outstanding Scholar Award, Schar School of Policy and Government, George Mason
University, 2019

Research Grants

U.S. Institute for Peace. Grant for conference and book on "Revolutions of the Late
Twentieth Century." (\$37,900) 1988-89.

Center for European and German Studies, U. of California. Grant for Joint-taught
Graduate Course on Global Economic History. (\$10,000) 1991-92.

Liberty Fund, Grant for Conference on Revolution and The Prospects for Liberty in Eastern
Europe (\$36,000). 1993.

Canadian Institute for Advanced Research. Grant for work on studies of social systems and
conflict. (\$15,000). 1996-1997.

Institute for Humane Studies. Grant for study of the collapse of the U.S.S.R. as a
revolution. (\$8,000). 1997-1998.

American Sociological Association. Grant for Advancement of the Discipline, to fund a
conference on the "Origins of Modernity" at UC-Davis, Oct. 1999. (\$3,000)

Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, U. of California. Grant for quantitative studies of state breakdown (\$15,000). 2001-2002.

National Science Foundation. Dissertation Grant in conjunction with Ph.D. candidate Thomas Burr (\$7,500). 2001-2002.

MacArthur Foundation Program on Global Peace and Sustainability. Research and Writing Grant on Sources of Political Conflict (\$74,000). 2003-2004.

Smith-Richardson Foundation. Dissertation Grant in conjunction with PhD Candidate Scott Buchanan (\$10,000).

SAIC, Inc. Political Instability Task Force, Research on Modeling and Forecasting Political Instability, co-PI with Monty G. Marshall (\$663,000), 2005-2009

SAIC, Inc. Studies of Authoritarian Breakdown (\$196,000), 2010-12.

NATO Science for Peace and Security Workshop Grant (\$45,000), 2018.

Charles Koch Foundation. Support for Research on Immigration, Population Change, and Politics (\$1,130,000), 2019-2024.

Publications

Books

- 1986 *Revolutions: Theoretical, Comparative, and Historical Studies* (ed.)
Belmont, CA: Wadsworth/Thomson.
- [1994] 2nd edition
- [2003] 3rd edition
- [2008] Persian Translation
- 1991 *Revolution and Rebellion in the Early Modern World*. Berkeley and Los Angeles:
University of California Press. [Chinese Translation 2013]
- 1991 *Revolutions of the Late Twentieth Century* (edited with T.R. Gurr and F. Moshiri).
Boulder, CO: Westview Press.
- 1993 *Theories of Revolution and the East European Revolutions of 1989*, a special issue
of *Rationality and Society* (ed. with Karl-Dieter Opp). Newbury Park, CA: Sage.
- 1998 *The Encyclopedia of Political Revolutions* (Editor-in-chief) Washington,
DC: Congressional Quarterly Books.
- 1999 *Who's Who in Political Revolutions* (ed.) Washington, D.C.:
Congressional Quarterly Books.
- 2001 *Silence and Voice in Contentious Politics* (with Ron Aminzade, Doug
McAdam, Elizabeth Perry, William Sewell, Jr., Sidney Tarrow, and
Charles Tilly). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

- 2003 *States, Parties, and Social Movements: Protest and the Dynamics of Institutional Change* (ed.) Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. [Chinese Translation 2010]
- 2008 *Improving Democracy Assistance: Building Knowledge Through Evaluations and Research: A National Research Council Report* (with Larry Garber, John Gerring, Clark Gibson, Mitchell Seligson, and Jeremy Weinstein). Washington, DC: National Academy of Sciences.
- 2008 *Why Europe? The Rise of the West in World History 1500-1850*. New York: McGraw-Hill. [Translations into Chinese, Italian, Portuguese, Korean, Russian].
- 2011 *Political Demography: How Population Changes are Reshaping International Security and National Politics*. Edited with Eric Kaufmann and Monica Duffy Toft. New York: Oxford University Press. [Arabic Translation 2013; Persian Translation 2017].
- 2014 *Revolutions: A Very Short Introduction*. Oxford: Oxford University Press [Russian Translation, 2014; Persian Translation 2015; Korean Translation 2015]
- 2014 *Concise Encyclopedia of Comparative Sociology*, edited with Masamichi Sasaki, Ekkart Zimmermann, and Stephen K. Sanderson. Leiden: Brill.
- 2016 *Revolution and Rebellion in the Early Modern World: Population Change and State Breakdown in England, France, Turkey and China 1600-1850*. 25th Anniversary Edition with new preface and final chapter. London: Routledge.
- forth-coming *The Collapse of All Authority: The Rise of the West and the Birth of Modern Economic Growth*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.
- forth-coming *10 Billion – The Challenges of Global Population Change for Democracy, Security and Prosperity*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Articles and Chapters in Books

- 1975 “Subcommittee Chairmanships in the House of Representatives,” *American Political Science Review* 19: 970-971.
- 1979 “A Deductive Explanation of the Matthew Effect in Science,” *Social Studies of Science* 9: 385-391.
- 1980 “Theories of Revolution: The Third Generation,” *World Politics* 32: 425-453.

- 1980 "The Weakness of Organization," *American Journal of Sociology* 85: 1017-1042.
- 1980 "Mobilization and Organization: Reply to Foley and Steedly and to Gamson," *American Journal of Sociology* 85: 1428-32.
- 1982 "Response Options for Evaluating the Consequences of Pollution Charges," in *Environmental Policy Implementation: Planning and Management Options and their Consequences*, Dean Mann, ed. Lexington, MA: Lexington Books, pp. 185-192.
- 1982 "The Comparative and Historical Study of Revolutions," *Annual Review of Sociology* 8: 187-207.
- 1983 "A New Historical Materialism," *Contemporary Sociology* 12: 487-490.
- 1983 "Capitalist Origins of the English Revolution: Chasing a Chimera," *Theory and Society* 12: 143-180.
- 1984 "Urbanization and Inflation: Lessons from the English Price Revolution of the 16th and 17th Centuries," *American Journal of Sociology* 89: 1122-1160.
- 1984 "Reinterpreting the French Revolution," *Theory and Society* 13: 697-713.
- 1985 "Revolutions," in *The International Social Science Encyclopedia*, Adam and Jessica Kuper, eds. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul, pp. 705-707.
- 1985 "The Origins of the English Revolution: A Demographic Approach," *Journal of Economic History* 45: 454-458.
- 1985 "The Ecological Dynamics of Empires: 17th Century Crises in Ottoman Turkey and Ming China," in *Comparative Social Dynamics*, E. Cohen, M. Lissak, and U. Almagor, eds. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, pp. 31-47.
- 1986 "How to Study History: The View from Sociology," *Historical Methods* 19: 82-84.
- 1986 "Revolutions and Superpowers," in *Superpowers and Revolution*, J. Adelman, ed. New York: Praeger, pp. 38-48.
- 1986 "State Breakdown in the English Revolution: A New Synthesis," *American Journal of Sociology* 92: 257-322.
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- 1987 "Cultural Orthodoxy, Risk, and Innovation: The Divergence of East and West in the Early Modern World," *Sociological Theory* 5: 119-135.
- 1987 "Cities and Social Change," *Sociological Forum* 2: 176-185.
- 1987 "Theories of Revolution," in *The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Political Thought*, D. Miller, J. Coleman, W. Connolly, and A. Ryan eds. Oxford: Basil Blackwell, pp. 436-441.
- 1988 "Powers and Fallacies," *Contemporary Sociology* 17: 20-22.
- 1988 "East and West in the Seventeenth Century: Political Crises in Stuart England, Ottoman Turkey, and Ming China," *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 30: 103-142.
- 1988 "Regional Ecology and Agrarian Development in Early Modern England and France," *Politics and Society* 16: 287-334.
- 1989 "Deterrence in Rebellions and Revolutions," in *Perspectives on Deterrence*, P. Stern, R. Axelrod, R. Jervis, and R. Radner, eds. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 222-250.
- 1989 "Rationality and Revolution: A Comment on Lindenberg," *Rationality and Society* 1: 285-287.
- 1989 "Révolutions dans l'histoire et histoire de la révolution," *Revue Française de Sociologie*, special issue on revolutions 30: 405-430.
- 1990 "Sociology and History: Producing Comparative History," in *Sociology in America*, ed. Herbert Gans. Beverly Hills: Sage Publications, pp. 275-292.
- 1990 "The Causes of Long Waves in Early Modern Economic History," in *Research in Economic History*, Supplement 6, *The Vital One: Essays in Honor of J.R.T. Hughes*, Joel Mokyr, ed. Greenwich, CT: JAI Press, pp. 51-92.
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- 1991 "Monetary versus Velocity Explanations of the 'Price Revolution': A Comment." *Journal of Economic History* 51: 176-181.
- 1991 "States Making States Making Wars Making States," *Contemporary Sociology* 20: 176-179.

- 1991 "Revolution," *The Blackwell Dictionary of 20th Century Social Thought*. Oxford: Basil Blackwell, pp. 549-550.
- 1992 *Imminent Political Conflicts Arising from China's Environmental Crisis*. Occasional Paper of the Project on Environmental Change and Acute Conflict, American Academy of Arts and Sciences. AAAS: Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- 1992 "Family Organization and Economic Innovation in Northwest Europe and Imperial China, c. 1780-1900," with Lisa Hoffman, in *Family Process and Political Process in Early Modern Chinese History*, edited by the Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica. Taiwan: Academia Sinica, pp. 995-1014.
- 1992 "Revolution," *The Routledge Encyclopaedia of Government and Politics*. London: Routledge 2: 1049-1060.
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- 1993 "Reply to Keddie," *Contention 2*: 185-189.
- 1993 "Analyzing Revolutions and Rebellions: A Reply to the Critics," *Contention 3*: 177-198.
- 1993 "Revolution," in *The Oxford Companion to Politics of the World*, Joel Krieger, ed. New York and Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 786-790.
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- 1993 "Trends or Cycles? The Economic History of East-West Contact in the Early Modern World," *Journal of the Economic and Social History of the Orient* 36: 104-119.
- 1994 "Revolutions in Modern Dictatorships," in *Revolutions: Theoretical, Comparative, and Historical Studies*, Jack A. Goldstone, ed., second edition, pp. 70-77. Forth Worth, TX: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich.
- 1994 "Is Revolution Individually Rational?," in *Rationality and Society*, 6:139-166.
- 1995 "Response: Rationality and Revolution," *Rationality and Society* 7:120-123.

- 1995 "The Coming Chinese Collapse," *Foreign Policy*, No. 99 (Summer): 35-52
- 1996 "Gender, Work, and Culture: Why the Industrial Revolution came Early to England and Late to China," *Sociological Perspectives* 20: 1-22.
- 1996 "Advancing the Environmental Security Debate," *Environmental Change and Security Project Report* No. 2 (Spring): 66-71
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- 1997 "Population Growth and Revolutionary Crises," in *Theorizing Revolutions*, John Foran, ed. London: Routledge, pp. 102-120.
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- 1997 "A Tsunami on the Horizon? The Potential for International Migration from the People's Republic of China," in *Human Smuggling: Chinese Migrant Trafficking and the Challenge to America's Immigration*, Paul Smith, ed. Washington, D.C.: Center for Strategic and International Studies, pp. 48-75.
- 1998 "The Soviet Union: Revolution and Transformation," in *Elites, Crises, and the Origins of Regimes*, John Higley and Mattei Dogan, eds. Boulder, CO: Rowman and Littlefield, pp. 95-123.
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- 1998 "Rivoluzione (Revolution)," in *Enciclopedia delle Scienze Sociali*. Rome: Istituto della Enciclopedia Italiana, Vol. VII, pp. 473-480.
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- 1998 "Initial Conditions, General Laws, Path-dependence, and Explanation in Historical Sociology." *American Journal of Sociology* 104: 829-845.

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- 1999 "Demography, Development, and Domestic Conflicts," in *The International Order in the Twenty-First Century*, T.V. Paul and John A. Hall, eds. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 352-372
- 1999 "Population and Pivotal States," in *U.S. Strategy and Pivotal States*, Robert Chase, Emily Hill, and Paul Kennedy, eds., New York: W.W. Norton, pp. 247-269.
- 1999 "Political Conflicts and China's Environmental Crises," in *Contested Ground: Security and Conflict in the New Environmental Politics*, Daniel Deudney and Richard Matthew, eds., Albany: SUNY Press, pp. 247-266.
- 1999 "Prison Riots as Micro-Revolution: An Extension of State-Centered Theories of Revolution," with Bert Useem. *American Journal of Sociology* 104: 985-1029.
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- 2002 “Forging Social Order and Its Breakdown: Riot and Reform in U.S. Prisons.” (with Bert Useem). *American Sociological Review* 67: 499-525.
- 2002 “Efflorescences and Economic Growth in World History: Rethinking the ‘Rise of the West’ and the British Industrial Revolution.” *Journal of World History* 13: 323-389.
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- 2002 “Theory Development in the Study of Revolutions,” in *Theory Development in Sociology*, Joseph Berger and Morris Zelditch, Jr., eds. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield, pp. 194-226.
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- 2004 “It's all about State Structure -- New Findings on Revolutionary Origins from Global Data” (with Ted Robert Gurr, Monty Marshall, and Jay Ulfelder). *Homo Oeconomicus* 21:3, pp. 429-455.
- 2004 “How to Build Stable Democracies” (with Jay Ulfelder). *The Washington Quarterly* 28:1, pp. 9-20.
- 2005 “How Fast Can you Build a State? – State Building in Revolutions” (with Jaime Becker), in *States and Development*, Matthew Lange and Dietrich Rueschemeyer, eds. New York: Palgrave/Macmillan, pp. 183-210.
- 2006 “Europe’s Peculiar Path: Would the World be ‘Modern’ if William III’s Invasion of England in 1688 had Failed?” in *Unmaking the West: What-if? Scenarios that Rewrite World History*. Philip E. Tetlock, Ned Lebow, and Geoffrey Parker, eds. Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press, pp. 168-196.
- 2006 “A Historical, Not Comparative, Method: Breakthroughs and Limitations in the Theory and Methodology of Michael Mann’s Analysis of Power,” in *An Anatomy of Power: The Social Theory of Michael Mann*, John A. Hall and Ralph Schroeder, eds. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 263-282.
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