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UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Science Carleton University - Ottawa, Ontario, Canada	1996
M.A. in Political Science Carleton University - Ottawa, Ontario, Canada	1990
B.A. (Honours) in Political Science University of Alberta - Edmonton, Alberta, Canada	1988

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Canada Research Chair in the Politics of Citizenship and Human Rights Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	2018 -
Professor Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	2008 -
Associate Chair (Graduate) Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	2017- 2018
Visiting Scholar Department of Social Justice Education, University of Toronto	2016
Sabbatical Affiliation Scholar Department of Political Studies, Queen's University, Kingston	2012-2013
Associate Chair (Research) Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	2008-2011
Acting Chair Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	2009 (May-July)
Associate Professor Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	2002-2008
Visiting Scholar The Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington, Seattle	2004-2005
Assistant Professor Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	1998-2002
Grant Notley Postdoctoral Fellow Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	1996-1998

MAJOR HONOURS AND AWARDS

Fellow, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research	2019-
McCalla Teaching Professorship, University of Alberta	2014-2015
Killam Trust and University of Alberta, Killam Annual Professorship <i>Awarded based on a "record of outstanding scholarship and teaching [and] a record of substantial contributions to the community."</i>	2013-2014
McCalla Research Professor, University of Alberta	2006-2007
Faculty of Arts, University of Alberta, Research Excellence Award <i>Awarded in "recognition of extraordinary achievement by an Associate Professor in the Faculty of Arts."</i>	2005
American Political Science Association, Best Paper Award <i>"Reconstructing an Inclusive Citizenship for a New Millennium: Globalization, Migration and Difference," chosen by the Section on Race, Ethnicity and Politics as the Best Paper delivered at the 1999 Annual APSA Meetings, Atlanta.</i>	2000
Grant Notley Memorial Postdoctoral Fellowship Department of Political Science, University of Alberta: (Two Years)	1996-1998
SSHRC (Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada) Doctoral Fellowship	1991-1994
Ontario Graduate Scholarship	1990-1991
Carleton University Ph.D. Scholarship	1990-1994
CIIPS (Canadian Institute for International Peace and Security) American-European Summer Academy Scholarship: Austria	Summer 1990

GRANTS (CURRENT ONLY)

SSHRC Insight Grant Amount: \$129,497.00 Role: Co-Applicant (with Abigail B. Bakan, University of Toronto) Project: <i>The UN as Knowledge Producer: World Conferences on Women, Racialized and Indigenous Peoples</i>	2018-2022
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SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Yasmeen Abu-Laban and Abigail B. Bakan. *Israel, Palestine and the Politics of Race: Exploring Identity and Power in a Global Context*. London: I.B. Tauris: 2020.

Elia Zureik, David Lyon and Yasmeen Abu-Laban (eds.) *Surveillance and Control in Israel/Palestine: Population, Territory and Power* London and New York: Routledge: 2011.

Yasmeen Abu-Laban (ed.), *Gendering the Nation-State: Canadian and Comparative Perspectives*. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 2008.

Yasmeen Abu-Laban, Radha Jhappan and François Rocher (eds.). *Politics in North America: Re-defining Continental Relations*. Peterborough: Broadview Press, 2008; and University of Toronto Press.

Selling Diversity: Immigration, Multiculturalism, Employment Equity and Globalization (with Christina Gabriel) Peterborough: Broadview Press, 2002; and University of Toronto Press.

OVER 100 ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

“Narrating Canadian Political Science: History Revisited/ Presidential Address to the Canadian Political Science Association, Toronto, Ontario May 30, 2017.” *Canadian Journal of Political Science* 50, 4 (December 2017): 895-919.

“Intersectionality and the United Nations World Conference Against Racism.” (with Abigail B. Bakan) *Atlantis* 38, 1 (2017): 220-235.

“Representing a Diverse Canada in Political Science: Power, Ideas and the Emergent Challenge of Reconciliation.” *European Political Science* 15, 4 (December 2016): 493-507.

“Transforming Citizenship: Power, Policy and Identity.” *Canadian Ethnic Studies* 47, 1 (2015): 1-10.

“Gendering Surveillance Studies: The Empirical and Normative Promise of Feminist Methodology.” *Surveillance and Society* 13, 1 (2015): 44-56.

“After 9/11: Canada, the Israel/Palestine Conflict and the Surveillance of Public Discourse” (with Abigail B. Bakan). *Canadian Journal of Law and Society* 27, 3 (2012): 319-340.

“Israel/Palestine, South Africa and the 'One-State Solution': The Case for an Apartheid Analysis” (with Abigail B. Bakan). *Politikon: South African Journal of Political Studies* 37, 2-3 (December 2010): 331-351.

“Multiple Minorities and Deceptive Dichotomies: The Theoretical and Political Implications of the Struggle for a Public French Education System in Alberta” (with Claude Couture). *The Canadian Journal of Political Science* 43, 2 (June 2010): 433-456.

Palestinian Resistance and International Solidarity: The BDS Campaign” (with Abigail B. Bakan). *Race and Class* 51, 1 (2009): 29-54.

Dangerous (Internal) Foreigners and Nation-Building: The Case of Canada” (with Rita Dhamoon). *International Political Science Review* 30: 2 (March 2009): 163-183.

“The Racial Contract, Israel/Palestine and Canada” (with Abigail B. Bakan). *Social Identities* 14, 5 (September 2008): 637-660

“The Challenge of Care: Early Childhood Education and Care in Canada and Quebec.” (with Laurie Adkin). *Studies in Political Economy* 81 (Spring 2008): 49-76.

From Deportation to Apology: The Case of Maher Arar and the Canadian State” (with Nisha Nath). *Canadian Ethnic Studies* 39, 3 (2007): 71-97.

“Regionalism, Migration and (Fortress) North America.” *Review of Constitutional Studies* 10, 1 and 2 (2005): 135-162.

"The Construction of the Geography of Immigration as a Policy Problem: The United States and Canada Compared" (with Judith Garber). *Urban Affairs Review* 40, 4 (March 2005): 520-561.

"The New North America and the Segmentation of Canadian Citizenship." *International Journal of Canadian Studies* 29, 1 (2004): 17-40.

"Jean Chrétien's Immigration Legacy" pp. 133-149 *Review of Constitutional Studies* 9, 1 and 2(2004).

"Liberalism, Multiculturalism and the Problem of Essentialism," pp. 459-482 *Citizenship Studies* 6, 4 (December 2002).

"The Future and the Legacy: Globalization and the Canadian Settler-State," pp.262-276 *Journal of Canadian Studies* 35, 4 (Winter 2000-2001).

"Reconstructing an Inclusive Citizenship for a New Millennium: Globalization, Migration and Difference," pp. 509-526 *International Politics* 37, 4 (December 2000).

"Constructing 'Ethnic Canadians': The Implications for Public Policy and Inclusive Citizenship," (with Daiva Stasiulis) pp. 477-487 *Canadian Public Policy* XXVI, 4 (2000).

"Reconsidering the Constitution, Minorities and Politics in Canada," (with Tim Nieguth) pp. 465-497 *The Canadian Journal of Political Science* XXXIII, 3 (September 2000).

"welcome/STAY OUT: The Contradiction of Canadian Integration and Immigration Policies at the Millennium." pp. 190-211 *Canadian Ethnic Studies* XXX, 3 (1998).

"Crossing Borders: Interdisciplinarity, Immigration and the Melting Pot in the American Cultural Imaginary." (with Victoria Lamont) pp. 23-43 *The Canadian Review of American Studies*, 27, 2 (September-October 1997).

"Ethnic Pluralism Under Siege: Popular and Partisan Opposition to Multiculturalism." (with Daiva Stasiulis) pp. 365-386 *Canadian Public Policy*, XVIII, 4 (December 1992).

REFEREED JOURNALS (GUEST EDITOR)

Canadian Ethnic Studies (Transforming Citizenship: Ethnicity, Transnationalism, and Belonging in Canada). Special issue: 47, 1 (2015).

SELECT SCHOLARLY, PROFESSIONAL AND TEACHING/MENTORING ACTIVITIES

- Since 1997 I have **delivered over 70 invited scholarly presentations** at universities across Canada, the United States and Europe. These include University of Toronto, McGill University, Laval University, Harvard University, University of Washington, University of Oxford, University of Leuven and Aalborg University.
- Since 1989 I have **delivered over 60 refereed scholarly presentations** at major disciplinary and interdisciplinary conferences in Canada, the United States, Europe, and Australia.
- Currently serving as **Vice-President of the International Political Science Association** (2018-2020) and elected to the Executive Committee for 2016-2018, and re-elected 2018-2020.

- Served as **President of the Canadian Political Science Association (2016-2017)** as well as Past-President (2017-2018), Vice-President (2015-2016), an elected member of the CPSA Board (2015-2018 and 2007-2009) and Chair of the CPSA Conference Organizing Committee (2012).
- **Founding and Elected Chair of Research Committee 46 on “Migration and Citizenship”** in the International Political Science Association (2018-2022)
- **Chaired the Diversity Task Force of the Canadian Political Science Association** which oversaw the production of two surveys and reports dealing with Canadian Departments of Political Science (2010) and the Canadian Political Science Profession (2012).
- **Chaired the Gender and Diversity Monitoring Committee of the International Political Science Association** responsible for the global survey of political science associations and analysis contained in the 2018 publication *IPSA Gender and Diversity Monitoring Report, 2017*.
- Since 2008 I have served as an **Editorial Board Member** for *Canadian Ethnic Studies/Études ethnique au Canada* and I have also served as a **peer reviewer** for numerous other journals including: *British Journal of Canadian Studies; Canadian Foreign Policy; Canadian Journal of Political Science; Canadian Political Science Review; Canadian Public Administration; Canadian Review of Sociology and Anthropology; Canadian Review of Sociology; Citizenship Studies; Critical Sociology; Critical and Pedagogical Inquiry; Ethics and Information Technology; Ethnic and Racial Studies; Journal of Canadian Studies; International Journal of Canadian Studies; International Migration Review; International Political Science Review; Journal of International Migration and Integration; Nationalism and Ethnic Politics; Nations and Nationalism; Studies in Political Economy; Politikon: South African Journal of Political Science; Politics and Gender; PS: Political Science and Politics*; and *Urban Affairs Review*.
- **Adjudication Committee Member and Chair, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada** (Insight Grants) (2012, 2015/Interim Chair).
- **American Political Science Association (Section on Migration and Citizenship) Member, Best Book Chapter of 2013 Award Committee** (2014).
- **Community and government engagement includes:** Member, Board of Directors, Canadian Arab Institute, Toronto (2014-2018); Advisor, Heritage Community Foundation, in partnership with Canadian Heritage, Middle East Edukit Website (for Alberta K-12 Students); Member of the *Canadian Ethnic Studies Advisory Committee* (academic funding advisory body to the Multiculturalism Program in the Department of Canadian Heritage, 3 year appointment 1998-2001) as well as engagement in roundtables and policy discussions sponsored by the Institute for Research on Public Policy (Montreal) and the Canadian federal departments of Citizenship and Immigration Canada, Foreign Affairs and Canadian Heritage.
- Since 1998 I have **supervised to completion:** 2 Postdoctoral Fellows; 10 PhD students; 7 MA students and 12 BA Honours students. In addition to mentoring, I have co-published with both Postdoctoral Fellows and PhD students I have supervised.
- Since 1998 I have served on **the supervisory committees** of 12 completed PhD students and 9 MA students.
- Since 1998 I have served as an **examiner at the University of Alberta** on the boards of 5 PhD students and 10 MA students.
- Since 1998 I have served as an invited **external examiner of 10 PhD students** at different institutions including Universities of Toronto, McGill as well as Macquarie and Swinburne (Australia).