

# MICHAEL W. MANULAK

## Curriculum Vitae

### Office Address:

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### EDUCATION

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- 2014        **D.Phil** – International Relations  
University of Oxford, St. Antony’s College
- 2009        **M.A. (distinction)** – International Affairs  
Carleton University, Norman Paterson School of International Affairs
- 2007        **B.A. (Hons.) (with high distinction)** – Political Science and History  
University of Toronto, Woodsworth College

### PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

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- 2019-present    **Assistant Professor** – International Affairs  
Carleton University, Norman Paterson School of International Affairs
- 2018-2019        **Senior Policy Officer:** Department of National Defence, Cabinet Liaison
- 2015-2018        **Policy Officer:** Department of National Defence, Proliferation Security Team
- 2014-2015        **Policy Analyst:** Labour Program, Assistant Deputy Minister’s Office
- 2008                **Intelligence Analyst:** Canadian Air Transport Security Authority
- 2001-2007        **Executive Director:** Greenpower Canada

### PUBLICATIONS

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#### *Monographs Authored:*

- 2022        *Change in Global Environmental Politics: Temporal Focal Points and the Reform of International Institutions* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press).
- 2011        *Canada and the Kosovo Crisis: An agenda for intervention*, Queen’s University Centre for International Relations, Martello Paper, No. 36.

***Articles in Refereed Journals:***

- 2022 “Toward a Super-COP: Timing, Temporality, and Re-Thinking Climate Governance,” Accepted for publication in *Global Environmental Politics*.
- 2022 “What’ll it Take to Reform the United Nations? Temporal Focal Points and the UN Summit of the Future” *Global Policy*, July 2022, [https://www.globalpolicyjournal.com/sites/default/files/pdf/Manulak%20-%20What%27ll%20it%20take%20to%20Reform%20the%20United%20Nations\\_0.pdf](https://www.globalpolicyjournal.com/sites/default/files/pdf/Manulak%20-%20What%27ll%20it%20take%20to%20Reform%20the%20United%20Nations_0.pdf)
- 2021 “The Networked Diplomacy of Informal International Institutions: The Case of the Proliferation Security Initiative,” *Global Governance*, Vol. 27, Iss. 3.
- 2020 “A Bird in the Hand: Temporal Focal Points and Change in International Institutions,” *Review of International Organizations*, Vol. 15, No. 1, pp. 1-27.
- 2017 “Leading by Design: Informal Influence and International Secretariats,” *Review of International Organizations*, Volume 12, Number 4, pp. 497-522.
- 2015 “Multilateral Solutions for Bilateral Problems: The 1972 Stockholm Conference and Canadian Foreign Environmental Policy,” *International Journal*, Volume 70, Number 1, pp. 4-22.
- 2011 “Forceful Persuasion or Half-Hearted Diplomacy? Lessons from the Kosovo Crisis,” *International Journal*, Volume 66, Issue 3, pp. 351-369.
- 2009 “Canada and the Kosovo Crisis: A ‘golden moment’ in Canadian foreign policy?,” *International Journal*, Volume 64, Issue 2, pp. 565-581.
- 2009 "Equal Partners, though Not of Equal Strength: The Military Diplomacy of General Charles Foulkes and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization," *Canadian Military History*, Volume 18, Issue 1, pp. 1-11.

***Chapters in Edited Volumes***

- 2021 (with Duncan Snidal) “The Supply of Informal International Governance: Hierarchy plus Networks in Global Governance,” in Michael Barnett, Jon

Pevehouse, and Kal Raustiala (ed.), *Global Governance in a World of Change* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press).

- 2021 “Justin Trudeau and Institutional Informality: Canada’s Response to the COVID-19 Crisis,” in David Carment and Richard Nimijean (ed.), *Canada Among Nations 2020: Divided in a Dangerous World* (London: Palgrave-Macmillan), pp. 211-232.
- 2017 “Developing World Environmental Cooperation: The Founex Seminar and the 1972 Stockholm Conference,” in Wolfram Kaiser and Jan-Henrik Meyer (ed.), *International Organizations and Environmental Protection in the Global Twentieth Century: Actors, Agenda-Setting and Institution-Building* (New York: Berghahn Books) pp. 103-127.
- 2017 (with Norman Hillmer and Daniel Macfarlane) “The Pearson Government and the Diplomacy of the Environment,” in Asa McKercher and Galen Roger Perras (ed.), *Mike’s World: Lester Pearson and Canadian External Relations, 1963-1968* (Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press) pp. 320-341.
- 2016 “Explaining Canada’s Foreign Environmental Policies: 2006-2015,” in Adam Chapnick and Chris Kukucha (ed.), *The Harper Era in Canadian Foreign Policy: Parliament, Politics, and Canada’s Global Posture* (Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press) pp. 121-135.

### ***Policy-oriented Publications***

- 2023 (with Duncan Snidal) “How the Internet has Changed Multilateral Diplomacy,” *Policy Magazine*, Vol. 11, Iss. 1, Jan/Feb. <https://www.policymagazine.ca/how-the-internet-has-changed-multilateral-diplomacy/>
- 2022 (with Kerry Buck) “How to Win Friends and Influence Autocrats,” *War on the Rocks*, 12 December, <https://warontherocks.com/2022/12/how-to-win-friends-and-influence-autocrats-toward-a-democratic-security-initiative/>
- 2022 (with Kerry Buck) “Friend-shoring Canada’s Foreign Policy?” *Policy Magazine*, 29 October, <https://www.policymagazine.ca/friend-shoring-canadas-foreign-policy/>

- 2020 “Geopolitics and COVID-19: An Isolationist Future is not in Canada’s Interests,” *Ottawa Citizen*, 21 May.
- 2020 “Why Canada Needs a Foreign Policy Review,” *Ottawa Citizen*, 3 February.
- 2019 “As the nuclear arms race heats up, Canada’s got a role to play,” *Policy Options*, 16 September, <https://policyoptions.irpp.org/magazines/september-2019/as-the-nuclear-arms-race-heats-up-canadas-got-a-critical-role-to-play/>
- 2019 “Why and How to Succeed at Network Diplomacy,” *The Washington Quarterly*, Vol. 42, No. 1.
- 2019 “Canada and the Kosovo Crisis: Looking back, 20 years on,” *Open Canada*, 6 June, <https://www.opencanada.org/features/canada-and-kosovo-crisis-looking-back-20-years/>
- 2019 “Turning up the heat on North Korea,” *The National Interest*, 23 April, <https://nationalinterest.org/blog/korea-watch/turning-heat-north-korea-53922>
- 2019 “NATO at 70: A ‘Community of Values’ Canada Still Needs to Fight For,” *Open Canada*, 5 April, <https://www.opencanada.org/features/nato-at-70-a-community-of-values-canada-still-needs-to-fight-for/>
- 2018 Network Centrality and Canadian Diplomacy, *Policy Options*, 31 July, <http://policyoptions.irpp.org/magazines/july-2018/network-centrality-canadian-diplomacy/>.

## **MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION**

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(with Duncan Snidal) “Choosing Informality: Information, Communication, and Transportation Technology and a Comparative Benefit-Cost Theory of International Institutions.”

“Ahead of the Curve: Persuasion in World Politics.”

“The Sources of Influence in Multilateral Diplomacy.”

“Canada, Climate Change, and the Kyoto Protocol: Multilateral Institutions and the Chrétien Foreign Policy.”

## **AWARDS AND HONOURS**

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2022	International Studies Association Chadwick F. Alger Prize
2022-2024	SSHRC Insight Development Grant
2015	Recruitment of Policy Leaders Campaign, Government of Canada
2009-2013	Social Science and Humanities Research Council Doctoral Fellowship
2011-2012	London Goodenough Association of Canada Scholarship
2012	St. Hugh's College Colin Matthew Research Grant
2012-2013	Oxford Department of Politics and International Relations Studentship
2010, 2011	Cyril Foster and Related Funds, Oxford, Research Travel
2010, 2011	St. Antony's College, Carr and Stahl Research Funding
2009	William Lyon Mackenzie King Scholarship
2009	Senate Medal for Outstanding Academic Achievement, Carleton University
2008-2009	Ontario Graduate Scholarship
2008	Lester B. Pearson Memorial Scholarship, Carleton University

## **TEACHING & RESEARCH INTERESTS**

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International Organizations and Institutions  
Global Environmental Politics  
Canadian Foreign Policy Analysis  
Non-Proliferation, Arms Control, and Disarmament  
Diplomatic Theory and Practice  
International Security and Strategic Studies

## **INVITED PRESENTATIONS/TALKS**

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2022	“Book Talk: Change in Global Environmental Politics,” Concordia University Department of Political Science, 25 November.
2022	“Book Talk: Change in Global Environmental Politics,” Author Meets Readers Carleton University, Faculty of Public Affairs, 24 November.
2022	“Global Environmental Politics: Fifty Years Later,” Amb Canada, 16 November.
2022	“Book Talk: Change in Global Environmental Politics,” GLOBE Project, 8 November, <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2zMkVIGHkts&amp;t=1362s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2zMkVIGHkts&amp;t=1362s</a>

- 2019 “North Korean Denuclearization,” Presentation at Global Affairs Canada, Ottawa, Canada, 13 December.
- 2019 “Canada’s Future on the World Stage,” Presentation at iAffairs Conference “Glorious and Free? Making Sense of Canadian Foreign Policy in an Era of Nationalism, Populism, and Illiberalism,” Ottawa, Canada, 11 October.
- 2017 “The Internet and the Supply of Informal International Governance,” Presentation at the Balsillie School of International Affairs, Waterloo, Canada, 17 November.
- 2017 “Modernising the Proliferation Security Initiative,” Presentation to the Proliferation Security Initiative Operational Experts Group, Singapore, 29-30 August.
- 2017 “The Iran Nuclear Deal: A Defence Policy Perspective,” Presentation at the Canadian Forces College, Toronto, Canada, 7 June.
- 2016 “Perspectives on Korean Reunification,” Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada, 14 November.
- 2016 “The Means to Success in Global Norm Diffusion,” Presentation to the 2016 Australia Group Plenary, Paris, France, 6-10 June.
- 2014 “Multilateral Solutions to Bilateral Problems: Lessons from the 1972 Stockholm Conference for Canada’s foreign environmental policies,” Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development, Canada, Ottawa, 23 September.
- 2014 “It’s About Time: Continuity and Change in International Institutions,” Presentation at the University of Waterloo, Waterloo, 1 April.
- 2014 “How and When Governance Innovation Takes Place,” Centre for International Governance Innovation podcast interview, <http://www.cigionline.org/videos/inside-issues-423-how-and-when-governance-innovation-takes-place> Waterloo, Canada, 1 April.

## **CONFERENCE ACTIVITY/PARTICIPATION**

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***Panels Chaired:***

- 2022           Timing and Temporality in Global Institutional Change, International Studies Association Annual Convention, Nashville, TN, 29 March
- 2022           50 Years of UN Environmental Governance: Looking Back and Moving Forward, International Studies Association Annual Convention, Nashville, TN, 26 March.
- 2021           “Evaluating International Organizations,” panel at the Annual Convention of the Canadian Political Science Association, 7 June.
- 2020           “Technological Change and the Future of International Institutions,” International Studies Association, Annual Convention, Conference Cancelled, but proceedings pursued via online media, March.
- 2019           “Definition and Scope,” *Counter-Proliferation Dialogue Academic Roundtable*, Public Safety Canada, 25 March.
- 2015           “Anatomy of decision: dispositions, affect, and ideas in foreign policy decision-making,” *International Studies Association*, Annual Convention, New Orleans, United States, 18-21 February.
- 2015           “A Multilateral Future for Canada?” *International Studies Association*, Annual Convention, New Orleans, United States, 18-21 February.

***Papers Presented:***

- 2022           “Canada, Climate Change, and the Kyoto Protocol: Multilateral Institutions and the Chrétien Foreign Policy,” Conference hosted by the Bill Graham Centre for Contemporary International History, 8 September.
- 2022           “The Sources of Influence in Multilateral Diplomacy,” Presented at online conference of the Political Economy of International Organizations, 8 April.
- 2022           (with Duncan Snidal) “Choosing Informality: Information, Communication, and Transportation Technology and a Comparative Benefit-Cost Theory of

- International Institutions,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, Nashville, TN, 29 March
- 2022 “Towards a Super-COP? Timing, Temporality, and Re-thinking World Climate Governance,” International Studies Association Annual Convention, Nashville, TN, 26 March.
- 2021 “The Government of Jean Chrétien and the Kyoto Protocol,” Conference hosted by the Bill Graham Centre for Contemporary International History, 3 December.
- 2021 “Persuasion and Voluntary Commitments within the United Nations,” Presentation at the Annual Convention of the Academic Council on the United Nations System, 26 June.
- 2021 (with Duncan Snidal) “Choosing Informality: Information, Communication, and Transportation Technology and the Benefit-Cost Theory of International Institutions,” Presentation at the Annual Convention of the Canadian Political Science Association Annual, 9 June.
- 2021 “The Sources of Influence in Multilateral Diplomacy,” Presentation at the Annual Convention of the Canadian Political Science Association, 7 June.
- 2021 “Designer Multilateralism and Canada’s International Policies: Institutional Informality and the COVID-19 Crisis,” Presentation at the International Studies Association (Virtual) Annual Convention, 9 April.
- 2021 “The Sources of Influence in Multilateral Diplomacy,” Presentation at the Political Economy of International Organizations workshop series, 15 February.
- 2020 (with Duncan Snidal) “Choosing Informality: Information, Communication, and Transportation Technology and the Benefit-Cost Theory of International Institutions,” Presentation at the American Political Science Association (Virtual) Annual Convention, 12 September.
- 2020 “The Sources of Influence in Multilateral Diplomacy,” Presentation at the American Political Science Association (Virtual) Annual Convention, 11 September.

- 2020 (with Duncan Snidal), “Communications Technology and the Rise of Informal International Governance,” International Studies Association, Annual Convention, Conference Cancelled, but proceedings pursued via online media, March.
- 2020 “Canada in the New Global Context: Network Centrality and Middle Power Influence,” International Studies Association, Annual Convention, Conference Cancelled, but proceedings pursued via online media, March.
- 2019 (with Duncan Snidal), “The H&N Mode of Governance,” Presentation at the American Political Science Association Annual Convention, Washington, United States, 1 September.
- 2018 (with Duncan Snidal) “The Supply of Informal International Governance,” Presentation at the Oxford International Relations Colloquium, 25 January.
- 2017 “The Internet and the Supply of Informal International Governance,” Presentation at the Hertie School of Governance, Berlin, Germany, 21-23 June.
- 2015 “Explaining Canada’s Foreign Environmental Policies, 2006-2015,” *International Studies Association*, Annual Convention, New Orleans, United States, 18-21 February.
- 2014 “Sleeping with an Elephant” Canada-U.S. Pollution Politics and the Stockholm Conference,” *International Studies Association*, Toronto, Canada, 26-29 March.
- 2014 “Finding Space for Time: Temporal Focal Points and Change in International Institutions,” *International Studies Association*, Toronto, Canada, 26-29 March.
- 2013 “Leading by Design: Entrepreneurship and International Secretariats,” *Oxford Conference on International Secretariats*, Oxford, UK, 5-6 December.
- 2012 “Fighting Fire with a Thermometer: the Irrational Design of the United Nations Environment Programme,” *Environmental Protection in the Global 21<sup>st</sup> Century Conference at Free University of Berlin*, Berlin, Germany 25-26 October.
- 2012 “Renewal and Global Institutional Change,” *American Political Science Association*, New Orleans, United States, 30 August-2 September.

- 2012 “Continuity and Change in the United Nations Environment Regime,” *Oxford University Research Workshop*, Oxford, UK, 5-6 June.
- 2011 “Taking Negotiations Seriously: The Role of Analytical Mediators in Multilateral Negotiations,” *Oxford University IR Colloquium*, Oxford, UK, 24 February.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Carleton University

M.A. Major Research Essay Supervisor (2019-)  
The Applied History of Diplomacy and Foreign Policy (2022)  
Diplomacy and Foreign Policy: Theory and Practice (2020, Winter and Fall 2021)  
Disarmament, Arms Control, and Non-Proliferation (2019, 2021)  
International Organizations and International Affairs (2020, 2021, 2022)  
Nationalism, Internationalism and Political Culture (2013/2014 and 2014/2015).  
Senior Thesis Co-Advisor (2013/2014).  
Canada-U.S. Relations (2007/2008 and 2008/2009)  
Canada’s International Policies (2007/2008 and 2008/2009)

### University of Oxford

International Relations in the Era of the Cold War (2011)

## FELLOWSHIPS

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- 2019-present **Fellow** – Canadian Global Affairs Institute
- 2013-present **Fellow** – International Affairs  
University of Waterloo, Balsillie School of International Affairs
- 2016-2019 **Fellow** – International Affairs  
Carleton University, Norman Paterson School of International Affairs

## SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

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- 2019-present **External Advisory Board**, Canadian Foreign Service Institute
- 2016-present **Reviewer:** *American Review of Canadian Studies*, *Canadian Journal of Political Science*, *Environmental Politics*, *European Journal of International Relations*, *International Affairs*, *Journal of Global History*, *Review of International Organizations*.

2011-2012    **Chair:** Goodenough College International Relations Society.

2010-2011    **Book Reviews Editor:** St. Antony's International Review.

**LANGUAGES**

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English, Intermediate French