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CURRENT ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Boston University, Boston MA

Assistant Professor, Pardee School of Global Studies 2017– present
Director, Global Decolonization Initiative 2020 – present
On Research Leave: 2020-21; Spring 2019

Harvard University, Cambridge MA

Ernest May Fellow in History & Policy, International Security Program 2020 – 21
Visiting Fellow, Weatherhead Initiative on Global History

FIELD SPECIALTIES

• U.S. foreign relations history • Global South Asia • Nuclear technologies • Connected partitions

PAST ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Dartmouth College, Dickey Center

Niehaus Fellow in U.S. Foreign Policy & International Security 2018 – 19

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Center for International Studies

Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Security Studies Program 2016 – 17

Harvard University, Belfer Center, International Security Program

Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Managing the Atom Project 2015 – 16
Stanton Nuclear Security Postdoctoral Fellow 2014 – 15

Yale University, Macmillan Center

Albert Gallatin Predoctoral Fellow, South Asian Studies Council Spring 2013

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in History, Graduate Institute Geneva, Switzerland

Summa cum laude with felicitations of the jury 2010 – 14
Committee: Jussi Hanhimäki (Supervisor), Francis J. Gavin, Isabelle Milbert

M.A. in Sociology, University of Paris IV-Sorbonne, France

Mention bien on degree; *Mention très bien* on thesis; Ile-de-France scholar 2009 – 10

B.A. & M.A., Political Science & International Relations, Jadavpur University, India

University gold medal for M.A. (2009) for outstanding academic achievement 2004 – 09
University gold medal for B.A. (2007) for outstanding academic achievement

BOOKS

- *Ploughshares & Swords: India's Nuclear Program in the Global Cold War.* Under contract with Cornell University Press.
- *Light Water Capitalism: The Rise & Fall of U.S. Global Power.* Manuscript in progress.
- *Partitions: A Global History of Violence.* Research in progress.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2020 Sarkar, J. "From the Dependable to the Demanding Partner: The Renegotiation of French Nuclear Cooperation with India, 1974-1980," *Cold War History*, advance access.
- 2019 Sarkar, J. "U.S. Policy to Curb West European Nuclear Exports, 1974-1978," *Journal of Cold War Studies*, Vol. 21, No. 2 (Spring): 110-149.
- Reviewed by Piers Ludlow in H-Diplo in April 2020: <https://hdiplo.org/to/AR942>
- 2019 Blarel, N. & **J. Sarkar**. "Sub-State Organizations as Foreign Policy Agents: New Evidence and Theory from India, Israel and France," *Foreign Policy Analysis*, Vol. 15, No. 2 (July): 413-431.
- Reviewed by Paul Staniland in H-Diplo in May 2020: <https://issforum.org/articlereviews/139-substate>
- 2018 Krige, J. & **J. Sarkar**. "U.S. Technological Collaboration for Nonproliferation: Key Evidence from the Cold War," *Nonproliferation Review*, Vol. 25 (3-4): 249-262.
- Winner of the 2018 McElvany Grand Prize
- 2018 Rabinowitz, O. & **J. Sarkar**. "'It Isn't Over Until the Fuel Cell Sings': A Reassessment of the US and French Pledges of Nuclear Assistance in the 1970s," *Journal of Strategic Studies*, Vol. 41 (1-2): 275-300.
- 2015 Sarkar, J. "The Making of a Nonaligned Nuclear Power: India's Proliferation Drift, 1964-1968," *International History Review*, Vol. 37 (5): 933-950.
- Reviewed by Sumit Ganguly in H-Diplo in 2016: <https://issforum.org/ISSF/PDF/ISSF-AR48.pdf>
- 2015 Sarkar, J. "'Wean them away from French tutelage': Franco-Indian nuclear relations and Anglo-American anxieties in the early Cold War, 1948-1952," *Cold War History*, Vol. 15 (3): 375-394.
- Featured in 2016 *French Historical Studies* and History of Science Society's 2016 *Isis* Bibliography on "Science and War"
- 2014 Sarkar, J. "Compatriotes de l'atome? La coopération nucléaire franco-indienne, 1950-1976," *Critique Internationale*, Vol. 63 (2): 131-149.
- 2013 Sarkar J. "India's Nuclear Limbo and the Fatalism of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Regime, 1974-1983," *Strategic Analysis*, Vol. 37 (3): 322-337.

JOURNAL ARTICLES IN PROGRESS

- Sarkar, J. "Nuclear Reaganomics: Capital and Lobbying for the U.S. Nuclear Industry after the Three Mile Island Accident," under preparation.
- Sarkar, J. "Frontiers to Battlefields to Borderlands: Connected Partitions in the Rohingya Question," under preparation.

BOOK CHAPTERS & FORUM PIECES

- 2020 Sarkar, J. "The Economic Strategies of U.S. Nonproliferation Policy during the Nixon-Ford Years," Forum: "A Political Economy of Global Security Approach," edited Rosella Cappella-Zielinski and Kaija Schilde, *Journal of Global Security Studies*, advance access.
- 2017 Sarkar, J. "Managing nuclear risk in South Asia – An Indian response," Forum edited by Lucien Crowder, *The Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists*, vol. 73, no. 1 (2017): 59-61.

- 2014 Sarkar J. “A Bullock Cart on Nuclear-Powered Wheels: Nuclear Science, Indigeneity and the National Development Narrative in India,” in *International Relations and the Global Politics of Science and Technology*, Vol. 2, edited by Maximilian Meyer et al, 21-30. Berlin and Heidelberg: Springer. [Editor reviewed]
- 2013 Sarkar J. “From the Peaceful Atom to the Peaceful Explosion: Indo-French nuclear relations during the Cold War, 1950-1974,” *Nuclear Proliferation International History Project Working Paper #3*, Woodrow Wilson Center. [Editor reviewed]

REVIEWS

- Book Review of ‘Global Development: A Cold War History’ by Sara Lorenzini. *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*. Anticipated.
- 2019 Book Roundtable for ‘Stopping the Bomb: The Sources and Effectiveness of US Nonproliferation Policy’ by Nicholas L. Miller, *H-Diplo/ISSF*.
- 2019 Book Review for ‘Japan, South Korea and the United States Nuclear Umbrella: Deterrence After the Cold War’ by Terence Roehrig, *Passport*.
- 2018 Article Review of ‘America, Britain and Pakistan’s Nuclear Weapons Programme, 1974-1980’ by Malcolm Craig, *H-Diplo*.
- 2017 Book Roundtable for ‘Sharing Knowledge, Shaping Europe: U.S. Technological Collaboration and Nonproliferation’ by John Krige. *H-Diplo/ISSF*.
- 2016 Article Review of ‘Accepting Regional Zero: Nuclear Weapon Free Zones, U.S. Nonproliferation Policy and Global Security, 1957-1968,’ by James Stocker. *H-Diplo/ISSF*.
- 2015 Book Roundtable for ‘Bargaining on Nuclear Tests: Washington and its Cold War Deals’ by Or Rabinowitz. *H-Diplo/ISSF*.
- 2014 Article Review of ‘New Delhi’s Long Nuclear Journey: How Secrecy and Institutional Roadblocks Delayed India’s Weaponization’ by Gaurav Kampani. *H-Diplo/ISSF*.
- 2014 Book Review of ‘Being Nuclear: Africans and the Global Uranium Trade,’ by Gabrielle Hecht. *British Journal for the History of Science*, Vol. 47 (2): 388-9.
- 2013 Book Review of ‘Entangled Geographies: Empire and Technopolitics in the Global Cold War,’ by Gabrielle Hecht. *British Journal for the History of Science*, Vol. 46 (2): 354-5.
- 2012 Book Review of *Nucleus and Nation: Scientists, International Networks and Power in India*, by Robert S. Anderson. *Strategic Analysis*, Vol. 36 (2012): 166-7.

RECENT COMMENTARY

- 2019 Sarkar, J. “How WWII Shaped the Crisis in Myanmar,” *The Washington Post*, Made by History, 10 March.
- 2018 Sarkar, J. “The Reaganomics of Nonproliferation in GOP behavior,” *Texas National Security Review* in Policy Roundtable on Does Reagan’s Foreign Policy Live On?, 09 October.
- 2018 **Sarkar, J.** & S. Ganguly. “India and the NPT after 50 Years,” *The Diplomat*, 22 June.
- 2018 Sarkar J. “Rohingyas and the Unfinished Business of Partition,” *The Diplomat*, 16 January.

- 2017 **Sarkar J.** & O. Rabinowitz. “Instead of sanctions or a military strike, the United States should embrace a third option for dealing with North Korea,” *The Washington Post*, Made by History, 21 Sep. 2017.
- 2017 Sarkar J. “Indian Nuclear History, Frozen in Time,” *Sources and Methods*, Woodrow Wilson Center’s History and Public Policy Blog, 22 June.
- 2017 Sarkar J. “Sino-Indian Nuclear Rivalry: Glacially Declassified,” *The Diplomat*, 9 June.

TEACHING

Boston University, Pardee School, MA, Assistant Professor 2017 – present

- History of International Relations since 1945 (IR350), *Undergraduate survey*
- History, Policy & Statecraft (IR539), *Upper-level Undergraduate and Graduate seminar*
- United States in South Asia since 1940 (IR377), *Undergraduate elective*
- International Nuclear Politics (IR315), *Undergraduate elective*
- Politics of Nuclear Weapons (IR522), *Upper-level Undergraduate and Graduate seminar*

Mentorship & Supervision

- Faculty Mentor for ~20 undergraduate and 5 graduate students
- Graduate Assistant: AJ Hassan (Spring 2019), Alexander Beatty (Fall 2019), Maria Caceres (Spring 2020)
- Ph.D. thesis committees: Sean Case (American Studies)
- M.A. thesis committees: William Ryan (2017), Spencer Phillips (2017), Florian Bodamer (2017), Bansari Kamdar (2018), Aseem Kulkarni (2020), Megda Bharadwaj (2020)
- B.A. honors thesis supervisor: Danielle Innocent (2018), Hansika Ramchandani (2017), Glenn Korman (2019)
- B.A. honors thesis committees: Aastha Thakkar (2018), Victoria Hempstead (2020)
- Directed Study: Nathaniel Graham (Spring 2020)
- UROP: Caitlyn Meyer (Fall 2020) Muskaan Khemani (Summer & Fall 2020); Lilly Bayly (Fall 2018)
- CAS Social Science Research Interns in Social Justice: Cristina Morrison & Ariana Thorpe (Fall 2020)
- Research interns of Global Decolonization Initiative (~12 students every semester, summer 2020 onward)
- Faculty Advisor to BU’s SAO-approved “Students for Decolonization,” 2020- present

Stonehill College, Easton, MA, Instructor Spring 2015

- Peace and Conflict Studies (POL 348), *Undergraduate*

Graduate Institute Geneva, Switzerland, Teaching Assistant 2011 – 14

- Doctoral Seminar I, Prof. Jussi Hanhimäki (HI013), *Doctoral*
- International & Transnational History, Profs. Jussi Hanhimäki & Davide Rodogno (HI001), *Graduate*
- U.S. Foreign Policy Since 1945, Prof. Jussi Hanhimäki (HI004), *Graduate*
- Nationalism, Prof. Andre Liebich (E045), *Graduate*
- Shining India: Development Policy Issues, Prof. Isabelle Milbert (HP029), *Graduate*
- United States in East Asia, Prof. Lanxin Xiang (HP022), *Graduate*
- Asian Security System, Prof. Lanxin Xiang (E064), *Graduate*

AWARDS, GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

- Hoover Institution Library & Archives, Research Grant, 2020-21
- Harvard University, Ernest May Fellowship in History and Policy, 2020-21
- Harvard University, Weatherhead Initiative on Global History Visiting Fellowship, 2020-21 (non-stipendiary)

- Harvard University Belfer Center ISP/MTA Research Fellowship, 2020-21 (declined)
- Stanford University CISAC Junior Faculty Fellowship in International Security, 2020-21 (declined)
- NSF Travel Grant, Society for History of Technology, 2019
- Boston University, Institute on Culture Religion & World Affairs (CURA) Fellowship, 2019-20
- Stanton Foundation Applied History Course Development Grant at Boston University (PI), 2019-20
- Grand Prize Winner of the Doreen and Jim McElvany Nonproliferation Challenge, 2018-19
- Dartmouth College, John Sloan Dickey Center, Research Grant, 2018-19
- Dartmouth College, U.S. Foreign Policy & International Security Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2018-19
- Charles Koch Foundation Grant for “Policy & Security Initiative” at Boston University, 2018-19 (declined)
- Boston University Pardee School Grant for Book Workshop, 2019
- Carnegie Corporation & University of Vienna, Nuclear History Grant, 2018
- Stanton Foundation Nuclear Politics Course Development Grant at Boston University (co-PI), 2017-18
- Swiss National Science Foundation, Project Completion Grant, 2016
- Swiss National Science Foundation, Gender Equality Grants, 2016, 2015
- NSF Travel Grant, History of Science Society, 2016
- EU COFUND Postdoctoral Fellowship at Cardiff University, Wales, UK, 2016-19 (declined)
- Swiss National Science Foundation, Postdoctoral Fellowship for MIT, 2016-18
- Gerald R. Ford Presidential Library, Research Grant, 2016
- Harvard University Belfer Center ISP/MTA Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2015-16
- Swiss National Science Foundation, Postdoctoral Fellowship for Harvard & Columbia Universities, 2014-16
- Stanton Foundation, Research Grant 2014-15
- Stanton Foundation Nuclear Security Postdoctoral Fellowship, Harvard University, 2014-15
- MacArthur Nuclear Security Postdoctoral Fellowship, CISAC, Stanford University, 2014-15 (declined)
- Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies, Research Fellowship, 2014
- Lyndon Baines Johnson Presidential Library, Moody Research Grant, 2013
- Albert Gallatin Pre-doctoral Fellowship in International Affairs at Yale University, 2013
- Hans Wilsdorf Foundation Doctoral Scholarship at Graduate Institute Geneva, 2010-11
- Regional Council of Paris Region Masters Scholarship at University of Paris-Sorbonne, 2009-10
- Jadavpur University gold medal for outstanding academic achievement in M.A. program, 2009
- Jadavpur University gold medal for outstanding academic achievement in B.A. program, 2007

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Op-Ed Project, Write to Change the World Seminar, Boston, MA, Mar. 9-10, 2019
 University of Cambridge, Clare College, SHAFR Summer Institute, Jul. 3-7, 2017
 Johns Hopkins University, SAIS, Teachers’ Workshop, Basin Harbor, VT, Jun. 5-9, 2017
 UC San Diego, IGCC, Public Policy and Nuclear Threats Boot Camp, La Jolla, CA, Jun. 19-29, 2016
 Syracuse University, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse, NY, Jun. 15-26, 2015
 Stanford University, CISAC, Nuclear History Bootcamp, Palo Alto, CA, Sep. 6-14, 2014
 University of Oslo, Summer Course on Nuclear Energy, Oslo, Norway, Jul. 23-27, 2012
 LSE-IDEAS European Cold War History Summer School, Trento, Italy, Sep. 5-8, 2012
 Woodrow Wilson Center-Nuclear History Bootcamp, Allumiere, Italy, Jun. 16-26, 2012

INVITED PRESENTATIONS AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

“Battlefield to Borderlands: Partitions and the Rohingya Question, 1942-1952”

- CURA Colloquium, 14 February 2020.
- Decolonization @ 60 Workshop, Pardee School, 18 March 2020 (organizer; cancelled due to COVID-19 pandemic)

“The Economics of American Nonproliferation Policy”

- Project on Political Economy of Security, 19 October 2018.

- Pardee School Research Seminar, 12 November 2018.

“Whack-a-Mole: American Policy to Curb Risky Nuclear Exports by Allies, 1974-1992”

- Research on Tap on War and Peace: Causes, Consequences, and Alternatives, 24 April 2018.
- Work-in-Progress Meeting, Center for the Study of Europe, 1 Mar. 2018.
- American Political History Institute Seminar, Department of History, 31 Jan. 2018.

“Nuclear Dominoes in Asia: The Tarapur Offer, the Chinese Explosion, and India’s Plutonium Plant, 1961-1964,” Director’s Lunchtime Talk, Center for the Study of Asia, 14 Mar. 2018.

“The Rohingya Crisis in Myanmar,” Beyond the Headlines Event, Pardee School of Global Studies, Feb. 26, 2018.

“Method to the Madness: The Art & Craft of Historical Inquiry,” Roundtable, Pardee School of Global Studies, 1st Nov. 2017.

“Jammu & Kashmir: Is Resolution Possible?,” Beyond the Headlines Event, Pardee School of Global Studies, 16 Oct. 2017.

Howard Thurman Center Student-Faculty Forum, Understanding North Korea and Possibilities from Diplomacy to Nuclear War, 11 Oct. 2017.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS OUTSIDE BOSTON UNIVERSITY

“The Ploughshares and Swords in India’s Nuclear Explosion of 1974”

- Harvard University, STS Circle, Program on Science, Technology and Society, , Nov. 30, 2020.
- Brown University, Center for Contemporary South Asia, International Security Seminar, Dec. 6, 2019.

“Decolonizing International Relations 101,” Panelist, Fletcher School, Tufts University, Nov. 6, 2020.

“The Global Department of Atomic Energy: Nuclear Technopolitics at Home and Abroad, 1946-1969,” Ashoka University, New Delhi, Conference on India’s International Relations, Jan. 31-Feb. 3, 2020.

“Battlefield to Borderlands: Partitions and the Rohingya Question, 1942-1952”

- South Asia Unbound Conference, Leeds and King’s College London, Mar. 2021
- AHA Annual Meeting, New York, NY, Jan. 3-6, 2020.
- AAS Annual Meeting, Boston, MA March 19-23, 2020 (cancelled due to COVID-19 pandemic)

“Light Water Capitalism: American Global Power through Nonproliferation”

- Harvard University, Weatherhead Initiative on Global History, Spring 2021
- Harvard University, Applied History Seminar, February 2021
- Harvard University, Managing the Atom Seminar, March 2021
- Williams College, Stanley Kaplan Program in American Foreign Policy, Mar. 5, 2020
- SHAFR Annual Meeting, Arlington, VA, Jun. 20-22, 2019.
- Purdue University, Remaking American Political History Conference, Jun. 6-7, 2019.
- Dartmouth College, IR Faculty Seminar, Hanover, NH, Feb. 8, 2019.
- LSE Seminar in Contemporary International History (HY510), London, Jan. 23, 2019.
- World Economic History Congress, Boston, MA, Jul. 29-Aug. 3, 2018.
- University of Sydney, “What is International History Now?” Workshop, Jul. 23-27, 2018.
- SHAFR Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, Jun. 21-23, 2018.

“Nuclear Dominoes in Asia: The Tarapur Offer, the Chinese Explosion, and India’s Plutonium Plant, 1961-1964”

- Harvard University, Asia Center Seminar on Science and Technology, Feb. 11, 2019.
- Brandeis University, AAS New England Regional Conference, Oct. 6, 2018.
- University of Toronto, “Going Nuclear: A Symposium on American Nuclear Politics,” Apr. 12, 2018.

“Learning from the Dragon: Indian Threat Assessment from Sino-US interactions during the Kennedy and Johnson administrations”

- Tobin Project Meeting on Reassessing Threat Assessments from the Early Nuclear Era, Oct. 20-21, 2017.
- Tobin Project Meeting on Reassessing Threat Assessments from the Early Nuclear Era, Aug. 28-29, 2018.

“Whack-a-Mole: American Policy to Curb West European Nuclear Exports, 1974-1978.”

- Jerusalem Workshop on Nuclear Studies, Hebrew University, Jul. 2-3, 2018.
- University of Cambridge, Clare College, SHAFR Summer Institute, Jul. 2017.
- ETH Zurich, Center for Security Studies, May 12, 2017.
- Graduate Institute Geneva, Department of International History, May 9, 2017.

“The Market and the Bomb: The Logic of U.S. Leverage on Friendly Nuclear Suppliers,” Georgetown University, Workshop on Regulating Knowledge Flows in the Global Age, Nov. 9-10, 2017.

“Archival Research in France and Switzerland,” Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Nuclear Proliferation International History Project’s Partner’s Meeting, Nov. 7-8, 2017.

“The French Connection: Transnational Linkages in India’s Atomic Energy Program under Postwar Controls, 1948-1954,” Workshop on French Nuclear History, CERI, Sciences Po Paris, May 5, 2017.

“Inconsistencies in the Indian Nuclear Narrative,” Workshop on New Nuclear Imaginaries, Harvard University’s Science, Technology and Society Program, Apr. 6-7, 2017.

“Atom After Empire: India’s Nuclear Program Under Postwar Controls, 1948-1954,” Workshop on Writing Transnational History of Science and Technology, Georgia Institute of Technology, Nov. 2-3, 2016.

“Control the Market, Contain the Bomb: U.S. Nonproliferation Leverage Toward Friendly Nuclear Suppliers,” MIT International Relations Work-in-Progress, Oct. 13, 2016.

“Neither Coercion nor Persuasion: U.S. Influence on Export Policy Shifts of Nuclear Suppliers,” Conference on Cooperation and Conflict in Nuclear Age, Yale University, Sep. 23-24, 2016.

“Best of Rivals to Best of Friends? The United States, France and the ‘Reliable Supplier’ Problem,” MIT Nuclear Weapons Working Group, Sep. 21, 2016. (with O. Rabinowitz)

“Nuclear Commerce and U.S. Nonproliferation Policy: Controversial Nuclear Assistance by Allies.”

- Harvard Kennedy School, Belfer Center, International Security Program Seminar, Apr. 7, 2016.
- Columbia University, Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, Mar. 30, 2016.

“The Nuclear Triangle: India Between France and the United States”

- Harvard Kennedy School, Belfer Center, Project on Managing the Atom Seminar, Feb. 24, 2016.
- Fletcher School Doctoral Conference, Tufts University, Sep. 18, 2015.

“India’s Proliferation Drift in the 1960s.”

- CASI Indian Security Studies Workshop, University of Pennsylvania Apr. 9-10, 2015.

- Harvard Kennedy School, Belfer Center, International Security Program Seminar, Dec. 18, 2014.
- Harvard Kennedy School, Belfer Center, Project on Managing the Atom Seminar, Nov. 5, 2014.
- Stanford University, CISAC, Palo Alto, CA, Sep. 6-14, 2014.
- University of Lausanne Conference on Nonalignment and Neutrals, Switzerland, Mar. 13-15, 2014.
- Yale University International Security Studies Colloquium, Nov.19, 2013
- Nuclear Studies Research Initiative, Austin, TX, Oct. 17-19, 2013.

“Wean Them Away from French Tutelage,” Centre for Policy Research Indian Diplomatic History Workshop, New Delhi, Mar. 9-10, 2015.

“U.S. Alliance Politics and the Supply Side of Nuclear Assistance: Franco-Pakistani and West German-Indian nuclear relations, 1973-1979,” Stanton Foundation Fellows Seminar, Washington, DC, Oct. 15-17, 2014.

“Nuclear Dissidents? Franco-Indian Nuclear Cooperation during the Cold War, 1950-1974,” GWU-LSE-UCSB Graduate Student Cold War Conference, Washington, D.C., Apr. 25-27, 2013.

“India’s Nuclear Limbo and the Nonproliferation Regime,” University of Sheffield Conference on US Power after the Vietnam War, UK, Oct. 5-6, 2012.

“Strategic Cultures and Foreign Policy Decision-Making: The Case of India and its Ties with Israel,” Sixth Annual Graduate Conference at Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Dec. 16, 2010.

PRESENTATIONS IN ANNUAL MEETINGS

(O=organizer, P=presenter, C=chair/commentator)

Since 2017-18 to present

- Association of Asian Studies: 2020 (P,O/ canceled due to COVID-19)
- American Historical Association: 2019 (P), 2020 (P, O)
- Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations: 2019 (P, O), 2018 (P, O)
- Society for the History of Technology: 2017 (P), 2019 (P)
- North American Conference on British Studies: 2020 (C)
- World Economic History Congress: 2018 (P)
- Association for Asian Studies New England Regional Conference: 2019 (P), 2018 (P)
- International Studies Association: 2018 (Px2, O)
- American Political Science Association: 2017 (P), 2019 (P)

Prior to joining Boston University in 2017-18

- Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations: 2017 (C), 2016 (P), 2015 (P,O), 2014 (P,O), 2013 (P,O)
- American Historical Association: 2015 (P,O)
- Society for the History of Technology: 2017 (P)
- History of Science Society: 2016 (P,O), 2014 (P,O), 2013 (P)
- International Studies Association: 2018 (Px2,O), 2017 (P,O), 2016 (Px2,C,O)
- International Studies Association International Conference: 2017 (P)
- International Studies Association’s ISSS-ISAC: 2015 (P,C)
- American Historical Association’s Pacific Coast Branch: 2013 (P)

ACADEMIC SERVICE

National and International

Professional Associations

- American Institute of Bangladesh Studies (AIBS)
 - Board of Trustees Member, 2020 – present
 - Outreach and Internships Committee Member, 2020 – present
- International Studies Association (ISA)
 - Officer-at-Large, South Asia in World Politics (SAWP) Section, Apr. 2018- Mar. 2020
- Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations (SHAFR)
 - Internationalization Task Force Member, 2020 – present
 - Nominated to stand for election to the SHAFR Council, 2020
 - Program Committee Member, 2019 Annual Meeting in Arlington, VA
 - Job Workshop Mentor, 2019 Annual Meeting in Arlington, VA
- Society for the History of Technology (SHOT)
 - Joan Cahalin Robinson Prize Committee Member for 2018-20

Manuscript Reviewer

Johns Hopkins University Press, *Cold War History*, *Journal of Cold War Studies*, *International Security*, *Cambridge Review of International Affairs*, *International Studies Perspectives*, *Nonproliferation Review*, *Historical Studies in the Natural Sciences*.

Grant & Fellowship Application Reviewer

American Academy of Berlin (2019), Carnegie Corporation of New York (2017),
Smith Richardson Foundation (2015)

At Boston University

- American Institute of Bangladesh Studies, University Representative, Oct. 2020- present
- Provost's Recruitment Committee Member, 2018- present
- Faculty Council on Equity and Inclusion Committee Member, 2017- present
- Marshal, Boston University marching group, Boston Pride Parade, Jun. 2018

At Boston University's Pardee School of Global Studies

- Tenure-track Faculty Search Committee (International Law & Organizations), 2019–20
- Tenure-track Faculty Search Committee (Security Studies), 2017–18
- General Education Committee Member, 02/2018 - present
- Research Seminar Co-Chair, 2017- present (with Mahesh Karra)
- Examiner, French Language Exams, 2019 – present
- Evaluator, MA Admissions, 2020 – present

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

History

American Historical Association
Historians of Twentieth-Century United States
Society for Advancing the History of South Asia
Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations
Society for the History of Technology

Interdisciplinary

Association for Asian Studies
International Studies Association
North American Conference on British Studies

LANGUAGES (*In alphabetical order*)

- Bengali: native
- English: native proficiency
- French: full professional proficiency (C1)
- German: basic (A1)
- Hindi: intermediate reading, writing and speaking
- Urdu: intermediate speaking