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OVERVIEW

The Judith Reppy Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies is an interdisciplinary program devoted to research and teaching on the problems of war and peace, arms control and disarmament, and more generally, instances of collective violence. Founded in 1970 as the Peace Studies Program with the support of the University’s Center for International Studies and the Program on Science, Technology and Society, the Institute was renamed in July 2010 to honor Judith Reppy for her dedication to the Institute over the decades. The Institute maintains an abiding interest in issues in science and security from its long-standing attention to nuclear non-proliferation to its current focus on the threat posed by chemical and biological weapons and on issues related to outer space surveillance. Institute members are also concerned with other security issues, among them ethnic conflict, human rights, regional security, terrorism, economics of national security, and international humanitarian law (laws of war).

The Reppy Institute is distinguished by its thoroughly interdisciplinary character and its emphasis on long-term policy issues. Both are essential for the Institute’s objective of investigating the intellectual foundations of security and the preservation of peace. This commitment motivates the research and training activities of faculty and post-doctoral fellows as well as graduate and undergraduate students associated with the Institute.

In July 2006 the program received a $1.86 million grant from the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation to continue research and training in the area of security and technology which the Foundation had supported in previous grants. In addition to providing salary and research support for George Lewis (Senior Research Associate, Reppy Institute), and Bharath Gopalaswamy and Wang, Ting (Postdoctoral Associates, Reppy Institute), the latest MacArthur grant has supported the research of Kathleen Vogel (Associate Professor, Science and Technology Studies) and a number of other activities. In 2011–12 several off-campus speakers were brought to campus to address technology and security issues and to present a talk during the Institute’s weekly seminar series.

The Institute hosted a two-day gala event in October 2011 to honor Peter Katzenstein, the Walter S. Carpenter, Jr. Professor of International Studies. Katzenstein’s former PhD students, as well as long-time colleagues and friends, participated in “PK Fest 2011.” See the special events section for additional information on this event.

Other Reppy Institute activities in 2011–2012 focused on the Institute’s central missions of supporting student and faculty teaching and research, cross-campus interactions, and off-campus outreach. Activities included weekly seminars (see Appendix A for a list of speakers and their titles), scheduled meetings of speakers with graduate students affiliated with the Institute (see Appendix B), and co-sponsorship of a number of speakers, symposia, and other special events with other campus groups (see Appendix C).
The Judith Reppy Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies seeks to encourage faculty and graduate student research and writing on problems of international peace and security, broadly defined. The research projects listed below were supported by a variety of sources including the MacArthur Foundation grant to the program and endowment income. The Institute continued to promote and facilitate graduate student professional development by hosting a series of small group meetings a practice initiated by Jonathan Kirshner in Spring 2009. These meetings provided the opportunity for graduate students to discuss their research projects with outside speakers. Jason Oaks, a government graduate student, hosted these small group meetings. For a list of 2011–2012 graduate student development activities see Appendix B.

Since Fall 2005, when Kathleen Vogel and George Lewis initiated a study group on Technology and Security, several visitors each year have come to the Cornell campus to speak on technology and security issues. During 2011–2012 these visitors gave a Reppy Institute seminar or spoke in the Bovay Program in the History and Ethics of Engineering seminar series. The list of study group speakers and topics in 2011–2012 are listed in Appendix D.

In 2011–2012 peace and conflict studies-related research activities included the individual research interests of these faculty:

**Allen Carlson**’s (Government) research interests include international relations, Chinese foreign policy, and Asian Security.

**Holly Case**’s (History) research interests include territorial revision and treatment of minorities; WWII; the history of European renewal and federative schemes; and the relationship between social policy and foreign relations. In 2011–2012 she had a 9-month fellowship at the Imre Kertész Kolleg in Jena, Germany to work on a monograph project, “Loaded Questions: The Link Between Eastern Europe’s Borders and Western Europe’s Social Policy in the 19th and 20th Centuries.”

**Matthew Evangelista**’s (Government) research interests include: “Bombing among Friends” (a project on the Allied bombing campaign in Italy during World War II); “The American Way of Bombing” (a project with Henry Shue); “The Geneva Conventions in Comparative Perspective” (a project with Nina Tannenwald); “Costs of War” (Brown University); and “Process Tracing” (a project with Andrew Bennett and Jeffrey Checkel).

**Peter Katzenstein**’s (Government) research includes projects on the financial crisis, civilization politics, soft power (law, popular culture, public diplomacy and religion), and America’s changing role in the world.

**Jonathan Kirshner**’s (Government) research interests focus on political economy and national security; and the politics of international money and finance. He will be on leave during the academic year 2012–2013 at Princeton University, where he will be the first World Politics Visiting Fellow at the Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies. He will work on research that considers American power and world politics after the financial crisis.

**Sarah Kreps**’ (Government) research interests include international relations;
security, political economy, and law; and nuclear proliferation.

**George Lewis**’ (Reppy Institute) research has focused on several issues involving ballistic missile defenses. A major focus of his work has been assessing the capabilities and limitation of the United States’ national missile defense system (known as the Ground-Based Midcourse, or GMD, system), now that most of the basic elements of that system are in place. In particular, he has focused on the testing program for the system, which has exposed several of its fundamental limitations. He has also been analyzing the capabilities of current and potential future sensor systems to support the European Phased Adaptive (EPAA) system that the United States is currently developing and building. His work indicates these sensors do not have the range and discrimination capabilities necessary to achieve the objectives of the EPAA system.

**Fredrik Logevall** (History; Director, Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies) works on the history of U.S. foreign relations.

**David Patel** (Government) is interested in Middle Eastern politics, Islamic institutions, and political culture. His research analyzes the recurrent ability of Islamic institutions to shape patterns of collective action. Instead of analyzing Islam as shared values or ideology, Patel combines game theory and ethnography to examine how Islamic institutions and symbols can provide individuals information that facilitates powerful political coordination and enhances social solidarity.

**Judith Reppy**’s (Science and Technology Studies) current research is focused on the impact of new military technologies, such as drones and robots, on military planning and organization. She continues to be interested in issues of dual use technology and government secrecy, and is also involved in a project based at the University of Copenhagen which is exploring the sources of expertise in security studies.

**Barry Strauss**’s (History) research interests include military and diplomatic history, maritime history, history of strategy, military sociology, and regional conflict (Mediterranean and East Asia).

**Kathleen Vogel** (Science and Technology) was on sabbatical leave in 2011–2012 as a Senior Fellow in the International Security Studies Program at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in Washington, DC. Her project at the Wilson Center involved creating a new unclassified dialogue between nongovernmental experts and intelligence analysts focused on issues of expertise and secrecy in intelligence assessments of weapons of mass destruction (WMD). The project formed unclassified study groups that examined how WMD assessments can involve an integrated synthesis of social and technical factors, drawing on important sources of unclassified information and methodologies. The goal of these study groups was to discuss new unclassified, multidisciplinary social science approaches to study WMD problems which can be useful to intelligence assessments. This project will continue over the coming years, and aims to provide information and expertise to improve the accuracy of WMD assessments in order to better inform U.S. national security policymaking.

In addition, Vogel continued work on her Carnegie Corporation of New York project on “Living Legacy: An Oral History of U.S.
and Soviet Bioweaponeers and Its Implications for Understanding Past, Present, and Future Biosecurity Threats.” She had grants from the Federation of American Scientists/Virtual Biosecurity Center and the Einaudi Center for her documentary project “The Anthrax Diaries.” The pilot documentary was shown at Cornell in spring 2012. Her work on this project continues. Vogel will be the Acting Director of the Reppy Institute for 2012–2013 while Jonathan Kirshner is on leave.

Wang, Ting (Reppy Institute) worked on modeling the space debris environment while he was a postdoctoral associate at Cornell. He was also interested in improving the accuracy of data from the U.S. space surveillance system. He is now a Postdoctoral Fellow at the Center for International Security and Cooperation (CISAC) at Stanford University.

Jessica Weeks’ (Government) research and teaching interests include international relations, international security, the links between domestic politics and foreign policy, and the domestic and international politics of authoritarian regimes.

A number of graduate students are writing or have just completed theses that are related to the research interests of the program. They include:

Seth Ackerman’s (History) dissertation title is “The Fall and Rise of the Cold War: American Politics and the Communist World, 1960–1980.” The dissertation asks how American political debate grappled with the emergence of détente with the Soviet Union, and examines the reciprocal influence of domestic and foreign politics during this period. In the 2011–2012 year, he continued his research and writing at the Library of Congress and National Archives in Washington, DC.

Claudine Ang’s (History) dissertation title is “Statecraft on the Margins: Drama, Poetry, and the Civilizing Mission in Eighteenth-Century Southern Vietnam.” She expects that her PhD will be conferred in August 2012 and she is now an Assistant Professor of Humanities (History) with the Yale-NUS College (a joint project of Yale University and the National University of Singapore). She will be a fellow of the Whitney Humanities Center at Yale University for the 2012–2013 academic year.

Fritz Bartel (History) is interested in the history of U.S. foreign relations in the mid-20th Century in relation to decolonization, global governance, and human rights.

Robert Braun’s (Government) research focuses on church-state relationships and collective violence. His dissertation project, “Pockets of Protection: Religious Networks, Bureaucratic Insulation and the differential Survival Rates of Jews in the Low Countries,” aims to explain the differential survival rates of Jews by conducting local-level comparisons in the Netherlands and Belgium. During 2011–2012 he conducted archival work in Den Haag, Amsterdam; Mechelen, Brussels; and numerous smaller cities in Belgium and Holland. This project is funded by the National Science Foundation, the American Association for Netherlandic Studies, the Cornell Institute for European Studies, and the Council for European Studies. In fall 2012 he will be a Saul Kagan fellow for advanced Shoah studies.

Danielle Cohen’s (Government) thesis title is “Mobilizing for Long-Term Crisis: Policy-
makers and Publics in China and Japan.” Her dissertation examines the development and the evolution of population policy in China and Japan. In particular, she explores how national elites in each country grapple with population as a major constitutive element of their national power. Her research elucidates how domestic institutions interact with international ideas to produce competing views of the relationship between population and power. Cohen was a visiting graduate student in the Department of Political Science and the University of California-San Diego in 2011–2012, and she will be there in 2012–2013.

**Brian Cuddy**’s (History) research interests include international law and U.S. foreign policy in the post-World War II era.

**Anna Dolidze**’s (Law) thesis title is “The Third Estate: *Amici Curiae* Interventions and the Politics of Knowledge in International Dispute-Resolution.” She is interested in the role of NGOs in international norm making. In particular, her dissertation focuses on the impact of *amicus curiae* interventions in the development of international norms by international tribunals. In 2012–2013 she will be a Visiting Assistant Professor of Law at the University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario; and a Joachim Hertz Fellow, Transatlantic Academy, German Marshall Fund of the United States, Washington, DC.

**Sinja Graf** (Government) works on the intersection of political theory and international law. Her thesis, tentatively entitled “Crimes against Humanity: A History of Punitive Power in International Politics,” investigates the development of crimes against humanity, focusing on the historical tensions between promoting a universal norm and the deployment of sovereign violence. Specifically, her dissertation studies historical situations in which sovereign actors justify their international policies by way of presenting themselves as agents of humanity apprehending a universal offender. Sinja will spend the coming academic year using her Bluestone Fellowship from the Reppy Institute to do her research on the early modern articulations of crimes against humanity, on the Nuremberg Trials, and on the contemporary role of international criminal law for justifications of humanitarian interventions.

**Darragh Hare** (Natural Resources) is interested in the threats that flow from interacting and interconnected socio-cultural and ecological crises. His research explores the dynamics of this crisis complex, and whether a trust-based system of multi-level governance might be capable of achieving outcomes that are desirable in both ecological and social terms.

**Matt Hill**’s (Government) research interests fall into two broad categories: the first is the intersection of culture, language and international security, with a particular focus on the relationship between political culture and strategic imaginaries in the Asia-Pacific; and the second is the international political economy of security, particularly with respect to the interaction of states and transnational economic actors in the defense industry.

**Maeve Kane**’s (History) thesis title is “They That Made the Men: Clothing, Sovereignty and Women’s Work in Iroquoia, 1600–1850.” Using quantitative economic data, contemporary art, existing clothing, archaeological objects and archival sources, Kane argues that the purchasing choices of Iroquois women played a pivotal role in shaping their nations’ engagement with aggressively expanding colonial settlements,
in preserving distinct tribal identities in the face of military and political pressure, and in crafting a modern indigenous community with traditional values.

**Igor Logvinenko**’s (Government) dissertation is in the field of international political economy of financial globalization, with a focus on the politics of authoritarianism in emerging economies, like Russia and China. He is trying to understand how these regimes reconcile the dilemmas of simultaneous outward economic openness and severe political restrictions at home. He explains that having a better understanding of these issues is crucial to properly evaluating the security implications of the emergence of the new global powers. His thesis title is “Open Economies, Closed Politics: Financial Internationalization in Hybrid Regimes.” He was conducting field research for his dissertation in Russia, Kazakhstan, and China during 2011–2012, and will be in residence at the Cornell-in-Washington Center, in Washington, DC in 2012–2013.

**Hajimu Masuda**’s (History) thesis title is “Whispering Gallery: War and Society During the Korean War and the Social Constitution of the Cold War, 1945–1953.” He completed his PhD in January 2012.

**Ilil Naveh-Benjamin**’s (Science and Technology Studies) thesis title is “Evidence and Oversight in Humanitarian Mental Health Interventions in Israel and Palestine.” Her dissertation focuses primarily on the challenges of implementing and overseeing humanitarian mental health interventions in Israel and Palestine. Several formal and informal humanitarian consortiums and research groups have been forming in recent years, working to demonstrate and improve the efficacy and transparency of mental health interventions. She examines the questions their efforts generate regarding what mental health means in conflict zones, what role practitioners should take with respect to human rights violations, what needs exist, and what expertise is required to address them. She relates these debates to the daily workings of several mental health projects in NGOs operating in Israel and the West Bank. In spring 2012 she was in Israel and Palestine conducting fieldwork.

**Jason Oaks**’ (Government) thesis title is “Domestically Driven Security Dilemmas and China’s Bilateral Security Relationships.” Oaks was the Reppy Institute Director’s Fellow in 2011–2012 and hosted the small group meetings with graduate students and visiting speakers. He was an active participant in Reppy Institute seminars and activities. He will be in absentia in 2012–2013 doing field work.

**Máté Rigó**’s (History) thesis title is “Money, Reconstruction, Borderlands, Social and Economic Restructuring in Alsace-Lorraine and Transylvania following World War I.” He is interested in conflicts in the borderlands in Europe, especially Alsace-Lorraine and Transylvania, 1918–1948.

**Elton Skendaj**’s (Government) thesis title is “Building State Bureaucracies and Democratic Institutions: The Role of International Actors in Kosovo.” He completed his PhD in August 2011, and has accepted a Visiting Professor position in the Political Science Department at Florida International University.

**Maria Sperandei**’s (Government) thesis title is “Crashing on Security: How Financial Crises Influence Military Spending, Threat Assessment, and War Prospect.” She is
interested in how financial and economic factors affect national security decisions, including the decision to wage or abstain from war, the establishment of the national defense budget, and the pursuit of an aggressive or peaceful foreign policy. During 2011–2012, she had a World Politics and Statecraft Fellowship from the Smith-Richardson Foundation.

Silvana Toska (Government) was an exchange scholar at Harvard during the 2011–2012 academic year, while continuing her work on her dissertation on “Domino Theory of Revolutions: Causes and Consequences for International Politics.” While her dissertation provides a theory for the spread of revolutions broadly, she focuses more closely on the “Arab Spring.” During the winter break, she spent six weeks in Lebanon and in the 2012–2013 academic year she will be in Cairo, Egypt conducting dissertation research and writing.

Benjamin Wang’s (Science and Technology Studies) thesis is “Contaminated Landscapes: Explosive Remnants of War in Sudan.” His research interests focus on examining the social, technological, and environmental dimensions of clearing landmines and other explosive remnants of war in Sudan. He interned at the U.S. Department of State’s Bureau of Political Military Affairs, Office of Weapons Removal and Abatement; and he received the State Department’s Franklin Award for his service during the Libyan crisis.

Nicole Weygandt (Government) is interested in issues related to energy security, from both an exporting and importing country perspective, as well as the resource curse and the effects that oil revenues or endowments have on a state’s propensity to enter into international conflict.

Pablo Yanguas’ (Government) defended his PhD dissertation, “The Anatomy of State-Building Assistance: Aid Promises and Donor Politics in War-Torn Africa,” in June 2012. His research interests include the politics of state reconstruction after civil war; the use of foreign aid to induce institutional changes in post-conflict settings; and security sector reform, with a regional focus on sub-Saharan Africa.

SPECIAL EVENTS

The Reppy Institute hosted these special events at Cornell University in 2011–2012:

On October 14–15, 2011 Peter Katzenstein’s former PhD students, colleagues, and friends participated in PK Fest 2011. Papers that reflected the influence of his research agenda over the years were presented by more than 30 of his former students and discussed in six panels. See Appendix E for the program or go to http://pacs.einaudi.cornell.edu/pkfest, where there are links to the papers that were presented.

During the event the Peter Katzenstein Book Prize in Government was announced. The prize will be awarded annually to the person writing an outstanding first book in International Relations, Comparative Politics, or Political Economy. The first award will be given for a book published in 2012 and will be given in 2013 in honor of Peter’s 40th year at Cornell. The Katzenstein Prize has been made possible by the generous support of Peter’s colleagues, collaborators, and former students. For further details about the prize
On November 28, 2011, the Reppy Institute hosted a delegation of three representatives from the Observer Research Foundation (ORF) of India, accompanied by Kapil Wadhawan (Chairman of the Wadhawan Group, and Executive Director on the board of the Dewan Housing Finance Corporation Ltd). A panel discussion on “India and 21st Century Challenges” included presentations by Wadhawan, Sunjoy Joshi (Director of the ORF), and Samir Saran (ORF Vice President for Development and Outreach). Further details about the event are given in Appendix F.

VISITORS

Our visitors in 2011–2012:

**James M. Acton**, an associate in the Nuclear Policy Program at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, was a visitor from February 2010. His affiliation as a visiting scholar continued through September 2011.

**Milagros Álvarez-Verdugo**, an associate professor from the Universitat de Barcelona, was a visitor in July 2011. During that time she finished a paper titled “Towards the Harmonization of National Measures on Nuclear Exports Controls,” which has been submitted to the *Revista Española de Derecho Internacional*. She was invited to deliver a keynote speech on the issue at a conference on “A World without Walls 2011—Promoting Peace and Stability in the Mediterranean: An International Peace building Congress,” organized by the Institute of Cultural Diplomacy in Barcelona (September 22–25, 2011). Milagros returned to Ithaca in July 2012 and will be a visiting scholar at Cornell for 2012–2013.

**Valère P. (Chip) Gagnon, Jr.**, Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Politics, Ithaca College, is a long-term visiting scholar in the Reppy Institute. He is working on a multi-year interdisciplinary project on Post-Conflict Studies based at the Reppy Institute, “Establishing Post-Conflict Studies as a Field of Study.” He is currently working on an edited volume by participants in our two post-conflict studies workshops (November 2008 and April 2010). He is also working on two other projects. One is a book project on the role of U.S. NGOs in promoting democracy in the Balkans, including parallels with traditional Christian missionary work; and the other further develops the theoretical framework of his book *The Myth of Ethnic War*, focusing on conflictual policies as a strategy of political demobilization.

**Bharath Gopalaswamy**, postdoctoral associate with the Reppy Institute between Fall 2007 and Fall 2009, when he left for a research position at the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute. He returned to Cornell in Fall 2010 as a visiting scholar with the Reppy Institute. In September 2011, he took a position as Associate Director of the Program in Arms Control Disarmament and International Security (ACDIS) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

**Changhong Qu**, an engineer from the Institute of Structural Mechanics of the Chinese Academy of Engineering Physics (CAEP) was a visiting scholar with the Institute during the fall of 2011. While at Cornell his research focused on issues of missile defense, weaponization of outer space, and
nuclear arms reduction. He worked closely with George Lewis.

Stefan Senders, who received his PhD in anthropology from Cornell University, has been a visiting scholar with the Peace Studies Program since 2007–2008, and his affiliation with the Reppy Institute will continue in 2012–2013. His research focuses on post-conflict studies. He also serves as the Cornell undergraduate Fulbright advisor and will continue in this advisory position in 2012–2013.

Wang, Ting was a postdoctoral associate with the Reppy Institute from Fall 2009–2011. He worked on modeling the space debris environment and was interested in anti-satellite weapons. In Fall 2011 he took a position as a Post-doctoral Fellow at the Center for International Security and Cooperation (CISAC), Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies at Stanford University.

**GRADUATE STUDENT SUPPORT**

One of the central missions of the Reppy Institute is to support graduate student training and research, and to this end a number of fellowships, including a stipend, health insurance, and full tuition, as well as teaching assistantships, are awarded each year.

The Institute’s endowments and the grant from the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation provided student fellowships during the 2011–2012 year. The Graduate School supplements Institute funding by providing full tuition to graduate students receiving the Long Fellowship and by providing a portion of the tuition for those receiving fellowships and teaching assistantships from the Institute’s MacArthur Foundation grant. The Jesse F. and Dora H. Bluéstone Peace Studies Fellowships, awarded by the Institute, are made possible with full funding from the Graduate School.

**Support from the MacArthur Grant**

The MacArthur Foundation grants have provided fellowships to graduate students for many years. Students funded in 2011–2012 are listed below with their field and thesis.


**Aaron Law** (History), “Rollback: Anti-Soviet Institutions, Émigrés, and Ideas for Liberating the Nations of East-Central Europe.”

**Ilil Naveh-Benjamin** (Science & Technology Studies), “Psychotherapy Meets Humanitarian Aid: Psychosocial Interventions in Israeli Conflict Zones.”

**Máté Rigó** (History), “From ‘Gamekeeping’ to ‘Gardening States’.”

Students given summer 2012 support are:

**Gaurav Kampani** (Government).

**Ilil Naveh-Benjamin** (Science and Technology Studies).

Graduate students awarded fellowships from the MacArthur grant for 2012–2013 are:

Brian Cuddy (History), “Law, War, and World Politics from World War II to the Present.”


Darragh Hare (Natural Resources), “The Crisis Complex: A Challenge for Scholarship and Policy.”

Jason Oaks (Government), “Public Opinion, Identity, and Foreign Policy in China.”


Nicole Weygandt (Government) assisted Peter Katzenstein with “American Foreign Policy” (GOVT 3857).

In Spring 2012, in cooperation with the Einaudi Center for International Studies Travel Grant Program, awards were given to:

Max Ajl (Development Sociology) and to Liron Mor (Comparative Literature).

**Graduate Student Development**

The MacArthur grant also provides the funding for small group meetings with outside visitors to provide opportunities for graduate student professional development. See Appendix B for a list of these 2011–2012 meetings.

A new initiative begun in the spring of 2011 selected graduate students to be Reppy Institute Graduate Fellows. The Fellows receive a small stipend, and funding to invite and host a seminar speaker each semester.

The Reppy Fellows for 2011–2012 were:

Katrina Browne (Government), Brian Cuddy (History), Anna Dolidze (Law), Michael Genkin (Sociology), Sinja Graf (Government), Julie Jacoby (History), Jason Oaks (Government), Benjamin Wang (Science and Technology Studies), and Pablo Yanguas (Government). Jason Oaks was the Director’s Fellow and coordinated the Fellow’s meetings.

Those selected for 2012–2013 are:

Michael “Fritz” Bartel (History), Brian Cuddy (History), Joseph Florence (Government), Michael Genkin (Sociology), Sinja
Graf (Government), Darragh Hare (Natural Resources), Matt Hill (Government), Gaurav Kampani (Government), and Jake Nabel (Classics). Sinja Graf will be the Director’s Fellow.

Graduate School Continuing Fellowships

Each year the Cornell University Graduate School provides the tuition, stipend, and health insurance funding for a Bluestone Peace Studies Fellowship awarded by the Reppy Institute. These fellowships for graduate students who have passed their A exams are made possible through the Jesse F. and Dora H. Bluestone Scholarship Fund. Selected for Bluestone Peace Studies Fellowships for the academic year 2011–2012 was:

Sylvana Toska (Government), “When do Dominos Fall, and When do They Stand Still?”

The graduate student selected to receive the Bluestone Peace Studies Fellowship in 2012–2013 is:


Marion & Frank Long Endowment Fund

The Marion and Frank Long Endowment Fund was established in 1993 to enhance the program’s ability to support graduate training in peace studies in future years. Frank Long was one of the founders of the Peace Studies Program, and served as director and as a member of the steering committee for many years. The endowment fund was established following the death in 1992 of his wife, Marion. Frank passed away in February 1999. The next time the award will be given will be for the 2013–2014 academic year.

Scott Travel Grants

In Summer 2006 the program announced the establishment of a new travel grants program in honor of Elaine Scott’s twenty years of service to the program and its members. The fund provided Cornell University graduate students with travel support for research or conferences within the United States. The fund provided small grants through an annual application process each spring. In Spring 2011 awards were given to:

Katrina Browne (Government), Brian Cuddy (History), and Janice Gallagher (Government).

In Spring 2012 the awards in this fund were awarded to:

Robert Braun (Government); Katrina Browne (Government), Brian Cuddy (History), Janice Gallagher (Government), Igor Logvinenko (Government), and We Jung Yi (East Asian Literature).

DEGREE RECIPIENTS

Several students affiliated with the Institute completed advanced degree requirements during the year. Those receiving PhDs were:

August 2011
Jamie Bleck (Government), “Schooling Citizens: Education, Citizenship, and Democracy in Mali”;
Damien Mahiet (Musicology), “The Concert of Nations: Music, Political Thought and Diplomacy in Europe, 1600s–1800s”;

Elton Skendaj (Government), “Building State Bureaucracies and Democratic Institutions: The Role of International Actors in Kosovo”; and


January 2012

Dmitry Epstein (Communication), “The Duality of Information Policy Debates: The Case of the Internet Governance Forum”;

Mukti Lakhi (English), “Contextual Universalisms: Indigenous Discourses of Human Rights and Modernity in India and South Africa”; and


May 2012

Michael Bobick (Anthropology), “Performativity of Sovereignty: State Formation in the Transnistrian Moldovan Republic”;

Meg Gardinier (Education), “From Global Projects to Classroom Practice: The Localization of Democratic Citizenship Education in Post-Communist Albania”;

Lucia Seybert (Government), “The Trouble with ‘Returning to Europe’: New European Union Members’ Reluctant Embrace of Nuclear Safety and Minority Rights”; and

Keith Tidball (Natural Resources), “Greening in the Red Zone: Valuing Community-Based Ecological Restoration in Human Vulnerability and Security Contexts.”

Those receiving Master of Arts degrees were:

August 2011:

Sean Fear (History);
Janice Gallagher (Government); and
Silvana Toska (Government).

January 2012

Sinja Graf (Government);
Aleksander Matovski (Government);
Máté Rigó (History); and
Anna Young (Government).

May 2012

Audrey Comstock (Government);
Brian Cuddy (History); and
Martha Wilfahrt (Government).

HARROP & RUTH FREEMAN PRIZE & FELLOWSHIPS

In 1984 the Harrop and Ruth Freeman Prize was established to honor Ruth Freeman, who was the first woman member of the faculty of the College of Arts and Sciences. The prize goes to a graduating Cornell University senior who has demonstrated a commitment to working for world peace. Ruth died in April 1988 and Harrop in October 1993. A bequest from the Freemans insures that future Cornell students will be recognized for their achievements and continuing work in peace activities.
The annual Harrop and Ruth Freeman Prize of $2500 was awarded in Spring 2012 to:

Christopher “Kit” Dobyns (Africana Studies/Inequality Studies, College of Arts & Sciences).

The program also awards Harrop and Ruth Freeman Fellowships to Cornell University undergraduates to support their summer internships. The student receiving a fellowship for Summer 2011 was:

Christopher “Kit” Dobyns (junior, Africana Studies/Inequality Studies, College of Arts & Sciences), to work with the QuadPara Association in Durban, South Africa.

The students receiving Freeman Fellowships for their Summer 2012 internships were:

David Bishop (Near Eastern Studies College of Arts and Sciences), for his internship with Caritas Jordan; and

Justin Tyvoll (Philosophy and History, College of Arts and Sciences), for his internship with the Enough Project in Washington, DC.

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

The weekly Reppy Institute seminar is the central activity of the Institute, bringing together interested faculty, staff, and students from all parts of the university, as well as townspeople. Attendance averages 25–30 persons and is sometimes much higher. The program of seminars for 2011–2012 was organized by Jonathan Kirshner. The list of seminar speakers and their topics is given in Appendix A.

The Reppy Institute hosted many visitors who came to Ithaca to participate in other Institute activities, and co-sponsored events that were open to faculty and students from all parts of the university. The Institute also provided support to student groups, departments, and other programs on campus, who hosted additional events that were of interest to peace and conflict studies participants. See Appendix C.

COURSES

The Reppy Institute has sought to be a catalyst in curriculum development, encouraging faculty throughout Cornell University to increase the attention paid in their courses to issues of war and peace. Institute members also stimulate interest in this subject through the numerous guest lectures they give in a wide variety of college courses. These guest lectures are not included in this listing.

In 2011–2012 the following faculty and graduate students affiliated with the Institute taught or assisted in Cornell University courses related to peace and conflict studies:

Noelle Brigden: Freshman Writing Seminar, Power & Politics, Drug Wars (GOVT 1101).

Valerie Bunce: Authoritarian Regimes (GOVT 3262).

Allen Carlson: China and the World (GOVT 3827); New Forces in International Politics (GOVT 3957); Asian Security (GOVT 4877); and Unifying while Integrating: China in the World (GOVT 4827/6827).

Brian Cuddy: Teaching Assistant, The Cold War (GOVT 3837), taught by Matthew Evangelista.
Matthew Evangelista: The Cold War (GOVT 3837); and International Law, War, and Human Rights (GOVT 6867).

Gustavo Flores-Macias: War and the State (GOVT 4403).

Trivini Gandhi: Teaching Assistant, Issues behind the News (GOVT 3553), taught by Nicolas van de Walle.


Julie Jacoby: Freshman Writing Seminar, Humanitarian Aid in the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries (HIST 1140).

Maeve Kane: Teaching Assistant, America at War to 1898 (HIST 1581), taught by Jon Parmenter.

Peter Katzenstein, Introduction to International Relations (GOVT 1817); and American Foreign Policy (GOVT 3857).


Sarah Kreps: Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies (GOVT 3937); and Field Seminar in International Relations (GOVT 6067).

Liron Mor: Freshman Writing Seminar, Writing across Cultures: Pain and Compassion—The Conflict in Israel/Palestinian Literature (COMP LIT 1109).

Ilil Naveh-Benjamin, Teaching Assistant, Ethics and the Environment (STS 2061), taught by Sara Pritchard.

Yuri Orlov: Human Rights and Governments (GOVT 4000).

Jon Parmenter: America at War to 1898 (HIST 1581).


Máté Rigó: Teaching Assistant, History of Terrorism (HIST 2690), taught by Claudia Verhoeven.

Elizabeth Sanders: Causes and Consequences of US Foreign Policy (GOVT 4142/6142).

Claudia Verhoeven: History of Terrorism (HIST 2690).

Nicolas van de Walle: Issues behind the News (GOVT 3553).

Christopher Way: The Causes of War (GOVT 3867).

Nicole Weygandt: Teaching Assistant, American Foreign Policy (GOVT 3857), taught by Peter Katzenstein.

A complete listing of peace studies-related courses taught at Cornell University can be found online in the course database on the Institute’s website.

In addition to offering the above courses, faculty supervised a number of senior honors theses and independent study projects, served on graduate student committees and were involved with students in other ways. Matthew Evangelista taught Modern European Politics (GOVT 3323) at Cornell-in-Turin, Italy in summer 2012. Jonathan Kirshner oversaw the Reppy Institute
Fellows program and in fall 2011 Judith Reppy hosted the annual dinner for the incoming Reppy Fellows.

**OCCASIONAL PAPER SERIES**

The most recent program occasional papers are available on the program’s web site at [http://pacs.einaudi.cornell.edu/publications](http://pacs.einaudi.cornell.edu/publications).

Hard copies of many occasional papers are available from the program for a small fee to cover duplication and shipping. Details are available on the program web site at [http://pacs.einaudi.cornell.edu/publications_mail_order](http://pacs.einaudi.cornell.edu/publications_mail_order).

The program is a participant in Columbia International Affairs Online (CIAO), which publishes everything from journal articles and working papers to whole books and the proceedings of conferences in the field of international affairs. The Peace Studies Program’s Occasional Papers, beginning with #21, *The Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty: Issues and Answers*, Matthew McKinzie, ed. (June 1997) are posted on CIAO. See their web site at [http://www.ciaonet.org](http://www.ciaonet.org).

We are also a partner institute of the International Relations and Security Network (ISN), which is run by the Center for Security Studies (CSS) at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH Zurich), Switzerland. See their web site at [http://www.isn.ethz.ch](http://www.isn.ethz.ch).

**PUBLICATIONS BY PROGRAM MEMBERS**

Institute members, both faculty and graduate students, produced many publications in 2011–2012. We list here only those related to peace and conflict studies.

**Robert Braun**


**Allen Carlson**


**Holly Case**


Anna Dolidze


“Burger, Without Spies, Please: Notes from a Human Rights Researcher,” Voices 14 (2009), reprinted in Law and Order, Cynthia Nitz Ris (2011); and


Matthew Evangelista
“Revisiting the Helsinki Principles: Are They Still Relevant to European Security?” in Crisis and Change: The Geopolitics of Global Governance, Simona Beretta and Roberto Zoboli, eds. (Milan: Vita e Pensiero, 2012); and


Maeve Kane

Peter Katzenstein
“Civilizational States, Secularisms and Religions,” in Rethinking Secularism, Craig Calhoun, Mark Juergensmeyer, Jonathan Van Antwerpen, eds. (New York: Oxford University, 2011), pp. 145–65;


“The West as Anglo-America” (pp 1–30) and “Many Wests and Polymorphic Globalism,” (pp 207–47) in Anglo-America and Its Discontents: Civilizational Identities beyond West and East, Peter Katzenstein, ed.
volume 3 of a trilogy on civilizational politics in world affairs (New York: Routledge, February 2012); and


**Jonathan Kirshner**


**Sarah Kreps**


**George Lewis**


**Fredrik Logevall**

*A People and A Nation: A History of the United States*, 9th ed., co-authored with Mary Beth Norton et al. (Houghton Mifflin, 2011);

“Vietnam’s Role in the Transformation of the Cold War,” *Lengzhan guojishi yanjiu* [Journal of Cold War International History Studies] (Fall 2011);

“Introduction,” roundtable review of *Leaders at War: How Presidents Shape Military Interventions*, *H-Diplo* 3:8 (January 2012);

America’s Cold War: The Politics of Insecurity, co-authored with Campbell Craig (Belknap Press/Harvard University Press, 2009; paperback 2012);

“The Paradox of Civility,” in *Civility and Democracy in America*, Richard Elgar, ed. (Washington State University Press, 2012);

*Embers of War: The Fall of an Empire and the Making of America’s Vietnam* (Random House, forthcoming, August 2012); and


**Hajimu Masuda**

53,” *Journal of Contemporary History*, 47: 3 (July 2012), pp. 551–571; and


**Barry Strauss**  

**Jessica Weeks**  

**OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Members of the Reppy Institute have been active in public outreach, attending scholarly conferences, giving guest lectures at Cornell University and at other universities, and speaking to public groups. They have testified before Congress, served as consultants to the government, spoken at public meetings, and served on the boards of organizations concerned with peace and arms control. This public service is undertaken by members acting as individuals, but they are able to draw on resources of the Institute in preparing talks and for other material. A representative list of members’ peace studies-related activities follows.

**Robert Braun**  
Honorable mention, Elise Boulding Graduate Paper Competition of the Peace, War and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association; and Honorable Mention, Dirk Berg-Schlosser Award of the European Consortium for Political Research.

**Holly Case**  

Paper, “Loaded Questions: How the Geopolitics of East-Central Europe was Linked to the Social Politics of Western Europe in the 19th Century,” presented at the research colloquium on “New Perspectives in Southeastern and Eastern European History,” Südost-Institut, Regensburg, Germany (January 20, 2012); and

**Danielle Cohen**  

**Anna Dolidze**  
Rapporteur, Third World Approaches to International Law 4th Conference, “Capitalism and the Common Good,” University of Oregon Law School, Eugene, OR (October 22–23, 2011);

Presentation, “Citizenship Flexibilization: Citizenship Politics in the Age of Post-nationalism,” Norwegian Institute for Inter-
national Relations, Oslo, Norway (December 2–4, 2011);


Presentation, “Normative Underpinnings of the International Regime on Property Restitution to IDPs and Refugees,” Junior International Law Scholars Association Annual Meeting, University of Georgia Law School, Athens, GA (February 10, 2012);


Convener and moderator, 1st Interdisciplinary Graduate Panel on Human Rights, Cornell Advocates for Human Rights, Cornell University Law School (March 16, 2012); and


Matthew Evangelista
Member, joint project of Cornell/Scottish Institute for Advanced Studies, “Beyond Diversity: Resituating Pluralism,” organized by Prof. Karim-Aly Kassam;

Member, Foreign Policy Network, Einaudi Center for International Studies;

Radio interview, KPFA San Francisco, on the “Costs of War”

Project discussant, panel on “Process Tracing,” American Political Science Association annual meeting, Seattle, WA (September 1, 2011);

Participant, Round Table on “International Humanitarian Law and New Weapon Technologies,” Sanremo, Italy (September 8–11, 2011);


Organizer, with Jonathan Kirshner, PK Fest 2011, Cornell University (October 14–15, 2011);

Panel Chair: “India and 21st Century Challenges,” Cornell University (November 28, 2011);

Paper, “Explaining the Cold War’s End: Process Tracing All the Way Down?” Georgetown University, Washington, DC (March 2–3, 2012);

Lectures, series on “Ethics and Globalization,” Catholic University of Milan (March 20–21, 2012);

Lecture, “Gender and Nationalist Violence,” Bates College, Lewiston, ME (April 23, 2012);

Keynote address, “How Scientists Helped End the Cold War,” conference on Pugwash History, Vienna (May 10, 2012);

Interviewed for program, “Dimensionen - die Welt der Wissenschaft” on the history of the Pugwash movement, Radio Österreich, Vienna (May 16, 2012);

Lectures, series on “Global View: Russia/USA,” University of Bologna (May 16–24, 2012); and

Lecturer, Nuclear Proliferation International History Project’s annual Nuclear Boot Camp, Rome, Italy (June 2012).

Valère P. (Chip) Gagnon, Jr.
“How to (De)mobilise Citizens—An interview with Chip Gagnon,” by Gezim Krasniqi and Igor Stiks of the project “The Europeanisation of Citizenship in the Successor States of the Former Yugoslavia (CITSEE),” based at the University of Edinburgh (Scotland) School of Law, published in CITSEE’s online publication Citizenship in Southeastern Europe (October 2011);

Paper, “Political Science and the Yugoslav Dissolution: The Evolution of a Discipline,” presented at the conference, “Debating the End of Yugoslavia,” Centre for Southeast European Studies, Karl-Franzens-University Graz, Austria (November 2011);

Lecture, “Peace and Conflict in the Balkans,” Department of Anthropology Seminar, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY (February 2012); Discussant, panel on “Nation-Building and Symbols in West Balkan States, II: The Cases of Albania and Kosovo;” and presenter/discussant, book panel on Roger Petersen’s Western Intervention in the Balkans: The Strategic Use of Emotion on Conflict (Cambridge 2011), at the annual meeting of the Association for the Study of Nationalities, New York, NY (April 2012); and


Sinja Graf
Panelist, 1st Interdisciplinary Graduate Panel on Human Rights, Cornell Advocates for Human Rights, Cornell University Law School (March 16, 2012);

Matt Hill
Editor and Contributor, Languages of Security in the Asian Pacific, a cross-national study exploring how socially-specific understandings of international and domestic security shape the evolution of strategic interactions at the state and sub-state level; and


Maeve Kane
Presentation, “Four Hands of Long Cloth: Iroquois War and Trade in the Seventeenth
Century,” Americas Colloquium, Cornell University (September 2011); and
Presentation, “Agency in Iroquois Trade during the Seven Years’ War,” Conference on Iroquois Research, Cornwall, Canada (October 2011).

Peter Katzenstein

Paper giver and discussant, Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (September 1–3, 2011);

Participant, Cornell roundtable discussion, “Nuke New York: Relocating Ground Zero from Hiroshima to New York” (September 6, 2011);

Lecture, “America in Decline? A Glimpse into Our Future,” Cornell International Affairs Review (September 7, 2011);

Lecture, “Your Money at Risk: The Global Financial Crisis of 2011,” Becker House Café Series, Cornell University (October 5, 2011);

Lecture, “Anglo-America in World Politics,” Political Science Department, University of Wisconsin (November 11, 2011);


Lecture, “Lost in Translation? The Transnational Movement of Law,” with Benjamin Brake, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL (January 6, 2012); at the Cornell Law School (February 13, 2012); as a seminar at Wissenschaftszentrum, Berlin (March 30, 2012); as a paper presentation with Benjamin Brake at the International Studies Association meeting, San Diego (April 3, 2012); as a seminar at UCLA, Law School (April 4, 2012); and as a paper presented at the conference on “Globalization the Next Twenty Years” at Indiana University, Bloomington (April 5–6, 2012);

Lecture, “Beyond Huntington: Civilizations in World Politics,” Munk School, University of Toronto (January 26, 2012); at the University of Antwerp (March 28, 2012); and at Political Science, UCLA, Political Science (April 4, 2012);

Lecture, “Uncertainty, Risk and the Crisis of 2008,” Political Science Department, University of Toronto (January 27, 2012); and as a paper presentation with Stephen Nelson, International Studies Association, (April 2, 2012);

Lecture, “Beyond the West: Civilizations in World Politics,” at the University of Ottawa (February 2, 2012); at McGill University, Montreal (February 3, 2012);

Lecture, “Finding the Future also in the Past: Change as an Accelerating Constant,” at the University of Massachusetts (February 20, 2012);

Roundtable, “The European Debt Crisis,” Council for European Studies Meeting, Boston, MA (March 24, 2012); and

Roundtable presentations at the International Studies Association Meeting, San Diego: “Civilizations in World Politics” and “Karl Deutsch, 1912–2012” (April 2, 2012); and

Jonathan Kirshner
Debater: Lund Critical Debate, “9–11 @ 10: What Have We Learned?” Einaudi Center Foreign Policy Initiative, Cornell University (September 12, 2011);

Lecture, “Isms that Matter: Classical Realism and International Relations Theory,” University of California, Berkeley (September 19, 2011);


Organizer, with Matthew Evangelista, “PK Fest 2011,” Cornell University (October 14–15, 2011);

Panelist, Einaudi Center for International Studies 50th Anniversary Symposium: “International Studies in the American University: The Path Ahead,” panel on “Area Studies and Their Relationship to Thematic Studies” (November 14–15, 2011);

Panelist, Einaudi Center International Forum, “The EU Financial Crisis: Implications Inside and Outside the Euro Zone” (March 30, 2012); and


Sarah Kreps


George Lewis

Participated in a conference on “Europe, BMD and the Navy,” at the Naval War College, Newport, Rhode Island, September 23, 2011; and


Fredrik Logevall
General Editor, book series, “From Indochina to Vietnam: Revolution and War in a Global Perspective,” University of California Press, co-editor with Christopher Goscha;
Associate, London School of Economics IDEAS Cold War Studies Programme;

Participant, The Tobin Project on National Security;

Paper, “From Korea to Vietnam,” presented at the conference on “The Korean War and China’s ‘Prolonged Rise,’” Cornell University (September 2011);

Chair and commentator, “U.S. State Archives and Government Information Secrecy: Access and Historical Research,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL (January 2012);

Paper presentation, “The Uses of Alarmism: American Politics and Foreign Policy after 1945,” Mershon Center, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH (February 2012);

Moderator, “Bugs and Bombs: Are We Prepared for Bioterrorism?” Einaudi Center/ Cornell Club of Washington panel discussion, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, DC (March 2012);


Paper, “The French Indochina War as International History,” presented at the “Ici, Indochine” conference, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA (April 2012); and


Hajimu Masuda

Judith Reppy
Reviewer, National Science Foundation, Social Studies of Science;

Invited speaker, Meeting of the Panel of the National Academies of Science on Ethical and Societal Implications of Advances in Militarily Significant Technologies, Beckman Center, Irvine, CA (November 2, 2011);

Lecture, “Cybertechnology as Dual Use Technology,” presented at the Isodarco Winter Course on “Security in Cyberspace,” Andalo, Italy (January 11, 2012);


Paper, “WikiLeaks and State Control of Information in the Cyber Age,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, San Diego, CA (April 4, 2012); and

Keynote address, “Building a Global Norm against Possession of Nuclear Weapons,” presented at the opening ceremony of the
Barry Strauss

Kathleen Vogel
Editorial Board, The Nonproliferation Review (December 2011 to present);
Panelist, “Bugs and Bombs: Are We Prepared for Bioterrorism?” Einaudi Center/ Cornell Club of Washington panel discussion, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, DC (March 2012);
Talk, “Biotechnology and Bioterrorism: Reconceptualizing Bio-weapons Threat Assessments,” Counterproliferation and Strategic Analysis Office, Office of Intelligence and Analysis, U.S. Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC (July 1, 2011);
Talk, “Intelligence Collection and Analysis on WMD Threats,” and “How Credible is the Threat of Attacks with Chemical- Biological Agents,” Workshop on Weapons of Mass Destruction Terrorism, NATO Centre of Excellence, Defence Against Terrorism, Ankara, Turkey (January 31–February 1, 2012);
Conference presentation, “Sociotechnical Factors in U.S. Bioweapons Intelligence Assessments,” 2012 International Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA (April 3, 2012); and

Jessica Weeks
Talk, “Revolution, Personalist Dictatorships, and International Conflict,” Texas A&M Univ., College Station, TX (October 2011);
Talk on her research at Tel Aviv University, Israel (December 2011); and
Talk, “Dictators at War and Peace,” at Emory University, Atlanta, GA (2012); and at Rice University, Houston, TX (March 2012).

PROGRAM MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT

The Judith Reppy Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies is associated with Cornell’s Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies, which provides administrative support. As of July 1, 2008 the Vice Provost for International Relations assumed oversight for the
Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies.

Funds for the basic operating expenses of the Institute come from endowments provided by the Ford Foundation and Cornell University. The Institute has also received additional funds for individual research projects from several other sources. Support has come from the Carnegie Foundation, the Ford Foundation, the MacArthur Foundation, the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, the Hewlett Foundation, the United States Institute of Peace, Resources for the Future, and the National Science Foundation. Additional support for Institute activities has come from the Einaudi Center, the College of Arts and Sciences, and Cornell alumni and friends.

Since 1985 the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation has provided a series of institutional grants to the Peace Studies Program (now the Reppy Institute) to support graduate work and interdisciplinary research activities in the field of international security and peace studies. Funding from the MacArthur Foundation supported training and research activities on the themes “Technology and Security” and “Regional Security” through June 2002. In January 2003 the Peace Studies Program was awarded a $1.1 million grant from the MacArthur Foundation in support of research and training to strengthen scientific and technical advice on international peace and security. A $1.86 million renewal grant began July 1, 2006 and with a two year extension will run through the end of June 2013.

Faculty members have received numerous grants for their individual research activities. These activities have been detailed in other sections of this annual report.

The establishment of the Marion and Frank Long Endowment Fund in 1993 was a step toward building support for graduate education on a permanent basis. Income from the fund is used to provide graduate fellowships for students in peace studies, with the first award being made in 1995–96. The Institute has been able to expand its support to graduate students with the addition of a continuing fellowship for peace studies students provided by the Cornell Graduate School.

A bequest from Harrop and Ruth Freeman established an endowment in 1995 to continue to support the Harrop and Ruth Freeman Prize in Peace Studies. Since 2006 the endowment has also provided several fellowships to undergraduate students to support their summer internships with NGOs. Further information on these awards is given earlier in this report.

Numerous gifts received from current colleagues, alumni, and friends of the Institute in celebration of our 40th anniversary and to honor Judith Reppy will be used to support graduate student fellowships, research, and development.

The Reppy Institute is governed by an executive committee of interested faculty members, who are listed below. Jonathan Kirshner is the Director, Judith Reppy the Associate Director, Elaine Scott the Administrative Manager, and Sandra Kisner the Administrative Assistant.

Jonathan Kirshner will be on leave in 2012–2013. Kathleen Vogel will serve as acting director of the Institute during this time.
The members of the Reppy Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies’ Executive Committee in 2011–2012 were:

**Holly Case** (History)  
**Matthew Evangelista** (Government)  
**William Ghiorse** (Microbiology)  
**Peter Katzenstein** (Government)  
**Jonathan Kirshner** (Government)  
**Sarah Kreps** (Government)  
**Fredrik Logevall** (History; Director, Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies)  
**David Patel** (Government)  
**Judith Reppy** (Science & Technology Studies)  
**Kathleen Vogel** (Science and Technology Studies and the Reppy Institute)  
**Zellman Warhaft** (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering)  

**Jessica Weeks** (Government) joined the executive committee as of July 1, 2012.

**Zellman Warhaft** left the committee after many, many years of service. His support of the Reppy Institute is greatly appreciated.
APPENDICES

APPENDIX A
PEACE STUDIES SEMINARS
2011–2012

SEPT 8 Meet and Greet

SEPT 15 Fredrik Logevall, Director of the Einaudi Center for International Studies and Professor of History, “Prelude to Vietnam: Rethinking the First Indochina War.”

SEPT 22 Avery Goldstein, David M. Knott Professor of Global Politics and International Relations, Political Science Department, University of Pennsylvania, “First Things First: The Present Dangers of the US-China Crises.”

OCT 6 Nora Bensahel, Deputy Director of Studies and Senior Fellow, Center for New American Security (CNAS), “The U.S. Withdrawals from Afghanistan and Iraq.”

OCT 13 Jason Lyall, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Yale University, “Explaining Support for Combatants During Wartime: A Survey Experiment in Afghanistan.”

OCT 20 Richard J. Smethurst, University Center for International Studies Research Professor and Professor of History, University of Pittsburgh, “Going Along or Going Alone: Japan and World War II.”

OCT 27 Allen Carlson, Associate Professor of Government, “A Singular World View? On the Often Overlooked Plurality of Views within Chinese Foreign Policy Establishment”

NOV 3 Aziz Rana, Assistant Professor, Cornell Law School, “Who Decides on Security?”

NOV 10 Page Fortna, Professor of Political Science, Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, Columbia University, “Do Terrorists Win? Rebels’ Use of Terrorism and Civil War Outcomes.”

NOV 17 Lester Friedman, Professor of Media and Society, Hobart and William Smith Colleges, “History as Image/Image as History: World War Two Combat Movies..”

FEB 2 Llewelyn Hughes, Assistant Professor of Political Science and International Affairs, The Elliott School of International Affairs & Department of Political Science, George Washington University, “Institutions, Firm Heterogeneity, and Economic Liberalization: Evidence from Oil Markets.”

FEB 9 Barak Mendelsohn, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Haverford College, “Al Qaeda and Global Governance: Ideology Rigidness and Propaganda Strategy.”

FEB 16 James Richter, Professor of Politics, Bates College, “Civil Society And the New Authoritarianism: Encouraging and Containing Civic Activism in Russia and China.”

FEB 23 Andrew Mertha, Associate Professor of Government, “‘Cadres, Guns, and Money’: Chinese Assistance to Democratic Kampuchea, 1975–1979."

MAR 1 Francis J. Gavin, Director, Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security
and Law, University of Texas, “Nuclear Statecraft: Reassessing the History of the Atomic Age.”

MAR 8 Durba Ghosh, Associate Professor of History, “Detention for ‘Gentlemanly’ Terrorists: Political Prisoners in Interwar India.”

MAR 15 Andrew Gilbert, Department of Anthropology, University of Toronto, “Foreign Publicity, the Democratization Paradox, and the Limits of International Intervention in Bosnia-Herzegovina.”

MAR 29 Patrick O. Cohrs, Associate Professor, Department of History, Yale University, “Towards an American World Order? New Perspectives on the Transformative Era of the Two World Wars.”

APR 5 Heather Hendershot, Professor in the Media Studies Department at Queens College and the Coordinator of the Film Studies Certificate Program at the City University of New York (CUNY) Graduate Center, “Before the Tea Party: William F. Buckley, Firing Line, and the Conservative Movement.”

APR 12 Mark Lawrence, Associate Professor of History, The University of Texas, Austin; and Stanley Kaplan Visiting Professor of American Foreign Policy at Williams College, “Myth, Memory, and Manipulation: JFK and the Developing World.”


APR 26 Pablo Yanguas, Cornell graduate student in government, “Western Donors, Former Warlords, and Fragile States: Norms and Politics in Security Sector Reconstruction.”
APPENDIX B

Graduate Student Development
2011–2012

The Reppy Fellows hosted these seminars:

NOV 10  **Page Fortna**, Professor of Political Science, Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, Columbia University, “Do Terrorists Win? Rebels’ Use of Terrorism and Civil War Outcomes.”

MAR 29  **Patrick O. Cohrs**, Associate Professor, Department of History, Yale University, “Towards an American World Order? New Perspectives on the Transformative Era of the Two World Wars.”

Graduate students also held small group meetings where they had the opportunity to discuss their research with these visitors:

SEPT 22  **Avery Goldstein**, David M. Knott Professor of Global Politics and International Relations, Political Science Department, University of Pennsylvania.

OCT 6  **Nora Bensahel**, Deputy Director of Studies and Senior Fellow, Center for New American Security (CNAS).

OCT 13  **Jason Lyall**, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Yale University.

OCT 20  **Richard J. Smethurst**, University Center for International Studies Research Professor and Professor of History, University of Pittsburgh.

NOV 10  **Page Fortna**, Professor of Political Science, Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, Columbia University.

FEB 2  **Llewelyn Hughes**, Assistant Professor of Political Science and International Affairs, The Elliott School of International Affairs & Department of Political Science, George Washington University.

FEB 9  **Barak Mendelsohn**, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Haverford College.

MAR 1  **Francis J. Gavin**, Director, Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law, University of Texas.

MAR 15  **Andrew Gilbert**, Department of Anthropology, University of Toronto.

MAR 29  **Patrick O. Cohrs**, Associate Professor, Department of History, Yale University.

APR 19  **Robert Skidelsky**, AD White Professor-at-Large.
APPENDIX C

OTHER CAMPUS ACTIVITIES
2011–2012

The Reppy Institute supported these special campus events:

JUL 19  Summer Workshop on Analysis of Military Operations and Strategy (SWAMOS)-Reppy Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies reception and talk by Fredrik Logevall, director of the Einaudi Center.

AUG 23  Language and International Studies Fair, sponsored by the Einaudi Center and the affiliated programs in Uris Hall, Cornell Abroad, and the Language Resource Center.


OCT 20  Bruce Cumings, University of Chicago, “Apocalypse, Absence, Amnesia—and Kim Jong Il: Why the Korean War is ‘Forgotten.’” Sponsored by the East Asia Program’s Graduate Student Steering Committee (EAP-GSSC) with support from the Departments of History and Asian Studies, the Einaudi Center for International Studies, the Korean Graduate Student Association at Cornell, and the Reppy Institute.

NOV 28  Panel Discussion, “India and the 21st Century Challenges,” with Kapil Wadhawan (Chairman of Wadhawan Group and Executive Director, Dewan Housing Finance Corporation) speaking on “Housing for a Billion People,” Sunjoy Joshi (Director, Observer Research Foundation) speaking on “Energy and Climate Change–Teaching the Elephant to Dance,” and Samir Saran (Vice President for Development and Outreach, ORF) speaking on “India and Non-traditional Security.” Matthew Evangelista (Cornell) was the moderator.


MAR 12  Jon Pevehouse, Professor of Political Science, University of Wisconsin, small group meeting with invited graduate students, arranged by Sarah Kreps.

APR 27–28  Workshop, “The Everyday Life of Islam: Focus on Islam in China.” Sponsored by the East Asia Program Graduate Student Steering Council (EAP-GSSC) with support from many Cornell programs and departments, including the Reppy Institute.

JUN 11–12  Symposium, “Voices from the South: New Testimonies from the Last Leaders of South Vietnam.” Presented by the Einaudi Center for International Studies and the Department of Asian Studies with support from the Departments of History and Government, Southeast Asia Program,
Society for Freedom & Free Societies, and
the Reppy Institute.
APPENDIX D

TECHNOLOGY AND SECURITY
STUDY GROUP
2011–2012

APR 11  Alanna Krolikowski, Space Policy Institute, The George Washington University, and the University of Toronto, “China and the United States in Civil-Commercial Air and Space” (Bovay Seminar in Engineering Ethics).

MAR 1  Francis Gavin, Director, Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law, University of Texas, “Nuclear Statecraft: Reassessing the History of the Atomic Age” (Reppy Institute Seminar).
APPENDIX E

PK FEST 2011
October 14–15, Cornell University, Ithaca NY

Friday, October 14: Carrier Ballroom, Statler Hotel

12:30 Lunch available for Out-of-Town Guests, Taylor and Rowe Rooms, Statler Hotel

1:30 Opening Remarks and Welcome

1:45 Panel 1: Political Economy

Chair: Joanne Gowa

Jana Grittersova, “Non-Market Coordination and the Variety of Finance Capitalism in Advanced Democracies”
David Lake, “Domestic Structures Revisited: Public and Private Authority in a Globalizing Economy”
Michael Marks, “The Metaphors of International Political Economy”

Discussant: Robert Keohane

3:00-3:30 Break

3:30 Panel 2: Small States

Chair: Tim Byrnes

Margarita Petrova, “Small States and Humanitarian Norm Development”
Herman Schwartz, “Small States with New Troubles: Political Legitimacy and the Management of Economy and Society”

Discussant: Peter Gourevitch

4:45 Announcements, including directions for reception and dinner

6:00 Reception and Dinner, Museum of the Earth
Saturday, October 15: Carrier Ballroom, Statler Hotel

9:00 Continental Breakfast, Carrier Ballroom, Statler Hotel

9:30 Panel 3: Violence, Security and Civilizations

Chair: Henry Nau

Barak Mendelsohn, “Ideological Entrepreneurs and Challenged State Authority: the Israeli State and Violent Jewish non-State Actors”
Andrew Phillips, “The Civilizational Turntable Meets the Steamroller of Modernity – Sovereignty and Civilizational Encounters in the Indian Ocean Littoral”
Chris Reus-Smit, “The Contours of Analytical Eclecticism”

Discussant: Stephen Krasner

10:45 Break

11:15 Panel 4: Constructing Security, Authority, and Reputation

Chair: Jeff Checkel

Paul D’Anieri, “A New Wave of Autocracy? Transnational Diffusion of Techniques to Reduce Political Competition”
Jennifer Erickson, “Saving Face, Looking Good, and Building International Reputation in East and West”
Alexandra Gheciu, “Constructing a New Culture of Security, Re-constituting Public Power in Post-Communist Europe”
Daniel Thomas, “The Construction of Europe: Community Identity and the Politics of EU Enlargement”

Discussant: John Ruggie

12:30 Lunch Statler Hotel, first floor conference foyer, with seating in the Yale/Princeton and Pennsylvania rooms
2:00 Panel 5: A World of Regions

Chair: Allen Carlson

Brian Bow and Arturo Santa Cruz, “Region-less Powers in a World of Regions: Comparing Canada’s and Mexico’s Approaches to National Security”
Stephanie Hofmann and Andrew Yeo, “Beyond Hegemony: U.S. Alliances in Europe and Asia

Discussant: T. J. Pempel

3:15 Break

3:45 Panel 6: Beyond the American Imperium

Chair: Rudra Sil

Rawi Abdelal and Ulrich Krotz, “Disjoining Partners: Europe after the American Imperium”
Daniel Kinderman, “Capitalists’ Constructivism: Germany from 1960–2010, and Beyond”
Paul Kowert, “Grand Strategy as a Two-Dimensional Space: Lessons from Germany and Japan”
Keiichi Tsunekawa, “Explaining Economic Stagnation and Political Instability in Contemporary Japan”

Discussant: David Laitin

5:00 Closing Remarks and Future Plans
Bruce Jentleson and Lou Pauly

6:00 Light Dinner available For Out-of-Town Guests,
Taylor and Rowe Rooms, Statler Hotel
APPENDIX F

Judith Reppy Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies
Panel Discussion

India and 21st Century Challenges

Matthew Evangelista, President White Professor of History and Political Science, Cornell University, Moderator

Kapil Wadhawan, Chairman, Wadawan Group and Executive Director, Dewan Housing Finance Corporation: “Housing for a Billion People”

Sunjoy Joshi, Director, Observer Research Foundation (ORF): “Energy and Climate Change – Teaching the Elephant to Dance”

Samir Saran, Vice President for Development and Outreach, ORF: “India and Non-Traditional Security”

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