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# **Administrative Assignments**

Department Chairperson (May 1, 2017 - Present).

Director, Department (May 1, 2016 - April 30, 2017).

Director of the Master of Science in International Relations Program

Interim Director of MPA Program, Department (December 1, 2016 - March 1, 2017).

### **Professional Positions**

#### **Academic**

Assistant Professor, Troy University. (August 1, 2015 - Present).

Lecturer, Troy University. (August 1, 2013 - July 31, 2015).

Adjunct Instructor, University of Arizona. (August 2012 - May 2013).

Graduate Instructor, University of Arizona. (August 2007 - August 2012).

Visiting Instructor, Barnaul State Pedagogical University. (August 1997 - June 1998).

## **Professional Memberships**

American Political Science Association. (August 2011 - Present).

International Studies Association. (April 2011 - Present).

## **TEACHING**

## **Teaching Experience**

#### **Troy University**

IR 5551, Survey of International Relations, 2 courses.

IR 6622, European Security, 1 course.

IR 6624, Geopolitics of Eurasia, 6 courses.

IR 6625, Specialized Study in International, 1 course.

IR 6639, Russian Security, 1 course.

IR 6642, Comparative Politics of Russia and, 6 courses.

IR 6647, Western Europe in World Affairs, 3 courses.

IR 6652, Theory and Ideology in International, 11 courses.

IR 6656, International Power and Influence, 1 course.

IR 6665, Readings in International Relations, 1 course.

IR 6685, Political Violence and Terrorism, 2 courses.

POL 2241, American National Government, 5 courses.

POL 2260, World Politics, 4 courses.

- POL 3390, The Art of Political Science Research, 3 courses.
- POL 4424, Contemporary American Foreign Policy, 3 courses.
- POL 4433, Comparative Government, 5 courses.
- POL 4460, Intercultural Relations, 2 courses.
- POL 4468, Russian Politics, 2 courses.
- POL 4470, European Politics, 2 courses.
- POL 4495, Selected Topics in Political Science, 1 course.

## **Directed Student Learning**

Directed Individual/Independent Study, Political Science. (January 5, 2015 - March 8, 2015). Advised: Michael Moran

## **RESEARCH**

## **Published Intellectual Contributions**

### **Book Chapters**

- Slobodchikoff, M. (2017). Foreword: Ukrainian Crisis: View from Eastern Ukraine. In Anna Matveeva (Ed.), *Through Times of Trouble: Conflict in Southeastern Ukraine Explained from Within*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2017). In Lena Surzhko-Harned and Ekaterina Turkina (Ed.), *Generational Change: Competing Identities in Postcommunist States*.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2017). Strong as Silk: China in the Liberal Order. In David Lane and Guichang Zhu (Ed.), *Regional Perspectives for China and its Neighbours*. Lexington Books.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2017). Understanding Russia's Place in International Relations Scholarship. In Natalia Tsvetkova (Ed.), *Russia and the World: Understanding International Relations*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2016). Eurasian Integration: Bridging a Scholarly Gap. In Natalia Vasilyeva and Maria Lagutina (Ed.), *The Russian Project of Eurasian Integration: Geopolitical Prospects*.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2016). Editorial Foreword. In Mark Bassin and Mikhail Suslov (Ed.), *Eurasia 2.0: Russian Geopolitics in the Age of New Media*. www.amazon.com/Eurasia-2-0-Geopolitics-Eurasian-
  - European/dp/149852141X/ref=sr\_1\_15?ie=UTF8&qid=1451941781&sr=8-15&keywords=Bassin+Digital
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). Editorial Foreword. In Martin Carrier (Ed.), *Executive Politics in Semi-Presidential Regimes: Power Distribution and Conflicts between Presidents and Prime Ministers.*

#### Books

- Slobodchikoff, M., Davis, G. D. (in press). Russian and Western Soft Power in Eastern Europe: Cultural Imperialism. Lexington Books.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2014). Building Hegemonic Order Russia's Way: Rules, Stability and Predictability in the Post-Soviet Space. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

Slobodchikoff, M. (2013). *Strategic Cooperation: Overcoming the Barriers of Global Anarchy*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

#### **Journal Articles**

- Slobodchikoff, M. (2017). Global Crisis: Ukraine, Russia and the West. Soviet and Post-Soviet Review, 44(1), 3-8.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). The Challenges of Globalization in the Modern Context. *Polzunovskij Al'manakh (Pulzunov Almanac)*.

#### Other

- Slobodchikoff, M. (2018). Review of Moore, Rebecca R.; Coletta, Damon, eds., NATO's Return to Europe: Engaging Ukraine, Russia, and Beyond. H-Net Reviews.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2016). *Russian Parliamentary Elections: A View from the West* (4th ed., vol. 1, pp. 21-23). Moscow: Rethinking Russia Thinktank.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). *Letters: A Methodological Debate about Bridging the Quantitative and Qualitative Divide for Russian Area Scholars* (1st ed., vol. 74, pp. 227-228). Slavic Review.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). *Michael Alexeev and Shlomo Weber, eds. The Oxford Handbook of the Russian Economy* (3rd ed., vol. 16, pp. 157-158). Slavic & East European Information Resources. http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/15228886.2015.1060099

#### **Refereed Journal Articles**

- Slobodchikoff, M., Davis, G. D. (2017). Roots of Russian Soft Power: Rethinking Russian National Identity. *Comparative Politics Russia Journal*, 8(2), 19-36.
- Slobodchikoff, M., Tandon, A. (2017). Shifting Alliances and Balance of Power in Asia: Transitions in the Indo-Russian Security Ties. *Asian Journal of Political Science*.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2017). Challenging US Hegemony: The Ukrainian Crisis and Russian Regional Order. *Soviet and Post-Soviet Review*, *44*(1), 76-95.
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). Constraining Elites: The Impact of Treaty Networks on Foreign Policy. The Soviet and Post-Soviet Review, 42(3), 298-320. http://booksandjournals.brillonline.com/content/journals/10.1163/18763324-04203004
- Willerton, J. P., Goertz, G., Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). Mistrust and Hegemony: Regional institutional design, the FSU-CIS, and Russia. *International Area Studies Review, 18*(1), 26-52. ias.sagepub.com/content/18/1/26.abstract
- Rhamey, J. P., Slobodchikoff, M., Volgy, T. J. (2015). Order and Disorder across Geopolitical Space: The Effect of Declining Dominance on Interstate Conflict. *Journal of International Relations and Development*, *18*(4), 383-406. http://www.palgrave-journals.com/jird/journal/vaop/ncurrent/abs/jird20143a.html
- Slobodchikoff, M. (2015). Overcoming Barriers to Cooperation: Territorial and Issue Neutralization as Tools of Conflict Management. *The Soviet and Post-Soviet Review, 42*(2), 127-149. http://booksandjournals.brillonline.com/content/journals/10.1163/18763324-04202002

### **Presentations Given**

- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Rhamey, J. Patrick (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Meeting, "Geopolitical Referees: Rivalries and Dominant Power Reach Across Geographic Space," San Francisco, CA, United States of America. (April 4, 2018).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Aleprete, M. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Meeting, "The Impact of Russian Led Eurasian Integration on Regional Security," San Francisco, United States of America. (April 4, 2018).
- Davis, G. D. (Presenter & Author), Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Meeting, "Western Hegemonic Decline in Eastern Europe," San Francisco, CA, United States of America. (April 4, 2018).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Tandon, A. A. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Meeting, "Working Toward a Multipolar World: India as a Lynchpin," San Francisco, CA, United States of America. (April 4, 2018).
- Aleprete, M. (Presenter & Author), Slobodchikoff, M. (Author Only), International Studies Association Annual Meeting, "The Impact of Russian Led Eurasian Integration on the International Relations of the Post-Soviet Space," International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, United States of America. (February 25, 2017).
- Slobodchikoff, M., Regional Perspectives for China and its Neighbours, "Strong as Silk: China's Relations with International and Regional Governmental Organizations," Confucius Center Leiden University/Cambridge, Leiden, Netherlands. (January 2017).
- Davis, G. D., Slobodchikoff, M., Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, "Beijing's Winning Hand: Russia, the West, and the Competition over Eastern Europe," Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, United States of America. (January 2017).
- Slobodchikoff, M., Eurasia in Global Perspective, "Challenging Western Institutional Order," Cambridge University, Cambridge, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. (May 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Davis, G. D. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "Bolstering Russian Soft Power: Evidence from Serbia," International Studies Association, Atlanta, GA, United States of America. (March 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "Russia, Ukraine and the West: The Resurgence of Geopolitics," International Studies Association, Atlanta, GA, United States of America. (March 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Tandon, A. A. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "Shifting Alliances and Balance of Power in Asia: Transitions in the Indo-Russian Security Ties," International Studies Association, Atlanta, GA, United States of America. (March 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Rhamey, J. P. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "The Return of the Great Game: Dominance Vacuums in the 21st Century," International Studies Association, Atlanta, GA, United States of America. (March 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M., Daemen College History and Politics Speaker Series, "Russia's War on Terror," Daemen College, Buffalo, NY, United States of America. (November 16, 2015).

- Todhunter, J. P. (Presenter & Author), Slobodchikoff, M. (Author Only), Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, "Ethnicity and Democratization in the Former Soviet Space: A Quantitative Analysis," Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, United States of America. (April 2015).
- Slobodchikoff, M., Securing Your Future: a multidisciplinary panel discussion, Phi Kappa Phi and Sigma Tau Delta, Troy, AL, United States of America. (March 31, 2015).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), Rhamey, J. Patrick (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "Predestined to Fight: Dominance Vacuum Theory and World War I," International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, United States of America. (February 2015).
- Davis, G. D. (Presenter & Author), Slobodchikoff, M. O. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "Russian Soft Power," ISA, New Orleans, LA, United States of America. (February 2015).
- Slobodchikoff, M. (Presenter & Author), International Studies Association Annual Conference, "The Battle for Ukraine: The Return of Great Power Conflict," International Studies Association, New Orleans, LA, United States of America. (February 2015).
- Slobodchikoff, M., Building Hegemony Russia's Way, United States Air War College, Montgomery, AL, United States of America. (October 17, 2014).
- Rhamey, J. P. (Presenter & Author), Slobodchikoff, M. (Author Only), Volgy, T. (Presenter & Author), European International Studies Association, "Of Power Vacuums and Conflict: The Effects of Declining Dominance on MIDs," International Studies Association, Warsaw, Poland. (September 2013).

## **Media Contributions**

#### Internet

Russia Direct. (March 27, 2015).

Russia Insider. (March 4, 2015).

Interview by Russia Direct. (June 30, 2014).

International Business Times. (March 3, 2014).

Interview by Eastbook.eu. (December 6, 2013).

### Magazine

Russia Direct. (March 12, 2016).

Russia Direct Editorial. (February 28, 2015).

Russia Direct Editorial. (November 26, 2014).

la Repubblica. (November 12, 2014).

Russia Direct Editorial. (November 5, 2014).

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Russia Direct Editorial. (August 19, 2014).
    Russia Direct Editorial. (August 12, 2014).
    Russia Direct Editorial. (July 28, 2014).
    Russia Direct Editorial. (July 18, 2014).
    Interview by Russia Direct. (June 18, 2014).
    Russia Direct Editorial. (June 4, 2014).
    Russian International Affairs Council Editorial. (May 30, 2014).
    Russia Direct Editorial. (May 13, 2014).
    Russia Direct Article. (March 28, 2014).
    Russia Direct. (March 28, 2014).
    Russia Direct Interview. (March 28, 2014).
    Russia Direct Article. (March 17, 2014).
    Russia Direct Interview. (March 7, 2014).
    Russia Direct Interview. (February 21, 2014).
    Russia Direct Article. (January 27, 2014).
    Russia Direct Interview. (December 13, 2013).
    Russia Direct Article. (December 6, 2013).
    Russia Direct Article. (November 21, 2013).
Newspaper
    Buffalo Sun Times. (November 16, 2015).
    Am-Pol Eagle. (November 16, 2015).
    Russia Beyond the Headlines in New York Times. (November 17, 2014).
    Troy Messenger. (July 17, 2014).
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#### Radio

WBFO Buffalo. (November 16, 2015).

Auburn and Opelika News. (July 17, 2014).

Montgomery Advertiser. (October 18, 2013).

Montgomery Advertiser. (September 27, 2013).

Voice of Russia. (July 10, 2014).

On the Bookshelf, WTBF Radio. (January 14, 2015).

On the Bookshelf, WTBF Radio. (March 10, 2014).

#### TV

BBC World News Interview. (March 18, 2018).

WAKA Montgomery. (August 2, 2017).

WSFA Channel 12. (February 1, 2017).

WAKA Alabama News Network. (February 1, 2017).

TrojanVision 2016 Campaign Panel Round 3. (October 2016).

TrojanVision Ambassador-in-Residence Ukraine Panel. (April 5, 2016).

TrojanVision 2016 Campaign Panel Round 2. (March 25, 2016).

TrojanVision News. (March 1, 2016).

TrojanVision News. (January 28, 2016).

TrojanVision 2016 Campaign Panel. (January 26, 2016).

WTVY Channel 4 News, Dothan, AL. (November 18, 2015).

WKBW News Channel 7 Buffalo. (November 16, 2015).

Comcast News Channel Buffalo. (November 16, 2015).

BBC World News. (November 6, 2015).

TrojanVision ISIS Panel. (October 27, 2015).

TrojanVision Reigniting the Cold War. (September 8, 2015).

BBC World News. (February 9, 2015).

BBC World News. (November 8, 2014).

WAKA Alabama News Network. (October 22, 2014).

BBC World News. (August 30, 2014).

WAKA Alabama News Network. (July 18, 2014).

WSFA Channel 12, Montgomery, AL. (July 18, 2014).

WTVY Channel 4 News, Dothan, AL. (July 17, 2014).

BBC World News. (July 17, 2014).

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WAKA Alabama News Network. (June 4, 2014).
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BBC World News. (May 3, 2014).

BBC World News. (April 24, 2014).

BBC World News. (April 20, 2014).

BBC World. (April 12, 2014).

BBC World News. (April 12, 2014).

BBC World News. (April 1, 2014).

BBC World News. (March 18, 2014).

BBC World News Interview. (March 17, 2014).

WAKA Channel 8 Montgomery. (March 6, 2014).

WSFA Channel 12 Montgomery. (March 4, 2014).

WAKA Channel 8 Montgomery. (February 21, 2014).

BBC World News. (February 18, 2014).

BBC World News. (February 6, 2014).

BBC World News. (January 22, 2014).

BBC World News. (November 25, 2013).

## Other

Rethinking Russia Thinktank. (July 12, 2016).

Sputnik News. (March 28, 2016).

### **Artistic and Professional Performances and Exhibits**

#### **Music Performance - Participation**

- Woods, B. D., Slobodchikoff, M., Dismukes, S., McInnish, J., Williams, J., Graham, H., Hammack, J., "Celtic Ensemble Troy Fest Performance," Troy University Celtic Ensemble, World Music Department, Troy, AL, USA. (April 28, 2018).
- Woods, B. D., Slobodchikoff, M., Dismukes, S., McInnish, J., Williams, J., Graham, H., Hammack, J., "Celtic Ensemble Spring Concert," Troy University Celtic Ensemble, World Music Department, Troy, AL, USA. (April 27, 2018).
- Woods, B. D., Hammack, J. A., McInnish, J., Williams, J., Dismukes, S., Slobodchikoff, M., "Sounds of the Season Concert 2017," Hun Har Heste, Troy, AL, USA. (December 2017).
- Woods, B. D., Slobodchikoff, M., Nott, C., McInnish, J., Dudinsky, J., Wells, J., Johnson, T.,

Guris, B., "Celtic Ensemble Spring Concert," Troy University Celtic Ensemble, World Music Department, Troy, AL, USA. (April 28, 2017).

Woods, B. D., Hammack, J. A., McInnish, J., Dudinsky, J., Guris, B., Slobodchikoff, M., Nott, C., Wells, J., Johnson, T., "Traditional Irish Music," Troy University Celtic Ensemble, Johnson Center for the Arts, Troy, AL, USA. (March 16, 2017).

## **Contracts, Grants and Sponsored Research**

#### Grant

- Slobodchikoff, M., "Alabama Humanities Foundation SUPER Teacher Model UN Workshop," Sponsored by Alabama Humanities Foundation, State, \$9,000.00. (June 22, 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M., "International Studies Association Travel Grant," Sponsored by International Studies Association, Other, \$250.00. (March 2016).
- Slobodchikoff, M., "International Studies Association Travel Grant," Sponsored by International Studies Association, Other, \$250.00. (February 2015).

### Intellectual Contributions in Submission

### **Journal Articles**

Aleprete, M., Slobodchikoff, M. The Impact of Russian Led Eurasian Integration on the International Relations of the Post-Soviet Space. *Europe-Asia Studies*.

### **Refereed Journal Articles**

Davis, G. D., Slobodchikoff, M. O. Western Cultural Imperialism in Eastern Europe. *Cambridge Review of International Affairs*.

### **SERVICE**

## **University Service**

Committee Member, Campus Safety Committee. (August 1, 2015 - Present).

University Senate Service, Faculty Senate. (August 1, 2015 - Present).

Committee Member, Faculty Welfare Committee. (August 1, 2015 - Present).

Program Organizer, High School Model UN Conference Proposal. (June 2015 - Present).

Grading MSIR Comprehensive Exams, MSIR Comps Grading. (April 2015 - Present).

Faculty Liaison to Bookstore, Faculty Books at Bookstore. (August 2014 - Present).

Faculty Advisor, Russian Club. (November 2013 - Present).

Committee Member, MSIR Comps Methods Committee. (August 1, 2013 - Present).

Committee Member, Website Development Committee. (August 1, 2013 - Present).

Faculty Advisor, Model United Nations. (January 2014 - August 2018).

Committee Member, Faculty Development Committee. (August 1, 2015 - July 31, 2018).

Vice President, Faculty Senate. (August 1, 2016 - August 1, 2017).

Committee Member, Faculty Senate Executive Committee. (August 2016 - July 31, 2017).

Guest Speaker, Blackboard IM Webinar. (February 26, 2016).

Department Representative, Impact Presentations. (June 2015).

Department Representative, Trojan Day. (April 2015).

Guest Speaker, "Securing Your Future" Panel Discussion. (March 31, 2015).

Program Coordinator, Roundtable Organizer and Panelist, The Cold War and Beyond: 25 Years After the Fall of the Berlin Wall. (November 12, 2014).

Faculty Advisor, Political Science Club. (August 1, 2013 - October 2014).

Guest Speaker, "Network Analysis in International Relations" Foundations. (October 30, 2014).

Roundtable Organizer and Panelist, Reigniting the Cold War?: Russian-American Relations in the Ukrainian Crisis. (October 22, 2014).

Guest Speaker, Russian History since 1865. (September 11, 2014).

Guest Speaker, Troy Reading Initiative Round Table. (September 5, 2014).

# **Professional Service**

Reviewer, Journal Article, Foreign Policy Analysis. (April 2016 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, European Politics and Society. (January 2016 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Nationalities Papers. (October 2015 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Soviet and Post-Soviet Review. (October 1, 2015 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Cambridge Review of International Affairs. (2015 - Present).

Editor, Book, Russian, Eurasian, and Eastern European Book Series. (September 2014 - Present).

Reviewer, Grant Proposal, San Francisco State University, San Francisco, CA. (2014 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, The Soviet and Post-Soviet Review. (2014 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, European Journal of International Relations. (2013 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Political Research Quarterly. (2012 - Present).

Editor, Journal Editor, Soviet and Post-Soviet Review. (August 2015 - May 2016).

Guest Speaker, Daemen College Methods in Political Science Class. (November 16, 2015).

Invited Lecture, Kiwanis Club, Troy, AL. (October 21, 2014).

Invited Lecture, Air War College. (October 17, 2014).

# **Public Service**

Program Coordinator, Alabama Humanities Foundation SUPER Teachers Model UN Workshop. (June 22, 2016).

Guest Speaker, Daemen College History and Politics Speaker Series: Russia's War on Terror, Amherst, New York. (November 16, 2015).

Guest Speaker, Kiwanis Club, Troy, AL. (October 21, 2014).

# Consulting

Academic, Wikistrat. (August 1, 2015 - Present).

Government, US Department of State, Washington, DC, United States of America. (April 2015 - Present).

## **Awards and Honors**

## Service, Professional

Reward Caller Award, Troy University. (April 2017).