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EDUCATION

PhD in International Relations, London School of Economics 2007-2010
Thesis title: 'Diplomacy by Committee: The OSCE and the Kosovo Crisis'
Supervisor: Dr Ruth Figment
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Postgraduate Certificate in Higher Education, London School of Economics 2008-2010

MSc International Relations (Distinction), University of Leeds 2005-2006
Dissertation: 'Faces Behind the Wire: Portrayals of Guantanamo in the British Press' – Distinction
Courses include: European Defence and Security Analysis; Contemporary International Security; Politics of Intelligence

BA International History and Politics (First Class), University of Leeds 2002-2005
Courses include: European Security, The Politics of Inter-Arab Relations, Europe Uprooted: Refugee Crises and the Modern Nation-State
Dissertation: Yemen and Terrorism since 9/11

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, European Institute, London School of Economics Oct 2009 – Feb 2010

- Participated in a collaborative trans-European project on diplomatic working group dynamics
- Interviewed policymakers and politicians in English and French

Graduate Teaching Assistant, European Institute, London School of Economics Oct 2009-Dec 2009

- Taught two lectures on Master's course 'Public Policy Responses to International Migration'
- Delivered seminar programme to students on the same course
- Marked student assignments and examination papers
- Moodle (online student learning environment) editor for the course

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of International Relations, London School of Economics Oct 2008-Dec 2009

- Delivered seminar programme to second year undergraduates on 'Foreign Policy Analysis I'
- Marked student assignments and examination papers

Conference Organiser and Research Assistant, Université libre de Bruxelles May 2008-July 2008

- Member of conference management team: 'Free to Fight: Migration and Militarisation among displaced communities in Europe'
- Researched material towards keynote lecture
- Collaborated on the edited volume of proceedings

PUBLICATIONS

Lincoln, C. 'Linchpin or Lost Opportunity? Reviewing the role of Azerbaijan in regional security' *European Journal of International Relations* (forthcoming)

Figment, R. and Lincoln, C. 'What Crisis? Countering perceptions of the OSCE's decline in influence' (under review)

Lincoln, C. "'Is there any point in being here?": An analysis of the OSCE's Minsk process in Nagorno-Karabakh since 1994' (in preparation)

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PAPERS

'Linchpin or Lost Opportunity? Reviewing the role of Azerbaijan in regional security'. Paper presented at *European Security* conference, London 2010

'Negotiating for Nagorno: A study of diplomatic language in the OSCE'. Paper presented at *Association for the Sociology of Language*, York 2010

'Faces behind the wire: Portrayals of Guantanamo Bay in *The Sun* newspaper'. Seminar paper given at the Reuters Institute for the Study of Journalism, University of Oxford 2009

'Pass the microphone, I've something to say: the logistics of consensus building at the OSCE'. Departmental seminar paper, Department of International Relations, LSE 2008

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Intern, Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights, Warsaw June 2009-Sept 2009

- Placement in the election monitoring unit during Moldovan elections of July 2009
- Co-ordinated and analysed incoming data from election monitors
- Briefed OSCE diplomats in Vienna on election monitor findings

Researcher for Giselle Lacroix, MEP Sept 2006-Sept 2007

- Assisted Mme. Lacroix with European Parliamentary business at her office in Brussels with range of administrative, diary management and communications responsibilities
- Liaised with French party office in Paris and European partner parties
- Represented her at briefings and meetings
- Provided research support towards committee work on women's rights/gender equality, and human rights

Office Manager, Kurdish Human Rights Project (maternity cover) May 2005-Oct 2005

- Managed the administration of the central office for this London-based NGO
- First point of contact for all enquiries, including international press, policymakers, refugees and researchers
- Proof-read all published materials, including working papers and press releases, and wrote material for the website

- Assistant (voluntary), Lebanon programme, Save the Children Fund** June 2004-
Sept 2004
- Researched and wrote a report summarising responses to SCF work in the region
 - Developed briefing material for internal intranet site for SCF staff
- Assistant, Council Tax Office, Leeds City Council** June 2003-
Sept 2003
- Processed council action against non-paying residents
 - Ensured accurate records kept of action and responses
 - Analysed response rates following notice of bailiff action

SELECTED PRIZES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

London School of Economics Research Studentship Award	2007-2010
Convocation Trust Award (for fieldwork), University of London	2008
Economic and Social Research Council Studentship	2005-2006

LANGUAGES AND IT SKILLS

- English and French (bilingual); Italian (good); German (good); Spanish (strong conversational); Kurdish (basic)
- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Outlook, Powerpoint); Linux applications;
- SPSS, EndNote, FileMaker, Bristol Online Surveys;
- Website design and management (HTML, CSS, FrontPage, MambelFish)

REFEREES

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