

# Ann Marie Wainscott

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EMPLOYMENT

2017 Franklin Fellow, Office of Religion and Global Affairs, State Department  
2017 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Miami University  
2014 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, St. Louis University  
2013 Instructor (August-October 2013); Visiting Assistant Professor (October 2013-May 2014);  
Department of Political Science, St. Louis University

### EDUCATION

2013 Ph.D. Department of Political Science, University of Florida  
“How an Islamic solution became an Islamist problem: Education, Authoritarianism and the  
Politics of Opposition in Morocco”  
2010 MA. Department of Political Science, University of Florida  
2007 MA. Department of Government and Politics, St. John's University  
Certificate in International Law and Diplomacy  
2006 BA. Departments of Government and Politics and French Language and Literature,  
St. John's University, *summa cum laude*

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Book

2017 *Bureaucratizing Islam: Morocco and the War on Terror*, forthcoming with Cambridge University Press

#### Peer-edited Journal Article

2015 “Defending Islamic education: War on Terror discourse and the politics of public religious  
education in contemporary Morocco” *Journal of North African Studies*. Volume 20, No. 4. P. 635-653

#### Book Chapters

2014 “State Autonomy and Societal Transformation: Twentieth Century Reforms to Islamic  
Education in Morocco” in *Reforms in Islamic Education: International Perspectives*. ed. Charlene  
Tan. Bloomsbury Academic.

- 2015 “Islamic modernism, political reform and the Arabisation of education: The relationship between Moroccan nationalists and al-Azhar University” in *Shaping Global Islamic Discourses: The Role of al-Azhar, al-Medina, and al-Mustafa*. eds. Masooda Bano and Keiko Sakurai. Edinburgh University Press.

### Encyclopedia Entry

- 2013 “Universities” in *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Islam and Women*. New York: Oxford University Press.

### Book Reviews

- 2016 Zakia Salime. *Between Feminism and Islam: Human Rights and Sharia Law in Morocco*. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 2011. *Hypatia* (forthcoming March/April 2017).
- 2015 Mamadou Diouf. Ed. *Tolerance, Democracy, and Sufis in Senegal*. New York: Columbia University Press. *Islamic Africa* 6: 217-219.
- 2015 Lisa Stampnitzky. *Disciplining Terror: How Experts Invented “Terrorism”*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2013. *Terrorism and Political Violence* 27(3): 598-600.

### CURRENT PROJECTS

Religious Regulation as Foreign Policy: Morocco’s Islamic Diplomacy in West Africa, *revised and resubmitted to journal, awaiting final decision*

Using Twitter to Teach #Expertise: Professional Development for Students interested in Foreign Policy, *in progress*

The State as a Religious Actor: The case of Morocco, *in progress*

### SELECTED GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

#### Grants and Fellowships

- 2016 American Academy of Religion Luce Fellowship in Religion and International Affairs, administered through the Franklin Fellowship, placement at the Office of Religion and Global Affairs, State Department, 12 months
- 2015 Competitive Faculty Research Leave to complete book project, Fall, Saint Louis University  
Teach to the [Jesuit] Mission Grant, St. Louis University
- 2014 Innovative Teaching Fellowship, Reinert Center for Transformative Teaching and Learning, St. Louis University
- 2013 Project on Middle East Political Science Teaching, Research and Engagement Grant
- 2012 Graduate School Dissertation Fellowship, University of Florida
- 2012 McGinty Dissertation Fellowship, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Florida, *declined*
- 2012 Course Development Grant for CPO 3403: Politics of the Middle East, Innovation through Institutional Integration, National Science Foundation
- 2010 Boren Fellowship, dissertation fieldwork in Morocco
- 2009 Department of Political Science, University of Florida, pre-dissertation fieldwork

Department of Political Science, Duke University, Research stipend through affiliation with Dr. Herbert Kitschelt

### **Language Study Grants**

- 2014 Ibn Battuta Merit Scholarship, Qalam wa Lawh Center for Arabic Studies, Rabat, Morocco  
2014 Partial Tuition Scholarship, Georgetown University, Summer Arabic Language Institute  
2010 Boren Fellowship, Arabic language instruction  
2008-2009 Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship, Center for African Studies, University of Florida, Arabic language instruction  
2008 Foreign Language and Area Studies Summer Fellowship, Center for African Studies, University of Florida, Arabic language instruction  
2007-2008 Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship, Center for African Studies, University of Florida, Arabic language instruction

### **CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION**

#### **Invited Talks**

- 2016 Expert Focus Group (invited participant), United States Institute of Peace and the RESOLVE Network, July 27, Berlin, Germany  
Evolving Methodologies in the Study of Islamist Politics, George Washington University, Project on Middle East Political Science, January 29  
“The War on Terror and the Arab State”  
2015 Georgetown University, African Studies Program lecture series, 3 December  
“State Responses to the War on Terror: Morocco’s Bureaucratization of Islam”  
Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies, October 21  
“Promoting 'Tolerant' Islam in Africa: Morocco's Recent Outreach Initiative”

#### **Panels Organized**

- 2014 American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., August 28-31  
“The State as a Religious Actor”  
2012 Middle East Studies Association, Denver, November 17  
“Teaching the Arab Uprisings”

#### **Presentations**

- 2016 Life Trajectories of Religious Education, Cape Town, South Africa, 24-26 February  
“Khalid Samadi: an Islamic Education Bureaucrat”  
2015 American Academy of Religion, Atlanta, November 21-24  
“Religious Regulation as Foreign Policy: The case of Morocco”  
2015 American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 3-6  
“Religious Regulation as Foreign Policy: The case of Morocco”  
2014 American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., August 28-31  
“The State as a Religious Actor: The case of Morocco”  
2013 Project on Middle East Political Science Junior Scholars Book Development Workshop,

- Yale University, November 15
- 2013 Islamic Institutions of Higher Learning, Duke University, October 17-19  
“Globalization and Islamic Education: Thirty Years of the Islamic Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization”
- 2013 Religion, Identity and Politics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, May 10-11  
Poster: “Regulating religion through public school curricula: The case of Morocco”
- 2012 African Studies Association, November 30  
“Political Socialization as Authoritarian Strategy: Islamic Education and Party Politics in Post-Independence Morocco”
- 2012 Middle East Studies Association, Denver, November 19  
“Teaching the Arab Uprisings”
- 2012 Middle East Studies Association, Denver, November 19  
“Spaces, Networks, Institutions: Men, Women and Islamic Authority in the Twentieth Century”
- 2012 Centres of Learning and Change in Muslim Societies: Global Influence of Al-Azhar, Al-Madinah, and Al-Mustafa, Oxford University, August 28  
“The Impact of the Relationship between Al-Azhar, the Salafiyya, and the Moroccan Nationalist Movement on Public Education Policy in the Twentieth Century”
- 2012 American Institute for Maghrib Studies Dissertation Workshop, May 5  
“How an Islamic solution became an Islamist problem: Salafization, Islamic Education and ideological conflict in Morocco”
- 2012 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 12  
“Contextualizing the Arab Spring: the role of Islamic education curriculum reform in ideological conflicts between Leftists and Islamists in Morocco”
- 2012 Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, January 12  
“Negotiating an Islamic Identity in Moroccan Public School Curriculum”
- 2011 Presentation, Reforms in Islamic Education Conference, Cambridge University, April 9  
“Constructing the State-Society Distinction: Islamic Education Reforms in Morocco”
- 2008 African Studies Association, Chicago, November 14  
“Examining State Strategy: Governance in a Scripturalist Era in North Africa”
- 2007 New York State Political Science Association, April 21  
“Women's involvement in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Palestinian Intifada”

### **Discussant**

- 2012 African Studies Association, November 30  
“Institutions and Democracy”

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2016 POLS 1500: Introduction to Comparative Politics  
POLS 2590: Politics of the Middle East and North Africa  
POLS 1000: Introduction to Political Science (2 sections; including a Pathways section – focused on teaching ELL and international students)
- 2015 POLS 393: America and the Middle East
- 2014 POLS 593: Islam and Gender, graduate seminar

- POLS 393: The Arab Spring and the Politics of Expertise  
 POLS 150: Introduction to Comparative Politics  
 POLS 593: Authoritarianism: A Study in Conceptual Utility, graduate seminar  
 2013 POLS 100: Introduction to Political Science  
 POLS 265: Politics of the Middle East  
 2012 CPO 4000: The Contentious Politics of the Arab Uprisings  
 IDH 3931-053A: Storytelling and the One Thousand and One Nights  
 CPO 3403: Politics of the Middle East  
 CPO 2001: Introduction to Comparative Politics

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2016 Fieldwork, Rabat, Morocco, 1 week  
 2015 Fieldwork, Dakar, Senegal, 1 month  
 2014 Fieldwork, Rabat, Morocco, 1 month  
 2013 Consultant, Department of Defense sub-contractor  
 2012 Archival Research, Institut du Monde Arabe, Paris, 2 weeks  
 2011 Research Assistant, Kate Baldwin, Department of Political Science, University of Florida  
 2010 Dissertation fieldwork, Morocco, 10 months  
 2010 Consultant, Swedish International Development and Cooperation Agency, Ghana, Mali, Senegal, Review of the Afrobarometer survey project, 3 weeks  
 2010 Department representative, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse University, June 14<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>  
 2010 Research Assistant, Editorial Committee of *CD-APSA*, Newsletter for the Comparative Democratization section of the American Political Science Association  
 2010 Research Assistant, Dr. Michael Bernhard, Department of Political Science, University of Florida  
 2009 Research Assistant, Herbert Kitschelt, Department of Political Science, Duke University, Morocco  
 2009 Pre-dissertation fieldwork, Morocco, 3 months  
 2008 Research Assistant, Dr. Staffan Lindberg, Department of Political Science, University of Florida

## SERVICE TO PROFESSION, DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY

I have reviewed articles, book proposals and book manuscripts for *Comparative Politics*, *Journal of North African Studies*, University of California Press, University of Toronto Press, *Terrorism and Political Violence*, and *Islamic Africa*.

- 2016 MA Comprehensive Exam Committee  
 Host of multiple ATLAS (international week) events  
 2015 Teach to the [Jesuit] Mission Working Group  
 Learning Studio Symposium, Reinert Center for Transformative Teaching and Learning  
 “Using Twitter to Teach Expertise”  
 2014 Departmental Service: Faculty mentor to the Political Science Club, member of Publicity Committee and Events Committee, Co-Chair of the Newsletter Committee  
 2013 Middle East Studies Committee, St. Louis University

*successfully proposed a minor in Middle East Studies for St. Louis University*

- Country Expert on Morocco, Varieties of Democracy Project  
Member, Masters of Public Administration NASPAA Self-Study group, St. Louis University  
Participant, Rhodes Scholarship internal review committee, St. Louis University
- 2012 Graduate Student President, American Institute for Maghrib Studies  
Coordinator for Dissertation Workshop, UCLA; May 4-6
- 2010 Search committee graduate student representative, Islam and Muslim Societies in Africa  
Center for African Studies, University of Florida
- 2008-2009 Vice President, Graduate Student Council (GSC), University of Florida
- 2008-2009 Chair of the GSC Conference Committee, Graduate Student Council, University of Florida
- 2008 Students in African Studies coordinator, Center for African Studies, University of Florida
- 2007-2009 Editorial board, *African Studies Quarterly*, Center for African Studies, University of Florida

## **PUBLIC WRITING**

- 2017 Monkey Cage Blog, Washington Post, 3 February  
“Why Trump’s focus on ‘Islamic terrorism’ misses the point entirely”
- 2016 Global Observatory, 27 July 2016  
“Morocco’s AU bid builds on years of strategic diplomacy”
- 2015 Global Observatory, 23 July 2015  
“Despite Setbacks, Habré Trial Suggests New Path for African Justice”
- 2015 Global Observatory, 11 May 2015  
“Without Reform, UN’s Western Sahara Mission Risks Failure”
- 2015 Global Observatory, 26 March 2015  
“Morocco’s Nigeria Snub Reveals Complex West African Ambitions”
- 2014 ISLAMiCommentary, 16 March 2014  
“Morocco Steps Up Leadership in Religious and Security Affairs in West Africa”
- 2014 Monkey Cage Blog, Washington Post, 20 June  
“Why did Morocco’s prime minister call for a boycott of Dannon yogurt?”

## **SERVICE TO COMMUNITY**

- 2016 St. Louis Art Museum, Roundtable, 18 November  
“Artists Respond to War and its Consequences”
- 2016 St. Timothy’s Episcopal Church, 6 November  
“Islam and Contemporary Politics”
- 2016 St. Timothy’s Episcopal Church, 30 October  
“Islam and Politics”
- 2016 St. Matthias the Apostle Catholic Church, 3 October  
“Islam and Politics”
- 2016 St. Timothy’s Episcopal Church, 14 February  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2016 Catholic Studies Mass Speaker, Saint Louis University, 15 January  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2015 Principia College, 10 April  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2015 Catholic Radio, 30 January

- 2015 Appearance on “In the Heartland with Bishop Pates” to discuss ISIS  
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, February 8  
“Introduction to Islam, part II”
- 2014 The Wednesday Club, 3 December  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2014 Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 16 November  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2014 Appearance on KTRS local radio, 20 September  
“Ann Waincott SLU Professor informs us about ISIS”
- 2014 Nosh and Knowledge, St. Louis, MO, February 9  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2013 The Lifelong Learning Institute, Washington University, St. Louis, MO, November 12  
“Introduction to Islam”
- 2013 The Atrium, Gainesville, FL, March 14  
“Introduction to and Overview of Islam and Politics”

## LANGUAGES

### Arabic

Reading: Advanced  
Writing: Advanced  
Speaking: Advanced  
August 2014 – passed Georgetown University’s Arabic Proficiency Exam

### French

Reading: Advanced  
Writing: Advanced  
Speaking: Advanced

### Spanish

Reading: Intermediate  
Writing: Intermediate  
Speaking: Intermediate

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

African Studies Association  
American Academy of Religion  
American Institute for Maghrib Studies  
American Political Science Association  
Middle East Studies Association