

## Mark David Nieman

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	<b>Iowa State University</b> , Ames, IA Assistant Professor, 2015–present <b>University of Alabama</b> , Tuscaloosa, AL Assistant Professor, 2014–2015 <b>University of Missouri</b> , Columbia, MO Visiting Assistant Professor, 2013–2014	
EDUCATION	<b>University of Iowa</b> , Iowa City, IA Ph.D., Political Science, 2013 <b>Iowa State University</b> , Ames, IA M.A., Political Science, 2008 B.A., Political Science and History, 2006	
RESEARCH INTERESTS	<b>International Relations/Comparative Politics:</b> Major Power Competition, Conflict Processes, Social Authority/Hierarchy, International Political Economy, Foreign Direct Investment, State Development, Comparative Foreign Policy, Rising Powers <b>Quantitative Methodology:</b> Strategic Interaction/Selection Models, Split-population/Mixture Models, Multilevel Models, Times Series, Event History, Spatial Statistics, Non-nested Model Comparisons, Latent Measurement Models, Game Theory, Quantal Response	
EXTERNAL FUNDING	2017-2020. <i>Modeling Sample Selection for Multi-Level Data Structures</i> (Co-PI with Olga Chyzh and Doug Gibler). National Science Foundation. Award #SES-1729244/1728395. \$430,201 (\$272,013 to ISU). 2018-2019. <i>St. Louis Area Methods Meeting Graduate Student Colloquium</i> (Co-PI with Olga Chyzh and Dave Peterson). National Science Foundation. Award #SES-1820923. \$15,000.	
BOOK	Thies, Cameron G. and Mark David Nieman. 2017. <i>Rising Powers and Foreign Policy Revisionism: Understanding BRICS Identity and Behavior through Time</i> . Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press.	
PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES	McManus, Roseanne W. and Mark David Nieman. Forthcoming. Identifying Major Power Support Signaled for Protégés: A Latent Measure Approach. <i>Journal of Peace Research</i> . <a href="https://doi.org/10.1177/0022343318808842">https://doi.org/10.1177/0022343318808842</a> Nieman, Mark David and Cameron G. Thies. Forthcoming. Property Rights Regimes, Technological Innovation, and Foreign Direct Investment. <i>Political Science Research and Methods</i> . <a href="https://doi.org/10.1017/psrm.2017.46">https://doi.org/10.1017/psrm.2017.46</a> Nieman, Mark David. 2018. Strategic Binary Choice Models with Partial Observability. <i>Statistica Sinica</i> . 28(4): 2089-2105. Nieman, Mark David. 2016. The Return on Social Bonds: Social Hierarchy and International Conflict. <i>Journal of Peace Research</i> 53(5): 665-679.	

Nieman, Mark David. 2016. Moments In Time: Temporal Patterns in the Effect of Democracy and Trade on Conflict. *Conflict Management and Peace Science* 33(3): 273-293.

Thies, Cameron G., Olga Chyzh, and Mark David Nieman. 2016. The Spatial Dimensions of State Fiscal Capacity: The Mechanisms of International Influence on Domestic Extractive Efforts. *Political Science Research and Methods* 4(1): 5-26.

Nieman, Mark David. 2015. Statistical Analysis of Strategic Interaction with Unobservable Player Actions: Introducing a Strategic Probit with Partial Observability. *Political Analysis* 23(3): 429-448.

Nieman, Mark David and Jonathan J. Ring. 2015. The Construction of Human Rights: Accounting for Systematic Bias in Common Human Rights Measures. *European Political Science* 14(4): 473-495.

Nieman, Mark David. 2011. Shocks and Turbulence: Globalization and the Occurrence of Civil War. *International Interactions* 37(3): 263-292.

OTHER  
PUBLICATIONS

Nieman, Mark David. 2018. The Strategic Effects of Time and Uncertainty. Book Review of: David M. Edelstein. 2017, *Over the Horizon: Time, Uncertainty, and the Rise of Great Powers*. Ithaca and London: Cornell University Press. In *International Studies Review*.

Thies, Cameron G. and Mark David Nieman. 2011. Protectionism. In *International Encyclopedia of Political Science*, Bertrand Badie, Dirk Berg-Schlosser and Leonardo Morlino, Lead Editors. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

UNDER REVIEW

An International Game of Risk: Troop Placement and Major Power Competition (with Carla Martinez Machain, Olga Chyzh, and Sam R. Bell).

Leaving the Party: Power Asymmetries and Membership Discontinuity within International Organizations (with Youngwan Kim).

Modeling Structural Selection For Disaggregated Events Data (with Olga Chyzh and Douglas M. Gibler).

Cooperation in Good Times: Why Democracies Behave Differently (with Douglas M. Gibler).

- Frank J. Klingberg Best Faculty Paper Award, ISA-Midwest (2015)

State-Controlled Media and Foreign Policy: Analyzing Russian-language News (with Elena Labzina).

Foreign-Policy Challenges in International Political Economy. In *American Foreign Policy under Trump: Challenges, Changes and Continuity*, Mansbach, Richard W. and James McCormick (eds). Palgrave Press.

WORKING PAPERS

Explaining Variation in Protester Commitment: Survey Evidence from Ukraine's EuroMaidan, 2013-2014 (with Olga Chyzh).

Containing Our Confidence: Controlling Explosive Confidence Intervals when using Long Run Multipliers (with David A.M. Peterson).

Accounting for Uncertainty in Human Rights Indexes using an Ordered Heteroskedastic Probit Model (with Jonathan J. Ring).

WORKS IN  
PROGRESS

School of Thought: Higher Education and Economic Liberalization (with Maxwell Allamong).

The Effect of Dog-whistle Politics on Domestic Violence (with Olga Chyzh and Clayton Webb).

Accounting for Temporal Dependence in Regressions with Limited Dependent Variables (with Clayton McLaughlin Webb).

Illiberal Policy Behavior and Economic Sanctions: A Return on Social Bonds?

Putting Together the FDI Puzzle: An Endogenous Model of Foreign Direct Investment, Democracy, Economic Development, and Human Capital.

INVITED  
PRESENTATIONS

Identifying Major Power Support Signaled for Protégés: A Latent Measure Approach. Kansas State University. February 20, 2018.

Explaining Variation in Protester Commitment: Survey Evidence from Ukraine's EuroMaidan, 2013–2014. *Conflict Consortium Virtual Workshop (CCVW)*. April 15, 2015.

Property Rights Regimes, Technological Innovation, and Foreign Direct Investment. *Innovations in Comparative Methods*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, March 26–27, 2015.

Statistical Analysis of Strategic Interaction with Unobservable Player Actions: Introducing a Strategic Probit with Partial Observability. *International Methods Colloquium*, March 13, 2015.

The Spatial Dimensions of State Fiscal Capacity: The Mechanisms of International Influence on Domestic Extractive Efforts (with Cameron G. Thies and Olga Chyzh). *Spatial Models of Politics in Europe and Beyond*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, February 22–23, 2013.

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS  
(PREVIOUS TWO  
YEARS)

The Effect of Dog-whistle Politics on Domestic Violence (with Olga Chyzh and Clayton Webb). *International Studies Association–Midwest*: St. Louis, MO, November 17, 2018.

Machine Readable Text and the Scientific Study of Diplomacy (with Leah Windsor and Zuhair Mahmood). Scientific Study of Diplomacy Workshop at *Peace Science Society*: Austin, TX. November 8, 2018.

Accounting for Temporal Dependence in Regressions with Limited Dependent Variables (with Clayton McLaughlin Webb). *Society of Political Methodology Summer Meeting*: Provo, UT, July 19, 2018.

Structural Selection for Events Data (with Olga Chyzh and Douglas M. Gibler). *International Studies Association*: San Francisco, CA, April 4, 2018.

Identifying Major Power Support Signaled for Protégés: A Latent Measure Approach (with Roseanne W. McManus). *International Studies Association–Midwest*: St. Louis, MO, November 17, 2017.

Major Power Competition and Troop Placement in Minor Powers (with Carla Martinez Machain, Olga Chyzh, and Sam Bell). *Peace Science Society*: Tempe, AZ. November 3, 2017.

Exploring the Dynamic Effects of Lagged Limited Dependent Variables in Regression Models (with Clayton McLaughlin Webb). *Society of Political Methodology Summer Meeting*: Madison, WI, July 13–15, 2017.

State-Controlled Media and Foreign Policy: Analyzing Russian-language News (with Elena Labzina). *European Political Science Association*: Milan, Italy, June 23, 2017.

Structural Selection for Events Data (with Olga Chyzh and Douglas M. Gibler). *Midwest Political Science Association*: Chicago, IL, April 6, 2017

Separating the Chaff from the Wheat: Accounting for Uncertainty in Human Rights Indices (with Jonathan J. Ring). *International Studies Association*: Baltimore, MD, February 25, 2017.

Identifying Major Power Support Signaled for Protégés: A Latent Measure Dataset using a Mixed Multivariate Model (with Roseanne W. McManus). *International Studies Association*: Baltimore, MD, February 24, 2017.

ADDITIONAL  
TRAINING

**University of Essex**, Colchester, United Kingdom

Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis, August 2011

**University of Michigan**, Ann Arbor, MI

Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, July-August 2010

SMALL GRANTS  
AND AWARDS

Big 12 Faculty Fellowship. Office of the Senior Vice President and Provost, *Iowa State University*. 2017/2018. (\$2,000).

Small Grant. Liberal Arts & Sciences, *Iowa State University*. 2017. (\$1,150).

Foreign Travel Grant. Liberal Arts & Sciences, *Iowa State University*. 2017. (\$1,219.50).

Travel Grant. *International Studies Association*. 2017. (\$100).

Small Grant. Liberal Arts & Sciences, *Iowa State University*. 2016. (\$1,000).

Travel Grant. *International Studies Association*. 2016. (\$100).

Frank J. Klingberg Best Faculty Paper. *International Studies Association–Midwest*. 2015. (\$200).

Professional Development Grant. *International Studies Association–Midwest*. 2015. (\$250).

Travel Grant. *American Political Science Association*. 2013. (\$150).

Travel Grant. *International Studies Association*. 2013. (\$250).

Travel Grant. Department of Political Science, *University of Iowa*. 2013. (\$1,000).

Travel Grant. Executive Council of Graduate Students, *University of Iowa*. 2013. (\$117).

Ada Louisa Ballard and Seashore Dissertation Year Fellowship. *University of Iowa*. 2012–2013. (\$18,000).

Travel Grant. Society for Political Methodology. *National Science Foundation*. 2012. (\$750).

Travel Grant. *American Political Science Association*. 2012. (\$300).

Travel Grant. Graduate Student Senate, *University of Iowa*. 2012. (\$400).

Travel Grant. International Programs, *University of Iowa*. 2012. (\$500).

Travel Grant. Society for Political Methodology. *National Science Foundation*. 2011. (\$650).

Summer Workshop Funding. Political Science Department, *University of Iowa*. 2011. (\$1,500).

Excellence in Teaching “Thank a Teacher”. *University of Iowa*. 2009.

Laurence Fairall Scholarship. *University of Iowa*. 2008–2013. (\$25,000).

James A. Socknat Memorial Fellowship. *Iowa State University*. 2008. (\$1,000).

Donald E. Boles Outstanding Graduate Student Award. *Iowa State University*. 2008. (\$500).

Graduate Teaching Excellence Award. *Iowa State University*. 2007.

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**Iowa State University**, Ames, IA

- Introduction to International Relations
- Introduction to Empirical Political Science Research
- International Political Economy
- International Security Policy
- Proseminar in International Politics (Graduate)
- Strategy and War

**University of Alabama**, Tuscaloosa, AL

- Introduction to International Relations
- Politics and War

- Quantitative Methods II (Graduate)

**University of Missouri**, Columbia, MO

- American Foreign Policy
- Introduction to International Relations
- Politics and War
- Strategy and War

OTHER ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE **University of Iowa**, Iowa City, IA

*Research Assistant*

- ICOW data set: Coding Maritime Claims

**World Bank**, Washington, DC

*James A. Socknat Fellow*

- Human Development Network-Education Sector

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association, Conflict Processes, Midwest Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Peace Science Society, Scientific Study of International Processes, St. Louis Area Methods Meeting, Society of Political Methodology

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

**Editorial Service:**

01/2018–present, Editorial Board Member, *International Studies Review*

**Organization Service:**

2018-2020, At-large Representative, *International Studies Association-Midwest*

2015-2017, Book Award Committee, *International Studies Association-Midwest*

**Reviewer:**

*American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Foreign Policy Analysis, International Interactions, International Security, International Studies Quarterly, International Studies Review, Journal of Global Security Studies, Journal of Peace Research, Journal of Politics, Political Analysis, Political Science Research and Methods, Sociological Methods and Research*

**Conference Organizer:**

St. Louis Area Methods Meeting (SLAMM!), Ames, IA, April 20, 2018 (with Olga Chyzh and Dave Peterson).

**Conference Assistant:**

International Studies Association-Midwest Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2-4, 2012.

**Conference Discussant:**

International Studies Association–Midwest, St. Louis, MO, November 17, 2018.

International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, April 2, 2018.

International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Meeting, St Louis, MO, November 17–18, 2017.

International Studies Association, Baltimore, MD, February 22–25, 2017.

International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Meeting, St Louis, MO, November 19, 2016.

Society of Political Methodology Summer Meeting (poster discussant), Houston, TX, July 22, 2016.

International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Meeting, St Louis, MO, November 20, 2015.

International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 7-9, 2014.

International Studies Association, Toronto, March 26–29, 2014

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 3–6, 2014.

International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 8–10, 2013.

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 11–14, 2013.

International Studies Association–Midwest Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, November 2–4, 2012.

**University Service:**

**Iowa State University**, Ames, IA

Adviser, United Residents of Off-Campus (student association) Fall 2018–.

**Department Service:**

**Iowa State University**, Ames, IA

Member, Undergraduate Committee, Fall 2015–Spring 2018.

Member, Graduate Admissions/Financial Aid Committee, Fall 2015–Spring 2017.

Selection Committee, Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics, Fall 2015–Spring 2018.

**University of Alabama**, Tuscaloosa, AL

Member, Assistant Professor in American Politics Search Committee, Fall 2014–Spring 2015.

Member, Colloquium Committee, Fall 2014–Spring 2015.

Faculty Mentor, Research Design, Spring 2015.

**Thesis Supervision:**

**Iowa State University**, Ames, IA

Darrell Carter. Political Science (MA, 2018). Committee Member.

Brendan Lichtenberg. Political Science (MA, 2017). Committee Chair.

Goran Hassan. Political Science (MA, 2016). Committee Chair.

Elizabeth Dippold. Political Science (MA, 2016). Committee Member.

**Dissertation Supervision:**

**University of Alabama**, Tuscaloosa, AL

Erin Little. Political Science (PhD, in progress). Committee Member.

REFERENCES

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