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## **EDUCATION:**

Ph.D. Loyola University Chicago, 2003

Major Field: International Relations, Minor Field: Political Theory

Ph.D. Dissertation Topic: *International Legitimacy and the United Nations Security Council*, completed August, 2003

M.A. Loyola University Chicago, 1997

B.A. Political Science, University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, 1985.

## **ACADEMIC PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

### **Loyola University Chicago:**

- Director, African Studies and the African Diaspora Interdisciplinary Program, 2013-present
- Full Time Non-Tenure Track Senior Lecturer, Spring 2020-present
- Full Time Lecturer and Advanced Lecturer, 2010-2019
- Visiting Assistant Professor: 2008-09
- Instructor: Fall 2005-Spring 2007; Fall 2003; Spring 2004; Spring 1999
- Co-instructor (with Dr. Kendall Stiles): Spring 1996 and Spring 1997
- Promoted to “Adjunct” status in the Political Science and International Studies Departments in Fall 2006 in recognition of teaching and professional merit.
- Classes taught:
  - Introduction to International Relations (PLSC 102)
  - Introduction to International Studies (INTS 101)
  - Model United Nations (PLSC 367 and PLSC 300)
  - Capitalism and Its Discontents (PLSC 252)
    - new class created in Fall 2019 after three years as a Special Topics class
  - Politics of International Public Health (PLSC 317)
    - new class created in 2015 after two years as a Special Topics class
  - Politics of Genocide (PLSC 318)
    - new class created in 2015 after two years as a Special Topics class
  - Politics of International Economic Relations (PLSC 350)
  - International Law (PLSC 353)
  - Special Topics: Globalization (PLSC 300)
  - Fieldwork in Political Science / Internship (PLSC 370)
  - PLSC Honors Seminar: Politics of Genocide in Rwanda (PLSC 395)
  - Honors: Encountering Africa (HON210B)
    - new class created in Fall 2018 for the Honors Program

- PLSC Honors Seminar: Politics and Genocide in Rwanda
  - New class created in 2019 for the PLSC capstone honors seminar
- Organizer and moderator for the first College of Arts and Sciences “Speakers Series on Global Racism.” Moderator a zoom conversation attended by over 500 Loyolans with Professor Eddie Glaude Jr (Princeton) about racism in America, Feb 8, 2021.
- Co-organizer for the College of Arts and Sciences “Speakers Series on Global Racism” semester long event, including five interdisciplinary presentations on global racism.
- Facilitator, Aichana Abeid Boilil Award program honoring U.S. Representative Jan Schakowsky, Spring, 2019, by the African Studies Program and the Abolition Institute
- Co-facilitator of a Spring 2017 academic panel, “Revolutionary Diplomats? Impact of the Arab Spring on the Formulation and Implementation of North African Foreign Policies.” Funded by the Dean’s Office and Covey Fund.
- Co-facilitator of a Fall 2010/Spring 2011 speakers series titled: “Africa Lecture Series: Challenges and Hope for the African Continent” (with P. Schraeder and G. Stenken) under the auspices of the Political Science and Black World Studies departments. A grant for this special project was awarded by the College of Arts and Sciences to fund this series.
- Co-facilitator of a Fall 2011/Spring 2012 speakers series titled: “Africa Lecture Series: African Conflict Resolution and Peace Making” (with P. Schraeder and G. Stenken) under the auspices of the Political Science and Black World Studies departments. A grant for this special project was awarded by the College of Arts and Sciences to fund this series.
- Inaugural recipient of the Loyola University Chicago Provost’s Award for Excellence in Teaching Freshman, August, 2012.

#### **North Central College (Naperville, IL):**

- Assistant Professor (full-time, part-time and half-time): 1999-2005; Winter/Spring 2007; (full-time) 2007-08
- Classes taught:
  - Introduction to International Relations (PSC 102)
  - Comparative Politics (PSC 221) - focus on African politics in 2003
  - American Foreign Policy (PSC 222)
  - Global Governance (PSC 320)
  - Model United Nations I (PSC 321) and Model United Nations II (PSC 322)
  - International Law (PSC 333)
  - People and Cultures of Africa (HST 185)
  - Topics in Global Awareness, Cuba and Costa Rica (INS 177)
  - Political Science Senior Seminar: Globalization (PSC 420)
  - Global Studies Senior Seminar: Globalization (GLS 492)
  - Numerous Directed Readings and Independent Study courses

#### **Loyola University Chicago, Teaching Fellow: Fall 1999; Spring 2000**

- Classes taught:
  - International Politics, formerly Introduction to International Relations (PLSC 102)
  - Introduction to International Studies (INTS 101)
  - International Organizations / the United Nations (PLSC 364)

**Loyola University Chicago, Teaching Internship: Spring 1998**

- Classes taught:
  - Co-instructor: Model United Nations (PLSC 367)
  - Guest Lecturer: International Law (PLSC 353); International Organizations (PLSC 433)

Guest lecturer on various African, United Nations and international topics at the University of Chicago Harris School, Chicago Council on Foreign Relations/Global Affairs, the Union League Club of Chicago, Northwestern University, Roosevelt University, University of Illinois-Chicago, College of DuPage, Governor's State University, Kent College of Law, Elmhurst College, Harper College. Since 1992.

**ACADEMIC / PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS:**

Co-Editor of a special issue of *The Journal of North African Studies*, "Revolutionary Diplomats? Impacts of the Arab Spring on the Formulation and Implementation of North African Foreign Policies" (with Peter J. Schraeder, Michael J. Schumacher, and Kirstie Lynn Dobbs), Vol. 24, Issue 4, 2019.

"Revolutionary Diplomats? Introduction to the Study of North African Foreign Policies within the Context of the Arab Spring." *The Journal of North African Studies* (with Peter J. Schraeder, Michael J. Schumacher, and Kirstie Lynn Dobbs), , Vol. 24, Issue 4, 2019.

"Model United Nations and Experiential Learning: An Assessment of Changes in Knowledge and Attitudes," *Journal of Social Science Education Research*, (with David K. Jesuit), Vol. 9, Issue 4, 2018.

"Rwanda Today: When Foreign Aid Hurts More than It Helps," (with Emmanuel Hakizimana) for the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation, Fall 2009.

"Enhancing Education About the United Nations," *UN Chronicle*, Vol. XVI, Number 2, 2004.

"Portrayal of Africa in the Media: Cold War and Post-Cold War Trends." *Issue: A Journal of Opinion*, vol. 19, no. 1, December 1998 (with Peter J. Schraeder).

Book Review: *Autopsy on an Empire: The American Ambassador's Account of the Collapse of the Soviet Union*, by Jack F. Matlock Jr. Reviewed for *Lituanus: The Lithuanian Quarterly Journal*, Summer, 1996.

Book Review: *Gorbachev's Failure in Lithuania*, by Alfred Erich Senn. Reviewed for the *Journal of Baltic Studies*, Spring, 1996.

Chapters on the "Iran-Iraq War", "Human Rights" and "Terrorism" for *A Guide to Delegate Preparation, 1986-87*, New York: United Nations Association, 1986.

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS:**

“Marc Kanywabahizi Ndayambaje Asylum Case (in Canadian court) Expert Witness Report,” April, 2021

Co-Editor (with multiple co-editors), *Model UN “in a Box (Ninth Edition)*, Chicago: American Model United Nations Publications, 2021. A preparation manual/teaching guide for faculty members involved in Model United Nations programs. Editor for all previous editions.

“Jean Baptiste Nyabusore Asylum Case (in Netherlands court): Expert Witness Report,” October 6, 2020

“Shafic Kakooza Asylum Case: Expert Witness Report,” September 27, 2020. Case involving Ugandan doctor fleeing LGBTQ based violence.

“Jean Rwasibo Asylum Case (in Netherlands court): Expert Witness Report,” September 18, 2020.

“Teaching Model UN in a Virtual Environment,” August 2020, new chapter for the *AMUN Simulation Guide: Model UN “in a box” (8<sup>th</sup> Edition)*.

“Patrick Mwizerwa, Asylum Case: Expert Witness Report,” January 28, 2019.

“Elaine Mukakabanda Asylum Case: Expert Witness Report,” March 7, 2016.

“Philbert Mutuyimana Manzi Asylum Case: Expert Witness Report,” February 2, 2015.

“Expert Report Prepared for the Matter of Regina (the Crown) v. Jacques Mungwarere,” September, 2012.

“United States of America v. Beatrice Munyenyezi: Expert Witness Report,” January 23, 2012.

“Can False Accusations Silence the Truth?” for the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation, October, 2011.

“Clemence Mucyo Asylum Case: Expert Witness Report,” July 28, 2011.

“United States of America v. Lazare Kobagaya: Expert Witness Report,” December 28, 2010.

“Rwandan Elections Are a Step Away from Democracy,” (with Paul Rusesabagina), for the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation, August 2010.

“The Economics of Death: Congo, Rwanda and Conflict Minerals,” (with Paul Rusesabagina) for the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation, October, 2009

“Rwanda Now Also Tries to Limit International Press Freedoms,” (with Paul Rusesabagina) for

the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation, April, 2009

“War Crimes and Rwanda,” (with Paul Rusesabagina) for the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation, December, 2008.

Author, *Model UN “in a Box,”* Chapter I: “Teaching Model UN in the Classroom,” Chapter III, “Caucusing and Consensus Building,” (with Adam D. Wolfe), Chapter IV, “Rules of Procedure” (with multiple other authors), Chapter VII, “Simulation of the Security Council” (with Ryan Kennedy), Chicago: American Model United Nations Publications, 2008.

Editor (with Carl Smith), *Toxic Travelers: International Efforts to Regulate Hazardous Chemicals*, Chicago and Los Angeles: AMUN Publications and the Foundation for Advancements in Science and Education, 2006. This guide for teaching about science and international affairs was created as part of the educational component of a grant from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Author, *Toxic Travelers: International Efforts to Regulate Hazardous Chemicals*, Chapters II-VII, Chicago and Los Angeles: AMUN Publications and the Foundation for Advancements in Science and Education, 2006.

Co-Author (with Adam D. Wolfe), *AMUN Simulation Guide*, a yearly preparation manual and teaching guide for faculty members involved in Model United Nations programs, 1998-2002

Co-Author (with multiple others), *AMUN Rules and Procedures*, the yearly preparation handbook for participants in the American Model United Nations Conference, 1990-2010 (various authors).

Editor-in-Chief and contributing author, *Issues at AMUN*, the yearly research guide for the AMUN Conference. Author on the topics of: the Security Council; Special Political Committee; Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee; Disarmament Committee and; ICJ, 1990-2010.

#### **CONFERENCE PAPERS, PANELS, PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS AND TESTIMONY:**

Panelist, UCLA School of Law Webinar, “Human Rights and International Law in Rwanda: the Story of Paul Rusesabagina,” March 10, 2021

Panelist, Congressional Briefing for Foreign Policy Staff, February 2021

College of Arts and Sciences Global Series on Racism, Spring 2021

Committee member for the interdisciplinary program series

Host and interviewer for the kickoff webinar, “Race and Politics in the US, featuring Prof Eddie Glaude, Jr.” February 11, 2021

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *Netherlands versus Jean Rwasibo*. This case involves challenges to Netherlands citizenship for Mr. Rwasibo based on false allegations that he participated in the 1994 genocide in Rwanda. September, 2020.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *Netherlands versus Jean Baptiste Nyabusore*. This case involves challenges to Netherlands citizenship for Mr. Nyabusore based on his persecution by the Rwandan government for affiliation with an opposition political party. October, 2020.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *United States versus Shafic Kakooza*. Testified for the defense in a refugee asylum case involving a Ugandan doctor who fled political persecution due to his willingness to treat LGBTQ clients. September, 2020.

Aichana Abeid Boilil Award Program, as Director of African Studies, worked with the Abolition Institute to present a panel honoring the work of U.S. Representative Jan Schakowsky in anti-slavery efforts in Mauritania and across Africa, Spring, 2019.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *United States versus Patrick Mwizerwa*. Testified for the defense in a refugee asylum case for a Rwandan asylum seeker who fled political and physical persecution, January, 2019.

Revolutionary Diplomats: Impacts of the Arab Spring on the Formulation and Implementation of North African Foreign Policies, hosted and facilitated an academic symposium at Loyola University Chicago with nine scholars presenting and discussing papers on this topic. The symposium included two public sessions for the Loyola community, and is projected to be published in journal form or as an edited volume in 2017-2018. Funded by the College of Arts and Sciences and the Frank M. Covey Fund. Symposium in March, 2017.

Anti-Slavery Movement in Mauritania, as Director of African Studies, hosted and moderated a panel at Loyola featuring leaders of the modern anti-slavery movement in Mauritania. February, 2017.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *United States versus Elaine Mukakabanda*. Testified for the defense in a refugee asylum case for a Rwandan asylum seeker who fled political and physical persecution. March, 2016.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *United States versus Beatrice Munyenyezi*. This case involves challenges to the U.S. citizenship and naturalization of Ms. Munyenyezi, a Rwandan native exiled after the 1994 genocide. Engaged as an expert witness for the defense in December, 2011; initial trial in May, 2012. Testified in U.S. Federal Court in retrial in February, 2013.

Panelist discussing politics in Rwanda for the Rwandan Diaspora Conference in Brussels, Belgium, December, 2012.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *Regina versus Jacques Mungwarere*. Mungwarere, a Rwandan exile, was accused of committing genocide and war crimes during the 1994 genocide in Rwanda. October, 2012.

“Historical Context and Personal Perspective on the Conflict in the Congo,” presentation with Paul Rusesabagina to the Loyola University campus and community as part of the Africa Speakers Series and the kickoff presentation for Congo Week, October, 2012.

“Who is Joseph Kony and What’s Really Happening in East/Central Africa?” a presentation to the Loyola University campus and community as part of Kony 2012, April 11, 2012.

“Revisiting the Arab Spring One Year Later,” presentation with Dr. Peter Schraeder to the Loyola University campus and community as part of the “Africa Speakers Series.” February, 2012.

Panelist discussing HIV/AIDs in Sub-Saharan Africa, UNICEF HIV/AIDs Panel at Loyola University Chicago, November 28, 2011.

“Historical Context and Personal Perspective on the Conflict in the Congo,” a presentation to the Loyola University campus and community as part of the Africa Speakers Series and the kickoff presentation for Congo Week, October 15, 2011.

Expert Witness for the Defense in the asylum hearing of Clemence Mucyo. This cases involved Ms. Mucyo’s application for asylum in the U.S. based on political persecution in her native Rwanda. Provided a written background briefing for the Federal Court concerning the likelihood of persecution if Ms. Mucyo returned to Rwanda. July-August, 2011.

Coordinator, “Protest for Peace,” coordinated a meeting of the Rwandan and Congolese diaspora, along with local students and citizens, to protest the visit of Rwandan President Paul Kagame to Chicago for the Rwandan government sponsored “Rwanda Day.” June 11, 2011

Expert Witness for the Defense in the case of *United States versus Lazare Kobagaya*. This case involved challenges to the U.S. citizenship and naturalization of Mr. Kobagaya, a Burundian native exiled in Rwanda during the genocide. Testified in court on the Rwandan genocide, with additional written testimony concerning politics in Rwanda since the genocide. First half of 2011, trial in May, 2011.

“Rwanda Seventeen Years After the Genocide: The More Things Change...” a presentation to the Loyola University campus and community as part of the “Africa Speakers Series.” April 7, 2011.

Panelist, “What’s Next for Egypt: the Players and Probabilities,” a presentation to the Union League Club of Chicago, February 24, 2011.

“Popular Revolutions in North Africa: Tunisia, Egypt and ???,” presentation with Dr. Peter Schraeder to the Loyola University campus and community as part of the “Africa Speakers Series.” February 10, 2011.

“Exiled Chief of Staff to Rwandan president Paul Kagame on the regime,” Commentary with former Rwandan Chief of Staff and Ambassador to the United States Theogene Rudasingwa on local National Public Radio, WBEZ (91.5 FM), February 7, 2011.

Panelist, “The Fight for Democracy in Egypt’s Liberation Square,” a presentation to the Chicago



Council on Global Affairs, February 7, 2011.

Panelist, "Discussion of the Revolution in Egypt," Beyond the Beltway radio program, WLS-AM, January 30, 2011

"What's happening today in Rwanda?" Presentation to the University of Chicago Harris School, October 26, 2010

"Why Should You Care About the Congo? Because What You Don't Know is Hurting Other People," Presentation as part of the Africa Lecture Series attended by over 200 participants from Loyola University and the community during Congo Week, October 18, 2010.

Moderator, Special Briefing with Peter Erlinder, hosted at Loyola University Chicago, July 1, 2010.

"Rwanda: American Law Professor Charged with Genocide Denial," Commentary on local National Public Radio, WBEZ (91.5 FM), June 15, 2010.

Keynote Speaker, Governor Patrick Quinn's Annual Prayer Breakfast, Springfield, IL May 12, 2010

"Rwanda: Brutal Government Crackdown Preceding Elections," Commentary on local National Public Radio, WBEZ (91.5 FM), April 27, 2010.

"Human Rights and the Great Lakes Region," Panelist at a forum presented by the University of Miami Law School, January 14, 2010.

"Legitimacy Lessons Learned in Iraq," paper presentation at International Studies Association Annual Meeting, March 2008.

"Humanitarianism and Peacekeeping: Lessons Learned," Panel Chair at International Studies Association Annual Meeting, March 2008.

"Multilateral Diplomacy at the United Nations," Roundtable Panelist at International Studies Association Annual Meeting, March 2008.

"Model UN as a Teaching Tool," Roundtable Discussant at the International Studies Association Annual Meeting, February 2007.

"Bottling the Nuclear Genie," (with David Frolick) presentation at the 2005 International Studies Association Annual Meeting.

Presenter at the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, Young Professionals Division, on the topic of "United Nations Relevancy and Reform," October, 2003.

“Differences between the United Nations and Model United Nations,” paper presented at the United Nations Association Model United Nations Summit, July 2003.

Commentator on United Nations issues for WBEZ, Chicago Public Radio, 2002-2003.

Moderator, Democratic Primary Gubernatorial Candidates’ Debate, March, 2002. Moderated a forum at North Central College for the three Democratic party candidates for the 2002 Governors race.

“Then and Now: The United Nations Security Council, Iraq and International Legitimacy,” paper presented at the International Studies Association annual meeting, February, 2001.

“New Strategies for Teaching International Relations,” Panel Chair, International Studies Association annual meeting, February, 2001.

“International Educational Simulations - Panel Discussion,” Panel Chair, International Studies Association - Midwest meeting, November, 1998.

“The Security Council and Libya: A Question of International Legitimacy,” paper presented at the International Studies Association - Midwest meeting, November, 1998.

“International Legitimacy and The Composition of the United Nations Security Council,” paper presented at the International Studies Association annual meeting, March, 1998.

“Africa and the Media: An Analysis of New York Times Coverage of Africa from 1950-1995,” paper presented at the International Studies Association - Midwest meeting, October, 1997 (with Peter J. Schraeder).

#### **ACADEMIC SUPERVISION AND COMMITTEE WORK:**

Member, College of Arts and Sciences Diversity Committee for Student Excellence, 2020-present.

Social Justice Research Fellowship Supervisor:  
2020-2021: Lauren Collins

Ricci Scholarship Research Advisor:  
2020-2021: Sydney Williams

Rudis Fellowship Supervisor:  
2016-17: Janan Badier  
2014-15: Leyla Salman  
2013-14: Jeronimo Anayo Ortiz

Member, College of Arts and Sciences Dean’s College Leadership Council, 2013-present.

Member, St. Ignatius Loyola Award Selection Committee, Faculty Center for Ignatian Pedagogy, June 2018-present. Participate in the selection process for teaching award winners.

Model United Nations Committee Member, Loyola University Chicago. Program coordinator for Model United Nations club and team. Fall 2008-Present.

PLSC Undergraduate Studies Committee Member, Loyola University Chicago. Fall 2009-Present. Member, Teaching Assessment Committee, 2020-present

Member, Loyola University Pulitzer Center Committee. Coordinated a grant with the Pulitzer Center to bring journalists to the Loyola University Chicago campus, and to have students interact with journalists in conflict areas around the world. June, 2012-June 2016.

Member, Loyola University President Garanzini's research trip to Kenya and Zimbabwe, preparation from July 2011, trip in January, 2012. Provided background on Kenyan and Zimbabwean politics to the trip participants and participated in visits to various Jesuit education facilities and social service groups in these two countries.

Member, Political Science Department committee to revise the Core Curriculum. Worked with department chair and other department coordinators to create a new core class syllabus. Summer/Fall 2011.

Mentor for a student video project lead by Loyola University students Caitlin Donato and Elena Colas that won the "Voices of a New Generation" contest held by the United States Mission to the United Nations. This included presenting the video to the UN Security Council at a special session. December, 2010.

Adviser to the Loyola University Chicago Invisible Conflicts group, 2010-2018.

Global Studies Program Committee Member, North Central College. Program coordinator for International Relations and Developing Countries areas of study. Working with Chair and other members on program assessment process for GLS. 2007-08.

Director, Model United Nations Team, North Central College, Winter 1999, 2001-02, 2004-05, 2007-08.

Fellowship Proposal Supervisor, for Kelsey Staudacher, North Central College, on the research topic: "The Face of Development: From the Grassroots to the Institution," Fall 2007/Winter 2008.

Senior Honors Thesis Supervisor for Cynthia Monarrez, North Central College, on the thesis topic: "Turkey and the European Union," expected Spring 2008.

Global Health Symposium, Loyola University Chicago, Faculty Advisor for an international effort by students to bring global public health concerns to campuses around the United States. Culminated in an on-campus conference attended by over 150 students from across the

U.S. Spring 2006.

Fellowship Proposal Supervisor, for Kara Friel, North Central College, on the research topic: "A Post-Colonial Border Dispute: Morocco and Spain," Fall 2005/Winter 2006.

Senior Honors Thesis Supervisor for Hemlata Mistry, North Central College, on the thesis topic: "The Relationship Between North and South Korea: The Status of Diplomacy and Relations Between Both Countries Since the Sunshine Policy," Spring 2005.

Fellowship Proposal Supervisor, North Central College. Supervised a successful group proposal by five students for the college-wide Richter Fellowship, with the award financing a study trip to Cuba, Costa Rica and Nicaragua in November/December 2004.

Fellowship Proposal Supervisor, North Central College. Supervised a successful group proposal by eight students for the college-wide Richter Fellowship, with the award financing a study trip to China and Japan in November/December, 2001. Served as a faculty coordinator on the trip.

Coordinator and Facilitator, North Central College Globalization Simulation. Prepared training materials for both faculty and students, and facilitated a campus-wide simulation dealing with globalization related topics. Summer/Fall, 2001.

Director, Model United Nations Team, Loyola University Chicago, 2004-05, 2006-07; co-director 1996-1999, 2003-04.

Facilitator and Chair, Model United Nations Preparatory Simulations, North Central College. Coordinated and facilitated (often with David Frolick) preparatory simulations attended by NCC students and regional schools on the NCC campus in both Fall and Winter terms. 1997-present.

### **RELATED EXPERIENCE:**

Senior Advisor and Legal Committee Coordinator, #TeamPaul, August 2020-present  
Worked with the Rusesabagina family, legal and advocacy team to free Paul Rusesabagina from prison after he was kidnapped by the Rwandan government in August, 2020

- Advised the family on policy and legal issues
- Coordinated the work of an eight member legal team based in the US, Belgium, Canada, Switzerland and Rwanda
- Prepared and contributed to reports and filings for the United Nations Special Rapporteur on Torture, the UN Working Group on Arbitrary Detention and the East African Court of Justice
- Provided expertise for legal proceedings in Rwanda and in U.S. Federal Court.
- Regularly briefed the press and NGOs and served as a panelist for press conferences

President of the Board of Directors, American Model United Nations, Inc. (AMUN). AMUN is a non-governmental organization affiliated with the UN Department of Public Information. This non-profit, educational organization provides simulations of the United Nations and

support materials at all levels.

- Serve as primary United Nations Representative for the organization.
- Also served as Executive Director from 1989 to 2011.
- Coordinated and facilitated a two-day program with the U.S. State Department and the International Research and Exchanges Board to provide UN seminars, educational workshops and a Model UN simulation to 175 exchange students from the countries of the former Soviet Union. January, 2006 and January 2007.
- Co-founded the United Nations International Model United Nations conference, a collaborative effort between the United Nations and AMUN as part of the Millennium Celebration in the summer of 2000. This conference was held at the United Nations headquarters, attended by 300+ students from over 40 countries.
- Other responsibilities include overall corporate direction, fund raising, publicity, communications and facilitation of simulations. Since 1990.

Senior Advisor, the Hotel Rwanda Rusesabagina Foundation. Advise Mr. Paul Rusesabagina and the staff in their efforts to establish a Truth and Reconciliation Commission in Rwanda following the after-effects of the 1994 genocide. Assist in international foundation activities, including educational outreach, speech and policy writing, and advise on international political issues. Since Fall, 2007.

Board Member, Millennium Promise Chicago. This organization is a local chapter of the Millennium Promise organization, formed to help fulfill the United Nations' Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). Involved in providing educational materials and outreach to groups at all levels on the MDGs and the work of Millennium Promise, particularly in rural Africa. 2007-2008.

Co-Producer, *The Ambassador's Club United Nations Video Series*, includes segments on: The UN General Assembly, Terrorism, Financing, Women's Rights, Racism, and "Zones of Conflict" in the Middle East, South Asia, the Great Lakes Region and West Africa. Coordinated all production efforts with the Ambassador Ahmad Kamal (Pakistan) and the United Nations Ambassador's Club for this joint effort with American Model United Nations. Since 2002.

Friend of the United Nations Foundation. Responsibilities include speaking and moderating various presentations and panel discussions in the Chicago area, featuring UN ambassadors and senior Secretariat members speaking on a variety of international issues. Topics included a forum on World Health and Infectious Diseases, HIV/AIDS, children's rights, crises in Africa, and a variety of other issues. Since 2001.

Panelist and Guest Lecturer on United Nations topics for numerous academic, non-profit and civic groups. Topic areas included: the UN and Iraq; Terrorism; UN Reform; UN Peacekeeping; the Security Council; the Future of the United Nations; Funding Issues for the United Nations; the Middle East; and various other peace and security issues. Since 1990.

Member, Global Chicago Advisory Committee. Responsibilities include suggesting directions for better coordination of the global community in Chicago to the Global Chicago board, an offshoot of the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations. 2000-2003.

Member, United Nations Association / Chicago Public Schools Global Classrooms Advisory Committee. Responsible for implementation of the Global Classrooms Model UN Conference and assisted in preparing high school teachers and students for that conference, 2001-2003.

Secretary, International Studies Association - Midwest. Responsibilities include meeting planning for annual meeting, web page design, and communication with members. 1997-1998.

Consultant to the United Nations on educational issues and research advisor for the "CyberSchoolBus" program on the United Nations web site. Since 1997.

President, Board of Directors, UNA Chicago Chapter. Responsibilities include acting as liaison with the United Nations Foundation for programming in Chicago, facilitating interactions with NGO community in the Chicago area, coordination of the Chicago Public Schools Global Classroom project, organization of issues meetings and facilitation of education training seminars for K-8, high school and university level teachers in the Chicago area. President of Board from 1999-2002 and 2003- April, 2004, Vice President of Education from 1995-1999; Member since 1991.

Consultant on United Nations and related issues to the offices of Congressman Rod Blagoyevich (1998-2001) and former Senator Carol Mosely-Braun (1996-97).

President, UN Security Council Simulation at the United Nations' 50th Anniversary Celebration in San Francisco, CA. Presided over a simulated council at the United Nations Association's pre-conference for the main celebration, with both diplomats and others in attendance. June, 1995.

National Council Member, United Nations Association (UNA). Responsibilities include consulting to the UNA National Office and to local UNA leaders in the Midwest Region. Involved in planning and facilitation of annual meetings and youth leadership conferences. Chair of 1997 and 1999 annual plenary sessions. 1995-2004.

Board Member, Global Fest. Annual international and foreign language conference sponsored by the Illinois State Board of Education and the Illinois Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages. Responsibilities include planning committee member, Master of Ceremonies (since 1994), facilitation of a Discovery Room for teachers on United Nations education, and coordination of a Model United Nations Simulation. 1991-1998.

**PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

Computer Software Consultant, Endless Consulting. Corporate trainer in a classroom environment for various software programs. Design and program customized database applications on a DOS or Windows platform. Design internet home pages. 1994-2004.

Director - Meetings and Incentives, Conference Management Systems. Responsible for corporate meeting and incentive planning for a small meeting planning company. 1994.

Manager - Executive Education, Ameritech. Responsible for facilitation of meetings and all logistical planning for Ameritech's top management education and training programs. Coordinated 40-200+ programs per year. Responsible for coordination of all team building and community service aspects of training programs. 1987-1994.

**MEMBERSHIPS:**

Academic Council on the United Nations  
American Model United Nations, Inc.  
Chicago Council on Global Affairs

Millennium Promise Chicago  
International Studies Association  
United Nations Association - USA