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AREAS OF CURRENT & RECENT RESEARCH

Systematic analysis of extremist and conspiracy movements and their strategies, ideologies, discourse, and propaganda; influence operations, information operations, and strategic communications; public opinion and mass and social media analysis; strategic planning and gaming for national security emergency preparedness; defense strategic planning, budgeting, and scenario development and use; DoD CBRN response requirements and WMD Elimination force requirements; civilian and military responses to complex disasters; interoperability; application of social and behavioral sciences to intelligence analysis and military decision making; policy forecasting using agent-based rational choice stakeholder (ABRCS) models; qualitative and quantitative approaches to text analysis; presidential decision making and leadership; political psychology.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

December 2001-Present — Senior Policy Researcher, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA.

December 1996-November 2001 — Policy Analyst, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA.

October 1995-December 1996 — Postdoctoral Fellow, RAND Graduate School, Santa Monica, CA.

1989-1995 — Doctoral Fellow, RAND Graduate School, RAND, Santa Monica, CA.

1988-1989 — Research Staff Member, Institute for Defense Analyses, Alexandria, VA.

1983-1988 — Policy and Systems Analyst, NSC Staff, Executive Office of the President, Washington, D.C.

1982-1983 — Policy Analyst, Office of Planning and Evaluation, The White House, Washington, D.C.

1981-1982 — Statistician, Decision Information Display System Program Office, OMB, Washington, D.C.

PUBLICATIONS

Recent Publications

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Michael J. Mazaar, Katharina Ley Best, Burgess Laird, Eric V. Larson, Michael E. Linick, and Dan Madden, *The U.S. Department of Defense's Planning Process: Components and Challenges*, Santa Monica, California: RAND Corporation, RR-2173/2-A, 2019.

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Prior Publications

As Sole Author

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Eric V. Larson, "Looking Backward, and Forward," in *Charles Wolf Jr.: Sixty Years as a Scholar and Leader*, Santa Monica, California: RAND Corporation, CP-813, 2015, pp. 17-20.

_____, "Exploiting al-Qa'ida's Vulnerabilities for Delegitimization," in Laurie Fenstermacher and Todd Leventhal, *Countering Violent Extremism: Scientific Methods & Strategies*, Topical Strategic Multi-Layer Assessment and Air Force Research Laboratory Multi-Disciplinary White Paper in Support of Counter-Terrorism and Counter-WMD, September 2011, available from <<http://www.nsiteam.com/publications.html>>, as of April 2012.

_____, "Air Power as a Coercive Instrument: Military Coercion Theory and Its Limitations," in Keith Brent, Ed., *Air Power and Coercive Diplomacy*, The Proceedings of a Conference Held in Canberra by the Royal Australian Air Force, 10-11 May 2012, Commonwealth of Australia, 2012, pp. 79-96.

_____, "A Diplomatic Strategy to Counter al Qaeda's Narrative," *RAND Review*. Vol. 35, No. 2, Summer 2011.

_____, "Harmonious World and U.S.-China Military Relations," paper presented to the 10th Annual RAND-China Reform Forum meeting, September 2007.

_____, "A Review of George Michael, *The Enemy of My Enemy; The Alarming Convergence of Militant Islam and the Extreme Right*," *Political Science Quarterly*, Vol. 122, No. 1, Spring 2007, pp. 159-160.

_____, "Arms Control and CSBMs in a Korean Peace Regime: A U.S. Perspective," *Korean Journal of Security Affairs*, Vol. 11, No. 1, June 2006, pp. 25-48.

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- _____, Richard E. Darilek, Daniel Gibran, Brian Nichiporuk, Amy Richardson, Lowell H. Schwartz, Cathryn Quantic Thurston, Derek Eaton, Thomas S. Szayna, Dalia Dassa Kaye, Forrest E. Morgan, Diana Dunham-Scott, Kristin J. Leuschner, *Addressing Commanders’ Needs for Information on “Soft” Factors*, Santa Monica, California: RAND Corporation, RB-9628-A, 2011.
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- Thomas S. Szayna, Eric V. Larson, Angela O'Mahony, Sean Robson, Agnes Gereben Schaefer, Miriam Matthews, J. Michael Polich, Lynsay Ayer, Derek Eaton, William Marcellino, Lisa Miyashiro, Marek Posard, James Syme, Zev Winkelman, Cameron Wright, Megan Zander Cotugno, William Welsch IV, *Considerations for Integrating Women Into Closed Occupations in the U.S. Special Operations Forces*, Santa Monica, California: RAND Corporation, RR-1058-USSOCOM, 2016.
- Christopher M. Schnaubelt, Eric V. Larson, Matthew E. Boyer, *Vulnerability Assessment Method Pocket Guide: A Tool for Center of Gravity Analysis*, Santa Monica, California: RAND Corporation, TL-129-A, 2014.
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TALKS, PRESENTATIONS AND PANEL DISCUSSIONS

- "The U.S. in the Asia-Pacific Region: A Short-Term View and a Longer-Term One," presentation to visitors from the University of Southern California and Singapore Management University, May 23, 2017.
- "On Influence Operations," briefing to the Israeli Defense Forces Visiting Delegation, May 10, 2017.
- "Discussion of the 2016 Taiwanese Elections," CAPP meeting with Chinese Los Angeles consular officials, February 22, 2016.
- "Slides for Panel on Relevant Research on Counterinsurgency & Counterterrorism," Herzliyah Asymmetric Warfare Conference, RAND Corporation, Washington, D.C., December 3, 2014.
- "RAND National Security Overview," discussion with Singaporean Ambassador Ashok Miripuri, RAND Corporation, September 15, 2015.
- "Influence Operations," series of six seminars to NATO Military Peace Support Operations Training Center, Kilkis, Greece, June 2015.
- "Rebalancing Act: the U.S. 'Pivot' to the Asia-Pacific," Maymester Guest Lecture, University of Southern California and Singapore Management University, May 27, 2015.
- "Rebalancing Act: the U.S. 'Pivot' to the Asia-Pacific," briefing to Hon. Renchinnyam Amarjargal, former Mongolian Minister of Foreign Affairs and Prime Minister, May 15, 2015.
- "Rebalancing Act: the U.S. 'Pivot' to the Asia-Pacific," Japan Conference, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, May 7, 2015.
- "Al-Qa'ida and Its Shifting Fortunes," Briefing to the Pardee-RAND Board of Governors, June 20, 2014.
- "Discussion of the Asia Rebalance," CAPP visitors from University of Southern California and Singapore Management University, May 29, 2014.
- "Al-Qa'ida and Its Shifting Fortunes," Briefing to UCLA's "Beyond the Headlines" Program, March 18, 2014.
- "Discussion of the Asia Rebalance," CAPP visitors from University of Southern California and Singapore Management University, May 22, 2013.
- "Air Power as a Coercive Instrument: Military Coercion Theory and Its Limitations," paper presented at the Royal Australian Air Force conference, 10-11 May 2012.
- "Strategic Narratives: Their Uses and Limitations," presentation to the Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy public meeting, Santa Monica, California, November 29, 2011.

- “Assessing Jihadi Strategies,” briefing to the Western Michigan World Affairs Council, Grand Rapids, Michigan, February 2010.
- “Assessing Jihadi Strategies,” briefing to the RAND Center for Global Risk & Security board, February 24, 2010 2010.
- “Assessing Jihadi Strategies,” One RAND Briefing, January 15, 2010.
- “Assessing Irregular Warfare: Overview of a RAND Arroyo Center Study,” briefing to the 2nd Marine Regiment, Camp Lejeune, NC, May 5, 2009.
- “Assessing Jihadi Strategies: An Overview,” briefing to MORS QDR Workshop, 13 January 2009, Rosslyn, Virginia.
- Panelist, “De-Radicalisation Policies and Counter-Terrorism,” with Marc Sageman (chairman), and Peter Neuman (Director, International Centre for the Study of Radicalisation and Political Violence (ICSR), King’s College, London), The Sixth IISS Global Strategic Review, Geneva Switzerland, 12-14 September 2008.
- “The Mismanagement of Savagery: An Assessment of Jihadi Strategies,” Briefing to the TRADOC Senior Leaders Conference, Panama City Beach, FL, August 5, 2008.
- “Terrorist Threats to the Security of the Beijing Olympics,” discussant at the 11th Annual RAND-China Reform Forum meeting, Beijing, China, 12-13 May 2008.
- “Insights From A RAND Arroyo Center Study: Assessing Jihadi Strategies,” presentation to the Terrorism and Early Warning Group Conference, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, California, 8 May 2008.
- “Assessing Jihadi Strategies,” Arroyo Center Briefing Series, April 24, 2008.
- “Letter From America,” (with Dr. Paul Robinson, M.B.E.), presentation to the Inaugural Information Operation and Influence Activity (IOIA) Symposium, Defence College of Management and Technology, Cranfield University, Shrivenham, United Kingdom, 5-6 March 2008.
- “Harmonious World and U.S.-China Military Relations,” presentation to the 10th Annual RAND-China Reform Forum meeting, Santa Monica, California, September 2007.
- “Assessing Jihadi Strategies,” presentation to the Army Science Board, Beckman Center, Irvine, California, July 11, 2007.
- Discussant for presentation titled “China’s Nuclear Policy,” conference on “Dealing With Nuclear Issues,” Keck Center for International and Strategic Studies, Claremont-McKenna College, April 12, 2007.
- Discussant for paper titled “Illicit Trafficking and Security of Nuclear and Radiological Materials in the Former Soviet Union,” conference on “Dealing With Nuclear Issues,” Keck Center for International and Strategic Studies, Claremont-McKenna College, April 12, 2007.
- Discussant for paper titled “Nuclear Weapons Proliferation and Security in South Asia,” conference on “Dealing With Nuclear Issues,” Keck Center for International and Strategic Studies, Claremont-McKenna College, April 12, 2007.
- Discussant for presentation titled “Iran’s Nuclear Development in Historical Perspective,” Keck Center for International and Strategic Studies, Claremont-McKenna College, April 12, 2007.
- Discussant for paper titled “Negotiations Over North Korea’s Nuclear Program: An Expanding Mine Field or a Lengthening Shadow of the Future?,” Keck Center for International and Strategic Studies, Claremont-McKenna College, April 12, 2007.
- “Planning Intelligence Support to Irregular Warfare,” with Thomas Szayna, briefing to the U.S. Army Senior Analysts Review, RAND Washington, Arlington, Virginia, March 28, 2007.
- “Observations on Science, Technology, and the Growth of Islam,” Panel discussion on “Islam and the U.S.: Asymmetries and National Security,” 185th Meeting of the Committee on Science Engineering and Public Policy of The National Academies, Arnold and Mabel Beckman Center, Irvine, California, February 27, 2007.
- “Social Opinions and Challenges to Sino-American Relations,” The 3rd China International Forum of Corporate Culture, Guangzhou, China, January 18-19, 2007.
- “Security on the Pacific Rim and the Significance of U.S.-China Military Exercises in Hawaii and San Diego, 2006,” A Symposium on Global Security and Relations Across the Taiwan Strait, sponsored by the Claremont

- Institute, The Population Research Institute, and the Business School of Chapman University, Chapman University, Orange, California, October 21, 2006.
- “Analysis for the War of Ideas: Thoughts From Recent Research,” briefing to Fellows of the Pardee-RAND Graduate School, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, California, September 25, 2006.
- “Influencing Insurgency: Some Insights From Recent Research,” briefing to the Dean and Faculty of the Air Force Academy, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, California, August 2, 2006.
- “Influencing Insurgency: Some Insights From Recent Research; Briefing to Army Science Board Counter-Asymmetric Threats Panel,” meeting of the Army Science Board, Beckman Center, Irvine, California, July 20, 2006.
- “America’s Strategy in the World and Sino-American Cooperation,” talk given to Chinese scholars hosted by the China Reform Forum, Beijing Friendship Hotel, Beijing, China, June 18, 2006.
- Discussant for paper titled “Prospect of the NK-U.S. Relations in Peace Building on the Korean Peninsula,” Korean National Defense University International Conference, Seoul, Korea, May 25, 2006.
- “Arms Control and CSBMs in a Korean Peace Regime: A U.S. Perspective,” paper presented at the Korean National Defense University International Conference, Seoul, Korea, May 25, 2006.
- Discussant, conference on “Law, Diplomacy, and War,” Keck Center for International and Strategic Studies, Claremont-McKenna College, Claremont, CA, March 24, 2005.
- “Americans View China and the World: A Review of Public Opinion,” briefing to the Guangdong Provincial Social Sciences Academy, The Claremont Institute, February 23, 2006.
- “Network Analysis: Some Challenges From National Security Analysis,” briefing to the First Annual Conference on Quantitative Methods & Statistical Applications in Defense and National Security, Section on Applications in Defense and National Security, Santa Monica, California, February 15, 2006.
- “Assuring Access in Key Strategic Regions: Toward a Long-Term Strategy; Overview of a FY 2002 RAND Arroyo Center Study,” presentation to the Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA, July 28, 2005.
- “The Battle for Hearts and Minds in ‘Small Wars’: Some Insights from Research,” presentation to the U.S. Marine Corps Irregular Warfare Conference, Quantico, Virginia, July 11-12, 2005.
- “Influencing the Desired Audience: Some Challenges & Approaches of Interest,” U.S. Army Combined Arms Center Information Operations Symposium, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, April 20-21, 2005.
- “A Framework for Linking Threat and Risk Analyses to Policy Action,” Singapore Institute of Defence and Security Studies (IDSS) National Security Conference, Singapore, January 13, 2005.
- “The Public, the Press, Presidents, and Civilian Deaths in U.S. Military Operations,” presentation at “Measuring the Impact of War,” conference sponsored by Harvard University’s Sarah B. Carr Center for Human Rights Policy, held at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington, D.C., November 8-9, 2004.
- “Ambivalent Allies? Further Reflections on a Study of South Korean Attitudes Toward the U.S.,” presentation to the Stanford Korea Colloquium, Stanford University, October 15, 2004.
- “Homeland Security,” presentation to Fellows of the Royal College of Defence Studies, Santa Monica, California, September 30, 2003.
- “Homeland Security A Year After 9/11: One View From RAND,” presentation to the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States annual conference, Louisville, Kentucky, November 12, 2002.
- “Gaming in Theater Level Analysis: Insights from a Recent Study on Countering Adversary Anti-Access Strategies,” presentation to the Taiwanese Ministry of Defense, Taipei, October 13, 2002.
- “Approaches to Defense and Force Structure Planning,” presentation to the Taiwanese Ministry of Defense, Taipei, October 14, 2002.
- “Layered Defenses,” presentation to the Taiwanese Ministry of Defense, Taipei, October 14, 2002.
- “Some Challenges in Developing New Air Defense CONOPS After 9/11,” presentation to visiting faculty from the United States Air Force Academy, Santa Monica, July 23, 2002.

- “Homeland Security in the USA After 9/11,” presentation at the 10th Annual Conference of European Armies, Heidelberg, Germany, March 7, 2002.
- Discussant, Homeland Security Panel, OSD(PA&E)/RAND conference on the DoD’s Planning, Programming, and Budgeting System (PPBS), November 2001.
- "Strategy, Forces, and Budgets in a Decade of Change," presentation to the Western Economic Association International 76th Annual Conference, San Francisco, July 8, 2001.
- "Moving Beyond the Evolution in Military Affairs," presentation to the Western Economic Association International 76th Annual Conference, San Francisco, July 7, 2001.
- “The Next War: Learning from the Last War; The Media and the Military,” featured panelist, University Satellite Seminar Series, Museum of Television & Radio, New York, New York, November 16, 2000.
- “From Forecast to Foresight: Lessons Learned from a Recent U.S. Technology Foresight Activity,” paper presented to keynote session of European Union conference titled “Foresight at Crossroads: Technology Foresight Linking Innovation to Informed Action,” Helsinki, Finland, November 29, 1999.
- “American Public Opinion and Military Affairs,” presentation to visitors from the Royal College of Defence Studies, RAND, Santa Monica, October 8, 1999.
- “U.S.-Soviet Arms Control Developments, 1945-1962,” lecture to graduate-level class on Strategy and Arms Control, School of International Relations, University of Southern California, September 1999.
- “Social and Media Influences on Marijuana Use: Overview of a Pilot Study,” presentation to the Substance Abuse Librarians and Information Specialists Annual Conference, Los Angeles, CA, August 14, 1998.
- “Social and Media Influences on Marijuana Use: Overview of a Pilot Study,” presentation to the RAND Drug Policy Research Center Board, June 12, 1998.
- “An Overview of the Research Program of the California Wellness Foundation’s Violence Prevention Initiative,” presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual conference, San Diego, November 19, 1997.
- Chairman and discussant, panel on “Peace Operations: The Views from the Military, the Media and the Public,” at the 1996 International Studies Association conference in San Diego, April 16-20, 1996.
- Discussant, panel on “Public Opinion and Foreign Policy After the Cold War: Theoretical Approaches and Empirical Insights,” 1996 International Studies Association conference, San Diego, April 16-20, 1996.
- “Understanding the Role of Casualties in Domestic Support for Military Operations: Lessons for the U.S. Intervention in Bosnia,” invited presentation to the Defense and Arms Control Studies workshop, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass., April 1996.
- “Public Opinion and the Media: Some Insights from Empirical Research on Domestic Support for U.S. Military Interventions,” lecture to graduate-level class on American Foreign Policy, UCLA, February 1996.

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Talks or classes taught at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Stanford University, University of Southern California.

Visiting Graduate Student, St. Antony's College, Oxford University, Oxford, England, Fall 1991.

Teaching Assistant, statistics and data analysis, RAND Graduate School, Fall 1990.

Various graduate-level courses, Georgetown and American University, Washington, D.C., 1980-1989.

PROFESSIONAL AND PUBLIC SERVICE

- Delegation of U.S. Scholars to the Republic of China (Taiwan), 30 July – 4 August 2007.
- Co-Chair, Working Group 30, Transformation, the Revolution in Military Affairs, Combating Terrorism, and Homeland Defense, 73rd Military Operations Research Society Symposium, West Point, NY, 21-23 June 2005.
- Ad hoc consultant, USAF Scientific Advisory Board, 1997 and 1999 summer studies, participant in 1993 SAB summer study on theater missile defenses, nominated to SAB in 2000.
- Participant and working group presenter at plenary session of “Manufacturing: Vision 2020,” conference sponsored by National Research Council, Board on Manufacturing and Engineering Design, Committee on Visionary Manufacturing Challenges, April 1997.
- Peer Reviewer: *Media and Communication*, August 2015; *Political Research Quarterly*, September 2015; *Journal of Strategic Studies*, June 2014; *Evaluation and Program Planning*, March 2014; *Cooperation and Conflict*, February 2014; *The Solutions Journal*, November 2011; *Annual Review of Political and Military Sociology*, Summer 2010; Oxford University Press, Summer 2010; *Political Science Quarterly*, Spring 2007; *Public Opinion Quarterly*, July 2007; *American Political Science Review*, Fall 2007; Columbia University Press, June 2005; *International Studies Quarterly*, Summer 2002; Stanford University Press, Summer 2001; *Political Behavior*, Summer 1996.
- Mentor to RAND Summer Associate, Summer 2000, Summer 2002, Summer 2015.
- Section editor, *The Woodstock Road Editorial: An Oxford Magazine of Opinion and Current Affairs*, a journal of St. Antony's College, Oxford University, Fall 1991.
- Vice President, Board of Directors, Westminster Towers, Inc., not-for-profit corporation providing affordable senior housing in Santa Monica, California.
- Trustee, First Presbyterian Church of Santa Monica, 1993-1996, and 2003-2006.
- President, Wilshire IX Homeowners Association Board of Directors, July 2002-2006.
- Assistant Coach, American Youth Soccer Organization, 2005-9 seasons; Referee, 2005 season.
- Coordinator, RGS-Santa Monica High School Distinguished Scholars Program, Fall 1992.

PRESS INTERVIEWS

- Broadcast interviews with NBC Nightly News with Tom Brokaw (January 28 & 29, 2003, and September 9, 2003); ABC News Nightline, August 11, 2003; The Brian Lehrer Show, WNYC radio, New York City (broadcast January 24, 2003); China Jiangsu TV (JSTV), August 2003; and Channel One. Print interviews with *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Los Angeles Times*, *Christian Science Monitor*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Newsday*, *Financial Times*, *Chicago Tribune*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *The Guardian*, Salon, Reuters, Taiwan Central News Agency, *Yazhou Zhoukan*, an international Chinese weekly, Larry Carroll of KFWB Radio, Los Angeles; Bloomberg News Radio.

HONORS

- International Who's Who of Professionals, 2014
- 2007 Recipient of RAND Merit Bonus program Bronze Award.
- Recipient of RAND Graduate School postdoctoral fellowship, 1995-96.

- Academic Distinctions (Behavioral Science, General Policy Analysis), RGS qualifying exams, 1991.
- Marquis Who's Who, various years.
- Outstanding Young Man of America, 1986.