

Schools of Thought in International Relations

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SIS 801-001
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Course Information:

Class Hours: Tuesdays 11:20am- 02:10pm, Room SIS 348

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Tuesday 2.30-4pm

Other days: by prior appointment only

Course Description:

International relations (IR) is a relatively young discipline, which by some accounts, goes back to a mere 100 years. Founded in the UK, it really came onto its own as an “American social science”. Now, it is rapidly expanding around the globe, especially in emerging countries such as China, India, Indonesia, Brazil, and Turkey. Yet, from the very beginning, IR and its theories have been deeply contested. Some of the earlier debates in IR were between paradigms (Idealism-Realism, Positivism-Post Positivism, Rationalism-Constructivism, etc.) while the more recent debates have been about whether the discipline is genuinely inclusive and global. Indeed, the future of the discipline itself and of IR theory in particular, is being debated. The aim of this course is to help students develop a command over the major theoretical perspectives and debates in IR. But it also goes beyond the standard conventions and narratives of the discipline to look at the emerging perspectives and examine the possibility of a global IR.

Learning Outcomes

Through this course students will be able to master basic facts, concepts, and central theoretical debates in the field of international relations. Students will learn to critically engage with theoretical debates and form their own approach to the study of international relations. They should be able to write analytically and critically on important themes in IR theory. The course will also start to prepare students to pass their comprehensive examinations (although it will by no means be sufficient to pass these exams) and be ready to teach an introductory course in IR.

Required Reading (available for Purchase at AU bookstore):

- Paul R. Viotti and Mark V. Kauppi, *International Relations Theory, Fifth Edition* (New York: Longman, 2011).

- Tim Dunne, Milja Kurki, and Steve Smith (eds). *International Relations Theories*, 3rd edition (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2013).
- Amitav Acharya and Barry Buzan (eds.), *Non-Western International Relations Theory: Perspectives on and Beyond Asia* (New York: Routledge, 2010).
- Edward H. Carr, *The Twenty Years' Crisis*, (Perennial: 2001).
- Robert O. Keohane, *After Hegemony: Cooperation and Discord in the World Economy* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1984).
- Robert O. Keohane (ed.), *Neorealism and Its Critics* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1986).

Recommended Texts

- Tim Dunne and Chris Reus-Smit (eds.), *The Globalization of International Society* (Oxford: Oxford University Press 2017).
- Amitav Acharya, *Rethinking Power, Institutions and Ideas in World Politics: Whose IR?* (London: Routledge, 2013).

Assignments:

Participation (40%)

As a PhD seminar, this course puts a premium on active student participation. Your participation should demonstrate critical thinking and questioning based on the reading. Your attitude toward the works read and the other members of the seminar (including the instructor) should be challenging but not confrontational.

As part of your participation, each student is responsible for submitting 1-3 questions each week to the instructor and all the other students by 5-7pm on the Monday prior to class. Your questions should address any issues that you find interesting, important, or confusing.

Class Presentations and Discussion Leading (20%)

Each week, two students will lead the class. They will prepare approximately 10-15 minutes presentation each, on the topic of the week, which will provide a *critical* overview of the themes, arguments, and debates in the readings and suggest leading questions for discussion. The students will then lead the discussion of the topic, with my assistance. The comments should not merely summarize the reading but analyze them:

- Each discussion should: 1) For each article, **briefly** identify the main argument, the explicit and implicit assumptions made, the mechanism or logic of the argument, and the empirical evidence (if any) presented; 2) present an integrative view of all of the reading for the week and how they relate to each other 3) Present a critical assessment of the articles and the arguments, individually and as a whole. Put more emphasis on #2 and 3, less on #1.
- Each pair of discussants should jointly provide an outline of their discussion (4-5 pages) and bring with them to class 12 copies.

Literature Review (20%)

The students will be given a list of topics and will choose one of them to write a 9-10 pages (font 12 double space) **critical** review of the literature. The assignment is **due on 10/17**.

The papers should not summarize the relevant readings but evaluate them and connect them by means of evaluation, comparison, and criticism. Offer your own argument or position on the topic.

Final Exam (20%)

This is a take-home exam that will cover all the material of the course and is designed to prepare students for their comprehensive examinations in IR. Exam date will be given out on 30 Nov and is **due on 4rd Dec**.

Topics and Readings

Week 1, Aug 29, The Origins of the Field

- Stanley Hoffmann, "An American Social Science: International Relations," *Daedalus* 106 (1977): 41-60.
- Robert Vitalis, "Birth of a Discipline," in David Long and Brian Schmidt, eds. *Imperialism and Internationalism in the Discipline of International Relations* (Albany, NY: SUNY Press, 2005): 159-81.
- Amitav Acharya, "Global International Relations (IR) and Regional Worlds: A New Agenda for International Studies," *International Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 58, No.4 (2014): 1-13.
- Paul R. Viotti and Mark V. Kauppi, *International Relations Theory, Fifth Edition* (New York: Longman, 2011), Chapter 1.
- Steve Smith, "Introduction: Diversity and Disciplinarity in International Relations Theory," in *Tim Dunne, Milja Kurki, and Steve Smith (eds). International Relations Theories*, pp. 1-13.
- Barry Buzan and George Lawson, "The Global Transformation: The Nineteenth Century and the Making of Modern International Relations," *International Studies Quarterly*, 59, No. 1 (2013).
- Miles Kahler, "Inventing International Relations: International Relations Theory after 1945," in Michael Doyle and G. John Ikenberry (eds.) *New Thinking in International Relations Theory*.
- Michael Banks, "The Inter-Paradigm Debate," in Margot Light and John R. Groom (eds.) *International Relations: A Handbook of Current Theory* (London: Frances Pinter, 1985): 7-26 (Prof Acharya has copy)
- Amitav Acharya, *Rethinking Power, Institutions and Ideas in World Politics: Whose IR?* (London: Routledge, 2013), Introduction
- Michael Haas, *International Relations Theory: Competing Empirical Paradigms* (Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2017), Ch.1 and 2.
https://books.google.com.hk/books?hl=en&lr=&id=jOXXDQAAQBAJ&oi=fnd&pg=PR7&ots=9TrqyP7Bb0&sig=aWSLAfl3wAL8LWSBR_q4lnBR19Y&redir_esc=y#v=onepage&q=Acharya&f=false

Recommended

- Michael Haas, *International Relations Theory: Competing Empirical Paradigms* (Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2017), Ch.1 and 2.

- Amitav Acharya and Barry Buzan, "Why is there no Non-Western International Relations Theory? An Introduction" in Amitav Acharya and Barry Buzan (eds.), *Non-Western International Relations Theory: Perspectives on and Beyond Asia* (New York: Routledge, 2010), pp. 1-25.
- Thorbjorn Knutsen, *A History of International Relations Theory* 2nd edition (Manchester University Press 1997), chapter 8-9, pp.202-230; 231-257.
- Steve Smith, "The Self-Images of a Discipline: A Genealogy of International Relations Theory," in Ken Booth and Steve Smith, eds., *International Relations Theory Today* (Polity Press, 1995), 1-37.
- Amitav Acharya, *Rethinking Power, Institutions and Ideas in World Politics: Whose IR?* (London: Routledge, 2013), Introduction, pp.1-20.
- Ole Weaver, "The Sociology of a Not So International Discipline: American and European Developments in International Relations," *International Organization* 52/4 (Autumn 1998), 687-727.
- Yosef Lapid, "The Third Debate," *International Studies Quarterly* 33 (1989): 235-54.
- Hedley Bull, "The Theory of International Politics, 1919-1969," in Brian Porter, ed. *International Politics, 1919-1969* (Oxford 1972), pp. 30-55.
- William Olson and Nicholas Onuf, "The Growth of a Discipline: Reviewed," in S. Smith, ed. *International Relations: British and American Perspectives* (London: Blackwell, 1985), pp. 1-28.

Week 2, September 5: Realism: Foundations and Classical Realism

- Viotti and Kauppi, Chapter 2.
- Richard Ned Lebow, "Classical Realism," in Dunne, Kurki, and Smith (eds). *International Relations Theories*, 59-76.
- Thucydides. *History of the Peloponnesian War* (London: Penguin, 1972), pp. 400-429. (Book Five V. 84- Book Six V. 32).
- Edward H. Carr, *The Twenty Years' Crisis*, (Perennial: 2001), pp. 11-145 (Chapter 2-8).
- Hans J. Morgenthau, *Politics Among Nations: The Struggle for Power and Peace* (McGraw Hill, 1993), pp. 1-16 (Chapter 1).

Recommended

- Nicollo Machiavelli, *The Prince*.
- Thomas Hobbs, *Leviathan*.
- Paul Schroeder, "Historical Reality vs. Neorealist Theory," *IS* 19, 1 (Summer 1994), 108-48.
- Colin Elman and Miriam Fendius Elman, "History vs. Neo-Realism; A Second Look," response to Schroeder, in *International Security* 20, 1 (Summer 1995), 182-195.
- R. Schweller, "Bandwagoning for Profit: Bringing the Revisionist State Back In," *International Security* 19 (Summer 1994): 72-107.
- R. Schweller, "What Security Dilemma?" *Security Studies* 5, 3 (Spring 1996).

Week 3, Sept. 12, Realism II- Neo-Realism and Neo-Classical Realism

- Thucydides. *History of the Peloponnesian War* (London: Penguin, 1972), pp. 35-124 (Book One).
- Kenneth N. Waltz, "The Stability of a Bipolar World." *Daedalus* 93 (3), Summer 1964: 881-909.
- John Mearsheimer, "Structural Realism," in Dunne, Kurki, and Smith (eds) *International Relations Theories*, pp.77-93
- Robert O. Keohane (ed.), *Neorealism and Its Critics* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1986). Chapter 3, 5, 6, 7 (Waltz, Ruggie, Keohane)
- Robert Jervis, "Cooperation Under the Security Dilemma," *World Politics* (January 1978), 167-214.
- Stephen M. Walt, *The Origins of Alliances* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1990), pp. 1-49.
- John J. Mearsheimer, *The Tragedy of Great Power Politics* (New York: W.W. Norton, 2001), Chap. 1-2 (pp. 1-54).
- Charles Glazer, *Rational Theory of International Politics: The Logic of Competition and Cooperation* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2010), pp. 51-92.
- Ripsman, Norrin M. and Jeffrey W. Taliaferro and Steven E. Lobell. 2016. *Neoclassical Realist Theory of International Politics*. New York: Oxford University Press. Introduction and Ch. 1

Recommended

- Robert Gilpin, *War and Change in World Politics* (1981).
- Kenneth Waltz, *Theory of International Politics* (1979).
- John Mearsheimer, "Back to the Future: Instability in Europe after the Cold War," in Brown et al., *Theories of War and Peace* (1998).
- Stephen Van Evera, *Causes of War: Power and the Roots of Conflict* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1999).
- Jack Snyder, *The ideology of the Offensive: Military Decision Making and the Disasters of 1914* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1984).
- Barry R. Posen, *The Sources of Military Doctrine: France, Britain, and Germany Between the Wars* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1984): 141-178
- Jeffrey W. Taliaferro, "Power Politics and the Balance of Risk: Hypotheses on Great Power Intervention in the Periphery," *Political Psychology* 35, No. 2 (2004).
- Charles Glaser, "Realists as Optimists: Cooperation as Self-Help," M. Brown, *Theories of War and Peace* (1998).
- Fareed Zakaria, "Realism and Domestic Politics," *International Security*, Vol. 17 (Summer 1992).
- Jeffrey Legro and Andrew Moravcsik, "Is Anybody Still a Realist?" *International Security* 24 (Fall 1999), 5-55.
- Stephen Brooks, "Dueling Realisms," *International Organization* 51/3 (Summer 1997), 445-79.
- William C. Wohlforth, "The Stability of a Unipolar World," *International Security* 24 (1), Summer 1999: 5-41.

- Christopher Layne, "The Unipolar Illusion Revisited: The Coming End of the United States' Unipolar Moment," *International Security* 31 (2), Fall 2006: 7-41.
- Randall L. Schweller and David Priess, "A Tale of Two Realisms: Expanding the Institutions Debate," *Mershon International Studies Review* 41, supplement 1 (May 1997): 1-33.
- Jack Snyder, *The Ideology of the Offensive: Military Decision Making and the Disasters of 1914* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1984).
- Gideon Rose, "Neoclassical Realism and Theories of Foreign Policy," *World Politics*, 51 (October 1998), pp.144-172.
- Amitav Acharya, *The End of American World Order* (Cambridge: Polity 2014), ch.2. ("The Rise and Fall of the Unipolar Moment").

Week 4, Sept 19, Liberalism I- Interdependence, and Institutions

- Viotti and Kauppi, Chapter 3.
- Bruce Russett, "Liberalism," in Dunne, Kurki, and Smith (eds) *International Relations Theories*, pp. 94-113
- Jennifer Sterling-Folker, "Neoliberalism," in Dunne, Kurki, and Smith (eds) *International Relations Theories*, pp.114-131
- Robert O. Keohane, *After Hegemony: Cooperation and Discord in the World Economy* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1984), pp. 5-134.
- Michael G. Schechter, "Systemic Change, International Organizations, and the Evolution of Multilateralism," in James P. Muldoon, Jr., JoAnn F. Aviel, Richard Reitano, and Earl Sullivan, eds., *The New Dynamics of Multilateralism* (Westview Press, 2010), ch.2, pp.23-42.
- John J. Mearsheimer, "The False Promise of international institutions," *International Security* 19, Winter1994: 5-49.
- Robert O. Keohane and Lisa Martin, "The Promise of Institutional Theory," *International Security* 20 (1), Summer 1995: 39-51.
- John Ikenberry, *After Victory: Institutions, Strategic Restraint, and the Rebuilding of Order After Major Wars* (Princeton University Press, 2001). Chapters, 1,2 3,8
- G John Ikenberry, *The Liberal Leviathan*: (Princeton, N.J., Princeton University Press, 2011), ch. 8
- Amitav Acharya, *The End of American World Order* (Cambridge: Polity 2014), ch.3. ("The Myths of Liberal Hegemony").

Recommended

- John Locke, *Two Treatises of Government*.
- Robert Keohane and Joseph Nye, *Power and Interdependence: World Politics in Transition* (Little, Brown, 1977).
- Richard Rosecrance, *The Rise of the Trading State* (Basic Books, 1986).
- Bruce M. Russett and John Oneil, *Triangulating Peace: Democracy, Interdependence, and International Organization* (New York: W.W. Norton, 2001), pp. 15-42.
- Mancur Olson, *The Logic of Collective Action: Public Goods and the Theory of Groups* (Harvard University Press, 1971), 5-65.

- Charles A. Kupchan, and Clifford A. Kupchan, "The Promise of Collective Security." *International Security* 20 (1), Summer 1995: 52-61.
- James N. Rosenau, "Governance, Order, and Change in World Politics," in James N. Rosenau and Ernst-Otto Czempiel (eds.), *Governance Without Government: Order and Change in World Politics* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1992), pp. 1-29.
- Joseph Nye, *Soft Power: the Means to Success in World Politics* (Public Affairs, 2004), pp. 1-32.
- Tamar Gutner, "World Bank Environmental Reform: Revisiting Lessons from Agency Theory," *International Organization* (Summer 2005), 773-83.
- Stephen Krasner, ed., *International Regimes* (Cornell, 1983).
- Friedrich Kratochwil and J. G. Ruggie, "IO as an Art of the State: A Regime Critique," *International Organization* 40 (1986), 753-76.
- Stephen Haggard and Beth Simmons, "Theories of International Regimes," *IO* 41 (Summer 1987).
- Lisa Martin and Beth Simmons, "Theories and Empirical Studies of International Institutions," *International Organization* 52, 4 (Autumn 1998), 729-57.
- Mark W. Zacher and Richard A. Matthews, "Liberal International Theory: Common Threads, Divergent Strands," in Charles W. Kegley, ed., *Controversies in International Relations Theory* (St. Martin's Press, 1995), 107-50.
- Michael Doyle, *Ways of War and Peace* (New York: Norton, 1997).
- Kenneth N. Oye (ed.), *Cooperation Under Anarchy* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1986).
- Joseph M. Grieco, "Anarchy and the Limits of Cooperation: A Realist Critique of the Newest Liberal Internationalism." *International Organization*. (Summer 1988): 485-507
- Stephen D. Krasner, "Structural Causes and Regime Consequences: Regimes as Intervening Variables," in Krasner, ed., *International Regimes* (Cornell University Press, 1983), chapter 1.
- John G. Ruggie, "International Regimes, Transaction, and Change: Embedded Liberalism in the Postwar Economic Order," in Stephen D. Krasner (ed.), *International Regimes* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1983), pp. 195-232.
- Peter Gourevitch, *Politics In Hard Times* (1986).
- Amitav Acharya, ed., *Why Govern: Rethinking Demand and Progress in Global Governance* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2016), Ch 1 and 14
- Amitav Acharya, *The End of American World Order* (Cambridge: Polity 2014), especially ch.3. ("The Myths of Liberal Hegemony")

Week 5, Sept 26, Liberalism II- Domestic Politics and Democratic Peace

- Andrew Moravcsik, "Taking Preferences Seriously: A Liberal Theory of International Politics." *International Organization*. 51 (4), Autumn 1997: 513-553.
- Michael Doyle, "Liberalism and World Politics," *American Political Science Review* 80: 4 (December 1986).

- Zeev Maoz and Bruce Russett, "Normative and Structural Causes of Democratic Peace." *American Political Science Review* 87, No. 3 (1993): 624-638.
- John Owen, "How Liberalism Produces Democratic Peace." *International Security* 19, No. 2 (1994): 87-125.
- Robert Putnam, "Diplomacy and Domestic Politics: The Logic of Two-Level Games," *International Organizations* 42 (1988): 427-61.

Recommended

- Emanuel Kant, *Perpetual Peace*.
- J. Levy, "Domestic Politics and War," in Rotberg and Rabb, *Origins and Prevention of Major War*.
- James D. Fearon, "Domestic Political Audiences and the Escalation of International Disputes," *American Political Science Review* 88:3 (1994): 577—592.
- Thomas Risse-Kappen, "Public Opinion, Domestic Structure, and Foreign Policy in Liberal Democracies," *World Politics* 43:4 (1991): 479—512.
- Steven David, "Explaining Third World Alignment," *World Politics* 43 (1991), 233-56.
- Bruce Russett, *Grasping the Democratic Peace* (1993).
- Christopher Layne, "Kant or Cant: The Myth of the Democratic Peace," *International Security*, Vol. 19 (Fall 1994).
- Matthew Evangelista, "Domestic Structure and International Change," in Michael Doyle and G. John Ikenberry, *New Thinking in International Relations Theory* (Westview, 1997).
- Michael Brown et al. (eds.), *Debating the Democratic Peace* (MIT Press, 1996).
- Kenneth Schultz, *Democracy and Coercive Diplomacy* (Cambridge, 2000).
- Bruce Russett and John Oneal, *Triangulating Peace: Democracy, Interdependence, and International Organizations* (Norton, 2001).
- Bueno de Mesquita, Bruce, James D. Morrow, Randolph M. Siverson, and Alastair Smith, "An Institutional Explanation of the Democratic Peace," *APSR* 93 (December 1999), pp. 791-807.
- Kenneth A. Schultz, "Do Democratic Institutions Constrain or Inform: Contrasting Two Institutional Perspectives on Democracy and War," *International Organization* 53 (Spring 1999) pp. 233-266.
- Richard Rosecrance and Arthur Stein (eds.), *The Domestic Bases of Grand Strategy* (1993).
- Jack Levy, "Domestic Politics and War," in Robert Rotberg and Rabb, *Origins and Prevention of Major War*.
- James Fearon, "Domestic Politics," in Annual Review of Politics Science, Vol. 1 (1998), 289-313.

Week 6, Oct 3, Marxism, Dependency, and World Systems Theory

- Viotti and Kauppi, Chapter 4.

- Mark Rupert, "Marxism," Dunne, Kurki and Smith (eds), *International Relations Theories*, pp.153-170
- Immanuel Wallerstein, "Rise and Future of the World Capitalist System," in Immanuel
- Wallerstein, *The Capitalist World Economy* (Cambridge University Press), 1-36.
- Fernando Cardoso and Enzo Faletto, *Dependency and Development in Latin America* (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 1972), pp. 1-28.
- Robert Cox, "Social Forces, States, and World Orders: Beyond International Relations Theory," in Robert O. Keohane (ed.), *Neorealism and its Critics*, pp. 204-254.
- James H. Mittelman: *Contesting Global Order: Development, Global Governance, and Globalization* (New York: Routledge, 2011), pp. 231-242.

Recommended

- Andre Gunder Frank, "The Modern World System Revisited: Rereading Braudel and Wallerstein," in K. S. Anderson ed., *Civilizations and World Systems: Studying World-Historical Change* (Alta Mira Press, 1995), 163-194.
- Antonio Gramsci, *Prison Notebooks* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1991,1996, 2007).
- J. A. Hobson, *Imperialism* (1902: John Nesbit & Co).
- Gitta Chowdhry and Sheila Nair (eds.), *Power, Postcolonialism and International Relations: Reading Race, Gender, and Class* (New York: Routledge, 2002).
- Dipesh Chakrabarty' *Provincializing Europe: Postcolonial Thought and Historic Differences* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2000).
- Edward Said, *Orientalism* (Vintage, 1979).
- Robert Wade, "Is Globalization Reducing Poverty and Inequality?" *World Development* 32, no. 4 (2004), pp. 567-589.

Week 7, Oct 10, The English School

- Viotti and Kauppi, Chapter 5.
- Tim Dunne, "The English School," in Dunne, Kurki, and Smith (eds) *International Relations Theories*, pp. 132-52.
- Hedley Bull, *The Anarchical Society* (Columbia University Press, 1977), pp. 3-229.
- Barry Buzan, "From International System to International Society: Structural Realism and Regime Theory Meet the English School." *International Organization* 47:3 (Summer 1993), pp. 327-52.
- Hedley Bull and Adam Watson (eds.). *Expansion of the International Society* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1984). *Ch.1* "European International Society and its Expansion"; and "Conclusion".

Recommended

- Hugo Grotius, *On the Law of War and Peace*.
- Martin Weight, *International Theory: Three Traditions*. Eds. Gabrielle Wight and Brian Porter (Leicester University Press, 1991).

- Hedley Bull and Adam Watson (eds.). *Expansion of the International Society* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1984).
- Barak Mendelsohn, "Sovereignty Under Attack: The International Society Meets the al Qaeda Network," *Review of International Studies* 31:1 (January 2005), 45-68.
- Barry Buzan and Richard Little, *International Systems in World History: Remaking the Study of International Relations* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2000).

Week 8, Oct 17, Constructivism I: Overview

- Viotti and Kauppi, Chapter 6.
- K.M. Fierke, "Constructivism," in Dunne, Kurki and Smith (eds), *International Relations Theories*, 187-204.
- Alexander Wendt, "The Agent-Structure Problem in International Relations Theory," *International Organization* 41 (Summer 1987), 335-370.
- Alexander Wendt, "Anarchy is What States Make of It," *International Organization* 46, 2 (Spring 1992), 391-425.
- Emanuel Adler, "Seizing the Middle Ground: Constructivism in World politics," *European Journal of International Relations*, 3 (3), September 1997: 319-363.
- Michael Barnett and Raymond Duvall, "Power in Global Governance," in Michael Barnett and Raymond Duvall (eds.), *Power in Global Governance* (London: Cambridge University Press. 2004), pp. 1-32.
- Ted Hopf, "The Promise of Constructivism in International Relations Theory," *International Security* 23 (1998), pp. 171-200

Recommended

- Nicholas Onuf, *Making Sense Making Worlds: Constructivism in Social Theory and International Relations* (New York: Routledge, 2013). pp. 1-39; 96-112; 161-194.
- Nicholas Onuf, *A World of Our Making* (University of South Carolina Press, 1989).
- Alexander Wendt, *Social Theory of International Politics* (New York: Cambridge University Press, 1999).
- Rodney Bruce Hall, and Thomas J. Biersteker, *The Emergence of Private Authority in Global Governance*, (Cambridge. Cambridge University Press. 2002).
- J. Checkel, "The Constructivist Turn in International Relations Theory," *WP* 50, 2 (January 1998): 324-48.
- Thomas Risse, "Lets Argue: Communicative Action in World Politics," *IO* 54 (Winter 2000): 1-40.
- Martha Finnemore, *National Interests in International Society* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1996).
- David Dessler, "What's at Stake in the Agent-Structure Debate?" *International Organization* 43:3 (Summer 1989), pp. 441-473
- Emanuel Adler and Michael Barnett, "A Framework for the Study of Security Communities," in Emanuel Adler and Michael Barnett (eds.), *Security Communities* (Cambridge University Press, 1998), pp. 29-48.

- Peter Hass (ed.), *Knowledge, Power, and International Policy Coordination* (Columbia, SC: University of South Carolina Press, 1992).
- Christian Reus-Smit, "Constructivism," in Scott Burchill et al., eds. *Theories of International Relations* (Basingstoke: Palgrave, 2005).
- Maja Zehfuss, "Constructivism and Identity: A Dangerous Liaison." *European Journal of International Relations*, vol. 7 (2001): 315-348.

Week 9, Oct 24, Constructivism II: Norms and Identity

- Martha Finnemore and Kathryn Sikkink, "International Norm Dynamics and Political Change." *International Organization*, Vol. 52, No. 4 (1998): 887-917.
- Amitav Acharya, "How Ideas Spread: Who's Norms Matter? Norm Localization and Institutional Change in Asian Regionalism," *International Organization* 58, 2 (2004): 239-275.
- Thomas Risse and Kathryn Sikkink, "The Socialization of International Human Rights Norms into Domestic Practices: Introduction," in Thomas Risse, Stephen C. Ropp, and Kathryn Sikkink, (eds.), *The Power of Human Rights: International Norms and Domestic Change* (Cambridge University Press, 1999), pp. 1-38.
- Antje Wiener, "Contested Compliance: Interventions on the Normative Structure of World Politics," *European Journal of International Relations* 10, no 2 (2004), 189–234.
- Matthew J. Hoffman, "Norms and Social Constructivism in International Relations," in *The International Studies Encyclopedia*, ed., Robert A. Denemark (Blackwell Reference, 2010), <http://www.isacompendium.com>.
- Lisbeth Zimmermann, "Same Same or Different? Norm Diffusion Between Resistance, Compliance, and Localization in Post-conflict States," *International Studies Perspectives* 17, no.1 (2016), 98-115.
- Rawi Abdelal, et al, "Identity as a Variable," *Perspectives on Politics*, Vol.4, No. 4 (December 2006): 695-711

Recommended

- Amitav Acharya, *Whose Ideas Matter? Agency and Power in Asian Regionalism* (Cornell University Press, 2009), Chapter 3, pp. 31-68.
- Amitav Acharya, "Norm Subsidiarity and Regional Orders: Sovereignty, Regionalism and Rule Making in the Third World," *International Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 55, No.1 (2011), pp. 95–123.
- Amitav Acharya, *Constructing a Security Community in Southeast Asia: ASEAN and the Problem of Regional Order*, 3rd edition (New York: Routledge, 2014), Chapter 1 ("Constructing Security Communities").
- Audie Klotz, "Norms Reconstituting Interests: Global Racial Equality and U.S. Sanctions Against South Africa," *International Organization* (Summer 1995), 451-78.
- Martha Finnemore, "Constructing Norms of Humanitarian Intervention," in Peter J. Katzenstein (ed.), *The Culture of National Security: Norms and Identity in World Politics* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1996): 153-185.
- Friedrich Kratochwil, *Rules, Norms, and Decisions* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1989).

- Peter J. Katzenstein, ed. *The Culture of National Security* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1996).
- Antje Wiener, *The Invisible Constitution of Politics: Contested Norms and International Encounters*, (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2008).
- Thomas Risse and Stephen C. Ropp, "Introduction and Overview", in Thomas Risse, Stephen C. Ropp and Kathryn Sikkink, eds., *The Persistent Power of Human Rights: From Commitment to Compliance* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2013): 3-25
- Thomas Risse, Stephen C. Ropp and Kathryn Sikkink, eds., *The Persistent Power of Human Rights: From Commitment to Compliance* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2013).
- Charlotte Epstein, ed., *Against International Relations Norms: Postcolonial Perspectives* (New York: Routledge, 2017),
- Alan Bloomfield and Shirley V. Scott, "Norm Antipreneurs in World Politics," in *Norm Antipreneurs and the Politics of Resistance to Global Normative Change*, eds., Alan Bloomfield and Shirley V. Scott (London: Routledge 2017).

Week 10, Oct 31, Critical Theories: Post-Modernism, and Feminism

- Viotti and Kauppi, Chapter 7 and 8
- Stephen Roach, "Critical Theory," in Dunne, Kurki and Smith (eds), *International Relations Theories*, 171-186.
- David Campbell, "Poststructuralism," in Dunne, Kurki and Smith (eds), *International Relations Theories*, 223-246.
- J. Ann Tickner and Laura Sjoberg, "Feminism," in Dunne, Kurki and Smith (eds), *International Relations Theories*, pp. 205-222.
- Robert Cox, "Gramsci, Hegemony, and International Relations: An Essay in Method," In Robert Cox and Timothy Sinclair (eds.), *Approaches to World Order* (London: Cambridge University Press, 1996), pp. 124-143.
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