ASU receives award for Afghan Women's Education Project

NAFSA: Association of International Educators, the largest nonprofit association dedicated to international education and exchange, has honored Arizona State University with the 2023 Senator Paul Simon Spotlight Award for Campus Internationalization for the university's Afghan Women's Education Project which was spearheaded by Pamela DeLargy, a professor of practice in the School of Politics and Global Studies.
Distinguished alum meets with political science students

On February 16th the School of Politics and Global Studies hosted ASU political science alum Lynn Vavreck, who gave multiple lectures and engaged with students.

“It is always great to come back to Tempe and to the ASU campus I love so much,” said Vavreck. “The invitation to teach a couple of undergraduate courses was one I could not pass up.”
US foreign service officer discusses Ukraine with ASU students and faculty

As the effects of Russia’s 2022 invasion of Ukraine continue to be felt the world over, especially when it comes to economics, ASU’s Melikian Center: Russian, Eurasian & East European Studies and the School of Politics and Global Studies hosted U.S. Foreign Service Officer Tom Wotka on Feb. 7 to answer student and community member questions about U.S. foreign policy.

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Expert: Chinese spy balloon speaks to relationship between US, China

The discovery of the Chinese spy balloon over Malmstrom Air Force Base in Montana and the subsequent shooting down of the balloon by the U.S. government made headlines for days, thanks in no small part to the political maelstrom it created.

From the perspective of Peter Bergen, a professor of practice at the School of Politics and Global Studies and the co-director of the ASU Center on the Future of War, the incident spoke to a larger story: the relationship between the U.S. and China, and how China’s surveillance efforts threaten to further damage that relationship.

Political psychology alum on how ASU affected his approach to politics
Joe Magestro has already seen how his recent degree from ASU is shaping the way he approaches his work as a research assistant in the Wisconsin Legislature.

“The skills I learned throughout my time at ASU prepared me to apply evidence-based strategies to help my boss succeed while constantly in the public eye.” said Magestro, a recent alum of ASU Online’s Master of Arts in political psychology, offered through the School of Politics and Global Studies and the ASU Department of Psychology.

ASU Online Global Security student studies from Finland after 23 years in the military

After a 23-year military career, Stefano Guadagnuolo found himself in pursuit of a degree program that would both complement the experience and knowledge he already had and expand upon it to aid in his future career trajectory — while also
being accessible from Helsinki, Finland, where he currently resides with his wife and sons.

Guadagnuolo found all of that and more in the ASU Online Master of Arts in Global Security, offered through the School of Politics and Global Studies.

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MyPath2ASU takes international student from community college to transfer student ambassador. Read more

Killam Fellow studies abroad in Canada. Read more

Other news

Emeritus Professor Richard Herrera is serving as the Interim Director of the School of Politics and Global Studies until July 1, 2023. As you may know, he was faculty at ASU from 1989 until his retirement in 2020. During his tenure, he served in roles such as Associate Director, Director of Graduate Studies, Director of Capital Scholars, and ASU-McCain Institute DC Internship Program Coordinator. He was honored with Arizona State University’s Alumni Association Founders’ Day Outstanding Teacher Award in 2020.
The School of Politics and Global Studies hosted the Kopf conference "Political Psychology Four Corners" and the "Latino/a Politics Workshop" funded through a National Science Foundation grant on February 24.

Associate Professor Valerie Mueller was elected as a member of the Board of Directors for the Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (01/01/2023-12/31/2025).

Associate Professor Glenn Sheriff as appointed Assistant Director of Research at the Global Futures Laboratory.

Professor Okechukwu Iheduru published “The Catholic church and regional governance in west Africa” in International Affairs.

Associate Professor Jennet Kirkpatrick published “Care or justice: care ethics and the restricted reporting sexual assault policy in the US military” with Emeritus Professor Carolyn Warner in the American Journal of Political Science.

Assistant Professor Margaret Hanson co-published the article “Under the Veil of Democracy: What Do People Mean When They Say They Support Democracy?” in Perspectives on Politics.

Assistant Professor Angie Bautista-Chavez collaborated with Harrison Yazzie, Jordin Tafoya, and Teaching Associate Professor Tara Lennon to develop a panel “Raising Native Voices Missing from College Courses” at the American Indian 24th American Indian Studies Association Conference.

Professor of Practice Candace Rondeaux published the opinion article “The higher Wagner’s notorious boss rises, the harder he may fall” via CNN.

Assistant Professor Angie Bautista-Chavez was invited by to share her book project and lessons from her fieldwork experience with faculty and grad students with the Borders Research Group, led by Dr. Antje Ellermann and Alexia Bloch. Dr. Bautista-Chavez’s talk was sponsored by the Centre for Migration Studies and Latin American Studies at the University of British Columbia.

Laine Munir joined ASU as a Teaching Assistant Professor in the School of Politics and Global Studies. This spring she is teaching World Politics and Global Inequalities and Professional Global Career Development.
Kyle Ramsay joined ASU as a Professor of Practice at the Center on the Future of War and the School of Politics and Global Studies. He served 16 years as an infantry soldier and officer with the Canadian Armed Forces and other government agencies.

Andrew Maher joined ASU as Professor of Practice at the Center on the Future of War and the School of Politics and Global Studies. He is a non-resident fellow with the U.S. Joint Special Operations University and the Modern War Institute at West Point.

Advisory Board member and Faculty Associate Herb Roskind taught a three-part Global Literacy Masterclass offered by the Leadership Diplomacy and National Security Lab on “The International Supply Chain in Real Time.”

Professor of Practice Peter Singer provided a testimony for the House Armed Services Committee hearing on “The Future of War: Is the Pentagon Prepared to Deter and Defeat America’s Adversaries?”

Assistant Professor Angie Bautista-Chavez presented her project "Examining the Organizational Landscape of U.S. Latinx Interests" at the American Politics and Society Workshop in the School of Politics and Global Studies.

Professor of Practice David Scheffer delivered the keynote at the Annual Institute for Honor Symposium on March 3, 2023.

Professor of Practice Peter Singer published the brief “One Year In: What Are the Lessons from Ukraine for the Future of War?” via New America.

Professor of Practice Candace Rondeaux published the article “Chasing the Wagner Group Why: It’s So Hard to Get a Handle on Putin’s Ghost Army” and “Putin’s Stealth Mobilization Russian Irregulars and the Wagner Group’s Shadow Command Structure” via New America’s Future Frontlines.

Associate Professor Victor Peskin was a guest on the Academic Minute show titled “The Politics of Prosecuting Putin.”

Professor of Practice Peter Singer co-published the article “How the West May Have Helped Build China’s Spy Balloons” via Defense One.
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