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## EDUCATION

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Currently      **PhD Political Studies, Queen's University**  
Dissertation: *Reframing Latency: Identity, Community, and Nuclear Weapons Policy*  
Supervisor: Stéfanie von Hlatky  
Field Exams: International Relations and Comparative Politics (with distinction)

2022            **MA Political Studies, Queen's University**  
Visiting student, Royal Military College of Canada

2020            **BA International Development Studies, McGill University**

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Refereed Journal Articles

2024            S. von Hlatky and **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'The Ukraine War and Nuclear Sharing in NATO,' *International Affairs* 100, no. 2, 509-530.

2022            **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Balancing, Bandwagoning, and Power Maximization: NATO Enlargement Through the Lens of Offensive Realism,' *Journal of Military and Strategic Studies* 22, no. 1, 175-206.

### Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

2024            **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'A Middle Power in Strategic Dependence: The Contemporary Geopolitics of Canada,' in *The Palgrave Handbook of Contemporary Geopolitics*, Zak Cope (ed.), Palgrave.

2024            S. von Hlatky and **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'NATO, the Ukraine War, and Extended Deterrence: What Future for Nuclear Sharing in Europe?' in *The Measure of the War in Ukraine* [in French], André Simonyi and Frédéric Côté (eds.), Laval University Press.

### Book Reviews

2023            **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Practicing Peace: Conflict Management in Southeast Asia and South America, by Aarie Glas,' in *International Affairs* 99, no. 5, 2168-2169.

### Refereed Reports

2021            L.-B. Lafontaine and **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Canada's Role in the New Nuclear Landscape,' Policy Report no. 14, *Network for Strategic Analysis*, Université du Québec à Montréal.

## Policy Analysis and Opinion

2024      **É. Lambert-Deslandes** and S. von Hlatky, 'Are American Nuclear Weapons Returning to the United Kingdom?' *The Conversation* (republished in Yahoo! News, The Winnipeg Free Press, The Chronicle Herald, and NewsBreak).

2022      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Ukraine War: Why the Missile Incident in Poland is a Warning of Things to Come,' *The Conversation* (republished in Yahoo! News, EconoTimes, Newsbreak, The Winnipeg Free Press, and the National Post).

2022      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'In Canadian International Policy, Real Change Means Hard Choices,' in *What's Next: International Cooperation and the Management of Traditional and Emerging Threats*, Stéphanie von Hlatky and Justin Massie (eds.), Conference Compendium, Network for Strategic Analysis.

2021      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Trouble in Paradise? Germany's Incoming Traffic Light Coalition and its Potential Impact on NATO's Security,' Hot Take, *Network for Strategic Analysis*, Université du Québec à Montréal.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

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Under review      **É. Lambert-Deslandes** and S. von Hlatky, 'NATO Enlargement: The Cause or the Effect of Russia's Threat?' in *International Relations and the War in Ukraine: Conceptual Perspectives*, Jonathan Paquin (ed.), Routledge.

In progress      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'The Benefits of Nuclear Weapons.'

In progress      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Norms and Nukes: A Periodization.'

In progress      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Till (Nuclear) Death Do Us Part: Brinkmanship, Atomic Weapons, and the War in Ukraine.'

In progress      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Why States (Don't) Use Nuclear Weapons' (Review Essay).

In progress      **É. Lambert-Deslandes**, 'Power Politics and the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons.'

## EXTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING

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2024      MINDS Supplemental Award (\$1,000), Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council and Department of National Defence, Canada.

2023-2026      MINDS/SSHRC Canada Graduate Scholarship – Doctoral (CGS-D; \$105,000), Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council and Department of National Defence, Canada.

2023-2026     SSHRC Canada Graduate Scholarship – Doctoral (CGS-D; \$105,000—*declined*), Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council and Department of National Defence, Canada.

2023         Targeted Engagement Grant (\$28,273), Department of National Defence, Canada.

2023         Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$15,000—*declined*), Government of Ontario, Canada.

2022         Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$15,000), Government of Ontario, Canada.

## **INTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING**

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2023         Graduate Research Fellowship (\$26,500), Centre for International and Defence Policy, Canada.

2023         Sir Edward Peacock Research Award (\$1,500), Department of Political Studies, Canada.

2022         Graduate Research Fellowship (\$17,000), Centre for International and Defence Policy, Canada.

2022         Queen's Graduate Award (\$6,000), Department of Political Studies, Canada.

2021         Graduate Research Fellowship (\$11,000), Centre for International and Defence Policy, Canada.

2021         Graduate Entrance Award (\$5,000), Department of Political Studies, Canada.

## **RESEARCH AWARDS**

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2022         G.G. Baron Van der Feltz Prize for best master's dissertation on an international topic (\$500), School of Graduate Studies, Queen's University, Canada.

2022         3<sup>rd</sup> Place Winner, Annual Student Award of Excellence (\$400), Journal for Military and Strategic Studies, University of Calgary, Canada.

2022         Desjardins Scholarship (\$1000), Desjardins Granby—Haute-Yamaska, Canada.

2017         Lorans Scholars Finalist Award (\$5000), Lorans Scholars Foundations, McGill University, Canada.

2017         Gilles Fortin Scholarship (\$500), Cégep de Granby, Canada.

2017         Lieutenant Governor of Québec's Medal for Youth (\$500), Government of Québec, Canada.

## PRESENTATIONS

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### Conference Presentations

2024 'Nuclear Hedging and Latency: The Historical Cases of US Allies,' *Hedging in a Transforming World Order*, Graduate School of International Studies at Laval University, (Quebec City, March 20).

2024 'Systemic Changes Following Russian Aggression,' *Leadersphère*, Royal Military College Saint-Jean, (St-Jean-sur-Richelieu, February 27).

2023 'Nuclear Today, Nuclear Tomorrow: Addressing the Benefits of the Bomb,' *Meeting of the MINDS*, Canadian Defence and Security Network (Ottawa, October 20).

2023 'Organizing Events in the Defence Sector of Canada,' *Meeting of the MINDS*, Canadian Defence and Security Network (Ottawa, October 20).

2023 'From Permissive to Punitive: The Evolution of the Nuclear Normative Regime since 1945,' *Annual Conference*, Canadian Political Science Association (Toronto, May 30).

2023 'Legitimized at Home and/or Abroad? The Uneven Ideational Benefits of Nuclear Weapons,' *Annual Conference*, Midwest Political Science Association (Chicago, April 17).

2023 'The Future of NATO Deterrence,' *Future Leaders Conference*, NATO Defence College (Rome, March 17).

2022 'Interstate Cooperation and Multilateralism: The Evolutions of Nuclear Norms and Practices in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,' *A Riskier World?* Graduate School of Graduate Studies at Laval University (Quebec City, November 18).

2022 'Taiwan's Implications for Nuclear Non-Proliferation,' *Is War Over Taiwan Coming?* Montreal Institute of International Studies at UQAM (Montreal, June 3).

### Workshops

2024 *POLS Teaching Retreat*, Department of Political Studies, Queen's University (Kingston, April 16).

2023 'Relational Ontologies: Identity Narratives, Security, and Nuclear Choices,' *Nuclear Security Workshop*, Hertie School (Berlin, July 6).

### Invited Talks

2023 'Security! What Do You Mean?' *POLS 261: International Politics*, Queen's University (Kingston, October 26).

2022 'Quebec in International Relations: A Province in a World of States,' *POLS 414: Quebec Politics*, Queen's University (Kingston, March 29).

2022 ‘The New Nuclear Landscape,’ *Multidisciplinary Seminar on International Security*, Graduate School of International Studies at Laval University (Quebec City, March 24).

### **Moderation**

2023 ‘Canada and the Trump Challenge with Kim Nossal and Rob Goodman,’ *IDP Speaker Series*, Centre for International and Defence Policy at Queen’s University (Kingston, December 7).

2023 ‘Are confidence-building measures possible with an age of competition? with Joel Ng,’ *IDP Speaker Series*, Centre for International and Defence Policy at Queen’s University (Kingston, November 22).

2022 ‘Developing a Multi-Domain Approach to News Areas of Confrontation,’ *Finding Our Way Back: Defining a Coherent International Strategy for Canada*, Network for Strategic Analysis (Ottawa, September 22).

### **Event Organization**

2024 ‘Intensive Professional Development Retreat for Emerging Scholars,’ *Summer School*, Network for Strategic Analysis (Kingston, May 26-29).

2023 ‘World Politics in Limbo: Non-Alignment, Hybrid Challenges, and New Frontiers,’ *Annual Colloquium*, Network for Strategic Analysis (Ottawa, December 12-13).

2022 ‘Finding Our Way Back: Defining a Coherent International Strategy for Canada,’ *Annual Colloquium*, Network for Strategic Analysis (Ottawa, September 22-23).

## **MEDIA APPEARANCES**

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### **TV Interviews**

2024 ‘Russia Developing ‘Troubling’ Anti-Satellite Weapon,’ *Your Morning* with Anne-Marie Mediware, CTV (February 16)

### **Radio Interviews**

2024 ‘The Defence Policy Update,’ with Alexandre Dubé [in French], QUB Radio (April 9).

2024 ‘We Have Been Too Military Dependent on the United States,’ with Mario Dumont [in French], QUB (March 1)

2024 ‘Does Russia Want to Militarize Space?’ *Y a pas deux matins pareils* with Katia St Jean [in French], CBC/Radio-Canada Toronto (February 16).

2023 ‘Ukraine: We’re Not Doing Enough,’ with Mario Dumont [in French], QUB Radio (October 6).

2023 ‘1 billion cut from National Defence,’ *L’actuel* [in French], CBC Manitoba (October 3).

2023 ‘1 million removed from the National Defence Budget,’ *Jonction 11-17* [in French], CBC Ontario/Sudbury (October 3).

2023 ‘1 billion less in the budget for National Defence,’ *Sur le vif* [in French], CBC Ontario/Ottawa (October 3).

2023 ‘1 billion cut from National Defence,’ *Pour faire un monde* [in French], CBC Saskatchewan (October 3).

2023 ‘1 billion less for National Defence,’ *Dans la mosaïque* [in French], CBC Saskatchewan (October 3).

2023 ‘Budgetary cuts for National Defence,’ *Panorama* [in French], CBC British Columbia (October 3).

2023 ‘Finland is NATO’s New Member,’ with Alexandre Moranville-Ouellet [in French], QUB Radio (April 6).

2023 ‘Russia Suspends its Participation in the New Start Treaty,’ *Le 1518* with Annie Desrochers [in French], CBC Quebec/Montreal (February 21).

2022 ‘What is a Tactical Nuclear Weapon?’ *Le 1518* with Annie Desrochers [in French], CBC Quebec/Montreal (October 7).

2022 ‘Monday will be the International Day Against Nuclear Tests,’ *À échelle humaine* with Gabrielle Sabourin [in French], CBC Ontario/Toronto (October 7).

### Newspaper Interviews

2023 ‘Russian Nuclear Weapons in Belarus, A New Bluff from Putin?’ by Jean-Louis Bordeleau [in French], *Le Devoir* (March 27).

## RESEARCH LEADERSHIP AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

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2024— **Publications Manager**, Network for Strategic Analysis  
Justin Massie (UQAM) and Stéfanie von Hlatky (Queen’s University)

2022-23 **Events Manager**, Network for Strategic Analysis  
Stéfanie von Hlatky (Queen’s University), Stéphanie Martel (Queen’s University), and Justin Massie (UQAM)

2021— **Emerging Scholar**, Network for Strategic Analysis

2021— **Graduate Research Fellow**, Centre for International and Defence Policy

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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2023-24 Research Assistantship  
Stéfanie von Hlatky (Queen’s University) and Thomas Juneau (University of Ottawa)

2022      Research Assistantship  
            David Haglund (Queen's University) and Michel Fortmann (University of Montreal)

## **SERVICE**

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2023, 2024      Discussant, Undergraduate Thesis Colloquium, Department of Political Studies, Queen's University

2023—      Graduate Representative, Fields Conveners Committee, Department of Political Studies, Queen's University

2022-23      Graduate Representative, Appointment and Staffing Committee, Department of Political Studies, Queen's University

2017-22      Student Parliament of Quebec

2017-20      The International Relations Students' Association of McGill, McGill University

2015-17      Student Association, Cégep de Granby

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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2021-22      Social Media Coordinator, Network for Strategic Analysis

2021      Government and Public Affairs Coordinator, Association of Young Chambers of Commerce of Québec

2020-21      Public Affairs Officer, Association of Young Chambers of Commerce of Québec

2020-21      Project Analyst, Brynaert, Brennan and Associates

## **REFERENCES**

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