

Proposed role in the project:**Category:****Staff Member of:**

1. **Family Name:** Romanet Perroux
2. **First Names:** Jean-Louis
3. **Date of birth:** June 1973
4. **Passport Holder:** Italy, France
5. **Residence :** Tunisia
6. **Education :**

Institution : Date from - Date to	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:
The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, Medford (MA), USA: 2010 - 2016	PhD in International Relations, International Security Studies, Human Security
The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, Medford (MA), USA: 2008-2010	Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy, International Security Studies, Political Theory, Human Security
University of Trieste, Political Science, Trieste, Italy: 2004 - 2007	Master of Arts in International Relations
Italian Air Force Academy, Naples, Italy: 1992 -1996	Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Sciences

7. Language skills:

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
Italian	C2	C2	C2
French	C2	C2	C2
English	C2	C2	C2
Spanish	C1	B2	B2
Arabic	A1	A2	A2

8. Membership of professional bodies:

Fellow, Fares Center for Eastern Mediterranean Studies, Tufts University

9. Other qualifications: proficiency with Microsoft Office package**10. Current Position:** Director of the North African Policy Initiative; Independent researcher and advisor**11. Years within the firm:** N/A**12. Key qualifications:**

- Decade-long experience with civil society, governance, security, migration, Rule of Law in post-conflict / democratic transition contexts.
- Experience working on EU-funded programs and with monitoring, assessing, and evaluating EU-funded programs focusing on healthcare, local governance and stability, migration and civil society.
- Worked with dozens of international cooperation and development agencies and research centers, including the World Peace Foundation, Belgian Technical Cooperation agency, No Peace Without Justice, the American Bar Association, ACTED, USIP, Global Integrity, The Goethe Institute, the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung Foundation, the British Council, IAI, UNICEF, UNDP, UNSMIL, IOM, UNFPA, the European Union, the United Nations University, Democracy Reporting International, the Danish Institute for Human Rights, the National Opinion Research Center (NORC), DAI, FHI 360, MCC, IBTCI, Voluntas, Chemonics, and USAID
- PhD in international relations from premier IR university. Academic-level research methods and writing.
- Over 20 years of experience in planning, coordinating and managing projects, personnel and logistics in research, field operations and advanced training.
- Extensive international experience as a team leader and program manager in diverse cultural contexts, experience in working under pressure and in conflict environments.

13. Specific experience in the country or specific mission:

Country	Date: Organization, and Role
Democratic Republic of the Congo	July-Aug 2009: Restauration de la Justice au Congo (REJUSCO), <i>Researcher</i>
France	2016 – Present: Reporters Without Borders (RSF), <i>World Press Freedom Index - Libya Analyst</i>
Guinea (Conakry)	May – June 2009; June 2010: Mêmes Droits pour Tous (MDT), <i>Associate</i> ; 2009 – 2011: Orphelinat “Saint Kisito”, <i>Volunteer</i> ; 2009 – 2011: Avocat Sans Frontières – Guinee, <i>Member of the Board of Advisors</i> ;
Italy	1993 – 2004: Per la Strada, <i>Volunteer</i> ; 1997 – 2000: 14° Wing, <i>Pilot</i> ; 2000 - 2003: 61° Wing, <i>Flight Commander and Instructor</i> ; 2004: Flying Safety Headquarters, Italian Air Force, <i>Officer in the Investigative Division</i> .
Libya	Nov – Dec 2011: New Libya Foundation and Institute for Global Leadership – Tufts University, <i>Research Designer, Research Team Leader</i> ; July 2011 – July 2012: New Libya Foundation, <i>Program Manager, Director of Research</i> ; Feb – Dec 2012: Global Integrity, <i>Country Lead Researcher</i> ; Dec 2012 – Jan 2013: Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development (ACTED, France), <i>Research Team Leader – Assessment and promotion of the CSOs</i> ; Feb 2013 – May 2013: United States Institute of Peace (USIP), <i>Libya Country Lead Researcher – Small Arms, Justice and Security Research</i> ; July 2013 – May 2015: UNICEF and UNDP, <i>Research Team Leader – Research and analysis of CSOs in Tripoli, Benghazi and Misrata</i> ; Oct – Dec 2013: Development Alternatives (DAI), <i>Expert – Libya Security Sector Assessment (SSR and DDR)</i> ; 2013: Global Integrity, <i>Country Reviewer</i> ; 2016: Comprehensive Support to Peace Processes Consortium (CSPPC), <i>Team Leader – Libya Participatory Mapping Project</i> Dec 2016 – May 2017: United Nations Support Mission in Libya (UNSMIL), <i>Research Team Leader – Libyan civil society Engagement Strategy</i> ; Apr – Oct 2017: European Union Delegation to Libya, PAF II, <i>Research Team Leader – Libya Local Governance Case Studies</i> ; July – Nov 2017 European Union DEVCO B2, Roadmap Facility, <i>Team Leader, Civil Society Expert – Civil Society Engagement Assessment and Strategy</i> ; July – Nov 2019: UNDP – Stabilization Facility for Libya, <i>Consultant</i> ; July 2019 – Feb 2020: USAID and National Opinion Research Center at the University of Chicago (NORC), <i>Team Leader</i> ; Dec 2019: Democracy Reporting International, <i>Facilitator</i> ;

	Dec 2019 – Jan 2020: American Bar Association, <i>Consultant</i> ; July 2020 – Present: UNDP, <i>Research Team Leader</i>
Mali	Summer 2010: Ecole de Maintien de la Paix, CEDEAO (ECOWAS Peacekeeping School), <i>Associate</i>
Morocco	2019, Moroccan Institute for Policy Analysis, <i>Instructor</i> May 2016: Crown Center for Middle East Studies, <i>Post-Doctoral Researcher</i>
Tunisia	Apr 2018 – Apr 2019: Voluntas, <i>Head of Office</i> ; May 2019: FHI360, <i>Teambuilding Facilitator</i> ; May 2019 – Dec 2019: Voluntas, <i>Senior Advisor</i> ; 2019 – Present: North African Policy Initiative, <i>Co-Founder, Director</i> ; Mar 2020 – Present: NAPI Aid, <i>Founder, Coordinator</i> ; July 2020 – Dec 2020: Goethe Institut, <i>Cultural Academy Trainer</i> May 2021 – October 2021, UNDP, <i>Tunisia-Libya cross-border analysis, Researcher</i>
USA	2004-2008: Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training School (ENJJPT), <i>Flight Commander, Instructor</i> 2005-2006: Habitat for Humanity, <i>Volunteer</i> 2007: Partners in Education, <i>Mentor</i> ; 2007-2008, Big Brothers Big Sisters Wichita Falls, <i>City Chapter Organizer</i> Feb – Apr 2014: Institute for Global Leadership – Tufts University, <i>Research Team Leader</i> ; 2014 – 2015:Libyan Civil Society Roundtable (LCSR) initiative, <i>Founder</i> ; Sept 2015 – Jan 2016: World Peace Foundation, <i>Consultant</i> 2016 – 2018: Libya Policy Forum, <i>Founder, Steering Committee Director</i> ; May – July 2016; June – Sept 2017: Sidley Austin LLP, <i>Expert Consultant</i> ; Apr – Sept 2017: King & Spalding International Law Firm, <i>Expert Consultant</i> ; Nov – Dic 2017: Fried, Frank, Harris, Shiver & Jacobson LLP, <i>Expert Consultant</i> ;
Yemen	Oct – Dec 2017: European Union, DEVCO B2, Roadmap facility, <i>Team Leader – Civil Society Engagement Assessment and Strategy 2018</i>

14. Professional Experience:

Date	Location	Company	Position	Description
May 2021 - Present	Tunisia	UNDP	Researcher	Organize and facilitate a foresight analysis of the Tunisia-Libya relations with regional experts Draft a political, economic, and social analysis of the Tunisia-Libya transborder area, and assess prospective developments.
July 2020 - Present	Libya	UNDP	Research Team Leader	Design and carry out a research on local governance and PVE in 7 Libyan localities. Draft PVE and local governance reports
2019 - Present	Tunisia	North African Police Initiative	Co-founder, Director	Independent, non-partisan, and non-profit initiative that seeks to enable a generation of North African youth to carry out rigorous research, articulate evidence-based policy advice, and convey it effectively. Empower youth through capacity-building and support. Promote the inclusion of youth and women in policy discussion. Develop South-South cooperation and support, and build bridges among North African nations.
Feb-July 2021	Worldwide	Partnership for Economic Policy	Trainer	Design and deliver two trainings for economic researchers across the world: “Introduction to Public Policy”; and “Writing a Policy Briefing Paper”
July-Dec 2020	Tunisia	Goethe Institut	Trainer	Select, train, and coach Libyan activists engaged in cultural projects.
December 2019 – January 2020	Libya	American Bar Association	Consultant	Review and expand the report on issues with Libya’s decentralization and local governance legal framework, which resulted from a year-long consultation with Libyan Ministry of Local Governance and municipal legal offices.
July – Nov 2019	Libya	UNDP	Team Leader	Facilitate workshop with implementing partners and Libyan counterparts. Introduce scenario planning and analysis and guide the development of local scenari indicators.
December 2019	Libya	Democracy Reporting International	Facilitator	Facilitate the consultation with 18 Libyan Mayors and Councillors to draft a local governance research agenda for the CILG-VNG-DRI program on Improving Service Delivery and Accountability at the Local Level in Libya (ISAL).
July 2019 – February 2020	Libya	USAID and National Opinion Research Center at the University of Chicago	Team Leader	Carry out an evidence review on trends in smuggling and trafficking in and through Libya, and examine the extent to which smuggling and trafficking interact with governance and country or regional stability. Coordinate the work of the Libyan Evaluation Expert and of the Global Initiative Against Transnational Organized Crime
May - Dec 2019	Tunisia, Libya, Denmark	Voluntas	Senior Advisor	Oversee design, conduct, and reporting of research and M&E projects/ Facilitate workshops, and strategy seminars. MCC (Tunisia): Carry out an Institutional Assessment and Political Economy Analysis of the water sector in Tunisia USAID (Libya): Facilitate the Libyan Women Empowerment Forum USAID (Libya): Carry out a Political Economy Analysis of local governance and decentralization in Libya
May 2019	Tunisia	FHI360	Teambuilding Facilitator	Organize and facilitate a 3 days-long team building retreat to layout the landscape of individual and collective drivers, operating processes, and challenges, foster team cohesion and alignment and retrieve the sense of purpose and enthusiasm.

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April 2018 – April 2019	Tunisia, Libya, Denmark	Voluntas	Head of Office	<p>Register the company in Tunisia. Recruits and manage the Tunisia office team. Manage client relations and expand the portfolio of projects in the MENA.</p> <p>Oversee the design, conduct, and reporting of research and monitoring and evaluation projects for national and international stakeholders in the MENA region. Facilitate workshops, roundtables, and strategy seminars. Projects included:</p> <p>UNDP (Libya): Stabilization Facility for Libya – Revision of the Theory of Change and set up of a monitoring program</p> <p>DIHR (Tunisia): Assessment on “Support for Capacity-Building in the Tunisian Security Sector”</p> <p>IOM (Libya): Evaluation of “Promoting Stability in Libya’s Southern Regions” program</p> <p>EU (Libya): Design and feasibility assessment of health sector development program implementing the nexus between humanitarian assistance and development.</p> <p>USAID (Libya): Facilitation of quarterly implementing partners meetings. Libya context assessment.</p> <p>EU (Libya): EU Third party monitoring / strategic assessment of UNDP Programs in Libya</p> <p>UNFPA (Libya): Gender-Based Violence Situational Analysis for Libya</p> <p>EU (Libya): Third Party Monitoring of health-related aspects of IOM and UNHCR programs on migration</p> <p>IOM (Libya): Search And Rescue in the Sahara Feasibility Study</p> <p>USAID (Libya): Carry out a detailed Political Economy Analysis of Local Governance and Decentralization in Libya to inform USAID’s Libya local governance programs (>\$60 million).</p> <p>OTI/Chemonics (Libya): Manage the Flexible Research, Analysis, and independent monitoring Platform on behalf of USAID/OTI’s Libya Transition Initiative to effectively evaluate activities, outputs, and outcomes as well as inform OTI’s programming decisions and evaluations.</p>
September 2017 – May 2018	Japan, Switzerland	United Nations University; Swisspeace; Geneva Graduate Institute,	Libya Researcher	<p>UN Sanctions and Mediation Project: Carry out empirical research on UN mediation efforts in Libya in 2011, and in 2014-2016.</p> <p>In partnership with a sanctions expert, draft a report analyzing the interlinkages between UN sanctions and mediation efforts.</p>
October – December 2017	Yemen	European Union, DEVCO B2, Roadmap facility	Team Leader	<p>Civil Society Engagement Assessment and Strategy: Manage the research team; draft the research methodology; interview international and Yemeni stakeholders</p> <p>Assess Yemeni civil society capacity; identify potential EU partners; and recommend engagement strategies.</p>
July – November 2017	Libya	European Union, DEVCO B2, Roadmap facility	Team Leader; Civil Society Expert	<p>Recruit Libyan researchers, manage the research team, and draft the research methodology. Interview international and Libyan stakeholders; organize and facilitate a consultation between the EU and Libyan civil society organizations.</p> <p>Draft a report assessing Libyan civil society capacity; identify potential partners, and recommend engagement strategies.</p>
April – October 2017	Libya	European Union Delegation to Libya, PAF II	Research Team Leader	<p>Design and carry out the “Libya Local Governance Case Studies” research project. Recruit Libyan researchers, provide the methodology, and oversee the research. Draft the report on Zuwara Municipality and oversee the drafting of the overall report on six Libyan municipalities.</p>

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Aug 2014 – June 2017	USA, Egypt, Morocco	Crown Center for Middle East Studies	Junior Scholar Fellow / Post-Doctoral Fellow	Research Middle East politics, present at conferences, write policy papers.
December 2016 – May 2017	Tunisia, Libya	United Nations Support Mission in Libya (UNSMIL)	Research Team Leader	Recruit and manage Libyan researchers. Design and oversee the research methodology (90 semi-structured interviews). Draft a comprehensive Libyan Civil Society Engagement Strategy for UNSMIL.
September 2015 – January 2016	USA - Ethiopia	World Peace Foundation	Consultant	Draft a report on the lessons learned from the intervention in Libya for “The future of peace missions in Africa” project, aimed at providing recommendations to the African Union on how to restructure its peace and security architecture.
February – April 2014	USA	Institute for Global Leadership – Tufts University	Research Team Leader	Recruit and mentor a team of undergraduate and graduate students on governance research and survey design. Oversee the drafting of a comprehensive “local governance and local community assessment” survey questionnaire.
July 2013 – May 2015	Libya	UNICEF and UNDP	Research Team Leader	Mapping of Libyan CSOs. Design the research methodology and tools to assess and promote civil society organizations in six major Libyan cities. Recruit, train and supervise individual research teams in six cities (70 people overall, and over 1000 organizations surveyed). Analyze the data and write the final assessment report. Present the report to national and international stakeholders.
2013	Libya	Global Integrity	Country Reviewer	Review and comment on score, narrative comments and references provided by the country researcher on 110 Africa Integrity Indicators (Safety and Rule of Law; Participation and HR; Sustainable Economic Opportunity; Human Dev.t).
October – December 2013	Libya	Development Alternatives (DAI)	Expert	Libya Security Sector Assessment (SSR and DDR): Design the research methodology and tools for a comprehensive assessment of the social, political and security context in Libya for the US State Department. Draft a report laying out the political, security and civil society landscape and articulating possible avenues for stabilization initiatives.
February – May 2013	Libya	United States Institute of Peace (USIP)	Libya Country Lead Researcher	Small Arms, Justice and Security Research: Design the methodology in partnership with the USIP Washington D.C. and Small Arms Survey. Recruit and train a team of Libyan field researchers. Organize the conduct dozens of semi-directive interviews in multiple communities across Libya.
December 2012 – January 2013	Libya	Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development	Research Team Leader	Assessment and promotion of the CSOs in Sabha, Libya: Design the research goals and methodology of the civil society mapping. Train enumerators, oversee the research, and draft the report.
February – December 2012	Libya	Global Integrity	Country Lead Researcher	Interview key informants, such as journalists, members of the National Transitional Council, judges, HR activists, lawyers, journalists, members of international and local NGOs, university administration and university professors. Research and score (provide the narrative and the references) approximately 125 de jure and de facto Africa Governance Indicators.
July 2011 – July 2012	Libya	New Libya Foundation	Program Manager, Director of Res.	Design the Leadership in Civil Society program to teach, coach and support young Libyans to develop their own NGO. Open and manage the first civil society incubator in Tripoli.

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November - December 2011	Libya	New Libya Foundation, and Institute for Global Leadership - Tufts University	Research designer, research team leader	Design a detailed questionnaire (100 questions) on governance, corruption, religion, women's rights, and media. Conduct a two-week civil society initial assessment mission: 52 interviews of a representative sample of Libyan society in Libya, 2 focus group discussions (one under 30 yo, one over 30 yo), and interview of key informants (Professors, NGOs...).
July-September 2010	Mali	Ecole de Maintien de la Paix, CEDEAO (ECOWAS Peacekeeping School)	Associate	Research and draft future courses, selected candidates for courses, assist in teaching to a total of 30 students. Conduct a qualitative and quantitative comparative analysis of UNITAR's "Introduction to Peace Operations" and DPKO ITS' "Core Pre-Deployment Training Materials" courses. Draft the structure and content of a new course "Foundational course on Peace Operations" to be taught by the School.
July-Aug 2009	Democratic Republic of Congo	Restauration de la Justice au Congo (REJUSCO)	Researcher	Research and map the ongoing conflict and the phenomenon of sexual violence in Eastern DRC. Interview survivors of sexual violence, actors belonging to over 30 local and international organizations present in Eastern DRC, civil society leaders, and health and jail administrators in Bunia and Goma, intelligence, operations and planning officers from the UN Mission in the DRC (MONUC) and the EU Security mission in the DRC (EUSEC) on ongoing SSR and DDR programs.
May - June 2009; June 2010	Guinea	Mêmes Droits pour Tous (MDT)	Associate	Promote the establishment of Rule of Law, the defense of human rights for have-nots and jail detainees. Design and manage health and hygiene program in the N'Zerekore jail. Establish a dialogue with the military police, the police, and the judicial authorities on the respect of human rights.
2004 – 2008	USA	Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training School	Flight Commander; Instructor; Safety Officer	Manage 22 officers from 5 countries and coordinate the high pace instruction. Evaluate the officers under my command, reported their proficiency, monitor their level of training, and make recommendations for their future employment within the Squadron. Manage the ground and flying safety prevention program: lead part of the immediate investigative actions following a fatal flying accident.
2004	ITALY	Flying Safety Headquarters, Italian Air Force	Officer in the investigative division	Research accidents/incidents reports and analyzed statistics, devising crisis management recommendations. Performed accident causes and trends analysis and evaluated organizational effectiveness to formulate policy recommendations. Conduct several AF Base team inspections, analyzing organizational processes and structures affecting the mission and evaluating programs and policy. Wrote multiple articles on accident prevention for the AF Flying Safety magazine.
2000 – 2003	ITALY	Jet Flying Training School, 61° Wing, Italian Air Force	Flight Commander and Instructor	Manage students and instructors, and assess their capacity. Oversee the instruction and the schedule of ground and flight training. Direct the flying operations of the Wing's major air show in 5 years.
1997 – 2000	ITALY	14° Wing, Italian Air Force	Officer, Pilot	Plan and conduct transport and air-to-air refueling training and operational missions on five continents and in cooperation with numerous international organizations. Participate in the 1998-2004 NATO "Operation Joint Forge" in support of UN's Peacekeeping mission in Bosnia-Herzegovina, the 1999 NATO "Operation Allied Force" in Kosovo and Serbia that paved the way for the KFOR international peacekeeping operation, and the 1999 UN mission

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				"International Force for East Timor" (INTERFET).

15. Other relevant information

Publications:

- "Libya: the long way forward", *World Peace Foundation – Reinventing Peace*, January 3, 2013, available from: <http://sites.tufts.edu/reinventingpeace/2013/01/03/libya-the-long-way-forward/>
- "Sebha Civil Society Organizations: Assessment Report", European Union and ACTED - Civil Initiatives Libya, January 2013, available from: <http://docdro.id/gE6lGBW> (AR), and <http://docdro.id/15X72mn> (EN)
- "Regards sur les villes libyennes aujourd'hui », *Confluences Méditerranée*, No.85: Spring 2013, available from [Cairn.info](http://www.cairn.info) at: <http://www.cairn.info/revue-confluences-mediterranee-2013-2.htm>
- "Libya: One Step Forward, Two Steps Backwards", *Heartland*, September 2014, available from: <http://temi.repubblica.it/limes-heartland/libya-one-step-forward-two-steps-backwards/2040>.
- "Libya's Untold Story: Civil Society Amid Chaos", Crown Center for Middle East Studies, Middle East Brief No. 93: May 2015, available from: <http://www.brandeis.edu/crown/publications/meb/meb93.html>
- "Can there be a viable roadmap for Libya?", Geneva Center for Security Policy, Policy, 2015/5: May 2015, available from: <http://gcsp.ch/About-Us/Publications-Research/GCSP-Publications/Policy-Papers/Can-there-be-a-viable-roadmap-for-Libya>
- "Quelle solution pour la Libye ?", *ENA hors les murs*, April 2015, available from : <http://www.aaeena.fr/publications/la-revue>
- "Libyan CSO Mapping : Comparative Highlights", UNICEF and UNDP, May 2015. Available from: www.facebook.com/LibyaCSOreports and <http://docdro.id/iWvRTfu> (AR); <http://docdro.id/JsAXU6G> (EN)
- "Benghazi Civil Society Organizations: Survey Report", UNICEF and UNDP, May 2015. Available from: www.facebook.com/LibyaCSOreports; and <http://docdro.id/USQsL3M> (AR); <http://docdro.id/bqJPMjK> (EN)
- "Misrata Civil Society Organizations: Survey Report", UNICEF and UNDP, May 2015. Available from: www.facebook.com/LibyaCSOreports; and <http://docdro.id/7Bg3dzY> (AR); <http://docdro.id/WFvRynG> (EN)
- "Tripoli Civil Society Organizations: Survey Report", UNICEF and UNDP, May 2015. Available from: www.facebook.com/LibyaCSOreports; <http://docdro.id/EFRL97K> (AR); <http://docdro.id/qMARyCn> (EN)
- "The Failure to End Libya's Fragmentation: A Multi-Tiered Analysis", Crown Center for Middle East Studies, Middle East Brief No. 110: May 2017. Available from <http://www.brandeis.edu/crown/publications/meb/MEB110.pdf>
- "Libyan Local Governance Case Studies." EU Delegation to Libya. July 2017. Available at <http://docdro.id/ce1aKnu>
- "The deep roots of Libya's Security Fragmentation", *Middle Eastern Studies*, 55:2, January 2019, pp 200-224. Available at <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/00263206.2018.1538970>
- "Political Economy Analysis of Local Governance and Decentralization in Libya", USAID, May 2019.
- "Human trafficking, smuggling and governance in Libya : implications for stability and programming," *USAID and NORC at the University of Chicago*, March 2020. https://dec.usaid.gov/dec/content/Detail_Presto.aspx?ctID=ODVhZjk4NWQtM2YyMi00YjRmLTkxNjktZTcxMjM2NDBmY2Uy&rID=NTcyNzUx&inr=VHJ1ZQ%3d%3d&dc=YWRk&rtrc=VHJ1ZQ%3d%3d&bckToL

- With Hicham Zougagh and Kora Andrieu, “Decentralizing Democracy: The Legal Framework of Local Governance in Libya,” *USAID and the American Bar Association*, Sept 2020.
- “Come Russia e Turchia ipotecano il futuro della Libia e destabilizzano il Mediterraneo,” in Silvia Colombo (ed.), “Italia ed Europa di fronte alla crisi libica,” Edizioni Nuova Cultura, novembre 2020. <https://www.iai.it/it/pubblicazioni/italia-ed-europa-di-fronte-alla-crisi-libica>
- With Clara Portela, “UN Security Council Sanctions and Mediation in Libya: Synergy or Obstruction?” *Global Governance*. Forthcoming.
- “Researching post-Gadhafi Libya: Insecurity, inaccessibility and compounded positionality”, *Middle East Law and Governance*, forthcoming
- “Unconventional humanitarian needs and challenges in war-torn Libya”, *Conflict Research Society*, Sept 2021 Conference paper
- With Michael Ayari and Hamza Meddeb, “La frontière tuniso-libyenne à la croisée des chemins », UNDP, Forthcoming

Recent presentations, conferences, trainings

- “Bottom-up approaches in security responses and prevention efforts in the Maghreb”, GCCS, *Speaker*, Aug 2021
- “Development and Security at the Tunisia-Libya Border”, UNDP Oslo PVE [Conference](#), *Speaker*, June 2021
- “Youth civic and political engagement in the MENA”, UNDP regional Youth Leadership Program, *Speaker*, May 2021
- “Migration and Displacement in Libya”, NAPI-MEI [Roundtable](#), *Moderator*, May 2021
- “L’Italia e la crisi libica: quali lezioni di politica estera?”, ISPI-IAI Webinar, Discussant, May 2020
- “The Libya Conflict: No End in Sight?”, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome, Italy. Discussant, Feb 2020
- “Sanctions and mediation efforts”, Geneva Graduate Institute, Swisspeace, UN University, Geneva. Discussant, Jan 2020
- “What scenari for Libya’s near future?”, UNDP, Tunis, Organizer and facilitator, Dec 2019
- “Policy cycle”, British Council, Young Mediterranean Voices, Tunis, Trainer, Nov 2019
- “Policy-oriented field research”, Moroccan Institute for Policy Analysis, Tangier, Morocco, Trainer, Oct 2019
- “Libya: Persisting Narratives and Changing Realities”, DRI, Tunis, Panelist, Sept 2019
- “Political economy analysis of decentralization in Libya”, USAID, Presenter, Sept 2019
- “Libyan Women Empowerment Forum”, USAID, Tunis, Facilitator, July 2019
- “Libyan Context Indicators Assessment”, USAID, Tunis, Analyst and Facilitator, Sept 2018; Dec 2018; Mar 2019
- “Supporting Local Governance in Libya,” EU Committee of the Regions. Brussels, Belgium, Presenter, Apr 2018
- “Local Governance in Libya.” Tunis, Tunisia, Presenter, Oct 2017
- “European Union - Libyan Civil Society Consultation.” Tunis, Tunisia. Organizer and moderator, Oct 2017
- “What Path Forward for Libya?” Middle East Institute. Washington DC, USA. Panelist, Oct 2017
- “Civil Society Network Seminar,” European Commission, Brussels, Belgium, Presenter, Sept 2017
- “Libya International Peace Forum.” VNG, CILG, PATRIR, Tunis, Tunisia, Presenter, Sept 2017
- “Conducting Research with Refugees: Challenges & Opportunities”, BCARS, Boston, USA, Discussant, May 2017
- “Challenges & Opportunities of Fieldwork”, The Fletcher School, USA, Presenter, Feb 2017
- “Briefing on the current situation in Libya,” US State Department, USA, Presenter, Feb 2017
- “North Africa after the Arab Spring: Strategies for national & regional stabilization,” USIP, USA, Panel Organizer, Feb 2017
- “Voluntary associations in Libya: Cultural diffusion and transnational networks,” ISA conference. Presenter, Feb 2017
- “Civil Society in Libya” panel and discussion, Tahrir Institute for Middle East Policy. Organizer and Moderator, Feb 2017
- “State of the research on non-state voluntary movements in the post-2011 MENA”, MESA, Roundtable Organizer, Nov 2016
- “Perspectives on State Formation and Nation Building in Libya”, MESA, Panel Organizer and Presenter, Nov 2016

- “Leading Sustained Cooperation in Fragile Environments” workshop, NATO, GCSP & CCL, Geneva, Switz, Sept 2016
- “The current security and governance challenges in Libya”, Swiss Federal Dept of Foreign Affairs, Bern, Switz, Sept. 2016
- “L’échec de la transition politique Libyenne », University of Laval, Quebec City, Canada, Presenter, May 2016
- “The 2011 intervention in Libya”, World Peace Foundation and African Union, Addis A., Ethiopia, Presenter, Jan 2016

Fellowships, grants, awards and distinction

- Tufts Honos Civicus, recognizing exceptional commitment to community service and civic engagement, 2017 - present
- Visiting Research Scholar, Crown Center for Middle East Studies, Brandeis University, 2017 - 2018
- Junior Scholar Fellow, Crown Center for Middle East Studies, Brandeis University, 2016 - 2017
- Doctoral Fellow, Geneva Center for Security Policy, Summer 2016
- Fellow, Fares Center for Eastern Mediterranean Studies, Tufts University, 2015 - present
- Junior Scholar Fellow, Crown Center for Middle East Studies, Brandeis University, 2014 - 2016
- Tufts Special Mention for Outstanding Graduate Student Contribution to Undergraduate Education, Spring 2014
- Graduate Institute for Teaching fellowship, Tufts University, 2011-2012
- I.N.S.P.I.R.E. Fellow and Hamlin grant recipient, Institute for Global Leadership - Tufts University, 2011 – 2012
- Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation International Security Studies scholarship recipient, 2011
- Henry J. Leir fellowship and Sarah Scaife Frank Rockwell grant recipient based on academic merit, 2009 - 2011
- William L. Blue & Joan R. Blue Scholar, awarded for academic achievement, 2008 - 2009
- NATO Wing Com. Commendation for excellent support during a fatal accident safety investigation, 2008
- Wing Com. Commendation for saving a drowning man’s life in adverse sea conditions, 2002
- Brig. Gen. Special Commendation for outstanding leadership and management achievement, 2000

Teaching experience

- British Council - Tunis, TUNISIA, Young Mediterranean Voices program – Teacher, February 2020
Teach how to shape policy to 24 Master Facilitators and Program Coordinators from 8 countries in the MENA region.
- Friedrich Ebert Stiftung - Tunis, TUNISIA, Libya Young Leaders program 2019 – Teacher, February 2019
Train 20 young Libyan leaders on research fundamentals. Coach them over the course of one year and oversee their research.
- Tufts University - Medford (MA), USA, The Democratic Transition in Libya – Lecturer, Spring 2014
Received a university-wide special mention for outstanding teaching to undergraduates following students’ recommendations.
- Tufts University, Political Science Department - Medford (MA), USA, Political Psychology - Teaching Assistant for Prof. Schildkraut, Spring 2014
- New Libya Foundation - Tripoli; Misrata, LIBYA, Instructor, February 2012 - April 2013
Design and teach an intensive one-week course on democracy and civil society to Libyan Civil Society activists. Taught the leaders of 12 CSOs in Tripoli, and 18 CSOs in Misrata.
- The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy Tufts University - Medford (MA), USA:
 - o IR Theory and Practice - Teaching Fellow, 2011-2012
 - o Transitional Justice - Teaching Assistant for Prof. Aucoin, Fall 2011
- Tufts University, Field Exercise for Peace and Stability Operations - Medford (MA), USA, Team leader, Instructor, March-April 2011

- The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University - Medford (MA), USA:
- o Peace Operations - Teaching Assistant for Prof. Johnstone Fall 2010
 - o Rule of Law in Post-Conflict Societies - Teaching Assistant for Prof. Aucoin, Fall 2010
 - Tufts University, Political Science Department - Medford (MA), USA, Introduction to International Relations - Teaching Assistant for Prof. Taliaferro, Fall 2009
 - Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Tufts University - Medford (MA), USA, The Italian Paradox – Lecturer, Fall 2008
 - Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training School (ENJJPT) - Sheppard AFB (TX), USA, Flight Commander and Instructor Pilot, 2005 – 2008:
 - o Responsible for the training of 11 Student Pilots and for supervising 11 Instructors from four different countries: ensured full qualification of Instructors and 99% early completion rate of all student training, valued at over \$13M per semester.
 - o Selected to be an Instructor to the new Instructors joining the School from 5 countries. Handpicked among Instructors for judgment and instructional skills to teach the most challenging students: mentored them to graduation with 100% success rate.
 - Jet Training School, 61° Wing - Lecce, ITALY, Flight Commander and Instructor Pilot, 2000 – 2003
 - Lead the instruction of several classes of student pilots, evaluate their performance and make recommendations on their ensuing career assignments. Teach both theoretical classes on the ground and practical skills in flight.
 - Guest Lectures:
 - La Sapienza (Rome, Italy); U.C. Berkeley (CA, USA); NorthEastern University (MA, USA); Boston University (MA, USA); Centro Alti Studi della Difesa (Rome, Italy).