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EDUCATION

Ph.D. HARVARD UNIVERSITY, GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Public Policy, November 1992

Dissertation: "From Paper to Practice: Improving Environmental Treaty Compliance"

Committee: Abram Chayes (chair), William Clark, Robert Keohane

M.P.P. HARVARD UNIVERSITY, JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT

Public Policy, June 1985

B.A. STANFORD UNIVERSITY

American Studies, June 1981

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

PROFESSOR, University of Oregon

Department of Political Science, Full Professor: 2005-present; Associate: 1999-2005; Assistant: 1993-1999;
Associate Department Head: 2018/19

Program in Environmental Studies, Core Faculty, 2004-present; Associate Program Director: 2019/20, 2020/21

Teach courses on international environmental policy, international relations, international organization

VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Stanford University

Center for Environmental Science and Policy and International Policy Studies Program, July 1999-Dec 2001

Researched international regimes. Taught international relations and international environmental politics course, videotaped as a distance education course at ten Russian universities from 2002-2005.

INVITED PROFESSOR, Royal Complutense College at Harvard University

Summer Course on International Environmental Problems, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

International, National, and State Advisory Boards and Scientific Committees

United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) Evaluation Reference Group for GEO-5, 2014.

Invited Expert Reviewer of Working Group III contribution to the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change Fifth Assessment Report (AR5), 2012

Earth System Governance Project, International Human Dimensions Program, Associate Faculty, 2009-present and Oran R. Young Prize Committee member 2013-present

Oregon Climate Change Research Institute Science Advisory Board, 2009-present

Invited Expert Reviewer, United Nations Assessment of Assessment towards a regular process for global reporting and assessment of the state of the marine environment, including socio-economic aspects (Pursuant to UNGA Resolution 60/30), 2009

State of Oregon Science/Technology Committee of the Oregon Global Warming Commission, Member, 2008-present

Institutional Dimensions of Global Environmental Change Synthesis Conference, Organizing Captain, 2006

State of Oregon Governor's Advisory Group on Global Warming, Member, 2004, Report:

National Research Council, Committee on the Human Dimensions of Global Change, Member, 2000-2004

Integrated Marine Biogeochemistry and Ecosystem (IMBER - project of Scientific Committee on Ocean Research and International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme), contributing author to Science Plan and Implementation Strategy, 2003

CLimate Impacts on Oceanic Top Predators (CLIOTOP) Project, Chair of Working Group 5 on Socio-Economic Aspects, 2003-2004

DIVERSITAS, Member, Scientific Committee for Core Project on "bioSUSTAINABILITY: Conservation and Sustainable Use of Biodiversity," International Council for Science, 2003-2008

DIVERSITAS Task Force Member, 2001-2003

Editorial Boards

International Organization, 2002-present (with required 1-year hiatus in 2008 and 2015 and 2022)
Chair of Editorial Board: *International Organization*, 2011-2013
Chair of Special Issues Committee: *International Organization*, 2021
Associate Editor: *Palgrave Communications* (subsidiary of *Nature*), 2017-2020
Global Environmental Politics, 1999-2007
Associate Editor: *Global Environmental Politics*, 2007-2018
International Environmental Agreement: Politics, Law and Economics, 2020-present
Climate Law, 2008-present
Earth System Governance, 2018-present
International Studies Review, 2008-2011
Journal of Environment and Development, 1995-present

Professional Association Service

Executive Council, Science, Technology & Environmental Politics Section, APSA, 2014-2017
Nominations Committee, Qualitative Methods Section, APSA, 2003-2005
Nominations Committee, Environmental Studies Section, ISA, 2002-2004
Sprout Award Committee, Environmental Studies Section, ISA, 2001-2003
Conference Chair (1996) and President (1997), ISA-West
Executive Committee, Environmental Studies Section, ISA, 1995-1997

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND HONORS

University of Oregon Outstanding Career Award for 2023
University of Oregon Excellence in Remote Teaching Award, Spring 2020
APSA Elinor Ostrom Career Achievement Award (Science, Technology & Environmental Politics Section), 2018: “to an individual in recognition of their lifetime contribution to the study of science, technology, and environmental politics.”
University of Oregon College of Arts and Sciences [Tykeson Teaching Award](#), 2017
University of Oregon Sustainability Award for Research Innovation, 2015
Commencement Speaker. [Minds Move Mountains: The Power of Interdisciplinary Collaboration](#). University of Oregon, 16 June 2008. Available at: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kiibUBPmHBI>, minute 48 through 61. Text in PDF format:
Faculty Fund for Excellence, January 2008 - December 2012
National Science Foundation, “DISCCRS: Interdisciplinary Leadership Training for Early-Career Climate Scholars,” November 2009 - October 2014 (NSF Award No. SES-0931402), \$472,494
National Science Foundation, “Fostering Cross-Disciplinary Relationships and Early-Career Development to Advance Interdisciplinary Research on Climate Change and Impacts,” January 2005 - December 2008 (NSF Award No. EAR-0435719), \$142,000
National Science Foundation, “Analysis of the effects of environmental treaties,” September 2003 - August 2007 (NSF Award No. SES-0318374), \$282,000
International Studies Association Workshop Grant, 2003 (with John Duffield, Georgia State University), \$5,000
American Philosophical Society, Sabbatical Fellowship, 2002-2003, \$40,000
Faculty Summer Research Award, Graduate School, University of Oregon, 1994, 1997, 2002, 2008, 2015
Richard A. Bray Faculty Fellow, University of Oregon, 1999, \$5,000
Junior Professorship Development Award, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oregon, 1995, 1996
International Affairs Advisory Council Award, University of Oregon, 1996
Research Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oregon, 1996
Dwight D. Eisenhower/Thomas A. Pappas Graduate Fellowship, 1991-1992
Rockefeller Brothers Fund Research Grant, 1991-1992
Harvard MacArthur Scholarship in International Security, 1990-1991, 1991-1992

BOOKS

International politics and the environment
Sage Publications, 2010.

Intentional oil pollution at sea: environmental policy and treaty compliance

MIT Press, 1994. Winner of the Harold and Margaret Sprout Award, International Studies Association, 1995, for best book on international environmental issues

EDITED BOOKS

International Environmental Agreements – Journal Special Issue

Ronald B. Mitchell, guest editor. 13:1 (March 2013)

International environmental politics (4 volume set of previously published articles by various authors)

Ronald B. Mitchell, editor. Sage Publications, 2008

Global environmental assessments: information and influence

Ronald B. Mitchell, William C. Clark, David W. Cash, and Nancy M. Dickson, editors. MIT Press, 2006

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

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“Implications of Russia’s invasion of Ukraine for the governance of biodiversity conservation”

Eduardo Gallo-Cajiao, et al. (23 authors), *Frontiers in Conservation Science*. 4:989019 (February 2023), 1-8.

“Reducing the web’s carbon footprint: Does improved electrical efficiency reduce webserver electricity use?”

Ronald B. Mitchell and Richard F. York. *Energy Research & Social Science* 65: 101474 (July 2020).

“What We Know (and Could Know) About International Environmental Agreements”

Ronald B. Mitchell, Liliana B. Andonova, Mark Axelrod, Jörg Balsiger, Thomas Bernauer, Jessica F. Green, James Hollway, Rakhyun E. Kim, and Jean-Frédéric Morin. *Global Environmental Politics* 20:1 (February 2020).

“Protecting Biodiversity in Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction: An Earth System Governance Perspective”

Elizabeth M. De Santo, et al. (15 authors). *Earth System Governance*. 2:100029 (April 2019).

“Norms for the earth: changing the climate on ‘climate change’”

Ronald B. Mitchell and R. Charli Carpenter, *Journal of Global Security Studies*. 4:4 (October 2019), 413-429.

“Climate Law: Accomplishments and Areas for Growth”

Climate Law 8:3-4 (November 2018), 135-150.

“Carbon lock-in: types, causes, and policy implications”

Karen C. Seto, Steven J. Davis, Ronald B. Mitchell, Eleanor Stokes, Gregory Unruh, and Diana Urge-Vorsatz, *Annual Review of Environment and Resources* 41 (October 2016), 425-452.

“Oran Young and international institutions”

International Environmental Agreements 13:1 (March 2013), 1-14. DOI 10.1007/s10784-012-9200-3

“Navigating the Anthropocene: improving earth system governance”

Biermann, Frank, et al. (32 co-authors). *Science* 335: 6074 (16 March 2012), 1306-1307.

“Transforming governance and institutions for global sustainability: key insights from the Earth System Governance Project”

Biermann, Frank, et al. (32 co-authors). *Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability* 4:1 (January 2012), 51-60.

“Technology is not enough: climate change, population, affluence, and consumption”

Journal of Environment and Development 21:1 (March 2012), 33-36. DOI 10.1177/1070496511435670

“Developing next-generation climate change scholars: the DISCCRS experience”

Ronald B. Mitchell and C. Susan Weiler. *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences* 1:1 (March 2011), 54-62.

“Transparency for governance: the mechanisms and effectiveness of disclosure-based and education-based transparency policies”

Ecological Economics 70 (2011), 1882-1890.

“The rescaling of global environmental politics”

Liliana B. Andonova and Ronald B. Mitchell. *Annual Review of Environment and Resources* 28 (November 2010), 255-282.

“Problem structure, institutional design, and the relative effectiveness of international environmental agreements”

Global Environmental Politics 6:3 (August 2006), 72-89.

- “International environmental agreements: a survey of their features, formation, and effects”
Annual Review of Environment and Resources 28 (November 2003), 429-461.
 Republished in:
International Environmental Agreements. Editor: Peter H. Sand. Edward Elgar, 2019, 56-89.
- “Knowledge systems for sustainable development”
 David W. Cash, William C. Clark, Frank Alcock, Nancy M. Dickson, Noelle Eckley, David H. Guston, Jill Jäger, and Ronald B. Mitchell. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 100:14 (8 July 2003), 8086-8091.
- “A quantitative approach to evaluating international environmental regimes”
Global Environmental Politics 2:4 (November 2002), 58-83.
 Republished in:
International Environmental Law. Editor: Donald K. Anton. Edward Elgar, 2015.
- “Situation structure and institutional design: reciprocity, coercion, and exchange”
 Ronald B. Mitchell and Patricia M. Keilbach. *International Organization* 55:4 (Autumn 2001), 891-917.
 Republished in:
The Rational Design of International Institutions. Editors: Barbara Koremenos, Charles Lipson, and Duncan Snidal. Cambridge University Press, 2004, 131-157.
- “Implementing the climate change regime's clean development mechanism”
 Ronald B. Mitchell and Edward A. Parson. *Journal of Environment and Development* 10:2 (June 2001), 125-146.
- “Encouraging compliance without real power: sport associations regulating teams”
 Ronald B. Mitchell, Todd Crosset, and Carol A. Barr. *Journal of Sport Management* 13:3 (July 1999), 216-236.
- “Discourse and sovereignty: interests, science, and morality in the regulation of whaling”
Global Governance 4:3 (July-September 1998), 275-293.
- “Sources of transparency: information systems in international regimes”
International Studies Quarterly 42:1 (March 1998), 109-130.
 Republished in:
Power and Conflict in the Age of Transparency. Editors: Bernard I. Finel and Kristin M. Lord. Palgrave Publishers, 2000, 181-219.
- “Empirical research on international environmental policy: designing qualitative case studies”
 Ronald B. Mitchell and Thomas Bernauer. *Journal of Environment and Development* 7:1 (March 1998), 4-31.
- “International control of nuclear proliferation: beyond carrots and sticks”
The Nonproliferation Review 5:1 (Fall 1997), 40-52.
- “Heterogeneities at two levels: states, non-state actors, and intentional oil pollution”
Journal of Theoretical Politics 6:4 (October 1994), 625-653.
 Republished in:
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- “Regime design matters: intentional oil pollution and treaty compliance”
International Organization 48:3 (Summer 1994), 425-458.
 Republished in:
The International Political Economy and International Institutions (Volume II). Editor: Oran R. Young. Edward Elgar Publishing, Ltd., 1997, 115-148.
Theory and Structure in International Political Economy: An International Organization Reader. Editors: Charles Lipson and Benjamin J. Cohen, MIT Press, 1999, 207-240.
International Institutions: An International Organization Reader. Editors: Lisa L. Martin and Beth A. Simmons, MIT Press, 2001, 103-136.
Environment in the New Global Economy. Editor: Peter M. Haas. Edward Elgar Publishing, Ltd., 2003, Volume II, 99-132.
International Organization and Global Governance: A Reader. 2nd. Edition. Editors: Friedrich Kratochwil and Edward D. Mansfield. Pearson Longman, 2006, 141-161.
International Law and International Relations. Editors: Beth A. Simmons and Richard H. Steinberg. Cambridge University Press, 2006, 653-683.
The Geopolitics of Natural Resources, Editor: David L. Feldman. Edward Elgar Publishing, 2011.

BOOK CHAPTERS

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“Advanced scholarship: interdisciplinary research at the science–policy interface”

Peter M. Haas, Ronald B. Mitchell, and Leandra Goncalvez. In *Routledge Handbook of Global Environmental Politics (2nd ed)* Editor: Paul G. Harris. Routledge, 2021.

“Compliance theory”

Ronald B. Mitchell. In *Oxford Handbook of International Environmental Law*. Editors: Lavanya Rajamani and Jacqueline Peel. Oxford University Press, 2021, 889-905.

“Intergovernmental Institutions”

Ronald B. Mitchell, Arild Underdal, Steinar Andresen, and Carel Dieperink. In *Architectures of Earth System Governance*. Editors: Frank Biermann and Rakhyun E. Kim. Cambridge University Press, 2020, 37-56.

“Taking Stock and Moving Forward”

Frank Biermann, Rakhyun E. Kim, Kenneth W. Abbott, James Hollway, Ronald B. Mitchell, and Michelle Scobie. In *Architectures of Earth System Governance*. Editors: Frank Biermann and Rakhyun E. Kim. Cambridge University Press, 2020, 299-321.

“How to Evaluate Agents and Agency”

Sander Chan and Ronald B. Mitchell. In *Agency in Earth System Governance*. Editors: Michele M. Betsill, Tabitha M. Benney, and Andrea K. Gerlak. Cambridge University Press, 2020, 168-180.

“Introduction: Agency in Earth System Governance”

Michele M. Betsill, Tabitha M. Benney, Andrea K. Gerlak, Calum Brown, Sander Chan, Okechukwu Enichi, Ronald B. Mitchell, Ina Möller, James J. Patterson, Michelle Scobie, Sandra van der Hel, and Oscar E. Widerberg. In *Agency in Earth System Governance*. Editors: Michele M. Betsill, Tabitha M. Benney, and Andrea K. Gerlak. Cambridge University Press, 2020, 3-24.

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“International environment”

In *Handbook of International Relations (2nd edition)*. Editors: Thomas Risse, Beth Simmons, and Walter Carlsnaes. Sage Publications, 2013, 801-826.

“The influence of international institutions: institutional design, compliance, effectiveness, and endogeneity”

In *Power, Interdependence and Non-State Actors in World Politics*. Editors: Helen V. Milner and Andrew Moravcsik. Princeton University Press, 2009, 66-83.

“Evaluating the performance of environmental institutions: what to evaluate and how to evaluate it?”

In *Institutions and Environmental Change: Principal Findings, Applications, and Research Frontiers*. Editors: Oran R. Young, Leslie A. King, and Heike Schroeder. MIT Press, 2008, 79-114.

“Compliance theory: compliance, effectiveness, and behavior change in international environmental law”

In *Oxford Handbook of International Environmental Law*. Editors: Jutta Bruneo, Daniel Bodansky, and Ellen Hey. Oxford University Press, 2007, 893-921.

“Evaluating the influence of global environmental assessments”

William C. Clark, Ronald B. Mitchell, and David W. Cash. In *Global Environmental Assessments: Information and Influence*. Editors: Ronald B. Mitchell, William C. Clark, David W. Cash, and Nancy M. Dickson. MIT Press, 2006, 1-28.

“Information and influence”

Ronald B. Mitchell, William C. Clark, and David W. Cash. In *Global Environmental Assessments: Information and Influence*. Editors: Ronald B. Mitchell, William C. Clark, David W. Cash, and Nancy M. Dickson. MIT Press, 2006, 307-338.

“Flexibility, compliance and norm development in the climate regime”

In *Implementing the Climate Regime: International Compliance*. Editors: Olav Schram Stokke, Jon Hovi, and Geir Ulfstein. Earthscan Press, 2005, 65-83.

“Group report: sustainability”

Ann P. Kinzig., William C. Clark, Ottmar Edenhofer, Gilberto C. Gallopin, Wolfgang Lucht, Ronald B. Mitchell, Patricia Romero Lankao, S. Sreelesh, Crispin Tickell, and Oran R. Young. In *Earth System Analysis for Sustainability, Dahlem Workshop Report 91*. Editors: Hans Joachim Schellnhuber, Paul J. Crutzen, William C. Clark, Martin Claussen, and Hermann Held. MIT Press, 2004, 409-434.

- “Institutions, science, and technology in the transition to sustainability”
 Ronald B. Mitchell and Patricia Romero Lankao. In Earth System Analysis for Sustainability, Dahlem Workshop Report 91. Editors: Hans Joachim Schellnhuber, Paul J. Crutzen, William C. Clark, and Martin Claussen. MIT Press, 2004, 387-407.
- “A quantitative approach to evaluating international environmental regimes”
 In Regime Consequences: Methodological Challenges and Research Strategies. Editors: Arild Underdal and Oran Young. Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2004, 121-149.
- “Science, scientists, and the policy process: lessons from global environmental assessments for the northwest forest”
 Ronald B. Mitchell, William C. Clark, David W. Cash, and Frank Alcock. In Forest Futures: Science, Politics and Policy for the Next Century. Editors: Karen Arabas and Joe Bowersox. Rowman and Littlefield, 2004, 95-111.
- “Beyond story-telling: designing case study research in international environmental policy”
 Ronald B. Mitchell and Thomas Bernauer. In Models, Numbers, and Cases: Methods for Studying International Relations. Editors: Detlef Sprinz and Yael Wolinsky-Nahmias. University of Michigan Press, 2004, 81-106.
- “Of course international institutions matter: but when and how?”
 In How institutions change: perspectives on social learning in global and local environmental contexts. Editors: Heiko Breit, Anita Engels, Timothy Moss, and Markus Troja. Leske+Budrich, 2003, 35-52.
- “International environment”
 In Handbook of International Relations. Editors: Thomas Risse, Beth Simmons, and Walter Carlsnaes. Sage Publications, 2002, 500-516.
- “Institutional aspects of implementation, compliance, and effectiveness”
 In International Relations and Global Climate Change. Editor: Urs Luterbacher and Detlef Sprinz. MIT Press, 2001, 221-244.
- “International vessel-source oil pollution”
 Ronald B. Mitchell, Moira McConnell, Alexei Roginko, and Ann Barrett. In The Effectiveness of International Environmental Regimes: Causal Connections and Behavioral Mechanisms. Editor: Oran Young. MIT Press, 1999, 33-90.
- “International environmental common pool resources: more common than domestic but more difficult to manage”
 In Anarchy and the Environment: The International Relations of Common Pool Resources. Editors: J. Samuel Barkin and George E. Shambaugh. SUNY Press, 1999, 26-50.
- “Forms of discourse, norms of sovereignty: interests, science, and morality in the regulation of whaling”
 In The Greening of Sovereignty in World Politics. Editor: Karen Litfin. MIT Press, 1998, 141-171.
- “Managing compliance: a comparative perspective”
 Abram Chayes, Antonia Handler Chayes, and Ronald B. Mitchell. In Engaging Countries: Strengthening Compliance with International Environmental Accords. Editors: Edith Brown Weiss and Harold Jacobson. MIT Press, 1998, 39-62.
- “Institutional frameworks for political action”
 Timothy O’Riordan, Chester L. Cooper, Andrew Jordan, Steve Rayner, Kenneth R. Richards, Paul Runci, and Shira Yoffe; with Daniel Bodansky, Urs Luterbacher, Ronald B. Mitchell, Kal Raustiala, Ian Rowlands, Paul Samson, and Detlef Sprinz as contributors. In Human Choice and Climate Change. Editor: Steve Rayner and Elizabeth L. Malone. Battelle Press, 1998, 345-439.
- “Compliance theory: an overview”
 In Improving Compliance with International Environmental Law. Editors: James Cameron, Jacob Werksman, and Peter Roderick. Earthscan, 1996, 3-28.
 Republished in:
Making Law Work: Environmental Compliance & Sustainable Development (Volume I). Editors: Durwood Zaelke, Donald Kaniaru & Eva Kružiková. Cameron May, 2005, ch. 4.
 Excerpted in:
International Environmental Law and Policy. Editors: David Hunter, James Salzman, and Durwood Zaelke. Foundation Press, 1998, ch. 9.
- “Improving compliance with the climate change treaty”
 Ronald B. Mitchell and Abram Chayes. In Shaping National Responses to Climate Change: A Post-Rio Policy Guide. Editor: Henry Lee. Island Press, 1995, 115-145.

“Active compliance management in environmental treaties”

Antonia Handler Chayes, Abram Chayes, and Ronald B. Mitchell. In Sustainable Development and International Law. Editor: Winfried Lang. Graham and Trotman Ltd., 1995, 75-89.

“Comment on the paper by Patrick Szell”

In Sustainable Development and International Law. Editor: Winfried Lang. Graham and Trotman Ltd., 1995, 111-113.

“Intentional oil pollution of the oceans”

In Institutions for the Earth: Sources of Effective International Environmental Protection. Editors: Peter Haas, Robert Keohane, and Marc Levy. MIT Press, 1993, 183-248.

BOOK REVIEWS

Elizabeth DeSombre, Flagging standards: globalization and environmental, safety, and labor regulations at sea
Review of Policy Research, 26:1-2 (2009), 225-226.

Ken Conca, Governing water: contentious transnational politics and global institution building
Global Environmental Politics, 7:1 (February 2007), 153-155.

Corey Lofdahl, Environmental impacts of globalization and trade: a systems study
Politics and the Life Sciences, 22:2 (September 2003), 54-55.

Oran Young, The institutional dimensions of environmental change: fit, interplay, and scale
International Environmental Agreements: Politics, Law and Economics 3:2 (2003), 191-194.

The Social Learning Group, Learning to manage global environmental risks, volume 1: a functional analysis of social responses to climate change, ozone depletion, and acid rain and

The Social Learning Group, Learning to manage global environmental risks, volume 2: a comparative history of social responses to climate change, ozone depletion, and acid rain
Global Environmental Politics 2:2 (May 2002), 131-133.

Matthew Paterson, Understanding global environmental politics: domination, accumulation, resistance and

Elizabeth R. DeSombre, Domestic sources of international environmental policy: industry, environmentalists, and U.S. power

American Political Science Review 95:2 (June 2001), 514-515.

Thomas Bernauer and Dieter Ruloff, eds., The politics of positive incentives in arms control and

Robert Mandel, Deadly transfers and the global playground: transnational security threats in a disorderly world
International Studies Review 2:3 (Fall 2000), 142-146.

Karen Litfin, Ozone discourses: science and politics in global environmental cooperation

The Ecologist 26:3 (May/June 1996), 78-79.

Thomas Gehring, Dynamic international regimes

International Environmental Affairs 7:2 (Spring 1995), 189-191.

GOVERNMENT AND INTERNATIONAL REPORTS

“Synthesis of National Capacity Self-Assessment Reports in the Pacific Region”

Report prepared for Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme, 25 February 2012.

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