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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2024- Bob and Carol Mattocks Distinguished Professor in Nonprofit Leadership, North Carolina State University

2020-2024 Professor, Department of Leadership Studies, University of San Diego

2015-2020 Associate Professor, Department of Leadership Studies, University of San Diego

2007-2014 Associate Professor, Department of Political Science,
Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University
Co-founder and Director of Research, Transnational NGO Initiative

2001- 2007 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science,
Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University

1999-2001 Post-doctoral Fellow/Instructor, Human Rights Program, Center for International Studies, The University of Chicago

EDUCATION

1999 Ph.D., Social and Political Sciences
European University Institute, San Domenico di Fiesole, Italy
Dissertation: *Global Norms and Regime Change. Kenya and Uganda in Comparative Perspective*

1993 M.A., Political Science, History, and European Ethnology
Eberhard-Karls-Universität, Tübingen, Germany

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Mitchell, G.E., **Schmitz, H.P.**, and Bruno-van Vijeijken, T. 2020. *Between Power and Irrelevance. The Future of Transnational NGOs*, Oxford UP (349pp).

Schmitz, H.P. 2006. *Transnational Mobilization and Domestic Regime Change: Africa in Comparative Perspective*, Palgrave Macmillan (225pp).

Risse, T., Jetschke, A., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2002. *Die Macht der Menschenrechte. Internationale Normen, kommunikative Prozesse und politischer Wandel in den Ländern des Südens*, Nomos (226pp).

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- Mitchell, G. E., **Schmitz, H.P.**, Nerothin, P., Pontes, M., and Walsh, C. 2024. Who Governs Transnational NGOs? A Mixed-Methods Analysis of Board Composition, *Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs*.
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- Hall, N., **Schmitz, H.P.**, and Dedmon, J. M. 2020. Transnational Advocacy in the Digital Era: New Forms of Networked Power, *International Studies Quarterly* 64 (1), 159-67.
- Mitchell, G.E., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2018. The Nexus of Public and Nonprofit Management, *Public Performance & Management Review* 42 (1), 11-33.
- Boyer, E., Kolpakov, A., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2018. Do Executives Approach Leadership Differently when they are Involved in Collaborative Partnerships? A Perspective from International Nongovernmental Organizations (INGOs), *Public Performance & Management Review* 42 (1), 213-40.
- Schmitz, H.P.**, and Mitchell, G.E. 2016. The Other Side of the Coin: NGOs, Rights-Based Approaches, and Public Administration, *Public Administration Review* 76 (2), 252–62.
- Shiffman, J., **Schmitz, H.P.**, Berlan, D., Quissell, K., Smith, S.L., Gneiting, U., and Pelletier, D.E. 2016. The Emergence and Effectiveness of Global Health Networks: Findings and Future Research, *Health Policy and Planning*, 31 (suppl 1), i110-i123.
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- Mitchell, G. E., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2014. Principled Instrumentalism: A Theory of Transnational NGO Behavior, *Review of International Studies* 40 (3), 487-504.
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- Lecy, J.D., **Schmitz, H.P.**, and Swedlund, H. 2012. Non-Governmental and Not-for-Profit Organizational Effectiveness: A Modern Synthesis, *Voluntas* 23 (2), 434-57.
Winner of the 2012 Best Article Award - International Society for Third-Sector Research (ISTR).
- Baur, D., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2012. Corporations and NGOs: When Accountability leads to Co-optation, *Journal of Business Ethics* 106 (1), 9-21.
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- Mihr, A., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2007. Human Rights Education (HRE) and Transnational Activism, *Human Rights Quarterly* 29 (4), 973-93.
- Orenstein, M.A., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2006. The New Transnationalism and Comparative Politics, *Comparative Politics* 38 (4), 479-500.
- Schmitz, H.P.** 2004. Domestic and Transnational Perspectives on Democratization, *International Studies Review* 6 (3), 403-26.
- Schmitz, H.P.** 2001. Menschenrechtswächter: Partielle Midlife-Crisis. INGOs, Vereinte Nationen und Weltöffentlichkeit, *Vereinte Nationen* 49 (1), 7-12. („Human rights guardians: partial midlife crisis. International NGOs, United Nations, and the global public“).
- Risse, T., Gränzer, S., Jetschke, A., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 1998. Internationale Menschenrechtsnormen, transnationale Netzwerke und politischer Wandel in den Ländern des Südens, *Zeitschrift für Internationale Beziehungen* 5 (1), 5-41 („International human rights norms, transnational networks, and political change in the Global South“).
- Risse, T., Jetschke, A., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 1998. Spirale des Einflusses: Wie lassen sich Menschenrechtsnormen durchsetzen?, *Internationale Politik* 53 (11), 61-67 („Spiral of influence. How can human rights norms be enforced?“).
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- Bloodgood, E., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2013. The INGO Research Agenda. A Community Approach to Challenges in Method and Theory, *Routledge Handbook of International Organization*, ed. by B. Reinalda, 67-79, Routledge.

- Mwangi, W., Rieth, L., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2013. Encouraging Greater Compliance: Local Networks and the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC), *The Persistent Power of Human Rights: From Commitment to Compliance*, ed. by T. Risse, S. Ropp and K. Sikkink, 203-21, Cambridge UP.
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PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW OR IN DEVELOPMENT

- Schmitz, H.P.**, and Clarke Umstead, M., How do the largest US-based INGOs report on their leadership and board demographics? A review of GuideStar data, manuscript, revise and resubmit.
- Mitchell, G.E., **Schmitz, H.P.**, Tallack, B., and Bruno-van Vijfeijken, T. 2026. *Between Power and Irrelevance. The Future of Transnational NGOs*, 2nd ed., Oxford UP (forthcoming).

Schmitz, H.P., and Mattah, N. *Comparing Giving Pledge Cohorts and Their Expressed Philanthropic Logics*, unpublished manuscript.

Pontes, M., **Schmitz, H.P.**, and Anderson S., *Are Female Billionaires Different? Assessing Variation in Generosity*, unpublished manuscript.

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Recipient, Kasperick Foundation grant, 2022-23 (\$10,000)

Senior Researcher, Global Health Advocacy and Policy Project (Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. OPPGH4831), 2011-2015 (Principal Investigator: J. Shiffman, American University; \$1m).

Recipient, Maxwell Dean's Office and Program for the Advancement of Research on Conflict and Collaboration (PARCC) *Advocacy and Collaborative Governance in Global Health: The Rise of Non-Communicable Diseases* (2012).

Recipient, International Studies Association (ISA) Venture Grant for a workshop titled *INGOs by the Numbers: Innovations in Data Collection and Methods* at the 2012 ISA Meetings in San Diego, March 31 (2011/2012; \$23,000; jointly with E. Bloodgood, Concordia University).

Principal Investigator, A Review of Plan USA's Child-Centered Community Development (CCCD) Strategy (2011; \$22,000).

Principal Academic Advisor, Strategy Evaluation Report of Plan Guatemala's Country Strategic Plan 2010 (contract for Plan Guatemala, 2009).

Co-Principal Investigator, Transnational NGOs as Agents of Change: Towards Understanding Their Governance, Leadership and Effectiveness, *National Science Foundation (NSF)*, Grant No. SES-0527679, 2006-2009 (\$498,000; main PI: M. 'Peg' Hermann, Syracuse University).

DATA SETS

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MEDIA MENTIONS

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The Common Good Hour. 2021 (June 14). [The Relevance of TNGOs](#). (podcast).

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NGO Soul + Strategy 2020 (July 19). [Between Power and Irrelevance: The Future of Transnational NGOs](#), (podcast).

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POLICY PUBLICATIONS

Campbell, D. A., McDougle, L., & **Schmitz, H.P.** (2026, March 10). [Gifts from top 50 US philanthropists jumped to \\$22.4bn](#), *Chronicle of Philanthropy/The Conversation* (U.S.).

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Pontes, M., and **H.P. Schmitz**. 2021 (November 22). [Coronado Floral Association: Bringing Together California's Coronado Community](#) (teaching case). Harvard Business Publishing Education.

Mitchell, G. E., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2021 (February 19). [To Remain Relevant, CSOs Need to Fix the Architecture](#). International Civil Society Centre (Berlin).

Schmitz, H.P. 2020 (August 26). [International NGOs: Legitimacy, Mandates and Strategic Innovation](#). *E-International Relations*.

Tallack, B., Bruno-van Vijfeijken, T., Mitchell, G. E., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2020 (June 24). [COVID-19 and the Urgency of Long-term Strategy](#). InterAction (Washington, DC).

Schmitz, H.P. 2020 (June 5). [A Window into the Hearts and Minds of Billionaire Donors](#). *The Conversation* (US).

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Hall, N., **Schmitz, H.P.**, and Dedmon, J. M. 2019 (November 12). [Fridays for Future: How Young Climate Strikers Are Teaching NGOs a Lesson](#), *SAIS Perspectives* (Johns Hopkins University).

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- Mitchell, G.E., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2010. Navigating Effectiveness; Humanitarian & Development NGOs Domain Blog, The Hauser Center for Nonprofit Organizations, Harvard University.
- Bruno-van Vijfeijken, T., Gneiting, U., Gomez, R., and **Schmitz, H.P.** 2009. Setting Higher Goals: Rights and Development, *Monday Developments* 27 (12), 19-20.
- Schmitz, H.P.** 2009. Teaching the EU and Europe: Visiting Home with a US Perspective, *EUSA Review* 22 (1), 11-2.
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- Schmitz, H.P.** 2023. *Vigilantes beyond Borders: NGOs as Enforcers of International Law*, Mette Eilstrup-Sangiovanni and J. C. Sharman (Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press, 2022), 248 pp., cloth \$99.95, paperback \$29.95, eBook \$29.95. *Ethics & International Affairs*, 37 (2), 244-46.
- . 2022. What Is the Future of Transnational Advocacy in the Digital Era? A Review of Transnational Advocacy in the Digital Era: Think Global, Act Local, by Nina Hall (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021), *Global Perspectives* 3 (1).
- . 2022. The Routledge Companion to Nonprofit Management, by H. K. Anheier & S. Toepler (eds.), Routledge, 2020, *Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs* 8 (3), 157-59.
- . 2021. Civil Society, 4th ed., by Michael Edwards, Polity, 2020, *Journal of Nonprofit Education and Leadership* 11 (3), 118-21.
- . 2016. The Taming of Democracy Assistance. Why Democracy Promotion Does not Confront Dictators, by S.S. Bush, Cambridge UP, 2015, *H-Diplo | ISSF Roundtable, Volume VIII, No. 18*.
- . 2014. Importing Democracy: The Role of NGOs in South Africa, Tajikistan, and Argentina, by J. Fisher, Kettering Foundation Press, *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly* 44 (1), 195-8.

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- . 2012. Borders among Activists, by S.S. Stroup, Cornell UP, *H-Diplo*, *H-Net Reviews*. September.
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- . 2007. The New Transnational Activism, by S. Tarrow, Cambridge: Cambridge UP 2005, and 'Peaceful Resistance. Advancing Human Rights and Democratic Freedoms,' by R.M. Press, Ashgate, *Perspectives on Politics* 5 (2), 413-5.
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- . 2001. Constructing World Culture. International Nongovernmental Organizations since 1875, by J. Boli and G.M. Thomas (eds.), Stanford UP, *Contemporary Sociology* 30 (4), 390-1.

PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS (SELECTED)

- Schmitz, H.P.** (2026, April), *The Generosity of Female Billionaires: Evidence from the Giving Pledge Cohorts*, with Megan Pontes and Sophia Anderson), West Coast Data Conference, Las Vegas.
- Schmitz, H.P.** (2026, March), *Comparing Giving Pledge cohorts and their shifting philanthropic logics*, with Norkplim Mattah, International Studies Association, Columbus, OH.
- Schmitz, H.P.** (2026, March), *Lynne Rienner Publishers Award for Best Dissertation in Human Rights Studies*; presented to Tauhid BinKashem (UC Irvine), International Studies Association, Columbus, OH.
- Schmitz, H.P.** (2026, February), *Elevating Ethics in Public and Nonprofit Sectors*, Aspen Grove/Brigham Young University (with Melonie Clarke Umstead).
- Schmitz, H.P.** (2025, November), *The Demographic Diversity Score: How do International Non-Governmental Organizations (INGOs) report demographic information?*, with Melonie Clarke Umstead, ARNOVA, November 21-23, 2025, Indianapolis, IN.
- Schmitz, H.P.** (2025, March), *Lynne Rienner Publishers Award for Best Dissertation presented to Lotem Bassan-Nygate* (Harvard University), International Studies Association, Chicago, IL.
- Schmitz, H.P.** (2024, November), *Is Billionaire Philanthropy changing? Comparing the Giving Rationales Across Giving Pledge Cohorts* (with Billy Piper), Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, Washington, DC.

Schmitz, H.P. (2024, November) NGO Mergers and Acquisitions: A Social Relational Perspective (with George E. Mitchell), Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, Washington, DC.

Mitchell, G. E., **Schmitz, H.P.**, Nerothin, P. Pontes, M., and Walsh, C. (2023, August) Board Diversity of International NGOs, *Academy of Management Conference*, Boston.

Schmitz, H.P. (2023, May) The Future of INGOs, *Global and Transnational Advocacy Workshop*, The Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies, Bologna, Italy.

Schmitz, H. P., and Mitchell, G. E. (2020, October 20). *Between Power and Irrelevance: The Future of Transnational NGOs*, International Society of Third Sector Research (online).

SERVICE AND AWARDS

DEPARTMENT/SCHOOL

Faculty Advisor • Norkplim Mattah (MIS capstone project, 2026)

Member/Chair • PhD Admissions Committee (Department of Public Administration), 2024-25, 2025-26

Chair • Search Committee for Assistant Professor in Public Administration, 2025-26

Host • Tosca Bruno van-Vijfeijken, SPIA Non-Resident Fellow 2025-26

Member • SPIA Executive Committee, 2025-26

Member • Departmental Post-Tenure Review (PTR) Committee (Public Administration, 2024-25)

Member • PhD Curriculum Committee (SOLES), 2023-24

Member • Curriculum Review Committee (SOLES), Nonprofit Leadership and Management, 2015-24

Member • Ph.D. Admissions Committee (SOLES), Department of Leadership Studies, 2015-24

Chair • Master's Admissions Committee (SOLES), Nonprofit Leadership and Management

Member • Graduate Admissions Committee (Maxwell), 2001-02, 2005-06, 2006-07, and 2013-14

COLLEGE

Member • CHASS Book Proposal Kickstart, 2025-26

Member • Finance Committee (SOLES), 2023-24

Chair • Global Committee (SOLES), 2023-24

Member • Global Committee (SOLES), 2022-23

Member • Leadership Council (SOLES), 2019-2021

Member • Institutional Review Board (SOLES), 2017-2020

Chair/Member • Faculty Status Committee (SOLES), 2017-18, 2019-20, 2020-21

Faculty leader • Faculty Team *Global Community* (Maxwell School), 2012-2014

Member • Committee on Scholarship and Research (Maxwell School), 2011-12

Field Coordinator • International Relations (Maxwell School), 2011-12

Member • Promotion and Tenure Committee (Maxwell School), 2007-08

Member • Undergraduate Studies Committee (Maxwell School), 2007-08

UNIVERSITY

Member • Promotion and Tenure Committee, USD Kroc School of Peace and Justice, 2023-

Member • International Center Committee (USD), 2023-
Member • Senate Faculty Status Committee (Sabbatical Policy and Pay Equity), 2023-24
Changemaker Faculty Fellow • Changemaker Hub (2021-22)
Member • Senate Faculty Status Committee (Accreditation and Academic Program Review), 2018-2020
Member • Syracuse University Fulbright Program, 2006-2014
Member • Study Abroad in Africa (Syracuse University), 2004-08

PROFESSIONAL DISCIPLINE

Member, ARNOVA President Nomination Committee, 2025
Chair • Selection Committee for *Best Dissertation Award*, *International Studies Association-Human Rights Section* (2023-26)
Member • Selection Committee for *Best Dissertation Award*, *International Studies Association-Human Rights Section* (2022)
Member • Editorial Board of *Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs* (2019-2021)
Member • Selection Committee for *Franklin L. Burdette Pi Sigma Alpha Award*, American Political Science Association (2021)
Member • Selection Committee for best article published in *Voluntas* - International Society for Third-Sector Research (2019/20)
Noted Reviewer • *Health Policy and Planning* (2017)
Member • Selection Committee for *Gabriel A. Almond award* for the best comparative politics dissertation, American Political Science Association (2016)
Recipient • International Society for Third-Sector Research (ISTR) Award for Best Article published in *Voluntas* in 2012 (*Non-Governmental and Not-for-Profit Organizational Effectiveness: A Modern Synthesis*, with J.D. Lecy and H. Swedlund)
Member • Task Force *Democracy, Social Justice and Economic Security in a Volatile World*, American Political Science Association (2010-11)
Recipient • Excellence in Graduate Education Faculty Recognition Award, 2009, Syracuse University