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Research focus: International politics on three main areas:

- Peace and conflict studies: the 'illiberal' forms of conflict management and peacebuilding, based on studies of conflicts in Sri Lanka, Central Asia, and the Caucasus
- The politics of authoritarian and semi-authoritarian states, primarily focusing on post-Soviet states in Russia, the Caucasus, and Central Asia
- Russian foreign policy, particularly towards Eurasia

Publications

Books

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