

IVICA PETRIKOVA

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Senior Lecturer in International Relations** 2019-
Lecturer in International Relations 2016-2019
Royal Holloway, University of London, Egham, UK
- Conduct research on food security governance and development assistance; also on planetary health, sustainable development, inequality, poverty, and social inclusion
 - Teach International Development (*Political Economy of Development, Politics of International Development*), Food Security (*Global Politics of Food Security*), and International Relations (*International Relations Theory*)
 - 2022 - now: Director of Postgraduate Research – oversee all aspects of the department’s PhD programme, including recruitment, admissions, training, and administration
 - 2019-21: Director of Postgraduate Teaching – oversaw all aspects of the department’s six MA/MSc programmes, including recruitment, admissions, and administration
 - Awards: RHUL Performance Award 2021, LSS Excellence in Teaching and Student Support Award 2021
- Lecturer in International Development** 2015-2016
University of Portsmouth, Portsmouth, UK
- Conduct research on food security governance and the links between aid securitisation rhetoric and sector distribution of aid by European donors
 - Teach International Development (*Introduction to the Developing World, Economics and Politics of Development, Aid Business*), European Politics (*EU in a Global Context, Europe and the World*), and Research Methods
- PhD Researcher and Teaching Assistant** 2010-2015
School of Public Policy, University College London, London, UK
- PhD thesis examined the effects of development aid, in general and in various forms, on food security in developing countries, through cross-country and household-level studies
 - Taught seminars in *Quantitative Research Methods* and *Comparative Politics*
- Lead Evaluator in Meta-Evaluation of Development Projects** 2014
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Prague, Czech Republic
- Carried out a systematic analysis of 20 evaluations of development projects from 2012 and 2013 and conducted interviews and focus groups with relevant stakeholders
 - Wrote and presented a final evaluation report, which was used to improve the Czech system of development-project evaluations in an effort to enhance the effectiveness of Czech development assistance (http://www.mzv.cz/file/1305205/evaluacni_zprava_metaevaluace_2014.pdf)
- Trainee at DG AGRI: Unit ACP, FAO, Food Security and Food Aid** 2009-2010
European Commission, Brussels, Belgium
- Conducted research on the impact of rising agricultural FDI (‘land grabbing’) on developing countries and on the issue of policy coherence for development
 - Attended meetings concerning food security and EPAs at the Commission, Council, and EP; drafted meeting summaries, briefings, and reports; helped with the preparation of brochures

RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

Reid Research Grant	2023
GCRF Grant - Effect of COVID-19 on Health Workers in Uganda	2021
GCRF Grant - COVID-19, Wet Markets, and Nutrition in Kenya	2021
Royal Holloway GCRF Global Visitors (Pakistan)	2020
BBSRC Grant - Double Burden of Malnutrition (Nigeria and Benin)	2020-2023
GCRF Network Grant (Ethiopia)	2019-2021
Royal Holloway GCRF ECR Funding	2019
Royal Holloway Research Strategy Fund	2017
Centre for European and International Studies Research Award	2015
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine Travelling Fellowship	2011
UCL Graduate Research Scholarship (PhD funding)	2010-2015

EDUCATION

PhD Political Science School of Public Policy, University College London, London, UK	2010-2015
MA International Development and Human Rights School of International Service, American University, Washington, DC, USA	2007-2009
BA International Studies and Government Colby College, Waterville, Maine, USA	2003-2007

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS***Books***

Petrikova, I., Cole, J., and Thampi, A. (eds.) (forthcoming, 2024). *Handbook of Politics of Global Food Security*. London: De Gruyter.

Lazell, M. and Petrikova, I. (forthcoming, 2023). *The End of Development Aid: From Securitization to Nationalization*. Under consideration with different publishers.

Petrikova, I. (2016). *Global Food Security and Development Aid*. London: Routledge. (2018 published in paperback)

Refereed Journal Articles

Petrikova, I., Cole, J., Osano, O., and Anyango, M. (2023). The Effects of Backyard Agriculture on Households' Food and Nutrition Security in Eldoret, Kenya. *Global Food Security*. Under review.

Petrikova, I., Bhattacharjee, R., and Fraser, P. (2023) The 'Nigerian Diet' and its Evolution: A Systematic Review. *Foods*.

Petrikova, I. (2023). India's Food-Security Governance under the Modi Administrations. *Journal of Indian and Asian Studies*. Special issue, commissioned article.

Petrikova, I. (2022). The Role of Complementary Feeding in India's High Child Malnutrition Rates: Findings from a Comprehensive Analysis of NFHS IV (2015–2016) data. *Food Security*.

Petrikova, I. (2021) The Effects of Local-Level Economic Inequality on Social Capital: Evidence from Andhra Pradesh, India. *European Journal of Development Research*.

Petrikova, I., & Lazell, M. (2021) “Securitized” UK aid projects in Africa: Evidence from Kenya, Nigeria, and South Sudan. *Development Policy Review*.

Petrikova, I., Cole, J., and Farlow, A. (2020) Covid 19, Wet Markets, and Planetary Health. *Lancet Planetary Health*. [https://www.thelancet.com/pdfs/journals/lanplh/PIIS2542-5196\(20\)30122-4.pdf](https://www.thelancet.com/pdfs/journals/lanplh/PIIS2542-5196(20)30122-4.pdf)

Lazell, M. and Petrikova, I. (2020) Is Development Aid Securitized? Evidence from a Cross-Country Examination of Sector Aid Commitments. *Development Policy Review*.

Petrikova, I. (2019) Perpetuating Poverty through Exclusion from Social Programmes: Lessons from Andhra Pradesh. *Oxford Development Studies*.

Foster, A., Cole, J., Farlow, A. & Petrikova, I. (2019) Planetary Health Ethics: Beyond First Principles. *Challenges*.

Petrikova, I. (2018) Food-Security Governance in India and Ethiopia: A Comparative Analysis. *Third World Quarterly*.

Petrikova, I. (2018) Religion and Foreign Policy Views: Are Religious People More Altruistic and/or More Militant? *International Political Science Review*.

Petrikova, I. and Lazell, M. (2017) Multilateral Aid Provision in the Era of the Development-Security Nexus: Examining the Discourse and Practice. *Conflict, Security, and Development*.

Petrikova, I. and Hudson, D. (2017). Which Aid Initiatives Strengthen Food Security? Lessons from Uttar Pradesh. *Development in Practice*.

Petrikova, I. (2016). Promoting 'Good Behaviour' through Aid: Do 'New' Donors Differ from the 'Old' Ones? *Journal of International Relations and Development*.

Petrikova, I. (2015). NGO Effectiveness: Evidence from the Field of Child Labour in El Salvador. *Forum for Development Studies*.

Petrikova, I. (2015). Aid for Food Security: Does it Work? *International Journal of Development Issues*.

Petrikova, I. (2014). The Short- and Long-Term Effects of Development Projects: Evidence from Ethiopia. *Journal of International Development*.

Petrikova, I. and Chadha, D. (2013). The Role of Social Capital in Risk-Sharing: Lessons from Andhra Pradesh. *Journal of South Asian Development*.

Petrikova, I. (2013). Bolstering Food Security through Agricultural Policies: Cross-Country Evidence. *International Journal of Development Issues*. Highly Commended Paper of 2014.

Book Chapters

Foster, A., Cole, J., Petrikova, I., Farlow, A., and Frumkin, H. (2020) Planetary Health Ethics. In *Planetary Health: Protecting Nature to Protect Ourselves*, Island Press.

Petrikova, I. (2020) Donor Community and the Intersection of Peace, Security, and Development. In *Routledge Handbook of Peace, Security and Development*, Routledge.

Petrikova, I. and Lazell, M. (2019) The Securitisation of UK aid and DFID Programmes in Africa: A Comparative Case Study of Cameroon, Central African Republic, Ethiopia, Kenya, and Uganda. In *Britain and Africa in the 21st Century: Between Ambition and Pragmatism*, Manchester University Press.

Conference Papers

Petrikova, I. and Lazell, M. (2022). Nationalistic Turn in UK Development Assistance. Development Studies Association Annual Conference. Online.

Petrikova, I. and Lazell, M. (2020) Covid-19 Pandemic and the Securitisation of Foreign Aid. Development Studies Association Annual Conference. Online.

Heath, O., Petrikova, I., and Polacko, M. (2019) Why Are People More Negative about Immigration in Places with Few Immigrants? European Political Science Association Annual Conference, Belfast, UK.

Petrikova, I. (2019) Populist Power and Development Aid: Cross-country Evidence. Development Studies Annual Conference, Milton Keynes, UK. At a panel co-chaired with Dr Melita Lazell: Populism and Development Cooperation.

Petrikova, I. (2019) What Makes a ‘Good Life’? Exploring Young People’s Understanding of ‘Progress’ in Rising Middle-Income Economies in the Global South. International Studies Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.

Petrikova, I. (2018) Securitisation of UK Aid to Sub-Saharan Africa. Development Studies Annual Conference in Manchester, UK, June. At a panel co-chaired with Dr Melita Lazell: Donor Responses to Global Insecurity and Inequalities.

Petrikova, I. (2017) Water-Food Security Links in Rural versus Urban Areas: Review of Evidence from Ethiopia and Nigeria. Global Food Security Conference, Cape Town, South Africa, December.

Petrikova, I. (2017) Militarisation of UK aid: Comparative study of Ethiopia and Central African Republic. Development Studies Association Annual Conference in Bradford, UK, September. At a panel co-chaired with Dr Melita Lazell: Do Donor Responses to Insecurity Undermine Sustainable Development?

Petrikova, I. (2017). Agricultural Policies in ‘Emerging Powers’: Are They Protectionist in Line with Realist Theories of International Relations? Centre for Politics in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the Middle East (AAME) Conference in London, UK, June.

Petrikova, I. (2016). Perpetuating Poverty through Exclusion from Social Programmes: Lessons from Andhra Pradesh. Development Studies Association Annual Conference in Oxford, UK, September.

Petrikova, I. and Lazell, M. (2016). Is Development Aid Securitised? Evidence from a Cross-Country Examination of Sector Aid Commitments. British International Studies Annual Conference in Edinburgh, UK, June.

Petrikova, I. (2015). The Effects of Village-Level Economic Inequality on Communal Social Capital: Evidence from India. Development Studies Association Annual Conference in Bath, UK, September.

Petrikova, I. (2015). Making Food Security Domestically Justiciable: Case Study of India. European Consortium for Political Research Annual Conference, Montreal, Canada, August.

Petrikova, I. (2015). Sentiment Analysis of Tweets in Tunisia: Evaluating the Effect of an ENPI Project using R. European Consortium for Political Research Annual Conference, Montreal, Canada, August.

Petrikova, I. (2015). Support for Foreign Aid: Does Religion Make People More Charitable? European Political Science Association Annual Conference, Vienna, Austria, June.

Petrikova, I. (2014). Aid, Governance, and Food Security: Examining the Interactive Relationship. European Political Science Association Annual Conference in Edinburgh, Scotland, June.

Petrikova, I. (2014). Poor Giving to the Poor? The Determinants of Public Support for Aid in DAC versus non-DAC Countries. European Association of Development Institutes Conference, Bonn, Germany, June.

Petrikova, I. (2014). Is It Getting Better? Evaluation of Recent Developments in Division of Labour in European Development Aid Provision. European Association of Development Institutes Conference, Bonn, Germany, June.

Petrikova, I. (2013). Organising for Land Reform: Can India and Vietnam Learn Anything from Brazil? American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA, August.

Petrikova, I. (2013). Encouraging Good Behaviour through Aid: Do 'New' Donors Differ from the Established Ones? European Political Science Association Annual Conference, Barcelona, Spain, June.

Petrikova, I. (2013). Collaborating or Competing? A Case Study of NGOs Dealing with Child Labour in El Salvador. Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Shanghai, China, May.

Petrikova, I. (2012). The Effects of Agricultural Policies on Food Security: Case Study of Guatemala and Cuba. Indian Institute of Business Management Conference, Bangalore, India, September.

Petrikova, I. and Chadha, D. (2011). More Power to the Commission? Comparison of the European Commission's and EU Member States' Adherence to Recommended Practices in Aid Provision. European Association of Development Institutes Conference, York, UK, September.

PHD STUDENT SUPERVISION

Patrick McGrann, start date: 2016

Project: The effectiveness of foreign aid to education in Palestine

Sarah Abdul Rahim Polani, start date: 2018

Project: The effects of governance on people's wellbeing in Asia

Arvind Kumar, start date: 2019

Project: Rising economic inequality and political behaviour in India

Nanbol Amos, start date: 2023

Project: Nigeria's energy transition and sustainable development

RELEVANT SKILLS & COURSES

Peer reviewer for *International Affairs*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *Food Security*, *Development in Practice*, *Journal of International Relations and Development*, *International Political Science Review*, *Social Sciences and Humanities Open*, *Challenges*, *Sustainability*, and others.

Higher Education Academy Fellow – pedagogical qualification - since 2018

Software – good command of STATA, SPSS, R, NVivo, and Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint)

Languages – Slovak - fluent, Spanish – good, German and French – intermediate

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

European Consortium for Political Research (Food Policy Research Network)	2015-present
British International Studies Association	2015-present
European Political Science Association	2013-present
American Political Science Association	2013-present
Development Studies Association	2011-present