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Assistant Professor
Waseda Institute for Advanced Studies (WIAS)

Adjunct Professor for European Politics
Temple University, Japan Campus (TUJ)



Research Interests: International Relations, Diplomatic History, Diplomacy Studies, Global History of WWII, Economic History, Value Theory

Current Research Projects

- Taiwanese Neutrality: The Key to Peace (Journal Article—under Review)
- Swedish-Japanese Relations during WWII (Co-Authored book with I. Ottosson)
- Swiss-Japanese Relations during WWII (Monograph)
- The Manual of Neutrality: A Guidebook (Co-Authored book with H. Reginbogin)
- The Neutrals and the Bomb (Co-Edited book with Y. Iwama)

Academic Positions

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| 2019 – Present | Waseda Institute for Advanced Studies (WIAS)
Assistant Professor |
| 2017 – Present | Temple University Japan Campus
Adjunct Professor for European Politics |
| 2014 – 2018 | National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (Tokyo)
PhD Candidate in International Relations (MEXT Scholarship)
Assistant to Professor Yoko Iwama (2015–2018) |

Professional Positions

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| 2012 – 2018 | Consultant: Timesensor AG, Switzerland |
| 2009 – 2010 | Internship: Minato City Office, Tokyo, Japan |

Volunteer Positions

- 2012 – 2014 Representative of the Social Democratic Party in the Culture Commission of the Commune of Schmittlen, Switzerland
- 2011 – 2012 Secretary of Student Council at National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo, Japan
- 2007 – 2014 Secretary of the board of VHD-Schmittlen (Healthcare NGO), Fribourg, Switzerland

Education

- 2014 – 2018 PhD in International Relations, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo (Expected Graduation: October/November 2018)
- 2011 – 2012 Master of Arts in Public Policy, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo.
- 2007 – 2011 Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy and History, University of Fribourg, Switzerland

Publications

Edited Books

Lottaz, P., & Reginbogin, H. (Eds.). (2018). *Notions of Neutralities*. USA: Lexington.

Donzé, P. Y., Hauser, C., Lottaz, P., & Maître, A. (Eds.). (2018). *Journal d'un Témoin: Camille Gorgé, Diplomat Suisse dans le Japon en Guerre 1940-1945* (Vol. 10). Berne: Diplomatic Documents of Switzerland.

Müller, X., Steger, R., Grünenfelder, B., & Lottaz, P. (Eds.). (2014). *Konflikte wagen - Frieden leben: Ein Manual zur Gewaltprävention bei Jugendlichen*. Norderstedt: BoD.

Book Chapters

Lottaz, P. (2018). Neutrality and Wartime Japan. In P. Lottaz & H. Reginbogin (Eds.), *Notions of Neutralities* (pp. 113-134). Lanham: Lexington.

Lottaz, P., & Reginbogin, H. (2018). 'Private Neutrality' – The Bank for International Settlements. In P. Lottaz & H. Reginbogin (Eds.), *Notions of Neutralities*. Lanham: Lexington.

Lottaz, P., & Rodao, F. (2018). The Vatican, WWII, and Asia: Lessons of Neutral Diplomacy. In P. Lottaz & H. Reginbogin (Eds.), *Notions of Neutralities*. Lanham: Lexington.

Journal Articles

Lottaz, P., & Reginbogin, H. (2019 [Under Review]). The Key to Peace: Neutrality Solving the Taiwanese Conundrum.

Lottaz, P. (2017). Violent Conflicts and Neutral Legations: A Case Study of the Spanish and Swiss Legations in Wartime Japan. *New Global Studies*, 11(2), 85-100.

News Paper Articles and Online Publications

The Washington Times. (2018, December 6). A Solution to the Ukrainian Quagmire. *Lottaz, Pascal and Reginbogin, Herbert*.

Lottaz, P. (2017). The Role of Neutrality in the Pacific Theatre of the Second World War. *Second World War Research Group*. Retrieved from defenceindepth.com website: <https://defenceindepth.co/2017/11/27/the-role-of-neutrality-in-the-pacific-theatre-of-the-second-world-war/>

Academic Conferences and Panels Organized

Lottaz, P. (2018, April). Organizer(s) of Panel on the Power of Non-Traditional Diplomacy. At: Annual Convention of the International Studies Association, San Francisco.

Lottaz, P. (2017, February). Organizer(s) of Panel on Changing Neutrality: New Perspectives on Norms, Strategy and Diplomacy of Neutrality in the 19th and 20th Century. At: Annual Convention of the International Studies Association, Baltimore.

Lottaz, P., & Rodao, F. (2017, October). Organizer(s) of 2017 Neutrality Conference: Lessons from the Past and Visions for the 21st Century, Madrid.

Papers Presented at Academic Conference

Lottaz, P. (2018, August). *Neutrality and Wartime Japan*. Paper presented at the International Conference of the Institute for European Global Studies: Global Diplomacy—A Post-Institutional Approach, Basel.

Lottaz, P. (2018, February). *Private neutrality in WWII*. Paper presented at the Annual Convention of the International Studies Association, San Francisco.

Lottaz, P. (2017, December). *Neutral Diplomacy in Wartime Japan*. Paper presented at the Japan Association of International Relations (JAIR) Regional / Graduate Students Study Group: Japan and International Relations—Diplomacy and Foreign Policy during WWII and Present, Tokyo.

Lottaz, P. (2017, February). *Neutral Diplomacy in WWII Japan*. Paper presented at the Annual Convention of the International Studies Association, Baltimore.

Lottaz, P. (2017, June). *The Neutrals in Wartime Japan*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Second World War Research Group: When East Meets West—The Second World War in Global Perspective, King's College, London.

Lottaz, P. (2017, October). *The Neutrals in Wartime Japan – A Comparison of Spanish, Swedish and Swiss Involvement in the Pacific Theater*. Paper presented at the 2017 Neutrality Conference: Lessons from the Past and Visions for the 21st Century.

Lottaz, P. (2016, November). *Neutral State Diplomacy in Wartime Japan*. Paper presented at the New Diplomatic History: Borders, Networks, and Organisations through the 20th Century, Copenhagen.

Lottaz, P. (2016, March). *Norms of Neutral Diplomacy in WWII Japan: The Case of Switzerland*. Paper presented at the Annual Convention of the International Studies Association, Atlanta.

Thesis

Lottaz, P. (2018). *Neutral States and Wartime Japan: The Diplomacy of Sweden, Spain and Switzerland toward the Empire*. (Ph.D. Thesis), National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo.

Lottaz, P. (2012). *R2P in East and Southeast Asia*. (Master Thesis), National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Tokyo.