

# Curriculum Vitae

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<b>Employment</b>	<b>Assistant Professor</b> Department of Political Science & School of Culture and Society (Russian Studies), Aarhus University.  <b>Paternity leave:</b> July 22 – August 5, 2020 & March 1 – May 30, 2021 (3½ months).  <b>Postdoc</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.  <b>PhD. Candidate</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.	Dec. 2019 -    Apr. 2019- Nov 2019  2015-2019
<b>Education</b>	<b>PhD. Political Science</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.  <b>MSc.Soc., Social Sciences and History</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.  <b>BSc.Soc., Social Sciences and History</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.  <b>BSc.Scient.Pol., Political Science</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.	Mar. 2019  2016  2013  2013
<b>Research interests</b>	Foreign policy analysis; Russian foreign policy; European foreign policy; military intervention; diplomacy; ontological security; strategic culture; interpretivism; social science methodology.	
<b>Publications</b>	Jørgensen, Knud Erik and <b>Jonas Gejl Kaas</b> et.al (2020). The EEAS Navigating Foreign Policy Paradigms. <i>European Politics and Society</i> , pp. 1-16.  Beach, Derek and <b>Jonas Gejl Kaas</b> (2020). The Great Divides: Incommensurability, the Impossibility of Mixed-Methodology, and What to Do about It. <i>International Studies Review</i> , 22 (2): pp. 214–235.  <b>Kaas, Jonas Gejl</b> (2019). Ruslands selvhævdende udenrigspolitik. <i>Økonomi &amp; Politik</i> , 92 (4): pp. 7–26.	
<b>Manuscripts in review &amp; progress</b>	<b>Kaas, Jonas Gejl</b> , Mathilde Cecchini, and Derek Beach. Social process tracing. <i>Invited for resubmission to Sociological Methods and Research</i> .	

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl.** Examining Stalemate in Donbas. *In progress.*

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl.** Reconstructing Russia's Dash to Kosovo in 1999. *In progress.*

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl.** In Lieu of Esprit de Corps. *In progress.*

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl.** On the Blowbacks from Russia's use of Compatriots in the post-Soviet Space. *In progress.*

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl & Rasmus Brun Pedersen.** Abandoning Tradition? *In progress.*

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl** and Gert Tinggaard Svendsen. Mission Impossible? *In progress.*

**Kaas, Jonas Gejl.** Three Ways of Conducting Historical Inquiry in Political Science. *In progress.*

**Ph.D. dissertation** **Pedersen, Jonas Gejl** (2019). *The Russian Quest for Ontological Security*. Aarhus: Politica.

**Advisors:** Derek J. Beach and Mette Skak (Aarhus University).

**Committee:** Robert Adcock (American University), Flemming Splidsboel Hansen (Danish Institute for International Studies), and Tonny Brems Knudsen (Chair, Aarhus University).

**Other publications** **Kaas, Jonas Gejl** (2022). Tre forklaringer på Ruslands udenrigspolitik. *SamfundsfagsNyt*, 225 (1): 22-27.

**Pedersen, Jonas Gejl** (2019). Ukraina: Grenselandet mellom øst og vest. *Nordisk Østforum*, 30 (2): pp. 135–137.

Elias Götz, **Jonas Gejl Pedersen**, and Jeppe Rothuizen (2015). Europe, Russia and the Ukraine Crisis. *IP Monopole*.

## **Teaching & supervision**

### **A. Teacher Training Courses**

**Teacher Training Program for Assistant Professors** 2020  
AU Educational Development Network, Aarhus University  
Scope: The program amounts to approximately 150 hours.

**Introduction to planning, presentation and teaching** 2017  
Centre for Teaching and Learning, Aarhus University  
Scope: The program amounts to approximately 30 hours.

### **B. Supervision**

32 bachelor's theses in Political Science.  
7 internship reports.  
3 master's theses in Political Science.  
2 individual project theses in Political Science.

## C. Courses

	<b>Political Institutions in Comparative Perspective</b> School of Culture and Society, Aarhus University, 10 ECTS, Master's course	2022
	<b>Introduction to Global Challenges</b> School of Culture and Society, Aarhus University, 15 ECTS, Master's course	2022
	<b>Analyse af politik og samfund i samtidens Rusland</b> School of Culture and Society (Russian Studies), Aarhus University, 10 ECTS, bachelor's course	2022
	<b>Forberedelse til udlandsophold</b> School of Culture and Society (Russian Studies), Aarhus University, 10 ECTS, bachelor's course	2022
	<b>Rusland Nu</b> School of Culture and Society (Russian Studies), Aarhus University, 10 ECTS, bachelor's course	2022
	<b>International Politics</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Lecturer, 10 ECTS, bachelor's course Course coordinator in 2020 & 2021.	2022, 2021 & 2020
	<b>Advanced Political Analysis</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Lecturer, 20 ECTS, master's course.	2021 & 2020
	<b>What is Foreign Policy Analysis?</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Lecturer, 20 ECTS, bachelor's course.	2020 & 2019
	<b>Political Institutions</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Lecturer, 10 ECTS, bachelor's course.	2019
	<b>Advanced Foreign Policy Theory and Analysis</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Lecturer, 10 ECTS, master's course.	2017
	<b>International Politics</b> Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Teaching Assistant, 10 ECTS, bachelor's course.	2015 & 2013
<b>Research projects</b>	<b>Cultivating the Union's Foreign Relations (EURDIPLO)</b> Participant.	2019- 2023
<b>Grants</b>	<b>Research grant</b> , The Bear in the Room: Russia's Role in the United Nations Security Council (and How to Deal with It), Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark, Denmark Principal investigators: Jonas Gejl Kaas and Elias Götz DKK 102.334.	2022

<b>Research grant</b> , Cultivating the Union's Foreign Relations (EURDIPLO), Independent Research Fund Denmark, Denmark Principal investigator: Knud Erik Jørgensen DKK 6.022.308.	2019
<b>Research grant</b> , Bound to Lead (COMPASS), Horizon 2020, EU Principal investigator: Knud Erik Jørgensen Unsuccessful.	2018
<b>Research grant</b> , Militarized activism and small states status competition under US hegemony, Independent Research Fund Denmark, Denmark Principal investigator: Rasmus Brun Pedersen Unsuccessful.	2018
<b>Research grant</b> , School of Business and Social Sciences, Aarhus University, Denmark DKK 25.350.	2018
<b>Travel grant</b> , Department of Political Science, Aarhus University, Denmark DKK 29.600.	2017
<b>Travel grant</b> , Oticon Fonden, Denmark DKK 11.000.	2017
<b>Travel grant</b> , Augustinus Fonden, Denmark DKK 15.000.	2017
<b>Travel grant</b> , Knud Højgaards Fond, Denmark DKK 15.000.	2017
<b>Research grant</b> , Department of Political Science, Aarhus University, Denmark DKK 41.400.	2016

**Organization & service**

**A. Organization of research groups, conferences, and lecture series**

<b>Lecture series</b> , Primer to Methodological Pluralism and Qualitative/Interpretive Methods Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Organized with Mathilde Cecchini and Amalie Trangbæk.	2022
<b>Standing Group</b> , Standing Group on Russia and Post-Soviet States Danish research network based at Aarhus University Founder.	2022-
<b>Standing Group</b> , Workshop on Qualitative Research Methods Department of Political Science, Aarhus University Organized with Mathilde Cecchini and Amalie Trangbæk.	2020-
<b>Standing Group</b> , Standing Group on Qualitative and/or Interpretivist Approaches to Political Science Department of Political Science, Aarhus University	2017- 2016

Founded with Mathilde Cecchini, Philipp Pechmann, and Nicolas Burmester.

**Conference**, Europe, Russia, and the Ukraine Crisis 2015  
Department of Political Science, Aarhus University  
Two-day international conference co-organized with Elias Götz.

### **B. Service to the department**

**Board member (appointed by the Assistant Professors)**, 2022-  
Kandestøberen (Student publication)  
Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.

**Coordinator of High School Talks** 2022-  
Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.

**Assessment of external lecturer** 2022  
Department of Political Science, Aarhus University.

**Head of International Politics Research Section** 2016-  
Department of Political Science, Aarhus University. 2015

### **International fellowships & courses**

**Participant**, The Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR), Syracuse University, Syracuse, USA. 2022

**Visiting research fellow**, School of International Service American University, Washington D.C., USA. 2017

**Participant**, ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques Central European University, Budapest, Hungary. 2017 & 2016

**Participant**, ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques Bamberg University, Bamberg, Germany. 2017 & 2016

**Participant**, Russian language course 2015  
The Pushkin State Russian Language Institute, Moscow, Russia.

### **Conferences & workshops**

**Presenter**, In Lieu of Esprit de Corps. 2022  
European Union Studies Association 17<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference, Miami, USA.

**Presenter**, Becoming an EU Diplomat in the European External Actions Service. 2021  
American Political Science Association's 117<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Seattle, USA.

**Participant**, Reflections on the EEAS and diplomatic practices EURDIPLO workshop, Brussels, Belgium. 2019

**Presenter**, Russia's Quest for Ontological Security 2019  
19<sup>th</sup> Annual Aleksanteri Conference, Helsinki, Finland.

**Presenter**, The Motherland Calls! 2019  
International Studies Association's 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada.

	<b>Participant</b> , Russia's Quest for Ontological Security: The Role of the Ukraine and Kosovo Crisis British International Science Association Workshop, London, United Kingdom.	2018
	<b>Presenter</b> , The Russian Quest for Ontological Security: The Role of the Ukraine Crisis International Studies Association's 59 <sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, San Francisco, USA.	2018
	<b>Presenter</b> , The Russian Quest for Ontological Security: The Role of the Kosovo Crisis 11 <sup>th</sup> Pan-European Conference on International Relations, Barcelona, Spain.	2017
	<b>Participant</b> , Revival of Strategic Culture. Workshop at Europe, Russia, and the Ukraine Crisis, Aarhus, Denmark.	2015
<b>Media appearances</b>	<b>Interview</b> , Manglende momentum i de russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. Radioavisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . April 30, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Vejen frem for de russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. TV-avisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 30, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Status på de russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger i Istanbul. P1 Orientering, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 29, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger i Istanbul. TV-avisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 29, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Rodet russisk hær overrasker forskerne - og måske også Putin. <i>Ritzaus Bureau</i> . March 24, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Forsker: Rusland og Ukraine er i gang med at gradbøje, hvordan man skal forstå neutralitet. <i>Politiken</i> . March 24, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Russisk-ukrainske forhandlingspositioner. P1 Morgen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 15, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Sluttes krigen i Ukraine til maj? TV-avisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 15, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Status på nye russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. TV-avisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 14, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , De russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger er i gang. TV-avisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 14, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Nye russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. TV-avisen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 14, 2022.	
	<b>Interview</b> , Ny runde af russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. P1 Morgen, <i>Danmarks Radio</i> . March 14, 2022.	

**Interview**, Status på russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger i Antalya. TV-avisen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 10, 2022.

**Interview**, Status på russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger i Tyrkiet. Radioavisen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 10, 2022.

**Interview**, Russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger i Tyrkiet. TV-avisen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 10, 2022.

**Interview**, Status på den tredje runde af russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. P1 Morgen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 8, 2022.

**Interview**, Status på de russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger. TV-avisen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 8, 2022.

**Interview**, Den tredje forhandlingsrunde mellem Rusland og Ukraine. P1 Morgen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 7, 2022.

**Interview**, Forstå Rusland. *Jyllands-Posten*. March 7, 2022.

**Interview**, Det er et svagt Rusland, der har valgt at puste sig op. *Kandestøberen*. March 4, 2022.

**Interview**, Status på de russisk-ukrainske forhandlinger anden runde. P1 Orientering, *Danmarks Radio*. March 4, 2022

**Interview**, Anden runde af ukrainsk-russiske forhandlinger. P1 Morgen, *Danmarks Radio*. March 4, 2022.

**Interview**, Ukrainsk-russiske forhandlinger. P1 Orientering, *Danmarks Radio*. March 3, 2022

**Interview**, Ruslands reaktion på at Den Internationale Straffedomstol vil undersøge krigsforbrydelser i Ukraine. *Nyhederne, TV2*. March 2, 2022.

**Interview**, Konsekvenserne for Rusland af et EU stop for gasimport. *Nyhederne, TV2*. March 1, 2022.

**Interview**, Hvad er sanktioner? *Ultra Nyt, Danmarks Radio*. March 1, 2022.

**Podcast**, Jonas er gæst. Vi snakkes ved. March 1, 2022.

**Interview**, Russisk-Ukrainske forhandlinger, vestlige sanktioner og kamphandlinger. P1 Orientering, *Danmarks Radio*. February 28, 2022.

**Interview**, Den russiske økonomi bløder: Fra slemt til værre og til frit fald. *Politiken*, February 28, 2022.

**Interview**, Modstanden blusser op i Rusland. Er Putin ved at tabe sit folk? *Zetland*, February 28, 2022.

**Interview**, Europa kan give Rusland den ultimative økonomiske lammer, men det bliver dyrt og svært. February 25, *Politiken*.

**Interview**, Ekspertter bifalder EU's nølen, mens bomberne flyver om ørerne på ukrainerne. February 25, *Avisen Danmark*.

**Interview**, Russisk SWIFT-udelukkelse vil bremse EU-import af olie og gas. *Ritzaus Bureau*. February 25, 2022.

**Interview**, Nye sanktioner mod Rusland. P4 Østjylland, *Danmarks Radio*. February 25, 2022.

**Interview**, Nye sanktioner mod Rusland. P1 Morgen, *Danmarks Radio*. February 25, 2022.

**Interview**, Virker nye sanktioner mod Rusland og hvad med Kina? P3 Påstand mod Påstand, *Danmarks Radio*. February 24, 2022.

**Interview**, Hvad vil Putin? Fortid, nutid og fremtid. Nyhederne, *TV2*. February 24, 2022.

**Interview**, Det er ikke et styrket Rusland, vi ser. *Vid&Sans*. February 24, 2022.

**Interview**, Finansiell atombombe er det bedste våben mod Putin. *Avisen Danmark*. February 24, 2022.

**Interview**, Ekspert: Det her må være Putins plan. *BT*. February 24, 2022.

**Podcast**, Alarmklokker: Ukraine konflikten er endnu et "wake up call" til Danmark. Forsvarspodcasten, *Folk & Sikkerhed*. February 23, 2022.

**Interview**, Nytter de vestlige sanktioner noget? Radioavisen, *Danmarks Radio*. February 23, 2022.

**Interview**, Sanktioner skal standse Putin - men virker det? DR Nyheder, *Danmarks Radio*. February 23, 2022.

**Interview**, Ruslands anerkendelse af separatistrepublikker og vestlige sanktioner. P1 Morgen, *Danmarks Radio*. February 23, 2022.

**Interview**, Ruslands anerkendelse af Folkerepublikkerne Donetsk og Lugansk. Nyhederne, *TV2*. February 22, 2022.

**Interview**, Ruslands anerkendelse af Folkerepublikkerne Donetsk og Lugansk og vestlige sanktioner. News & Co., *TV2*. February 22, 2022.

**Interview**, Ruslands anerkendelse af Folkerepublikkerne Donetsk og Lugansk. P4 Morgen Midt & Vest, *Danmarks Radio*. February 22, 2022.

**Interview**, Konflikten mellem Rusland, Ukraine og Vesten. P4 Morgen Midt & Vest, *Danmarks Radio*. February 16, 2022.



**Interview**, Personlige sanktioner mod Putin. *P1 Morgen, Danmarks Radio*. January 27, 2022.

**Podcast**, Når Rusland viser muskler, er det ikke et udtryk for styrke. Tænketanken, *Vid&Sans*. January 5, 2022.

Podcast, Teaching during a lockdown: Jonas Gejl Kaas on making the online teaching as similar to physical teaching. *Centre for Educational Development*. May 28, 2020.

**Interview**, Ruslands identitetskrise. *Weekendavisen*. August 30, 2019.

**Interview**, En mand genopstod fra de døde - og verdens værste spinkrig blev et hak værre. *Zetland*. May 31, 2018.

**Interview**, Putin udfordret af Playboy-modellen: Hun får sin sag for. *Ekstrabladet*. October 20, 2017.

**Opinion piece**, Man bør ikke købe kampfly, som man køber mælk. *Information*. June 18, 2016  
*Coauthored with Hasse Heckmann*.

#### **Invited lectures**

**Invited lecturer**, Perspectives on the Russian 2022 invasion of Ukraine, Constructive Institute, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark, February 24, 2022

**Invited lecturer**, Interpretivism and awkward 'case-lingo' Craft Course (PhD course), Department of Political Science, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark, December 9, 2021.

**Invited lecturer**, Russia's self-assertive foreign policy  
FALS Annual Conference, Hasseris Gymnasium, Aalborg, Denmark, December 6, 2021.

**Invited lecturer**, The instrumentalization of compatriots in Russia's foreign policy  
Department of Global Studies, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark, November 23, 2021.

**Invited lecturer**, Ontological security concerns in Russian foreign policy  
Institute for Russia and Eurasia Studies, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden, January 21, 2020.

**Invited lecturer**, The Meaning of War, Revolution and The Great Terror in Contemporary Russia  
Department of Russian Studies, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark, November 27, 2017.

#### **Service to academia**

**Reviewer**: *DJØF Forlag, Foreign Policy Analysis, Global Affairs, and Politica*.

#### **External examiner**

Censorkorpset for Statskundskab, Denmark.

<b>Service to the public</b>	<b>Lecturer</b> , Rusland i Ukraine – en krig der kom bag på Vesten?, Kulturhuset Skanderborg, Skanderborg, Denmark.	2022
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Tre forklaringer på Ruslands krig mod Ukraine 2022, Frit Forum, Aarhus, Denmark.	2022
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Ruslands krig mod Ukraine 2022, Aabenraa Statsskole, Aabenraa, Denmark.	2022
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Russia’s use of compatriots in the near abroad Folkeuniversitet, Herning, Aarhus & Emdrup, Denmark.	2022-2020
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Three Explanations of Russia's post-Soviet Foreign Policy Since 2016, I have held about 21 lectures for gymnasiums from various parts of Denmark.	2022-2016
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Introduction to Foreign Policy Analysis Since 2015, held annually for Akademiet for Talented Unge, Herning Gymnasium, Herning, Denmark.	2021-2015
	<b>Participant</b> , Debate with Foreign Minister Anders Samuelsen Udenrigs, Aarhus, Denmark.	2019
	<b>Speaker</b> , Internationalizing IR Theory Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark	2018
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Danish Security Policy Folkeuniversitet, Herning, Aarhus & Emdrup, Denmark.	2017
	<b>Speaker</b> , War, Revolution and Crisis Dansk-Russisk Forening, Aarhus, Denmark.	2017
	<b>Lecturer</b> , Denmark in a Time of Upheaval Støvring Gymnasium, Støvring, Denmark.	2017
	<b>Speaker</b> , The Role of Foreign Policy Crises for the Reconstruction of Russia’s post-Soviet National Identity SILBA – Initiative for Liberty and Democracy, Aarhus, Denmark.	2016
	<b>Speaker</b> , On the Border – The Identity-Constructing Capacity of Foreign Policy and Personal Impressions from Moscow Dansk-Russisk Forening, Aarhus, Denmark.	2016
	<b>Moderator</b> , The Scramble for Resources in the Arctic Dansk-Russisk Forening, Aarhus, Denmark.	2016
<b>Participant</b> , Working lunch with the Danish Foreign Minister Kristian Jensen to discuss the Government’s new foreign policy strategy, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark.	2016	