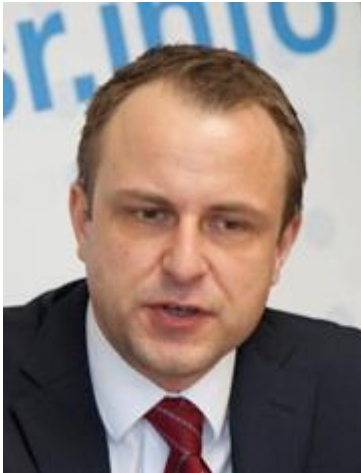


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### Biography

I am Professor of Security Studies at the War Studies Department, and serve as Director of the International Centre for the Study of Radicalisation (ICSR, [www.icsr.info](http://www.icsr.info)), which I founded in early 2008.

I have authored or co-authored five books, including *Old and New Terrorism*, published by Polity Press in 2009; and *The Strategy of Terrorism* (with MLR Smith), published by Routledge in 2008. I am the author of numerous peer-reviewed articles, dealing with different aspects of terrorism and radicalization, especially 'homegrown' radicalization in Western countries. Shorter articles and opinion pieces have appeared in, among others, the *New York Times*, *Der Spiegel*, and the *International Herald Tribune* (see below).

I have taught courses on terrorism, counterterrorism, intelligence, radicalization and counter-radicalization at King's College London and the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University, where I continue to serve as adjunct professor.

I hold an MA in Political Science from the Free University of Berlin, and a PhD in War Studies from King's College London. Before becoming an academic, I worked as a radio journalist in Germany.

### Areas of Interest

My areas of interests cover:

- Radicalisation and Counter-radicalisation
- Terrorism and Counterterrorism
- Insurgency and Counterinsurgency

### Publications

For a list of most recent publications please visit the [Research Portal](#).

## Op-eds

- 'Why Nobody Saw 9/11 Coming', New York Times, 27 March 2004. Available [here](#)
- 'Wider Lessons from the IRA: Helping Terrorists Evolve', International Herald Tribune, 3 August 2005. Available [here](#)
- 'Can Terrorists Be Tamed?', International Herald Tribune, 10 January 2007. Available [here](#)
- 'A Crisis of Identity and the Appeal of Jihad', International Herald Tribune, 5 July 2007. Available [here](#)
- 'Table Tennis for the Taliban', Der Spiegel, 28 January 2010. Available [here](#) (English) and [here](#) (German)

## Books and Monographs

- Old and New Terrorism (Cambridge: Polity Press, 2009).
- 'Joining Al Qaeda: Jihadist Recruitment in Europe', Adelphi Paper 399, International Institute for Strategic Studies, January 2009.
- The Strategy of Terrorism (New York and London: Routledge, 2008) (with M.L.R. Smith).
- Britain's Long War: British Strategy in the Northern Ireland Conflict, 1969-98 (Basingstoke and New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2003).
- IRA: Langer Weg zum Frieden (Hamburg: Europäische Verlagsanstalt, 1999)

## Journal Articles

- 'Locating Al Qaeda's Center of Gravity: The Role of Middle Managers' (with Ryan Evans and Raffaello Pantucci), Studies in Conflict and Terrorism, 34(9) (11).
- 'Negotiating with Terrorists', Foreign Affairs, 86(1) (2007), pp. 128-38.
- 'Europe's Jihadist Challenge', Survival, 48(2) (2006), pp. 71-84.
- 'The Bullet and the Ballot Box: The Case of the IRA', Journal of Strategic Studies, 28(6) (2005), pp. 1-35.
- 'The Strategy of Terrorism: The Framework and Its Fallacies' (with M.L.R. Smith), Journal of Strategic Studies, 28(4) (2005), pp. 571-95. (Re-printed in Thomas Mahnken and Joseph Maiolo (eds.), Strategic Studies: A Reader (London and New York: Routledge, 2008), Chapter 18.)
- 'Missing the Plot? Intelligence and Discourse Failure' (with M.L.R. Smith), Orbis, 49(1) (2005), pp. 95-107.

## Policy Reports

- Preventing Violent Radicalization in America (Washington DC: Bipartisan Policy Center, 2011). Available [here](#)
- Prisons and Terrorism: Radicalisation and De-radicalisation in 15 Countries (London: ICSR, 2010). Available [here](#)
- Countering Online Radicalisation: A Strategy for Action (London: ICSR, 2009) (with Tim Stevens). Available [here](#)
- Recruitment for the Islamist Militant Movement in Europe (Brussels: European Commission, 2008) (with Brooke Rogers). Available [here](#)

- Securing the Peace: The Normalisation of Security Arrangements in Northern Ireland (Belfast: Independent Monitoring Commission, 2006) (with Ben Bowling and Cian Murphy). Summary available [here](#)

## Teaching

I co-direct the MA program in Terrorism, Security and Society.

I teach the following MA courses:

- 7SSWM022 Terrorism & Counter Terrorism (co-convenor),
- 7SSWM053 Homegrown Radicalisation (convenor)

## PhD Supervision

## Expertise & Public Engagement

I have led research projects and written influential policy reports about issues such as online radicalization, prison-based de-radicalization programs, and terrorist recruitment in Europe. The most recent – “Preventing Violent Radicalization in America” – was published in June 2011 by the [Bipartisan Policy Center](#) in Washington DC, where I served as visiting scholar.

I am a member of the editorial boards of two leading, peer-reviewed journals, *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism* and *Democracy and Security*, and serve as investigator for the National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism (START) at the University of Maryland. I am an Affiliate of the European Commission's European Network of Experts on Radicalisation, a member of the German Federal Criminal Office's (BKA) European Expert Network on Terrorism Issues, and sit on the advisory boards of numerous other think-tanks and institutions, including the Club de Madrid, the association of former Presidents and Prime Ministers. I have given evidence before committees of the U.S. House of Representatives and the UK House of Commons, and served as an expert witness for the UK's Crown Prosecution Service.

## Research output

Listing of Research output

### **Criminal Pasts, Terrorist Futures: European Jihadists and the Crime Terror Nexus**

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Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

### **Der Terror ist unter uns: Dschihadismus und Radikalisierung in Europa**

Neumann, P. R. 1 Sep 2016 ullstein. 300 p.

Research output: Book/Report › Book

### **Radicalized: New Jihadists and the Threat to the West**

Neumann, P. R. 1 Sep 2016 I.B. Tauris. 250 p.

Research output: Book/Report › Book

### **Radicalisation: Major Works Collection**

Neumann, P. R. 1 Sep 2015 Routledge. 1000 p.

Research output: Book/Report › Anthology

### **Algorithmen und agenten: Wo es gerade in Deutschland bei der Geheimdienstarbeit hapert**

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Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

### **How Rigorous is Radicalization Research?**

Neumann, P. & Kleinmann, S. 1 Dec 2013 In : Democracy and Security. 9, 4, p. 360-382 22 p., 3

Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

### **The Trouble with Radicalization**

Neumann, P. Jul 2013 In : International Affairs (London). 89, 4, p. 873-893 21 p.

Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

### **Options and Strategies for Countering Online Radicalization in the United States**

Neumann, P. 1 Jun 2013 In : STUDIES IN CONFLICT AND TERRORISM. 36, 6

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### **Locating Al Qaeda's Center of Gravity: The Role of Middle Managers**

Neumann, P., Evans, R. & Pantucci, R. Nov 2011 In : STUDIES IN CONFLICT AND TERRORISM. 34, 11, p. 825 - 842 18 p.

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### **Old and New Terrorism: Late Modernity, Globalization and the Transformation of Political Violence**

Neumann, P. 1 Jul 2009 Cambridge: Polity. 218 p.

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### **Joining Al-Qaeda: Jihadist Recruitment in Europe**

Neumann, P. 20 Jan 2008 London: IISS, The International Institute for Strategic Studies. 71 p. (Adelphi Paper)

Research output: Book/Report › Book

**The Strategy of Terrorism: How It Works, and Why It Fails**

Neumann, P. & Smith, M. L. R. 15 Jan 2008 Abingdon and New York: Routledge. 126 p.

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**Confronting Terrorism**

Neumann, P. (ed.) 2008 Routledge.

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**Recruitment and mobilisation for the Islamist militant movement in Europe**

Neumann, P. & Rogers, M. B. Dec 2007 European Commission. 35 p.

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**Negotiating with terrorists**

Neumann, P. Jan 2007 In : FOREIGN AFFAIRS. 86, 1, p. 128-138 11 p.

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Research output: Chapter in Book/Report/Conference proceeding › Chapter

**The Strategy of Terrorism: How it works, and why it fails**

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Research output: Book/Report › Book

**Europe's Jihadist dilemma**

Neumann, P. R. Jun 2006 In : SURVIVAL. 48, 2, p. 71 - 85 15 p.

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**International terrorism: the changing threat and the EU's response**

Neumann, P. R. 2006 In : The Journal of Strategic Studies. 29, 5, p. 950 - 951 2 p.

Research output: Contribution to journal › Book/Film/Article review

**The bullet and the ballot box: The case of the IRA**

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Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

**Strategic Terrorism: The Framework and its Fallacies**

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Neumann, P. R. 2004 In : History Today. 54, 2, p. 26 - 27 2 p.

Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

**Terrorism and the struggle for freedom - Violence, propaganda and political strategy in the Irish Civil War 1922-23**

Neumann, P. R. 2004 In : AMERICAN HISTORICAL REVIEW. 109, 1, p. 257 - 258 2 p.

Research output: Contribution to journal › Book/Film/Article review

**Bringing in the Rogues: Political Violence, the British Government and Sinn Fein**

Neumann, P. Sep 2003 In : Terrorism and Political Violence. 15, 3, p. 154 - 171 18 p.

Research output: Contribution to journal › Article

**Britain's Long War: British Strategy in the Northern Ireland Conflict, 1969-98**

Neumann, P. 2003 Basingstoke and New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

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**The Myth of Ulsterization in British Security Policy in Northern Ireland**

Neumann, P. 2003 In : STUDIES IN CONFLICT AND TERRORISM. 26, 5, p. 365 - 377 13 p.

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Neumann, P. Mar 2002 In : Low-Intensity Conflict and Law Enforcement. 11, 1, p. 116 - 138 23 p.

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