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Curriculum Vitae
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Education

2023	PhD in Political Science, Uppsala University
2017	M.A. Political Science, Uppsala University
2015	B.A. Political Science, Uppsala University

Current position

2023-	National Coordinator, The Swedish Network for Register-Based Research (SWE-REG)
2018-	Associate Fellow, Swedish Institute of International Affairs

Previous positions

2018–2023	PhD candidate in Political Science, Department of Government, Uppsala University
2018	Research Assistant (January-May), Department of Government, Uppsala University
2018	Programme Manager (January-September), Russia and Eurasia Programme, Swedish Institute of International Affairs
2017-2018	Research Assistant (September-August), Europe Programme, Swedish Institute of International Affairs
2017	Intern and Desk Officer (January-September), European Correspondent Department, Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs

Publications

Doctoral dissertation

Danielson, August (2023). *The Resilience of Diplomacy: Adaptation and Continuity of Diplomatic Practice in Crises*, PhD thesis, Uppsala University, Uppsala.

Research monograph

Bremberg, Niklas, **August Danielson**, Elsa Hedling and Anna Michalski (2022). [*The Everyday Making of EU Foreign and Security Policy: Practices, Socialization and the Management of Dissent*](#), Edward Elgar Publishing.

Peer-reviewed articles

1. von Essen, Hugo and **August Danielson** (2023). "[A typology of ontological insecurity mechanisms: Russia's military engagement in Syria](#)", *International Studies Review*, 25(2), viad016.
2. **Danielson, August** and Elsa Hedling (2022). "[Visual Diplomacy in Virtual Summitry: Status Signalling During the Coronavirus Crisis](#)", *Review of International Studies*, 48(2), 243-261.
3. Michalski, Anna and **August Danielson** (2020). "[Overcoming Dissent: Socialization in the EU's Political and Security Committee in a Context of Crises](#)", *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 58(2), 328–344.
4. Michalski, Anna and **August Danielson** (2020). "[Conditions for Socialization in International Organizations: Comparing Committees of Permanent Representatives in the EU and NATO](#)", *Journal of International Relations and Development*, 23(3), 657–681.

Book chapters

1. Bremberg, Niklas, **August Danielson**, Elsa Hedling and Anna Michalski (2022). "The everyday making of EU foreign and security policy" in *The Everyday Making of EU Foreign and Security Policy: Practices, Socialization and the Management of Dissent*, Edward Elgar Publishing.
2. Bremberg, Niklas and **August Danielson** (2022). "Communities of practice and the everyday making of EU foreign and security policy" in *The Everyday Making of EU Foreign and Security Policy: Practices, Socialization and the Management of Dissent*, Edward Elgar Publishing.
3. **Danielson, August** (2022). "Council Working Groups: communities, hierarchies and the management of contestation" in *The Everyday Making of EU Foreign and Security Policy: Practices, Socialization and the Management of Dissent*, Edward Elgar Publishing.

4. **Danielson, August** (2022). “The Political and Security Committee: practices and persuasion” in *The Everyday Making of EU Foreign and Security Policy: Practices, Socialization and the Management of Dissent*, Edward Elgar Publishing.
5. Bremberg, Niklas, **August Danielson**, Elsa Hedling and Anna Michalski (2022). “Conclusion: learning and contestation in EU foreign and security policy” in *The Everyday Making of EU Foreign and Security Policy: Practices, Socialization and the Management of Dissent*, Edward Elgar Publishing.

Work in progress

1. **Danielson, August**. “The Political and the Technical: How the Depoliticization of EU Foreign Policy Enables the Forging of Consensus” (article manuscript under review)
2. **Danielson, August**. “The Role of Reflection in International Practice Theory” (article manuscript under review)
3. Palme, Joakim, Martin Ruhs, Moa Mårtensson and **August Danielson**. “Who wants to reform EU workers’ access to host country welfare states? Welfare states and mobility as contexts of EU Member States’ policy positions”

Conference papers (selection)

1. **Danielson, August**. “The Political and the Technical: How the Depoliticization of EU Foreign Policy Enables the Forging of Consensus”, presented at the EISA Pan-European Conference on International Relations, Potsdam, 5 – 9 September 2023.
2. **Danielson, August** and Elsa Hedling. “A Visual Protocol of Diplomacy? New Inquiries into the Role and Rules of Visual Representation in World Politics”, presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention, Montreal, 15 - 18 March 2023 and at the EISA Pan-European Conference on International Relations, Potsdam, 5 – 9 September 2023.
3. **Danielson, August**. “The Role of Reflexivity in International Practice Theory”, presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention, Nashville, 28 March - 2 April 2022 and at the EISA European Workshops in International Studies, Thessaloniki, 6-9 July 2022. *Honourable mention for the EISA Best Graduate Paper award 2022.*
4. von Essen, Hugo and **August Danielson**. “A typology of ontological insecurity mechanisms: Russia’s military engagement in Syria”, presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention, Nashville, 28 March - 2 April 2022.
5. **Danielson, August** and Niklas Bremberg. “Studying the practice of EU Foreign and Security Policy”, presented at the International Studies Association Annual Convention (virtual), 6-9 April 2021.
6. **Danielson, August** and Elsa Hedling. “Visual Diplomacy in Virtual Summitry: Status Signalling During the Coronavirus Crisis”, presented at International Studies Association Annual Convention (virtual), 6-9 April 2021.

7. **Danielson, August**. “Practices and Persuasion in the Political and Security Committee”, presented at the CEEISA-ISA Joint International Conference, Belgrade, 17-19 June 2019.
8. Michalski, Anna and **August Danielson**. “Overcoming Dissent: Socialization in the EU’s Political and Security Committee in a Context of Crises”, presented at the ECPR General Conference, Hamburg, 22-25 August 2018 and at the International Studies Association Annual Convention, Toronto, 27-30 March 2019.

Non peer-reviewed publications

1. **Danielson, August** and Li Bennich-Björkman (2022) ”[Slutreplik: Otydligt vad som är en politisk åsikt](#)” *Svenska Dagbladet*, 14 December 2022.
2. **Danielson, August** and Li Bennich-Björkman (2022) ”[Etikprövningen skapar rädsla bland forskare](#)”, *Svenska Dagbladet*, 28 November 2022.
3. **Danielson, August** (2022) ”[Replik: Ingen lagändring krävs för att slippa anmäla lindrigare brott](#)”, *Tidningen Curie*, 28 November 2022.
4. **Danielson, August** (2021) ”[Globalt inflytande kräver mer kompromissvilja](#)”, *Europakommentaren*.
5. **Danielson, August** and Elsa Hedling (2021) “[How \(and why\) state leaders signalled status in virtual meetings during the Covid-19 pandemic](#)”, *British International Studies Association*.
6. **Danielson, August** and Anna Michalski (2020) “[Conducting EU foreign policy in times of crises and dissent](#)”, *The JCMS Blog*.
7. **Danielson, August** (2019) “[EU, säkerhet och försvar – drivkrafter och framtida vägval](#)”, *Försvarsutbildaren*, No. 5 2019.
8. Fägersten, Björn, **August Danielson** and Calle Håkansson (2018) “[Sweden and European defence cooperation: interests in search of a strategy](#)”, *UI Brief*, No. 10 2018, Swedish Institute of International Affairs (UI).
9. **Danielson, August**, Igor Gretskiy, Agnieszka Lada and Jana Puglierin (2018) “[2018 Political State of the Region Report: Flexible Europe – What Does It Mean For The Baltic Sea Region?](#)”, *Baltic Development Forum*.
10. Fägersten, Björn and **August Danielson** (2018) “[Vilken säkerhetspolitisk roll bör EU spela?](#)”, *Svenska Dagbladet*, 4 April 2018.
11. Fägersten, Björn and **August Danielson** (2018) “[Order, integration and the development of European security and defence – Key uncertainties and future scenarios](#)”, *UI Paper*, No. 1 2018, Swedish Institute of International Affairs (UI).

12. **Danielson, August** and Björn Fägersten (2017) “[EU:s försvarssamarbete utvecklas i snabb takt](#)”, *Utrikesmagasinet*, 13 November 2017.

Reports

1. **Danielson, August** (2021) “Swedish peacekeeping in 2045: Identifying the conditions under which the Swedish Armed Forces will be deployed in international military operations in the coming 25 years”, Report to the Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters, LedS Inri LUA.
2. Fägersten, Björn and **August Danielson** (2020) “The Futures of European order: scenarios and implications for Sweden”, Report to the Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters, LedS Inri LUA.
3. Fägersten, Björn and **August Danielson** (2017) “Reconnecting the UK and the EU after Brexit – scenarios for intelligence, security and defence”, Report to the Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters, LedS Inri LUA.

Courses

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| 2021 | Academic Teacher Training Course (Högskolepedagogisk grundkurs), 5 weeks (7,5 ECTS). |
| 2021 | “Knowing and the Known: The Philosophy and Methodology of the Social Sciences” (3 ECTS), ECPR Virtual Winter School. |
| 2017 | “Legitimacy and effectiveness in regional and global governance” (7,5 ECTS), Summer school of the ECPR Standing Group on International Relations (SGIR). |

Professional service

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| 2021 | Doctoral student representative for the external assessment of the doctoral program at the Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg. |
| 2020-2022 | Graduate student representative of the International Studies Association (ISA) Theory Section. |
| 2020-2021 | Member of the Work Environment Committee at the Department of Government, Uppsala University. |
| 2019-2021 | Board member of the Uppsala Political Science Association. |
| 2018–2023 | Graduate student representative of the Swedish Network for European Studies in Political Science (SNES). |

Workshops organized

- 2023 Nordic International Studies Association (NISA) Early Career Symposium: “The European Security Order Following Russia’s War in Ukraine”, 13-15 December 2023, Copenhagen.
- 2023 The Swedish Register-Based Research Summit. Organized on behalf of the Swedish Network for Register-Based Research together with the Swedish Research Council, 14 November 2023.
- 2023 Graduate student workshop for the Swedish Network for European Studies in Political Science (SNES), Lund University, 19-20 October 2023.
- 2022 Graduate student workshop for the Swedish Network for European Studies in Political Science (SNES), Malmö University, 3-4 November 2022.
- 2021 Graduate student workshop for the Swedish Network for European Studies in Political Science (SNES), Uppsala University, 28-29 October 2021.
- 2021 National methods workshop for PhD students in political science based at Swedish universities. Organized together with Sven Oskarsson, 17-18 June 2021.
- 2021 Emerging Scholars Workshop for Graduate Students: “Relationalism and Practice Theory – appraisal and new avenues”, with Rebecca Adler-Nissen, Patrick Thaddeus Jackson, Vincent Pouliot, Antje Wiener and Ayşe Zarakol. ISA Theory Section, 20-21 May 2021.
- 2020 Doctoral workshop on interpretive methods in political science, with Jeff T. Checkel, Josefina Erikson and Ludvig Norman. Department of Government, Uppsala University, 19-20 November 2020.
- 2020 ISA Theory Section graduate student webinar: “Understanding the Role of Human Nature in Contemporary International Thought”, with Stefano Guzzini and Laura Sjoberg, September 24 2020.
- 2020 Graduate student workshop for the Swedish Network for European Studies in Political Science (SNES), Lund University, 12-13 March 2020.
- 2019 Graduate student workshop for the Swedish Network for European Studies in Political Science (SNES), Södertörn University, 21-22 February 2019.

Referee assignments for international journals

European Journal of International Relations, The Hague Journal of Diplomacy