

## **Amanda L. Sloat, Ph.D.**

### **CURRENT POSITIONS**

**BROOKINGS INSTITUTION, CENTER FOR STUDY OF US AND EUROPE** 2017-present  
**Robert Bosch Senior Fellow**

**HARVARD UNIVERSITY, KENNEDY SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT** 2017-present  
**Fellow, Belfer Center – Project on Europe and Transatlantic Relationship, 2018-**  
**Fellow, Ash Center – Initiative on Democracy in Hard Places, 2017**

**ALBRIGHT STONEBRIDGE GROUP** 2016-present  
**Senior Advisor**

- Also on roster of consultants for GLG and Duco.

### **GOVERNMENT EXPERIENCE**

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE** 2013-16  
**Deputy Assistant Secretary for Southern Europe and Eastern Mediterranean Affairs**

- Managed U.S. policy on and diplomatic relations with Cyprus, Greece, and Turkey.
- Coordinated Europe Bureau’s engagement on Middle East policy.

**NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL** 2013  
**Senior Advisor to White House Coordinator for Middle East, North Africa and Gulf**

- Principal policy advisor. Contributed to range of Middle East policy initiatives.

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE** 2011-13  
**Senior Advisor to Assistant Secretary of State for European and Eurasian Affairs**

- Principal policy advisor. Contributed to range of European policy initiatives.
- Designed mechanisms to enhance policy coordination between Europe/Middle East Bureaus.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS** 2007-10  
**Senior Professional Staff Member, 2010**  
**Professional Staff Member, 2007-2009**

- European policy advisor to Committee Chairmen Tom Lantos and Howard Berman.

### **ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTE (NDI)** 2005-07  
**Senior Program Officer, Iraq Program, 2006-07**

- Managed governance component of \$28 million program, including 6 months in Baghdad.

**Program Officer, Governance Program, 2005-06**

- Authored strategic review of NDI’s work in post-conflict countries.

**INSTITUTE OF GOVERNANCE, PUBLIC POLICY AND SOCIAL RESEARCH** 2001-04  
**QUEEN’S UNIVERSITY BELFAST, NORTHERN IRELAND**  
**Post-Doctoral Fellow**

- Awarded €1.2 million grant from European Union (EU) for 3 year, 10-country study of women’s political participation in Central and Eastern Europe.
- Visiting fellow at New York University Law School (2004), United Nations Research Institute on Social Development (2004), Academy of the Sciences – Czech Republic (2003).

**POLITICAL ADVISOR**

2000-02

**Northern Ireland Assembly, Finance and Personnel Committee**

- Prepared analysis of Northern Ireland's use of EU regional development funds and advised members during investigatory hearings.

**Scottish Parliament, European Committee**

- Authored report on Scotland's implementation of EU policy initiatives and testified publicly before committee about findings.

**European Commission, Secretariat General**

- Advised officials analyzing EU's institutional design/effectiveness and assisted with preparation of 'White Paper on European Governance'.

**EDUCATION**

**PhD, Politics** -- University of Edinburgh (UK)

2001

**BA, Political Theory** -- James Madison College, Michigan State University

1997

- Current member of College's Board of Advisors.