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Biography:

Nicholas Tampio is Associate Professor of Political Science at Fordham University. Tampio researches the legacy of the Enlightenment in contemporary political and intellectual life. His first book, [Kantian Courage](#), considers how Anglo-American, Continental, and Islamic political theorists renovate Kant's critical philosophy. Tampio's second book, [Deleuze's Political Vision](#), explains why Gilles Deleuze's masterpiece, *A Thousand Plateaus*, ought to enter the political theory canon. In 2018, Johns Hopkins University Press will publish his book *Common Core: National Education Standards and the Threat to Democracy*. Tampio also serves as political theory editor of *Politics and Religion* (Cambridge University Press) and writes for popular outlets such as *Aeon*, the *Huffington Post*, and the *Journal News*. Click here for his [CV](#).

Courses Taught:

Introduction to Politics	Global Justice	Introduction to Political Theory*
Introduction to Political Philosophy	The Enlightenment and its Critics	Modern Political Thought*
American Political Thought	Human Nature after Darwin	Contemporary Political Thought*
Political Theory in Popular Culture (Marvel Universe)	Capitalism and its Alternatives	Honors: Education Policy

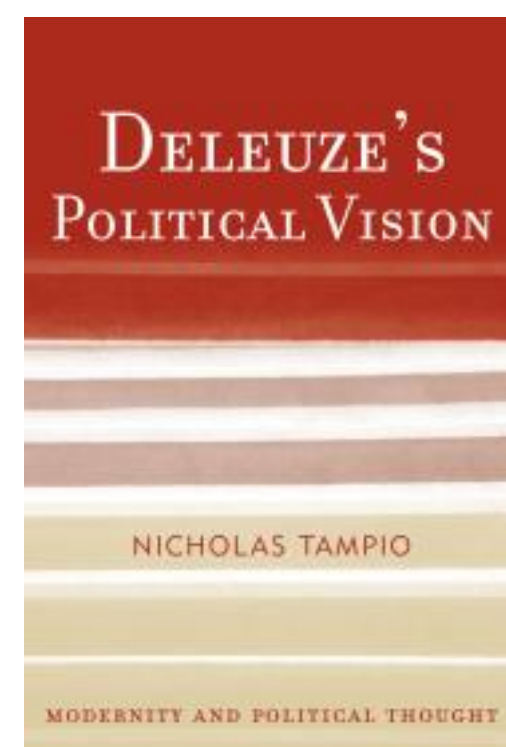
Publications

Books

- *Common Core: National Education Standards and the Threat to Democracy*, Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press, January 2018.
- [Deleuze's Political Vision](#), Modernity and Political Thought series, Rowman & Littlefield, 2015.
 - Reviewed in [Perspectives on Politics](#), [Contemporary Political Theory](#).
- [Kantian Courage: Advancing the Enlightenment in Contemporary Political Theory](#). Fordham University Press, 2012.
 - Reviewed in [Perspectives on Politics](#), [The Review of Politics](#), [Contemporary Political Theory](#), and [Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews](#).

Academic Articles

- "[Democracy and National Education Standards](#)." *Journal of Politics*, vol. 79, no 1, 2017.
 - "[Green Allies: Speculative Realism, Evangelical Christianity, and Political Pluralism](#)," *Political Theology*, vol. 17, no. 6, 2016.
 - "[Entering Deleuze's Political Vision](#)." *Deleuze Studies*, vol. 8, no. 1, 2014.
 - "[Promoting Critical Islam: Controversy, Civil Society, Revolution](#)." *Politics & Religion*, vol. 6, no. 4, 2013.
 - "[The Politics of the Garden \(pairadaeza\)](#)." *Theory & Event*, vol 16, no. 2, 2013.
 - "[A Defense of Political Constructivism](#)." *Contemporary Political Theory*, vol. 11, no. 3, 2012.
- See also:
- Andrew Valls, "[Rawls, Islam, and Political Constructivism: Some Questions for Tampio](#)."
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 - "[Constructing the Space of Testimony: Tariq Ramadan's Copernican Revolution](#)." *Political Theory*, vol. 39, no. 5, 2011.
 - "[Assemblages and the Multitude: Deleuze, Hardt, Negri, and the Postmodern Left](#)." *European*



Journal of Political Theory, vol. 8, no. 3, 2009.

- "[Rawls and the Kantian Ethos](#)." Polity, vol. 39, no.1, 2007.
- "[Writing Political Theory: Lessons from an Apprenticeship](#)." PS: Political Science & Politics, vol. 38, no. 3, 2005.

Invited Pieces

- "[Bonnie Honig, Political Theory and the Displacement of Politics](#)." The Oxford Handbook of Classics in Contemporary Political Theory, 2016.
- "[Political Theory and the Untimely](#)." Political Theory, 2016.
- "[Islamic Political Thought](#)." Encyclopedia of Political Thought, Wiley Blackwell, 2014.
- "[Metaphysics and Postmetaphysics](#)." Encyclopedia of Political Thought, Wiley Blackwell, 2014.
- "[Pluralism in the Ethical Community](#)." In Kant's Religion within the Boundaries of Mere Reason: A Critical Guide, Cambridge University Press, 2014.
- "[What if the Pious Don't Want to Deliberate?](#)" Political Theory, vol. 42, no. 1, 2014.
- "[Multiplicity](#)." Encyclopedia of Political Theory, Sage Publications, 2010.

Book Reviews

- "[Democracy, Federal Power, and Education Reform](#)." Perspectives on Politics, vol. 14, no. 2, 2016.
- "[On the Coptic Question](#)." Contemporary Political Theory, January 12, 2016.
- "[Routledge Companion to Ethics, Politics and Organizations](#)." E-International Relations, 2015.
- "[Despots, Systematizers, and the Liberal Quandary](#)." Theory & Event, vol. 8, no. 3, 2015.
- "[In the Spirit of Critique: Arts of the Political](#)." Perspectives on Politics, vol. 12, no. 4, 2014.
- "[Kant's Political Theory](#)." Perspectives on Politics, vol. 11, no. 1, 2013.
- "[Islam and the Arab Awakening](#)." The Journal of North African Studies, vol. 18, no. 2, 2013.
- "[Rawls, Constructivism, and the Tragic](#)." H-Net, 2011.
- "[The Politics of the Eternal Return](#)." Theory & Event, vol. 13, no. 3, 2010.
- "[Kant and the Limits of Autonomy](#)." Perspectives on Politics, vol. 7, no. 4, 2009.
- "[Redefining Kant's Legacy](#)." Political Theory, vol. 34, no. 6, 2006.
- "[Twenty-first Century Enlightenment](#)." The Journal of Politics, vol. 68, no. 2, 2006.
- "[Can the Multitude Save the Left?](#)" Theory & Event, vol. 8, no. 2, 2005.

Popular Articles

- "[Stuck on one idea of truth or beauty? Rhizomes can help](#)." Aeon, May 9, 2017.
- "[Por que os padrões nacionais de educação são uma má ideia \(Portuguese\)](#)." Patio, March/May 2017. [Why national education standards are a bad idea](#). (English).
- "[In Praise of Dewey](#)." Aeon, July 28, 2016.
- "[Teaching 'Grit' is Bad for Children, and Bad for Democracy](#)." Aeon, June 2, 2016.
- "[Corporate education reform goes global](#)." Al Jazeera America, January 26, 2016.
- "[The College Scorecard: What Would Strauss Say?](#)" The Weekly Standard, September 22, 2015.
- For a complete list of his popular articles, click [here](#).

