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### **Education**

Washington University in St. Louis  
Ph.D. in Political Science, December 1989  
Washington University Fellowship

University of Rochester, Rochester, New York  
B.A. in Political Science, May, 1983  
National Rochester Scholar

### **Professional Experience**

University of Georgia - Athens, Georgia  
Graduate and Honors Faculty Member  
Professor, 2011-  
Associate Professor, 1997-2011  
Assistant Professor, 1990-1997

ICPSR Summer Program Instructor, University of Michigan, 2012-  
Introduction to Game Theory

Washington University in St. Louis  
Guest Fellow at the Center in Political Economy, Fall 1995  
Visitor in the Department of Political Science, Fall 1995

Brookings Institution; Washington DC  
Guest Scholar, Summer 1991

University of Minnesota; Minneapolis, MN  
Visiting Instructor, 1988-1990

### **Teaching and Research Interests**

Interest Groups and Pluralism, U.S. Congress, Public Policy, Formal Models of Institutions, Applied Game Theory, Applied Social Choice Theory, History of Institutional and Political Development

### **Publications**

#### **Books**

*Analyzing Interest Groups: Group Influence on People and Policies.* 2002. New York: W.W.Norton.

*Abortion Politics in Congress: Strategic Incrementalism and Policy Change.* 2011. With Thad Hall. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Cited in *The Chronicle Review* 28 January 2011.

Profiled on RadioWest KUER with Doug Fabrizio, 18 April 2011.

Reviewed in *Politics & Gender* 7:pp 447-449, September 2011.

Reviewed in *The Review of Politics* 74:pp 349-351, 2012.

Reviewed in *PSQ* 126:pp.701-702, Winter 2011-12.

Roundtable Discussion, 2012 Western Political Science Association, Portland, OR March 22-24.  
Reviewed in *Political Studies Review* 11:pp 136-137, 2013.  
Reviewed in *Perspectives in Politics*, 11:pp.35-36, June 2013.  
*Lobbying and Policymaking: The Public Pursuit of Private Interests*. 2012. With Ken Godwin and Erik Godwin. Washington DC: CQ Press.

### Refereed Articles

- “Regulating Lobbyists and Interest Group Influence.” 1993. *Journal of Politics* 55:41-56.
- “Interest Group Entrepreneurs: Entrepreneurs with Two Audiences.” 1993. With Itai Sened. *American Journal of Political Science* 37:834-866.
- “Unanimous Consent Agreements as Leadership Tools.” 1995. With Marcus Flathman. *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 20:177-195.
- “Electoral Strength and the Emergence of Group Influence in the Late 1800s: The Grand Army of the Republic.” 1995. *American Politics Quarterly* 23:319-338.
- “Lobbyists as Interest Group Entrepreneurs and the Mobilization of Union Veterans.” 1995. *American Review of Politics* 16:107-129.
- “National Grange Influence on the Supreme Court Confirmation of Stanley Matthews.” 1996. With John Anthony Maltese. *Social Science History* 20:41-62.
- “Bill Sponsorship and Legislative Success among Freshmen Senators: 1954-1986.” 1996. With Douglas Hanson. *Social Science Journal* 33:211-221.
- “The Logic and Rationale of Lobbying Regulations.” 1996. *Congress & The Presidency* 23:1-13.
- “The Role of Legislators in the Determination of Interest Group Influence in Legislatures.” 1997. *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 22:517-534.
- “Representation and Institutionalization.” 1997. *Journal of Theoretical Politics* 9:147-65.
- “The Informational Role of Caucuses in the U.S. Congress.” 1997. With Frances Akins. *American Politics Quarterly* 25:407-30.
- “Strategic Foundation for the Cooperators’ Advantage.” 1999. *Theory & Decision* 47:101-110.
- “Modeling Efficacy and Interest Group Membership.” 2000. *Political Behavior* 22:89-108.
- “Delegation and Discretion in Anticipation of Coalitional Drift.” 2009. With Brian Harward. *American Politics Research* 37:983-1002.
- “Congressional Response to Presidential Signing Statements.” 2012. With Brian M. Harward and Kenneth W. Moffett. *American Politics Research* 40:1067-1091.
- “Congressional Response to Statements of Administration Policy and Presidential Signing Statements.” 2014. With Brian M. Harward and Kenneth W. Moffett. *Congress & The Presidency* 41:312-334.

### Chapters

“We Have Met the Lobbyists and They are Us: When Governments Lobby Governments.” 2015. With Kenneth Godwin and Erik Godwin. *Interest Group Politics*, 9<sup>th</sup> Edition. Edited by Allan J. Cigler, Burdett A. Loomis, and Anthony Nownes. Washington DC: CQ Press.

“Economic Modeling of Interest Groups and Lobbying.” 2011. With Austin Clemens. In *Guide to Interest Groups and Lobbying*, Ed. Burdett Loomis, Assoc. Ed.s Peter Francia and Dara Strolovich. Washington, DC: CQ Press.

“Methodological Perspectives on Interest Groups.” 2010. In *The Oxford Handbook of American Political Parties and Interest Groups*, Ed.s L. Sandy Maisel and Jeffrey M. Berry. New York: Oxford University Press.

“Interests, Groups, and Information Aggregation.” 2009. With Ruoxi Li. In *A Bridge Too Far? Commonalities and Differences between China and the United States*, Ed.s Robert Graftstein and Fan Wen. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

“Is Corporate Lobbying Rational or Just a Waste of Money?” 2006. With Kenneth Godwin and Erik Godwin. *Interest Group Politics*, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition. Edited by Allan J. Cigler and Burdett A. Loomis. Washington DC: CQ Press.

### **Other Publications**

Lobbying America: The Politics of Business from Nixon to NAFTA, by Benjamin C. Waterhouse. 2014. *Economic History Review* 68:pp.xx-xx, August 2015.

Agenda Setting in the U.S. Senate: Costly Consideration and Majority Party Advantage, by Chris Den Hartog and Nathan W. Monroe. 2011. *Perspectives on Politics* 11:pp.945-46, September 2013.

“Interest Groups.” 2003. Encyclopedia of Community: From the Village to the Virtual World. General Editors, Karen Christensen and David Levinson. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Reference.

“Pressure Groups.” 2003. Encyclopedia of Community: From the Village to the Virtual World. General Editors, Karen Christensen and David Levinson. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Reference.

Lobbying Together: Interest Group Coalitions in Legislative Politics, by Kevin W. Hula. 2001. *American Political Science Review* 95:475.

Cultivating Congress: Constituents, Issues, and Interests in Agricultural Policymaking, by William P. Browne. 1996. *American Political Science Review* 90:185-86.

Trust: Representatives and Constituents, by William T. Bianco. 1995. *Congress and the Presidency* 22:101-102.

### **Under Review or in Preparation for Review**

“How Equal is Equal?: The EEOC and the Federal Court of Appeals.” With Katie Clifford and Sophie Winkler.

“Cooperation and Competition: Lobbying and Rent Seeking.” With R. Kenneth Godwin.

“Playing the Field: Committee Referrals of Abortion-Related Proposals.” With Thad Hall.

“Participation in the U.S. House of Representatives: Measuring the Impact of Representatives’ Social Networks.” With Thad Hall.

“Political Control of Bureaucracies: Implications for the Federal Appeals Courts.”

### **Grants and Awards**

“Cooperation and Competition in Coalitions: Corporate Lobbying as a Two Stage Rent-Seeking Game, 2008-2012.” National Science Foundation. SES-0752245, \$159,197.

Research Experience for Undergraduates, 2010-2012, National Science Foundation, SES-0752245-002, \$19,125.

Invitee, Renaissance Weekend.

Invitee, Oxford Round Table, University of Oxford, Oxford, England.

Pi Sigma Alpha Award. 1995. The Best Paper Award for papers presented at the annual Midwest Political Science Association meeting. With Patrick J. Fett and Itai Sened.

Emerging Scholar Award. 1994. Awarded by the American Political Science Association Political Organizations and Parties section for outstanding scholarly contributions made within the first five years of being awarded a Ph.D.

Dirksen Center Congressional Research Grant. 1991. "Managing the Senate Floor: Leaders and Unanimous Consent Agreements."

Sarah H. Moss Fellow. 1995-96. University of Georgia, Office of Instructional Development. Guest Fellow at the Center in Political Economy and Visitor in the Department of Political Science, Washington University in St. Louis.

Fellow, Study in a Second Discipline. 1993-94. University of Georgia, Vice President of Academic Affairs. For study in mathematics and economics.

Faculty Research Grant, University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc. 1991. "Unanimous Consent Agreements in the U.S. Senate."

### **Papers Presented at Professional Conferences**

"Presidential Signing Statements, Executive Orders and Congressional Oversight." With Harward and Moffett. Presented at the 2014 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, DC.

"Signing Statements, Congressional Oversight, and the Competition over Issue Agendas." With Harward and Moffett. Presented at the 2014 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

"Coordinating Policy Gains: Congressional Reactions to Presidential Unilateralism." With Harward and Moffett. Presented at the 2014 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in New Orleans, LA.

"Evaluating Interest Group Influence in Bureaucracies: Issue Niches and Levels of Aggregation." Presented at the 2013 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

"Sponsoring Abortion Proposals in the US House of Representatives: Assessing Members' Faith and Partisanship." Presented at the 2013 Religion in American Life conference, King's College, London.

"How Equal is Equal? The EEOC and the Federal Courts of Appeals." With Kathryn Clifford and Sophie Winkler. Presented at the 2012 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

"Appropriations Success: Bicameral, Partisan, and Budget Regime Issues." With Thad Hall and Lucy Williams. Presented at the 2012 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in New Orleans, LA.

"The Influence of Statements of Administration Policy and Presidential Signing Statements on Congressional Oversight." With Brian Harward, Kenneth Moffett, and Laurie Rice. Presented at the 2011 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

"The EEOC and the Federal Court of Appeals." With Katie Clifford and Sophie Winkler. Presented at the 2011 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in New Orleans, LA.

“Measuring Interest Group Influence in Bureaucracies: Issue Niches and Levels of Aggregation.” With Erik Godwin, and R. Kenneth Godwin. Presented at the 2010 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, DC.

“Rulemaking and Interest Group Influence.” With Austin Clemens, Erik Godwin, and R. Kenneth Godwin. Presented at the 2010 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Signing Statements and Congressional Oversight.” With Brian M. Harward and Kenneth W. Moffett. Presented at the 2010 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association meeting in Atlanta, GA.

“Intergovernmental Lobbying in U.S. Federal Agencies.” With Erik Godwin and R. Kenneth Godwin. Presented at the 2009 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Toronto, CN.

“Appeals Court Reactions to the Political Control of Bureaucracies: Who Sues the EPA and Who Wins?” Presented at the 2008 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Boston, MA.

“Who Sues the EPA? Patterns in Political Control and Court Decisions.” Presented at the 2008 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Delegating Discretion in Anticipation of Coalitional Drift.” With Brian Harward. Presented at the 2008 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA.

“Who Sues the EPA? Political Control and Deck Stacking.” Presented at the 2007 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Playing the Field: Committee Referrals of Abortion-Related Proposals.” With Thad Hall. Presented at the 2007 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Corporate Lobbying as a Two Stage Rent Seeking Game.” With R. Kenneth Godwin. Presented at the 2006 annual meetings of the American and Midwest Political Science Associations in Philadelphia, PA and Chicago, IL.

“The Timing and Structuring of Abortion-Related Proposals in the U.S. House.” With Thad E. Hall. Presented at the 2006 annual meetings of the American and Midwest Political Science Associations in Philadelphia, PA and Chicago, IL.

“The Strategic Foundations for Incrementalism in Legislatures.” With Thad Hall. Presented at the 2004 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Exploring Political Efficacy through Experiments.” With Anthony Nownes. Presented at the 2003 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Experiments in Political Efficacy.” With Anthony J. Nownes. Presented at the 2002 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association meetings in Savannah, GA.

“Choosing Your Playing Field: Abortion Politics and Committee Referrals.” With Thad Hall. Presented at the 2002 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, GA.

“Abortion Politics in the U.S. Congress: A View across Committees and over Time.” With Thad Hall and Janna Deitz. Presented at the 2001 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in San Francisco, CA.

“Ties that Bind: Participation in Congress and Memberships on Committees, Caucuses, and Leadership Systems. With Thad Hall. Presented at the 2001 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Incrementalism and Single Issue Politics: Abortion Policy in the U.S. Congress from the 94<sup>th</sup> to the 105<sup>th</sup> Congresses.” With Thad Hall and Janna Deitz. Presented at the 2000 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, D.C. Revised for the 2000 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association meetings in Atlanta, GA.

“Group Endorsements and Voter Turnout in Pluralist Societies.” With Itai Sened. Presented at the 2000 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Member Expertise and Informational Roles of Caucuses, Leadership Systems, and Committees in the U.S. Congress.” With Thad Hall. Presented at the 2000 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“The Informational Role of Caucuses, Leadership Systems, and Committees in the U.S. Congress.” Presented at the 1999 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA. Revised for presentation at the Southern Political Science Association meeting in Savannah, GA.

“Efficacy and Instrumental Political Participation.” With Brian Harward. Presented at the 1999 annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association in Seattle, WA.

“Efficacy and Instrumental Political Participation.” With Brian Harward. Presented at the 1999 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“The Informational Role of Caucuses, Leadership Systems, and Committees in the U.S. Congress.” Presented at the 25th Annual Conference of the American Politics Group, Selwyn College, Cambridge University, Cambridge, UK.

“The Implications of Majority Rule Instability for Models of Congressional Reform.” With Patrick Fett and Itai Sened. Presented at the 1998 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

“A Game Theoretic Model of Efficacy and Political Participation.” Presented at the 1998 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Boston, MA.

“Modeling Efficacy and Interest Group Membership.” Presented at the 1997 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, DC.

“Schattschneider and the Structure of Bias: A Game Theoretic Approach to the Analysis of Politics.” Presented at the 1996 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in San Francisco, CA.

“Caucuses and Informal Groups in the Institutional Structure of Congress.” With Fran Akins. Presented at the 1995 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Tampa, FL.

“Lobbying Allies in Congress.” With Itai Sened. Presented at the 1995 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Chicago, IL. Revised for presentation at the 1996 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

“The Implications of Turnover and Term Limits on Institutional Stability.” With Patrick J. Fett and Itai Sened. Presented at the 1995 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“The Effects of Group Endorsements on Candidate Competition and Voter Turnout.” With Itai Sened. Presented at the 1994 International Conference on Game Theory, SUNY at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY.

“Group Influence on Voter Turnout.” With Itai Sened. Presented at the 1994 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL. Revised for the 1994 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in New York, NY.

“Electoral Strength and Policy Influence of the National Grange in the Nineteenth Century.” With John Anthony Maltese. Presented at the 1993 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Savannah, GA.

“Electoral Strength and Group Influence in the Late 1800s.” Presented at the 1993 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Lobbyists as Interest Group Entrepreneurs and the Mobilization of Union Veterans.” Presented at the 1992 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Lobbying Legislative Allies.” With Itai Sened. Presented at the 1992 annual meeting of the Public Choice Society in New Orleans, LA.

“An Analysis of Interest Group Entrepreneurs: Entrepreneurs with Two Audiences.” With Itai Sened. Presented at the 1991 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL. Revised for the 1991 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, DC.

“Unanimous Consent Agreements as Leadership Tools.” With Marcus Flathman. Presented at the 1990 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in San Francisco, CA.

“Leadership in a Sparse Environment: A Formal Model of UCAs in the U.S. Senate.” With Marcus Flathman. Presented at the 1990 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

“Lobbyists as Interest Group Entrepreneurs: A Comparative Statics Approach.” Presented at the 1989 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Memphis, TN.

“Evaluating Interest Group Influence: The Importance of Lobbyists.” Presented at the 1989 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

“Lobbyists, Legislators, and Asymmetric Information.” Presented at the 1988 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

## **In the Media**

Recent references and publications in the media include:

BBC <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-us-canada-16603870>

*New York Times* <http://www.nytimes.com/roomfordebate/2012/08/22/were-todd-akins-comments-so-outrageous/obama-and-romney-reacted-because-they-want-to-win>

WGAU Newsmaker Hour with Tim Bryant, April 13, 2012.

## **Invited Presentations**

Authors' Roundtable: *Abortion Politics in Congress* by Scott Ainsworth and Thad Hall. Western Political Science Association, 2012.

Obama and a Republican House Roundtable, Midwest Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, IL, 2011.

Department of Political Science, Utah State University, 2011

Department of Political Science, University of Texas, Austin, 2010

Center for Political Participation, Allegheny College, 2010

Rooney Center for the Study of American Democracy, Notre Dame, 2010

Department of Political Science, University of Houston, 2009

Department of Political Science, Texas Tech University, 2009

Political Methodology and Positive Political Theory Roundtable, Southern Political Science Association meeting, Atlanta, 2006.

Department of Political Science, Northwestern University, 2005.

Department of Political Science, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, 2004. Three separate talks.

Department of Government and International Studies, University of South Carolina, Columbia, 2002.

Department of Political Science and the Center for American Politics and Public Policy, University of Washington, Seattle, 1999.

Mini-Conference on Elections. The Center in Political Economy at Washington University, 1996.

Department of Political Science, Washington University, 1995.

Institute for Research in the Social Sciences, Political Economy Group of the Departments of Economics and Political Science, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 1995.

Department of Political Science, Duke University, 1995.

International Conference on Game Theory. Institute in Decision Sciences, SUNY Stony Brook, 1994.

Department of Political Science, Washington University, 1994.

Department of Economics, University of Georgia, 1993.

Microeconomics Section, Department of Economics, University of Amsterdam, 1991.

## **Additional Professional Activities**

2015

Discussant: Legislative Studies Virtual Workshop for “The Revolving Door, Partisan Alignments, and Communication Networks among Health Reform Lobbyists by Geoffrey M. Lorenz and Richard L. Hall.

2014

Discussant: Executive Orders. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

2013

Discussant and Chair: Budgets and Bureaucrats. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

2012

Discussant and Chair: Congressional Development in the Post World War II Era. Annual meeting of the Congress and History Conference.

Chair: Bureaucratic Policymaking and Implementation. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

Discussant: Lobbying and Interest Groups in Legislative Politics. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.



2011

Chair: Robert H. Salisbury Memorial Roundtable. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL

Chair: Unilateral Presidential Action and Influence. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL

Chair: News from the ANES. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in New Orleans, LA.

Chair: Incorporating Undergraduates in Professional Research Efforts. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in New Orleans, LA.

Chair: NSF Funding Opportunities and Procedures. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in New Orleans, LA.

2010

Discussant and Chair: Bureaucratic Networks. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

Discussant and Chair: Party Polarization in Congress. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

Chair: Lobbying and Policy Change: Who Wins, Who Loses, and Why. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

2009

Discussant: Advocacy and Legislative Activity. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Toronto, CN.

2008

Discussant: Lobbying, Inequality, and Representation. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Boston, MA.

2007

Discussant: Outside Influences on Congress: Media, Think Tanks, and Public Opinion. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

2006

Discussant: Interest Group Lobbying. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

Chair: Agenda Change across Time. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

2004

Chair: Panel on Interest Groups, Lobbying, and Candidates. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

2002

Chair and Discussant: Panel on New Perspectives on Congressional Research. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Boston, MA.

2001

Discussant: Panel on Access and Lobbying Strategies of Organized Interests. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

2000

Discussant: Panel on Decisionmaking and Deliberation in Congress. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

1998

Discussant: Panel on Formal Models of Lobbying and Interest Groups. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

Chair: Panel on Formal Models of the U.S. Legislative Process. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

1997

Discussant: Panel on Learning to Lobby: Strategies, Tactics, and Contexts. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Washington, DC.

1996

Discussant: Panel on Campaign Finance: Its Effects on Legislative Outcomes. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

Discussant: Panel on Interest Groups. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

1995

Discussant: Panel on Legislative Decision-Making. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

Discussant: Panel on Why Do People Join Interest Groups? Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

1994

Discussant: Panel on Environmental Interests. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

Chair: Panel on Empirical Tests of Formal Theories of Legislatures and Elections. Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in New York, NY.

1992

Discussant: Panel on Interest Group Activity and Organization. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, GA.

1991

Discussant: Panel on Models of Political Decision Making. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

1990

Chair: Panel on Formal Models of Cues, Ideology, and Leadership. Annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, IL.

1989

Chair: Panel on Parties, Pre-Parties, and Third Parties. Annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Memphis, TN.

## **Contributions to the Profession**

### **Editorial Board Member**

*Political Research Quarterly*, 2000-2006

*Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 1997-1999

### **National Science Foundation**

Panel Member, Summer 2002, Graduate Research Fellowship Evaluation, Committee on Political Science.

### **Referee for**

Journals:

*American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Public Policy*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *Journal of Theoretical Politics*, *American Politics Quarterly*, *Congress & the Presidency*, *Economics and Politics*, *Evaluation and Program Planning*, *Southeastern Political Review*, *Political Communication*, *Journal of Public Policy*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Political Behavior*, *Commonwealth*, *Polity*, *Journal of Legislative Studies*, *Interest Groups and Advocacy*, *Journal of Economic Education*, *State and Local Government*, *PS: Political Science and Politics*

Presses:

CQ Press, Greenwood, University of Michigan Press, Pearson, Routledge, Taylor and Francis, St. Martin's Press, WW Norton

Grants:

National Science Foundation

### **External Evaluator**

American University, UC Riverside, UNC

## **Professional Memberships and Activities**

### **American Political Science Association**

Eldersveld Award Committee, Political Organizations and Parties Section, 2010-11

Chair, Wallerstein Award Committee, Political Economy Section, 2010-11

Council Member, Political Organizations and Parties Section, 2006-08

Chair, Leon Epstein Best Book Award Committee, Political Organizations and Parties Section, 2006-07

Emerging Scholar Award Committee, Political Organizations and Parties Section, 2004-05

Nominating Committee, Legislative Studies Section, 1999

Jack Walker Outstanding Article Award Committee, Political Organizations and Parties Section, 1999 and 2000

### **Midwest Political Science Association**

Section Chair, Political Parties and Interest Groups, 2011

Robert Durr Award Committee, 2003

### **Southern Political Science Association**

Section Chair for Research Programs, Grantsmanship and Research Administration in Political Science, 2011

*Journal of Politics*, Best Paper Award Committee for Calendar Year 2010

Section Chair for Interest Groups, 2008

Malcolm Jewell Award Committee, 2006-07

Section Chair for Interest Groups, 2004

Executive Council Member, 1999-2003

## **University Related Governance**

### **Department Level**

Promotion and Tenure Guidelines - Revisions Committee, 2014-15

Faculty Executive Committee, 2004-05, 2007-08, 2009-13

Recruitment Committees: American Politics (2003-04, 2005-06, 2008-09, two in 2011-12), Formal Theory (2002-03), Methods (2002-03, 2010-11), Senior Search American Politics (2008-10)

Graduate Committee, 2011-

Chair, Parthemos Committee, 2002-05, 2007-09

Speakers' Committee, 2006-10

Chair, Speakers' Committee, 2014-

Grievance Committee, 2013-14

Teaching Award Committee, 2003-04, 2004-05

Undergraduate Coordinator, 2000-02

Undergraduate Committee, 2000-02, 2012-13

Post-Tenure Review Committees, two in 1997-98, three in 1998-99, three in 1999-2000, two in 2000-2001

Third Year Review Committee, 2009, 2011, 2014

### **College Level**

School of Public and International Affairs

Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2011-13

Post-Tenure Review Committees, 2014

Chair, Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2012-13, 2014-15

SPIA Council, 2004-10, 2013-14

SPIA Grade Appeal Committee, 2009-11, 2013-14

Strategic Planning, Service Committee, 2008-09

Strategic Planning, Funding Analysis Committee, 2013-14

Curriculum Committee, 2002-04

Franklin College of Arts and Science

Faculty Senate, 1998-2001

Secretary of Faculty Senate, 2000-01

Chair of the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences Planning and Evaluation Committee, 1998-99

Elected Member of the Franklin College of Arts and Sciences Planning and Evaluation Committee 1998-99. Members were either elected from within the Senate or appointed by the College Dean. The committee was responsible for strategic planning for the College, including the evaluation of plans to divide the school of Arts and Sciences.

### **University Level**

University Council, 2009-13

Member Faculty Affairs Committee, 2012-13

Presidential Graduate Fellowship Selection Committee Member, 2011-12

Chair, Social and Behavioral Sciences Area Committee for Appointment and Reappointment to the Graduate Faculty, 2007-08

Lamar Dodd School of Art, Printmaking Search/Recruitment Committee, 2007-08

Social and Behavioral Sciences Area Committee for Appointment and Reappointment to the Graduate Faculty, 2005-07

### **Students**

#### **PHD: Chaired or Co-Chaired**

Nancy Basinger, PhD, University of Utah

Kiki Caruson, PhD, University of South Florida

Austin Clemens, PhD, Texas A&M

Thad E. Hall, PhD, University of Utah, formerly The Century Foundation

Brian Harward, PhD, Allegheny College

James Kallerman, PhD, in residence

#### **PHD: Committee Member**

Liam Anderson, PhD

Jim Bason, PhD

Dan Brill, PhD

Janna Deitz, PhD

Troy Gibson, PhD

Sara Heirs, ABD

Lisa Holmes, PhD

Walter Low, PhD

Justin Moeller, ABD

Youseop Shin, PhD

Mark Smith, PhD

Pete Wielhouwer, PhD

#### **MA: Chaired**

Dhruti Contractor

Troy Gibson

Brian Harward

Lisa Holmes

Ruoxi Li

Duncan McCaskill

Jason Seitz, Georgia Perimeter College

Matt Tyler

*References are available upon request.*