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Education

Ph.D., Political Science, Stanford University, 1993
M.A., Political Science, Stanford University, 1989
B.A., Chemistry, Carleton College, 1983 (magna cum laude)

Academic Employment

J. Ira and Nicki Harris Professor of Social Science, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, 2006-current
Chair, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, 2008-2014
Professor (by courtesy), Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan, 2006-current
Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Iowa, 2002-2006
Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Iowa, 1998-2002
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Iowa, 1993-1998
Instructor, Department of Political Science, University of Iowa, 1992-1993

Visiting Appointments

Fulbright Scholar, University of Copenhagen, Fall 2024
Visiting Scholar, Australian National University, Fall 2018
Visiting Professor, London School of Economics, Summer and Fall 2018
Visiting Scholar, the United States Studies Centre, University of Sydney, 2014-2015
Visiting Research Fellow, The Policy Institute, Trinity College (Dublin), Fall 2003
Research Fellow, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, 1996-1998

Teaching Honors and Awards

Excellence in Mentoring Award, APSA Public Policy Section, 2025
James Garand Outstanding Mentor Award, Southern Political Science Association (for excellence in mentoring undergraduates, graduate students, and/or colleagues), 2024
Distinguished Graduate Student Mentor Award, University of Michigan, 2021
Metrick Family Creativity & Collaboration in Curriculum Award (undergraduate teaching), 2021
Tronstein Prize (teaching), Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, 2008
Faculty Appreciation Honoree (teaching), University of Iowa Greek Community, 2006

Teaching Honors and Awards (continued)

Faculty Appreciation Honoree (teaching), University of Iowa Greek Community, 2004
Beta Chi Faculty Teaching Award, University of Iowa, 2000
Collegiate Teaching Award, University of Iowa, 1996
James N. Murray Faculty Award (given annually to one assistant professor at the university for excellence in teaching, research, and service), University of Iowa, 1995

Research Honors and Awards

Fulbright Scholar Award (University of Copenhagen), Fall 2024
Founders Award for Best Paper on the Presidency, 2020
Herbert Simon Award, for career contributions to the scientific study of bureaucracy), 2018
Research Fellowship, School of Social Sciences, Australian National University, Fall 2018
Deil S. Wright Award for Best Paper on Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations, 2017
Best Comparative Policy Paper Award, Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management (APPAM), 2013
Richard F. Fenno Prize for the Best Book in Legislative Studies, 2003
William H. Riker Award for the Best Book in Political Economy, 2003
Gregory Luebbert Prize for Best Book in Comparative Politics, 2003
Faculty Scholar Award, University of Iowa, 2001-2004
James N. Murray Faculty Award (given annually to one assistant professor at the university for excellence in teaching, research, and service), University of Iowa, 1994-1995
Best Dissertation Award (Mancur Olson Award), APSA Political Economy section, 1994

Grants and Fellowships

National Science Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Research: How Comparative Elections Stymie Policy Change. 2018-19. With Jesse Crosson.
Swiss National Science Foundation award, 2013-14. Measuring Policy Diffusion with Automated Content Analysis: The Case of Smoking Bans in Switzerland and the United States. Collaborative research with Fabrizio Gilardi (PI) and Bruno Wuest.
National Science Foundation award, March 2010 to February 2012. Collaborative Research (with Forrest Maltzman): Legislative Tactics and the Durability of Legislation (SES0962203)
Spring/Summer Research Grant, University of Michigan, Summer 2008
Visiting Research Fellowship, The Policy Institute, Trinity College (Dublin), Fall 2003
Social Science Funding Program grant, University of Iowa, 2002
National Science Foundation award, July 1999 to June 2001. Collaborative research (with John Huber): The instruments for political control of bureaucracy in parliamentary and separation of powers systems (SES9908946)
National Science Foundation award, January 1999 to December 1999. Political Regimes and Agency Policymaking: Measuring Political Influence on Bureaucracy (SES9819681)
Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy, University of Michigan, 1996-1998
CIFRE (Central Investment Fund for Research Enhancement) Grant, University of Iowa, 1996
Old Gold Fellowship, University of Iowa, 1995

Grants and Fellowships (continued)

Old Gold Fellowship, University of Iowa, 1993
Research Fellow, The Brookings Institution (Government Studies Program), 1991-1992
Markle Foundation Fellowship, 1990-1991
Graduate Fellowship, Stanford University, 1986-1990

Publications

Books and Monographs

Why Bad Policies Spread (and Good Ones Don't). 2021. New York: Cambridge University Press. Co-authored with Craig Volden.

The U.S. Congress: Representation and Governing in a Separated System, 2nd ed. 2021. New York: Norton. Co-authored with E. Scott Adler and Jeffery A. Jenkins. (First edition published 2019)

Independence and the Irish Environmental Protection Agency: A Comparative Assessment. 2006. Dublin: The Policy Institute.

Deliberate Discretion? The Institutional Foundations of Bureaucratic Autonomy. 2002. New York: Cambridge University Press. Co-authored with John D. Huber.

- Awarded the Gregory Luebbert Prize for the best book in comparative politics
- Awarded the Richard F. Fenno Prize for the best book in legislative studies
- Awarded the William H. Riker Award for the Best Book in Political Economy

Designing Judicial Review: Interest Groups, Congress, and Communications Policy. 1997. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press.

Articles

Oversight from Below and Above: Individual and Institutional Legislative Influence on Agencies. Forthcoming. Coauthored with Frederick J. Boehmke, Benjamin Goehring, and Tracee Saunders. *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*.

Measuring the Legislative Design of Judicial Review of Agency Actions. 2023. *Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization* 39 (1): 123-159. Coauthored with Pamela J. Clouser McCann and Yuhua Wang.

How Many Major Laws Delegate to Federal Agencies? (Almost) All of Them. 2022. *Political Science Research and Methods* 10 (2): 438-444. Coauthored with Pamela J. Clouser McCann.

Articles (continued)

Where is Presidential Power? Measuring Presidential Discretion Using Experts. 2022. *British Journal of Political Science* 52 (4): 1876-1890. Coauthored with Kenneth Lowande.

A Duration Estimator for a Continuous Time War of Attrition Game. 2021. *Political Science Research and Methods* 9 (4): 760-778. Coauthored with Frederick J. Boehmke and Douglas Dion.

Policy Diffusion: The Issue Definition Stage. 2021. *American Journal of Political Science* 65 (1): 21-35. Coauthored with Fabrizio Gilardi and Bruno Wüest.

Voter Uncertainty, Political Institutions, and Legislative Turnover. 2020. *Political Science Research and Methods* 8 (1): 14-29. Coauthored with Yanna Krupnikov.

The Power to Appoint: Presidential Nominations and Change on the Supreme Court. 2019. *Journal of Politics* 81 (3): 1057-1068. Coauthored with David Cottrell and Richard J. Anderson.

Agency Rulemaking in a Separation of Powers System. 2019. *Journal of Public Policy* 39 (1): 89-113. Coauthored with Rachel Augustine Potter.

The Filibuster as a War of Attrition. 2016. *Journal of Law and Economics* 59 (3): 569-595. Coauthored with Douglas Dion, Frederick J. Boehmke, and William MacMillan.

Strategic Behavior and Variation in the Supreme Court's Caseload over Time. 2016. *Justice System Journal* 37 (1): 20-38. Co-authored with Ken Moffett and Forrest Maltzman.

Top-Down Federalism: State Policy Responses to National Government Discussions. 2015. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 45 (4): 495-525. Coauthored with Pamela J. Clouser McCann and Craig Volden. Selected as the Best Comparative Public Policy Paper presented at the 2012 APPAM conference.

Oversight Capabilities in the States: Are Professionalized Legislatures Better at Getting What They Want? 2015. *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 15: 366-386. Co-authored with Frederick J. Boehmke.

When the Smoke Clears: Expertise, Learning, and Policy Diffusion. 2014. *Journal of Public Policy* 34 (3): 357-387. Coauthored with Craig Volden.

Stepping on Congress: Courts, Congress, and Inter-Institutional Politics. 2014. *Journal of Law and Courts* 2 (2): 219-240. Coauthored with Forrest Maltzman, Alyx Mark, and Michael Zilis.

Articles (continued)

The Communication of Ideas across Subfields in Political Science. 2014. *PS: Political Science and Politics* 47 (2): 468-476. Co-authored with Erin R. Graham and Craig Volden.

Choosing When to Choose: Explaining the Duration of Presidential Supreme Court Nomination Decisions. 2014. *Congress and the Presidency* 41 (1): 1-24. Co-authored with Brooke Thomas Allen and Andrew Bargen.

The Diffusion of Policy Diffusion Research. 2013. *British Journal of Political Science* 43 (3): 673-701. Coauthored with Erin Graham and Craig Volden.

Policy Diffusion: Seven Lessons for Scholars and Practitioners. 2012. *Public Administration Review* 72 (6): 788-796. Coauthored with Craig Volden.

Measuring Gubernatorial Budget Power: A New Approach. 2012. *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 12 (4): 438-455. Coauthored with Yanna Krupnikov.

The Mechanisms of Policy Diffusion. 2008. *American Journal of Political Science* 52 (4): 840-857. Coauthored with Craig Volden.

Change, Continuity, and the Evolution of the Law. 2008. *American Journal of Political Science* 52(2): 252-267. Co-authored with Forrest Maltzman.

Partisanship, Ideology, and Senate Voting on Supreme Court Nominees. 2008. *Journal of Empirical Legal Studies* 5 (1): 55-76.

Bottom-up Federalism: The Spread of Antismoking Laws from U.S. Cities to States. 2006. *American Journal of Political Science* 50 (October): 825-843. With Craig Volden.

Regulatory Regimes, Agency Actions, and the Conditional Nature of Political Influence. 2004. *American Political Science Review* 98 (August): 467-480.

A Social Choice Approach to Expert Consensus Panels. 2004. *Journal of Health Economics* 23: 543-564. Co-authored with Matthew J. Gabel.

Delaying Justice(s): A Duration Model of Supreme Court Confirmations. 2003. *American Journal of Political Science* 47 (4): 654-668. Co-authored with Megan Shannon.

Party Differentiation in Congress. 2002. *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 27 (1): 33-61. Coauthored with William R. Lowry.

Legislatures and Statutory Control of Bureaucracy. 2001. *American Journal of Political Science* 45 (2): 330-345. Co-authored with John D. Huber and Madelaine Pfahler.

Articles (continued)

Environmental Policy and Party Divergence in Congress. 2001. *Political Research Quarterly* 54 (2): 245-263. Co-authored with William R. Lowry.

The Legislative Design of Judicial Review: A Formal Analysis. 2000. *Journal of Theoretical Politics* 12 (3): 269-304.

Acclimation Effects Revisited. 2000. *Jurimetrics* 40 (winter): 243-256.

The Costs of Control: Legislators, Agencies, and Transaction Costs. 2000. *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 25 (1): 25-52. Co-authored with John D. Huber.

The Politics of Supreme Court Nominations: A Theory of Institutional Constraints and Choices. 1999. *American Journal of Political Science* 43 (4): 1069-1095. Co-authored with Bryon Moraski. Reprinted in *Courts and Judges*, ed. Lee Epstein. Hampshire, UK: Ashgate Publishing, 2006.

Interest Groups, Judicial Review, and the Origins of Broadcast Regulation. 1997. *Administrative Law Review* 49 (3): 549-584.

Looking for a Smoking Gun: Committee Jurisdictions and Congressional Voting Decisions. 1995. *Public Choice* 83: 65-79.

Senate Committees and Turf: Do Jurisdictions Matter? 1996. *Political Research Quarterly* 49: 177-189.

Is There an Americanist Bias in Organization Theory? 1995. *Governance* 8 (1): 125-134.

Individual Incentives and Institutional Imperatives: Committee Jurisdiction and Long-Term Health Care. 1992. *American Journal of Political Science* 36: 877-895.

Congressional Influence on Bureaucracy. 1990. *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization* 6: 1-21. Co-authored with John Ferejohn. Reprinted in *Economics of Administrative Law*, ed. Susan Rose-Ackerman. Cheltenham: Elgar Publishing, 2007; and in *Institutional Law and Economics*, ed. Pablo T. Spiller. Cheltenham: Elgar Publishing, 2007.

Book chapters

Congress and the Judiciary in a Partisan and Polarized Era. 2025. In *Congress Reconsidered*, 13th ed., C. Lawrence Evans, ed. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press. Co-authored with Michael A. Bailey and Forrest Maltzman.

Book chapters (continued)

Beyond Legislative Productivity: Enactment Conditions, Subsequent Conditions, and the Shape and Life of the Law. 2012. In *Living Legislation: Political Development and Contemporary American Politics*, ed. by Jeffrey A. Jenkins and Eric M. Patashnik. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. Co-authored with Forrest Maltzman.

The Amorphous Relationship Between Congress and the Courts. 2011. In *The Oxford Handbook of Congress*, eds. Frances Lee and Eric Schickler. Oxford University Press. Co-authored with Michael A. Bailey and Forrest Maltzman.

Comparative Judicial Politics. 2007. In *The Oxford Handbook of Comparative Politics*, eds. Carles Boix and Susan C. Stokes. Oxford University Press. Co-authored with John Ferejohn and Frances Rosenbluth.

Politics, Delegation, and Bureaucracy. 2006. In *The Oxford Handbook of Political Economy*, eds. Barry R. Weingast and Donald Wittman. Oxford University Press. Co-authored with John D. Huber. Reprinted in *The Oxford Handbook of Political Science*, ed. Robert E. Goodin. Oxford University Press, 2009.

Does Divided Government Increase the Size of the Legislative Agenda? 2006. In *The Macro-Politics of Congress*, eds. Scott Adler and John Lapinski.

Congress and the Bureaucracy. 2006. In *Institutions of Democracy: The Legislative Branch*, eds. Paul J. Quirk and Sarah A. Binder. New York: Oxford University Press.

Keeping Competitors Out: Broadcast Regulation from the Federal Radio Act of 1927 to the Telecommunications Act of 1996. 1998. In *A Communications Cornucopia: Markle Foundation Essays on Information Policy*, eds. Monroe Price and Roger Noll. Brookings Institution Press.

Congress and Telecommunications Policymaking. 1989. In *New Directions in Telecommunications Policy*, vol. 1, Paula R. Newberg, ed. Durham, Duke University Press. Co-authored with John Ferejohn.

Congressional Influence on Administrative Agencies: A Case Study of Telecommunications Policy. 1989. In *Congress Reconsidered*, 4th ed., Lawrence C. Dodd and Bruce I. Oppenheimer, eds. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press. Co-authored with John Ferejohn.

Published Reviews

“Models” entry in the *Encyclopedia of Social Science Research Methods*, eds. Michael Lewis-Beck, Alan Bryman, and Tim Futing Liao. Sage Publications, 2003.

Pivotal Politics, Keith Krehbiel. *Japanese Journal of Political Science* 2 (May 2001): 153-158.

Published Reviews

Bicameralism, by George Tsebelis and Jeannette Money. *Governance* 11 (July 1998): 390-392.

The Power of Separation, by Jessica Korn. *American Political Science Review* 91 (December 1997): 969-970.

A New Constitutionalism, eds. Stephen L. Elkin and Karol Edward Soltan. *Constitutional Commentary* 11 (Fall 1994): 449-454.

The Politics of Divided Government, eds. Gary Cox and Sam Kernell. *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 22 (Spring 1993): 399-401.

Work in Progress

Policy Need, Electoral Competition, and the Adoption of Controversial Policies. Coauthored with Amanda Mauri. *Revise and Resubmit from Legislative Studies Quarterly*.

Policy Diffusion in the Administrative State. Coauthored with Rachel A. Potter and Craig Volden. *Under review*.

The Diffusion of National Environmental Policy Amendments and Repeals. Coauthored with Michael Lerner. *Under review*.

The Spread of Harm Reduction Policy Regimes to Prevent Opioid Overdose Deaths, 2000 – 2020. Coauthored with Amanda Mauri.

Using Model Legislation to Estimate Ideology Scores for State Legislators. Coauthored with Alexander C. Furnas and Alton B. H. Worthington.

Cross-National and Sub-National Diffusion of Issue Definition: The Case of Smoking Bans in Switzerland. Coauthored with Fabrizio Gilardi, Bruno Wüest, and Lucien Baumgartner.

Finding Common Ground: Bipartisan Action in Congress. Coauthored with Christina Kinane.

Policy Commentary

“If the Supreme Court strikes down EPA authority on greenhouse gases, it could endanger most major federal laws.” Washington Post/The Monkey Cage, October 29, 2021. With Pamela J. Clouser McCann. Reposted on June 30, 2022.

Guest on *The Political Orphanage* podcast (“The Reproductive Life of Good and Bad Policies”). October 20, 2021.

Policy Commentary (continued)

“Coronavirus policies spread quickly across the U.S. Are cities and states learning — or just copying?” Washington Post/The Monkey Cage, April 16, 2020. With Craig Volden.

“If Obama appoints Scalia’s successor, the Supreme Court will really jump leftward.” Washington Post/The Monkey Cage, February 15, 2016. With David Cottrell.

“The Supreme Court is taking far fewer cases than usual. Here’s why.” Washington Post/The Monkey Cage, June 2, 2016. With Kenneth W. Moffett and Forrest Maltzman.

Invited Presentations (In Departments of Political Science unless otherwise noted)

2021-current: University of Copenhagen, New York University, University of South Carolina

2017-2020: Australian National University, Washington University in St. Louis, Yale University, University of Texas

2014-2016: University of Georgia, UCLA, Pitzer College, University of Sydney (US Studies Centre), Monash University (Melbourne), Australia and New Zealand School of Government (Melbourne), Griffith University (Brisbane), University of Tasmania, University of Sydney, University of Canberra, Australian National University (Canberra), Princeton University, University of California at Irvine

2011-2013: Washington University in St. Louis, Penn State, Emory University, Texas A&M, University of Zurich, University of South Carolina, University of Southern California (Price School)

2008-2010: University of Chicago (Harris School), University of Michigan (School of Medicine; School of Public Health), University of Virginia, Washington University, University of Pittsburgh, Ohio State University, Stanford University, University of Texas

2005-2007: Keio University (Tokyo), Japanese Political Science Association (Tokyo), University of Illinois, University of Arizona, Florida State University, University of Michigan (School of Public Health), Yale (Comparative Judicial Politics Seminar), University of Kentucky, Penn State University, New York University, Washington University, Yale University (School of Law), Indiana University

2002-2004: University of Michigan, University of Chicago (Harris School), Trinity College Dublin (Political Science), Trinity College Dublin (The Policy Institute), University of Michigan (School of Public Health), Texas A&M

Invited Presentations (In Departments of Political Science unless otherwise noted)

1999-2001: Harvard (Center for Basic Research in the Social Sciences), University of Washington, Michigan State University, University of Houston, Ohio State University, UCLA, Washington University in St. Louis, University of Iowa (Department of Community and Behavioral Health), University of Illinois

1996-1998: University of Kentucky (Political Science), University of Kentucky (Martin School), University of Colorado

Professional Activities

Member, Fulbright Denmark selection committee, 2026

Member, Excellence in Mentoring selection committee, APSA Public Policy section, 2026

External review committee, Texas A&M Department of Political Science, April 2024

Member, Kenneth J. Meier Award Committee, 2023 (for best conference paper on bureaucracy)

Book workshop, University of North Carolina, 2023

Mentor, APSA Mentoring Program, 2022

Chair, Herbert Simon Award Committee (for contributions to the study of bureaucracy), 2020

External Review Committee, Australian National University, June 2020 (postponed)

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 2019-current

Chair, Malcom Jewell Award Committee (best book on state politics from more than ten years ago), 2019-2020

Member, Rosenthal Award Committee (best legislative studies book by a junior scholar), 2019

Chair, External Review Committee, Washington University Department of Political Science, April 2018

Member, Riker Award Committee (best book in political economy), 2015-2016

Commentator on American Politics for Australian Television and Radio, 2014-2015

Chair, Best Poster Committee, State Politics and Policy Conference, May 2013

Member, Committee to choose the editor of *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, Winter 2013

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Public Policy*, 2012-current

Pullman Scholar Selection Committee, 2012-current

Mentor, APSA Mentoring Program, 2012-2014

Chair, Nominations Committee, Legislative Studies Section, APSA, 2011-2012

President, Midwest Caucus for Public Administration, April 2011-April 2012

Chair, Committee to choose the editor of *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, Fall 2011

Panel Organizer, Public Policy Section, European Political Science Association, June 2011

Chair, Riker Award Committee (for the best book in political economy), 2010-2011

Woodrow Wilson Foundation Book Award Committee, 2009-2010

Member, Committee to choose editor of *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 2009

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Politics*, 2008-2015

Member, Nomination Committee, State Politics and Policy Section Executive Committee, 2008

Member, Selection Committee, Herbert A. Simon Award, MPSA, 2007-2008

Executive Committee, Legislative Studies Section, APSA, 2007-2009

Chair, Best Paper Committee, State Politics and Policy Section, 2006-2007

Professional Activities (continued)

Chair, Best Graduate Student Paper Committee, State Politics and Policy Section, 2006-2007
Member, Committee to choose editor of *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 2006
Chair, Nominating Committee, Midwest Political Science Association, 2006
NSF Dissertation Panel, April 2006 and April 2007
Member, Editorial Board, *American Journal of Political Science*, 2006-2009
Council Member, State Politics Section, 2006-2008
Member, Editorial Board, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 2005-current
Member, Funding Committee, APSA Section on Political Economy, 2005-2006
Chair, Nominating Committee, President of the Midwest Public Administration Caucus, 2006
Member, Editorial Board, *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 2003-2012
Member of the Fenno Prize Committee, APSA Section on Legislative Politics, 2003-2004
Chair, APSA Section on Political Economy, 2002-2004
Treasurer, APSA Section on Political Economy, 2000-2002
Member of the Best Book Award Committee, APSA Section on Political Economy, 1998-1999

Reviewing Activities

Manuscripts:

American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; American Politics Review; British Journal of Political Science; Comparative Political Studies; Economics and Politics; European Union Politics; European Journal of Political Research; European Political Science Review; Governance; Health Policy Open; International Journal of Drug Policy; Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis; Journal of European Public Policy; Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law; Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization; Journal of Legislative Studies; Journal of Policy Analysis and Management; Journal of Politics; Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory; Journal of Public Finance and Public Choice; Journal of Public Policy; Journal of Theoretical Politics; Justice Systems Journal; Law and Social Inquiry; Law and Society Review; Legislative Studies Quarterly; Party Politics; Perspectives on Politics; Policy Studies Journal; Political Behavior; Political Research Quarterly; Politics and Policy; Politics and the Life Sciences; Polity; Presidential Studies Quarterly; Public Administration; Public Administration Review; Public Policy and Administration; Quarterly Journal of Economics; Quarterly Journal of Political Science; Rationality and Society; Research in Law and Economics; Regulation and Governance; Review of Policy Research; Social Science and Medicine; Social Science Journal; Social Science Quarterly; Social Science History; Stanford Law Review; State and Local Government Review; State Politics and Policy Quarterly; West European Politics; World Politics

Books:

Brown and Benchmark, Cambridge University Press, CQ Press, Houghton Mifflin, McGraw-Hill, Norton, Oxford University Press, Palgrave MacMillan, Pearson Longman, Routledge, University of Michigan Press, University of Virginia Press, West Publishing

Departmental and University Service: University of Michigan

Subfield Coordinator, 2025-2026
Chair, Tenure Review Committee, 2025
American Politics Field Exam Committee, 2025
Graduate Admissions Committee, 2024-2025
Department Third-year Review Committee, 2024
Rackham Graduate School Executive Board, 2022-current
Participate in Recruiting Students for Michigan's Debate Team, 2011-current
Search Committee, School of Public Health, Fall 2023
Panelist, LSA Teaching Academy, Fall 2023
American politics search committee, Ford School, 2022-23
Department Third-year Review Committee, 2023
Rackham RMF Connection 2021, Faculty Roundtable
Department Diversity Ally, 2020-21
Department Third-year Review Committee, 2021
Launch Committee, 2020-21
Emerging Scholars Committee, Department of Political Science, 2020
Department Climate Liaison, 2019-2021
Dow Doctoral Fellows Selection Committee, Fall 2019
Michigan Road Scholars (Outreach Program), May 2019
Selection Committee, Rackham Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Awards, 2018-21
Faculty Advisory Board, Center for Research on Learning and Teaching, 2017-19
Chair, American Political Institutions Search Committee, 2017-18
Convener, Launch Committee (for mentoring new professors), 2017-18
Associate Professor Review Committee, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, 2016-17
Search Committee, Ford School, 2016-17
Emerging Scholars Committee, Department of Political Science, 2016-17
Facilitator, LSA Teaching Academy, August 2016
Coordinator, Rubin Speaker Series on the Politics of Inequality, 2015-16
Chair, Department of Political Science, 2008-2014
Member, University Administrative Service Transformation Advisory Committee, 2013-2014
Member, Budget Advisory Committee, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, 2012-2014
Mentor, RWJ Health and Society Scholars Program, 2010-2012, 2013-14
Departmental Promotion Committees, Fall 2007 and Fall 2008
Core Faculty, Robert Wood Johnson Scholars Program, School of Public Health, 2007-2010
Affiliated Faculty, Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Program, 2006-2007
Search Committee, American Politics and Political Methodology, 2006-2007
Departmental Tenure Committee, Fall 2006

Departmental and University Service: University of Iowa

Member, Ida Beam Award Selection Committee, University of Iowa, Spring 2005
Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, 2004-2005

Departmental and University Service: University of Iowa (continued)

Departmental Executive Committee, 2004-2005
Internal Reviewer for Department of History, University of Iowa, Fall 2004
Member, D.C. Spriestersbach Dissertation Prize Committee, 2004
Invited Speaker, University of Iowa New Faculty Orientation, August 2002
Invited Speaker, University of Iowa Commencement, December 2001
Invited Speaker, University of Iowa New Faculty Orientation, August 2001
Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, 2000-2001
Departmental Executive Committee, 2000-2001
Departmental Representative to APSA's Minority Identification Project, 2000-2001
Collegiate Teaching Award Committee, 2000-2002 (Chair, 2001-2002)
Steering Committee, Center for Teaching's Seminar on Faculty Teaching, 2000-2001
Departmental Speakers Committee, 2000-2003
American Politics Search Committee (chair), Fall 1999
Department Ombudsman, Fall 1999
Director of Undergraduate Studies, 1998-1999
Director of Internships, 1998-1999
Departmental Outreach Committee, 1998-1999
Invited Speaker, University Incoming Students Orientation, May 1996
American Politics Search Committee, 1995-1996
Faculty Participant in the Philip G. Hubbard Intentional Mentoring Program, 1994-1995
Departmental Advisory Committee, 1994-1995
Department Strategic Planning Committee, Spring 1994

Supervision of Students, University of Michigan

Dissertation Committees (and initial/current placement):

Brooke Thomas Allen, 2013, co-chair (Macomb Community College)
Richard Anderson, 2015 (Los Angeles Angels, Analytics Department/LA Dodgers)
Alison-Leigh Beatty, 2020 (National Security Innovation Network)
Chalem Bolton, 2025 (Sociology) (Florida State post-doc)
Mitchell Bosley, 2024 (University of Toronto post-doc/CENIA post-doc)
Katharine Bradley, 2014, co-chair (Mathematica Policy Research)
 ○ *Leonard D. White Award for best dissertation in public administration*
Pamela Clouser McCann, 2011, co-chair (University of Washington/USC)
David Cottrell, 2015 (Dartmouth post-doc/University of Georgia)
Jared Cory, 2025, chair (Western Texas College)
Jesse Crosson, 2019, chair (Princeton post-doc/Purdue University)
Katherine Drake, 2009 (private research firm)
Andrew Feher, 2015 (Covered California, Research Analyst)
Nicolas Florez Hernandez, in progress, co-chair

Supervision of Students, University of Michigan (continued)

Jonathan Fuentes, 2017, co-chair (Academic administration)
Alexander Furnas, 2020 (Northwestern University post-doc/Northwestern University)
Vincent Fusaro, 2017 (Boston College School of Public Health)
○ *Society for Social Work and Research Outstanding Dissertation Award*
Carlos Galina, in progress, chair
Jeremy Gelman, 2016 (Congressional Fellowship/University of Nevada)
Benjamin Goehring, 2025, chair (University of Virginia)
Karalyn Kiessling, 2023 (Public Health) (Arbor Research Collaborative for Health)
Christina Kinane, 2019, chair (Yale)
○ *E. E. Schattschneider Award for best dissertation in American politics*
○ *George C. Edwards III Award for best dissertation in presidency research*
Rachel Kulikoff, in progress, co-chair
Michael Lerner, 2021, chair (London School of Economics)
○ *Virginia Walsh Award for best dissertation in science, technology, and environmental policy*
○ *Harold D. Lasswell Award for best dissertation in public policy*
Shekinah Lightner, in progress, chair
Denise Lillvis, 2017, co-chair (University at Buffalo, SUNY)
Guoer Liu, 2024, co-chair (University of California, San Diego)
○ *Virginia Walsh Award for best dissertation in science, technology, and environmental policy*
Geoff Lorenz, 2017 (Virginia, post-doc/Nebraska)
Francy Luna Diaz, in progress
William MacMillan, 2012 (Washington University post-doc/Statistical consulting)
Karla Magaña, in progress, co-chair
Elizabeth Mann, 2016, chair (Brookings Institution/University of Michigan Center for Research, Learning, and Teaching)
○ *George C. Edwards III Award for best dissertation in presidency research*
○ *ProQuest Distinguished Dissertation Award*
Amanda Mauri, 2023, co-chair (Postdoc, NYU)
Leslee McKnight, 2016 (Research consultant, CEB Information Technology)
N'dea Moore-Petinak, 2022 (Research analyst, Government Accountability Office)
Srinivas Parinandi, 2016, co-chair (University of Colorado)
○ *Christopher Mooney Award for best dissertation on state politics and policy*
Jessuina Perez-Teran, 2016, co-chair
Robin Phinney, 2010 (University of Minnesota post-doc/Private consulting)
Rachel Potter, 2014, chair (University of Virginia)
○ *E. E. Schattschneider Award for best dissertation in American politics*
○ *Mancur Olson Prize for best dissertation in political economy*
○ *George C. Edwards III Award for best dissertation in presidency research*
Sinéad Redmond, 2023, chair (Bodman PLC, Associate Attorney)
Molly Reynolds, 2015, co-chair (Brookings Institution)
○ *Carl Albert Award for best dissertation in legislative studies*

Supervision of Students, University of Michigan (continued)

Brandon Romero, in progress, co-chair
Sarah Rozenblum, 2023, co-chair (Postdoc, Cornell/Marquette University)
 ○ *John McCain Award for best dissertation on transatlantic policy*
 ○ *Leonard D. White Award for best dissertation in public administration*
Ignangeli Salinas-Muñiz, in progress, co-chair
Huong Trieu, 2012 (Senior Researcher, Massachusetts Health Policy Commission)
Charley Willison, 2019 (Harvard Medical School/Cornell)
Michael Zilis, 2013 (University of Kentucky)

Undergraduate Honors Theses:

Madelyn Yake, 2023-24
McKeathan Robertson, 2022-23
Maya Chamra, 2020-21
Sabrina Inoue, 2018-19
Andrew Baker, 2012-13
Jake Gatof, 2011-12
Kyle Morrison, 2009-10
Matthew Carr, 2007-08

Supervision of Students, University of Iowa

Dissertation Committees (and initial placement):

Greg Adams, 1996 (Carnegie Mellon)
Kris Beck, 2002 (Gordon College)
Joan Blauwkamp, 1997 (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
Michelle Brophy-Baermann, 1995 (University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point)
Scott Cody, 2006 (chair) (St. Louis Community College)
Christina Fastnow, 1996 (Wellesley)
Alice Gilchrist, 2005 (private firm)
John Jones, 2003 (Xavier University)
Kristin Kanthak, 2000 (co-chair) (University of Arizona)
Dena Levy, 1996 (SUNY-Brockport)
Robert McGrath, 2011 (George Mason)
Ken Moffett, 2006 (co-chair) (Southern Illinois-Edwardsville)
Bryon Moraski, 2000 (University of Florida)
Helena Rodrigues, 2005 (University of Florida)
Tracy Slagter, 2006 (co-chair) (University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh)
Matthew Whittaker, 2006 (co-chair) (private firm)

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committees

History: Spring 1999, Spring 1996

Political Science: 2004, 2003 (chair), 2002 (chair), 2001 (chair), 1999

Doctoral Exam Committee, School of Music (2003)

Master's Degree Exam Committees, School of Education (2000, 1996)

Supervisor, Undergraduate Honors Research and Undergraduate Research Tutorial (2005, 2004, 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1994)

Supervisor, undergraduate students in USA program (2004, 2003, 2002, 2001, 2000)

Ph.D. Committees at Other Institutions (and initial/current placement)

Dan Epstein, George Washington University, 2022 (University of Miami School of Law)

Marty Jordan, Michigan State University, 2019 (Michigan State)

Abigail (Rury) Matthews, University of Iowa, June 2017 (Miami University/Buffalo University)

○ *Edwin S. Corwin Award for best thesis in Public Law*

Katharina Füglister, University of Zurich, September 2011 (Swiss Health Ministry)

LJ Zigerell, University of Pittsburgh, April 2010 (Illinois State)

Courses Taught

Graduate:

American Politics

Empirical Applications of Formal Models

American Political Institutions

Undergraduate:

Introduction to American Politics

First-year Seminar: Conflict in American Politics

First-year Seminar: The Politics of Public Health

Politics, Political Institutions, and Public Policy

Government Regulation of Business

The Politics of Public Policy

Problems in American Politics

Upper-level Seminar on American Political Institutions

Upper-level Seminar on The Politics of Public Health