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***PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:***

University of Michigan

Donald R. Kinder Collegiate Professor of Political Science (2024-).  
Professor of Political Science (2011-),  
Graduate Placement Director, Political Science, (2020-2024).  
Director of Graduate Studies, Political Science (2013-2015).  
Research Professor, Center for Political Studies (2011-).  
Associate Professor of Communication Studies and Political Science (2003-7, 2009-11).  
Research Associate Professor, Center for Political Studies (2003-2011).  
Adjunct Assistant Professor of Political Science (1999-2003).  
Faculty Associate, Center for Political Studies (1997-2003).  
Assistant Professor of Communication Studies (1997-2003).

University of Texas at Austin

Mike Hogg Professor of Community Affairs, Department of Government (2007-2009).  
Adjunct Professor of Communication Studies (2007-2009).  
Faculty Associate, Annette Strauss Institute for Civic Participation (2007-2009).

***EDUCATION:***

**University of California-Los Angeles**, Ph.D. in political science, 1998. Dissertation: "Who Are We on Election Day? Mass Media and the Salience of Group Identities During Political Campaigns."

Expertise: Political communication, electoral behavior, media effects, public opinion, methods.

**Brown University**, A.B. 1990. Concentration: Political Science.

***SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS***

**Books**

• Mintz, Alex, Nicholas A. Valentino and Carly Wayne. 2021. *Behavioral Political Science*. New York: Cambridge University Press.

• Sirin, Cigdem V., Nicholas A. Valentino, Jose D. Villalobos. 2021. *Seeing Us in Them: Social Divisions and the Politics of Group Empathy*. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Awards:        *APSA Best Book* (formerly the Woodrow Wilson Foundation Award) 2022  
                  *David Sears Best Book in Political Psychology*, ISPP, 2022  
                  *Robert Lane Award*, Political Psychology Section, APSA, 2022  
                  *Best Book in Experimental Political Science*, APSA, 2022

- Nicholas A. Valentino and Marzia Oceno. 2024. Affective Group Agency: How Emotions Mobilized Voters Before and After Dobbs. Manuscript in progress.

## Peer Reviewed Articles

- Matthew Tyler, D. Sunshine Hillygus, Matthew DeBell, Ted Brader, Shanto Iyengar, Daron Shaw, and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2024. Why Are Surveys Struggling to Estimate Vote Shares? Forthcoming at *American Journal of Political Science*.
- DeBell, Matthew, D. Sunshine Hillygus, Daron R. Shaw, and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2024. Validating the “Genuine Pipeline” to Limit Social Desirability in Survey Estimates of Voter Turnout. *Public Opinion Quarterly*. Volume 88, Issue 2, Pages 268–290
- Oceno, M., Valentino, N.A. & Wayne, C. 2023. The Electoral Costs and Benefits of Feminism in Contemporary American Politics. *Polit Behav* 45, 153–173.
- Zhirkov, Kirill, and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2022. The Origins and Consequences of Racialized Schemas about U.S. Parties. *Journal of Race and Ethnic Politics*, 7, 484-504.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Fabian G. Neuner, Julia Kamin, and Michael Bailey. 2021. “Testing Snowden’s Hypothesis: Does Mere Awareness Drive Opposition to Government Surveillance?” *Public Opinion Quarterly* 84(4), 958-985.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Kirill Zhirkov, Sunshine Hillygus and Brian Guay. 2020. “The Consequences of Personality Biases in Online Panels for Measuring Public Opinion.” *Public Opinion Quarterly* 84(2), 446-468.
- Vasilopoulos, P., Marcus, G.E., N. Valentino, and M. Foucault. 2019. "Anger and Authoritarianism Mediate the Effects of Fear on Support for the Far Right- A Rejoinder." *Political Psychology* 40, 713-717
- Vasilopoulos, Pavlos, George E. Marcus, Nicholas A. Valentino and Martial Foucault. 2019. "Fear, Anger and Voting for the Far right: Evidence from the November 13, 2015 Paris Terror Attacks." *Political Psychology* 40, 679-704.
- Marcus, George, Nicholas A. Valentino, Pavlos Vasilopoulos and Martial Foucault. 2019. Applying the Theory of Affective Intelligence to Support for Authoritarian Policies and Parties. *Advances in Political Psychology* 40, 109-139.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Stuart Soroka, Shanto Iyengar, Toril Aalberg, Ray Duch, Marta Fraile, Kyu Hahn, Kasper M. Hansen, Allison Harell, Marc Helbling, Simon Jackman and Tetsuro Kobayashi. 2019. Economic and Cultural Drivers of Immigrant Support Worldwide. *British Journal of Political Science* 49, 1201-1226.
- Konitzer, Tobias B., Iyengar, Shanto, Nicholas A. Valentino, Stuart Soroka and Ray Duch. 2019. Ethnocentrism versus Group Specific Stereotyping in Immigration Opinion: Cross-National Evidence on the Distinctiveness of Muslim Immigrants. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 45, 1051-1074.

- Valentino, Nicholas A., Carly Wayne and Marzia Ocen. 2018. Mobilizing Sexism: The Interaction of Emotion and Gender Attitudes in the 2016 U.S. Presidential Election. *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 82, 213-235.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Fabian Neuner and L. Matthew Vandenbroek. 2018. The Changing Norms of Racial Political Rhetoric and the End of Racial Priming. *Journal of Politics* 80, 757-771.
- Sirin, Cigdem V., Nicholas A. Valentino and Jose D. Villalobos. 2017. The Social Causes and Political Consequences of Group Empathy. *Political Psychology* 38, 427-448.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. and Fabian G. Neuner. 2017. Why the Sky Didn't Fall: Mobilizing Anger in Reaction to Voter ID Laws. *Political Psychology* 38, 331–350.
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- Valentino, Nicholas A., Ted Brader and Ashley E. Jardina. 2013. Immigration Opposition Among U.S. Whites: General Ethnocentrism or Media Priming of Attitudes About Latinos? *Political Psychology* 34(2): 149-166.
- Harrell, Allison, Stuart Soroka, Shanto Iyengar and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2012. “The Impact of Economic and Cultural Cues on Support for Immigration in Canada and the US.” *Canadian Journal of Political Science* 45(3): 499-530.
- Banks, Antoine J. and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2012. “Emotional Substrates of Racial Attitudes.” *American Journal of Political Science* 56(2): 286-297.
- Osborne, Danny, David O. Sears and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2011. “The End of the Solidly Democratic South: The Impressionable Years Hypothesis.” *Political Psychology* 31(1): 81-108.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. and Ted Brader. 2011. “The Sword’s Other Edge: Perceptions of Discrimination and Racial Policy Opinion after Obama.” *Public Opinion Quarterly* 75(2): 201-226.
- Berinsky, Adam, Tali Mendelberg, Vincent Hutchings, Lee Shaker and Nicholas Valentino. 2011. “Sex and Race: Are Black Candidates More Likely to Be Disadvantaged by Sex Scandals?” *Political Behavior* 33(2): 179-202.

- Valentino, Nicholas A., Ted Brader, Eric Groenendyk, Krysha Gregorowicz, and Vincent L. Hutchings. 2011. "Election Night's Alright for Fighting: The Role of Emotions in Political Participation." *The Journal of Politics*, 73(1): 156-170.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Antoine J. Banks, Vincent L. Hutchings, and Anne K. Davis. 2009. "Selective Exposure in the Internet Age: The Interaction between Anxiety and Information Utility." *Political Psychology*, 30(4): 591-613.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Krysha Gregorowicz and Eric Groenendyk. 2009. "Efficacy, Emotions, and the Habit of Participation." *Political Behavior*, 31(3): 307-330.
- Brader, Ted, Nicholas A. Valentino, and Elizabeth Suhay. 2008. "What Triggers Public Opposition to Immigration? Anxiety, Group Cues, and Immigration Threat." *American Journal of Political Science*, 52(4): 959-978.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Vincent L. Hutchings, Antoine J. Banks, and Anne K. Davis. 2008. "Is a Worried Citizen a Good Citizen? Emotions, Political Information Seeking, and Learning via the Internet." *Political Psychology* 29(2): 247-273.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. and David O. Sears. 2005. "Old Times There Are Not Forgotten: Race and Partisan Realignment in the Contemporary South." *American Journal of Political Science*, 49(3): 672-688.
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- Groenendyk, Eric and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2002. "Of Dark Clouds and Silver Linings: Effects of Exposure to Issue vs. Candidate Advertising on Persuasion, Information Retention, and Issue Salience." *Communication Research*, 29(3): 295-319.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Vincent L. Hutchings and Ismail K. White. 2002. "Cues That Matter: How Political Ads Prime Racial Attitudes During Campaigns." *American Political Science Review*, 96(1): 75-90.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Michael Traugott and Vincent L. Hutchings. 2002. "Group Cues and Ideological Constraint: A Replication of Political Advertising Effects Studies in the Lab and in the Field." *Political Communication*, 19(1): 29-48.
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- Valentino, Nicholas A., Matthew Beckmann and Thomas Buhr. 2001. "A Spiral of Cynicism for Some: The Contingent Effects of Campaign News Frames on Participation and Confidence in Government." *Political Communication*, 18(4): 347-368.
- Valentino, Nicholas A., Thomas Buhr and Mathew Beckmann. 2001. "When the Frame is the Game: Revisiting the Impact of "Strategic" Campaign Coverage on Citizens' Information Retention." *Journalism and Mass Communication Quarterly*, 78(1): 93-112.
- Sonenshein, Raphael and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2000. "The Distinctiveness of Jewish Voting: A Thing of the Past?" *Urban Affairs Review*, 35(3): 358-389.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. 1999 "Crime News and the Priming of Racial Attitudes during Evaluations of the President." *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 63(3):293-320.
- Sears, David O. and Nicholas A. Valentino. 1998. "Long-Term Effects of Early Political Socialization." Spring/Summer issue of *The Political Psychologist*.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. and David O. Sears. 1998. "Event-Driven Political Communication and the Preadult Socialization of Partisanship." *Political Behavior*, 20(2): 129-154.
- Sears, David O. and Nicholas A. Valentino. 1997. "Politics Matters: Political Events as Catalysts for Preadult Socialization." *American Political Science Review*, 91(1):45-65.
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- Zuckerman, Alan, Nicholas A. Valentino, and Ezra Zuckerman. 1994. "A Structural Theory of Vote Choice: Social and Political Networks and Electoral Flows in Britain and the United States." *Journal of Politics*, 56(4): 1034-152.

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- Valentino, Nicholas A. 2022. "Cultivating Empathy for Outgroups." In Rod Hart (Ed) *Fixing American Politics: Civic Priorities for the Media Age*. New York: Routledge.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. and Yunsie Kim. 2021. The Political Dynamics of Immigration Opinion Worldwide. In Osborne, Danny & Chris G. Sibley (eds.), *Cambridge Handbook of Political Psychology*.
- Valentino, Nicholas A. and L. Matthew Vandenbroek. 2017. Political Communication, Information Processing and Social Groups *Oxford Handbook of Political Communication*. Online (September

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- Valentino, Nicholas A. and Yioros Nardis. 2013. Political Communication: Form and Consequence of the Information Environment. *Oxford Handbook of Political Psychology*. Oxford University Press, Editors: Leonie Huddy, David O. Sears, and Jack S. Levy, pp. 559-590
- Hutchings, Vincent L. and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2010. "Divide and Conquer: How Partisan Race Cues Polarize the Electorate." In *Explorations in Black Political Psychology*. Eds. Tasha Philpot and Ismail White, 157-170. Palgrave Macmillan.
- Brader, Ted and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2006 "Identities, Interests, and Emotions: Symbolic vs. Material Wellsprings of Fear, Anger, and Enthusiasm." In *The Affect Effect: Dynamics of Emotion in Political Thinking and Behavior*, ed. W. Russell Neuman, George E. Marcus, Ann N. Crigler, and Michael MacKuen, 180-201. Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press.
- Hutchings, Vincent L., Nicholas A. Valentino, Tasha Philpot and Ismail White. 2006. "Racial Cues in Campaign News: The Effects of Candidate Issue Distance on Emotional Responses, Political Attentiveness." In *Feeling Politics*, ed. David Redlawsk, 165-186. New York, NY: Palgrave Macmillan.
- Hutchings, Vincent L., and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2004. "The Centrality of Race in American Politics." *Annual Review of Political Science* 7:383-408.
- Hutchings, Vincent L., with Nicholas A. Valentino. 2003. Chapter 6 of *Public Opinion and Democratic Accountability*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.
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- Hutchings, Vincent L., and Nicholas A. Valentino. 2000. "The Impact of Group Attitudes on Vote Choice in Gubernatorial Contests." A Pilot Study Report to the 1998 NES Pilot Study Committee and the American National Election Study Board of Overseers, <http://www.umich.edu/~nes/resources/psreport/abs/98e.htm>.
- Iyengar, Shanto and Nicholas A. Valentino. "Who Says What? Source Credibility as a Mediator of Campaign Advertising." 2000. In *Elements of Reason*, ed. Arthur Lupia, Matthew D. McCubbins, and Samuel L. Popkin, 108-129. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Iyengar, Shanto, Nicholas A. Valentino, Stephen Ansolabehere and Adam F. Simon. 1997. "Running as a Woman: Gender Stereotyping in Women's Campaigns." In *Women, Media and Politics*, ed. Pippa Norris, 77-98. London: Oxford.

## Book Reviews

- Valentino, Nicholas A. 2007. Review of "In Defense of Negativity." By John Geer. Chicago: Chicago University Press. *Public Opinion Quarterly* 70(4): 628-631.

- Valentino, Nicholas A. 2001. Review of “The Race Card: Campaign Strategy, Implicit Messages, and the Norm of Equality.” By Tali Mendelberg. Princeton: Princeton University Press. *Public Opinion Quarterly*. Vol. 65, 4: 607-610.

## **Invited Articles**

- Valentino, Nicholas A., John L. King and Walter Hill. Polling and Prediction in the 2016 Election. Forthcoming at *IEEE Computer*.
- Wayne, Carly, Nicholas A. Valentino and Marzia Oceno. October, 2016. How Sexism Drives Support for Trump. Monkey Cage. Washington Post.  
<https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2016/10/23/how-sexism-drives-support-for-donald-trump/>
- Nicholas A. Valentino, Carly Wayne and Marzia Oceno. May, 2016. The Unique, and Uniquely Powerful, Effect of Gender Attitudes in the 2016 U.S. Presidential Election.
- The Emotional Voter. Martial Foucault, George Marcus, Nicholas Valentino, and Pavlos Vasilopoulos. May 6, 2017. Op Ed in Le Monde in advance of the May 7th Runoff in the Presidential Election.

## **INVITED LECTURES (RECENT)**

- 2024  
University of Virginia  
University of California, Berkely  
Sookmyung Women’s University, Seoul, South Korea  
Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea  
Kyung Hee University, Seoul, South Korea
- 2023  
Amsterdam University, School of Communication Research (online)  
APSA Preconference Keynote, Los Angeles  
NSF Presentation on ANES
- 2022  
Covid-19. Several online talks.  
Harvard Kennedy School, Oct. 17, 2022  
Harvard Government, Dec. 2022
- 2021  
Covid-19. Several online talks.
- 2020  
Covid-19. Several online talks.
- 2019:

Georgetown University (February, 2019)  
Rice University (February, 2019)  
Vanderbilt University (January, 2019)  
Nuffield College (February 15-16, 2019) (could not attend).  
Arizona State University Conference on Immigration (October, 2019)  
Koc University, Turkey. (could not attend)  
University of California, Merced. November, 2019.

•2018:

MIT, February  
Princeton (2), May, February  
Columbia, February  
Stanford GSB, April  
Texas A&M & IPSOS, Feb. 12, 2018 could not attend  
Cornell, September

•2017:

UC Riverside. January.  
University of Arizona. March.  
Invited lecture at Canadian Political Science Association, May.  
Oakland University, Latino Studies and Political Science, September 15.  
Cornell University, October.

•2016:

Amsterdam University, School of Communication Research, Sexism and Voting for Trump (Oct. 7).  
Princeton CSPD Mini conference on experimental political science with Vin Arceneaux (May 6).  
Texas A&M, talks in Political Science and Communication (April-19-24)  
Keynote Address at Israeli Political Science Association Meeting (May 26)  
Harvard Book Conference for Ryan Enos (June 16).  
Invited lecture at Biopolitics conference organized by Hibbing and Perez. UC Merced (June 9-10).

•2015:

Harvard University  
Rutgers University  
Sokmyung Women's University, Seoul, South Korea  
Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea  
Kyung Hee University, Seoul, South Korea  
University of Pennsylvania

Recent Professional Conferences (Presenting)

2024: ISPP, MPSA, APSA  
2023: ISPP, MPSA, APSA  
2022: ISPP, MPSA, APSA  
2021: ISPP, MPSA, APSA  
2020: ISPP, MPSA (cancelled)  
2019: MPSA, ISPP, APSA  
2018: MPSA, ISPP, APSA  
2017: MPSA, ISPP, APSA, CPSA  
2016: MPSA, ISPP, APSA

2015: MPSA, ISPP, APSA  
2014: MPSA, ISPP, APSA  
2013: MPSA, APSA  
2012: MPSA, ISPP, APSA  
2011: MPSA, ISPP, APSA  
2010: MPSA, ISPP, APSA

## **GRANTS**

•Principal Investigator. The 2024 American National Election Studies (ANES). NSF Grant #2209438. \$13,999,656 covering the years 2022-2026. Project lead team includes PI Shanto Iyengar (Stanford), Co-PI Sunshine Hillygus (Duke), Co-PI Daron Shaw (Texas).

•Principal Investigator. 2018-2021. How Demographic Changes, Electoral Politics and Immigration Policies Affect Immigrants and the Native Born. PI's are Valentino, Ali Valenzuela (Princeton) Omar Wasow (Princeton). Source of funds: Princeton University Center for Human Values faculty collaborative grant competition. Total Funding and Funding Period: \$150,000 over 3 years

•Principal Investigator. 2017-2018. National Baseline Survey for the Measurement of Knowledge, Concern, and Policy Opinions in the Beyond Carbon Neutral Domain. University of Michigan, Beyond Carbon Neutral Project, Energy Institute. \$30,000. This is a follow up on our successful pilot study, funded in the previous year.

•Principal Investigator. 2016-2017. Measurement Validation for Knowledge, Beliefs, and Opinions about Carbon Dioxide Removal Technologies. University of Michigan, Beyond Carbon Neutral Project, Energy Institute. \$10,000 seed grant.

•Proposal Award. Time Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS). 2016. The Emotional Substrates of Support for Authoritarian Populists. Monetary equivalent= \$25,000. With Carly Wayne and Marzia Ocen.

•Proposal Award. Time Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS). 2015. Group Empathy. With Cigdem Sirin and Jose Villalobos. Monetary equivalent=25,000.

•Principal Investigator. National Science Foundation grant (#0849858) for \$307,474 for two-year project 2009-2011 entitled: "Collaborative Research: The Measurement and Identification of Media Priming Effects in Political Science." Collaborative grant with Kosuke Imai (Princeton University).

•Principal Investigator with Benjamin Valentino. Rockefeller Center, Dartmouth College. 2008. "Fighting, Dying and Helping: The Impact of Racial Group Cues on Foreign Policy Opinion." \$10,000 for pilot study experiments.

•Principal Investigator. National Institutes of Health Grant for \$535,291 for a two-year project entitled "Genetics and Stigma: The Role of the Mass Media." Co-PI: Jo Phelan, Columbia University. August 1, 2006.

•Principal Investigator. National Science Foundation Grant for \$365,907 over three years for project entitled "Mass Media, Emotions, and Responses to Globalization." Co-PI: Ted Brader. July 1, 2005.

- Principal Investigator. National Science Foundation Grant for \$299,965 over three years for project entitled “Political Cues and Internet Use: Elite Communication Strategies and the Use of the Internet for Information Seeking and Political Participation.” Co-PI: Vincent Hutchings. May 1, 2002.
- Principal Investigator, National Science Foundation Dissertation Grant (on behalf of graduate student Christine Brittle in Communication Studies) to support thesis research.
- Principal Investigator, National Science Foundation Dissertation Grant (on behalf of graduate students Ismail White in Political Science) to support thesis research.
- Principal Investigator. Detroit Area Study, 2000, to study the impact of group cues in political advertisements. Monetary value of the project: ~\$200,000. With Vincent Hutchings and Michael Traugott.
- Howard Marsh Faculty Research Grant for \$14,000 over two years from Department of Communication Studies to study the impact of group cues in political advertisements. 1999-2000.
- Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program Faculty Grant to help support undergraduate research assistance on project on the effects of campaign news frames. 1998. \$2,000.
- Jay H. Payne Spring/Summer Research Fellowship to support graduate assistant during summers of 1998, 2005 and 2006 on project on the effects of campaign news frames. \$4,000.

### ***AWARDS/FELLOWSHIPS***

- Appointed Donald R. Kinder Collegiate Professor of Political Science. 2024.
- Rackham Distinguished Graduate Mentoring Award. 2024. 5 out of entire graduate faculty (~7500) at Michigan receive this each year.
- Robert Lane best book in APSA Political Psychology section for *Seeing Us in Them* 2022
- APSA Best Book for *Seeing Us in Them* 2022
- David Sears Best Book in Political Psychology, ISPP for *Seeing Us in Them* 2022
- APSA Best Book in Experimental Political Science for *Seeing Us in Them*, APSA 2022
- Nominated for Robert Lane best book in APSA Political Psychology division for *Beyond Rationality* 2022
- Best Paper, Honorable mention for 2019 Walter Lippmann Best Published Article in the Political Communication section of APSA. “*The Changing Norms of Racial Political Rhetoric and the End of Racial Priming.*” With Fabian Neuner and Matthew Vandenbroek
- Best Paper Award. MPSA Political Behavior Section for 2017 for “The Images in Our Heads: Race, Partisanship and Affective Polarization.” With Kirill Zhirkov
- Wilson Award for best paper on French Politics presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meetings. 2016.
- Tronstein Award for Undergraduate Teaching in Political Science. 2017.
- Visiting Fellow, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, Princeton University. Spring, 2013.
- Dean’s Fellowship. University of Texas at Austin. Fall 2007.
- Best Paper Award. American Political Science Association. 2006. Political Psychology Division. Valentino, Nicholas A., Vincent L. Hutchings, Krysha Gregorowicz, Eric Groenendyk and Ted Brader. Election Night’s Alright for Fighting: The Participatory Impact of Negative Emotions.

- Erik H. Erikson Award for Early Career Research Achievement, 2005. Sponsored by the International Society of Political Psychology.
- Best Paper Award. 2004. State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association. For "Cracking the White 'Solid South' with the Nexus of Race and Religion: the 1960s as Transition." (with David O. Sears).
- College of Literature Science and the Arts Excellence in Research Award. University of Michigan. 2000.
- The International Communication Association Distinguished Essay Award for best published article in political communication in 1998-1999.
- The Doris Graber Award for best paper in Political Communication presented at the 1998 APSA annual meeting.

## ***TEACHING***

- University of Michigan. Poli Sci 499. *Public Opinion Survey Design and Analysis*. Undergraduate methods course in survey research design. Sampling and data analysis are also reviewed. Students define concepts, create hypotheses, and write an original public affairs survey and field it on an online survey platform in order to test same. They write up results and present to their classmates. Term paper is based on their original findings. Typical enrollment: 20.
- University of Michigan. Poli Sci 688. *Political Psychology*. Graduate survey course in political psychology. Focuses on concepts of rationality, behavioral decision theory, heuristic processing, and implicit attitudes. Applications to the vote decision, racial attitude formation, and the role of emotions in political information seeking are made. Typical enrollment: 15.
- University of Michigan. Poli Sci 611. *Intro to American Politics*. A survey of topics in American political behavior and institutions. Typical enrollment: 15.
- University of Michigan. Poli Sci 680. *Behavioral Research Design*. A survey of design concepts and methods. We cover measurement, sampling, survey question asking, field research, the comparative method, experimental design, and several other topics. Typical enrollment: 15.
- University of Michigan. Comm Studies 419. *Seminar on Research Methods*. An interdisciplinary course, co-taught, in which students are introduced to a diverse array of methods of inquiry. Course focuses on drafting and re-drafting a research proposal so that at the end of the course they have a sophisticated understanding of knowledge about a given topic in communication studies, and can identify the means for moving that literature forward with empirical research. Social scientific and humanities based approaches are given equal weight. Typical enrollment: 25.
- University of Michigan. Poli Sci 719/Comm Studies 830. *Racial Politics in the U.S.* (Winter 2011). Advanced graduate seminar exploring theories of racial prejudice, conflict, socio-economic polarization, racial priming, political behavior, opinion gaps, stereotyping, identity, and explicit and implicit attitudes. Substantive foci include racial redistribution, immigration, terrorism, ethnic violence and ethnocentrism. Media processes and effects in the domain of race and ethnicity will also be discussed. Structural economic, institutional, sociological, and psychological approaches are used. Typical enrollment: 10.

- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 776. *Media Theory Seminar in the Social Sciences*. Graduate survey of social science approaches to the study of mass media processes and effects. Typical enrollment: 10.
  
- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 833. *Political Communication*. Explores theories of news making, elite communication strategies, and effects of exposure to political communication. Employs concepts such as rationality, behavioral decision-making, heuristic processing, and implicit attitudes. Explanations of vote choice, participation, racial attitudes, and the role of emotions in information seeking and Internet use are discussed. Typical enrollment: 15
  
- University of Texas at Austin. Government 679HA. *Honors Tutorial in Government*. Coordinator of the honors program in 2008-2009. Oversaw the preparation of 20 honors theses.
  
- University of Texas at Austin. Government 370L. *Mass Media and Political Behavior*. Upper division course on the interaction between the press, politicians, and the public. Reviews the history of news, campaign institutions, and public opinion and political consequences. Typical enrollment: 90.
  
- University of Texas at Austin. Government 381s. *Political Psychology*. Graduate survey course in political psychology. Focuses on concepts of rationality, behavioral decision theory, heuristic processing, and implicit attitudes. Applications to the vote decision, racial attitude formation, and the role of emotions in political information seeking are made. Typical enrollment: 15
  
- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 491,492. *Undergraduate Honors Thesis Preparation*. Coordinator of the honors program in 2005-2007, 2011-2012. Oversaw the preparation of 7-10 honors theses per year.
  
- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 102. *Mass Media Processes and Effects*. Required for Communication Studies Concentrators. Reviews individual psychological and sociological theories of media effects. Theories of persuasion, learning, and socialization via mass media are discussed. Typical enrollment: 270.
  
- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 211. *Evaluating Information*. Delivers skills necessary for the critical evaluation and presentation of arguments, based upon quantitative evidence. Introduces basic quantitative reasoning techniques, including sampling, measurement, and design. Required course. Typical enrollment: 270.
  
- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 485/Sociology 463. *Mass Media and Public Opinion*. Derives formation and change in mass opinion as a result of mass media structure and content. Theories of public opinion, including classical stimulus-response, personal influence, socialization/predispositional models, uses and gratifications, third person, spiral of silence, Response/Acceptance/Sampling theory, and others are surveyed. Students are expected to learn to be critical of the ways in which public opinion is measured, analyzed, and disseminated. Typical enrollment: 25.
  
- University of Michigan. Communication 781. *Measurement in Communication Research*. Graduate course on conceptualization and measurement of constructs frequently used by communications researchers. Includes survey measurement, conceptualization, reliability/validity,

content analysis, unidimensional and multidimensional scaling, factor analysis, magnitude scaling, ANOVA and regression analysis. Typical enrollment: 10.

- University of Michigan. Communication 771. *Mass Media and the Public*. Graduate course on the relationship between media and the public, focusing on public opinion formation and change. Emphasis placed on political processes and effects, including political advertising and news coverage of campaigns. Typical enrollment: 10.

- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 484/Political Science 325/Political Science 329. *Mass Media and Political Behavior*. Maps the relationship between news media and government historically and in the modern era. Specific emphasis on the changing nature of campaign coverage occasioned by the partisan reforms and political upheavals of the late 1960's and early 1970's. Typical enrollment: 75.

- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 469. *Mass Media and Political Socialization*. Discusses social scientific and qualitative/theoretical approaches to issues of political socialization processes, agents, and effects focusing particularly on mass media. Typical enrollment: 25.

- University of Michigan. Sociology 501, 512, 513. *Sequence in Survey Methodology*. Three-course sequence associated with the execution of the Detroit Area Study. In the first semester, students are given a substantive overview of the research goals for the current study, and begin to design the survey instrument. In the second semester, students are given instruction on survey techniques, including sampling, question wording, split-sampling, and data management. The third semester is dedicated to analyzing the survey results and writing up research findings. Typical enrollment: 15.

- University of Michigan. Communication Studies 474. *Mass Communication and Identity*. Focuses on the media's role in the socialization process and impact of group attitudes on public opinion and political behavior. Theories including social identity, reference group, symbolic racism, group conflict, social dominance, principled conservatism, and others are reviewed. The role of the media in each of these theories of groups is discussed. Students perform quantitative secondary analyses on a dataset of their choice to test some of the hypotheses discussed in class. Typical enrollment: 25.

- University of Michigan. Political Science/Communication Studies 620. *Politics and the Mass Media*. Explores theories of news making, elite communication strategies, and attitudinal and behavioral effects of exposure to political communication. The impact of media on governance and representation is discussed. Emphasizes the American case, but several discussions incorporate comparative electoral settings. Typical enrollment: 10.

## ***PROFESSIONAL SERVICE***

- Finance Committee Chair, International Society of Political Psychology. 2021-2023
- Associate PI, American National Election Studies. 2018-2021, PI from 2022-2026.
- Advisory Board, American National Election Studies. 2010-2018.
- Past-President. International Society of Political Psychology. 2020-2021.
- President. International Society of Political Psychology. 2019-2020.
- President Elect. International Society of Political Psychology. 2018-2019.
- Vice President. International Society of Political Psychology. 2016-2019.
- Governing Council. International Society of Political Psychology. 2007-2010.

- Executive Council for the Elections, Public Opinion and Voting Behavior section, APSA. 2015-
- Committee member for Markwell Media Award. ISPP annual conference, 2011 in Istanbul.
- Best dissertation award committee: Experimental Methods subdivision, APSA. 2012.
- Book Colloquium for Prof. Efren Perez, Political Science, Vanderbilt University. September, 2011.
- Conference Chair. ISPP annual conference, 2012 held in Chicago.
- Section Director for Political Communication at ISPP annual meeting, July, 2011. Istanbul, Turkey.
- Book Colloquium for Prof. Gabriel Lenz, Political Science, MIT. February 20, 2009.
- Editorial Board. *Public Opinion Quarterly*. 2008-2013.
- Editorial Board. *Political Communication*. 2007-2024
- Editorial Board. *American Journal of Political Science*. 2006-2014
- Editorial Board. *American Politics Review*. 2016-2020
- Editorial Board. *Journal of Politics*. 2017-2021
- Editorial Board. *Journal of Experimental Political Science*. 2015-
- Editorial Board. *Political Psychology*. 2015-
- Editorial Board. *Political Behavior*. 2016-2021
- Chair, Sigel Award Committee for best paper delivered at the 2006 annual meeting of the International Society for Political Psychology.
- Erik Erikson Award Committee for best young scholar in Political Psychology. Presented at 2006 annual meeting of the International Society for Political Psychology.
- Conference Committee Member for American Association of Public Opinion Researchers, 2003.
- Reviewer for proposals in the Political Science division of the National Science Foundation.
- Ad hoc reviewer for proposals to Time Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS).
- Manuscript reviews for American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Public Opinion Quarterly, Journal of Politics, Perspectives on Politics, World Politics, American Sociological Review, Journal of Communication, British Journal of Political Science, Canadian Journal of Political Science, Communication Research, Human Communication Research, Political Communication, International Journal of Public Opinion Research, Political Behavior, Political Psychology, Social Science Quarterly, Social Problems, American Politics Quarterly, Public Understanding of Science, Journal of Broadcasting and Electronic Media, Electoral Studies, Media Psychology, American Politics Research, Du Bois Review, Party Politics and Migration Studies, Perspectives on Psychological Science, Journal of Experimental Political Science, Journal of Social and Political Psychology, Journal of Politics Groups and Identities, Party Politics, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Political Research Quarterly.

## ***DEPARTMENTAL AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE***

### *University of Michigan*

- LAUNCH committee facilitator for new faculty in LSA, 2019-2022.
- Director of Graduate Placement, 2021-2024.
- American Subfield Coordinator, 2020-2021.
- Faculty Mentor to Angela Ocampo, 2018-2022
- Faculty Mentor to Mara Ostfeld and Chris Fariss, 2016-2018.
- Search committee, Sports Marketing position, School of Kinesiology.
- Chair, Methods search. Dept. of Political Science 2016-2017.
- Chair, Situational Review Committee and Search for Director of Center for Political Studies, 2014.
- Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, 2013-2015.
- Facilitator for LSA Teaching Academy assisting new faculty on course preparation 2010.

- Center for Research on Learning and Teaching Advisory Board, 2012-2014.
- Third year review committees in Political Science and Communication studies 2010, 2017.
- Faculty Ally for Diversity in Graduate Education. 2010-2013.
- Director, Marsh Center for Journalistic Performance. 2004-2007.
- Advisory Committee, Center for Political Studies. 2003-2005, 2009-2011, 2013-2015, 2020-.
- Executive Committee, Communication Studies. 2002-2004, 2004-2006.
- Executive Committee, Political Science. 2005-2007, 2010-2012, 2017-2018, 2023-2024.
- Search Committees in Communication Studies: 1997-1998, 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2009-2010, 2010-2011.
- Search Committees in Political Science (American Political Behavior and Institutions): 1999-2000, 2004-2005, 2005-2006), Methods (2016-2017, Chair), Formal Theory (2018-2019, Chair), Methods (2022-2023).
- Tenure Promotion Ad Hoc Committee: 2005, 2010.
- Steering Committee Member, Life Sciences and Society. An interdisciplinary group dedicated to the exploration of the impact of the life sciences on social, political, and health issues. 2005-2007.
- Faculty Advisor to the Knight Wallace Journalism Fellows program 2003-2007, 2009-2014.
- Honors Program Director. Dept. of Communication Studies 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2011-2012.
- Chair, Media and Identity Seminar. An interdisciplinary group dedicated to the study of issues surrounding media and identity in the transition from old to new media technologies. 1998-2002.
- Library and Media Resources Committee. Designed and built a lab to capture, code, and manipulate media content for research and teaching. 1998.
- Faculty Advisor. Michigan Undergraduate Internship Program 1998-1999.

#### *University of Texas at Austin*

- Graduate Admissions Committee. 2007-2008.
- J.J. Pickle Chair search committee, University of Texas. 2007-2008. Erwin Chair search 2008-2009.
- Dissertation Chair/Co-Chair: *UM Political Science*- Avery Goods, Maya Khuzam, Franshelly M. Martinez Ortiz, Adam Rauh, Francy Luna Diaz, Hilary Izatt (SUNY Binghamton), Sara Morell (The College of New Jersey), Anil Menon (UC Merced), Kirill Zhirkov (Virginia), Marzia Ocen (Florida International University), James Newburg, Erin Cikanek (Cornell), Princess Williams (WashU), Julia Kamin, Fabian Neuner (Arizona State), Timothy Ryan (UNC), Ismail White (Princeton), Eric Groenendyk (SUNY Stony Brook), Antoine Banks (University of Maryland), Yanna Krupnikov (Michigan), Patrick O'Mahen (Baylor College); *UM Communication Studies*- Katie Brown, Debra Melican (Roanoke College), Krysha Gregorowicz, Rossie Hutchinson, Christine Brittle, Thomas Buhr. *UT Austin, Government*- Matthew Vandenbroek.
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