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January 12-14
New Orleans Hyatt Regency

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According to contemporary commentators, political philosophy came into being as a reaction to democracy (Ober) or as a cure for the tyrannic impulses of the most ambitious, capable, and privileged (Bloom). In neither account was it intended for a mass audience. And in fact, in Plato’s Republic, Socrates warned against exposing all but those few fully possessed of mature virtue to penetrating examination of conventional presuppositions. Today’s teachers of political philosophy take advantage of political philosophy’s power to challenge students to examine what they have accepted on faith. If they are bereft of such faith, they may take political philosophy’s challenge to convention as a call to destructive iconoclasm or license to indulge immoderate desires. The problem is that we cannot vouch for the mature virtue of our students. The teacher of political philosophy is therefore confronted with profound ethical questions. Should she or he keep the radically zetetic essence of political philosophy under wraps, saving it for those who have built a record of serious study over a number of courses and have come to be known through informal conversations? One cost of doing so is to make initial studies less exciting or more ideological than they should be. Or is it best to introduce students to radical inquiry from the start, perhaps relying on the sad assumption that its impact will be only superficial and temporary. The purpose of this panel is to explore these questions. Participants: Jarrett A. Carty, Concordia University, Travis Hadley, Christopher Newport University, David Corey, Baylor University, Alan Ivan Baily, Stephen F. Austin State University, Bryan-Paul Frost, University of Louisiana at Lafayette, Daniel DiLeo, Penn State Altoona.
### Thinking About Aristotle

#### Political Theory

**Participants**

Taming the Philosopher  
John Boersma, Louisiana State University  
The Rhetoric of Anger: Anger, Achilles, and the Problem of One’s Own  
Christine J. Basil, Baylor University  
The Role of Trust and Friendship in Aristotle's Account of the Intellectual Virtues  
Rachel Alexander, Baylor University  
Aristotle’s Introduction to Friendship: Knowledge, Truth and Love in Book VII of the Ethics  
Stephen Block, Baylor University  
Patrick Cain, Associate Professor of Political Science

### International Political Economy: The Asian Context

**International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights**

**Chair**  
Jonathon Patrick Whooley, San Francisco State University

**Participants**

Beijing’s Winning Hand: Russia, the West, and the Competition over Eastern Europe  
G Doug Davis, Troy University  
Michael Slobodchikoff, Troy University  
Business actors in global environmental policy process: A case of Japan's response  
Masatoshi Yokota, Tokyo University of Science  
Evolving ASEAN – The Institute of Institutions Needed not the Regional Organization Desired  
ADNAN RASOOL, Georgia State University  
Infrastructure facilities development of scheduled tribe in India-A study of Khammam district of Telangana state  
harishankar banothu, kakatiya university  
Rational Design of the Allocation of Confucius Institutes  
Jun Xiang, Rutgers University  
Wei-hao Huang, Rutgers University

**Discussant**  
Jonathon Patrick Whooley, San Francisco State University
Power and Influence in Agencies

Bureaucratic Politics

Chair
Michelle Belco, University of Houston

Participants
Agency Amassed: The Capacity of the Early Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
Jennifer Woodward, Middle Tennessee State University
Campaign Contributions: Another way to capture the Food and Drug Administration
Sophiya Das, University of Houston
Does Army Engagement with Congress Affect Budgets? A Qualified 'Yes'
Heidi Demarest, US Military Academy
Which Agencies are Powerful?
Eric Rosenthal, Williams College
Mark D Richardson, Vanderbilt University
David E Lewis, Vanderbilt University

Discussant
Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

Does the Public Get what the Public Wants? Public Opinion and Representation

Public Opinion

Participants
Identity sorting and political compromise
Nicholas T. Davis, Louisiana State University
Mysterious Pork: The Lack of Citizen Awareness of Earmarks
Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University--Kingsville
Angela McCarthy, LSU
Public Demand for Legislative Compromise
Jennifer Wolak, University of Colorado
Which Citizens Lead, and Which Follow?: Dynamic Tests of the Issue Publics Hypothesis
Andrew Tyner, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Timothy Ryan, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Discussant
Matthew Jacobsmeier, West Virginia University

These papers examine the correspondence between public policy and public opinion.
Comparative Political Economy: Intermestic Issues

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Daewoo Lee, Columbus State University

Participants
Elite Power-Sharing on the ‘One Belt, One Road’
Clay Robert Fuller, University of South Carolina
EU and Turkey: Is application as rewarding as actual membership?
Betul Dicle, Research by the Numbers, LLC
Mehmet Dicle, Loyola University New Orleans
Road Rage: How Infrastructure Programs Bring Out the Worst in Nation-States
Margaret Annette Evans, University of Southern Mississippi
Understanding the Implications the Participation of Lesser-Developed Nations in Global Climate Agreements.
Ryan M. Yonk, Utah State University
Joshua T. Smith, Utah State University
Arthur Wardle, Utah State University
Landon Stevens, Strata Policy

Discussant
Vinicius Guilherme Rodrigues Vieira, Princeton University

Legislative Institutions and Their (Unintended) Consequences

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Chair
Matthew Lebo, Stony Brook University

Participants
Partisan Confirmation Politics and Filibuster Reform: Examining the Senate's Response to Procedural Change
Michael S. Lynch, UGA
Laine Shay, UGA
Filling the Amendment Tree: How Procedures Harm Electoral Prospects
Neelan S Chaturvedi, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Legislative Capacity and Credit Risk
David Fortunato, Texas A&M University
Ian R. Turner, Texas A&M University
Willful Ignorance?: The Impact of Campaign Disclosure Thresholds on Midwestern Legislative Elections
Nicholas Bauroth, North Dakota State University

Discussant
Matthew Lebo, Stony Brook University
## Elections and Political Institutions

### Elections and Voting

#### Participants

  - Richard S. Conley, University of Florida
  - Charles G. Shields, University of Florida
- **Party Loyalty, Presidential Endorsements, and Committee Assignments: Inter-Branch Influence within the House of Representatives**
  - Lindsay Rose Russell, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- **The Effects of Judicial Electoral Systems: Nonpartisan and Retention Elections for State Judges**
  - James W. Endersby, University of Missouri
  - Myunghhee Lee, University of Missouri

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## Law and Constitutionalism

### History and Politics

#### Chair

- **Billy Monroe, Prairie View A&M University**

#### Participants

- **Informal Judicial Rules and American Constitutionalism**
  - Roger Paul Abshire, University of Houston
- **Strong Men and Institutional Order: The Struggle for Power in the Federal Reserve**
  - Nicolas Wayne Thompson, University of South Florida
- **The Anti-Federalists and the Right to Bear Arms**
  - Michael J Faber, Texas State University
- **The Puritans’ Covenant, the Declaration of Independence, and the State Constitutions**
  - Alin Fumurescu, University of Houston, Department of Political Science
- **Understanding the Mechanisms Driving the Evolution of Obscenity Law in Five Common Law Countries**
  - Michael Fix, Georgia State University

#### Discussant

- **Nancy Maveety, Tulane University**
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| Thursday 8:00am-9:30am | Classroom | Classroom Engagement and Learning Assessment  
| Teaching Political Science | Participants |  
| Audience, Purpose, and Civic Engagement: a Principled Approach to Writing Instruction in Political Science  
Ian G Anson, University of Maryland, Baltimore County  
Curriculum Mapping: Strategies for Mapping Information Literacy Threshold Concepts to Course Objectives in Political Science  
Mohamed Berray, Florida State University  
Do Green Lives Matter? A Survey of Environmental Awareness Among First-Year Students  
Elizabeth Wheat, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay  
Evan Miller, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay  
Virtual Classrooms: Analyzing student learning and instructor online collaborative teaching experiences  
Anita Chadha, University of Houston, Downtown |
### Exploring Judicial Legitimacy

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Michael Nelson, Pennsylvania State University

**Participants**
  Elli Menounou, University of Southern California
- Explaining the Educational Gradient in Opposition to the Legal System. The Role of Economic Resources, Institutional Knowledge, and Cultural Affinity in the United States, 2014
  Jeroen van der Waal, Erasmus University Rotterdam
  Willem de Koster, Erasmus University Rotterdam
  Peter achterberg, Tilburg University
- Movers not Movement: Extra-Judicial Actor Induced Change in Supreme Court Legitimacy
  Miles T. Armaly, Michigan State University
  Fanghui Zhao, University of Pittsburgh

**Discussant**
Michael Zilis, University of Kentucky

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### The State of the Discipline in Applied Politics

**Elections and Voting**

**Participants**
- Paul S Herronson, University of Connecticut
- Robin Kolodny, Temple University
- Dennis W Johnson, George Washington University
- Stephen K Medvic, Franklin and Marshall College

**Chairs**
- R. Sam Garrett, Congressional Research Service
- Dave Dulio, Oakland University

**Discussant**
James A Thurber, American University

We propose a round table discussion on the state of applied politics research. This includes, but is not limited to: the role of political consultants in campaigns; strategy and tactics in campaigns related to advertising, fundraising and spending; the use of technology; etc. It can also include lobbying. A second purpose of the panel is to honor the contributions of James A. Thurber (Director of the Center for Congressional and Presidential Studies) to this field of study throughout his career. The panelists will discuss key questions related to the study of applied politics over the last two decades including what has been done, what is left to do, what are the hurdles that are present, etc. The participants will be: Paul Herrnson, UConn; Dennis Johnson, George Washington University; Robin Kolodny, Temple University; Stephen Medvic, Franklin and Marshall College Dave Dulio (Oakland University) and Sam Garrett (Congressional Research Service) will co-chair. James A. Thurber (American University) will provide comments after the round table.
CWC 3: Institutions in authoritarian regimes

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M

Participants
Expanding the pie: Compensating losers in authoritarian regimes
Jennifer Gandhi, Emory University
Abigail L. Heller, Emory University

Smart Leviathan: The intellectual origins of state capacity in China
Yuhua Wang, Harvard University

Authoritarian institutions and women's rights
Daniela Donno, University of Pittsburgh
Anne Kreft, Gothenburg University

Smarter authoritarianism: Understanding the survival tools of today's dictators
Erica Frantz, MSU
Lee Morgenbesser, Griffith University

Discussants
Dimitar Gueorguiev, Syracuse University
Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M

Institutions in authoritarian regimes CWC 3 Politics of Authoritarian Regimes

Bureaucracy

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Clifford James Carrubba, Emory University

Participants
Bureaucratic Expertise in Judicial Decision-making
Clifford James Carrubba, Emory University
Brady Dauzat, Emory University
Josh Fjelstul, Emory University
Matthew Gabel, Washington University in St. Louis

Lobbying and Presidential Oversight of the Executive Branch
Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School of Public Policy

Personnel, Politics, and Policymaking
Emily Moore, Washington University Saint Louis
John Patty, University of Chicago

Discussant
John Patty, University of Chicago
Violence and the State

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Participants
Collectivizing Village Life: State administration of the family and forced labor in Democratic Kampuchea
Rachel Jacobs, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Promoting Political Development through Action Research: Evidence from Rural Afghanistan
RICHARD LEDET, Troy University
William Hardy, Independent Consultant
Pete Turner, Independent Consultant

Rethinking the International Origins of Robust Insurgency
Eric Hundman, Dartmouth University
Dan Slater, University of Chicago

Securitization, Regime Survival and Mass Killings: The Case of Syria
Leonard Robinson, Salisbury University

The Correlation between Corruption and Counterterrorism Outcome in Nigeria: Analysis of Presidents Goodluck Jonathan and Muhammad Buhari’s Counterterrorism Campaigns
Daniel Banini, University of Central Florida

Discussant
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

Lawmakers in the American States

State Politics

Chair
Magic M Wade, University of Illinois Springfield

Participants
Employment and Wage Growth After the Recession: Evidence from US States
Charles Barrilleaux, Florida State University
Jeffrey Vincent Swanson, Florida State University

Executive Branch Agencies as Lawmakers in the American States
Lauren Mattioli, Princeton University
Mary Alice Kroeger, Princeton University

Patterns of Financial Gain: Evidence of Legislative Shirking?
Kevin Fahey, Florida State University

The Influence of Gubernatorial Experience on the State Budgeting Process
Matthew Uttermark, Florida State University

Lame Duck Governors
alexandra cockerham, Florida State University
robert crew, Florida State University

Discussant
Robert Lowry, University of Texas at Dallas
## Education Politics and Policy

### Public Policy

**Chair**  
Joseph Campbell, Rose State College

**Participants**  
Access and Outcomes: Automatic Enrollment Policy across U.S. States  
Stephen J Chapman, Monmouth University

Evaluating Developmental Education Initiatives to Make Students College Ready: Findings & Policy Implications in Texas  
Nandita Chaudhuri, Texas A&M University

School Accountability and the Hiring of Teachers by Educational Background  
Jason Giersch, UNC Charlotte

Social Construction of Students and Public Opinion in Higher Education Budgeting  
Cherie Maestas, University of North Carolina Charlotte  
Teng Teng Cai, University of North Carolina Charlotte

**Discussant**  
George W Dougherty, University of Pittsburgh

### Exhibit Area - Thursday

**Meetings**

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Agents for the Intractable: Legislating Human Rights Education as a Means for Agency-Building in Marginalized Populations

Thursday 9:45am-11:15am

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Chair
Christopher M. Brown, Georgia Southern University

Participants
Policing the Traffic: The Capacity of Legal Change to Arrest Human Trafficking in the European Union
Charlotte McDonald, Georgia Southern University

Imprisoned Rights: An Exploration of the Mass Incarceration Plaguing Human Rights Activist in Saudi Arabia
Hakim H. Finlaytor, Georgia Southern University

The Veiled Wives: Child Marriage in Latin America and the Caribbean
Kennedy McSherry, Georgia Southern University

The Emerging and Diverging Nature of Human Trafficking in the South America Region
Maria Alejandra Amiel, Georgia Southern University

Sickle Cell: History and Understanding for Communities to Better Themselves
Anthony McLeod, Georgia Southern University

The Transparency of Nonprofit Charitable Organizations
Bryan Booker, Georgia Southern University

Mental Health Options for the Poor: Illuminating the Human Condition and the Creation of Communities of Care
Jasmine Parker, Georgia Southern University

Discussant
Christopher M. Brown, Georgia Southern University

This panel addresses the absence of agency in alleviating seemingly intractable human security issues around the globe. The panel identifies some key social issues that are rendered intractable due to the prevailing legal frameworks of sovereignty that defined state interactions. Issues are seen as difficult or impossible to rectify because the victim populations lack a meaningful mechanism of expression through existing advocacy networks. Furthermore, some fundamental problems are inherent in the state’s inability to provide for human security for transnational or universal issues which undermines efforts at legal or civil enforcement of these global issues. Papers presented will address issues of refugee human rights in the EU, activists for women and children in developing regions of the world, and mental health services for the poor and minority populations. The populations who are most at risk are those who lack agency within their own social systems. Due to their lack of agency, not only are they denied meaningful access for changing their social condition, but the transnational advocacy networks that seek to mitigate prevailing risks to the communities are often subject to human rights violations as well. The panel proposes a re-evaluation of existing mechanisms for promoting agency in light of transnational issues and the marginalized populations that suffer most as a result. The panelists promote legislative innovation, community education policies, and increases in transparency and accountability among stakeholders, including the advocacy networks themselves, to maximize trust and cross-community cooperation as the path toward promoting agency-building for the disenfranchised.

Bureaucracy in Diverse Settings
Bureaucratic Politics

Chair
R. Sam Garrett, Congressional Research Service

Participants
A Sustainable Food Policy: Understanding the Iron Triangle of a Common Resource Pool
   Stephen Northam, University of North Georgia
   Nathan Price, University of North Georgia
   Beth M. Rauhaus, University of North Georgia
Impact of Bureaucratic Elite on Constitutional Development in Pakistan (1947-1956)
   Sabahat Jaleel, University of Engineering and Technology Taxila
   Shuja Ahmed, Sindh University Jamshoro
   Jennifer Sklarew, George Mason University

Discussant
R. Sam Garrett, Congressional Research Service
2205

Thursday
9:45am-11:15am

**Why Can't We Be Friends? The Politics of Ideological Division**

**Public Opinion**

**Participants**

Biased Reaction to Political Bias: Disfavorable Bias is Deplorable, Favorable Bias is Negligible
- Omer Yair, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Deep-Seated Resentment: The Contribution of Core Values to Affective Polarization
- Robert N. Lupton, Michigan State University
- Adam M. Enders, Michigan State University
- Steven M. Smallpage, Stetson University

What do they know about us, and what do we know about them?
- Daniel Hopkins, University of Pennsylvania
- Hans Noel, Georgetown University

Who Votes in Primaries?
- Bradley Spahn, Stanford University

**Discussant**

Nathan Kalmoe, Louisiana State University

The papers examine growing division and polarization in the mass public.

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2206

Thursday
9:45am-11:15am

**Electoral Politics in East Asia**

**Comparative Politics: Developing Areas**

**Participants**

Contextual Influences on Ticket-Splitting: Evidence From Taiwan’s 2016 Legislative Election
- Timothy Rich, Western Kentucky University

Running as a Woman? President Tsai Ing-Wen’s Presidential Campaigns in 2012 and 2016
- Young-Im Lee, St. Norbert College

Awareness of Party Issue Differences and Regrets about Voting Choices Evidence from a Survey Experiment in Japan
- Takeshi Iida, Doshisha University

Gender Images and Strategies in the Korean Political Campaigns: The Case of the 2016 National Assembly Election
- Jiso Yoon, University of Kansas
- Kyoung-hee Moon, Changwon National University

**Discussant**

Vasabjit Banerjee, Mississippi State University

This panel will cover issues in electoral politics in East Asian democracies (Japan, South Korea, and Taiwan).
Do Campaigns Matter?

Elections and Voting

Participants
Brokers, Social Networks, Reciprocity, and Strategies of Clientelism
   Nico Ravanilla, University of California San Diego
   Allen Hicken, University of Michigan
   Michael Davidson, University of California San Diego
Estimating Advertising Effects in an Open Gubernatorial Primary
   Zachary Folsom Cook, DePaul University
Truman Defeats Dewey: The Effect of Campaign Visits on Election Outcomes
   Boris Heersink, University of Virginia
   Brenton D. Peterson, University of Virginia
What Do We Know About Local Elections? An Empirical and Normative Analysis of City Council Elections in Saratoga Springs, New York
   Robert C Turner, Skidmore College

Reapportionment and Redistricting

Elections and Voting

Participants
Analysis of Apportionment Formulas and Weighted Voting
   Allen Brierly, Independent Scholar
Beyond the Party Binary: Committees and Commissions in Electoral Redistricting
   Stephanie Chan, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Testing the Effects of Compounded Redistricting, Competition, and Voter/Candidate Displacement on Turnout
   Charles R Hunt, University of Maryland - College Park
Defining Purple: A quantitative analysis of Wisconsin’s 8th Congressional District elections
   Evan Miller, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay
Policy Making in the U.S.

History and Politics

Chair

carry j smith, graduate student

Participants

Congress and the Creation of the Federal Minimum Wage: Conservative Control and Split Labor
Adam Olson, University of Minnesota

Political Trends in Fair Housing Policy
Charles Lamb, University at Buffalo, SUNY
Eric Wilk, Georgia Gwinnett College

Rise of the Policy Subsystem: Re-Evaluating Civil War Pension Policy
Brandon Jason Archuleta, United States Military Academy

Why Did the LBJ’s War on Poverty Have To Narrowly Target the Black?
Yongwoo Jeung, University of Oregon

Discussant

Pamela A Gibson, Troy University

Historical insights about the domestic policy process.

The Domestic Influences of International Law and Institutions

International Relations and Domestic Politics

Chair

Jennifer Ann Davis, National Intelligence University

Participants

Does Brexit mean breakup? The intermestic effects of the UKs decision to leave the EU
Michael Mannin, University of Portsmouth, UK

Global Governance in a Time of Cultural Fragmentation
Ralph Gert Schoellhammer, Webster University Vienna

Identical Goals, Conflicting Results: The EU’s Impact on Corruption Control and Minority Protection
Mert Kartal, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

The Effect of Cooperation on States: Understanding the weakening of the state through delegation disguised as coordination
Danielle Scherer, Temple University
Nicolaos Catsis, Wilson College

Discussants

Jennifer Ann Davis, National Intelligence University
Eddie Hearn, Kwansei Gakuin University
2211

**Studying High Courts Around the World**

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**

Harold Young, Austin Peay State University

**Participants**

Continuity and Change in the Courts of Ireland

Jolly Ann Emrey, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Wendy Martinek, Binghamton University


Tao L. Dumas, The College of New Jersey

Brookskie Chastant, Texas A&M University

Stacia L. Haynie, Louisiana State University

Elections, Public Awareness and the Efficacy of Constitutional Review

Jay Krehbiel, West Virginia University

Where the Action Is: Party Capability Theory and Conflict in Federal Systems

William M Myers, University of Tampa

Davia Cox Downey, Grand Valley State University

Strategic communication and judicial power: the Brazilian Supreme Court

Rebecca Magalhaes, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco

**Discussant**

Amanda Driscoll, Florida State University

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**Gendered Pathways to Power**

**Women and Politics**

**Chair**

Nicholas Pyeatt, Penn State

**Participants**

Where’s the Party for Women? Identifying the Role of Party Chairs in the Recruitment Process in Pennsylvania

Dana Brown, Chatham University

Secretary Clinton or Charlotte's Grandma? The Evolution of a Candidate

Aidan Smith, Tulane University

Mentorship in State Bureaucracies

Kaitlin Sidorsky, Coastal Carolina University

Leaning In?: The Professional Development of Women and Women of Color Mayors

Twyla Blackmond Larnell, Loyola University Chicago

Gendered Vulnerability and State Supreme Court Elections

Mikel Norris, Coastal Carolina University

Colin Ross Glennon, East Tennessee State University

**Discussants**

Nicholas Pyeatt, Penn State

Dr. Sharron Herron-Williams, Alabama State University
Censorship and public opinion in authoritarian regimes

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Peter Lorentzen, University of California, Berkeley

Participants
How sudden censorship can increase access to information
Molly Roberts, UCSD
William Hobbs, UCSD

Idioms of authoritarian stability: The technology of statecraft in the age of social media
Camber Warren, Naval Postgraduate School

The pathology of propaganda
Haifeng Huang, UC Merced

Implicit Attitudes Towards an Authoritarian Regime
Rory Truex, Princeton
Daniel Tavana, Princeton

Cults of personality, preference falsification, and the dictator's dilemma.
Charles Crabtree, University of Michigan
Holger Lutz Kern, FSU
David Siegel, Duke University

Discussants
Peter Lorentzen, University of California, Berkeley
John Reuter, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

The State

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Tiberiu Dragu, New York University

Participants
A Theory of Corruption and Extremism
Massimo Morelli, Bocconi University
Antonio Niccolò, University of Padova

Issue Salience and Policy Congruence in Counterterrorism
Livio Di Lonardo, New York University
Tiberiu Dragu, New York University

Revolutionary Threats and the Dilemma of Authoritarian Repression
Jack Paine, University of Rochester

The Monopolization of Force and the Strategic Foundations of the Social Contract
Scott Tyson, University of Michigan

Can Fear Empower Citizens to Bring Down Regimes?
Abraham S Aldama Navarrete, NYU
Mateo Vasquez, New York University
Lauren E. Young, Columbia University

Discussant
Scott Tyson, University of Michigan
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Resources, Territory, and Conflict

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Daniel Tirone, Louisiana State University

Participants
Natural Resources and Territorial Conflict
Christopher Macaulay, University of North Texas

Regional Dynamics in Rentier States
Melda Ozsut, University of North Texas

Conflict Escalation and Territorial Issue Salience
Christopher Macaulay, University of North Texas

Every Man a Heisenberg: 3-D Printing, the Illicit Goods Trade and Civil Violence
James Gilley, Louisiana State University
Daniel Tirone, Louisiana State University

Bang For Our Buck: American Foreign Aid and the International Context
Richie A Romero, Arizona State University

Discussant
Amanda G. Sanford, Louisiana Tech University

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Rethinking policy and institutional design.

Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations

Participants
Democratic reform and the growth of government in nineteenth century Britain
Jonathan Neil Chapman, NYU Abu Dhabi

The Causes of Variations in National Bureaucracies
Seoyoun Choi, Michigan State University

Discussant
alan draper, st lawrence university
Political Socialization and the Behavior of Immigrants

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Participants
An Event-Based Model of Immigrant Political Socialization
Mark Brockway, University of Notre Dame
Christopher L. Weaver, Northeastern State University
Andre P. Audette, University of Notre Dame

Another Hispanic Paradox? Political and Community Engagement across Hispanic Immigrant Generations and Citizenship Status
Stephanie Potochnick, University of Missouri
Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

Clarkston Families Decide: A Model for Engaging a Diverse Community in Participatory Decision Making
Sherrill Watson Hayes, Kennesaw State University

Immigration and Education: The Unintended Effects of SB 1070 and HB 87
Tabitha Morton, Prairie View A&M University

Location, Location, Location: Geography and Latino Turnout
Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut

Policy Adoption and Diffusion in the States

State Politics

Chair
Sean Hildebrand, Ball State University

Participants
A Systematic Analysis of Adoption of Different Levels of Climate Change Policy at the State Level
Shuang Zhao, The University of Alabama at Huntsville
Derek Glasgow, Mercer University

Fantasy vs. Reality: Examining State Legislation Involving Fantasy Sports
Brendan Toner, Arkansas Tech University
Joshua Mitchell, University of Arkansas - Fayetteville

Nikolay Anguelov, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth
Michael Patrick McCarthy, University of Massachusetts - Dartmouth

The Diffusion of Scientific Policy Innovations: How Salience and Controversy Contribute to State Adoptions
Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo, University of Kentucky
Andrew Karch, University of Minnesota

The Political and Economic Determinants of the American States' Reliance on Private Prisons
Anna Gunderson, Emory University

Discussant
Joshua Jansa, Oklahoma State University
Environmental Politics and Policymaking

Public Policy

Chair
Christopher Reenock, Florida State University

Participants
Political Dimensions of Rural Environmental Injustice
Celia Carroll Jones, Hampden-Sydney College

Applying a Regulatory Performance Index to Assess Devolution of Environmental Policies in the U.S. States
Hunter Bacot, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
Roy Dawes, Gettysburg College

Policy Devolution and Cooperation Dilemmas
Christopher Reenock, Florida State University
David Konisky, SPEA

Why Collaborate? Exploring the Role of Organizational Motivations in Cross-Sector Watershed Collaboration
Luisa Diaz-Kope, University of North Georgia
John Charles Morris, Old Dominion University

Discussant
Celia Carroll Jones, Hampden-Sydney College

History of Political Thought (2)

Political Theory

Participants
Being in Rousseau's thought: A system in the Discourses and Emile
Benjamin I Gross, University of North Texas

Dethroning the Hobbesian Sovereign: The Real Goal of Rawls's Political Philosophy Revisited
Brett Larson, East Georgia State College

Hume’s Political Theory and the Partisan Nature of Politics
Joel Landis, University of California Davis

Locke and the Desire for Immortality
Bruce Hunt, Angelo State University
2302
Political Community and its Enemies
Political Theory
Chair
Corey Abel, Independent scholar

Participants
“Freedom and Equality Are Not Just Policy Goals, They Are Procedural Goals Too”
David D Corey, Baylor University
“Political Pluralism and the Common Law”
Nathan Warf, Baylor University
“Revolutionary Politics and Its Critics”
Scott Segrest, The Citadel
“Innovation for and against Political Community”
Gladden Pappin, Notre Dame

In our present age of intense ideological polarization and social conflict, American citizens are prone to wonder what is going on: Why is our political life suddenly so fractured? How much upheaval can a polity bear? What steps if any might we take to shore up and sustain a sense of political community amidst the chaos? These are questions this panel addresses directly. All four panelists and our two discussants are committed to exploring the elements of healthy political community and identifying some of the root causes of the forces that afflict it. One element of political health we examine is the vital importance of a fair deliberative process that does not violate the freedom and formal equality of the participants. Another is the presence of a free and rich associational life among citizens, one that is not a concession or gift of the state, but rather a source of meaning and authority in its own right. Of the many forces that work against political community in our present age, we focus on two in particular. The first is ideology in the negative sense of the word—a totalizing system of dogmatically held beliefs about the social world that generates decisive (often violent) action. We are critical of the ideological approach to politics and offer ways to temper it. The second is technological innovation. We are critical not of innovation per se but of its social side effects such as inequality and segregation among citizens. This too we seek to temper by proposing ways of politically evaluating technological developments.

2303
State Repression and Human Rights
International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights
Chair
Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi

Participants
Human Rights Aspirations, Disappointments, and Possible Futures
Nacona James Nix, Victoria College
Repudiation and Repression: The Human Costs of Sovereign Default
Stephen Bagwell, University of Georgia
K. Chad Clay, University of Georgia
Understanding Children’s Rights – Study about the Childs Right to Participation in Decision Making in Child protection Mechanisms systems in Telangana State
Padibanda Santosh Kumar, university of Hyderabad
Galib Bashirov, Florida International University
Repression or Accommodation? A Bargaining Theory Model of State Repression
Ryan Whittingham, University of Florida
How does Transitional Justice Matter? Reconciling Qualitative and Quantitative Trends in Measuring the Effects of Transitional Justice
Matt Murphy, Centenary College of Louisiana

Discussant
Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi
### New Approaches to Understand Bureaucracy

**Bureaucratic Politics**

**Chair**

Kaitlin Sidorsky, Coastal Carolina University

**Participants**

- Characterizing the Preferences of Federal Agencies: Evidence in the Political Behaviors of Federal Employees  
  Scott Limbocker, Vanderbilt University
- Contracts as Pork? The Distributive Politics of Federal Procurement in Minority Set-Aside Contracts  
  William Resh, University of Southern California
- Disaggregating the Determinants of Embassy Performance Using Machine Learning  
  Jonathan Bennett, University of Rochester
- Policy Making and the President’s Control of Enforcement Discretion  
  Nathan Kiker, Vanderbilt University  
  David E Lewis, Vanderbilt University
- Time Horizons and the Control of Agency Appropriations  
  Eli L Byerly-Duke, Vanderbilt Organization

**Discussant**

Kaitlin Sidorsky, Coastal Carolina University

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### Public Opinion and Public Policy

**Public Opinion**

**Participants**

- How Much is Enough? Analyzing Preferences for Education Taxes  
  Kattalina Berriochoa, University of Massachusetts, Boston
- Partisan Politics and Hopes for a Green Agenda in the US  
  April K Clark, Northern Illinois University  
  Juliet Carlisle, University of Idaho
- Public Perceptions of Coastal Community Resilience  
  Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M  
  Paul Kellstedt, Texas A&M
- Public perceptions of climate change in Colombia  
  Clara Pardo, University of El Rosario  
  William Alfonso, University of El Rosario
- Temporal and local variation in climate change opinion in the United States, 2006-2012  
  Lyle Scruggs, Univ of Connecticut  
  Clifford Vickrey, University of Connecticut

These papers address how the public forms attitudes on important matters of public policy.
**2306**

Collective Action: Identity and Movement

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Kris Dunn, University of Leeds

Participants
Bottom-up Ethnic Mobilization in Africa: the Case of the Ashanti in Ghana
Theophilus Yakah, University of Virginia

Collective Identity and Protest Participation
Brandon Ives, University of Maryland, College Park

Foreign Aid and Violent Social Unrest in Africa, 1991-2011
Trey T Billing, University of Maryland - College Park

From Trusting Rebels to Timbuktu: Examining Levels of Trust in the Malian Civil War
Meyer Levy, University of Notre Dame
Amir Mazyar Sadeh, University of Notre Dame
Juan Angel Valdez, University of Notre Dame

Discussant
Michael Findley, University of Texas at Austin

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**2307**

Emotions

Elections and Voting

Participants
Celebrity Endorsements and Voter Emotions
Anthony Nownes, University of Tennessee

The Heart of Issue Voting: The Role of Emotions in Conditional Proximity Voting
Daniel Thaler, Michigan State University

Them vs Us: Partisanship and Emotional Responses to Presidential Candidates, 1980-2012
William Case Jorgeson, American University
Jan Leighley, American University
Simon Heuberger, American University
The Evolving U.S. Congress

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Chair
Matthew Lebo, Stony Brook University

Participants
Networks and the Early Congress
Nicolas K Dumas, MIT
Charles Stewart III, MIT

The Evolution of Professional Staff in Congress
Ian Ostrander, Michigan State University
Anthony Madonna, University of Georgia

Why Caucuses? The Institutional Development of Congressional Factions
Andrew Clarke, University of Virginia

The Deinstitutionalization (?) of the House of Representatives: Reflections on Nelson Polsby’s “Institutionalization of the House of Representatives” at Fifty
Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia
Charles Stewart III, MIT

Discussants
Gregory Koger, University of Miami
Matthew Lebo, Stony Brook University

This panel examines different elements of the internal structure of the U.S. Congress, like committees, caucuses, and legislative staff, across time. The focus will be on how these structure change and evolve.

American Foreign Policy

History and Politics

Chair
Benjamin E. Bagozzi, University of Delaware

Participants
Foreign Policy in the American Founding: Social Compact Theory and the Barbary Wars
Conner Lund, Hillsdale College

President Jimmy Carter's Human Rights Foreign Policy
Joshua Boucher, Baylor University

Stopping the Rising Dragon? How the U.S. Reacted to China During the Early Cold War
Charles Fagan, Western Carolina University

The KGB, Aldrich Ames and the Art of Espionage
Lee Lukoff, University of Georgia

Discussant
Jonathon Patrick Whooley, San Francisco State University

Insights into American foreign policy from historical perspectives.
The Domestic Politics and International Relations of MENA

International Relations and Domestic Politics

Chair
Ivan Sascha Sheehan, University of Baltimore

Participants
Failing Norms: Case Studies Exploring How International Democratic Standards Have Undermined Meaningful MENA Reforms
Jonathan L. Snow, Roanoke College
Islamization & The Welfare State: The Economic Barriers To Political Transition
Deniz Dolun, The State University of New York at Buffalo
State-Society Relations in the Palestinian Territories: A Survey Experiment on Preferences for Democracy
Dana El Kurd, The University of Texas at Austin

Discussant
Parmida Esmaeilpour, University of British Columbia

The Impact of Institutional Interactions

Judicial Politics

Chair
Robert Dudley, George Mason University

Participants
Female Suffrage through State and Federal Constitutional Revision, 1865-1920
Robinson Woodward-Burns, University of Pennsylvania
Taming the Toothless Tiger: The Failure of Pregnancy Discrimination Litigation in the 1970s
Rachel Jacob, Northern Illinois University
Artemus Ward, Northern Illinois University
The Effect of Partisan Politics on the Exercise of Judicial Review
Garrett Vande Kamp, Texas A&M University
The Ties That Bind: How Political Changes Influences Ties with Extraterritorial Courts
Harold Young, Austin Peay State University
Contesting the justice system; A study of societal trust in Europe, 2002-2014
peter achterberg, Tilburg University

Discussant
Jacqueline Sievert, Bowling Green State University
Tensions, Corruption, and Party Politics Around the Globe

Political Parties

Chair
Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida

Participants
Government Performance and Ethnic Voting in East-Central Europe
Katharine Aha, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

The Normative Foundations of Ideological Divisions in the Arab World
Malek Abduljaber, Wayne State University
Clifford Camp, Wayne State University

Democracy and Caste Politics in India: A Study in Andhra Pradesh
Dr. SATRI VEERA KESALU, UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD

Corruption and Political Party Financing in Nigeria
Abubakar Abdullahi, Department of Political Science, Usman Danfodiyo University, Sokoto-Nigeria

Party-citizen linkages in the U.S. and Argentina: Beyond the clientelistic-programmatic dichotomy
Rachel H Meade, Brown University
Jose Itzigsohn, Brown University

Changes in party identity - Has Jobbik become moderate?
Attila Farkas, Corvinus University of Budapest

Discussant
Dalston Ward, Washington University in St. Louis

This panel explores a broad range of topics relating to the ways in which parties help to facilitate but also sometimes exacerbate the challenges faced in democracies around the world.

Influence of Religion on Policy

Religion and Politics

Chair
Daniel Bennett, John Brown University

Participants
Religious Liberty Advocacy in the United States: Contrasting Three Legal Interest Groups
Daniel Bennett, John Brown University

Supreme Court Religious Doctrine in Texas Public Schools: A Test of the Composite Model of Compliance for Texas School Administrators
Charles Frederick Abel, Steven F. Austin State University
Donald Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

The Evolution of Faith-Based Opposition to the Teaching of Evolution
Malcolm Lee Cross, Tarleton State University

Faith, Foreign Aid, and Fearless Leaders: George W. Bush’s Presidential Decision-making Model and PEPFAR
Elizabeth Verardo, United States Military Academy

Discussant
Joseph S. Devaney, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
Consequences of Women's Presence in Elected Office

Women and Politics

Chair
Devin Joshi, Singapore Management University

Participants
Are Women Really More Ethical Even When They Are Powerful?
Byong Seob Kim, Seoul National University

Women and Corruption: ‘Political Cleaners’ or ‘Newbies’?
Miguel Maria Pereira, Washington University in St. Louis

Keeping the Lights On: Women and State Budget Impasses
Benjamin Melusky, Old Dominion University

One of a Kind or One of the Boys? Women as National Executives in Anglo-American Systems
Patricia Lee Sykes, American University

Dalit Women Political Participation and Empowerment through Panchayat Raj Institutions in India: Study in Telangana
M RAMCHANDRAIAH, UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD

Discussant
Devin Joshi, Singapore Management University

CWC 3: Elections and public support for democracy

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Jennifer Gandhi, Emory University

Participants
When polarization trumps civic virtue: Ideological conflict, captured voters, and the subversion of democracy by incumbents
Milan Svolik, Yale University

Social mobility and democratic attitudes
Christian Houle, MSU
Michael Miller, GWU

Elite cohesion in Putin's Russia
John Reuter, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

The temporal dynamics of election violence
Inken von Borzyskowski, FSU
Patrick Kuhn, University of Durham

Discussants
Jennifer Gandhi, Emory University
Daniela Donno, University of Pittsburgh

Elections and public support for democracy CW03 Politics of Authoritarian Regimes
Elections

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Michael M Ting, Columbia University

Participants
A Dynamic Model of Primaries
Tara Lyn Slough, Columbia University
Michael M Ting, Columbia University
Erin Ashley York, Columbia University

Ethical Motives for Strategic Voting
Christopher Miao Li, Princeton University
Ricardo Pique, Ryerson University

Endogenous Party Ideologies
Christopher Miao Li, Princeton University
Daniel Diermeier, University of Chicago

Multi-mode Campaigning
Scott Moser, University of Nottingham

Discussant
Scott Moser, University of Nottingham

21st Century Separation of Powers Issues: New Challenges for the Supreme Court

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
Mark Rush, Washington and Lee University

Participants
Executive Unilateralism on Trial
Jasmine Farrier, University of Louisville

The Hollowing out of Youngstown Sheet: The Obama Administration and Congressional Acquiescence
Chris Edelson, American University Law School

Presidential Signing Statements and Coordinate Constitutional Interpretation
Mark Rush, Washington and Lee University

The ‘Unitary Executive’ and Theories of Executive Power
Jeffrey Paul Crouch, American University
Mark J. Rozell, George Mason University
Mitchel A. Sollenberger, University of Michigan - Dearborn

Discussant
Jasmine Farrier, University of Louisville

The papers on this panel address new areas of tension between the executive and legislative branches that arise due to new challenges posed by global forces. The Supreme Court must address these issues by adapting its precedents to uncharted territory. Each paper examines a different aspect of these tensions and how the Court seeks to manage (if not resolve) them.
Disaggregating Civil Conflict

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Anup Phayal, University of Tennessee

Participants
Starving the Insurgency: Responding to Diaspora Support
Ben Lubben, Wayne State University

The Effect of Unorganized Civilian Violence Against the State in Non-State Actor Conflicts
Daniel Arnon, Emory University
Shawn Ling Ramirez, Emory University

The Effects of Pro-Government Militias on Conflict Outcome & Duration
Jonathan Nickens, Louisiana State University

The Impact of Drone Strikes on Global Perceptions of the United States
Blake Travis Roberts, Presbyterian College

Threat of violence and support for strong leadership
Anup Phayal, University of Tennessee

Discussant
Connor James Somgynari, Pennsylvania State University

The unfrozen party system.

Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations

Participants
A Change of Heart? Explaining Stability and Change in European Party Systems
Jelle Koedam, UNC Chapel Hill

Catalan Nationalism: The Secessionist Turn
Andre Lecours, University of Ottawa

Party Crashers
Christopher Way, Cornell University
Steffen Blings, Cornell University

Participation, Competition and the Quality of Democracy in Greece
Constantine P Danopoulos, San Jose State University

The Effects of General Strikes on Voting Intentions in Spain
Kerstin Hamann, University of Central Florida
Bonnie N Field, Bentley University
Alison Johnston, Oregon State University

Discussant
rachel cremona, Flagler College
### Race, Ethnicity and White Public Opinion

**Race, Ethnicity, and Gender**

**Participants**
- Immigrant Opposition in a Changing National Demographic
  Maneesh Arora, University of California, Irvine
- Exploring the Political Correlates of Implicit Dehumanization
  Steven Moore, University of Michigan
- Proximity and the Principle-Policy Gap in Whites’ Racial Attitudes
  Andrew J Taylor, North Carolina State University
- Moral Suburbia vs. Narco-Gangland: How Racial Motivations & Public Opinion Crippled the War on Drugs
  Clark DeMas, Georgia State University
- What Race is Your Member of Congress? Racial Awareness among White, African-American, Hispanic, and Asian-American Survey Respondents
  Edward M Burmila, Bradley University

### Initiatives, Referenda, and Money in State Politics

**State Politics**

**Chair**
- David Hughes, Auburn University at Montgomery

**Participants**
- Ballot Initiatives and Minority Rights
  Edward Leonard Lascher, California State University, Sacramento
- Boardroom Progressives or Rich People’s Movement?: The Dark Money Network Behind a Charter Schools Initiative
  Maurice Tobin Cunningham, University of Massachusetts at Bostonb
- Do Campaign Contributions Influence State Level Climate Change Policies?
  Shuang Zhao, The University of Alabama at Huntsville
  Andree Reeves, The University of Alabama at Huntsville
- The Policy Effects of Unlimited Spending in State Referenda
  John Brooks, Duke University
  Lefteris Anastasopoulos, University of Georgia

**Discussant**
- Michael Sances, University of Memphis
2321
Thursday
11:30am-1:00pm
Equity and Public Policy
Public Policy
Chair
Mitchell F Rice, Texas A&M University
Participants
Reforming SNAP: Punitive Policies, Moral Failings and the Creation of Social Policy
    Matthew Gritter, Angelo State University
The Public Sector Death Knell: Consequences of Fiscal Austerity Prison Reform
    Sarah Cate, University of Southern Mississippi
Evaluating housing assistance programs for the non-chronic homeless: Evidence from the Los Angeles County
    Soomi Lee, University of La Verne
    Nikki Shipley, University of La Verne
Breaking down the walls or rebuilding the Ghetto?
    Amos Zehavi, Tel Aviv University
    Dan Breznitz, University of Toronto
Working: Employer Responses to the New Overtime Rule
    Matthew Reid Krell, University of Alabama
Discussant
    Matthew Gritter, Angelo State University

2401
Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Memory, Tradition, & Change
Political Theory
Participants
Considering Burkean Progressivism
    Laura Back, Doctoral candidate
Who Gets Mourned? Memorial Day and the Politics of Remembering Slavery and American Wars
    Lucy Britt, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill
Political Imperatives: How the Present Considers the Past for a Free Future
    Irami Osei-Frimpong, University of Georgia
2402  
**Who Rules? Structure & Inequality**

**Political Theory**

**Participants**
- Classes of Aristocracy in Tocqueville’s Democracy in America
  - Alex Haskins, The University of Chicago
- Carl Schmitt’s Premium Blend Constitution
  - Freke Ette, University of Houston
- Working Politics
  - Maria R Rosales, Guilford College

2403  
**Climate Change and Environmental Policy**

**International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights**

**Chair**
- Leah Michelle Graham, University of North Alabama

**Participants**
- Accounting for Adaptive Capacity: Measuring Social and Political Adaptation to Climate Change
  - Emily K Maiden, University of Notre Dame
- Inter-Korean Negotiations on Forest Carbon Offset in Strident Antagonistic Relationship
  - Man-ho HEO, Kyungpook National University
  - Miran KIM, Kyungpook National University
- Network, City and East Asian Environmental Governance
  - Xiaopeng Xue, Dalian University of Foreign Languages
- Simplicity in Sustainable Living: How Clean Cookstoves Can Help Combat Disease, Deforestation, and Climate Change
  - Marla Cherney, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

**Discussant**
- Melia Pfannenstiel, Kansas State University
2404

Bureaucratic Politics in States and Localities

Bureaucratic Politics

Chair
George W Dougherty, University of Pittsburgh

Participants
Elected Bureaucrats: Analyzing the Public Utility Commissioners (PUCs)’ Elections in American States.
Junseok Kim, Dongguk University in Seoul
Enervate or Energize? Examining Enforcement Trends and Variation Across State-Run OSHA Programs 1984-2012
James Edward Vike, Widener University
Institutional Barriers and Interest Group Input in Economic Development Agencies
Joshua Jansa, Oklahoma State University
Police Militarization and the Use of Lethal Force
Edward Lawson, University of South Carolina
An Overview of Corruption in the US Governments
Yahong Zhang, Rutgers University in Newark
Razilya Shakirova, Rutgers University in Newark

Discussant
Jacqueline Chattopadhyay, UNC Charlotte

2405

Polling Procedures and Public Opinion

Public Opinion

Participants
Examining Mode Differences in the 2012 American National Election Study
Brian Guay, Duke University
D. Sunshine Hillygus, Duke University
Nicholas Valentino, University of Michigan
Kirill Zhirkov, University of Michigan
Knowing and Cheerleading: Circumventing Partisan Perceptual Screens to Improve Election Forecasts
Ian G Anson, University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Survey Transparency and Public Confidence in Polls
Michael D Cobb, NC State University

Discussant
Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University--Kingsville

These papers explore how the process of conducting and reporting public opinion polls influences what we learn about public opinion and how the public perceives what we tell them we've learned.
Comparative Political Economy: Government and Elites

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Patrick T. Brandt, University of Texas at Dallas

Participants
Derwin Munroe, University of Michigan-Flint

The Ambivalent Effects of Corruption: Measuring Outcomes in Economic Well-being and Political Stability across Post-Communist Eastern Europe
Sidita Kushi, Northeastern University

Class, Unequal Representation, and Satisfaction with Democracy in Latin America
Tiffany D Barnes, University of Kentucky
Gregory W Saxton, University of Kentucky

Inequality perception, inequality tolerance and collective action in China’s transformation
Juanjuan Li, Peking University

Inequality, Fiscal Transfers, and Demand for Redistribution in Latin America
Michael Zoorob, Harvard University

Discussant
Ryan M. Yonk, Utah State University

Who Votes?

Elections and Voting

Participants
The Electoral Effect of Stop-and-Frisk
Chris Dawes, New York University

The Relationship Between Education and Voter Turnout
Chris Dawes, New York University

The budgetary contraints of voters and its impact on ballot completion
Matt Lamb, Rice University
Robert Stein, Rice University

They're Coming to America: Country of Origin, Political Freedom, and Acculturation's Impact on Immigrant Turnout.
Peter Licari, The University of Florida
Michael P McDonald, University of Florida

Who Votes in Off-Year Elections? The Role of Demographics, Policy Preferences and District Characteristics
Jan Leighley, American University
jonathan nagler, NYU
2408

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm

Legislative Voting and Ideological Change

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Chair
David Fortunato, Texas A&M University

Participants
Ideological Change in Congress? Occasionally but Not Quickly and Not Everywhere
Jon R. Bond, Texas A&M University
Change Between Bill Versions in Legislatures: Whose Bills Change and Implications for Majority Party Power
Mary Alice Kroeger, Princeton University
Change We Can Believe In: Legislator Vote Change in Veto Overrides
Patrick D Rickert, Washington University in St. Louis
Coalition Stability Under Fixed-term Parliamentarism and the Single Transferable Vote: Evidence from American Cities
Jack M. Santucci, Georgetown University

Discussant
David Fortunato, Texas A&M University

2409

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm

American Legislative Institutions

History and Politics

Chair
Nicolas Wayne Thompson, University of South Florida

Participants
One-Party States, Uncompetitive Elections and Congressional Polarization
Neil O'Brian, UC Berkeley
The Advice and Consent of the Senate in Making Treaties
Sarah Mallams, University of Houston
The Institutionalization of the United States Senate: Changes in Careers and Behavior
Nicholas Howard, Auburn University Montgomery
Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler
A Voice of the Nation: The Speaker of the House and Foreign Policy Agenda-Setting
Jordan Cash, Baylor University

Panels on the evolution of American legislative institutions.
Reflexivity and Politics in the Academy

Teaching Political Science

Participants
The Academic Father: Experiences of Men at Research I Institutions
Diana Tracy Cohen, Central Connecticut State University
Gender and Participation in the Classroom
Sydney Gann, Florida State University
Phil Henrickson, Florida State University
Polarization in the Political Science Classroom
Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University
Joe Gershtenson, Eastern Kentucky University
Leaving the School of Government and Public Affairs: We Were So Wrong
Christopher J. Saladino, Virginia Commonwealth University

Studying State Courts of Last Resort

Judicial Politics
State Politics

Chair
Wendy Martinek, Binghamton University

Participants
Judicial Polarization on State Supreme Courts
David Hughes, Auburn University at Montgomery
State Court Enforcement of International Law: The Roles of Political and Economic Factors
Rebecca Reid, University of Texas at El Paso
Todd Curry, University of Texas at El Paso
Gaspare Genna, University of Texas at El Paso
The Impact of Gender on Administrative Agenda-Setting by Chief Justices of State High Courts
Richard L Vining, University of Georgia
Teena Wilhelm, University of Georgia
United States Supreme Court Review and Support for State Court Decisions
Robert M Howard, Georgia State University
Justin Kingsland, Georgia State University
Matthew Montgomery, Georgia State University
Toby Bolsen, Georgia State University
Strategic Dissensus on State High Courts: Electoral Incentives and Disincentives
Benjamin Kassow, University of North Dakota

Discussant
Michael Nelson, Pennsylvania State University
2412

Party Competition and Coalition Formation

Political Parties

Chair
Seth Masket, University of Denver

Participants
How Labor Swung the Ideologues: A Formal Model of Vote-Maximizing with Exit
Gina Yannitell Reinhardt, University of Essex
Jennifer Nicoll Victor, George Mason University
On the relationship between Vote or Seat Margins and Two-Party Competition
Allen Brierly, Independent Scholar
Parties’ Preferences for Office and Policy Goals
Anna Bassi, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Bernard I Tamas, Valdosta State University
When Do Parties Target the Poor? Inequality and Party Strategies
Elif Ozdemir, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant
ROBERT SALDIN, University of Montana

How do strategic parties and elites behave, and what are their goals? The papers on this panel explore a variety of topics that all address these basic questions. Specifically, when do stable party coalitions form? When do they converge on the median voter versus appealing to their base? When are they motivated by policy goals versus simply gaining office? And when do parties appeal to economically vulnerable individuals?

2413

Democratic Values and Identity

Religion and Politics

Chair
Maurice Moshe Eisenstein, Purdue University Northwest

Participants
Israel and the U.S.: A Comparative Assessment of The Legal Structure of Religion and its Influence on Political Tolerance
Marie A. Eisenstein, Indiana University Northwest
Maurice Moshe Eisenstein, Purdue University Northwest
Religiosity and Out-group Tolerance in Bosnia-Herzegovina
Matthew Thomas Becker, University of Tampa
Losing My Religion: Liberty of Conscience and Religious Tests for Office in the United States
Ted Henry Brown, Southwestern Oklahoma State University
Guest Chaplains in the House of Representatives: A Unique Constituent Service Opportunity
Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

Discussant
Daniel Vincent Betti, Texas A&M University Kingsville
2414

Changing Perceptions of Gender in the Public Eye

Women and Politics

Chair
Jennie Sweet-Cushman, Chatham University

Participants
Has the Global Increase in Female Members of Parliament Changed Media Portrayals of Them?
Devin Joshi, Singapore Management University
Twitter & the Mobilization of Pro-Choice Activists
Susan Lynn Roberts, Davidson College
From Private to Public: Examining Violence Against Women Policy in Albania
Ingrid Bego, Western Carolina University
Opening the Door: The Role of Conflict in Security Sector Gender Mainstreaming Policy Adoption
Laura Huber, Emory University
How Are Traditional Notions of Hegemonic Masculinity Affected by Women in Military and Security Institutions?
Megan A Lounsbury, University of Georgia

Discussants
Jennie Sweet-Cushman, Chatham University
Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College

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CWC 3: Political economy of authoritarian regimes

Conference Within a Conference

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Christian Houle, MSU

Participants
Investments in public goods in 19th century Prussian cities
Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M
Political centralization, public goods, and the persistence of bad housing in Russian municipalities
Quintin Beazer, FSU
Both principal and agent: Reconciling conflicting conceptions of dictatorship
Peter Lorentzen, University of California, Berkeley
The signal from the noise: Cosponsorship and information in China's local People's Congress
Dimitar Gueorguiev, Syracuse University
Steven Matthew Oliver, Yale-NUS College

Discussants
Christian Houle, MSU
Arturas Rozenas, NYU and Hoover Institution

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| Hurricane Katrina and the Social and Political Construction of Disaster Recovery | Patrick Roberts, Virginia Tech  
| Social Ties that Kept the Lights On: Community Resilience Following the 2016 Baton Rouge Flooding | Courtney Page, Northeastern University  
| Voices of Disaster: News Coverage and Official Narratives | Tom Birkland, North Carolina State University  
| Does Extreme Weather Affect Public Finance? A County-level Examination of the American West | Qing Miao, RIT |
| **Discussant** | Brian Gerber, Arizona State University |

Disasters from hurricanes, winter storms, and terrorist attacks have become a prominent part of our social and political life. This panel will engage topics related to how the public understands disasters and how local governments respond (or not) to these events.
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Thursday 1:15pm-2:45pm

International Conflict Processes

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Todd Clayton Robinson, US Air War College

Participants
Deterrence Theory: A Degenerative Research Program?
Todd Clayton Robinson, US Air War College
Dispute Resolution Among Allies: Balancing Capabilities, Issue Salience, and Collective Security
Vanessa A. Lefler, Middle Tennessee State University
Taking Voters Seriously: Electoral Cycles of Audience Costs
Kiyotaka Yasui, Waseda University
The Role of Alliances in Wartime Dynamics and Strategy
Doug Atkinson, University of Georgia
Josh Jackson, University of Georgia
When States Copy: A Case Study in International Alliances and Plagiarism
Matthew Christopher Millard, University of Alabama

Discussant
glenn palmer, penn state university

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Thursday 1:15pm-2:45pm

Immigrant, refugees, and politics.

Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations

Participants
How Perceptions of Immigrants Affect Voter Turnout Among Dissatisfied Individuals
Matthew Alan Bufford, University of Georgia
Local Political Contexts and Immigrant Integration
Dalston Ward, Washington University in St. Louis
Anna Piil Damm, Aarhus University
Refugees, Asylum Determination, and the European Welfare States
Misty Knight-Finley, UCI
Patricia Rodda, UCI
Angela Merkel's Leadership during Europe's Refugee Crisis
Sarah Elise Wiliarty, Wesleyan University

Discussant
Ingrid Grosse, Dalarna University, Sweden
The Many Faces of Racism

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Participants

"Are You Too Busy to Listen Up?" Exploring the Effects of Race on Local Legislators' Proclivities toward Distractions in Public Meetings  
Bai Linh Hoang, University of Texas Arlington

An Agent-Based Model: The Potential Effects of Colorism (Skin Color Bias) on Policing Outcomes  
Henry Smart, III, Virginia Tech

Are Teachers the New Welfare Queens? The Case of CPS in the Illinois Budget Stalemate  
Magic M Wade, University of Illinois Springfield

Environmental Racism: How the Social Construction of Race as a Pollutant Shaped Waste Disposal Policy  
Sharon J. Ridgeway, Ph.D., University of Louisiana at Lafayette

The Evolution and Implications of Perceptions of Barack Obama  
Matthew Jacobsmeier, West Virginia University

Parties and Polarization in the American States

State Politics

Chair  
Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana Monroe

Participants

Polarization's Impact on Local Government.  
Michael Sances, University of Memphis

Polarization, Legislative Constraint, and Executive Policymaking in the United States  
Michael Barber, Brigham Young University

Polarization, Legislative Constraint, and Executive Policymaking in the United States  
Alexander Bolton, Emory University

Reexaming Party Influence: Evidence from Minnesota's Natural Experiment  
Sharece Thrower, Vanderbilt University

Sex, Drugs and Faith: Morality Politics and Issue Ownership in the American States  
Nicole Foster Shoaf, Missouri Southern State University

Legislative Leadership and CPG in U.S. State Legislatures  
Laine Shay, UGA

Discussant  
Whitney Ross Manzo, Meredith College
The Influence of Ideology, Perception and Beliefs on Public Policy

**Public Policy**

**Chair**
Michelle Pautz, University of Dayton

**Participants**

- Shared Determinants Within the Typology of Morality Policy
  Eric DeBruin, San Jacinto College - South

- Knowledge Hubris, Risks, and Vaccine Policies: Exploring the Effects of Knowledge Hubris on Vaccination Benefit and Risk Perceptions and Policy Views
  Creed Tumlison, University of Arkansas
  Geoboo Song, University of Arkansas

- Different Facts for Different Folks: Segmented Policy Preferences at the Nexus of Water, Energy, and Food Issues
  Brian Shreck, Texas Tech University
  Arnold Vedlitz, Texas A&M University

- The Promise of Constructivism for Studying and Making Public Policy
  David Edwards, University of Texas at Austin

- It's in the Measure: How Policy Measures Affect State Immigrant Policy Research
  Michael Rivera, University of Texas at Austin

- Investor perception of second amendment related policy change
  John Levendis, Loyola University New Orleans
  Mehmet Dicle, Loyola University New Orleans
  Betul Dicle, Research by the Numbers, LLC

**Discussant**
David Edwards, University of Texas at Austin

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Critical Social Theory, Loosely Construed

**Political Theory**

**Participants**

- Ranciere, Race & Time
  Utz McKnight, University of Alabama

- Deleuze & Guattari on Ideology
  John Protevi, Louisiana State University

- The Currency of the General Will: Money as Collective Agency
  Robert Hocket, Cornell Law School

- The Devil is in the Categories: Metaphysics & Political Thought
  Ruth Groff, Saint Louis University
Working at the juncture of two disciplines, political science and linguistics, our proposed panel is focused on the concept of "political culture," particularly as it is shaped by what in the field of linguistics is often called "linguistic relativity." More specifically, we draw on the works of 20th century phenomenologists Edmund Husserl and Alfred Schutz and linguistic theorists Edward Sapir and Benjamin Whorf. The efforts of the latter two are popularly referenced in linguistic theory as the Sapir-Whorf Hypothesis. Although there is much nuance and controversy surrounding debates regarding this hypothesis, it generally holds that "the world is differently experienced and conceived in different linguistic communities" (Brown and Lenneberg 1954, 455). Combing insights from this tradition in linguistic theory with aspects of the above referenced scholars in philosophy and political science, participants on our proposed panel, working with German, Japanese, Spanish, and Arabic languages and cultures, wish to challenge whether diminishing language requirements in graduate political science programs is wise policy.
Political Participation in a Digital Age

Comparative Political Behavior

Chair
Anderson M Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin

Participants
Assessing Offline and Online Political Participation in China
Ping Xu, University of Rhode Island

Global Digital Activism and Goal Attainment: Statistical Determinants of Strategies and Successes
Melissa Buice, West Virginia Wesleyan College
Julie Shelton, University of Tennessee

Patterns of Conventional and Un-Conventional Political Participation in Global Perspective
Christian Haerpfer, World Values Survey Association
Kseniya Kizilova, World Values Survey Association
Shoring Up Autocracy: Participatory Technologies and Regime Support in Putin's Russia
Hannah Chapman, University of Wisconsin-Madison

The Internet and Regime Stability in a Non-Democracy: Evidence from Russia
Matthew Placek, University of South Carolina Upstate

Discussant
Anderson M Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin

Race of Interviewer Effects in Public Opinion Surveys

Public Opinion

Participants
More Accurate Responses or Just Different Bias? Assessing Race of Interviewer Effects in the ANES
Clinton M. Jenkins, The George Washington University
Ismail K White, The George Washington University
Michael Hamner, University of Maryland
Antoine Banks, University of Maryland

Peter Licari, The University of Florida

The Persistence of Race-Of-Interviewer Effects in Telephone Surveys
Adolphus Belk, Winthrop University
Scott H Huffmon, Winthrop University
Christopher N Lawrence, Middle Georgia State University

Discussant
Ian G Anson, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

These papers all address how the race of the interviewer influences responses on public opinion surveys.
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Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Identity Politics: Bringing the Nation Back Out

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Brian Shoup, Mississippi State University

Participants
Sport and National Identity in Iran
Ehsan Kashfi, University of South Florida
Women and Gender in the 1979 Iranian Revolution
Sahar Razavi, Northern Arizona University
Benevolent/Malevolent Colonialism: The Social, Religious, and Political Origins of Contradictory Perceptions of Colonial Experiences and Their Effects on National Identities of India and Pakistan
Samee Lashari, Northern Arizona University
Chiefaiancy Institutions and Political Ethnicity in Africa: evidence from Tanzania
Theophilus Yakah, University of Virginia
The State and Sociopolitical Violence in Pakistan
Islam Muhammad, supporter

Discussant
Yael Zeira, University of Mississippi

2607

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Apathy, distrust, and discontent

Elections and Voting

Participants
Channeling Discontent? Nonvoters, Populist Party Voters, and Their Affective Political Agency
Roy Kemmers, Erasmus University College Rotterdam, the Netherlands
Effects of elections: A panel data analysis of political trust among winners and losers
Eefje Steenvoorden, Erasmus University Rotterdam
Tom Van der Meer, University of Amsterdam
The ‘Lesser Evil’ Problem in Elections and Election Studies
Jason Maloy, University of Louisiana, Lafayette
Voter Apathy in Jamaica: An Assessment of the 2016 General Election
Tracy-Ann Johnson-Myers, University of the West Indies, Jamaica
Who do you trust?: Investigating political trust during the 2016 elections
Mia Kamal Sanati, Louisiana State University
Authors Meet Critics: Strategic Party Government

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Participants
- David Rohde, Duke University
- Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia
- John Patty, University of Chicago

Chair
- Kris Kanthak, University of Pittsburgh

Discussants
- Matthew Lebo, Stony Brook University
- Gregory Koger, University of Miami

This is a roundtable discussion of a new book on Congressional parties, Strategic Party Government.

Program Director Initiative Panel: Spatial Models of Politics

Spatial Models of Politics

Chair
- Andrea Yvette Simpson, University of Richmond

Participants
- Next Door or Next of Kin? Disaggregating Contagious Conflict & Preemptive Repression
  K. Chad Clay, University of Georgia
- Modeling Spatio-Temporal Dynamics in Time-Series Cross-Sectional Data
  Scott Cook, Texas A&M University
  Jude Hays, University of Pittsburgh
  Robert Franzese, University of Michigan
- Theory Testing and Development with Spatially Dependent Data: A Menu of Mixed-Methods Research Designs
  Imke Harbers, University of Amsterdam
  Matthew C Ingram, University at Albany, SUNY

Discussants
- Christopher Hare, University of California, Davis
- David Hughes, Auburn University at Montgomery

Geography and politics are necessarily intertwined. Political units are defined by geographic borders, and political culture is similar among nearby residents. In this panel, several researchers demonstrate great techniques that address geographic dependencies in data across an array of substantive research areas.
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Thursday 3:00pm-4:30pm

Teaching Political Science

Participants

Political Science Madness: Teaching Key Concepts Using a Bracket-Style Tournament Competition
Michael Patrick Broache, University of Tampa

The Pedagogical Value of Sport in Teaching Political Science
Joel Olufowote, McMurry University

Assessing Student Learning in Mock Trials, Policy, and Model United Nations Simulations
Elizabeth Wheat, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

Causing a Crisis: Simulating Interstate Crisis Conditions as a Learning Exercise in Crisis Diplomacy
Matthew Clary, Auburn University
Virginia Clary, University of Georgia
Andrew Owsiak, University of Georgia

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Thursday 3:00pm-4:30pm

The Role of External Actors in Judicial Politics

Judicial Politics

Chair
Rachael K. Hinkle, University at Buffalo

Participants

Beyond Appointment: Presidential Influence in the Federal Judiciary
Lauren Mattioli, Princeton University

Civil Conflict as Critical Juncture in the Development of Judicial Independence
Brad Epperly, University of South Carolina
Jacqueline Sievert, Bowling Green State University

Banks Miller, University of Texas at Dallas
Brett Curry, Georgia Southern University

Judicial selection and decision making: evaluating the policy impact of Obama’s appointments to the U.S. Courts of Appeals
Susan Haire, University of Georgia
Bryson Culver, University of Georgia

Reagan's Constitutional Vision vs. Reagan's Political Vision: The Lasting Legacy of the Asymmetry
Richard Alexander Izquierdo, Seton Hall University

Discussant
Alicia Uribe-McGuire, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Understanding Contemporary American Parties

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Political Parties

Chair
Seth Masket, University of Denver

Participants
A Tea Party Congress? How Tea Party Legislators Behave
Rachel Marie Blum, Miami University of Ohio
For God and Party: Descriptive Representation, Religion and the American Party System
Shanna Pearson-Merkowitz, University of Rhode Island
John McTague, Towson University
Populist Challenges to the Party Establishments
Wayne Steger, DePaul University
The Party Decline Thesis: Misinterpreting Political Change
Jeffrey Morgan Stonecash, Syracuse University

Discussant
Alexa Bankert, University of Georgia

As this panel is being constructed, Donald Trump has secured the Republican presidential nomination and is surging in the polls. Hillary Clinton, who has been the presumed Democratic nominee for years, is having difficult rallying young voters who would have preferred Bernie Sanders as their candidate. What is happening, and how did we get here? From Tea Party legislators, to religious activists, to populist uprisings, this panel explores the landscape of contemporary party politics and how we got from apparent “dealignment” in the 1960’s and 70’s to the polarization we see today.

Islam and National Identity

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Religion and Politics

Chair
Jennifer M. Simons, University of Virginia

Participants
Muslim Voting and the Radical Right: An Intersectional Look at European National Identity
Jennifer M. Simons, University of Virginia
New Wave of Mobilization in the Kashmir Valley since 2008: Religious or Political?
Simple Mohanty, Delhi University
The Role of Religion in the Establishment of Turkishness
Dilara C Hekimci-Adak, Bahcesehir University

Discussant
Mir Zohair Husain, University of South Alabama
### Gender and Latin American Politics

**Women and Politics**

**Caribbean and Latin American Politics**

**Chair**

Renee Scherlen, Appalachian State University

**Participants**

- Don't Call Me Negra: Afro Latinas in Modern Day Brazil
  Andrea C Peña-Vasquez, University of Notre Dame
- Shauna N Gillooly, University of California, Irvine
- State Repression and Domestic Voices: Explaining Women's Protests in Latin America
  Dakota Thomas, University of Kentucky
- Women Mobilizing Women: Presidential Contests in Chile and Brazil 1999-2014
  Catherine Reyes-Housholder, Cornell University

**Discussant**

Renee Scherlen, Appalachian State University

### CWC 3 Repression in authoritarian regimes

**Conference Within a Conference**

**Chair**

Milan Svolik, Yale University

**Participants**

- The coercive state in Africa
  Mai Hassan, University of Michigan
- Indiscriminate repression and political mobilization in autocracies
  Arturas Rozenas, NYU and Hoover Institution
- In public or in private: Repressing dissidents in China
  Dimitar Gueorguiev, Syracuse University
- Rescuing autocracy from itself: China's anti-corruption campaigns
  Peter Lorentzen, University of California, Berkeley
  Xi Lu, UC Berkeley

**Discussants**

Milan Svolik, Yale University
Yuhua Wang, Harvard University

Repression in authoritarian regimes CWC 3 Politics of Authoritarian Regimes
Legislatures

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Monika Nalepa, The University of Chicago

Participants
Agenda Setting: the Third Pathway to Voting Unity.
Royce Carroll, University of Essex
Monika Nalepa, The University of Chicago
Backward Induction in the Wild: Evidence from the U.S. Senate
B Pablo Montagnes, Emory
Daniel Magleby, SUNY Binghampton
Jorg Spenkuch, Northwestern University
Houses in Motion: Bicameralism and Partisan Coordination
Jonathan Lewallen, University of Texas at Austin
Scott Moser, University of Nottingham
Whistleblower in the Parliament
Betul Demirkaya, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant
Daniel Magleby, SUNY Binghampton

CWC 4: Disasters and Political Institutions

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Warren Eller, West Virginia University

Participants
Local Policy Learning and Disasters
Kristin O'Donovan, Wayne State University
Analogical Reasoning Across Time and Space: Does Context Matter?
Robert DeLeo, Bentley University
The Narratives of Focusing Events: Applying the Multiple Streams Approach to the Narrative Policy Framework
Meg Warnament, North Carolina State University
Understanding the Mechanisms and Processes of Inter-jurisdictional Coordination in the Management of Natural Hazards
Grent Neeley, University of Dayton
(Re)Emergent Government Institutions in Disaster Response
Malka Older, Sciences Po

Discussant
Warren Eller, West Virginia University

As disasters have become more politically salient, they have become the subject of activity with many major political institutions. This panel will discuss how these political institutions affect the politics of disasters -- and how disasters affect these institutions.
Economics of Conflict

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**
Amanda G. Sanford, Louisiana Tech University

**Participants**
- In Praise of Market Volatility: The Moderating Effect of Price Volatility on Food Riots and Civil Conflict
  - Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi
  - Ryan Bakker, University of Georgia
- International Conflict and Third-Party Trade Dynamics: The Circumvention Hypothesis
  - Amanda G. Sanford, Louisiana Tech University
- Re-examining the Grievance-Conflict Nexus: Comparison of Objective and Subjective Grievance Measures
  - David J. Hendry, London School of Economics
  - Sunhee Park, Aarhus University
- Regional Power Dynamics and Bilateral Trade Flows
  - Nathan Alvin Andrew, Graduate Student
  - Matthew DiGiuseppe, University of Mississippi
- Social Mobility and Political Instability
  - Christian Houle, MSU

**Discussant**
Paul Zachary, UCSD

Brexit and the Eurosceptics

**Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations**

**Chair**
Dalston Ward, Washington University in St. Louis

**Participants**
- BREAKING DOWN BREXIT: Democracy, Culture and the Failing European Experiment
  - Rachel Cremona, Flagler College
- Brexit Vote: Will it Matter?
  - Nathan Price, University of North Georgia
- Just Say ‘No’: Explaining the Electoral Fortunes of Niche Parties in Europe
  - Carrie Humphreys, University of Tennessee at Martin
- Thermostatic Responsiveness and the “Early Warning System:” Do Reasoned Opinions Reduce Public Euroskepticism?
  - Christopher J Williams, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

**Discussant**
Christopher Way, Cornell University
Investigating the Relationship between Gender Discrimination and Human Rights in Different Local Contexts
Thursday 3:00pm-4:30pm
Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair
Laura Sjoberg, University of Florida

Panel Chair: Dr. Laura Sjoberg, University of Florida
Panelists: Shrittha Vasudevan, University of Florida. shrittha@ufl.edu Kathleen Sabol, University of Florida. kcsabol01@ufl.edu Miaad Hassan, University of Florida. miaadhassan@ufl.edu Jeeye Song, University of Florida. jeeyesong@ufl.edu Ningxin Dong, University of Florida. ningxindo1g@ufl.edu Discussant: Dr. Brooke Ackerly, Vanderbilt University

Abstract: Shrittha Vasudevan: “Resolution of the Constitutional Dilemma of the Uniform Civil Code in India through the CEDAW” One of the most persistent debates characterizing India is that over a Uniform Civil Code (UCC), as it is based on competing constitutional principles. The Indian constitution professes a commitment to secularism and yet permits distinct religious codes for its religious communities—Hindu, Muslim, Parsee and Christian, known Personal Status Laws (PSL) on matters of property, succession, inheritance, guardianship, adoption and marriage. The Indian feminist movement argues that the PSL discriminate against women and has called for a gender equal UCC. This paper considers this call for the UCC against India’s Declaration to CEDAW’s Article 5(a) stating that “it shall abide by and ensure these provisions in conformity with its policy of non-interference in the personal affairs of any Community without its initiative and consent.” The primary argument of this paper is that there exist inextricable empirical patterns linking the institutions of gender-based violence in Indian society with the religious system of property laws codified by the Hindu Personal Laws and hence India’s Declaration is violative of the foremost international legal principle on gender-based violence— the due diligence obligation to the CEDAW. This paper further argues there exists sufficient ground to characterize the CEDAW’s due diligence norm as a peremptory norm and the persistence of the Hindu Personal Laws are in effect a serious derogation of a basic jus cogens norm of the international legal order. Further, this paper argues that this egregious breach of public international law requires to be immediately remedied within India by filing a public interest litigation petition arguing that Indian women require a right against gender-based violence under Article 21 of India’s constitution. Hence, the interrelationship between culture and human rights is examined in the context of India’s compliance obligations with the CEDAW’s due diligence principle. Kathleen Sabol: “Integrating Women’s Political Participation while Rebuilding Afghanistan” Rebuilding a nation after enduring both an international conflict and years of control by a terrorist organization, requires the reconstruction of political, social, and cultural entities. For example, the restructuring of the political system in Afghanistan after the fall of the Taliban in 2001 illustrates how a post-conflict setting can allow for the inclusion of women into the electoral process through a quota system of reserved seats. As Afghanistan transitioned into a democracy, the incorporation of women into the nation’s political structure facilitated an expansion of gender roles, including the participation of women in writing the constitution. The new Afghanistan constitution consisted of provisions for state-sponsored education for women, granted women the right to work, and implemented a gendered quota system for electing women into the Afghanistan Parliament. Despite being under control by a terrorist organization that completely eliminated women’s rights in a country, adjusting the political structure of a nation can aid in the expansion of gender roles and restore women’s rights. Miaad Hassan: “The Role of Culture in Understanding and Identifying Women’s Rights Violations” With a female population of 55-65% out of the overall population of about 29 million Iraqis, and with a long history that witnesses women's contribution to the society, Iraqi women despite of the costly price they paid for the war, they also have been marginalized since the U.S. led war in 2003. That has been accompanied with weak and ineffective government in which human rights violations is not a top priority in its agenda. My paper will discuss the condition of women and women's rights during conflict times in Iraq, (as the country has witnessed a number of wars as well as the recent ISIS occupation). I will relate this violence against women rights to both political and cultural conditions but will place the latter as the source of justification for the ever worsening women conditions. I will particularly discuss the structural violence and how it is being the damaging deprivation caused by the nature of the society’s culture, policies, and institutions. Examples of women rights violations in Iraq include unjust civil laws, applying Sharia’a law exclusively on imprisonment of women and children, human trafficking, honor killing, rape, and sex slaves as in the Islamic State ISIS. This case study intends to reveal a new kind of a relationship that exist between culture and human rights, and as examined within the context Iraq and will open the door for further investigation about culture and religion and issue of compliance with the universalistic human rights principles. The paper will employ some theories of IR and conflict resolution models. Jeeye Song: “Bringing Comfort to Comfort-Women: An Analysis of Relations between Japan and South Korea after the Second World War” The diplomatic relations between Japan and South Korea since 1945 have been evolved with criticism and apologies for Japanese colonialism. One of the issues related to the colonialism is on “comfort women” who were forced into sexual slavery for the Japanese military during the Second World War. The women from Korea, China, and the Philippines were lured or forced to work for the Imperial Japan, which turned out to be government-organized prostitution in the Japanese-occupied territories such as Burma, Thailand, Vietnam, Malaysia, and Taiwan. This paper examines how the apologies and compensation have been negotiated between Japan and South Korea since the end of the World War II. When they established the
The President's Constitutional Power

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
Michelle Belco, University of Houston

Participants
A Constitutional Defense of Prerogative: Taft’s Our Chief Magistrate and His Powers
Kevin J. Burns, Baylor University

The Ascent to the Throne: The Rise of the Monarchical Presidency
Thomas Laehn, University of Iowa College of Law

National Security Council Entrepreneurship: A Framework for Analysis
Karine Premont, Sherbrooke University
Charles-Philippe David, University of Quebec in Montreal
Vincent Boucher, University of Quebec in Montreal
Florence Darveau Routhier, University of Sherbrooke

The Assassination Attempt Against Ronald Reagan: Skillful Medical Treatment and Major Political effects
Robert E. Gilbert, Northeastern University

Discussant
Wendy Ginsberg, Congressional Research Service
Implementation and Effects of The Affordable Care Act

Public Policy

Chair
Mitchell F Rice, Texas A&M University

Participants
The "Obamacare" contradiction in New York: Access versus Cost Containment
jeffrey kraus, wagner college

Is the Affordable Care Act Cultivating a Cross-Class Constituency? Low- and Middle-Income Americans' Beliefs about Health Care Reform’s Personal Impact
Jacqueline Chattopadhyay, UNC Charlotte

Covering the Poor: Explaining Variation in the Expansion of Community Health Centers
Dana Patton, University of Alabama
Richard Fording, University of Alabama
Michael Nicholson, University of Alabama

Discussant
George W Dougherty, University of Pittsburgh

Liberalism & Relations of Power

Political Theory

Participants
Ambiguity in Action
Jennifer P Forsee, Santa Fe College

Running Sweatshops and Endorsing Political Violence: Reconciling the Moral Demands of Liberalism with Its Historical Sense
Brandon Turner, Clemson University

Neoliberal Sovereignty and Segregation in Alabama
lindsey smith, University of Alabama

Confrontational Citizenship
William W Sokoloff, UT - Rio Grande Valley

The road to hell is paved with good conventions: Anarchism, state sovereignty, and human rights.
Michael Kilburn, Endicott College
Roundtable: Two New Books on Toleration

Political Theory

Participants
Deborah Mower, University of Mississippi
Evan Haefeli, Texas A & M University
Dwight Allman, Baylor University
Emily Nacol, Vanderbilt University

Discussants
Teresa M. Bejan, University of Oxford
Andrew Robert Murphy, Rutgers University

This roundtable will bring together an interdisciplinary group of scholars to discuss two important new books on toleration and diversity: Teresa Bejan, MERE CIVILITY: DISAGREEMENT AND THE LIMITS OF TOLERATION (Harvard, 2016), and Andrew Murphy, LIBERTY, CONSCIENCE, AND TOLERATION: THE POLITICAL THOUGHT OF WILLIAM PENN (Oxford, 2016). Participants from Departments of History and Philosophy, as well as Political Science, will reflect on the two books, and the authors will be present to respond. Time for audience participation and Q/A will be provided.

Contemporary Challenges in Global Migration

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Chair
Patrick Egan, Tulane University

Participants
Blacks in Asia: Identity and Belonging
   Dr. Sharron Herron-Williams, Alabama State University
   Dr. Alecia Hoffman, Alabama State University
African Exodus: Voices of new migrants to Italy/Europe & their dangerous crossings
   Robert M Press, University of Southern Mississippi
Hitting too Close to Home: Asylum Decisions as a Practice of Border Control
   Anna Rose Oltman, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Mitigating the Syrian Refugee Crisis?: Truth, Consequences, & Regional Security
   Paul Lenze, Jr., Northern Arizona University
Co-ethnic Refugees and Repression
   Saadet Ulasoglu, Florida State University
Public Perception toward Migrants: Citizenship Law Matters?
   Yu Jin Woo, University of Virginia

Discussant
Jennifer Ann Davis, National Intelligence University
Understanding Domestic Political Institutions in the Context of International Relations

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Amanda Clayton, Vanderbilt University

Participants
China's Domestic Immigration Regimes: Economic Determinants of Domestic Migration Integration Policies
Samantha Vortherms, University of Wisconsin-Madison

The Limits of Limited Government: Effective Checks and Balances, Governance, and Investment in Comparative Perspective
Michael Touchton, University of Miami

Innovation, Imitation, or Imposition? Changes in Regime Patterns from 1810-2010.
Ian Oliver Smith, St. Mary's University

Similar Origins, Different Destinations: Explaining Cross-national Variation in Post-Communist Europe’s Fight against Corruption
Mert Kartal, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

Discussant
Melia Pfannenstiel, Kansas State University

The Public Opinion of the Right

Public Opinion

Participants
"The Law and Order Candidate": Perceptions of Law Enforcement by Trump Voters
Whitney Ross Manzo, Meredith College
David McLennan, Meredith College

Abortion Attitudes, Racial Conservatism and the Republican Party
Neil O'Brian, UC Berkeley
Elizabeth Herman, UC Berkeley

How people organize cultural attitudes: Cultural belief systems and the Populist Radical Right
Stijn Daenekindt, Ghent University (BE) and Erasmus University Rotterdam (NL)
Willem de Koster, Erasmus University Rotterdam
Jeroen van der Waal, Erasmus University Rotterdam

White Racial Ideology and Group Cohesion: Racial Prejudice and Linked Fate among Whites
Matthew Fowler, Indiana University

Discussant
Ian G Anson, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

These papers examine factors that have aided the emergence of conservative politics.
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**Friends of the Court: Exploring the Role of Amicus Briefs**

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Morgan Hazelton, SLU

**Participants**
Amicus Curiae Filings in the Supreme Court, 2005-14
  - John M Scheb, University of Tennessee
  - Richard Pacelle, University of Tennessee
  - Hemant Kumar Sharma, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
  - David Scott, Tusculum College
The Makings of a Good Friend: Characteristics of an Effective Amicus Curiae Brief
  - Catherine Gayle Thrash, University of Alabama
Changing the Frame: Amicus Curiae Influence on Supreme Court Abortion Decisions
  - Laura Moyer, University of Louisville
Vested Interests: Amicus Curiae Influence on State High Court Opinions
  - Allison Trochesset, University of Georgia

**Discussant**
Claire Wofford, College of Charleston

2707

**Cyber-Campaigns**

**Elections and Voting**

**Participants**
Clinton v. Clinton: The Trump Factor
  - Allison Pingley, USC Upstate
Credibility, Viability, and Strategic Voting
  - Joshua Darr, Louisiana State University
  - Robyn Stiles, LSU
From Joy to Tears in 140 Characters: Understanding Emotional Appeals in Gubernatorial Primaries
  - Anne Bennett Smithson, George Mason University
Gaps in the Digital Democracy: Strategic Candidates and Issue Obfuscation
  - David Niven, University of Cincinnati
Partisanship as One of Many Politically Relevant Social Identities
  - Kevin Munger, NYU
  - jonathan nagler, NYU
**Party Loyalty and Leadership**

Thursday 4:45pm-6:15pm

**Legislative Politics: Institutions**

**Chair**
C. Lawrence Evans, College of William and Mary

**Participants**
Cultivating Congressional Leaders: the Democratic Study Group and Alternative Leadership Pipelines in the Reform Era
Emily Baer, University of Minnesota

Issue Choice and Legislative Apprenticeship in the House of Representatives
Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

Solving the Partisan Jigsaw Puzzle
C. Lawrence Evans, College of William and Mary
Charles Truxillo, College of William and Mary

On Message: Party Loyalty and One Minute Speeches in the House of Representatives
Tyler Hughes, Cal State Northridge
Gregory Koger, University of Miami

**Discussant**
Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School of Public Policy

**Methods And Other Delights**

Thursday 4:45pm-6:15pm

**History and Politics**

**Chair**
Billy Monroe, Prairie View A&M University

**Participants**
From Enactment to Repeal: Measuring Repeal Significance
Jordan Ragusa, College of Charleston

Issue Areas and Political Time
Matthew Mark Caverly, Middle Georgia State University

Lineage or Legions? The Determinants of Reign Duration in Classical Rome
Daniel Smith, University of Maryland
Thomas Gray, University of Virginia

Process Tracing in Political Science: a Rigorous Scientific Method?
Pippa Morgan, Fudan University

**Discussant**
Chris Zorn, Pennsylvania State University
International Relations and Domestic Audiences

Thursday
4:45pm-6:15pm

Chair
Leah Michelle Graham, University of North Alabama

Participants
Audience Costs … with Chinese Characteristics?
Ray Thomas Hartman, Seoul National University
Bringing Public Opinion Back In: Two Types of Audience Costs
Kiyotaka Yasui, Waseda University
When Is Diplomatic Expulsion Used for Political Purposes?
Anthony Jordan, University of Nevada - Las Vegas

Discussant
Nicholas P. Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University

Looking at the Supreme Court Over Time

Judicial Politics

Thursday
4:45pm-6:15pm

Chair
Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College

Participants
Philosophy and Ideology Side-by-Side on the Courthouse Steps
Michelle Marie Buehlmann, George Mason University
Strategic Judicial Supremacy
Barrett Lee Anderson, Utah State University
Robert Ross, Utah State University
The Salience of Ideologically Polarized Supreme Court Decisions Over Time
Aaron Houck, Queens University of Charlotte
Andrew O'Geen, Davidson College
Witness to History: Justice Harry A. Blackmun’s Observations from Oral Argument about Life, the Law, and the U.S. Supreme Court
Amanda C Bryan, Loyola University Chicago
Timothy R Johnson, University of Minnesota - Twin Cities

Discussant
Benjamin Kassow, University of North Dakota
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Nominations and Conventions

Political Parties

Chair
John McGlennon, College of William & Mary

Participants
Friendly Candidates: Interest Group Support in Party Nominations
Cory Manento, Brown University
Moderation in All Things: Parties’ Sincere Support of Moderate Candidates
Hans Hassell, Cornell College
Prejudice among Party Elites: Party Convention Delegates and Intergroup Attitudes
Kerem Ozan Kalkan, Eastern Kentucky University
Gregory Shufeldt, Butler University
Presidential Primary Debates and Internal Party Democracy
Seth Masket, University of Denver
Julia Azari, Marquette University

Discussant
R. Sam Garrett, Congressional Research Service

Who gets nominated? Perhaps no question is more fundamental to our understanding of political parties, and perhaps no aspect of party institutions has changed more over time. This panel examines who controls nominations and with what effects.

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Trends Over Time: The Influence of Religion on Political Attitudes

Religion and Politics

Chair
Angela McCarthy, LSU

Participants
A Trend Analysis of Responses to ANES Foreign Affairs Measures by Protestant Denominational Affiliation
Mark Andrew Roeder, North Greenville University
An Over Time Analysis: How Religion and Income Structure Partisan and Ideological Orientations
James C Garand, LSU
Angela McCarthy, LSU
The Enduring Effects of Religion on Policy Positions in the U.S. Senate
Daniel Arnon, Emory University
What's In a Name: Partisanship and Vote Choice by African-American Evangelicals in East Texas
Kenneth Alan Wink, University of Texas at Tyler
Women's Presence in Politics

**Women and Politics**

**Chair**
Ingrid Bego, Western Carolina University

**Participants**
Gendered Self-Presentation and Electoral Success
Jessica Preece, Brigham Young University
Chris Karpowitz, Brigham Young University
Quin Monson, Brigham Young University

Political Geography and Women-Friendly US House Districts, 1972-2014
Dennis Simon, Southern Methodist University
Barbara Palmer, Baldwin Wallace University

Linking Geography and Female Representation in Canada
Nicholas Pyeatt, Penn State
Alixandra Yanus, High Point University

ELECTING WOMEN TO THE JAPANESE LOWER HOUSE: THE IMPACT OF ELECTORAL SYSTEM
Miyuki Kubo, Texas Tech University

AIE-RIE LEE-GLASURE, Texas Tech University

Women’s Political Leadership: Conceptualization and Measurement of a Collective Phenomenon
Devin Joshi, Singapore Management University

**Discussants**
Ingrid Bego, Western Carolina University
Jonathon Patrick Whooley, San Francisco State University

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International Media Effects

**Media and Politics**

**Chair**
Jason Gainous, University of Louisville

**Participants**
From Micro to Macro Determinants in Communications and Popular Manifestations: Brazilian Recent Experience
Jamil Civitarese, Fundação Getúlio Vargas

In the Spotlight: How International Attention Affects Rebel Behavior
Jori Breslawski, University of Maryland

Information Wants to Be Free: The Struggle over Freedom of Information Laws in the Southern Cone
Diane Johnson, Lebanon Valley College

Pan-politization in the cyber society in China
JuanJuan Li, Peking University

The Effects of Media Decentralization on the Electoral Support for Regionalist Parties: Evidence from a Cross-Border Media Blackout
Joan Barcelo, Washington University in St. Louis

**Discussants**
Jason Gainous, University of Louisville
Jonathan S. Morris, East Carolina University
Media

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Catherine Hafer, New York University

Participants
Targeted Advertising, and an Inverse Relationship Between Media and Political Polarization
Samarth Gupta, Boston University
Benjamin G. Ogden, Texas A&M University & Universite libre de Bruxelles (ECARES)

Unbelievable Lies
Andrew Little, Cornell University

Who owns the story? News-gathering competition and political accountability
Patrick Le Bihan, Sciences Po, CEVIPOF
Catherine Hafer, New York University
Dimitri Landa, New York University

Discussant
Andrew Little, Cornell University

CWC 4 - What Disaster Research Can Teach Us about Politics

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
Brian Gerber, Arizona State University
Warren Eller, West Virginia University
Ashley Ross, Texas A&M - Galveston
Kristin O'Donovan, Wayne State University
Malka Older, Sciences Po

Chair
Tom Birkland, North Carolina State University

With the increased prominence of disasters, many researchers have turned to studying how our political systems respond to these extreme events. This roundtable will discuss the opportunities and challenges associated with studying disasters and what this research can offer the general literature in political science.
Regional Security

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Clifton Sherrill, Troy University

Participants
Crisis at the Third Pole: Global Warming, Water Security, and Conflict in the Himalayan Watershed
James Eastman, Independent Researcher
Losing Legitimacy: What the End of Khomeini’s Charismatic Shadow Means for Regional Security
Clifton Sherrill, Troy University
Strategies and Behaviors of Regional Powers in Settings of Regional Conflict and Coalition
Cagla Mavruk Cavlak, Wayne State University
Trade, Legislator's Preference, and Taiwan's Military Spending Puzzle
Jun Xiang, Rutgers University
Wei-hao Huang, Rutgers University

Discussant
Joel Campbell, Troy University

Tax Policy and Rule Implementation in the American States

State Politics

Chair
Garrett Darl Lewis, Princeton University

Participants
Do States Circumvent Supermajority Vote Requirements to Raise Taxes? Examining Time-Varying Effects of Supermajority Rule
Soomi Lee, University of La Verne
Ripple Effects and Coalition Building: Scope of Practice Reform in West Virginia
L Christopher Plein, West Virginia University
State Implementation of the Affordable Care Act: Four Case Studies
Martin Mayer, Old Dominion University
Robert Kenter, Old Dominion University
John Charles Morris, Old Dominion University
Luisa Lucero, Old Dominion University

Discussant
James Edward Vike, Widener University
### Gender, Diversity and Its Effects

#### Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

**Participants**

- Beyoncé’s Lemonade as a Christian Work of Love  
  Helen Lindberg, Linnaeus University  
- Gender Bias in Student Evaluations  
  Kristina Mitchell, Texas Tech University  
  Jonathan Martin, South Plains College  
- Lies, Damn Lies, and Statistics: Gender Diversity and Inclusion  
  Bonnie Gail Mani, East Carolina University  
- What Do African American Women Voices Say To Us About Democratic Civic Engagement in Indiana  
  Paul N. Kriese, Indiana University East  
- Man! I Feel Like a Woman: Socialization and Men’s Views of Women’s Issues  
  Amy Sentementes, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
  Leah Christiani, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

### Looking back at the Obama Presidency

**Presidential/Executive Politics**

**Participants**

- Mitchell F Rice, Texas A&M University  
- Jeffrey Tulis, University of Texas, Austin  
- Michael Nelson, Rhodes College  
- Lyn Ragsdale, Rice University

**Chair**

Wilbur Cornelius Rich, Wellesley College

President Barack Hussein Obama will leave office January 20th 2017. Obviously his tenure has been both an historical and complex one. There is now a record that will tell us much about the last eight years. His foreign policy has been surprisingly traditional and we now have enough history to make predictions about what type of world the next president will inherit from the Obama policies. Granted scholars will have to wait for the declassification of government documents before they can make a definitive judgment about the Obama foreign policy. Obama’s domestic policies seem much clearer. We can now say that there have been unexpected achievements and failures. The President has been foursquare and successful in the passage of Affordable Health Care Act, rethinking the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, promoting equal rights for LGBT Americans, forthright about racial discrimination and promoting school reform (ESSA). The Affordable Care Act, also called Obamacare, attracted many critics but it still may be his long lasting legacy. So far the Congress has blocked his attempts at Immigration Reform. This roundtable of president watchers will review Obama’s tenure in office and his possible legacies. The roundtable participants will address the following questions: What is the current state of Obama’s health reform? What are the President’s foreign policy triumphs and failures? What are the possible futures for immigration reform? Will his school reform program fail? What are some of the policy spillover issues for the next Administration? This roundtable will be, at best, a preliminary analysis of the legacy of President Obama but we hope to identify some emerging indicators and their implications for American Presidential Politics.
The Politics of Policy Elites

Public Policy

Chair
Magic M Wade, University of Illinois Springfield

Participants
Climate Policy and Political Viability: Prospects in an Age of Biased Pluralism
Chris J. Miller, Indiana University

Insurance Reform and the Politics of Autism in the States
David Prince, Georgia Gwinnett College

Subsystems, Signals, and Stovepipes: Information Processing within the Military Personnel Policy Subsystem
Brandon Jason Archuleta, United States Military Academy

Exploring the policy implications of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act
Ryan M. Yonk, Utah State University
Joshua T. Smith, Utah State University
Arthur Wardle, Utah State University

The Origin and Role of Trust in Hydraulic Fracturing Perceptions – Comparing Policy Elites and the General Public in Arkansas and Oregon
Creed Tumlison, University of Arkansas
Geoboo Song, University of Arkansas

Discussant
David Prince, Georgia Gwinnett College

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  Emily Ferkaluk, Cedarville University  
- Constructivism and Counter-Constructivism  
  Alex Donovan Cole, Louisiana State University  
- Drones and Precarity  
  Charles Phillips, Franklin & Marshall College |
| FRIDAY 8:00am-9:30am | 3102 | Nietzsche, Heidegger, Kojeve | **Political Theory**  
- A Commentary Upon Alexandre Kojève’s Notion of Authority: Context and Interpretation  
  Bryan-Paul Frost, UL-Lafayette  
- Plato, Nietzsche and the Dionysian Drama of the Soul  
  Troy Manuel Vidal, Columbus State University  
- The Coherence of Nietzsche’s View on Oedipus  
  Elizabeth Wagner, Baylor University  
- The Taken Path: Heidegger’s Political Writings, 1933-34 & 1984  
  Andrea Danielle Conque, University of Louisiana at Lafayette |
These papers examine a variety of ways in which the public's manner of thinking about politics is shaped and structured.
US-Latin American Relations across Space, Time and Issue Area

Caribbean and Latin American Politics

Chair
Robert C. Harding, Valdosta State University

Participants
An Interpretive Approach to U.S. Relations with Nicaragua: An Analysis of Discourse and Meaning
Charles Ripley, Arizona State University
Exporting Crime: The Impact of US Criminal Deportations to Central America and the Caribbean
Laura Blume, Boston University
Reagan, the Peace Corps, and the Civil Wars in Central America
Thomas Nisley, Kennesaw State University
US Drug Policy Today: Peace at Home, War Abroad?
Renee Scherlen, Appalachian State University

Discussants
Robert C. Harding, Valdosta State University
Thomas Nisley, Kennesaw State University

Between Conflict and Peace: Contextualizing South Africa

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Michael Findley, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Transitional Justice in Post-Conflict States
Meshack Simati, Georgia state university
Truth in Reconciliation: Evidence of Political Interference in South Africa's Combatant Reintegration Process
Amuitz Garmendia Madariaga, European University Institute
Paul Zachary, UCSD
Trust Points and Check Points: Measuring Social Capital at the Individual Level
Vasabjit Banerjee, Mississippi State University
Carolyn E Holmes, Mississippi State University
Political Utility of Performative Violence: Perpetrators and Victims
Carolyn E Holmes, Mississippi State University
Brian Shoup, Mississippi State University
South African International Insertion after Apartheid
Rita Flávia Gomes Carvalho, Pontificia Universidade Católica de Minas Gerais
Tamires Santos Lacerda, Pontificia Universidade Católica de Minas Gerais/ Uppsala Universitet

Discussant
Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida
Comparative Electoral Systems

Elections and Voting

Participants

Coattails and Mixed Electoral Systems: Evidence from Taiwan’s 2016 Election
Timothy Rich, Western Kentucky University

Is regional voting still effective? Empirical analyses of presidential elections in Korea
Daesik Kim, Kyungpook National University
Eunyoung Jang, Kyungpook National University
Daeweon Seo, Kyungpook National University
Jeongmin Kim, Kyungpook National University
Eunjin Bae, Kyungpook National University

Postmaterialism, austerity politics and youth political activism in Britain
Matt Henn, Nottingham Trent University
Ben Oldfield, Nottingham Trent University
James Hart, Nottingham Trent University

Should I Stay or Should I Go? The United Kingdom’s 2016 Referendum on EU Membership
Brian William Smith, St. Edward’s University
Thomas Beech, Bemidji State University

Comparing Ranked-Choice and Runoff Election Systems
Robert Montjoy, UNO

Social Networks & Democratization Process in Pakistan: An Analysis of Family Connections & Voting Behaviour in Charsadda, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
hassan shah, University of Peshawar

Committee Power in the House and Senate

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Chair
Jon R. Bond, Texas A&M University

Participants

The Nature of Committee Agenda Power in the Antebellum House of Representatives
Chris Den Hartog, Cal Poly
Craig Goodman, University of Houston-Victoria

Committee Chairs and the Nature of Power in Congress
Christopher Berry, University of Chicago
Anthony Fowler, University of Chicago

Circumventing Committees in the U.S. Senate
Nicholas Howard, Auburn University Montgomery
Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler

When Committees Can Harm: Cross-Pressured Senators and Senate Committee Assignments
Neilan S Chaturvedi, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Evan Benson, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Thomas Davis, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Gabriel Smith, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

An Investigation of Congressional Scrutiny of Judicial Review & Statutory Overrides
Robert Mermer, University of Florida
Office - Friday

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American Political Behavior

History and Politics

Chair
Jack Edelson, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Participants
Democratization and the Property Qualification for Voting: the Southern States
   Ronald King, San Diego State University
   Justin Moeller, West Texas A&M University
Districting, Split-Ticket Voting, and Unified Government in the Nineteenth Century
   Jack Edelson, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Robert Woolley and the 1916 Elections: The Rise of Publicity Within Campaigns
   Robyn Stiles, LSU
Voluntary Associations in the Late 19th Century: An Exploratory Study of Delegates to National Conventions
   Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

Discussant
Daniel Vincent Betti, Texas A&M University Kingsville

Historical takes on elections, voting, and other forms of political behavior in the American context.
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AV and Storage - Friday
Meetings

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Domestic Politics and International Conflict
International Relations and Domestic Politics
Chair
Ore Koren, University of Minnesota

Participants
Confronting the Crazy Dictator: Ideology, Worldviews, and Public Support for Preemptive Measures Against Irrational World Leaders
Jacob Ausderan, Arkansas State University
Does Education matter? Leaders and International Conflicts
Jinxu Tang, Brown University
International Conflict, Authoritarian Breakdown, and Post-transition Stability
Joonbum Bae, Bush School, Texas A&M

Discussant
glenn palmer, penn state university
The Politics of Selecting Federal Judges

Judicial Politics

**Chair**
Amy L Steigerwalt, Georgia State University

**Participants**
Do Interest Groups Get it Right? An Evaluation of Vetting Efficacy for USCA Nominees
  Donald Campbell, Middle Tennessee State University
  Marcus E Hendershot, Oklahoma State University
Vetting Lifetime Appointees: Confirmation Hearings for Lower Court Nominees
  Logan Dancey, Wesleyan University
  Kjersten R. Nelson, North Dakota State University
  Eve M Ringsmuth, Oklahoma State University
Presidential Strategy in Courts of Appeals Nominations
  Stephanie Dean Kerce, Emory University
The Role of Nominee Gender and Race at Supreme Court Confirmation Hearings
  Christina Boyd, University of Georgia
  Paul Collins, University of Massachusetts Amherst
  Bryce McManus, University of Massachusetts Amherst
  Lori A Ringhand, University of Georgia

**Discussant**
Alicia Uribe-McGuire, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Identity Formation & Mobilization

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Politics

**Chair**
Shane Redman, University of Pittsburgh

**Participants**
Migration and Homosexuality. The case of Vorarlberg (Austria)
  Hüseyin I. Cicek, University of Erlangen
Politicized Subjects: LGBT Identity and Advocacy Networks
  Andrew Thomas Proctor, Princeton University
The Politics of Perverts: non-traditional sexual minorities and politics
  Charles A Smith, University of California Irvine
  Shawn Schuilenberg, Marshall University
  Eric Baldwin, University of California Los Angeles
National Politics, Religion, and Rhetoric

Religion and Politics

Chair
Elizabeth Verardo, United States Military Academy

Participants
Faith, Freedom, and Foreign Policy: The Religious Rhetoric of Harry S. Truman and George W. Bush
Elizabeth Verardo, United States Military Academy
A Japanese Holy War?: the Devastation of the Religious Effects during the Second World War
Shino Yokotsuka, University of Delaware
The Old Testament in the African-American Political Tradition
Jonathan Keller, Manhattan College
Inefficient Voting, Inefficient Government
Jesse Stephen McQuade, Student

Discussant
Matthew Jacobsmeier, West Virginia University

CWC 5: Local Environmental Policy

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Hyunjung Ji, University of Alabama

Participants
Governance and Co-Production of Local Recycling: Institutions, Policy and Recycling Performance
Ruowen Shen, Florida State University
Edgar Ramirez, CIDE
Local Government Officials Information and Implementation Decisions on Environmental Regulation in Korea and China
Jill Tao, Incheon University
Finding Variation in Local Sustainability Efforts among the U.S. cities in the US-Mexico Border Regions
Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
Sung-Wook Kwon, Texas Tech University

Discussant
Hyunjung Ji, University of Alabama

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CWC 6: Roundtable on Academic Self-Promotion: Problems and Strategies

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut
Jane Lawrence Sumner, University of Minnesota
Natalie Jackson, The Huffington Post
Rhonda Cooper, Jackson State University
Carol Strong, University of Arkansas at Monticello
Kathleen Searles, Louisiana State University
Laura Moyer, University of Louisville

Chair
Ellen Key, Appalachian State University

This roundtable will discuss the need for self-promotion in academia; problems created; and effective strategies to achieve it. The gathering is one of three panels planned and sponsored by the Southern Political Science Association's Women's Caucus, with the goal of creating a conference-within-a-conference to address topics of interest and facilitate community.

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Violence

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Ethan Bueno de Mesquita, University of Chicago

Participants
Mass Purges: Top-Down Accountability in Autocracy
B Pablo Montagnes, Emory
Stephane Wolton, LSE Government
What Can (and Can’t) Participation Shocks Teach Us About Political Violence
Ethan Bueno de Mesquita, University of Chicago
Scott Tyson, University of Michigan
The Channels of Repression
Scott Tyson, University of Michigan
Deterrence and Information Flows in Counterterrorism
Livio Di Lonardo, New York University

Discussant
B Pablo Montagnes, Emory
### Migration and Conflict

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**
Sambuddha Ghatak, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

**Participants**

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**Discussant**
Sherrill Watson Hayes, Kennesaw State University

### Rethinking Candidate Extremity

**Legislative Politics: Campaigns and Elections**

**Chair**
Dalston Ward, Washington University in St. Louis

**Participants**

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**Discussant**
Christopher Hare, University of California, Davis
**Framing Effects**

**Media and Politics**

**Chair**
Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University

**Participants**
"Welfare" as Racial Dog Whistle
Charles Dahan, Stanford University
Casey C Ste Claire, University of California - Berkeley

Do Americans Live in Media Echo Chambers? It Depends on How Many Times You Ask
Glen Smith, University of North Georgia

From ‘Click Bait’ to Navy Cruisers: How New Media Shapes Understanding of the All-Volunteer Force
Jon Patrick Cheatwood, United States Military Academy, West Point

Radical Rhetoric: The Mainstream Print Media's Framing of Black Lives Matter
Andrew Ifedapo Thompson, Northwestern University

Same Old Story: How Coverage of Diplomatic Immunity Skews Public Perception and Why It Matters
Olivia Carroll, Baylor University

**Discussants**
Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University
Michelle Pautz, University of Dayton

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**Dimensions of Political Issues**

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
Maria R Rosales, Guilford College

**Participants**
Personality and Attitude Extremity
Ryan M Jewell, University of Houston

Public Understanding of Hard and Easy Issues
Lauren Elliott-Dorans, Ohio University

The Seeds of Change: Examining the Heritability of Attitudinal Stability
Johnathan C Peterson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

The Social Psychology of Gun Ownership
Will Miller, Flagler College
Elaina Seyfang, Flagler College

**Discussant**
Chris Mann, skidmore college
Congress: The Shaping of Legislation

Public Policy

Chair
Wendy Ginsberg, Congressional Research Service

Participants
Policy and the Growth of Commercial Spaceflight
Kathryn Robison, The University of Alabama
Congressional Inaction and Ad Hoc Bureaucratic Policymaking
Rachel Lynn German, University of Texas at Austin
One Bite at a Time: Cybersecurity Policy in Congress
Jonathan Lewallen, University of Texas at Austin
Debt Ceiling Politics: Ideology, Power, and Asymmetric Polarization
Wayne Steger, DePaul University

Discussant
Wayne Steger, DePaul University

Exhibit Area - Friday

Meetings

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Friday 9:45am-11:15am

Art & Politics (2) - Fiction, Movies, Pop Culture

Political Theory

Participants
Give Fighting A Philosopher's Chance
Stephen Savage, Louisiana State University
Gulliver's Voyage to Lilliput -- Swift's Response to Hobbes
Clint Condra, Baylor University
Politics as Metafiction: Reading Robert Coover’s Political Fable in the Age of Trump
Timothy Wyman McCarty, University of San Diego
The Political Existence of the American Soldier
Caleb Hamman, University of Notre Dame

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Friday 9:45am-11:15am

From Violence to Peace

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Barry M. Hashimoto, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Department of International Studies, American University of Sharjah

Participants
Born Weak, Growing Strong: Anti-Government Protests as a signal of Rebel Strength in the context of civil wars
Bahar Leventoglu, Duke University
Conceptualizing Peace Settlements
Doug Atkinson, University of Georgia
Andrew Owsiak, University of Georgia
Matthew Yarbrough, University of Colorado
Deconstructing Victory (or, The Origins of Military Effectiveness)
Robert J. Carroll, Florida State University
Do Institutions Predict Effectiveness in War? A Machine Learning Approach With Battle-Based Data
Barry M. Hashimoto, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Department of International Studies, American University of Sharjah

Discussant
Anup Phayal, University of Tennessee
### Partisanship, Polarization, and Political Accountability

#### Comparative Political Behavior

**Chair**
Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

**Participants**
- Decentralization, Regional Identity and Economic Performance: Ideologies of Regionalist Parties
  - Cagil ALBAYRAK, University of Kansas
- Do institutional designs affect citizens' perceptions of the work conducted by presidents and assemblies?
  - Constanza F. Schibber, University of Virginia
- Political Trust in Institutions and Democratic Evaluation: Analysis of East Asian Democracies
  - Yu-Ceng Liao, Department of Political Science, University of Houston
- The Electoral Cost of Governing
  - Ida B Hjermitslev, Duke University
- The Impact of Income-Partisan Dealignment on Economic Voting
  - Ju Yeon Park, Rutgers University-New Brunswick Campus

**Discussant**
Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

### Spanning the Globe: The Wide World of Public Opinion

#### Public Opinion

**Participants**
- Public Perceptions of Science and Technology in Colombia: A quantitative analysis
  - Clara Pardo, University of El Rosario
- The Determinants of Sub-Saharan Attitudes Towards Chinese Foreign Direct Investment
  - Patrick F. Larue, University of Texas at Dallas
- The Neglected Public Voice in Understanding Taiwan’s 2014 Sunflower Movement
  - Charles Kuan-Sheng Wu, Purdue University
- Attitudes of Arab Spring Countries towards the American Presidential Elections 2016
  - nermeen Zakaria Khedr, Cairo-University
- Whom will conspiracists vote for and why? A two-nation survey
  - Peter achterberg, Tilburg University
  - Willem de Koster, Erasmus University Rotterdam
  - Jeroen van der Waal, Erasmus University Rotterdam

**Discussant**
Rachel Cremona, Flagler College

These papers address a wide range of policy concerns and approaches in the area of single-case and comparative public opinion.
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Friday
9:45am-11:15am

Culture, Religion and Political Behavior in Latin America

Caribbean and Latin American Politics

Chair
Clemente Quinones, Georgia Gwinnett College

Participants
Afro-descendants and the pursuit of Happiness
Rubia Valente, The University of Texas at Dallas
Drivers of Protecting Cultural Heritage: Political, Institutional, Managerial and/or Cultural Entrepreneurial Factors?
Rodrigo Antonio Chocano Paredes, Indiana University Bloomington
Claudia N. Avellaneda, Indiana University, Bloomington
Bolivia and Brazil: Different Paths, Different Outcomes
Donald J Bradt, Lincoln University
Religion and Political Activism in Southern Mexico
Christopher W. Hale, University of Alabama

Discussants
Clemente Quinones, Georgia Gwinnett College
Christopher W. Hale, University of Alabama

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Political Behavior: From Protest to Population Movement

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Aie-Rie Lee-Glasure, Texas Tech University

Participants
Information Technology and Political Engagement: Mixed Evidence from Uganda
Guy Grossman, University of Pennsylvania
Macartan Humphreys, Columbia University
Gabriella Sacramone-Lutz, Columbia University
Innovations for political mobilization and participation in difficult democracies: The case of Turkey
Demet Kasap, Usak University
Refugee Cascades and the Spatial Spillover of Fleeing in Civil War
Benjamin Laughlin, University of Rochester
Urban-rural differences in life satisfaction in East Asia
Ingrid Grosse, Dalarna University, Sweden

Discussant
Francisco Cantu, University of Houston
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Comparative Local Politics: China
Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Timothy Rich, Western Kentucky University

Participants
Becoming Local: Naturalization in China’s Household Registration System
Samantha Vortherms, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Calculation and Repression: Chiang Ching-kuo and Deng Xiaoping
ZHENG LIN, Tulane University
ZHU ZHANG, Tulane University

The Changing Characteristics of Chinese Private Sector Elites and Their Relationship with the Communist Party: An In-depth Analysis of China Rich List
ZHU ZHANG, Tulane University

Discussant
Feng Sun, Troy University

None

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Lobbyists and Legislative Networking
Legislative Politics: Institutions

Chair
Michelle Belco, University of Houston

Participants
Linked Government: The Power of Networking on Capitol Hill
Casey Burgat, University of Maryland; Congressional Research Service

Revolving Door Lobbyists: Cooling Off Periods and the Value of Personal Connections
Josh McCrain, Emory University

Rhetoric and Contributions on a Committee Level: A Bayesian Dynamic Model
Iliyan Iliev, University of Southern Mississippi

Discussant
Jonathan Klingler, Vanderbilt University
New Directions in APD Research

History and Politics

Chair
Charles Stewart III, MIT

Participants
Redemption and Republican Politics in the South, 1880-1896
Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia
Boris Heersink, University of Virginia
Different Rules, Different Outcomes?: Indirect Elections to the U.S. Senate
Joel Sievert, Texas Tech University
Congress and Civil Rights: The Civil War Era, 1861-1865
Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia
Justin Peck, San Francisco State University
The Nationalization of Political Parties and the Growth of Issue Politics in the United States
Katherine Krimmel, Barnard College

Discussants
Charles Stewart III, MIT
Ryan Dane Williamson, University of Georgia

This panel considers various substantive takes on American Political Development.

Carrots and Sticks: Foreign Aid and Economic Sanctions

International Relations and Domestic Politics

Chair
Vinicius Guilherme Rodrigues Vieira, Princeton University

Participants
Arming Development: The Evolution of Japanese Aid Development
Nicolaos Catsis, Wilson College
Collective Action, Economic Interests and Foreign Aid
mathew DiGiuseppe, University of Mississippi
Sally Simon, University of Mississippi
Sanctioning the Homeland: Diasporas affect on US economic sanctions policy
Tyler Kustra, New York University
Economic Sanctions as an Impediment to Democratic Transition
Razieh Vafaei, University of Houston

Discussants
Vinicius Guilherme Rodrigues Vieira, Princeton University
Patrick Egan, Tulane University
Dissensus and Negativity in the Supreme Court

Judicial Politics

Chair
Amanda C Bryan, Loyola University Chicago

Participants
In-house Impact: The Effect of Dissents on Majority Opinions in the U.S. Supreme Court
Pamela Corley, Southern Methodist University
Artemus Ward, Northern Illinois University

Justices and Their Multiple Audiences: How Context and Audience Shape Judicial Behavior
Christopher Krewson, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Negative Media Coverage of the Supreme Court: The Interactive Role of Opinion Language, Coalition Size, and Ideological Signals
Alexander Denison, University of Kentucky
Justin Wedeking, University of Kentucky
Michael Zilis, University of Kentucky

The Use of Contentious Rhetoric on the U.S. Supreme Court: A Historical Perspective
Robert Hume, Fordham University
Kansas Guidry-Leingang, Fordham University

Discussant
Rachael K. Hinkle, University at Buffalo

Mass Attitudes & LGBTQ Rights

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Politics

Chair
Charles A Smith, University of California Irvine

Participants
Direct Democracy Institutions and Transgender Rights Policy
Dan Lewis, Siena College
Don Haider-Markel, Kansas University
Jami Taylor, University of Toledo

Effects of Same-Sex Legislation on Attitudes Toward Homosexuals
Shane Redman, University of Pittsburgh

Information seeking behavior and transgender issues
Barry Tadlock, Ohio University
Jami Taylor, University of Toledo
Don Haider-Markel, Kansas University
Patrick Miller, Kansas University
Dan Lewis, Siena College
Andrew Flores, Williams Institute

Visibility & Inequality: Same-Sex Marriage & Reports of Anti-LGBT Discrimination
Royal Gene Cravens, University of Tennessee
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Religious Leaders and Shaping Public Opinion

Religion and Politics

Chair
Christopher Cronin, Methodist University

Participants
Preaching Politics: How Religious Denominations Transmit Political Messages to their Members
Jason Michael Adkins, Kent State University
Religious Leaders as Political Leaders
Christopher Cronin, Methodist University
The Relationship Between Religious Participation and Political Participation in Louisiana
Sarah Heise, Tulane University
Non-Territorial Sovereignty in a Changing World: The Holy See in International Relations:
Timothy Byrnes, Colgate University

Discussant
Peter W. Wielhouwer, Western Michigan University

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CWC 5: Network Analysis

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Simon A Andrew, University of North Texas

Participants
Policy Influence across Multiple Forums in Complex Policy Networks
Jack Mewhirter, University of Cincinnati
Ramiro Berardo, Ohio State University
Mark Lubell, University of California Davis
Ways to Filter Out or Ways To Build Trust?
Chang-Gyu Kwak, Sam Houston State University
Christopher Hawkins, University of Central Florida
Qian Hu, University of Central Florida
Interrelational Embeddedness and Collaboration Risk in Emergency Management: An Institutional
Collective Action Analysis
Minsun Song, Askew School, Florida State University
Kyujin Jung, Tennessee State University

Discussant
Simon A Andrew, University of North Texas

N/A
CWC 6: Roundtable on Gender in the Classroom during the 2016 Presidential Election

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut
Laura van Assendelft, Mary Baldwin University
Ngoc Phan, Davidson College
Lindsay Hoffman, University of Delaware
Young-Im Lee, St. Norbert College
Nicholas Pyeatt, Penn State

Chair
Alixandra Yanus, High Point University

This roundtable will discuss the place of gender issues in the classroom, specifically in light of the challenges & opportunities of this year’s presidential election. The gathering is one of three panels planned and sponsored by the Southern Political Science Association’s Women’s Caucus, with the goal of creating a conference-within-a-conference to address topics of interest and facilitate community.

New Incentives

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Elizabeth Maggie Penn, University of Chicago

Participants
An experiment on inequality and social comparisons
Elizabeth Maggie Penn, University of Chicago
Rebecca B Morton, New York University
Kai Ou, Florida State University

I Don’t Know
Andrew Little, Cornell University
Incentives or Disincentives?
Dan Alexander, The University of Chicago
Policy Decay and Political Competition
Gregory Martin, Emory University
Steven Callander, Stanford University

Discussant
Gregory Martin, Emory University
Politics of the 2016 Presidential Election

Undergraduate Research and Training

Chair
John P Forren, Miami University

Participants
Helping Comparative Politics "Feel The Bern." A Study Of Delegate Math That Isn't "Trumped Up."
John Tures, LaGrange College
The Political Economy of Keynesian Demand Management
Austin Peters, Graduate Student
The Possibility of a Purple Peach State: The Trump Vote Across the 159 Counties of Georgia
Othellious Zamontae Cato, Valdosta State University

Arming

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Participants
God and the Strategic Imperative: Religious Commitments as Costly Signals about Weapons Development
Mert Kartal, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
Military spending and income inequality amongst a panel of OECD countries during the Post-Cold War Era, 1989-2007
Jeremy Graham, University of Notre Dame
Danielle Mueller, University of Notre Dame
The Origins of Underkill: A Theory of Inefficient Arms Racing
Matthew Kroenig, Georgetown University
Alexander Sullivan, Georgetown University
The Search for Autonomy: Arms Transfers and Foreign Policy Similarity
John Kmiecik, Texas Tech University
US Arms Control Dynamics in the Era of Humanitarian Disarmament
Taylor Benjamin-Britton, Temple University

Discussant
Doug Atkinson, University of Georgia
Candidate Entry and Exit
Legislative Politics: Campaigns and Elections

Chair
jeffrey kraus, wagner college

Participants
Joining the Great Majority: An Analysis of Senate Deaths, 1919-2014
Hanna K. Brant, University of Missouri
Theodore J. Masthay, University of Missouri
Marvin Overby, University of Missouri
Primary Election Laws and Candidate Entry
Eric Loepp, University of Wisconsin, Whitewater
Kris Kanthak, University of Pittsburgh
The Effects of Candidate Gender in State Legislative Elections
Robert E. Hogan, Louisiana State University
The Role of Public Service Motivation and Electoral Opportunity Structures in Shaping Individuals’ Desire to Run for School Board
Paul Raymond, University of Southern Indiana
The senator’s Ideological Voting, Ideological Congruence, and Electoral Fortunes
Jangsup Choi, Texas A&M University-Commerce

Discussants
Scott James Basinger, University of Houston
jeffrey kraus, wagner college

Public Administration and Governance Outcomes in a Global Context
Comparative Public Administration and Management

Chair
Erica Elizabeth Gorbak, University of Buenos Aires

Participants
A comparative analysis of Public Administration curriculum delivery in the United States and Public Administration schools in post-Soviet Central Asia
Beth M. Rauhaus, University of North Georgia
Azamat Sakeiv, Penn State- Harrisburg
The Effect of Corruption on Energy Security and the Analysis of Outlying Countries in East Asia
Jae-Hyung Lee, Woosuk University
Varieties of National Bureaucracies and Governance Outcomes
Seoyoun Choi, Michigan State University

Discussant
Heungsuk Choi, Korea University
Political Bias

Political Psychology

Chair
Jan Leighley, American University

Participants
The politics behind perceptions of political bias
Omer Yair, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Eric Groenendyk, University of Memphis
Yanna Krupnikov, Stony Brook University
Helicopter Parenting: Political Ambition and Blame Attribution in College Students
Jaclyn Bunch, University of South Alabama
Kerri Milita, Illinois State

Discussant
Cherie Maestas, University of North Carolina Charlotte

The Latino Vote in the 2016 Election: Lessons Learned and Future Directions

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Jason Casellas, University of Houston
Stella Rouse, University of Maryland
Jeronimo Cortina, University of Houston
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**Everyone Who's Anyone Is A Continental Political Theorist**

**Political Theory**

**Participants**
- Phenomenology, Metaphysics and the Transcendent in the Philosophy of Dorothy Day
  - William Schulz, Louisiana State University
- Reflection, Recognition and Reconciliation: Demarcating Rawls's Intellectual Life Using Hegel
  - Sidney Simpson, University of Notre Dame
- What is a Free Spirit?: Primo Levi and Italy’s Fascist Experiment
  - John Louis LeJeune, Georgia Southwestern State University

**3402**

**Security, Democracy, and Economics**

**International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights**

**Chair**
- Dr. Sharron Herron-Williams, Alabama State University

**Participants**
- Does Reputation Really Work?: Explaining Selective Default on Internal vs. External Sovereign Debt
  - In Young Park, Princeton University
- Brain Drain and Democracy
  - Daniel Scott Owens, University of Maryland, College Park
- American Military Assistance and Democratization
  - Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida
  - Rebecca Schiel, University of Central Florida
  - David Raugh, University of Central Florida
- NGOs in Terrorism Cases: Balancing Security and International Human Rights Law
  - Jeffrey Davis, UMBC
- The Politics of Contested Space: A Comparative Analysis of 2013 Protests in Brazil and Turkey
  - Thomas J. Vicino, Northeastern University
  - Berna Turam, Northeastern University
- Paying for Pirates: Foreign Aid as a Policy Tool for Combating Maritime Crime
  - Samuel Rohrer, University of North Georgia
  - Daniel Tirone, Louisiana State University

**Discussant**
- Dr. Sharron Herron-Williams, Alabama State University
Public Opinion Surveys and Experiments: Methodological Challenges

Comparative Political Behavior

Chair
Olivia Carroll, Baylor University

Participants
Do Electoral Polls Influence Voters' Behavior? Experimental Evidence from Mexico
Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, University of Notre Dame

Does the Measurement of Party Identification Matter? Experimental Evidence from Latin America
Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, University of Notre Dame

Aaron Erlich, McGill University
Calvin Garner, University of Washington

Public opinion, principal-agent problems, and electoral manipulation: Survey experimental evidence from Russia
Cole Harvey, Univ Of N Carolina-Chapel Hill

Support for separatism as a multidimensional latent concept
Kyle Lohse Marquardt, V-Dem Institute, University of Gothenburg

Beyond Ethnicity: Exploring Drivers of Response Bias in Global Barometer Survey Data
Joseph Asunka, Hewlett Foundation
Dayna Judge, Princeton University

Discussant
Alexa Bankert, University of Georgia

American Foreign Policy Attitudes

Public Opinion

Participants
Political Crises and Their Effect on Generational Cohort Public Opinion
Liam Hayes, Georgia State University

Political and Socio-demographic Determinants of Americans’ Attitudes on U.S. Policies toward Cuba
Erin McAdams, Presbyterian College

Public Opinion and Use of Military Force: Moderating Role of Religion and Theology on War
Andrew Podob, The Ohio State University

The Effect of Affective and Cognitive Economic Evaluations on Support for Troop Deployment
Philip Paolino, University of North Texas

Discussant
Nicholas P. Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University

These papers examine the American public's attitudes about foreign policy.
Representation, Participation and Policy Accountability in Latin America

Caribbean and Latin American Politics

Chair
Diane Johnson, Lebanon Valley College

Participants
Public Policies and Political Parties in Uruguay: a balance of the José Mujica’s administration (2010-2015)
Dercio Fernando Moraes Ferrari, Universidade Estadual do Oeste do Paraná - UNIOESTE
Sub-national Democratization and Income Inequality in Mexico: the “Political Kuznets curve” hypothesis
Mart Trasberg, Tulane University
Testing Broader Notions of Representation and Accountability in São Paulo's Participatory Councils
David McCoy, University of Pittsburgh
The Role of Expectations in Contentious Collective Action: A Survey Experiment
Pedro L Rodriguez, NYU

Discussants
R. Sam Garrett, Congressional Research Service
Diane Johnson, Lebanon Valley College

Political Development: African Politics

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Gizachew Tiruneh, University of Central Arkansas

Participants
Does the rule of law ensure justice in Africa? Anecdotal evidence about the condition of women and political opponents suggests mixed outcomes.
Napoleon Bamfo, VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Elite Transformation and Good Governance in a Prototypical Post-Colonial African State, Nigeria.
Henry Ani Kifordu
Henry Ani Kifordu, Lecturer

Governance, Security and the Quest for Sustainable Development in Africa
Felix Awosika, University of Lagos

The Search for a Functional Democracy in Ethiopia: The Utilities of Federalism, Consociationalism, Presidentialism, Semi-Presidentialism, and Parliamentarianism Revisited
Walle Engedayehu, Prairie View A&M University

Discussant
Carolyn E Holmes, Mississippi State University
Identities and Voting

Elections and Voting

Participants

"Stronger Together": Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office
Kris Kanthak, University of Pittsburgh
Chris W Bonneau, University of Pittsburgh

Between the Hammer and the Anvil: Muslim Americans vote in the 2016 Presidential Election
Ayman Nada, Cairo University

Ethno-Nationalism and Electoral Volatility in the 2014 and 2016 Bulgarian Elections
Brian G. Smith, Georgia Southwestern State University

The Effect of Perceived Ethnicity in Non-Partisan, Low Information Elections
Matthew Ward, University of Houston
Adam Ozer, University of Houston

The Psychology of In-Group Voting
Emily West, New York University

Factionalism, the 2016 Campaign, and Party Theories of Congress

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Participants

Lawrence Dodd, University of Florida
Daniel Lipinski, U.S. House of Representatives
Bruce Oppenheimer, Vanderbilt University
David Rohde, Duke University
Michele Swers, Georgetown University
Danielle Thomsen, Syracuse University

Chair
C. Lawrence Evans, College of William and Mary

Over the past decade, congressional Republicans, and to some extent Democrats as well – have exhibited signs of increased internal factionalism, which in turn has complicated the job of party leader in Congress. These internal party divisions have been reflected in and reinforced by the remarkable 2016 campaign. The purpose of this roundtable is to explore the implications of party factionalism for the leading theories of congressional partisanship and the likely consequences for campaigns and legislating in the years ahead. Chair: C. Lawrence Evans, College of William and Mary Participants: Lawrence Dodd, University of Florida Daniel Lipinski, U.S. House of Representatives Bruce Oppenheimer, Vanderbilt University David Rohde, Duke University Michele Swers, Georgetown University Danielle Thomsen, Syracuse University
3409  Comparative Perspectives

History and Politics

Friday 1:15pm-2:45pm

Chair
Parmida Esmaeilpour, University of British Columbia

Participants
Analyzing the Disappearance of Women’s Surnames and the Retrenchment of their Political-Legal Status in Early Modern England
Deborah Anthony, University of Illinois Springfield
Landed Aristocrats and Legislation in Pakistan: A Case Study of Sindhi MNAs
Mazhar Abbas, Government College University Faisalabad (Pakistan)
The Monarchical Foundations of the Contemporary Welfare State:
Eileen McDonagh, Northeastern University
Theories of Central European Political Organization after World War I
Peter Csanyi, Alexander Dubcek University of Trencin

Discussant
Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida

3410  Major Powers, Foreign Policy, and Domestic Politics

International Relations and Domestic Politics

Friday 1:15pm-2:45pm

Chair
Robert C. Harding, Valdosta State University

Participants
A Team of Rivals?: Analyzing the Views of Barack Obama’s Key Foreign Policy Advisors
Kelly McHugh, Florida Southern College
BHUPENDRA KUMAR, PhD RESEARCH SCHOLAR, CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL POLITICS, ORGANISATION AND DISARMAMENT, SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY, NEW DELHI
Power through Persuasion: Russia’s Media Strategy in the Near Abroad
Hannah Chapman, University of Wisconsin-Madison
The Iran Nuclear Deal Plan Through the Scope of Deterrence and Compellence
Nicolette Paige Kilgo, University of North Alabama
Examining the Effectiveness of Political Appointee Ambassadors: Evidence from Wikileaks
Jonathan Bennett, University of Rochester

Discussants
Clifton Sherrill, Troy University
Robert C. Harding, Valdosta State University
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Judicial Behavior on the Supreme Court

Judicial Politics

Chair
Pamela Corley, Southern Methodist University

Participants
Gender Dynamics and Justice-to-Justice Interruptions in Supreme Court Oral Arguments
Adam Feldman, University of Southern California
Rebecca Gill, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Hombres Economici: Judicial Decision-making and the Personal Financial Interests of Supreme Court Justices
Thora Giallouri, University of Southern California
Jordan Carr Peterson, University of Southern California
Elli Menounou, University of Southern California

Judging Race and Gender: The Influence of Counsel’s Individual Traits on Court Decisions
Jonathan Samuel Hack, GWU
Clinton M. Jenkins, The George Washington University

The Supreme Court and the Policymaking Agenda
Logan Strother, Syracuse University

Discussant
Paul Collins, University of Massachusetts Amherst

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Theorizing Identities: Performance, Perceptions, & Solidarity

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Politics

Participants
American Nationhood in Transition: Sexual Orientation, Race and the Media
Amilcar Antonio Barreto, Northeastern University
Edward Kammerer, Occidental

Feminism’s Sons: FtMs, Epistemological Privilege, and the Development of a Transpositive Feminism
Michael Benjamin Jones, Mount Aloysius College

Outside the Binary
Margaret Mary Riley, LSU

Vulnerable White Men and Sexual Citizenship: Charles Ray Sculptures
Jerry D Thomas, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh

Discussant
Hüseyin I. Cicek, University of Erlangen
Catholic Leadership and its Influence on Attitudes and Policy

Religion and Politics

Chair
Camille Burge, Villanova University

Participants
Catholic Politicians and the Politics of Abortion Discourse
Kathleen Marchetti, Dickinson College
David O'Connell, Dickinson College
Cueing Catholicism: Examining the Effects of Elite Cues and Group Norms on Catholics’ Political Attitudes
Camille Burge, Villanova University
Peter Messina, Villanova University
Multilingual Topic Modeling of Social Policy in Papal Encyclicals
Blake A Miller, University of Michigan
Anna Grzymala-Busse, Stanford University
“Gendered Empowerment: Exploring the Possibility of a Contemporary Female Deaconate within the Catholic Church and Women Religious’ Ability to be Politically Engaged.”
Jeanine Kraybill, California State University, Bakersfield

Discussant
Christopher W. Hale, University of Alabama

CWC 5: Urban Land Use and Smart Growth

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Edgar Ramirez, CIDE

Participants
Phoenix Urbanization and Land Use Policy
Abigail M. York, Arizona State University
Institutional Collective Action ICA Framework: Linking Smart Growth Policies and Natural Disasters
Vaswati Chatterjee, University of North Texas
Simon A Andrew, University of North Texas
Measurement Validity in Urban Sustainability: Advances in Spatial Models of Public Policy Choices
William L. Swann, University of Colorado Denver
Aaron Deslatte, Northern Illinois University
Inequality and the Quality of Local Government
Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico

Discussant
Edgar Ramirez, CIDE

N/A
CWC 6: Roundtable on The Glass Ceiling in Academia

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
Karen O'Connor, American University
Andrea Yvette Simpson, University of Richmond
Wendy Gunther-Canada, University of Alabama-Birmingham
Gina Yannitell Reinhardt, University of Essex

Chair
Jennifer Kelkres Emery, The Washington Center for Interships & Academic Seminars

This roundtable will discuss the status of the glass ceiling in academia as well as solutions. The gathering is one of three panels planned and sponsored by the Southern Political Science Association's Women's Caucus, with the goal of creating a conference-within-a-conference to address topics of interest and facilitate community.

Constitutional and Foundational Insights Into Teaching American Government

Civic Education

Chair
Christie Maloyed, University of Louisiana at Lafayette

Participants
American Government is defective on purpose!
Andrew Steinfeldt, Lamar State College-Orange
Is the United States still a republic? (And what is a republic?)
Daniel Vincent Betti, Texas A&M University Kingsville
Tocqueville's Noble Lesson: Democratic Education, Materialism and the Aristocratic Spirit
Brandon Garcia, University of Dallas

Discussant
Christie Maloyed, University of Louisiana at Lafayette
Lethal Confrontation: Excessive Force Accusations Over the Last Decade

Undergraduate Research and Training

This project comes after increased public debate and classroom discussion regarding incidents of law enforcement’s use of “excessive” or “deadly” force. The twenty-two students in my senior-level Civil Rights/Civil Liberties course are investigating beyond social-media reports. This semester, they are ambitiously researching prior studies, looking into reporting inconsistencies, and collecting state-level data of actual excessive-force or brutality cases over the last ten years from all fifty states. With this data we hope to elucidate whether the occurrences of police brutality have actually increased; the demographic information of both officer and alleged victim; and at what governmental level and to what extent these allegations are investigated. We also hope to clarify possible disparities in the use of terms and laws across states (excessive force, brutality, etc.).

Gender, Education, and Conflict

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Rebecca Best, University of Missouri at Kansas City

Participants
Complicating “The Feminist Peace”
Laura Sjoberg, University of Florida
Cameron Thies, Arizona State University
Kelly Kadera, University of Iowa

Gender and Terrorism: The influences of Education on Acts of Terrorism among African States
Orlandrew E Danzell, Mercyhurst University
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

When Civilians are Attacked: Gender Equality and Terrorist Targeting
Laura Huber, Emory University

You can’t have women in peace without women in conflict and security
Rebecca Best, University of Missouri at Kansas City
Kyleanne Hunter, University of Denver

Do Western Educated Leaders Matter for War Involvement?
Joan Barcelo, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant
Orlandrew E Danzell, Mercyhurst University
An Extraordinary Election: One of a Kind or Window to the Future
Proposal for a Roundtable at the 2017 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, January 14-17, 2017 Title: “An Extraordinary Election: One of a Kind or Window to the Future.”

Moderator: William J. Crotty The election of 2016 is most unusual. It has no precedent in modern American history. It deserves serious attention and analysis on a number of levels. This is the purpose of the proposed roundtable, “An Extraordinary Election: One of a Kind or Window to the Future.” The roundtable is composed of top-level analysts of American elections and politics, each with a formidable list of publications and contributions to an understanding of the dynamics of representation, approached from different perspectives, in a democratic society. The meaning of the election for a restrained conception of democratic leadership equal to the task of leading the world’s greatest power in a time of international crisis will represent a subtext of the panel presentation. The election and more specifically the manner in which it was conducted raises a number of questions. Among these, and among the more fundamental is whether it is a blip, an aberration and exception in the long life of national elections, the manner in which they have been conducted, and the underlying dynamics that have come to explain previous such efforts. Or, alternatively, 2016 could be an introduction to future such races, with political parties lacking influence of any magnitude and voter discontent turning to the more radical and unrestrained of candidate alternatives with consequences yet to be seen for the operations of a democratic state. One thing is clear and that is considerable voter anger in both parties over the manner in which elected officials have largely ignored the real needs, and in particular those associated with the economic well-being, of major segments of the population. The discrepancy between the promises and agendas of the candidates and parties over the last half century and the operations and priorities in office of those who would emerge as the winners in elections has much to do with the level of current discontent. The candidate races in both parties in a strikingly different manner serve to illustrate the argument. Briefly, and beginning with the most atypical, the contest in the Republican party would come to challenge our assumptions as to how electoral contests are or should be conducted. The Republican race began two years or more before the actual election with a large, and mostly undistinguished field, vying for the party’s nomination. At this stage or later the party and its mainstream elements would have little impact on the outcome. In contrast, prospective candidates began a series of early interviews with conservative billionaires with the money to invest in campaigns and the motivation to effectively determine the nation’s political future, the fruits of the Supreme Court decision in Citizens United (2013). Fox News sponsored a series of early debates that culled the field, establishing an “A” list of contenders and a “B” list of also-rans. Within this context, Donald Trump, a self-reported billionaire real estate developer and casino and golf course owner, quickly emerged as the frontrunner. Trump’s campaign had little formal organization or policy content. It was based on intuition, a familiarity with how television worked and invective directed at the other potential frontrunners. It worked well enough to secure Trump the party’s nomination although possibly less well in the general election that followed. The Democratic party had its presumptive nominee early on. A Super Pac had been created to supply the funding for a successful campaign and not incidentally to ward off potential challengers to Clinton. It appeared to work until, most unexpectedly, a 74-year old senator and self-proclaimed “Democratic Socialist” Bernie Sanders, decided to challenge the centrist Clinton. Sanders’ surprising success, both in fundraising and electoral appeal, pushed Clinton to the left and made for a more competitive, if still one-sided, race than any could have anticipated. What the Sanders’ campaign did demonstrate was the level of anger and feeling of abandonment among large sectors of the Democratic coalition particularly strong among the young. With Trump and Clinton winning their respective parties’ nominations the general election will come down to a contest between two of the least popular candidates in the modern era. Each has high negatives as to “trustworthiness,” Trump leading. In itself, this is one more curious aspect of a complicated campaign. Our roundtable will address the issues raised by this campaign, seek to identify the underlying reasons that propelled such a race and look to isolate potential future consequences. It should be a highly interesting and important panel. As a result it should attract a large audience. It would be helpful if a two-hour slot if available be reserved for this particular roundtable. The most appropriate placing for the roundtable would be in either the “Elections or Voting” (Michael Martinez, U of Florida) or “Political Parties” (Eric Groenendyk, U of Memphis) sections. The roundtable members: William G. Jacoby, President of the Southern Political Science Association and Professor of Political Science at Michigan State University. Professor Jacoby specializes in mass-level belief systems and issue attitude
Explaining Municipal Performance: Analyzing Data from Asian and Latin American Contexts

Comparative Public Administration and Management

Participants
Does Gender Representation in City Councils Affect Legislation Proposals and Approval?
   Kohei Suzuki, University of Gothenburg, Quality of Government Institute
   Claudia N. Avellaneda, Indiana University, Bloomington

Does Municipal Consolidation Improve Legislative Performance?
   Kohei Suzuki, University of Gothenburg, Quality of Government Institute
   Hyesong Ha, IUB

Testing the Multiplicative Effect of Mid-level Managerial Size and Turnover on Subnational Government Performance
   Ricardo Andres Bello-Gomez, Indiana University
   Claudia N. Avellaneda, Indiana University, Bloomington

When Do Networks Enhance Municipal Performance?
   Claudia N. Avellaneda, Indiana University, Bloomington
   Taishi Muraoka, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant
   Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University
The Presidency and the Bureaucracy

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
Tom Lansford, University of Southern Miss

Participants
Revisiting JQ Wilson's "Bureaucracy" through the Lens of Modern Appointee Politics
William Resh, University of Southern California
The Tools of the Administrative Presidency
da vid hedge, University of Florida
Action and Reaction: The Politics of Rulemaking
Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University
Building the State to Wage the War: Presidents and the Federalization of U.S. Drug Policy
Jeremy Strickler, University of Tennessee - Chattanooga
Presidential Appointments and the Politicization of Agencies
John Brooks, Duke University

Discussant
Adam L. Warber, Clemson University

Politics, Literature, and Linguistics

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
German Political Discourse and the Principle of Linguistic Relativity
Jonathan Robert Olsen, Texas Woman's University
Lenguaje y la Política: Four Literary Artists and Their Linguistic Contributions to Puerto Rican Poetry and Political Philosophy
Monica Alfaro Rodriguez, Texas Woman's University
Presidential Speeches and the Rhetoric of Progress
Erin Dolgoy, Rhodes College
Renée J Johnson, Rhodes College
**3601**

**Shakespeare as Political Thinker**

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
Richard L Velkley, Tulane University

**Participants**
- "Socrates and Falstaff: Corrupting the Youth and Political Authority"
  Matthew Oberrieder, Rogers State University
- "Shakespeare and the First Brexit: King John and the Birth of Britain"
  nilan ranasinghe, Assumption College
- "The Corpus Politic: On Hamlet's Rotten State"
  Charlie Gustafson-Barrett, Tulane University
- "The Rule of Wisdom and the Rule of Law in Shakespeare's Measure for Measure"
  Steven Berg, Bellarmine University

In this panel, four speakers will examine different plays of Shakespeare with an eye to his understanding of kingship, law, and philosophy.

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**3602**

**The Institutional and Regional Dynamics of Multilateral Trade**

**International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights**

**Chair**
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

**Participants**
- Deliberation in International Institutions: Evidence from WTO Accessions
  Amanda Kennard, Princeton University
- The Regional Origins of Domestic Interests in Multilateral Trade
  Vinicius Guilherme Rodrigues Vieira, Princeton University
- The Strategic Effects of Democracy on WTO Adjudication
  Justin Wakefield Nicholson, University of Rochester
- Consumers Unite: Fair Trade, Direct Trade, and Human Rights Mobilization
  Caroline Payne, Lycoming College
- Alliance Membership and Arms Imports
  Sara Norrevik, University at Buffalo, SUNY
### 3603
**Representation and Accountability in Developing Democracies and Authoritarian States**

**Comparative Political Institutions**

**Chair**
Sasha de Vogel, University of Michigan

**Participants**
- Partisanship and Representation in a Semi-Authoritarian Chamber: Evidence from a Decade of Ugandan Parliamentary Debates
  - Amanda Clayton, Vanderbilt University
- The Effect of Administrative Unit Creation on Electoral Behavior: Evidence from Senegal
  - Guy Grossman, University of Pennsylvania
  - Gessica Gottlieb, Texas A&M
  - Horacio A Larreguy, Harvard
  - Benjamin Marx, MIT
- The Combined Impact of Party Laws and Personalism on Party System Nationalization in Latin America
  - Yen-Pin Su, National Chengchi University
- Dimensions of Conflict in an Authoritarian Hybrid Regime: Kuwait’s National Assembly
  - luai allarakia, University of Houston

**Discussant**
Matthew Reid Krell, University of Alabama

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### 3604
**Public Opinion toward Immigration in the US and Europe**

**Public Opinion**

**Participants**
- Immigrant Diversity and Natives' Attitudes Towards Immigration
  - Dalston Ward, Washington University in St. Louis
- Immigrant Skill-level as a Factor in Attitudes toward Immigrants in Europe
  - Panagiotis Chasapopoulos, Tilburg University
  - Michelle Hale Williams, University of West Florida
- The Mass Feedback Effects of Policies on Immigration Control and Lethal Police Force
  - Adriano A Udani, University of Missouri - St. Louis
- Why don’t good people support more immigration? The altruist’s dilemma of helping others & favoring compatriots
  - Alexander Kustov, Princeton University

**Discussant**
Jacqueline Chattopadhyay, UNC Charlotte
3605

Friday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Institutional Structures and the Politics of Crime in Latin America

Caribbean and Latin American Politics

Chair
Erica Elizabeth Gorbak, University of Buenos Aires

Participants
Meet the Narco: The Increase of Competition among Criminal Organizations and the Explosion of Violence in Mexico
Aldo Fernando Ponce, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)
Laura Atuesta, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)
The Impact of Violence on Non-Incumbent Party Support in Brazilian Gubernatorial Elections, 1994-2010
Douglas Aaron Block, University of Pittsburgh
The Politics of Crime in Central American Democratic Transition and Consolid
Lee Demetrius Walker, University of North Texas
The shadow of corruption in Latin American Politics. Is there still hope?
Erica Elizabeth Gorbak, University of Buenos Aires

Discussants
Erica Elizabeth Gorbak, University of Buenos Aires
Aldo Fernando Ponce, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)

3606

Friday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Interfacing Formal and Informal Institutions: Religion and Politics

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Mir Zohair Husain, University of South Alabama

Participants
Informal Institutions, Alternative Governance Structures and Religious Regulation in Areas of Very Limited Statehood.
Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida
Politics of Minority (In)tolerance: The case of the Gambia and the Ahmadi Community
Abdoulie Jabang, Ohio University
Radicalization of state and society: Development of uncivil society in the Middle East and South Asia
Tahmina Rahman, Georgia State University
The Correlates of Islamophobia
Farah Jarmak, Wayne State University
The Effects of Religiosity on Democratic Values: a Meta-analysis
Farah Jarmak, Wayne State University
Malek Abduljaber, Wayne State University

Discussant
Matthew Thomas Becker, University of Tampa
Economic Voting

Friday 3:00pm-4:30pm

Participants

Multidimensional Economic Voting in Australia: Valence and Patrimonial
Rafael Oganesyan, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Stratification and Vote Choice in the United States: Economic Voting and Status Voting during the
Presidential Election of 2012
Jeroen van der Waal, Erasmus University Rotterdam
peter achterberg, Tilburg University
Dick Houtman, University of Leuven
Willem de Koster, Erasmus University Rotterdam

The Grievance Asymmetry in Economic Voting Revisited
Ju Yeon Park, Rutgers University-New Brunswick Campus

Legislators and Their Audiences

Friday 3:00pm-4:30pm

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Chair
Wendy Ginsberg, Congressional Research Service

Participants

Lone Wolves and Team Players: Policy Collaboration and Audience Appeals in the House of
Representatives
Alison Craig, Ohio State University

Risk Acceptance and Legislative Representation
josh hostetter, LSu

The Effects of Political Ambition on Constituency Service
Hans Hassell, Cornell College
Adam Dynes, Brigham Young University
Matthew Miles, Brigham Young University-Idaho

Constituent Evaluations of U.S. Senators Over the Electoral Cycle
Joel Sievert, Texas Tech University
Ryan Dane Williamson, University of Georgia

Private Member Bills and the Electoral Connection in Wales
Brian Donald Williams, University of West Florida

Discussant
Logan Dancey, Wesleyan University
Normative Political Theory

History and Politics

Chair
John Louis LeJeune, Georgia Southwestern State University

Participants
Gandhi and the Indian War of Independence: Religious, Secular, and Realist Influences
Ivan Sascha Sheehan, University of Baltimore

Globalization as a Universal Challenge to the Human Family? An Historical-Sociological Comparison of Confucius and Socrates on Ancestral Loyalty
Douglas Jarvis, Independent Scholar

The Disappointment of Virtuous Persians Under Cyrus the Great
Timothy William Burns, Baylor University

The Prussian Military and the Politics of Recognition 1815 - 1914
Ralph Gert Schoellhammer, Webster University Vienna

Discussant
Bryan-Paul Frost, UL-Lafayette

Domestic Dimensions to International Political Economy

International Relations and Domestic Politics

Chair
Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi

Participants
"The Composition of IMF Conditionality During the Eurozone Debt Crisis: A New Dataset"
Eric Graig Castater, University of Tennessee
Andrew Lemi
Choosing Partners: Consumer Tastes and Support for Preferential Trade Agreements.
Eddie Hearn, Kwansei Gakuin University

Educational Considerations for Refugee and Migrant Children in the United States
Sherrill Watson Hayes, Kennesaw State University

Tax Treaties, Risk, and Financial Markets
Austin Johnson, Texas A&M University - College Station, TX

Discussant
Nicolas Wayne Thompson, University of South Florida
The Legacy of Antonin Scalia

Judicial Politics

Participants
Karen O’Connor, American University
Lief Carter, Colorado College
Ralph Rossum, Claremont McKenna College
Mark Graber, University of Maryland

Chair
Judith Baer, Texas A&M University

Specialists in constitutional law and judicial policy will discuss the impact of Justice Scalia’s service on the Supreme Court. Mark Graber is available on Thursday, January 12 or Friday, January 13.

LGBTQ Rights in the Courts

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Politics

Chair
Maria R Rosales, Guilford College

Participants
Child Custody in the Aftermath of Obergefell v. Hodges
Ruth Ann Watry, Northern Michigan University
The Segregation and Its Conditions for Transgender Inmates in the term of the Eighth Amendment
azer sumbas, Hacettepe University Faculty of Law
Understanding the New Tactics Used Against Transgender Rights: An Analysis of Competing Rights Claims
anne Caldwell, University of Louisville
The Reformation after 500 Years

Religion and Politics

Chair
Stephen Wolfe, Louisiana State University

Participants
"For civil fellowship of humane things": John Cotton and Continuity in Early American Political Thought
Stephen Wolfe, Louisiana State University
The Marian Exiles and the Right of Resistance: The Grounds of Political Authority in the Thought of John
Ponet, Christopher Goodman, and John Knox
Christian Dean Finnigan, McGill University,
Harbinger of liberalism?: Johannes Althusius’s pactio a
nd social contract theory
Simon P Kennedy, University of Queensland
Does the Reformation matter?
Glenn Moots, Northwood University

Discussant
John P Forren, Miami University

In honor of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation, the panel presents a set of essays on how the
Reformation and Reformed theologians and political theorists shaped Western political thought and
impacted key political events. The essays shed light on enduring questions of political history, political
theory, the limits of power, freedom of conscience, and the relationship of religion and politics.

CWC 5: Regional Governance In Energy, Transportation, and Sustainability

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Meghan E Rubado, Cleveland State University

Participants
Network Governance and Effectiveness on Renewable Energy Integration: A Comparative Case Study on
Power Transmission Networks in the United States
Tian Tang, Florida State University
MPO Governance Structure and Regional Transportation Decisions
Richard Feiock, Florida State University
Jerry Zhao, University of Minnesota
Comparing Collaboration: Energy Efficiency Action Across Local Governments
Jessica N Terman, George Mason
Jisun Youm, University of Colorado Denver
Regional Collaboration Strategies for Solving NIMBY Conflicts in Sustainable Development: Applying a
Two-Step fs/QCA Approach
Hyung Jun Park, Sungkyunkwan University
Kyunghoon Cho, Gyeonggi Research Institute
Min Yi Yoo, Korea University
Jiye Ju, Sungkyunkwan University

Discussant
Meghan E Rubado, Cleveland State University

N/A
### Topics in Politics: Identify, Prisonss, and Police

**Undergraduate Research and Training**

**Chair**
Christopher J. Saladino, Virginia Commonwealth University

**Participants**
- Free and Do Not Move: Police Violence Across the 50 States
  - Ashley Williams, Valdosta State University
- Prison Locations
  - Audrey Arias, Soka University of America
- Gender Perceptions in Taiwan
  - Hannah Neeper, Undergraduate Research Paper
- “Hunger for Being”: Ressentiment in Identity Politics
  - Paul Doyen, Tulane University
- Back to the Future: Deconstruction of Feminist Pedagogy in the
  - Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College

### Security in Asia

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**
Joel Campbell, Troy University

**Participants**
- A View to the South China Sea Disputes through Chinese Social Media
  - Ray Thomas Hartman, Seoul National University
- Circle of Friends: The Contending Network of Partnership in the Arbitration on the South China Sea
  - Chengli Wang, University of Nevada, Reno
- zhu zhang, Tulane University
- Cooperation Out of Competition: Japan, South Korea, and China in the Six-Party Talks
  - Joel Campbell, Troy University
- Policy Options for Claimant States in the South China Sea
  - Michael Tkacik, Stephen F. Austin State University
- Closing the Gap: Chinese Military Modernization and Taiwanese Air Defense Capabilities
  - Matthew Munday, University of Texas at Dallas
  - Karl Ho, University of Texas at Dallas
Money and Advertising in Campaigns

Legislative Politics: Campaigns and Elections

Chair
Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University--Kingsville

Participants
Advertising Ideology
Thomas Gray, University of Virginia
Andrew Clarke, University of Virginia
Adam Hughes, Pew Research

Brazilian municipal campaign finance: Electoral outcomes and legislative organization
David Vawter Hughes, Rice University

Gender Stereotypes and Women's Rights Issues in Congressional Election Negative Advertisements
Jessica Hayden, University of OK

Issue Distancing in Congressional Elections
John Henderson, Yale University

Pork, Interest Groups, and Votes: Evidence from the American States
Tanya Bagashka, University of Houston
Jennifer Clark, University of Houston

Discussants
Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University--Kingsville
B Pablo Montagnes, Emory

Citizens, Stakeholders, and Public Administration

Comparative Public Administration and Management

Chair
Mary Hilderbrand, Texas A&M University

Participants
Citizen Participation: Incorporating a Collective Action Perspective
Khaldoun AbouAssi, American University, School of Public Affairs
Mary Tschorhart, John Glenn College of Public Affairs- The Ohio State University
SoonHee Kim, Syracuse University
Parents, Teachers, Principals, and Students in Centralized System: Judging the Quality of Schools
Miyeon Song, Texas A&M University
Kenneth J. Meier, Texas A&M University

Religious Attendance and Job Choice: a Cross-National Comparison of Attraction to Public-Sector Employment
Michael Moltz, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Discussant
Claudia N. Avellaneda, Indiana University, Bloomington
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Friday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Issues from the Obama Presidency

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
Jonathan Klingler, Vanderbilt University

Participants
President Obama’s Legacy and Deepwater Horizon
Judith Sylvester, Louisiana State University
The Gun Stops Here: How Have Presidents Framed the Gun Control Debate?
Anthony Fleming, University of West Georgia
J. Salvador Peralta, University of West Georgia
Paul Rutledge, University of West Georgia
The Obama Doctrine: US National Security Policy in a Multilateral World
Tom Lansford, University of Southern Miss
David Holt, University of Southern Miss

Discussant
Jonathan Klingler, Vanderbilt University

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Friday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Four Really Interesting Papers

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Legislative Corruption and a new Typology of political representation
Haimo Li, University of Houston
Parochial versus programmatic legislators and duration of legislative initiatives: Evidence from Colombia
Mauricio Andres Vela Baron, Washington University in St. Louis
The sexual orientation wage gap in the US
Rachel C. Sayers, Duke University
John Levendis, Loyola University New Orleans
Mehmet Dicle, Loyola University New Orleans
"Dereification" and "Reflective Practice" as Keys to Better Political Theorizing--and ActionIFICATION
David Edwards, University of Texas at Austin
3701 On Community

Political Theory

Participants
D.W. Winnicott and the Pathologies of Democracy
John Louis LeJeune, Georgia Southwestern State University
Dewey and the Democratic Politics of Shared Experience
Alexander Ades, Princeton University
“This is our town”: Political Community in High Noon and The Man Who Shot Liberty Valance
Damien Kenneth Picariello, University of South Carolina Sumter
The Collective Ethics of Flying
Elisabeth Ellis, University of Otago

3702 Human Security, Human Rights, and International Law

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Chair
Ivan Sascha Sheehan, University of Baltimore

Participants
All Necessary Measures: UN Peacekeeping and the Protection of Civilians
Ann Mezzell, Air Command and Staff College
Disease: The Role of Science, Policy, and the State
Renu Singh, Georgetown University
Emotional Correlates of Human Rights Support
Joseph Braun, University of Maryland- College Park
Understanding the conflict between International Humanitarian Law and International Human Rights Law
Recha Reid, Georgia State University/Georgia Institute of Technology
Managing Transitions the Ethiopian Way: A Closer Look at Transitional Justice Mechanisms in Contemporary Ethiopia
Yohannes Gedamu, Georgia State University
The Wartime Destruction of Human Capital and Social Relationships in the Balkans by Mental Trauma
Barry M. Hashimoto, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Department of International Studies, American University of Sharjah
Institutional Perspectives on Agenda Control

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Matthew Charles Wilson, West Virginia University

Participants
“Going Public” in comparative perspective: Presidents’ public appeals via speechmaking in modern Latin America
alexandra cockerham, Florida State University
Amanda Driscoll, Florida State University
Joan Joseph, Florida State University
Who Controls the Agenda in Multiparty Presidential Systems?
Yann Kerevel, Louisiana State University
Cassie M. Knott, Louisiana State University
Theory Applications in Emergency Situations: Sewol Ferry Accident in South Korea
Ki Woong Cho, Florida State University

Discussant
Harvey Palmer, University of Buffalo, SUNY

Where is the Trust? What Influences Political Trust

Public Opinion

Participants
Political Trust and the Perception of Utility
Scott Hofer, University of Houston
Cong Huang, University of Houston
Technology, Fantasy Literature, and Declining Public Confidence in Institutional Authority
Andrew Bramsen, Bethel University
The Impact of Scandals on Trust in Government
Scott James Basinger, University of Houston
The Political Trust of Racial Minorities
Jeffrey Wallace Koch, State University of New York at Geneseo
Understanding Political Trust: Evidence from Survey Experiments
Aaron Martin, University of Melbourne, Australia
Nick Faulkner, Monash University
Kyle Peyton, Yale University
Orr Raymond, University of Melbourne, Australia

These papers examine a variety of factors that influence the public's willingness to trust (or not trust) government.
3705

**Institutions, Legitimacy and Public Policy Performance in Latin America**

**Caribbean and Latin American Politics**

**Chair**
Harold Young, Austin Peay State University

**Participants**

- Institutional Reforms and Judicial Power Expansion in Brazil and Mexico
  Rebecca Magalhaes, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco
  Jose Mario Wanderly Gomes Neto, UFPE

- Ministerial career in brazilian governments
  Haina Coelho, Federal University of Minas Gerais

- Political Legitimacy and Public Policy: What is at Stake?
  Yonique Campbell, University of the West Indies

- The Power of the Pen: Developing Judicial Power in Latin America
  Monica Lineberger, University of South Carolina

**Discussants**

- Harold Young, Austin Peay State University
- Lee Demetrius Walker, University of North Texas

3706

**Political Order: Social Structures and Changing Institutions**

**Comparative Politics: Developing Areas**

**Chair**
SROBANA BHATTACHARYA, GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

**Participants**

- Civic Networks and Participation in Anti-Regime Resistance
  Yael Zeira, University of Mississippi

- Government Trust in East Asia: Does Globalization Matter?
  Daewoo Lee, Columbus State University
  Louis Fucilla, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
  Hyungkang Hur, Indiana University-Kokomo

- Learning from Social Movement Failure: the Importance of an Integrated Theory in Assessing the INRA and the TIPNIS Conflict in Bolivia
  Melissa Buice, West Virginia Wesleyan College

- What Determines the Political Stability of Africa? A Cross-National Analysis
  Gizachew Tiruneh, University of Central Arkansas

- The New England Puritans and the Islamic State: The Parallels Between the Modernizations of Western Civilization and Islamic Civilization
  Taylor Mercedez Wantje, University of West Florida

**Discussant**

- Kris Dunn, University of Leeds
### 3707
**Social Networks and Participation**

**Elections and Voting**

**Participants**

Effects of Restrictive Voter Identification Laws on Voter Turnout and Democratic Party Victories  
Scarlett Elizabeth Winters, Loyola University Chicago  
The Social Returns to Political and Charitable Giving  
Conor Dowling, University of Mississippi  
Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University  
Timers, Identity and Social Networks: Experiments in Reducing Turnout Overreports  
Ivelisse Cuevas-Molina, University of Massachusetts Amherst  
Voter Over Report in Mexico  
Lonna Rae Atkeson, University of New Mexico  
Who Votes Early? Evidence from Pensacola  
Brian Donald Williams, University of West Florida  
Amy Newburn, Haas Center, University of West Florida

### 3708
**Race, Representation, and Policymaking in Congress**

**Legislative Politics: Institutions**

**Participants**

Descriptive Representation and Deliberation: How Do Minority and Female Legislators Affect Debate?  
Emily West, New York University  
Talking the Talk? Descriptive Representation of Latinos and Congressional Speech  
Michael Kowal, Bowdoin College  
Malapportionment and its Consequences to National Identity: White Overrepresentation in a Postracial America  
Vinicius Guilherme Rodrigues Vieira, Princeton University  
Immigration Policy and the Trump Demographic: Do Trump Voters Predict Congressional Voting on Immigration Law?  
Daniel E. Chand, Kent State University
### American Political Theory

#### History and Politics

**Chair**
Geoffrey Kellow, Carleton University

**Participants**
- "For burning fire-crackers!!!" Lincoln and the Fourth of July
  - Colleen Mitchell, University of Notre Dame
- Compassionate Conservatism in the Spiral of Politics
  - Anthony Sparacino, University of Virginia
- Political Caution in Times of Crisis: a Consideration of Hayek's Views on Political Institutions
  - Caleb Chaplin, Carleton University
- What Publius Knew and Didn't Know
  - James R. Stoner, Louisiana State University
- Examining the Judicial Philosophy of Chief Justice John Roberts
  - Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

**Discussant**
Maria R Rosales, Guilford College

### Domestic Dimensions to International Environmental Politics

#### International Relations and Domestic Politics

**Chair**
Sambuddha Ghatak, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

**Participants**
- "Who's Afraid of Cap and Trade?" Industry Competition and the Domestic Politics of Climate Change
  - Amanda Kennard, Princeton University
- Hunger Games: Analyzing Relationships Between Food Security and Violence
  - Ore Koren, University of Minnesota
- Status-Seeking in a Multi-Polar World: Putin’s Arctic Strategy
  - Thomas Rotnem, Kennesaw State University

**Discussant**
Benjamin E. Bagozzi, University of Delaware
### Exploring Constitutional Topics

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Paul Foote, Murray State University

**Participants**
- Beyond Brown v. Board of Education: Did Judicial Supervision Reduce the Achievement Gap
  Cameryn C. Blackmore, The University of Alabama
- Don’t Speak? The Paradoxical Effect of Speech-Suppressing Appeals to the First Amendment
  Thomas Hansford, UC Merced
  Kayla Canelo, UC Merced
  Stephen Nicholson, UC Merced
- Religious Exemptions in Public Schools: Lower Courts and the Free Exercise Clause
  John P Forren, Miami University
  Cody Statum, Miami University
- The Re-Segregation of Schools Across America 62 Years After Brown v. Board of Education
  Daniel C Myers, State University of New York at Buffalo

**Discussant**
Michael Fix, Georgia State University

### Framing LGBTQ Rights

**Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Politics**

**Participants**
- Explaining Antipathy: Elites Mobilize the Like-Minded as a Response to Advances in Gay Rights
  Ben Bishin, UC Riverside
  Thomas J Hayes, U of Connecticut
  Matthew Incantalupo, Haverford College
  Charles A Smith, University of California Irvine
- The US and SOGI Human Rights: Ironic Convergences on Clinton’s 2011 SOGI Human Rights Speech
  Cynthia Burack, Ohio State University
- Negotiation, Impasse, and Crusade: Processes of Elite Frame Framing in Congress
  Charles G. Shields, University of Florida
Discourses in Islam

Religion and Politics

Chair
Bill Eger, Old Dominion University

Participants
God and Voters
Bill Eger, Old Dominion University
Sunnis and Shi`as in Islam: A Brief Comparative Overview
Mir Zohair Husain, University of South Alabama
The Salafi Discourse on Copts in post-2011 Egypt
Hebatullah Selim, University of Birmingham

Discussant
Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida

CWC 5: Economic Development

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
In-Sung Kang, Soongsil University

Participants
Policy Instrument Bundling of Local Land Use Sustainability Tools
anthony kassekert, FSU
Hierarchies of Need in Urban Sustainability: Mutual gains and zero-sum games at the nexus of economic development and environmental protection
Eric Stokan, Towson University
Aaron Deslatte, Northern Illinois University
Implementation of EECBG sustainability programs among Native American Tribal Governments:
Environmental vs. Economic Sustainability
Lachezar Anguelov, Evergreen State College
Eric Trevan, Evergreen State College
Effect of Natural Disasters on the Economy: Growth in the Green Job Sector in Local Governments
Orkhan Ismayilov, University of North Texas
Simon A Andrew, University of North Texas

Discussant
In-Sung Kang, Soongsil University

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SPSA Women's Business Meeting
Meetings
Friday
4:45pm-6:15pm

The How and Why of Civic Education
Civic Education
Chair
Andrew Steinfeldt, Lamar State College-Orange
Participants
Civic Habits: Developing a Practice of Civic Education in America
Christie Maloyed, University of Louisiana at Lafayette
Social Capital Investment: Teaching Experiential Civic Responsibility
Jeffrey M Brauer, Keystone College
The Influence of Civics Education on the Millennial Generation
Amy Stringer, University of Central Florida
Political Attitude Change in the Classroom: Do We Inform or Reinforce?
Liz Norell, Chattanooga State Community College
Discussant
Andrew Steinfeldt, Lamar State College-Orange
Dynamics of International Security
International Politics: Conflict and Security
Chair
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

Participants
"Therefore Think Him as a Serpent's Egg": Putin and His Plans for the Western Liberal Order
Mary Hampton, Air Command and Staff College
From intervention to ceasefire: exploring factors that influence Russia's willingness to negotiate peace in third country conflicts
Miroslav Shapovalov, University of Central Florida
Phoenix Rising: Identifying the Process of Rehabilitating a National Reputation from the Ashes of the Past
Matthew Clary, Auburn University
Reagan's Ghost: Space-Based Defense Policy in the 21st Century
Robert C. Harding, Valdosta State University
The Russian Federation and the United States as Managers of International Society: The Case of International Terrorism
Aleksandar Jankovski, Northeastern Illinois University/Lake Forest College

Discussant
Todd Clayton Robinson, US Air War College

Women's Descriptive and Substantive Representation
Women and Politics
Chair
Alexa Bankert, University of Georgia

Participants
The Impact of Women on Budget Priorities of Counties in North Carolina
Whitney Ross Manzo, Meredith College
David McLennan, Meredith College
Mary Kolisnichenko, Meredith College
Maria-Fernanda Diaz-Jimenez, Meredith College
Rethinking Representation: as a Multi-Institutional Interactive Concept: The case of Female Representatives and Contraceptive Access
Angela Nicole Allison, Texas A&M University
Female Constituents and Judicial Nominees: An Examination of Gender Representation in Judicial Confirmation Voting
Andrea Kathryn Eckelman, University of Montevallo
Robert Ross, Utah State University
Conditioning Representation: The Effects of State Legislative Professionalism and Gender in Three Policy Areas
Sarah Poggione, Ohio University
Institutional Effects on Effectiveness of Women State Legislators
Carol S Weissert, Florida State University
Kevin Fahey, Florida State University
Teresa Cornacchione Stanquist, Florida State University

Discussant
Kaitlin Sidorsky, Coastal Carolina University
### Intergovernmental and Network Politics

**Comparative Public Administration and Management**

**Chair**

SoonHee Kim, Syracuse University

**Participants**

Intergovernmental Politics of Load shedding: Blame Games and Cognitive Maps in the Case of Nuri Child Education Program in South Korea
Heungsuk Choi, Korea University
Seungjoo Han, Myongju University
Township leaders and village chiefs in contemporary China
Zhe Ren, Institute of Developing Economies, Japan
Why Have Ombudsmen Offices Proliferated in the U.S. Federal Government?
Bertha Ivette Anderson, PhD Candidate at Virginia Tech

**Discussant**

Khaldoun AbouAssi, American University, School of Public Affairs

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### Leadership and Decision Making

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**

Robert Stein, Rice University

**Participants**

Leaders’ decisions to use violent/nonviolent methods when faced with popular protests or secessionist movements: 1989-2016
Zlatin Borisov Mitkov, University of Central Florida
Traits, Gender and Leadership: An Analysis of Angela Merkel's Early Chancellorship
Samuel Rohrer, University of North Georgia
Beth M. Rauhaus, University of North Georgia
Azamat Sakiev, Penn State University - Harrisburg
The Online Political Forum Experiment: A Novel Measure of Political Tolerance
Chanita Intawan, UC Merced
Linking Electoral Confidence, Overconfidence, and Risky Behaviour: Evidence from a study with Elected Politicians
Lior Sheffer, University of Toronto
Peter John Loewen, University of Toronto

**Discussant**

Nicholas P. Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University
Preparing Young Women for Public Leadership

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Anna Mitchell Mahoney, Newcomb College Institute - Tulane University
Dana Brown, Chatham University

How can institutions connect students of women and politics to practitioners? Although the Democratic Party has nominated its first woman for President, there is still a dearth of underrepresentation of women in politics at the local, state, and federal levels. How are institutions preparing its female students for the challenge of succeeding in the current political environment? The roundtable will address various approaches that include role-playing; service-learning; and scholar-practitioner collaborations.

SPSA President's Address

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Executive Council II Meeting

Meetings

The Political Thought of the Great Triumvirate

Political Theory

Participants
Daniel Webster on Republican Reverence and Populist "Man-Worship"
  Geoffrey Kellow, Carleton University
Popular Liberty and the Great Triumvirate
  Jarrett Carty, Concordia University
Madison, Calhoun and the Problem of Populism in the Age of Jackson
  John Colman, Ave Maria University

This panel proposes to examine the political thought of the Great Triumvirate. In considering Calhoun, Webster and Clay, the panel will consider their approaches to populism, the character of the American founding and the substance of civic virtue and statecraft in a democratic republic. The panel will contend that the treatment of these issues by these three, offers insights useful to understanding permanent qualities of American politics. The papers proposed will each focus on one member of the triumvirate while at the same time noting the positions of the other two and of a third party that was often in their thoughts, an undercurrent in so many of their later writings: Andrew Jackson.
International Finance and the Impacts of Foreign Direct Investment

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Chair
David Leblang, University of Virginia

Participants
1) Assessing the Effects of IMF and the World Bank Programs on Financial Reforms
   Sawa Omori, International Christian University (Tokyo, Japan)
   Colin Barry, University of Oklahoma

2) Political Opportunity, Political Risk, and the FDI Lifecycle
   Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi
   Patrick Egan, Tulane University

3) Agricultural Foreign Investment and Host Country Institutions: FDI as Usual?
   Aycan Katitas, University of Virginia

4) Soft Power as a Determinant of Cross-Border Investment Activity
   Feng Sun, Troy University

5) The Effect of FDI on Knowledge-based Economy in the OECD Countries and Emerging Economies
   Rebekah M Dowd, Georgia State University

Discussant
David Leblang, University of Virginia

Political Institutions and Identity Politics

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Jason Maloy, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

Participants
1) It's Not (Just) the Economy, Stupid!: Unpacking the Black Box of Euroskepticism
   William Blake Smith, University of Georgia

2) Does Ethnic Heterogeneity Really Exacerbate Consociationalism's Effects?
   Matthew Charles Wilson, West Virginia University
   Kyle Rogers, West Virginia University

3) Problem of Liberty in Consociational Democracy
   Dragana Svraka, University of Florida

4) A Nativist Countryside: Rural Resentment and the Radical Right in Austria
   Jeffrey A Long, Carson-Newman University

Discussant
Stephen Bagwell, University of Georgia
Ideology and Issues

Elections and Voting

Participants
Climate Context and Support for Climate-Related Ballot Initiatives
  Regina Branton, University of North Texas
  Ronald J McGauvran, University of North Texas
Issue Salience and Cross-Pressures in the Contemporary American Electorate
  Christopher Hare, University of California, Davis
  Robert N. Lupton, Michigan State University
The Impact of Survey Mode on Model Estimates of Voting Behavior
  Enrijeta Shino, University of Florida
  Michael D. Martinez, University of Florida
Understanding and Using Ideology
  Michael Barber, Brigham Young University
  Jeremy C Pope, Brigham Young University
Voter Placement of Candidate Ideology: A Test of Competing Theories
  Brandon Marshall, Stony Brook University
  Michael Peress, Stony Brook University
Who Punishes Extremist Nominees?
  Andrew Hall, Stanford University
  Daniel Thompson, Stanford University

Legislative Rhetoric and Polarization

Legislative Politics: Institutions

Participants
Disentangling Agenda Setting and Polarization: Is Congress as Polarized as its Final Product?
  Scott Guenther, Princeton University
Party Polarization, Member Incivility, and the Structuring of Policy Conflict in Congress: House/Senate Contrasts
  Lawrence Dodd, University of Florida
  Scot Schraufnagel, Northern Illinois University
Tracing Political Rhetoric in the Polarized U.S. Congress: Are Our Legislators That Different?
  Iliyan Iliev, University of Southern Mississippi
  Yulia Gel, University of Texas at Dallas
  Xin Huang, University of Texas at Dallas
U.S. Senators on Twitter: Partisan Rhetoric in 140 Characters
  Annelise Russell, University of Texas
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Legislative Networks

Political Networks

Chair
Dino Christenson, Boston University

Participants
Guess Who's Coming to Dinner? Congressional Fundraising and the Extended Party Network
Michael Kowal, Bowdoin College
Implicit Coordination? Mapping Consultants across Political Organizations in American Federal Elections
Suzanne M Robbins, University of Florida
Legislative Power and Constituent Preferences: The Incumbent Advantage
Benjamin Andrew Chupp, Georgia Institute of Technology
Legislator Characteristics and Collaboration in Congressional Letter-Marking Networks
Nicole Kalaf-Hughes, Bowling Green State University
Russell Mills, Bowling Green State University
The Name Dropping Connections of Congress
Lindsey Cormack, Stevens Institute of Technology

Discussants
Genevieve Mayhew, University of Maryland/AFL-CIO
Parmida Esmaeilpour, University of British Columbia

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Policy Environments and Federalism

Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Chair
Ronald King, San Diego State University

Participants
Are We Better Off? Looking Back at Emergency Management Policy Implementation During The Obama Administration
Sean Hildebrand, Ball State University
Devolution and Representation: Evidence from the 1996 Welfare Reform
Asya Magazinnik, Princeton University
Leveraging Local Change: State Initiatives to Promote Service Sharing and Consolidation
Carl W Stenberg, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Ricardo Morse, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Preempting Preemption in Federal Systems
Garrett Darl Lewis, Princeton University
The Effects of State Policy Environments on Access to Healthcare in the Post-ACA Era
Michele Deegan, Muhlenberg College
Sabrina Terrizzi, Moravian College
A. Lanethea Mathews-Schulz, Muhlenberg College

Discussants
Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University
Ronald King, San Diego State University
Race, Ethnicity and Identity Politics

Political Psychology

Chair
Lonna Rae Atkeson, University of New Mexico

Participants
Economic Inequality, Identity-based Deservingness, and Selective Solidarity
Gabriele Magni, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Investigating the Dimensionality of Multiple Implicit Racial Attitude Measures
Thomas Craemer, University of Connecticut
Putting People into Boxes: The Effects of Partisan and Racial Stereotyping
Ethan Craig Busby, Northwestern University
Adam Howat, Northwestern University
Jacob Edward Rothschild, Northwestern University
Richard M. Shafranek, Northwestern University
Social identification and group performance: the effect of different war outcomes on national pride, the sense of belonging and the sense community among citizens
Maya Hadar, University of Konstanz

Discussant
Matthew Jacobsmeier, West Virginia University

Office - Saturday

Meetings
**Are race and income the keys to understanding policy?**

**Public Administration and Public Sector Politics**

**Participants**
- It Takes a Village: Minority Social Capital, Representation, and Student Performance
  - Kristen Carroll, Texas A&M University
- Making the Grade? How Public School Accountability Systems Shape Perceptions of Quality
  - Belinda Creel Davis, Louisiana State University
  - Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University
- Patterned Inequality: The Effect of County Institutions on Participation in TANF, Medicaid, and SNAP
  - Markie McBrayer, University of Houston
- Political Economy of School Parcel Taxes in California
  - Soomi Lee, University of La Verne

**Discussant**
- Charles Barrilleaux, Florida State University

**AV and Storage - Saturday**

**Meetings**
Gender Gaps in (the Study of) Politics

Women and Politics

Chair
Whitney Ross Manzo, Meredith College

Participants
Direct Democracy and the Gender Gap in Political Engagement
Jeong Hyun Kim, Washington University in St. Louis
Candidate Rhetoric and the Gender Gap in American Presidential Campaigns
Marcia Neille Beyer, The University of Houston
Let’s (NOT) Meet Face to Face: Gender Differences in Online versus In-Person Political Discussions
Jennie Sweet-Cushman, Chatham University
Mary Herring, Wayne State University
Elizabeth Prough, Madonna University
Fred Vultee, Wayne State University
You Research Like A Girl: Gendered Research Agendas and Their Implications
Jane Lawrence Sumner, University of Minnesota
Ellen Key, Appalachian State University
Gender and Public Engagement in Political Science via The Monkey Cage blog
Amy E Jasperson, Rhodes College
Elizabeth S. Smith, Furman University

The Role of Race and Gender in Judicial Politics

Judicial Politics

Chair
Rebecca Gill, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Participants
Beneath the Surface: Do Gender and Race Influence Publication and Authorship in the USCOA?
Elizabeth Tillman, University at Buffalo, SUNY
Rachael K. Hinkle, University at Buffalo
Gender, Race and Majority Opinion Assignment: A Cross-Court Perspective
John Szmer, UNC Charlotte
Robert K. Christensen, Brigham Young University
Erin Kaheny, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Minority Rights and Judicial Legitimacy: Immigration Bans and Support for the Supreme Court
Michael Zilis, University of Kentucky
Perceptions of Gender Bias in Public Attitudes towards the Decisions of Female Judges
Gbemende Johnson, Hamilton College
Michael Fix, Georgia State University
Trading Liberties for Security: The Effects of Judge Minority Status on U.S. Appellate Decision Making During Times of War
Rebecca Reid, University of Texas at El Paso
Susanne Schorpp, Georgia State University
Susan Johnson, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Panel on Undergraduate Research: the "How To" of the Liberal Arts Institution

Undergraduate Research and Training

This panel is composed of people in the field of practice in directing undergraduate research and creating and maintaining programs in undergraduate research with an emphasis on smaller liberal arts institutions. The purpose is to share strategies, with a particular emphasis on new start-ups and additions to curriculum in Political Science programs. The panel should be of critical interest to institutions with experiential elements and cross-disciplinary emphases. Mini-Conference.

CWC 5: Intergovernmental Relations

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Jessica N Terman, George Mason

Participants
Multi-Level Governance and City Sustainability Policies: Does it Exist? Does it Matter?
  Kent E Portney, Bush School of Government, Texas A&M University
  Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University
  Jerry M. Berry, Tufts University

Interjurisdictional Competition and Cities’ Choice of Policy Instruments for Environmental Sustainability
  Rachel M. Krause, University of Kansas
  Y.S. Angela Park, University of Kansas

Congressional Delegation Support and Intergovernmental EECBG Implementation
  Antonio Tavares, University of Minho, Portugal
  Kathryn Wassel, Florida State University

Discussant
Jessica N Terman, George Mason

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CWC 7 Comparative Authoritarianism of State-Society Relations Panel 1: Institutionalization and Authoritarian Rule

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University

Participants
The Politics of Courts in Authoritarianism: Explaining the Expansion of Judicial Power in Post-Mubarak Egypt
Housam Darwisheh, Institute of Developing Economies, Japan External Trade Organization

Dictatorial Survival and Breakdown
Erica Frantz, MSU
Barbara Geddes, UCLA
Wright Joseph, Pennsylvania State University

How Does the Chinese People's Liberation Army Utilize People's Congresses? Its Changing Relationship with Society
Tomoki Kamo, Keio University, Japan

China's Trade Union Reform in the 1980s: The Impact of Poland's Democratization Movement
Kazuko Kojima, Keio University, Japan

Discussant
Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University

In 2013, The Economist said that year was the “biggest year for democracy ever,” and in the wake of the Arab Spring of 2011, the world seemed to finally be advancing toward that democratic utopia that Francis Fukuyama predicted in The End of History and the Last Man. But between then and now, something has changed. Now the original stability of the liberalized Arab regimes seems to be slipping, and The Economist’s front page touts an article called “What’s Gone Wrong with Democracy.” Although most of the human being have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. This conference-within-the-conference tries to fill this hole in political science. Why have some authoritarian regimes been resilient (like China so far)? What makes authoritarian governments stay in power? Interestingly, many authoritarian regimes have faced social unrest, and they have been democratized in some cases while they have survived in other cases. What explanations would account for this variation? To answer this question, the papers in the panels draw empirical evidence from politics in China, the Middle East, and other authoritarian countries. Panel 1 focuses on how authoritarian rulers institutionalize governance for survival of the regime, Panel 2 highlights how rulers manage political communication and information to maintain the authoritarian regime, and Panel 3 explores the implications of economic globalization on authoritarian politics.
Saturday
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Conference Within a Conference

Participants
The Effects of the South Carolina Voter ID Law
M.V. Hood III, UGA

Deadwood and Disenfranchisement: Maintaining Election Lists in the United States
Lori Minnite, Rutgers

Provisional Ballots and Vote Choice
Richard Engstrom, University of Maryland
Shauna Reilly, Northern Kentucky University
Stacy Ulbig, Sam Houston State University

Alexander B. Wathen, University of Houston - Downtown

Locked out: Examining the Effect of Felon Disenfranchisement Laws on Partisan Representation in State Legislatures
Craig Freeman, Oklahoma State University
Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M
Brian Smentkowski, Queens University of Charlotte
Civil War Dynamics and Outcomes

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chairs
Sambuddha Ghatak, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Holly L. Guthrey, Uppsala University

Participants
Examining the Efficacy and Impact of Rebel Diplomacy
Connor James Somgynari, Pennsylvania State University

Facing or Forgetting the Past: Variations in Truth Recovery and Accountability in Aceh and Timor-Leste
Holly L. Guthrey, Uppsala University

Follow the Leader: Rebel Leaders and Anti-Civilian Violence in Civil War, 1989-2014
Austin Doctor, University of Georgia

Local elites' Alliance Building and Post-conflict Violence
Hoojung Kim, Louisiana State University

Civilian Victimization in Armed Conflict: An Opportunity Cost Argument
Emily Naasz, Texas Tech University

Party, Incumbency, and Reputation Effects in Elections

Legislative Politics: Campaigns and Elections

Chair
Michael Julius, Coastal Carolina

Participants
(Sympathy for) The Devil You Know: Openness, Risk Aversion, and the Incumbency Advantage
Adam Ramey, New York University Abu Dhabi
Jonathan Klingler, Vanderbilt University
Gary E Hollibaugh, University of Notre Dame

Complexities of Lock-Step Voting Punishment in Primary Elections
Matthew Montgomery, Georgia State University
Jeffrey Lewis Lazarus, Georgia State University

Evaluating the Role of Coattail Effects in the 2016 Elections
Jason Byers, University of Georgia
Jamie Carson, University of Georgia
Ryan Dane Williamson, University of Georgia

Voter Response to Senate Scandals: Newer Techniques for Analyzing Aggregate Electoral Behavior
Scott James Basinger, University of Houston
Damon M. Cann, Utah State University
Michael J. Ensley, Kent State University

Discussants
Logan Dancey, Wesleyan University
Michael Julius, Coastal Carolina
Campaigns, Advertising, and Endorsements

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am

Media and Politics

Chair
Glen Smith, University of North Georgia

Participants
Examining Elite Political Incivility During the 2012 Election: Contextual Factors that Result in Strategic Application of Incivility in Political Advertising
Chance York, Kent State University
Eric Weaver, Kent State University
Hollywood Meets Washington: Celebrity Endorsement of a Political Candidate
Mia Kamal Sanati, Louisiana State University
Participation in 140 Characters or Less: The Influence of Twitter's Informal Social Networks on Political Discussion
Rebecca Mix Bryan, University at Buffalo, SUNY
The Effect of Political Advertising and Mobilization Tactics on the Turnout Likelihood of Emergent Peripheral Voters
Arthur Beckman, George Washington University
Who Approves of Whom and Why?: Factors that Influence the Strategic Use of Endorsements in 2012 Campaign Advertisements
Chance York, Kent State University
Newly Paul, Appalachian State University

Discussants
Glen Smith, University of North Georgia
Anderson M Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin

Technology and Science Informing Policy Development

Public Policy

Participants
How the UIDAI “Leviathan” is Structured: A Policy Process and Actor Network Theory Perspective
Pragati Rawat, Old Dominion University
John Charles Morris, Old Dominion University
Intervention Impact Model: Integrating Biology, Policy, and Communication for More Effective Disease Containment
Christine Crudo, Texas A&M University
Douglas Call, Washington State University
William Sischo, Washington State University
Promise and Peril in the Robotics Age: Policy Options for Mitigating Technological Displacement
Brett S. Sharp, University of Central Oklahoma
State and Local Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation: Developing Leadership Strategies through the Delta Regional Authority
Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana Monroe
John W. Sutherlin, University of Louisiana Monroe
Ashley Lawrence, University of Louisiana Monroe
Evaluating Public Spaces: A Meta-Analysis of Literature Across Academic Disciplines
Jocelyn Evans, University of West Florida

Discussant
Brett S. Sharp, University of Central Oklahoma
Exhibit Area - Saturday
Meetings

Art & Politics (1) - Poetry & Prose
Political Theory
Participants
Democracy and Prophecy: Whitman's Compound "I" and Democratic Faith
   Dustin Fridkin, University of Florida
Edgar Allan Poe's 'American Nightmare' as Satirical Alternative to the Transcendentalist Movement
   Douglas Jarvis, Independent Scholar
Masters and Friends – Friendship’s Moderation of Liberalism in “Benito Cereno,” Go Down, Moses, and Huckleberry Finn
   Joseph Griffith, Baylor University
Self-Reliance and Political Activism in Emerson
   Daniel Michael Savage, Northeastern State University
### 4202  
**Intervention, Development, and Security**  
**International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights**  

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Patrick Egan, Tulane University  

**Participants**  
An African Marshall Plan  
Bill Eger, Old Dominion University  
Globalization and Strategic Leadership Development: Balancing Political and Business Imperatives  
Mary Eve Spirou, Georgia Institute of Technology  
International Organizations as Democracy Enforcers: The Design of Suspension Clauses in the EU, OAS, and AU  
Cassandra Emmons, Princeton University  
The Olympic Effect: Why Countries Seek United Nations Security Council Non-Permanent Seats  
Steven D Roper, Florida Atlantic University  
What is Dead May Never Die: The Fates of Decaying International Organizations  
Danielle Scherer, Temple University  
Lauren Farmer, Temple University  

**Discussant**  
Patrick Egan, Tulane University  

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### 4203  
**Institutional Perspectives on Democratization**  
**Comparative Political Institutions**  

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Janica De Chaves Magat, Texas A&M University  

**Participants**  
All for One and One for All? How Inclusive Transitional Bodies May Hinder Democratization Prospects  
Katherine Michel, Loyola Marymount University  
Dominant party systems and property rights  
Daniel Scott Owens, University of Maryland, College Park  
Public Subsidies for Parties, the Timing of Democratization, and Electoral Volatility in Latin America  
Yen-Pin Su, National Chengchi University  
Impact of Political Institutions and Ethnic Composition on Corruption and Policy Productivity: The Case of Latin America  
Clemente Quinones, Georgia Gwinnett College  

**Discussant**  
Carrie Humphreys, University of Tennessee at Martin
Exploring and visualizing political data
Political Methodology

Chair
Jane Lawrence Sumner, University of Minnesota

Participants
A Radical Right Party Family? Cluster Analyses of European Party Manifestos
Jennifer M. Simons, University of Virginia
The Fingerprints of Fraud: Using Convolutional Neural Networks to Identify Fraud in Mexico’s 1988 Presidential Election
Francisco Cantu, University of Houston
The State of Information Visualization in the Social Sciences
Parmida Esmaeilpour, University of British Columbia

Discussant
Lefteris Anastasopoulos, University of Georgia

Federalism and Constitution: Intergovernmental Management Issues
Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Chair
Michael W Hail, Morehead State University

Participants
"Capacity, Strategic Choice, and Fiscal Performance: Scaling the Peaks of Public Management in Appalachia."
Jeremy L. Hall, University of Central Florida
Sarah Larson, University of Central Florida
American Representation: Analyzing representation using the Franco-American Treaty of Amity and Commerce under the Articles of Confederation and the Constitution"
Stephanie Davis, University of Texas Dallas
"Federalism and Executive Action: Memoranda, Executive Orders, and Vetoes."
Ashley Ruggiero Slupski, Morehead State University
“The Kentucky Constitutional Conventions and the Federalism of the Founding Fathers.”
Ashley K Taulbee, Morehead State University
“Federalism in the transition from the Articles of Confederation to the U.S. Senate.”
Michael W Hail, Morehead State University

Discussant
Jeremy L. Hall, University of Central Florida

Federalism and the U.S. Constitution: Intergovernmental Management Issues The papers address key concepts for understanding American federalism and the intergovernmental management challenges of this system of multi-level governance. The approaches are comparative, theoretical, historical, and empirical. The research is state and federal level and has relevance for a broad audience of federalism and intergovernmental relations scholars.
**Authoritarianism, Trust, and Tolerance**

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
Yann Kerevel, Louisiana State University

**Participants**

Authoritarianism and Trust in Political Institutions
Kris Dunn, University of Leeds

Social Trust and South Koreans’ Attitudes toward the Reunification
DONGHUN KIM, Sogang University, Seoul, Republic of Korea

Undemocratic Participation: Authoritarianism, Attitude Strength, and Political Engagement
Matthew Ward, University of Houston

Social mobility and institutional distrust. Cults of gratitude and resentment?
Stijn Daenekindt, Ghent University (BE) and Erasmus University Rotterdam (NL)
Jeroen van der Waal, Erasmus University Rotterdam
Willem de Koster, Erasmus University Rotterdam

**Discussant**
Ralph Gert Schoellhammer, Webster University Vienna

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**Worth the hassle? Training and Certification**

**Public Administration and Public Sector Politics**

**Participants**

Transforming Public Sector Workforces: A Cross-Jurisdictional Analysis of the Certified Public Manager Program
Brett S. Sharp, University of Central Oklahoma
Steve Housel, Rogers State University
Joyce Doakes Smith, OMES/State of Oklahoma

Police Education: contribution to innovation and institutional development
Diego Nogueira, SPSA

The Research / Practice Gap in Emergency Management: Operating in a Political Environment
Brian D Williams, PhD Candidate / Student

Motivations to Enter Teaching by Gender and Ethnicity
Jason Giersch, UNC Charlotte

**Discussant**
George W Dougherty, University of Pittsburgh
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Saturday
9:45am-11:15am

Blair Center Clinton School Poll 2016, Early Findings

Southern Politics

The 2016 Blair Center Clinton School Poll (BCCS) conducted by Knowledge Networks includes a large national sample, as well as oversamples of Southerners, African Americans (both inside and outside of the South), and Hispanics (both inside and outside of the South), providing for multiple comparisons across region, race, gender, and ethnicity. Key questions include policy positions on guns, Black Lives Matter, climate change, immigration, and terrorism, among others. Major scales measuring racial animus, religiosity, and modern sexism allow for deeper analysis of the motivations driving respondents' attitudes. The roundtable will offer key findings and discuss avenues of potential research from the brand new data.

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Saturday
9:45am-11:15am

The Effects of Electing Judges (or Not)

Judicial Politics

State Politics

Chair
Billy Monroe, Prairie View A&M University

Participants
Competitive Advantage: Electing Women as Judges
Rebecca Gill, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Kate Eugenis, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Contingent Decision-Making: How State Supreme Court Judges Respond to Polarization Across Retention Regimes
Kyla Stepp, Central Michigan University
Kevin Lorentz, Wayne State University
Judicial Visibility and Accountability on State Supreme Courts
David Hughes, Auburn University at Montgomery
The Influence of Judicial Elections on InterBranch Relations: Legislative Overrides of State High Court Decisions
Richard Glen Gardiner, Georgia State University
Electoral Competition in Judicial Elections
Michael Nelson, Pennsylvania State University

Discussant
Chris W Bonneau, University of Pittsburgh
Interest Group Strategies from an International Perspective

Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Chair
Nathan Grasse, Carleton University

Participants
Challenge accepted - Conflict expansion as a successful interest group strategy in the European Commission consultations
Henrik Hermansson, University of Copenhagen
Traditional Panchayats and Tribes in India: A Case of Lambadi in Telangana
BODA VAMSHI NAIK, UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD
Sources of Institutional Change: Participatory Initiatives and Urban Agriculture in Rio de Janeiro
Ezra Spira-Cohen, Tulane University
In Plain Sight and Behind Closed Doors
Kristen Laura Martinez, University of Central Florida

Discussant
Vera Heuer, Virginia Military Institute

Challenges and Opportunities for Mentoring Undergraduate Research: A Faculty Roundtable

Undergraduate Research and Training

Participants
Geoffrey Peterson, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
Carol Strong, University of Arkansas at Monticello
R. Bruce Anderson, Florida Southern College

Chair
James LaPlant, Valdosta State University

With faculty from a variety of institutions, our roundtable explores the challenges and opportunities for mentoring undergraduate research. Faculty will discuss departmental and institutional initiatives to promote undergraduate research opportunities. The roundtable will examine best practices and lessons learned from mentoring undergraduate political science research. Furthermore, the roundtable will identify resources, such as the Council on Undergraduate Research, that are available to faculty who are novices or veterans at mentoring undergraduate research. Audience participation and feedback will be encouraged throughout the discussion.
CWC 5: Contributions of the ICSD to Sustainability Research

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Aaron Deslatte, Northern Illinois University

Participants
An approach to missing data based on Bayesian multiple-imputation
Cali Curley, Indiana University Purdue University
Changes to Local Sustainability Initiatives: An Exploratory Study
Christopher Hawkins, University of Central Florida
Vanessa Balta Cook, University of Central Florida
Interorganizational Competition and Collaboration: The Effect of Organizational Autonomy, Resource Availability, and Transaction Cost on Collaboration
Seo Young Kim, Florida State University
Richard Feiock, Florida State University
An Evaluation of the Efficiency of Collaboration in the Context of the EECBG and Local Sustainability Output
Y.S. Angela Park, University of Kansas
Rachel M. Krause, University of Kansas

Discussant
Aaron Deslatte, Northern Illinois University

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CWC 7 Comparative Authoritarianism of State-Society Relations Panel 2: Communication, Information, and Authoritarian Rule
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CWC 2: Voter Mobilization

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
Voter Mobilization in Iran
Daniel Tavana, Princeton
Kevan Harris, UCLA
Effect of "I Voted" Stickers on Turnout
Chris Mann, skidmore college
Henry Jaffe, Skidmore College
Early Voting and its Effect on Voters
Brian Brox, Tulane University
Field Experiments with State Election Agencies on Encouraging Voter Registration
Chris Mann, skidmore college
Robyn Stiles, LSU
Mingxia Sui, Louisiana State University
The supply of Voter Registration in Florida: How and when One Registers Matters
Thessalia Merivaki, University of South Florida, St. Petersburg

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International Law and Cooperation

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Vanessa A. Lefler, Middle Tennessee State University

Participants
A Quandry in the Humanitarian Law: Unlawful Combatants and Civilians by Referring to the Children
azer sumbas, Hacettepe University Faculty of Law
The Consequences of Other Claims on Peaceful Settlement Attempts
Vanessa A. Lefler, Middle Tennessee State University
The Supply Side of International Agreements
Justin Wakefield Nicholson, University of Rochester
Traditional Diplomacy as a Facilitator for the Use of Force and Public Diplomacy
Gregory Ryan, Union University
Kill or Capture? Law and Targeted Killing in Counterterrorism
Lisa Letostak, Louisiana State University

Discussant
Olivia Carroll, Baylor University
4218
Strategic Decisions and Position-Taking by Parties and Candidates
Legislative Politics: Campaigns and Elections
Chair
Neilan S Chaturvedi, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Participants
Explaining and Projecting Immigration’s Impact on Individual Member Decisions on Immigration Policy, 2006-2016
Maryam Stevenson, Troy University
Incumbent Positioning on Twitter in the 2010 Election
Doug Murdoch, University of Houston
I’m With Her? Why Republican Lawmakers Refused to Endorse Its Party’s Nominee
Jordan Ragusa, College of Charleston
Overcoming The Learning Curve: The Use Of Facebook By Members Of Congress
Lucas J Lothamer, Tarrant County College
The effects of Québec’s Bill no2 amending the Election Act on Political Party Behaviour.
Justin Savoie, Université Laval
François Gélineau, Université Laval
Discussants
Brian Richter, University of Texas at Austin
Neilan S Chaturvedi, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

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Entertainment and Nontraditional Media Sources
Media and Politics
Chair
Diane Johnson, Lebanon Valley College
Participants
Childhood Determinants of Relative Entertainment Preference (REP): Exploring Parent and Child Behavioral Factors that Predict Long-Term REP
Chance York, Kent State University
Civil Servants on the Silver Screen
Michelle Pautz, University of Dayton
Political Satire: A reflection of democratic values?
Mehnaaz Momen, Texas A & M International University
Political TV series: Introducing a new cause of political cynicism
Ioana Alexandra Manoliu, Universite de Montreal
Politicization of Art in Iran
Tahereh Hadian Jazy, PhD student
Discussants
Diane Johnson, Lebanon Valley College
Michael Friedman, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
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Supra-National/Transnational Structures and Policy Diffusion in Latin America

Caribbean and Latin American Politics

Chair
Renee Scherlen, Appalachian State University

Participants
Policy Reform, Political Parties and Organized Interests: Universal Healthcare in Latin America
Zoila Ponce de León, UNC Chapel Hill
Trade Wars and Politics in Paradise: Intra-CARICOM Economic Conflict and Prospects for Deepening Integration in the Commonwealth Caribbean
Robert Chalwell, Broward College
Iliyan Iliev, University of Southern Mississippi
A Competition for Legitimacy: Security Approaches to Transnational Organized Crime in Latin America
Ana Raquel Martin, Georgia State University

Discussants
Vinicius Guilherme Rodrigues Vieira, Princeton University
Renee Scherlen, Appalachian State University

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Rebel, Rebel: Authoritarian Institutions and Anti-System Behavior

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Jacqueline Sievert, Bowling Green State University

Participants
Clearing the Streets: Understanding Authoritarian Response to Mass Protest
Sasha de Vogel, University of Michigan
The Breakdown of Anarchy and the Emergence of Institutionalized Political Order
Scott F Abramson, University of Rochester
Jee Seon Jeon, Florida State University
Taking Care of their Own: Armed Forces and their Business Enterprises
David Prina, University of Maryland Department of Government and Politics
The Social Terrain of Rebel Held Territory
Jori Breslawski, University of Maryland
Afghanistan Social Structure Challenges and the Political Stability
Nouf Aljassar, University Of Florida

Discussant
Elif Ozdemir, Washington University in St. Louis
Attitudes and participation

Elections and Voting

Participants
Athletic Democracy: Reconciling Deliberation & Participation
   Michael Neblo, Ohio State University
Mobilizing a Generation? The Many Behavioral Effects of the Vietnam Draft Lottery
   John Henderson, Yale University
Opting Out: A Multidimensional Analysis of the Political Behavior of "Party Non-Conformers"
   Zachary Albert, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Walking the Walk? The Effect of Pledging to Vote on Turnout
   Mia Costa, University of Massachusetts Amherst
   Brian Schaffner, University of Massachusetts Amherst
   Alicia Prevost, Environmental Defense Fund
Affective Orientation of Ambivalence and Voter Turnout
   Christina Cota-Robles, LSU

Methodological advances in the study of public opinion and political behavior

Political Methodology
Elections and Voting

Chair
   Martha Kropf, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Participants
Economic Perceptions and Electoral Choices: A Design-Based Approach
   Giancarlo Visconti, Columbia University
Deus ex Machina: Methods for Identifying Influential Subgroups in Voter Targeting Models
   Christopher Hare, University of California, Davis
A General-to-Specific Approach to Unobservable Individual Effects in Dynamic Panel Models with a Very Small T
   Mark Pickup, Simon Fraser University

Discussant
   John Holbein, Princeton University
**Institutional Networks**

**Political Networks**

**Chair**

Suzanne M Robbins, University of Florida

**Participants**

Call Me Maybe? Varying Patch-Through Scripts to Optimize Advocacy Programs  
Genevieve Mayhew, University of Maryland/AFL-CIO

Supreme Court Coalition Formation and its Precedential Effects  
Kristen Renberg, Duke University  
Mathew McCubbins, Duke University

The Downstream Effects of Granting Writ: Judicial Agenda-Setting, Litigation & Opinion Writing  
Sahar Abi-Hassan, Boston University  
Dino Christenson, Boston University  
Janet Box-Steppensmeier, Ohio State University

**Discussants**

Lauren Ratliff Santoro, The Ohio State University  
carry j smith, graduate student

**Urban Governance and Contemporary Political Campaigns**

**Urban Politics**

**Chair**

Brett S. Sharp, University of Central Oklahoma

**Participants**

Personality Traits, Candidate Emergence, and Political Ambition: How Personality Affects Who Represents Us  
Adam Dynes, Brigham Young University  
Hans Hassell, Cornell College  
Matthew Miles, Brigham Young University-Idaho

Civil Community in the Delaware Valley: A Framework for Studying Urban Governance  
Wes Leckrone, Widener University  
Michelle Atherton, Temple University

The Political Consequences of the Endangered Local Watchdog: The relationship between quality local news and political outcomes  
Meghan E Rubado, Cleveland State University  
Jay Jennings, University of Texas Austin

**Discussants**

jeffrey kraus, wagner college  
Peter Burns, Soka
Believing in Conspiracy and Its Effects  

Political Psychology  

Chair  
Paul Gronke, Reed College  

Participants  
Belief in Ideological Conspiracy Theories: Situational or Dispositional?  
Stephen P. Schneider, University of Nebraska-Lincoln  
Johnathan C Peterson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln  
Ingrid J Haas, University of Nebraska-Lincoln  

Conspiratorial Thinking, Plausibility Judgements, and Abductive Reasoning  
Adam M. Enders, Michigan State University  
Steven M. Smallpage, Stetson University  

The Effect of Conspiracy: Demobilizing or Mobilizing?  
Yongkwang Kim, University of Houston  

The Relationship between Conspiracy Thinking and Issue Positions  
Joseph E Uscinski, University of Miami  

Rumors in Retweet: Social Media and the Spread of Political Misinformation  
Andrew Guess, New York University  
Briony Swire, University of Western Australia  
adam berinsky, MIT  
John Jost, New York University  
Josh Tucker, New York University  

Discussant  
Glen Smith, University of North Georgia  

Motivations, Goal Setting, and Empowerment: Their Impact on Bureaucracies  

Public Administration and Public Sector Politics  

Participants  
Citizens and the New Public Service: Suggestions to Address Team Production Problems  
Jonathan Rauh, East Carolina University  

Examining The Impact of Goal Setting on Public Employees’ Perception of Performance Appraisal Fairness  
James Harrington, University of Texas at Dallas  

Volunteer motivations and nonprofit service delivery: Lessons learned from a study of youth mentoring  
Liliokanaio Peaslee, James Madison University  
Amanda Teye, James Madison University  

Seeking a Causal Inference of Employee Empowerment on Organization Outcomes: Panel Data Analysis  
Hyesong Ha, IUB  

Discussant  
Carol S Weissert, Florida State University
### Race and Southern Politics

**Saturday**
**11:30am-1:00pm**

**Southern Politics**

**Participants**
Residential Segregation and the Allocation of Public Goods in Louisiana Before and After Hurricane Katrina  
Matthew P. Hitt, Colorado State University  
Wayne Parent, Louisiana State University

Personal Business Interests and Legislative Voting to Remove Racially Intolerant Symbols  
Jordan Carr Peterson, University of Southern California  
Christian R. Grose, University of Southern California

Control of the Ballot Box Through State Voter Identification Laws: A South/Non-South Comparison  
Rick Travis, Mississippi State University  
John Charles Morris, Old Dominion University  
Kathleen Hale, Auburn University  
David A Breaux, Delta State University  
Joseph A Aistrup, Auburn University

White Racial Consciousness and Support for Donald Trump: A Comparison of Southerners and Non-Southerners  
Jonathan Knuckey, University of Central Florida

### Examining the Role of the Senate in Selecting Federal Judges

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Marcus E Hendershot, Oklahoma State University

**Participants**
Federal Judicial Selection in Legislative Context  
Amy L Steigerwalt, Georgia State University  
Wendy Martinek, Binghamton University

Grandstanding or Polarization: Senator Behavior in Supreme Court Confirmation Hearings  
Jessica Schoenherr, Michigan State University  
Elizabeth Lane, Michigan State University  
Miles T. Armaly, Michigan State University

Judicial Appointment and the Cloture Change of 1975  
Roger Paul Abshire, University of Houston  
Sarah Mallams, University of Houston

Judicial Nominations and Senate Rule XXXI  
Alicia Uribe-McGuire, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Discussant**
Donald Campbell, Middle Tennessee State University
Workers of the World: The Influence of Labor Unions
Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Chair
Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

Participants
Does Labor Punish Democrats?: Free Trade Agreements and Campaign Resources from PNTR to TPP
Joshua Jansa, Oklahoma State University
Michele Hoyman, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Wad Khalafalla, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Trade union representativeness in East Asia
Ingrid Grosse, Dalarna University, Sweden
When Anti-Labor Policies Succeed: The People or The Politicians
Laura C. Bucci, Indiana University

Discussant
Robert Lowry, University of Texas at Dallas

Undergraduate Research in American Elections
Undergraduate Research and Training
This panel is for advanced undergraduates in the wide range of topics associated with American elections: national, state and local. Panel participants must be from an undergraduate program, and must be either in the process of attaining a 2 or 4 year degree; or be recent graduates not yet embarked on a graduate student career.
CWC 5: Local Government Managers: Managerial Motivations, PSM, and Service Delivery

Conference Within a Conference

Chair
Yahong Zhang, Rutgers University in Newark

Participants
Now Hiring: The Impact of Recruitment Strategies on the Hiring of City Managers
Jennifer Connolly, University of Miami
Laura E. Connolly, University of Alabama

High-Power and Low-Powered Incentives and Public Service Motivation: A Survey Experiment
Namhoon Ki, Florida State University

Training v. Sanctions in a High PSM Environment: Improving Fire Department Turnout Times
Daniel Scheller, UTEP

The Long-term Effect of County Government Structure on County Roles as Regional Service Providers
Jayce Farmer, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Discussant
Yahong Zhang, Rutgers University in Newark

N/A

CWC 7 Comparative Authoritarianism of State-Society Relations Panel 3: The Market an the State in Authoritarianism
**Conference Within a Conference**

**Chair**
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

**Participants**
Industrial Transfer and the Remaking of China's Competitive Advantage
Yuen Yuen Ang, University of Michigan

Development and Everyday Politics in China: A Big Data Approach
John Wagner Givens, University of Pittsburgh
Andrew W. MacDonald, University of Louisville

Links between Business Entities and State Institutions in China through the Economic Reform Era to the Xi Jinping Administration
Vida Macikenaite, International University of Japan

Free Trade Agreements and Domestic Politics of an Authoritarian Regime
Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University

**Discussant**
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

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Conference Within a Conference

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Party Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization I

Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization of Political Parties

Chair
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Participants
Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization of Political Parties: Conceptual Framework
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Institutionalization of a Charismatic Movement Party: The Case of the Croatian Democratic Union
Goran Cular, University of Zagreb
Dario Nikic Cakar, University of Zagreb

The institutionalization of new parties in Europe. (How) does it matter for success?
Kristina Weissenbach, University of Duisburg-Essen (Germany)

Discussants
Ivan Vukovic, University of Montenegro
Fernando Casal Bertoa, University of Nottingham
Lars Svasand, University of Bergen
Causes and Consequences of Terrorism
International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Leah Michelle Graham, University of North Alabama

Participants
Are "New" Terrorists Old News?: Evidence from Electoral Terrorism
Parmida Esmaeilpour, University of British Columbia
Lone Wolves and Wolf Packs: Are Both Types of Terrorist Different?
John Tures, LaGrange College
The Lone Wolf and International Security
Darryl Lamont Roberts, Tuskegee University
The Origin of Suicide Terror: The Influence of Country Origin on Suicide Terrorists
steve garrison, Midwestern State University
Luke Allen, Midwestern State University
The Relationship between Corruption and Terrorism
Patrick F. Larue, University of Texas at Dallas

Discussant
Leah Michelle Graham, University of North Alabama

Inequality: Race, Religion and Gender-Based
Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Participants
The Culturalization and Securitization of Citizenship Practices across the EU: The German Case
Burcu Toğral Koça, Eskişehir Osmangazi University
Women in the Labour Market and Impact of Socio-Economic Factors-the Case of Turkey
LINAMEE DAS, Jawaharlal Nehru University
Theodore James Davis, Jr., University of Delaware
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Campaign Coverage
Media and Politics

Chair
Arthur Beckman, George Washington University

Participants
Candidates’ Twitter Content as an Election Results Indicator: The Case of the US 2014 Senate Election
   The Anh Pham, Wabash College
Further Polarization on the Internet: Preliminary Results from the 2016 Election
   Anderson M Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin
Gaffe Coverage in the 2008 and 2012 Elections: Examining Content and Bias
   beth rosenson, university of florida
Gender and Presidential Elections: How the 2016 Candidates Played the “Woman Card”
   Heather K Evans, Sam Houston State University
   Kayla Brown, Sam Houston State University
   Tiffany Wimberly, Sam Houston State University
Late Night Political Humor and Presidential Candidate Favorability over Time
   S. Robert Lichter, George Mason University
   Jody C Baumgartner, East Carolina University
   Jonathan S. Morris, East Carolina University

Discussants
   Arthur Beckman, George Washington University
   Johanna Dunaway, Texas A&M

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In The President's Shadow? Vice Presidents' Influence on U.S. Policy
The vice presidency has long been the subject of ridicule. However, since World War II, there has been profound changes over the very function of the vice presidency and consequently over the quality of its occupants. Several factors explain these changes, such as the expansion of the U.S. role around the globe and the growing complexity of political issues. Two important constitutional changes also contributed to the transformation of the role of vice president: the 22nd Amendment to the Constitution (1951), as it turns the vice-presidency into a springboard for the country’s highest political office; and the 25th Amendment (1967), which ensures that the vice president shall become president in case of the death or incapacitation of the president. Furthermore, tragic events have propelled unprepared vice presidents to the Oval Office during troubled times, such as Truman in 1945 and Ford in 1974. Since then, presidential candidates have every incentive to be more careful as they choose their running mate and to involve them in their decision making process in a more significant way. This resulted is the phasing out of ceremonial duties of the vice presidency in favor of a more governmental and diplomatic roles. This shows that vice presidents are increasingly important figures in the decision-making process, becoming active presidential advisers. The presentations of this panel aim to expose how the changes that have affected the vice presidency since World War II have transformed the institution itself and the place occupied by vice presidents in the policy decision-making process, but foremost to see if those changes allow them to exert real influence on the president and on the United States policy.
Resilient Farmers, Resilient Beans, Resilient Cities?: Examining Coffee's Global Supply Chain from Cup to Cafe

Program Chair's Panels

Discussants
Nora Burkey, St. Mary’s University
Renee Claire Blanchard, Church Alley Coffee Bar

New Orleans is among one of the U.S.’s most resilient cities after recovering from Hurricane Katrina in 2005. Since New Orleans has held the premier coffee port in the U.S. for almost two centuries, with more than a dozen warehouses devoted solely to coffee, there is no better “resilient city” to hold this internationally vital discussion. This panel will consider the global and national imperative of resilience by looking at the 21st century global coffee chain and the specialty coffee industry, by considering the following questions:

• How have coffee farmer-producers have demonstrated resilience to date? • Is such resilience sustainable, considering growing threats of climate change and its impact for all agricultural crops, including coffee? • Is such resilience sustainable, considering the challenges of farmer-producers in coffee, which include an aging farmer population and youth migration to cities? • What political and economic structures help or impede resilience for coffee farmer-producers? • What trade and business practices help or hinder resilience for coffee farmer-producers? • What role do U.S. roasters and cafés play in creating resilience for this complex supply chain? • What role do U.S. cafés play in creating resilient cities and communities? Using coffee as a focus matters, not only because it remains one of the world’s most important agriculturally traded commodities, but also because the global north continues in patterns of trade and consumption that affect the livelihoods of more than 25 million farmer-producers in the global south. This interdisciplinary panel – comprised of academics and practitioners in the specialty coffee industry – seeks to lead an urgent discussion of the political and economic structures that impede that work of humanitarian and aid organizations. This panel will explore the politics of the coffee supply chain by utilizing frameworks of resilience. Considering that New Orleans is experiencing an increase of “third wave coffee cafes” even as post-Katrina recovery continues, the 2017 SPSA conference is a perfect place for this panel to feature issues of sustainability, gender equity, and injustice in one of our world’s most important agricultural global supply chains, and its impact on U.S. cities.

2018 Program Committee Meeting
Meetings

Saturday
1:00pm-3:00pm
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### Categories, Methods & The Deliverances Thereof

#### Political Theory

**Participants**
- Between Marx and Weber: The Return to the State in American Political Science
  - Rafael Khachaturian, Indiana University Bloomington
- Beyond Communitarianism and Multiculturalism: Margret Gilbert’s Social Groups and a Politics of Obligation
  - Mitchell Krumm, Bethel University
- John Muir, Imagination and Environmental Politics
  - Joshua Bowman, Louisiana State University
- Varieties of Naturalism in Politics
  - Michael T Gibbons, University of South Florida

### Regime Transitions

#### Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

**Chair**
- Mir Zohair Husain, University of South Alabama

**Participants**
- "Give them Toys?: Military Allocations and Regime Stability
  - Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida
  - Christopher Faulkner, University of Central Florida
- Abandoning the Prince: Loyalty and Accountability in Non-Democracies
  - Hisham Soliman, GSU
- Punish the Dissidents: The Principal-Agent Logic of Stability-Preserving Choices in China
  - Dongshu Liu, Syracuse University

**Discussant**
- Ingrid Bego, Western Carolina University
4403  Judicial Behavior in Developing Democracies and Authoritarian States

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Samantha Vortherms, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Participants
Bounding Democracy through the Courts: the Case of Mexico’s Electoral Tribunal
Jose Luis Enriquez, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Sending a Message: A Model of Judicial Signaling in Authoritarian Regimes
Jacqueline Sievert, Bowling Green State University

Law and Conflict Emergence
Margaret Hanson, The Ohio State University

Independent Judiciary: Democratic Prerequisite or Autocratic Necessity?
ADNAN RASOOL, Georgia State University
Bailey Fairbanks, Georgia State University

Discussant
Teresa Cornacchione Stanquist, Florida State University

4404  A Post-Mortem of 2016 Election Forecasts

Elections and Voting

Participants
Alan Abramowitz, Emory University
Alfred Cuzan, University of West Florida
Natalie Jackson, The Huffington Post
Bruno Jerome, University of Paris II
Kyle D Kondik, University of Virginia Center for Politics
Brad Lockerbie, East Carolina University
Michael Lewis-Beck, University of Iowa
Helmut Norpoth, Stony Brook University
Christopher Wlezien, University of Texas at Austin

Chair
Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

Evaluation of what went right or wrong with various forecasts based on econometric models or polls of the 2016 presidential election.
Gauging public opinion from non-representative data

Political Methodology
Public Opinion

Chair
D. Sunshine Hillygus, Duke University

Participants
Identifying Panel Attrition through Comparison of Synthetic Panel
  Min Hee Seo, Washington University in St.Louis
Less is more? How demographic sample weights can improve public opinion estimates based on Twitter data.
  Pablo Barbera, University of Southern California
Weighting Surveys: A Practical Guide
  Christopher H Achen, Princeton University

Discussant
  Ines Levin, University of California, Irvine

Social Networks and Surveys
Political Networks

Chair
Olivia Carroll, Baylor University

Participants
A Novel Heuristic For Assessing Social Network Data Reliability with Survey Non-Response
  Jarrod Olson, Battelle Memorial Institute
  John M Rose, Battelle Memorial Institute
  Marilyn Sitaker, Evergreen State College
Partisan, Accuracy, and Prosocial Motivations in Political Communication Networks
  Matthew Thomas Pietryka, Florida State University
Social Influence on Political Attitudes: The Role of Homogeneity
  Lauren Ratliff Santoro, The Ohio State University
Two-Step Priming: How Social Groups extend Media Influences on Political Identities
  Jacob Edward Rothschild, Northwestern University

Discussants
  Judd Thornton, Georgia State University
  Rashid C Marcano, Indiana University
### 4407
**Public or private? The problem with market failures**

**Public Administration and Public Sector Politics**

**Participants**
- Assuming Public and Private Traits in Pseudo-Competitive Public Markets
  - Jonathan Rauh, East Carolina University
- Freeriding and the Determinants of County Revenue in Appalachia
  - Sara Brooke Moser, Lee University
  - Shelley Grace Harris, Lee University
- Ideology, Inequality, and Water Scarcity in Private and Public Utility Rate Adoption
  - David Switzer, Texas A&M University
- The Political Economy of State-Owned Enterprises: The Case of Public Higher Education
  - Robert Lowry, University of Texas at Dallas

**Discussant**
- Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico

### 4408
**Political Persuasion**

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
- Amy E Jasperson, Rhodes College

**Participants**
- Experimental Evidence on the Relationship Between Place-based Appeals and Voter Evaluations.
  - Kal Munis, University of Virginia
  - Nicholas Jacobs, University of Virginia
- Moral Values and Political Persuasion: The Messenger Matters
  - Amy E. Lerman, University of California, Berkeley
  - Meredith Sadin, University of California, Berkeley
- Negative Gains? Exploring the Effects of Negative Messages on Party Identification
  - Katharine Gomez, University of Tennessee
- The effects of discrepant outcomes of political violence on national pride: Israel 2005-2015
  - Maya Hadar, University of Konstanz

**Discussant**
- David Ciuk, Franklin & Marshall College
4409
Economic Growth and Grants
Public Administration and Public Sector Politics
Participants
Effect of Natural Disasters on Economy: Growth in the Green Job Sector in Local Governments
Orkhan Ismayilov, University of North Texas
Simon A Andrew, University of North Texas
Richard Feiock, Florida State University
Merit or Marionettes? An Analysis of Political Influence on Federal Project Grant Awards
Jordan T Long, University of Georgia
Benjamin M Brunjes, University of Washington
The Effect of Swing voters on Intergovernmental grants distribution
Howon Suk, Korea University
Heungsuk Choi, Korea University
The Inconvenient Truth of the Political Pollution Cycle: Theory and Evidence from Chinese Prefectures
Shiran Shen, Stanford University
Importance of Gender: Investing in Women, Investing in the Economy
Taylor Edwards, Georgia College
Discussant
James C Garand, LSU

4410
Political Change in the South
Southern Politics
Chair
John A Clark, Western Michigan University
Participants
How Competition Changed Party Nomination in the South
John McGlennon, College of William & Mary
On Class and Agricultural Change: The Role of Economic Change in the Post-World War II Shift in Southern Party Strength
John Marshall Dickey, University of Tennessee
The Growth of State Legislative Republicans in Tennessee
Sean Evans, Union University
The Republican Present in Southern Politics
Seth C. McKee, Texas Tech University
Discussant
Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana Monroe
Exploring the Foundations of Justice

Judicial Politics

Chair
Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

Participants
Mass Incarceration and Reentry in the USA: Is the Prison State at a Cross Road?
Binneh Minteh, Rutgers University
Racial Disparities in Criminal Appeals: Evidence from Texas
Thomas Gray, University of Virginia
The Sociopolitical Foundations of Judicial Power:
Rhonda Evans, The University of Texas at Austin
Political Change and Transitional Justice in North Korea: Types of Transition and South Korean Engagements
In-sul Park, Kyungpook National University
Man-ho HEO, Kyungpook National University
Built Environment and the Court: An Experimental Substantiation of Political Aesthetics
Cody Robert Melcher, Wayne State University
Kevin Lorentz, Wayne State University

Discussant
Rebecca Reid, University of Texas at El Paso

Fighting the Man: The Effectiveness of Activism and Protest

Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Chair
Christopher Fariss, University of Michigan

Participants
Does Protest Matter? The Impact of Rights-Related Protest on the Legislative Agenda
Alexandra Brewer, University of Tennessee Knoxville
A View from Different Planets: Gun Related Activists in Western New York
Dylan S. McLean, University of West Georgia
Selection and Sequencing of Movement Strategies: A Case Study of Legal Activism in India
Vera Heuer, Virginia Military Institute
The Challenges of Homeless Women in the United States: A Call for Evidence-based Public Policy Changes
Revathi Hines, Southern University and A & M College
Leslie Taylor Grover, Southern University and A & M College
Melanie Johnson-Cunningham, Southern University and A & M College

Discussant
Brian Richter, University of Texas at Austin
### Panel of Undergraduate Research in IR and Comparative Politics

**Undergraduate Research and Training**

This panel is for advanced undergraduates in the wide range of topics associated with International Relations and Comparative Politics, and is open to all topic matter in these wide areas. Panel participants must be from an undergraduate program, and must be either in the process of attaining a 2 or 4 year degree; or be recent graduates not yet embarked on a graduate student career.

### Publishing a Book Manuscript: Advice from Editors

**Program Chair's Panels**

**Participants**
- Chuck Myers, University of Chicago Press
- Robert M Howard, Georgia State University
What's Really New about the new New Orleans: Political Economy of Urban Development

Urban Politics

Chair
David Franco, Assistant Professor of Architectural Design, History and Theory, Clemson University

Participants
Race and Retrospective/Prospective Voting in Catastrophic Politics: New Lessons from New Orleans
Ed Chervenak, UNO
Robert Montjoy, UNO

J. Celeste Lay, Tulane

New Orleans Politics and Policy More than 10 Years after Katrina
Peter Burns, Soka
Matthew Thomas, Cal St Chico
Matt Bieganski, Soka

Boards, Commissions, and Satellite Government: The Institutional Political Economy of New Orleans Development
aaron schneider, University of Denver

Privatization, Politics, and Public Transportation: Transit Revitalization in the Big Easy
Ashley Brown Burns, Tulane

Discussants
Joseph Campbell, Rose State College
Nicholas Bauroth, North Dakota State University

New Orleans suffered catastrophic flooding in Hurricane Katrina a little over one decade ago. The hurricane destroyed infrastructure, expelled a sizeable portion of the population, and directed national and international attention to the city, bringing funding and new plans for redevelopment. The disruption of the aftermath unleashed a struggle for control of the city and its development. After a decade of rapid change, this panel explores the politics of New Orleans in terms of political, social, policy, and economic trends. Existing political arrangements, especially the voting blocs that swayed elections, decayed and reorganized around new cleavages. New social actors have articulated agendas, formed organizations, and pressed for access to politics and policy. New policy and institutional frameworks, both imposed from outside and indigenously designed, have emerged to govern important activities. New economic sectors, and the actors who lead them, reorganize the way production, work, and accumulation occur in the city. With so much that is new, it is time to take stock and evaluate how much has changed, with what impacts, to whose benefit, and how the current moment fits into major periods in the history of the city. What is new about the new New Orleans? This panel brings together political scientists who have been looking closely at New Orleans for most of the last decade. Their research touches on political, social, policy, and economic aspects of change, drawing on literatures from urban politics, public opinion, education, and international development. There is a cottage industry of partial views of New Orleans after Katrina, but there have been few attempts to put the current moment of city politics in the context of socio-economic shifts and historical trajectories of change. This panel invites academic and policy observers to weigh the nature of changes in the city and draw conclusions about likely future balances of power and directions of the city’s evolution.

CWC 2: Election Systems: Administration
Saturday 1:15pm-2:45pm

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
How Do County Budgets Affect Administrative Capacity and Election Outcomes? Evidence from North Carolina
   Martha Kropf, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
   JoEllen Pope, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
   Zach Mohr, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
   Mary Jo Shepherd, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Election Audits In Space And Time
   Leonardo Antenangeli, University of Houston
   Francisco Cantu, University of Houston

How long were the lines at the polls in 2016?
   Charles Stewart III, MIT

Analyzing the costs of voting using mathematical programming
   Guillermo Dur'an, Universidad de Chile

Voting Technology and Electoral Outcomes: The Case of Indian Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs)
   Indrajit Sinha Ray, University of Houston
Party Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization II

Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization of Political Parties

Chair
Lars Svasand, University of Bergen

Participants
Deinstitutionalizing Power of Decision-Making Personalization: The Paradigmatic Case of the Serbian Communist-Successor Party
Ivan Vukovic, University of Montenegro

Patterns of Party Institutionalization in the Czech Republic
Jakub Stauber, Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University in Prague

The uneven institutionalisation of the Green Party in Poland
Agnieszka Kwiatkowska, University of Social Sciences and Humanities

Discussants
Dario Nikic Cakar, University of Zagreb
Kristina Weissenbach, University of Duisburg-Essen (Germany)

Propaganda, Violence, and the Islamic State

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Participants
A Systematic Review of Jihadi Propaganda: Existential Themes in Islamic Terrorism Recruitment Campaigns
Parmida Esmaeilpour, University of British Columbia

Beyond Butchery: The Development of Islamic State Propaganda and the Creation of Legitimacy
Scott Bledsoe, New York University

Is the Islamic State (IS) really Islamic?
Neda Jebelly, Asia Pacific university

Losing to Fight Another Day: How the Exit Strategy of Occupying Forces Shapes Post-War Violence
Sarah Elizabeth Bryson, Louisiana State University

In Their Own Words: Prospects for Negotiation with al Qaeda and the Islamic State
Seth Cantey, Washington and Lee University

Discussant
Ivan Sascha Sheehan, University of Baltimore
Diversity and Intergroup Relations

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Participants
Intersectional Solidarity: Intersectionality’s Contribution to Social Movement Theory and Practice
Fernando Tormos, Purdue University
Social Diversity Leads to Higher Provision of Public Goods and Services
Neeraj Vimal Prasad, Tufts University
Socializing with the Out-group: Testing the Contact Hypothesis in Bosnia and Herzegovina
Matthew Thomas Becker, University of Tampa
Sometimes, the issue is the issue you support…Blacks, Latinos, and Abortion
Sarah Perez, Eastern Kentucky University

Discussing Politics Online

Media and Politics

Chair
Heather K Evans, Sam Houston State University

Participants
Automated Detection of Chinese Government Astroturfers Using Network and Social Metadata
Blake A Miller, University of Michigan
Dissident Flows of Information and Political Trust: Social Media Effects in Kazakhstan
Jason Gainous, University of Louisville
Amanzhol Bekmagambetov, University of Louisville
How Do Online Discussion of Social Events Become Politicized? — A PRC Case Study
Dapeng Wang, Peking University
Chunying Yue, Peking University
JuanJuan Li, Peking University
Investigating Gaps in Digital Production and Political Activism among Social Media Users Using Self-Reported and Behavioral Measures
Martin Johnson, Louisiana State University
Lance Porter, Louisiana State University
Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University
Belinda Creel Davis, Louisiana State University
Asim Shrestha, Louisiana State University
The Limits of Digital Citizenship: Constraints on News Consumption and Recall in the Mobile Setting
Johanna Dunaway, Texas A&M
Mingxiao Sui, Louisiana State University
Kathleen Searles, Louisiana State University
Newly Paul, Appalachian State University

Discussants
Heather K Evans, Sam Houston State University
Newly Paul, Appalachian State University
The Tools of the Unilateral Presidency

President/Executive Politics

Chair
Matthew Mark Caverly, Middle Georgia State University

Participants
Presidents' Calculus in the Political Landscape: Unilateral Actions as a Tool of Voter Mobilization
Myunghoon Kang, Washington University in St. Louis

The Vigorous Executive: Significant Executive Orders and Proclamations, 1861-1944
Raymond Williams, University of Maryland

Unilateral Delegation: A Principal-Agent Model for Presidential Use of Executive Orders
Derek Culp, University of Pittsburgh

White House Response Times to Congressional Mail during the Carter Administration
Kevin Evans, Florida International University

Discussant
Matthew Mark Caverly, Middle Georgia State University

Mission Impossible: Enforcing the Transgender Bathroom Laws

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Jami Taylor, University of Toledo
Barry Tadlock, Ohio University

Chair
Richard Fording, University of Alabama
The Cultural Contradictions of Neoliberalism: Assessing Daniel Bell's The Cultural Contradictions of Capitalism After Forty Years

Political Theory

Participants
From Containment to Narcissism: The Intrapsychic Contradictions of Post-Industrial (Neo)Liberalism
James Block, DePaul University
The End of Authentic Modernity and the Exhaustion of Liberalism
Michael J. Thompson, William Patterson University
The contradictions of the neoliberal corporation and state
David Ciepley, University of Denver
Unyielding Contradictions or Productive Tensions: A Response to Bell's Crisis of Liberalism
Daniel Brudney, University of Chicago

In 1976, Daniel Bell in The Cultural Contradictions of Capitalism laid forth the argument that American liberal society had reached a turning point: the tensions among and within its discrete sectors – politics, culture, the economy – were evolving into full blown contradictions, pitting these sectors against each other. The result in his view was a great “trial” for American liberalism which raised the question whether “it can survive.” As the polarizations and tensions have further sharpened in the neoliberal age of late capitalism, Bell’s sharply observed reflections and daunting questions regarding the structural and moral viability of the American system have also taken on greater urgency in this period. Participants in this panel will provide analyses regarding distinct dimensions of these cultural contradictions as they have evolved since Bell’s work, and will offer a vibrant set of alternatives on the liberal prospects for dealing with these. The focus ultimately will be on the compelling question “What is to be done?,” either within or beyond the liberal framework.

Regime Transitions II: Democratization

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Participants
International Political Pressure Systems and Sub-State Repression in Autocratic Regimes
Austin Scott Matthews, Louisiana State University
What is Democracy?: A Comparative Evaluation of the Stages and Modes of Democracy in Ukraine and Venezuela
Joshua Darichuk, Florida State University
Why Do Some Military Coups Usher in Democratic Transitions while Others Lead to Military Rule?
Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida
Why Isn’t China Democratizing? An Analysis on Social Classes in China
Feng Sun, Troy University
Social Media Activism and Protest Participation
Süveyda Karakaya, The University of Tennessee

Discussant
Matthew Charles Wilson, West Virginia University
Nominating Presidential Candidates

Elections and Voting

Participants
Does Media Affect The Presidential Nomination Process?
Jarred Ralston Cuellar, University of Arkansas
In the Arena: Assessing the Impact of Nationally Televised Debates on Presidential Campaign Fundraising During the Invisible Primary
Justin J. Norris, University of Georgia
The Rigors of a Rigged System? Delegate Allocation Rules in the 2016 Presidential Primaries
John A Clark, Western Michigan University
Brittany Page Brake, Western Michigan University
Who Decides, and Why? Assessing Delegate Choices During the Republican Presidential Nominating Process
Matthew J. Dickinson, Middlebury College
Katherine Reinmuth, Middlebury College

Voting across the Life Cycle

Elections and Voting

Participants
Living Together, Voting Together: How Couples Instantly Adapt Their Turnout Behavior as They Co-reside
Yosef Bhatti, KORA, the Danish Institute for Local and Regional Government Research
Jens Olav Dahlgaaard, University of Copenhagen
Jonas Hedegaard Hansen, University of Copenhagen
Kasper M. Hansen, University of Copenhagen
Making Young Voters: Policy Reforms to Increase Youth Turnout
D. Sunshine Hillygus, Duke University
John Holbein, Princeton University
Retirement and Political Participation: Evidence from a Regression Discontinuity Design
Ines Levin, University of California, Irvine
The Influence of Becoming a Parent on Political Participation
Robert Jackson, Florida State University
Matthew Thomas Pietryka, Florida State University
Two times the trouble: Twinning, costs, benefits, and voting
Jens Olav Dahlgaaard, University of Copenhagen
Yosef Bhatti, KORA, the Danish Institute for Local and Regional Government Research
Kasper M. Hansen, University of Copenhagen
### Methodological challenges in comparative politics and international relations

**Political Methodology**

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**

Shawn Ling Ramirez, Emory University

**Participants**

External Validation of Event Data
- Benjamin E. Bagozzi, University of Delaware
- Patrick T. Brandt, University of Texas at Dallas
- John R. Freeman, University of Minnesota
- Jennifer S. Holmes, University of Texas at Dallas
- Alisha Kim, University of Texas at Dallas
- Agustin Palao, University of Texas at Dallas

The Puzzle of Human Rights Treaty Ratification: A Causal Variable Importance Analysis
- Sinh Nguyen, Purdue University

Incorporating case-level reliability into latent variable models of expert-coded data
- Kyle Lohse Marquardt, V-Dem Institute, University of Gothenburg
- Daniel Pemstein, North Dakota State University

**Discussant**

Scott Cook, Texas A&M University

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### Growing Complexities in U.S. Civil-Military Relations

**President's Special Panels**

**Participants**

Does Army Engagement with Congress Affect Budgets? A Qualified 'Yes'
- Heidi Demarest, US Military Academy

Rise of the Policy Subsystem: Re-Evaluating Civil War Pension Policy and its Lasting Consequences on Veterans and Society
- Brandon Jason Archuleta, United States Military Academy

Who’s the Boss? Defining the Civil-Military Relationship in the 21st Century
- Kevin Krupski, United States Military Academy

Presidential Directives and Bureaucratic Drift: Passive Aggressiveness in the Pentagon
- Delaney Brown, United States Military Academy

From Cat Videos and ‘Click Bait’ to Navy Cruisers and the Korengal Valley: How the New Media Landscape is Shaping Understanding of the All-Volunteer Force
- Jon Patrick Cheatwood, United States Military Academy, West Point

As the U.S. military remains the most trusted institution in the nation after 15 years of war, defense and military scholars are finding renewed interest in U.S. civil-military relations. Featuring scholarly expertise from active duty and retired military officers, this panel explores the many formal and informal aspects of U.S. civil-military relations. Papers in the panel include works exploring Congress and the defense budget, military pensions and their impact on veterans and society, a stewardship theory of civil-military relations, presidential directives and bureaucratic drift in the Pentagon, and new media’s impact on members of the military. Indeed, research of this sort should be considered timely and relevant for all students of American politics, public policy, and democratic institutions. Chair: Doyle Hodges, ABD, Princeton University Discussant: Steven Kreeger, MPhil, MA, U.S. Military Academy Panelists: 1. Heidi Demarest, PhD, U.S. Military Academy 2. Brandon Archuleta, PhD, U.S. Military Academy 3. Kevin Krupski, ABD, Syracuse University 4. Delaney Brown, MIDP, U.S. Military Academy 5. Jon Cheatwood, MALD, U.S. Military Academy
### Letting the Cat out of the Bag: Information and Bureaucracies

**Public Administration and Public Sector Politics**

**Participants**
- FOIA at 60: An Examination of Records Access in a Digital World
  - Wendy Ginsberg, Congressional Research Service
  - Daniel Richardson, University of Virginia School of Law
- Whistleblowing and the War on Science: Methods of Assault and Defense
  - Glenn W. Rainey, Eastern Kentucky University (Emeritus)
  - Jane G. Rainey, Eastern Kentucky University (Emeritus)
- Examining Open Government Data (OGD) usage in India through UTAUT framework
  - Stuti Saxena, Central University of Haryana
- Strategic information transmission in Quebec State affairs: A phenomenological study
  - Benoit Béchard, Université Laval
- The Effect of Case Load on Judicial Behavior
  - Mark Beougher, Western Michigan University

**Discussant**
- Jonathan Rauh, East Carolina University

### Political Psychology and the 2016 Election

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
- Lonna Rae Atkeson, University of New Mexico

**Participants**
- Can Populism Trump Ideology?
  - Matthew Jackson, University of Pittsburgh
  - Jarrod Kelly, University of Pittsburgh
  - Fanghui Zhao, University of Pittsburgh
- I'm (Not) With Stupid: Do Extreme Candidates Help or Hurt Their Parties?
  - Jack Edelson, University of Wisconsin-Madison
  - Frank John Gonzalez, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- Love him or Hate him: The Effect of Group Polarization on Support for Donald Trump
  - Kathleen Lolley, University of Southern Mississippi
  - Elena Stepanova, University of Southern Mississippi
  - Marija Bekafigo, Northern Arizona University
  - Kenji Noguchi, University of Southern Mississippi
- Monster Discourse and Moral Outrage in the 2016 Presidential Contest
  - Erin Cassese, West Virginia University

**Discussant**
- Ngoc Phan, Davidson College
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Saturday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Budgeting

Public Administration and Public Sector Politics

Participants
Budgetary Changes and Performance: Adding in Clientele Context
Carla Flink, American University Department of Public Administration & Policy
Angel Molina, Arizona State University
How State Performance Budgeting Requirements Impact Citizen Tax Burdens
Tucker Staley, University of Central Arkansas
State oversight and fund balance policies: An analysis of local government savings
LaShonda M Stewart, lms10@siu.edu
John A Hamman, Southern Illinois University
Brian Chapman, Southern Illinois University
Darren M Bailey, Union County, IL Treasurer
Which types of ministers get more budget?
Byong Seob Kim, Seoul National University

Discussant
Jayce Farmer, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

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Saturday
3:00pm-4:30pm

Author Meets Critics: Robert Mickey's Paths Out of Dixie

Southern Politics

Author
Robert Mickey, University of Michigan

Critics
Morgan Kousser, Cal Tech
Angie Maxwell, University of Arkansas
B. D'Andra Orey, Jackson State University
M.V. Hood III, UGA

Paths Out of Dixie examines the dramatic political changes in the American South after World War II through the lens of democratization. Robert Mickey argues that Southern states after Reconstruction were governed by authoritarian regimes, led by white Democrats to sustain white supremacy, the agricultural economy, and their political careers. From the 1940s to the 1970s, these regimes were beset by democratizing forces. Politicians and institutions in southern states varied in their responses to these forces. Mickey examines political change in Georgia, Mississippi, and South Carolina to argue that the paths each state took in response to the civil rights movement continue to shape politics today. He offers a unique perspective on political development in the South.
Using Computational Text Analysis and Machine Learning to Examine Judicial Politics

Judicial Politics
Political Methodology

Chair
Robert Hume, Fordham University

Participants
Automated Content Analysis, Topic Modeling, and the Establishment Clause Jurisprudential Regime
Chase Porter, University of Alabama
Distorting the Court?: Politicized Language in Media Portrayals of the Supreme Court
Alexander Denison, University of Kentucky
Do Judges or Case Facts Influence Writing Style in Judicial Opinions?
   Daniel Lempert, State University of New York, Potsdam
   Matthew P. Hitt, Colorado State University
   Jeffrey Budziak, Western Kentucky University
Targeting Inconsistency: The Why and How of Studying Disagreement in Adjudication
   Ryan Copus, University of California, Berkeley
   Ryan Hubert, University of California, Davis
The Importance of Being Caustic
   Rachael K. Hinkle, University at Buffalo
   Michael Nelson, Pennsylvania State University

Discussant
Morgan Hazelton, SLU

Whose Interests? Campaigns, Elections, and Behavior

Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Chair
Ingrid Grosse, Dalarna University, Sweden

Participants
Do Candidates Need PAC Money?
   Brian Richter, University of Texas at Austin
   Timothy Werner, University of Texas at Austin
Money and Rhetoric: A Dance with Equal Partners?
   Iliyan Iliev, University of Southern Mississippi
Representation in a World of Inequality: After "Occupy", Sanders, and New Social Movements
   David Edwards, University of Texas at Austin
Who Protests? Using Social Media Data to Solve Ecological Inference Problems in Studies of Mass Behavior
   Ted Chen, PSU
   Christopher Fariss, University of Michigan
   Paul Zachary, UCSD
The Run to Fund: How Political Parties Compete to Fund Religious Organizations
   Noa Cnaan-On, Duke University

Discussants
Brianne Heidbreder, Kansas State University
   Dylan S. McLean, University of West Georgia
Comparative Politics

Undergraduate Research and Training

Chair
Timothy Wyman McCarty, University of San Diego

Participants
Brexit: The Driving Factors Behind the Vote to Leave the European Union
Connor Quinlan McCarthy, Valdosta State University

It's Time for a Change: A Critical Analysis of the Push for Indigenous Autonomy in Regional Mexico
Emily Mendiola, University of Arkansas - Monticello

Scientific culture in Colombia. A proposal of an indicator system for science technology and innovation
Clara Pardo, University of El Rosario
William Alfonso, University of El Rosario

Taiwanese Perceptions of Refugees: Results of an Experimental Survey
Stella Treumann, Western Kentucky University

Minority Empowerment and Political Incorporation in the Urban Landscape

Urban Politics

Chair
Cynthia R. Rugeley, University of Minnesota Duluth

Participants
Black Empowerment, Black Disillusionment, and City Politics in New Orleans
Marek Steedman, University of Southern Mississippi
Allan McBride, University of Southern Mississippi
Marcus Coleman, University of Southern Mississippi

Breaking Glass Walls: Public Policies to Counteract Gender and Racial Occupational Segregation in Urban Planning
Oscar Loza Hoyos, University of Central Oklahoma
Eric Anthony Johnson, University of Central Oklahoma Political Science Department
Brett S. Sharp, University of Central Oklahoma

Making Coalitions. Picking Winners: How Political Organizations Influence Local Elections
Andrea Benjamin, UNC Chapel Hill
Alexis Miller, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

School Closures and Civic Engagement: How Social Policies Influence Identity and Participation
Sally Nuamah, Princeton University

Discussants
Andrea Yvette Simpson, University of Richmond
Ashley Brown Burns, Tulane
How to Land an Academic Job

President's Special Panels

Participants
Christopher N Lawrence, Middle Georgia State University
Pearl Ford Dowe, University of Arkansas
Brad Gomez, Florida State University

Chair
Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College

The participants on this roundtable will provide advice and answer questions about the academic job market in political science.

CWC 2: Election systems: campaign finance

Conference Within a Conference

Participants
When Do Political Parties Break Election Campaign Rules?
Imantas Bernotas, University of Houston

Do voters reward or punish candidates for the types of contributions they receive
Raymond La Raja, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Effects of campaign finance audits on candidates
Abby Wood, University of Southern California Gould, School of Law
Christian R. Grose, University of Southern California

Not Checking the Box: The Presidential Election Campaign Fund, Campaign Finance Rhetoric, and Opt-In Default Effects
Richard G Forgette, University of Mississippi
Conor Dowling, University of Mississippi
Joel Hanel, University of Mississippi

The Super Donors Behind the Super PACs
Paul S Herrnson, University of Connecticut
Richard Skinner, Sunlight Foundation

Discussant
Brent Ferguson, NYU School of Law
**Party Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization III**

Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization of Political Parties

**Chair**
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

**Participants**
- Party Institutionalization in Argentina. An Analysis of Propuesta Republicana Party
  Cristian Daniel Altavilla, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba / Universidad Nacional de San Luis
- Party Institutionalization in East Central Europe (1990-2010)
  Fernando Casal Bertoa, University of Nottingham
- The Swedish Pirate Party: An institutionalized party?
  Lars Svasand, University of Bergen

**Discussants**
- Jakub Stauber, Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University in Prague
- Agnieszka Kwiatkowska, University of Social Sciences and Humanities
- Cristian Daniel Altavilla, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba / Universidad Nacional de San Luis

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**Counterterrorism**

International Politics: Conflict and Security

**Chair**
William Wagstaff, Emory University

**Participants**
- Besieging and Eliminating Terrorists: Bureaucratic Capacity, Cooperation and Terrorism
  mustafa kirisci, university of north texas
- Hierarchy and Leadership Decapitation: Assessing the Robustness of Terrorist Organizations
  William Wagstaff, Emory University
  Danielle Jung, Emory University
- Terrorists of Our Making: Social Constructionism in Designations of Foreign Terrorist Organizations
  Cagil ALBAYRAK, University of Kansas
- The Intervening Causal Effect of Reputational Sanctions: Evidence from the State-sponsored Terrorism Norm
  Parmida Esmailpour, University of British Columbia
- The Militarization of Counterterrorism Policies and its Effect on Radical Mobilization
  Michael Douglas Baggs, PHD student
Representation and Black Political Leadership

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Participants

More than Skin Deep: How Variation in Black Political Leadership Affects Black Political Behavior
Julian Wamble, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

The Boundaries of Racial Politics in the Tennessee General Assembly: The Legislative Behavior of Tennessee’s Black Lawmakers from 2003-2012
Sekou Franklin, Middle Tennessee State University

The Death of Black Politics
Shannon Frank Reeves, The University of Alabama

The Role of the Congressional Black Caucus in Appointments to the Federal Judiciary
Shenita Brazelton, Old Dominion University

Media Effects On Policy And Democracy

Media and Politics

Chair
Chance York, Kent State University

Participants

How Media Environments Affect Ideological Expression
Johanna Dunaway, Texas A&M
Martin Johnson, Louisiana State University
Christopher Weber, University of Arizona

Persuasion in Hard Places: Accounting for Selective Exposure in Estimating the Persuasive Effects of Partisan Media
adam berinsky, MIT
Teppei Yamamoto, MIT
Justin de Benedictis-Kessner, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Matthew Baum, Harvard University

The Clues in the News: Mass Media and Public Responsiveness to Policy
Fabian Neuner, University of Michigan
Stuart Soroka, University of Michigan
Christopher Wlezien, University of Texas at Austin

Watching the News and Support for Democracy: Why Media Systems Matter
Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M
Keith Gaddie, Oklahoma University

Discussants
Chance York, Kent State University
beth rosenson, university of florida
### 4620: Public Opinion and Public Appeals From Presidents

**Presidential/Executive Politics**

**Chair**
- Kevin M. Baron, University of Florida

**Participants**
- A Strategic Model of Presidential Targeted Appeals
  - Jonathan Klingler, Vanderbilt University
- Presidential Polls and Midterm Campaigning
  - Michael Julius, Coastal Carolina
- Electoral Vulnerability and Presidential Support
  - Patrick T Hickey, West Virginia University
- Recasting Ronald Reagan: The Politics of Rhetoric, Reproach, and Redemption
  - Richard S. Conley, University of Florida
- The First Term of Thomas Jefferson's Presidency, As Seen through His Presidential Newspaper
  - Melvin Laracey, University of Texas at San Antonio

**Discussant**
- Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

### 4621: Race, the Politics of Inequality, and Public Policy

**Class and Inequality**

**Chair**
- Alan Draper, St Lawrence University

**Participants**
- From the Poorhouse to the Voting Booth: The Effect of Economic Inequality and Race or Ethnicity on Voting
  - Ronald J McGauvran, University of North Texas
- Public misperceptions of welfare recipients: a conjoint experiment
  - Casey C Ste Claire, University of California - Berkeley
  - Charles Dahan, Stanford University
- The Whitewashed Middle Class: Priming Class and Racial Identity
  - Kaylee Johnson, University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Discussant**
- Maria R Rosales, Guilford College
### 4701 Humans, Nature & Technology

#### Political Theory

**Participants**

- Do Androids Dream of Electric Solidarity? Toward a Techno-Solidarity Ethic  
  Garrett Pierman, Florida International University
- The Structure of Climate Injustice  
  Ross A. Mittiga, University of Virginia
- Utilizing Popular Culture to Conceptualize an Ethic of Human-Robot Social Interaction: An Epistemological Approach  
  Jamie Steele, Emory University Psychoanalytic Institute
- Zombies, Pandora, and the Future of Human Evolution in M.R. Carey’s "The Girl With All The Gifts"  
  Erin Dolgoy, Rhodes College
  Kimberly Hurd Hale, Coastal Carolina University

### 4702 Comparative Democratization: Latin America

#### Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

**Chair**

Vasabjit Banerjee, Mississippi State University

**Participants**

- "What to Run On?: Candidate Platforms in Peru  
  Alexey Makarin, Northwestern University
  Ricardo Pique, Ryerson University
- Exit from Clientelism: A field experiment in the provision of programmatic access to state services in Mexico  
  Tesalia Rizzo, MIT
- Sowing the Seeds of Acquiescence: Political Participation in Latin America's Subnational Authoritarian Enclaves  
  Jonathan Hiskey, Vanderbilt University
  Mason Moseley, West Virginia University
- Cuba: Is a Communist Future Possible?  
  Thomas Kolasa, Troy University

**Discussant**

Jennifer S. Holmes, University of Texas at Dallas
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**Morality and Issues**

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
Eric Groenendyk, University of Memphis

**Participants**
The Moralization of Politics from Early Life to Young Adulthood
Kristin Garrett, University of Georgia
Public Opinion and Information Processing on Moralized and Unmoralized Issues
David Ciuk, Franklin & Marshall College
Can moral values predict attitudes towards petty bribery?
Dariga Abilova, Georgia State University
Multidimensional altruism: Organizational boundary and work-related perspective
Mao Wang, National Taiwan University

**Discussant**
Nathan Kalmoe, Louisiana State University

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Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm

**Public or Private: Organizational Responses to Social Media**

**Public Administration and Public Sector Politics**

**Participants**
Governmental Revenue Sources, And Social Media Engagement Among Environmentally Focused Nonprofits
John McCaskill, University of Texas at Dallas
James Harrington, University of Texas at Dallas
Putting Shame Back in the Game: Local Government Responsiveness to Citizen Twitter and Email Requests
Jennifer Connolly, University of Miami
Ben Epstein, DePaul
Leticia Bode, Georgetown
Social Media and Off-Duty Public School Teachers: Tradeoffs between Civil Liberties, Agency Mission, and Public Trust
Paul Foote, Murray State University

**Discussant**
Martin Johnson, Louisiana State University
**Elections and Local Politics**

### Southern Politics

**Chair**
John McGlenon, College of William & Mary

**Participants**
- Addressing Georgia's Trend of City-County Consolidation and the Voter Demographics That Support It  
  Taylor Edwards, Georgia College
- Elite Perceptions of Media Reporting and Citizen Engagement in Southern City Governments  
  Rachael Houston, Coastal Carolina University  
  Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University
- A Jungle of a Jungle Primary: Louisiana’s 2016 Open Senate Election  
  Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana Monroe
- School Board or Springboard? The Politics of Running for Mississippi School Board Seats  
  Nathan Robert Shrader, Millsaps College

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**Litigation, Resources, and Expertise in Lower Courts**

### Judicial Politics

**Chair**
Brett Curry, Georgia Southern University

**Participants**
- Comparing the Role of Relationships in the Legal Strategies of Men and Women  
  Claire Wofford, College of Charleston
- Ideology and Results: Litigation Outcomes in Enforcement Cases Brought by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission  
  Morgan Hazelton, SLU
- In Search of Expertise in Specialized Courts: Expertise in the Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims  
  Ryan Williams, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill
- Litigant Resource Advantage and Success in Federal Circuit Courts over Time  
  Andrew Hewitt Smith, University of Tennessee
- The Sword and Shield of Pleading: Using Litigation to Limit Exposure  
  Matthew Reid Krell, University of Alabama

**Discussant**
Susan Haire, University of Georgia
### Lobbying in the American Context

**Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization**

**Chair**
David Edwards, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**
- "Tail Wags Dog? The Lobbying Activities of Subordinate Governments in the State Policy Environment."
  - Brianne Heidbreder, Kansas State University
  - Nathan Grasse, Carleton University
- Party Conditions and Lobbying in the U.S. States
  - William Massengill, Ohio State University
- When Lobbying Polarizes
  - Alex Garlick, University of Pennsylvania

**Discussant**
Iliyan Iliev, University of Southern Mississippi

### The South in Transition: Undergraduate Research in Southern Politics

**Undergraduate Research and Training**

**Chair**
Keith E. Lee, Jr., Georgia College

**Participants**
- An Antebellum Ailment: The Prison Industrial Complex and its Modern Implications
  - Caroline Elizabeth Sessions, University of Florida
- “First in Freedom” State Passes Bill to Sideline Transgender Freedom: An Analysis of Legislative Voting Behavior on House Bill 2
  - Kelah MacKenzie Hendon, Valdosta State University
- Women in the South: Tradition, Suffrage, and Political Involvement
  - Carrie Hartnett, University of Florida
- The American Dream Myth: Social Immobility in the American South
  - William Curatolo, University of Florida

**Discussant**
Kristina M LaPlant, Georgia State University

This panel includes undergraduate research exploring criminal justice reform, women in the electorate, transgender equality, and the American Dream, specifically how these areas relate to the changing political landscape of the modern South.
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Urban Resistance and the Effects of Law and Order Practices

Urban Politics

Chair
Joseph Campbell, Rose State College

Participants
Agents of Politics From Below in Turkey
   Hande Ramazanogullari, Istanbul Bilgi University, Political Science and International Relations department
Front Porch Politics: Public Housing Policies in American Cities
   Regina M Moorer, Auburn University-Montgomery
Post-Ferguson Analysis of Local and Municipal Police Department Militarization in the United States
   Parker E Quinlan, Winthrop University

Discussants
   Ed Chervenak, UNO
   J. Celeste Lay, Tulane

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Urban Growth, Development, and Sustainability in the 21st Century

Urban Politics

Chair
Andrea Yvette Simpson, University of Richmond

Participants
A Case Study of Urban Sprawl and Community Capacity: Water for Waukesha, Wisconsin
   Nicholas Peter Guehlstorf, Southern Illinois University
   Molly Rebecca McCready, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
Big Boxes and the New Informal Suburbs: The Spatial Politics of Scarcity in the Rural South
   David Franco, Assistant Professor of Architectural Design, History and Theory Clemson University
City Limits, Politics, and Local Economic Development
   Cynthia R. Rugeley, University of Minnesota Duluth
   Jeffrey L. Osgood Jr., West Chester University
   Susan Opp, Colorado State University
Effects of Urban Growth on Sustainability: An analysis of energy and material flows in Colombian cities
   Clara Pardo, University of El Rosario
   William Alfonso, University of El Rosario
The Institutional Roots of Urban Farming and Sustainability Programs
   Kathryn Wassel, Florida State University

Discussants
   Marek Steedman, University of Southern Mississippi
   Meghan E Rubado, Cleveland State University
### CWC 2: Election Systems: Election Corruption/Problems

#### Conference Within a Conference

**Participants**

- Was the election rigged against Donald Trump?
  - David Cottrell, Dartmouth
- The Fingerprints Of Fraud: Mexico's 1988 Presidential Election
  - Francisco Cantu, University of Houston
- Vote Buying in Election 2016: A Threat to Ghana’s Democratic Systems
  - ISAAC ADISAH-ATTA, DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL STUDIES, UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN
- Vote buying and voter intimidation: a micro-analysis of positive and negative electoral inducements
  - Elsa Voytas, Princeton University
- Violence politique en Afrique: etude des crises post-électorales entre usinage et tripotage
  - NJIKI BIKOI Madeleine Christelle, Universite de Douala Cameroun

### Party Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization Business Meeting

**Institutionalization and De-Institutionalization of Political Parties**

**Participants**

- Ivan Vukovic, University of Montenegro
- Goran Cular, University of Zagreb
- Dario Nikic Cakar, University of Zagreb
- Cristian Daniel Altavilla, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba / Universidad Nacional de San Luis
- Fernando Casal Bertoa, University of Nottingham
- Jakub Stauber, Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University in Prague
- Kristina Weissenbach, University of Duisburg-Essen (Germany)
- Lars Svavand, University of Bergen
- Agnieszka Kwiatkowska, University of Social Sciences and Humanities

**Chair**

- Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University
Ethnicity and Conflict

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Dino Hadzic, Washington University in St. Louis

Participants
Conflict, But When? Horizontal Inequalities and Violent Civil Conflict
Janica De Chaves Magat, Texas A&M University

Ethnic Conflict and the Limits of Nonviolent Resistance
Constantino Pischedda, University of Miami

Ethnic Kin State Support for the Rebels and Civil War Duration
Omer Zarpli, University of Pittsburgh

Family Matters: The Role of Ethnic Identity in Interstate Conflict Management
Rachel Hannah Wayne, Florida State University

Violence as a Method of Ethnic Polarization
Dino Hadzic, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant
Rebecca Best, University of Missouri at Kansas City

Descriptive Representation, Voting and Elections

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Participants
Becoming Blue: Deconstructing Asian American Vote Choice in the 2008 Presidential Election
Tanika Raychaudhuri, Graduate Student

Does the presence of women in elected office increase female empowerment? Using an experimental approach to look at the effects of descriptive representation
Jennifer Merolla, University of California, Riverside
Jeanine Kraybill, California State University, Bakersfield
Danielle Lemi, University of California, Riverside
Abbylin Sellers, Azusa Pacific University

The Color of Victory: The Electoral Prospects of Black Republican Senate Candidates, 2006-2016
Andra Gillespie, Emory University

Policy Representation versus Descriptive Representation in a Congressional Primary Election
Kent Tedin, University of Houston
Jeronimo Cortina, University of Houston
Richard Murray, University of Houston
Robert Stein, Rice University

The Effects of Female Officeholders on Environmental Policy Stringency
Amy L. Atchison, Valparaiso University
Ian Down, University of Tennessee
Activism and Propaganda

Media and Politics

Chair
Charles Dahan, Stanford University

Participants
A Structured Literature Review of the Roles of Social Media in the 2011 Egyptian Revolution
Asif Siddiqui, MacEwan University

Changes in Russian Propaganda
Collin Anderson, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Network political participation activity and political trust in China.
Chunying Yue, Peking University
Dapeng Wang, Peking University
JuanJuan Li, Peking University

Taking advantage of political bias: How media photographs can persuade conservatives to not participate in a rally
Michael Friedman, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
Katharine Gomez, University of Tennessee

Has the increased use of social media brought awareness to the general population about racialized police brutality?
VICTOR HAYNES, Claremont Graduate University

Discussants
Charles Dahan, Stanford University
Mehnaaz Momen, Texas A & M International University

The Unilateral Presidency: Perspectives on Presidential Power

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School of Public Policy

Participants
A New World Order: The End of Communism and the Continuation of Unilateral Executive Action
Sarah Burns, Rochester Institute of Technology

Executive Orders and the Presidential Agenda
Michelle Belco, University of Houston

Social Learning and the Political Power Dynamics of Executive Privilege in a Cold War Paradigm
Kevin M. Baron, University of Florida

Discussant
Erica Elizabeth Gorbak, University of Buenos Aires
The Politics of Inequality in the Contemporary US

Class and Inequality

Chair
Jacqueline Chattopadhyay, UNC Charlotte

Participants
Charitable Giving and School Support Networks in Public Education
cadence Willse, Brown University
Inequality and Policy Representation in Local Government
Brian Schaffner, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Jesse Rhodes, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Raymond La Raja, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
The Burden of War: Socioeconomic Backgrounds of US Military Casualties after 9/11
Kaine Meshkin, United States Military Academy
Inequality and Voter Turnout in American Elections
Michele Fenzl, University of Essex

Discussant
Ian G Anson, University of Maryland, Baltimore County