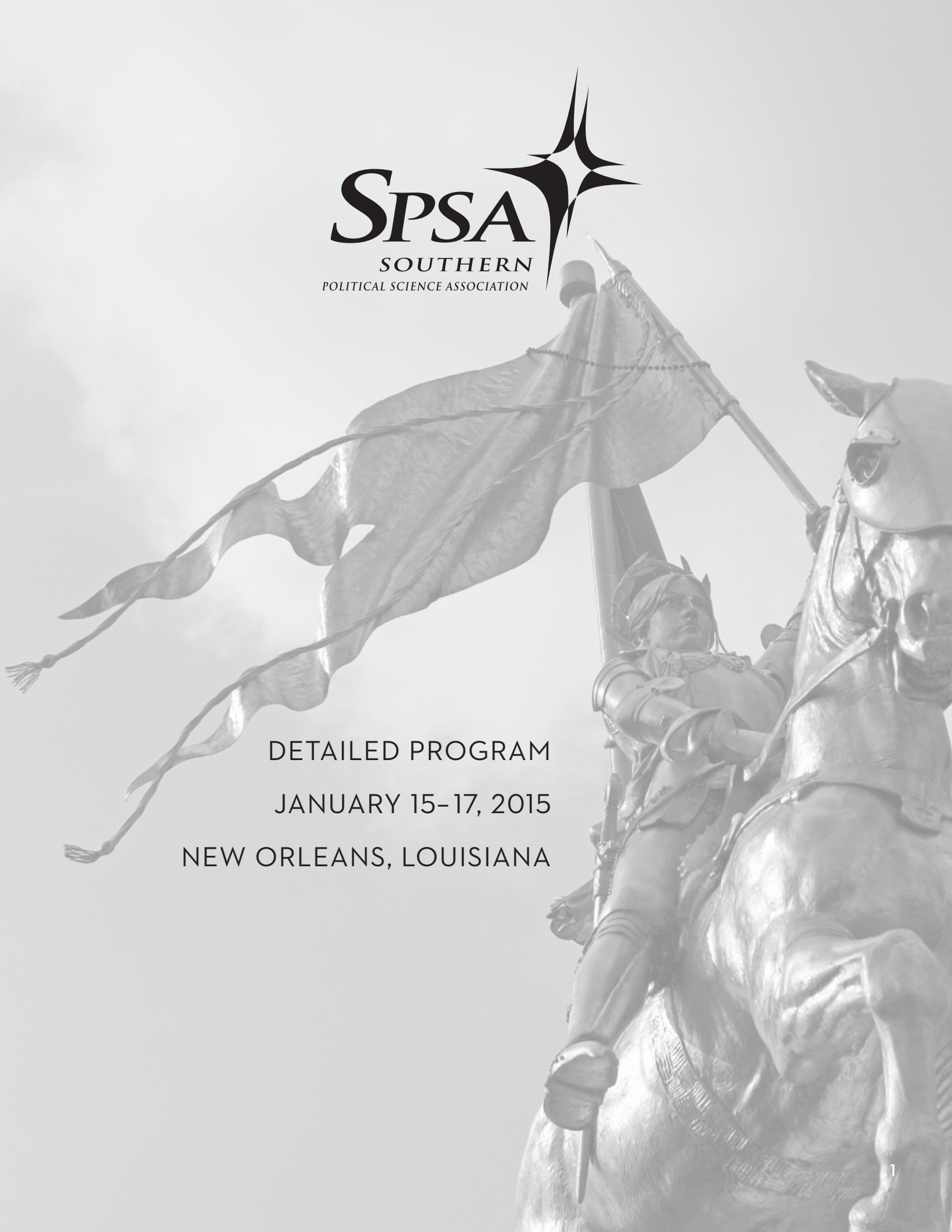




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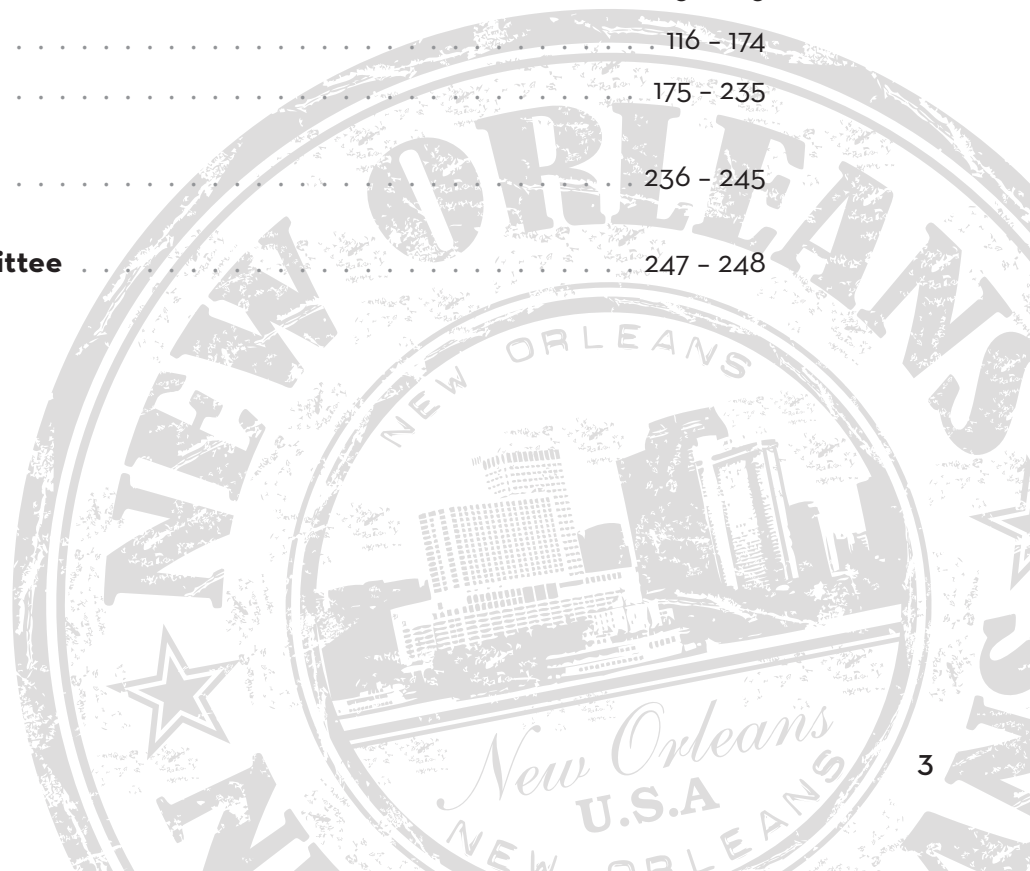
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Dear SPSA Colleagues,

I want to welcome all of you to our 86th Annual Meeting! I am thankful that you have joined us this year. On the eve of the MLK holiday and 50 years after the Voting Rights Act, it seems particularly appropriate for us to gather and discuss the newest discoveries and contributions in political science.

Program Chair Judith Baer and her Program Committee have put together an excellent program for 2015. The SPSA also continues its “conference within a conference” format. These mini-conferences focus sustained attention on a variety of topics, with CWC’s ranging from “Party Manifestos” to “Influences on Judicial Behavior”. Check your Program.

We will also be hosting Addresses and Receptions on both Thursday and Friday night. APSA President Rodney Hero will present an address on Thursday night while I will present the SPSA President’s Address Friday night at 6:00 pm. Each lecture will be followed by a reception, and they are open to all SPSA attendees.

While the main focus will be on these academic panels, I encourage every attendee to take the opportunity to experience some of the great sights, sounds, and food in New Orleans! Please make sure to take advantage of being in such a fantastic host-city. See you in the French Quarter!

I hope you enjoy the Annual Meeting, and we hope to see everyone next year at our 87th Annual Meeting in San Juan, Puerto Rico!

Thomas Carsey
SPSA President

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Wednesday, January 14, 2015

Early Registration 12:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Strand Foyer

Exhibit Hall 12:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
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Thursday, January 15, 2015

THURSDAY PANELS

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Panel 2	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.
Panel 3	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Panel 4	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.
Panel 5	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
Panel 6	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.

Registration 7:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
Strand Foyer

Exhibit Hall 7:30 A.M. – 6:30 P.M.
Strand Foyer

Executive Council Meeting 8:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.
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Membership Development Committee 1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.
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Strategic Planning Committee 3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
Strand 12

Welcome Address 6:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.
Empire C

Welcoming Reception 7:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.
Empire D

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Friday, January 16, 2015

FRIDAY PANELS

Panel 1	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.
Panel 2	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.
Panel 3	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.
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Registration 7:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
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Exhibit Hall 7:30 A.M. – 6:30 P.M.
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Annual Business Meeting of the SPSA 11:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.
Strand 12

SPSA Awards Presentation and Reception 12:00 P.M. – 1:00 P.M.
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JOP Editorial Board Meeting 1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.
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Women's Caucus Business Meeting 4:45 P.M. to 6:15 P.M.
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SPSA President's Address 6:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
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SATURDAY PANELS

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Panel 2	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.
Panel 3	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Panel 4	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.
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Panel 6	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.

Registration 7:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
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Exhibit Hall 7:30 A.M. – 6:30 P.M.
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Executive Council Meeting 8:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.
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2016 Program Committee Meeting 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.
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Site Selection Committee Meeting 3:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.
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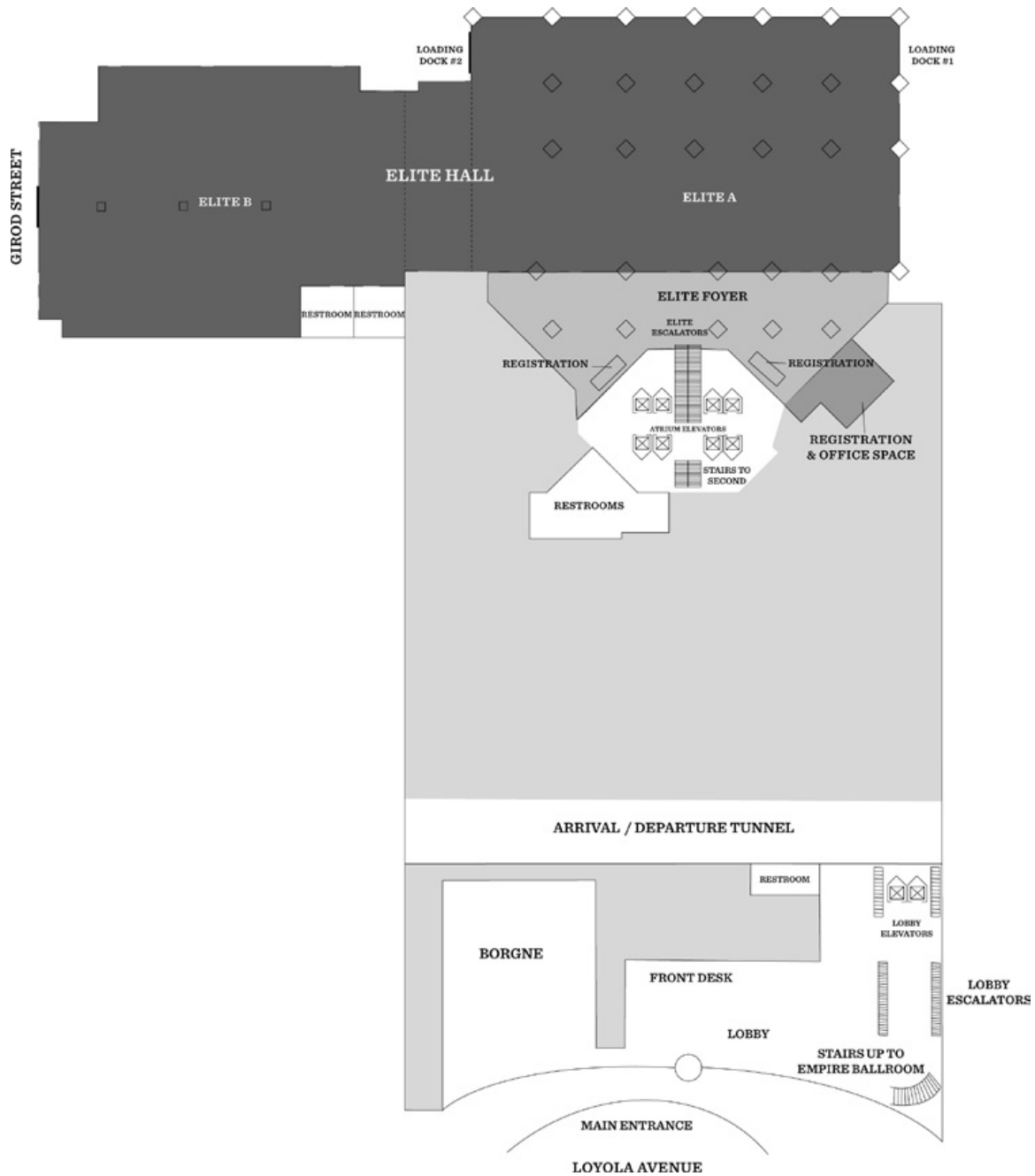
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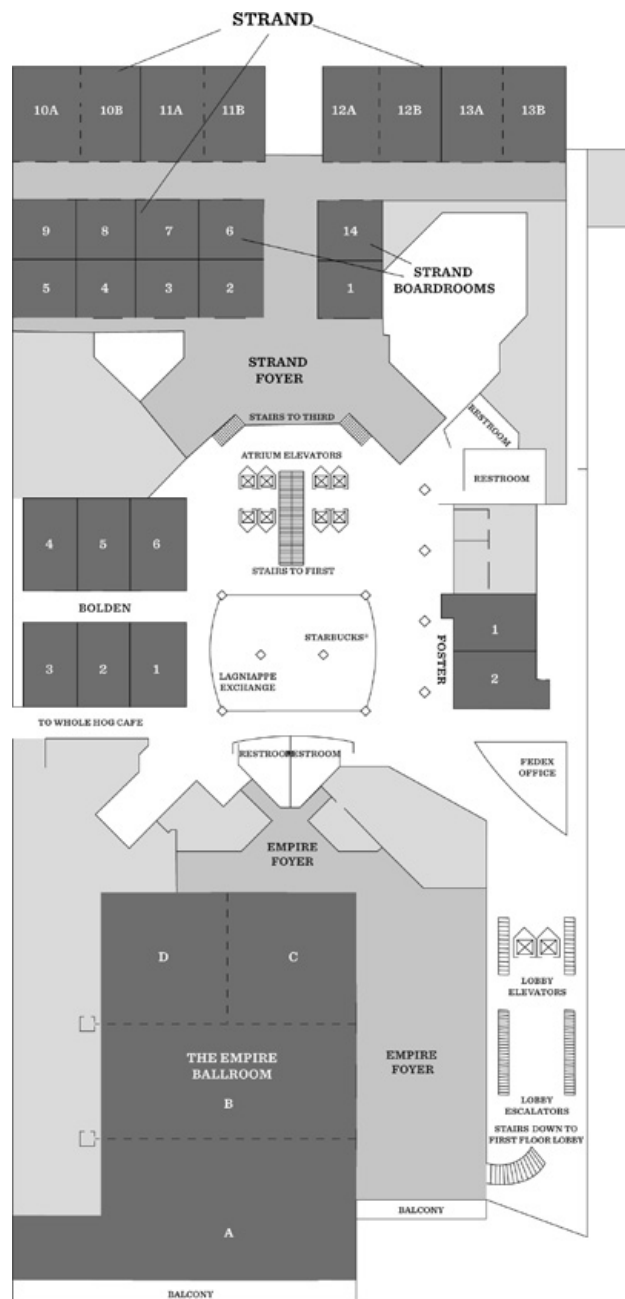
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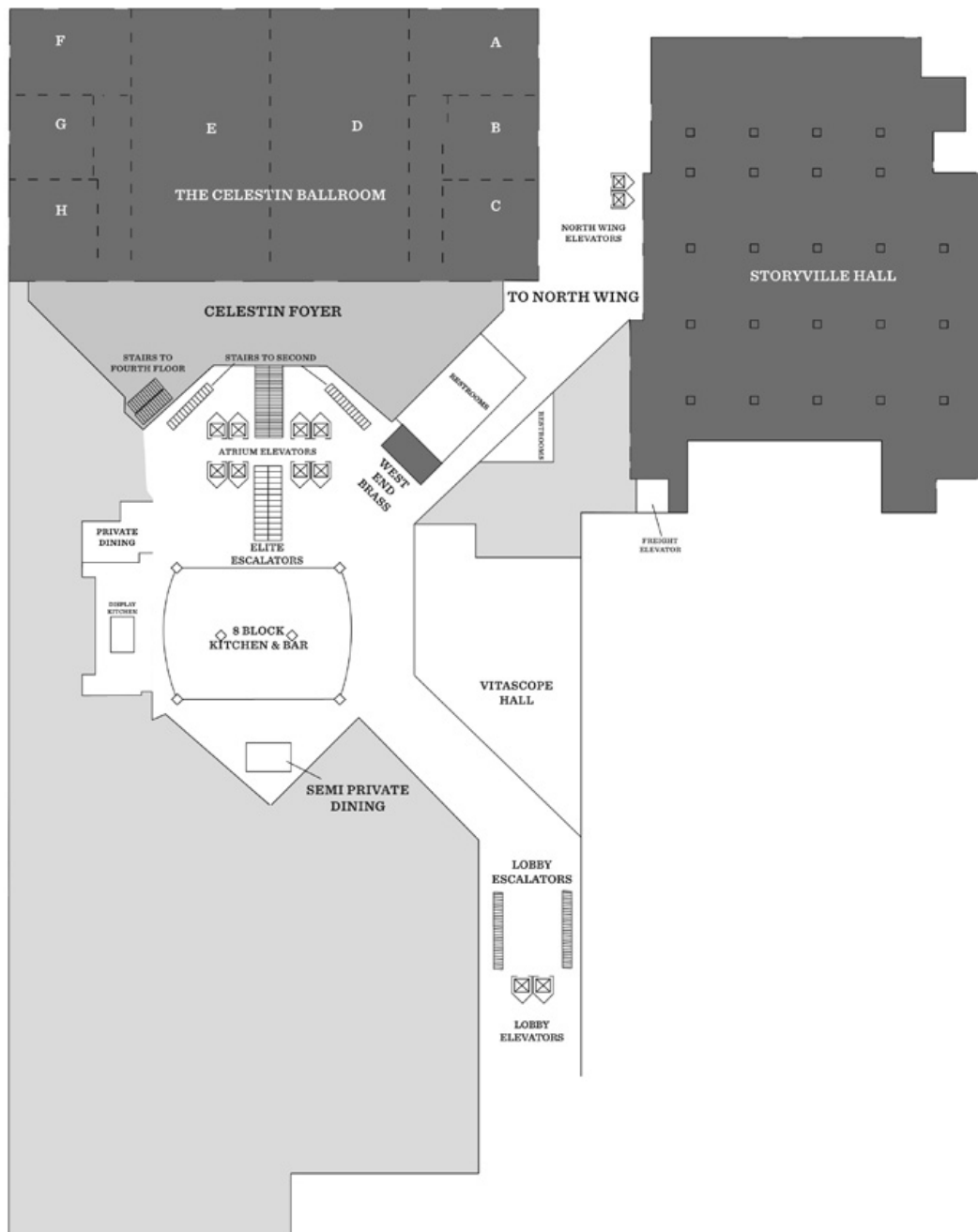
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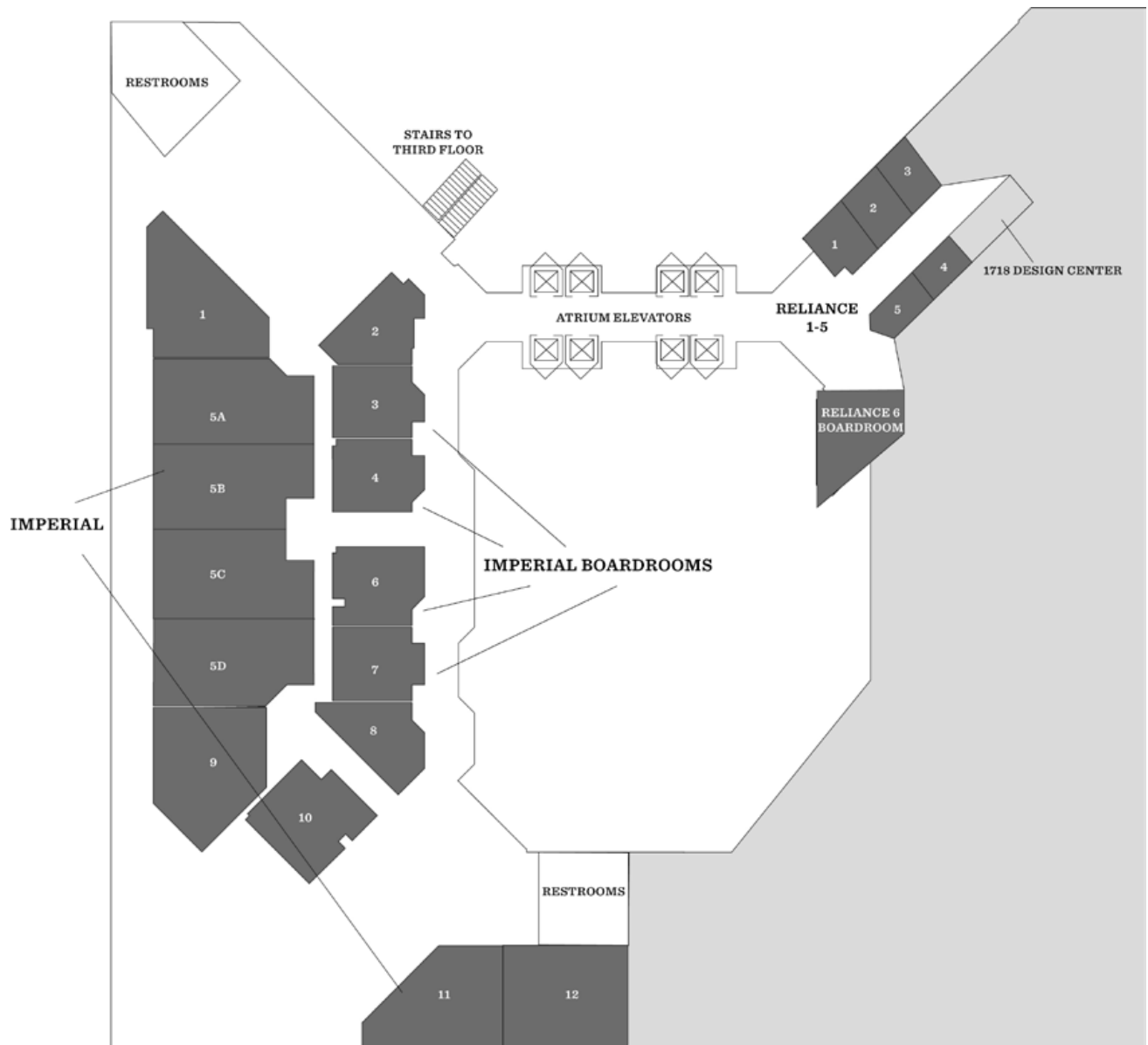
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Mirya Holman, *Florida Atlantic University*

WOMEN'S CAUCUS BUSINESS MEETING

Friday
January 16, 2015

4:45 P.M. to 6:15 P.M.

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AWARD WINNERS

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NEAL TATE AWARD

Jay N. Krehbiel,

Washington University in St. Louis

*The Politics of Judicial Procedures: A Strategic
Theory of Public Oral Hearings*

MALCOLM JEWELL AWARD

Baekkwon Park, Emory University

*Informational Determinants of Naming and
Shaming: A Text Analytic Study of Human Rights
Reporting*

MARIAN IRISH AWARD

Kristin Kanthak, University of Pittsburgh and
Jonathan Woon, University of Pittsburgh

*Sex, Lies, and Running for Office: The relationship
between truthfulness and willingness to enter
elections*

PI SIGMA ALPHA AWARD

Reynaldo T. Rojo-Mendoza,
University of Pittsburgh

*Activism Born of Suffering: Crime Victimization
and Prosocial Behavior in Mexico*

MANNING DAUER AWARD

Paula McClain, Duke University

JOP BEST PAPER AWARD

Lene Aaroe, Aarhus University and
Michael Bang Petersen, Aarhus University

*Crowding Out Culture: Scandinavians and
Americans Agree on Social Welfare in the Face of
Deservingness Cues*

WALTER BEACH AWARD

Liliam Viana Cavalcanti, Universidade Estadual
do Sudoeste da Bahia - UESB

APSA PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS & RECEPTION



Featuring

Dr. Rodney E. Hero

University of California, Berkeley

APSA President 2014 - 2015

Thursday, January 15, 2015

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APSA PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Dr. Rodney E. Hero

University of California, Berkeley
APSA President 2014 - 2015

Professor Hero's research and teaching focus on American democracy and politics, especially as viewed through the analytical lenses of Latino Politics, Racial/Ethnic Politics, State & Urban Politics, and Federalism. His book, *Latinos and the U.S. Political System: Two-tiered Pluralism*, received the American Political Science Association's [APSA] 1993 Ralph J. Bunche Award. He also authored *Faces of Inequality: Social Diversity in American Politics* (which was selected for the APSA's Woodrow Wilson Award in 1999), and *Racial Diversity and Social Capital: Equality and Community in America* (2007). He is also co-author of *MultiEthnic Moments: The Politics of Urban Education Reform* (2006); *Newcomers, Insiders and Outsiders: Immigrants and American Racial Politics in the Early 21st Century* (2009); and *Latino Lives in America: Making it Home* (2010); *Latinos in the New Millennium: An Almanac of Opinion, Behavior, and Policy Preferences* (2012). And his 2013 co-authored book, *Black-Latino Relations in U.S. National Politics: Beyond Conflict or Cooperation*, was chosen for the 2014 'Best Book on Latino Politics Award' given by the Latino Caucus of the APSA. He has also authored and co-authored a number of articles in scholarly journals, and chapters in edited books, and was a co-principal investigator on the Latino National Survey (completed in 2006).

He is President of the American Political Science Association (2014-15). He served as President of the Midwest Political Science Association (2007-08), as a Vice President of the American Political Science Association (2003-04), and President of the Western Political Science Association (1999-2000). He has also served on the editorial board of a number of major political science journals. He previously held faculty positions as Packey J. Dee Professor of American Democracy in the Department of Political Science at the University of Notre Dame (2000-10), at the University of Colorado at Boulder (1989-2000), and at the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs (1980-87)."

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

Friday, January 16, 2015

11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

Strand 12

SPSA Awards Presentation and Reception

12:00 P.M. – 1:00 P.M.

Empire C

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SPSA PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Dr. Thomas M. Carsey

Friday, January 16, 2015 | 6:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Empire C



Thomas M. Carsey, current President of the Southern Political Science Association, is the Pearsall Distinguished Professor of Political Science at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, where he is also the Director of the Odum Institute for Research in Social Science. He previously taught at the University of Illinois at Chicago and Florida State University. His research and teaching span a wide range of topics in American Politics, including representation, campaigns and elections, political parties, state politics, and public opinion. He also teaches and does work in the area of quantitative and computational research methods. He has published three books, 29 referred journal articles,

and numerous other chapters and articles. He has been the Principle Investigator (PI) or Co-PI on research grants totaling more than \$1.5 million, and has received several awards for both his teaching and his research. He currently serves as an adviser to UNC's National Consortium for Data Science and as a member of the American Political Science Association's advisory committee on Data Access and Research Transparency. Carsey also just completed a 4-year term as Editor of the academic journal *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*. He serves or has served on more than 50 Ph.D. dissertation committees during his career, chairing 18 of them.

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SPSA PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION

Friday, January 16, 2015 | 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

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THURSDAY
January 15, 2015

God Talk: Experimenting with the Religious Causes of Public Opinion

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Foster 2

The Puzzle Of Unanimity and Does Diversity Matter?

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Strand 13B

FRIDAY
January 16, 2015

John Kyle Day's Southern Manifesto

8:00 A.M. - 9:30 P.M. • Strand 7

Congress in Black and White Race and Representation in Washington and at Home

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Foster 1

Seeking the Promised Land

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Strand 1

Author Meets Readers: Joan Wolf, "Is Breast Best? Taking on the Breastfeeding Experts and the New High Stakes of Motherhood

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 P.M. • Strand 8

Thomas Kleven, Equitable Sharing

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. • Imperial 1

Author Meets Readers: Judith Baer, Ironic Freedom

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. • Imperial 10

SATURDAY
January 17, 2015

Representational Style in Congress: What Legislators Say and Why It Matters

11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. • Foster 1

Benjamin Ginsberg's The Fall of the Faculty

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Strand 9

ROUNDTABLES

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THURSDAY • JANUARY 15, 2015

What is the Intercampus Consortium for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning?

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Bolden 3

Using and Learning from Lobbying Data

11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. • *Bolden 4*

The Puzzle Of Unanimity and Does Diversity Matter?

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Strand 13B

How to Make your Grant Proposal More Competitive

4:45 P.M. - 6:15 P.M. • Bolden 2

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Sacralizing the Constitution: Reason, Revelation, Reverence and the Quest for American Sovereignty

8:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M. • Imperial 1

The Southern ACA Experience: Recent Developments and Future Possibilities

8:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M. • Bolden 6

Debating Thomas Piketty's "Capital in the Twenty-First Century"

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Imperial 1

A New Generation Takes Over: Meet the JOP Editorial Board

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Strand 11A

**Challenges and Opportunities for Mentoring Undergraduate Research:
A Faculty Roundtable**

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Strand 7

**Gender, Negotiation, and Compensation:
Creating and Maintaining Pay Equity in Political Science**

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Strand 13A

Post-casting the 2014 Elections: How Did We Do; What Did We Learn?

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Strand 9

**Insights from the Inside: Current and Former NSF Program Directors
Discuss the Grant Process**

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Bolden 4

Roundtable on the 2014 Midterm Elections in the Rim South

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Strand 7

Workshop on Teaching Case Studies of Women Leading Change

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Strand 13A

In Honor of Dr. Jewel Limar Prestage: A Life Remembered

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. • Strand 11B

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FRIDAY • JANUARY 16, 2015 (CONTINUED)

The Future of the Southern Political Science Association

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. • Strand 9

Roundtable on the 2014 Midterm Elections in the Deep South

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. • Strand 7

Why so few Women in the Louisiana Legislature?

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M. • Strand 13A

Influences on Judicial Behavior Roundtable: The Future of the Judicial Politics Discipline

4:45 P.M. - 6:15 P.M. • Bolden 1

ROUNDTABLES

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SATURDAY • JANUARY 17, 2015

Roundtable on Women in Methodology: Challenges and Solutions

8:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M. • Strand 13A

Challenges, Solutions, and Best Practices in Internships

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. • Bolden 3

The Rhetoric of Heroic Expectations: Establishing the Obama Presidency

11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. • Bolden 5

Parties and Leaders: Reflections on the 20th Anniversary of the 104th Congress

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M. • Foster 1

MINI- CONFERENCES

In 2015 the SPSA continues the innovation introduced three years ago of hosting extended discussions organized around a single theme. These mini-conferences offer the opportunity for a small community of scholars to set aside time together within the larger meeting. A room is set aside for the time requested, between 3 and 7 regular sessions which occur in succession. Whether these sessions are scheduled on a single day or straddling two days depends on the preferences of the organizer. Some are stand-alone sessions, while others are integrated with their related research section.

If you are interested in organizing a mini-conference to be held in conjunction with the 2016 SPSA meeting, contact David Lewis (the 2016 Program Chair).

2015 MINI-CONFERENCES

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HOW'S AND WHY'S OF PARTY MANIFESTOS

*All sessions meet in **Bolden 4***

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 2015

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos I

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M.

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos II

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M.

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos III

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos Business Meeting

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M.

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WOMEN AND POLITICS

All sessions meet in Strand 13A

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

**Gender, Negotiation, and Compensation:
Creating and Maintaining Pay Equity in Political Science**

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M.

Workshop on Teaching Case Studies of Women Leading Change

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M.

Why so few Women in the Louisiana Legislature?

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

BUSINESS MEETING: Women's Caucus for Political Science-South (WCPS)

4:45 P.M. - 6:15 P.M.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17

Women in Methodology: Challenges and Solutions

8:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.

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INFLUENCES ON JUDICIAL BEHAVIOR

*All sessions meet in **Bolden 1***

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

Influences on Judicial Behavior: The Federal Judicial Hierarchy

8:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.

Influences on Judicial Behavior: Courts and Public Opinion

9:45 A.M. - 11:15 A.M.

Influences on Judicial Behavior: Alternative Influences on Judicial Behavior

1:15 P.M. - 2:45 P.M.

**Influences on Judicial Behavior Workshop: Leadership, Consensus,
and Agenda Setting**

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

**Influences on Judicial Behavior Roundtable:
The Future of the Judicial Politics Discipline**

4:45 P.M. - 6:15 P.M.

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Political Conflict: Institutions, Discourses, and Attitudes	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Bolden 2
Transformations in Authoritarian Societies: Elite and Mass	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Bolden 2
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Social Welfare Provisions: Top-down and Bottom-up Approaches	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Bolden 2
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Elites and Democracy in American Political Thought	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 10A
Nature and Authority in Literature and Film	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Imperial 2
Political Theory in Contemporary Visual Media	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 10A
Twentieth Century Political Theory	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Imperial 2
Democracy in Times of Crisis	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 10A
Nietzsche on Soul and Value	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Imperial 2
Identity and Autonomy in Feminist Theory	Saturday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Imperial 2
Positive Political Theory			
Policymaking	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 8
Agencies	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 8
Take It To The Lab	Friday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 8
War	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 8
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The Politics of State ACA Implementation Choices	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Bolden 6
The ACA, Reproductive Health Politics, and the South	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Bolden 6


Presidential/Executive Politics

Presidential Rhetorical Leadership	Thursday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 11A
Executive Power and Decision-Making	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 11A
Political Thought on the Evolving Presidency	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 11A
Presidential Campaigning and Public Opinion	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 11A
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Executive Appointments and Management	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 1
Roundtable – The Rhetoric of Heroic Expectations: Establishing the Obama Presidency	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Bolden 5
Executive Unilateral Powers	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 1

Program Chair's Panels

Program Chair's Panel: American Institutions and Political Participation	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Bolden 1
New Directions in Political Science	Friday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 11A
A New Generation Takes Over: Meet the JOP Editorial Board	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 11A
Post-casting the 2014 Elections: How Did We Do; What Did We Learn?	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 9
In Honor of Dr. Jewel Limar Prestage: A Life Remembered	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 11B
Roundtable: The Future of the Southern Political Science Association	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 9
Program Chair's Panel in Comparative Politics	Friday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Bolden 6
Author Meets Critics: Benjamin Ginsberg's The Fall of the Faculty	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 9

Public Administration

Personnel in the Public Sector	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Foster 1
Public Budgeting and Financial Management	Friday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 10A
Managing Public Organizations: Strategies and Performance	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 10A
E-Government and Information Technology	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 10A
Governing at the Local Level	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 10A



Collaborative Governance: Networks, Contracting, and Non-Governmental Organizations	Friday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 10A
Government Performance and Policy Outcomes	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Bolden 5
Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management	Saturday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Bolden 5
Public Opinion			
Public Opinion and Governance	Thursday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Imperial 1
Economics and Public Opinion	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Imperial 1
Measurement Issues in Public Opinion	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Imperial 1
Lifecycle Effects on Public Opinion	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Imperial 1
Modeling Ideology and Partisanship	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Imperial 1
Public Opinion on Emerging Issues	Thursday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Imperial 1
Public Opinion in Comparative Perspective	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Imperial 1
Public Opinion on Political Figures	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Imperial 1
Shaping Public Opinion	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Imperial 1
Ideology and Polarization	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Imperial 1
Group Identity and Tolerance	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Imperial 1
Public Policy			
Immigration Politics and Policy	Thursday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 9
The Politics of Risk	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 9
Understanding Policy Change	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 9
State Politics and Policy	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 9
The Dance of Legislation	Thursday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 9
Urban Politics and Policy	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Bolden 4
Dollars and Sense	Friday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Bolden 4
Policy Learning	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 9



Policy Diffusion	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 9
Global Public Health Policy	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 9
Race, Ethnicity, and Politics			
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Race, Coalitions	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Bolden 5
Race, International	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 1
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Policy	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 1
Race, racialization	Thursday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 1
Black politics, identity	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 1
Discrimination, violence	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 1
Partisanship and Elections	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 1
Religion and Politics			
Theology and Political Theory	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Foster 2
Religion and the State	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Foster 2
Author meets Critic: God Talk: Experimenting with the Religious Causes of Public Opinion	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Foster 2
Politics from the Pews	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Foster 2
Author meets Critic: Seeking the Promised Land	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 1
Religion and Ideology	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 11A
The Bible, Civil Religion, Political Movements and Political Ideas	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 11A
Islamic Culture and Politics	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 11A
Religion and Public Opinion	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 11A
Religion and Public Policy	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 11A



Religiosity and Political Engagement	Saturday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 11A
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Research Programs, Grantsmanship, and Research Administration

Roundtable – How to Make your Grant Proposal More Competitive	Thursday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Bolden 2
Roundtable – Insights from the Inside: Current and Former NSF Program Directors Discuss the Grant Process	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Bolden 4

Southern Politics

Party Politics in the South	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 13B
Racial Politics in the South	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 13B
Elections in Southern States	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 13B
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Roundtable on the 2014 Midterm Elections in the Rim South	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 7
Roundtable on the 2014 Midterm Elections in the Deep South	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 7
The Impact of Civil Rights 50 years Later	Friday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 7

State Politics

State Politics and Change	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 13B
State Politics and Fiscal Issues	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 13B
Health and Social Welfare Policy	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 13B
Dynamics in State Elections	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 13B
State Politics and Policy Responsiveness	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 13B
Candidates, Party Competition, and Elections	Saturday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 13B

Teaching Political Science

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Engaging Political Science Students: Issues and Approaches	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Bolden 3
Teaching the Courts and the Constitution	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Bolden 3
Issues in Teaching Introduction to American Government	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Bolden 3



Challenges, Solutions, and Best Practices in Internships	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Bolden 3
Technology and Political Science Education	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Bolden 3
Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching			
Undergraduate Research in International Relations and Comparative Politics	Thursday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 7
Immigration, Migration and Gender: Undergraduate Research on Comparative Politics	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 11B
Race and American Politics: Undergraduate Research on Candidates, Congress and College	Thursday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 7
The Wild Side of American Politics: Undergraduate Research on Conspiracy Theories, Political Scandals and the Tea Party	Thursday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 7
Legislative Politics in the United States: Undergraduate Research on Elections, Filibusters and Leadership	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 7
The United States and Her Allies: Undergraduate Research on International Relations	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 11B
African Politics: Undergraduate Research on Leadership, Corruption and Political Development	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 7
Undergraduate Research in American Politics	Thursday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 7
Challenges and Opportunities for Mentoring Undergraduate Research: A Faculty Roundtable	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 7
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Middle East Politics: Undergraduate Research Exploring the Region's Instability	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 7
Teaching Political Science: Perspectives on Faculty and Student Engagement	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 7
Public Policy in the United States: Undergraduate Research on Environmental, Poverty and Welfare Policies	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 7
Public Policy Across the American States: Undergraduate Research on Guns, Crime and Poverty	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 7
Social Media and Politics: Undergraduate Research on Facebook, Twitter and YouTube	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 1
Undergraduate Research in International Politics	Saturday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Strand 7
Urban Politics			
Bottom-up Federalism: how cities are (re)shaping American public policy	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 13A
Urban and Local Service Provision, Methods of Election, Forms of Government, Partisanship, and Spatial Memory	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Strand 13A
Urban Economic Development: Challenges, Opportunities, Responses	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 13A
Urban Leadership: How City Leaders React to and View Their Positions	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 13A

**Women and Politics**

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Intersectional Identities: Gender, Race, Ethnicity and Political Behavior in the U.S.	Thursday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 13A
Intersectional Identities: Race, Gender, Ethnicity and Political Elites in American Politics	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 13A
The Gendered Politics of Framing and Syntax	Thursday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Imperial 10
Gender Cues in State Legislatures and Primary Elections	Thursday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Imperial 10
The Gendered Political Pipeline in the US	Friday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 13A
Author meets Readers, Joan Wolf, "Is Breast Best? Taking on the Breastfeeding Experts and the New High Stakes of Motherhood	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 8
Gender, Negotiation, and Compensation: Creating and Maintaining Pay Equity in Political Science	Friday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Strand 13A
Workshop on Teaching Case Studies of Women Leading Change	Friday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Strand 13A
Why so few Women in the Louisiana Legislature?	Friday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Strand 13A
Gendered Politics in Asia and the Middle East	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Imperial 10
Roundtable on Women in Methodology: Challenges and Solutions	Saturday	8:00 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	Strand 13A
Comparative Gender and Politics-Europe and Latin America	Saturday	9:45 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.	Imperial 10
Contention in Reproductive Rights Politics	Saturday	11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.	Imperial 10
Gendered Behavior in the US House	Saturday	1:15 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.	Imperial 10
Comparative Social Movement Strategies	Saturday	3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Imperial 10
Gendered Public Policy	Saturday	4:45 P.M. – 6:15 P.M.	Imperial 10



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Wednesday 6:00pm-9:00pm <i>Empire D</i>	Meetings Participants Robert Howard, Georgia State University Austin Valk, Southern Political Science Association Larry C Dodd, University of Florida Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University David Lewis, Vanderbilt University Kelly D. Patterson, Brigham Young University Judith Baer, Texas A&M University William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa Richard Forgette, University of Mississippi Marc Hetherington, Vanderbilt University B. D'Andra Orey, Jackson State University Stella Rouse, University of Maryland Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri Sue Tolleson-Rinehart, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Lee D. Walker, University of South Carolina Irwin Morris, University of Maryland, College Park Belinda C Davis, Louisiana State University Brad Gomez, Florida State University Jeffrey J Harden, University of Colorado Boulder Geoffrey C Layman, University of Notre Dame Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University Kevin T. McGuire, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Matthew Hall, University of Notre Dame Carol S. Weissert, Florida State University James E. Monogan, University of Georgia

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Karen Bodnaruk Jazayeri, University of Georgia

Participants

China's Challenges: Resilience or Transformation?

Brian Ripley, Mercyhurst University**Courtney Naughton**, Mercyhurst University

Political Role of Military in Post-Kim Il-sung North Korea:

Military Control Mechanisms and Regime (In)Stability

Jongseok Woo, University of South Florida

The Resurgence of Dominant Parties: The legacy of authoritarian regime in Taiwan and South Korea

Eunjung Choi, University of South Florida

Political Influence of the Park Chung Hee Syndrome in Korean Democracy, focusing on the case of the 2012 presidential election

WooJin Kang, KyungPook National University**Discussant****Keunsoo Jeong**, University of Pittsburgh

**2103**

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Bolden 3

International Politics and the Environment

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights
International Politics: Conflict and Security

Participants

Domestic impacts of Global Environmental Governance: A case of Japan's global environmental policy

Masatoshi Yokota, Tokyo University of Science

The Devil is in the Details: An Investigation of the Relationships between Conflict, Food Price and Climate across Africa

Hyun Jin Choi, Kyunghee University

2104

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Bolden 4

Change and Uncertainty in Public Policy**Graduate Student Research and Career Development****Chair**

Amanda Rutherford, Texas A&M University

Participants

Aadhaar: India's Audacious Partnership for Greater Social and Financial Inclusion

Roger J. Chin, Claremont Graduate University- The Claremont Colleges

Gregory Hennessy, Claremont Graduate University- The Claremont Colleges

Are Public Universities Held Accountable? Measuring the Effectiveness of Performance-Funding Policies for Public Higher Education

Joshua Testa, Kent State University

Daniel Hawes, Kent State University

Embracing Connections and Collaborations: United States Global Strategies for HIV/AIDS Relief

Roger J. Chin, Claremont Graduate University- The Claremont Colleges

Lisa Piergallini, Claremont Graduate University-The Claremont Colleges

Nonprofits: The Intersection of Institutions, Interests, & the Health Policy Process

Laura Caccioppoli, Villanova University

Discussant

Jennifer M Connolly, University of Miami

**2105***Thursday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 5***Campaigns and Elections****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Laura Merrifield Albright, University of Indianapolis

Participants

The Heterogeneous Effects of Militarized International Disputes on Electoral Support for the Incumbent

Shane Singh, University of Georgia

Jaroslav Tir, University of Colorado, Boulder

The Two Obamas: Patterns of Geographic Clustering in the 2008 and 2012 Presidential Elections

Nicholas Seabrook, University of North Florida

Trends in Political Consulting: Specialization?

Christopher Cronin, Methodist University

Why are late presidential campaign events more influential in Korea than in the U.S.?

Paul-Henri Gurian, University of Georgia

Jeonghun Min, Northeastern State University

Jaeyun Sung, Lyon College

Mingyu Shin, Northeastern State University

Discussant

Laura Merrifield Albright, University of Indianapolis

2106*Thursday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 6***Candidate Depictions and Communications in New and Traditional Media****Media and Politics****Chair**

Belinda C Davis, Louisiana State University

Participants

Exploring Defensive Discourse: The Political Scandals of Rod Blagojevich and Mark Sanford

Jacob A Mojica, Saginaw Valley State University

Social Media as an Incumbency Advantage

Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M

Ronald Keith Gaddie, University of Oklahoma

Johanna Dunaway, Louisiana State University

Chance York, Louisiana State University

Jamie Smith, University of Oklahoma

The Norms of the Internet Campaigning in Taiwan and Japan- a Comparison Study

Boyu Chen, Institute of Political Science, National Sun Yat-sen University

Shoko Kiyohara, Meiji University

To run or not to run: 2008 US House Campaign Advertising

Regina Branton, University of North Texas

Jared David Perkins, University of North Texas

Samantha Pettey, University of North Texas

Discussant

Heather K. Evans, Sam Houston State University

**2113**

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Foster 2

Sexuality and Community**Political Theory****Chair**

Nancy D Wadsworth, University of Denver

Participants

Post-War French Philosophy and the Sexual Revolution: Existentialism and Post-Modernism as Dialectical Forces of Social Change

Douglas Jarvis, Carleton University

Pornography, Liberalism, and the Elision of Sex-Radical and Antipornography Feminisms

Lorna Norman Bracewell, University of Florida

The Rise and Fall (and Rise?) of Communitarianism

Marc Stier, Temple University

Discussant

Danielle Hanley, University of Pennsylvania

2114

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Imperial 1

Public Opinion and Governance**Public Opinion****Chair**

Anderson Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin

Participants

How Information Shapes Responsiveness: A Field Experiment on State Legislators

D.J. Flynn, Northwestern University

Legislative Responsiveness to Public Opinion

Andrew Ojala Ballard, Duke University

Joshua Yoshio Lerner, Duke University

Revisiting Familiarity and Contempt: Experimental Evidence Regarding the Relationship between Familiarity and Constituent Attitudes toward Members of Congress

Kevin Esterling, UC Riverside

Michael Neblo, Ohio State University

David Lazer, Northeastern

William Minozzi, Ohio State University

The American People and their Government: An Examination of Public Attitudes Towards the Role of Government

Antwain T. Leach, University of Mississippi

Discussant

Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University, Kingsville

**2115***Thursday**8:00am-9:30am**Imperial 2***Major Players in U.S. Interest Group Politics****Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization****Participants**

AARP: Moderate broker in a polarized system

Christine Day, University of New Orleans

The Changing Public Image of the NRA

Karen Callaghan, Texas Southern University

American Interest Group Politics

Matt Grossmann, Michigan State University**2116***Thursday**8:00am-9:30am**Imperial 10***LGBT and Sexuality Issues: Questions of Rights and Theory****LGBT Issues, Gender, and Sexuality****Chair****Perry Ballard**, Daytona State College**Participants**

Do National and International Organizations of counter-trafficking meet needs of victims of human trafficking of non-traditional sexual orientation?

Ludmila Bogdan, Diplomatic Academy of Vienna

Lavender Untouchables: Why some Countries still Shun Homosexuals

Michael David Shea, Georgia State University

Membership Has Its Privileges

Michael David Shea, Georgia State University

No One's Ally

Anne Caldwell, University of Louisville**Discussants****Michael David Shea**, Georgia State University**Perry Ballard**, Daytona State College

**2117**

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 1

Immigration**Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

Not in my Backyard? The Impact of Geographical Distance on Attitudes Toward Immigration in Texas

Jerónimo Cortina, University of Houston

The (ir)Relevance of Immigration for Latino Partisanship

Angel Saavedra Cisneros, The University of Texas - Pan American

Redefining Latino Politics

Lisa Magaña, Arizona State University

Discussant

Henry Flores, St. Marys

2118

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 2

State Judicial Selection**Judicial Politics****Chair**

Teena Wilhelm, University of Georgia

Participants

Diversification Under Merit Selection

Greg Goelzhauser, Utah State University

Gauging Judicial Quality and Selection Methods in State Supreme Courts: Is there Merit in Merit Selection?

Elisha Savchak, North Carolina State University

Partisan Voting in Nonpartisan Judicial Elections: A 2014 Case Study

John Marshall Dickey, University of Tennessee Knoxville

Andrew Hewitt Smith, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Primary Elections for State Judges: A Preliminary Study

Billy Monroe, Prairie View A&M University

State Supreme Court Selection Methods: The Diffusion of the Merit System

Phil Marcin, University of Akron

Discussant

Chris Bonneau, University of Pittsburgh



2120

Thursday

8:00am-9:30am

Strand 7

Undergraduate Research in International Relations and Comparative Politics

Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching

Chair

James LaPlant, Valdosta State University

Discussant

Carol Strong, University of Arkansas at Monticello

This panel will feature research projects by undergraduates that analyze a topic in International Relations or Comparative Politics.

2121

Thursday

8:00am-9:30am

Strand 8

Motivated Reasoning and Its Implications

Political Psychology

Chair

Milton Lodge, Stony Brook University

Participants

Cognitive Resources and Political Information Processing

Jeffrey Michael Glas, Georgia State University

Motivated Learning: Findings from a Natural Experiment

Brian Schaffner, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Cameron Roche, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Who are the Conspiracy Theorists?

Ryden Butler, University of Miami

Santiago Olivella, University of Miami

Joseph E Uscinski, University of Miami

Discussant

Geoffrey C Layman, University of Notre Dame

**2122**

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 9

Immigration Politics and Policy**Public Policy****Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Chair**

Ashley Brown Burns, Amherst College

Participants

Immigration Enforcement And Removal As A Net: Concepts, Measures And Research Agenda

Francisco Pedraza, Texas A&M University

Polly Calderon, Texas A&M University

Does Increased Immigration Lead to an Increase in Welfare Benefits?

Sophiya Das, University of Houston

Indrajit Sinha Ray, University of Houston

Personal and Economic Freedom as Predictors of Migration

Ryan M. Yonk, Southern Utah University

Nicholas Hilton, Utah State University

Discussant

Ashley Brown Burns, Amherst College

2123

Thursday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 10A

Strategies for Peace and Security: Mediation, Sanctioning, and Peacekeeping**International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Lysias Dodd Gilbert, Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

Participants

UNSCR 2098 and the Responsibility to Protect Principle

Ann Mezzell, Alabama State University

Getting Paid to Play: The Financial Implications of Contributing Troops to United Nations Peacekeeping

Joshua Adam Freeman, University of Southern Mississippi

Understanding the Motivations of Peacekeepers Using Collective Action Theory

Diane L. Verrill, St. Gregory's University

Do Politically Vulnerable Leaders Make Better Mediators?: A Bargaining Model of Mediation Supply

James Preston Todhunter, Troy University

Discussants

Lysias Dodd Gilbert, Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

Davis Brown, Maryville University of St. Louis

**2124***Thursday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 10B***Political Participation in the United States****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Michael D. Martinez, University of Florida

Participants

Income Inequality and Voter Turnout in the American States, 1960-2012

James C. Garand, Louisiana State University

Laura Kaehler, Louisiana State University

Party Competition and Turnout: A Federal Paradox

John Bruce, University of Mississippi

Robert D Brown, University of Mississippi

Rural Political Behavior in America

Jack Reilly, New College of Florida

The Demographics of Congressional Election Turnout

Jan Leighley, American University

Jonathan Nagler, New York University

Discussant

Michael D. Martinez, University of Florida

2125*Thursday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 11A***Presidential Rhetorical Leadership****Presidential/Executive Politics****Chair**

Gino Joseph Tozzi Jr, University of Houston, Victoria

Participants

Presidents, the Public, and Rhetorical Leadership, as Seen through Thomas Jefferson's Presidential Newspaper

Melvin Carl Laracey, University of Texas, San Antonio

New Deal Rhetoric and Party-Building

Micah Samuel Mintz, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Combat and Conciliation in Presidential Rhetoric

Michael J Faber, Texas State University

Rhetorical Certainty in the Executive Branch about the Economy

Christopher Olds, University of South Florida

Discussants

Joseph Cobetto, University of Missouri, Columbia

Justin Vaughn, Boise State University

**2127***Thursday**8:00am-11:00am**Strand 12***Thursday Executive Council Meeting****Meetings****Participants**

Austin Valk, Southern Political Science Association
 Robert Howard, Georgia State University
 Larry C Dodd, University of Florida
 Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
 Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University
 William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University
 Judith Baer, Texas A&M University
 David Lewis, Vanderbilt University
 Kelly D. Patterson, Brigham Young University
 Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University
 Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa
 Richard Forgette, University of Mississippi
 Marc Hetherington, Vanderbilt University
 D Sunshine Hillygus, Duke University
 B. D'Andra Orey, Jackson State University
 Stella Rouse, University of Maryland
 Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri
 Sue Tolleson-Rinehart, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
 Lee D. Walker, University of South Carolina

Thomas Carsey presiding as President

2202*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 2***Electoral Participation: Facilitators and Consequences****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Julie Ann Keil, Saginaw Valley State University

Participants

Democracy or Stability: An Analysis of Voting Behavior in the 2014 Egyptian Presidential Elections

Justin Hoyle, University of Florida

Ryan Kostanecki, Wayne State University

Do Majoritarian Electoral Rules Reduce Political Violence? An Empirical Analysis of African Elections

Meshack Simati, Georgia State University

Electoral Concentration and Polarization in Turkey

Kerem Ozan Kalkan, Eastern Kentucky University

Ilhan Can Ozen, Middle East Technical University

Partisan Election Administration, Personnel Allocation, and Voting Outcomes

Erik Herron, West Virginia University

Nazar Boyko, Cifra Group



2203

Thursday

9:45am-11:15am

Bolden 3

What is the Intercampus Consortium for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning?

Teaching Political Science

Participants

J. Cherie Strachan, Central Michigan University
Mitchell Brown, Auburn University
Elizabeth Bennion, Indiana University South Bend
Shannon Jenkins, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth
John Ishiyama, University of North Texas

Learn more about the Intercampus Consortium for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, including how to join and current and future SoTL projects.

2204

Thursday

9:45am-11:15am

Bolden 4

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos I

Conference within a Conference: How's and Why's of Party Manifestos

Chair

Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Participants

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos: Agenda for Cross-National Research

Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Impediments to policy developments in parties in developing countries

Lars Svasand, University of Bergen

Stability, Polarization, and Party Programs in New Party Systems: El Salvador & Guatemala

Annabella Espana-Najera, California State University, Fresno

Discussants

Matthew Giebert, Texas A&M University

Mariia Shagina, University of Luzern

**2205***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 5***Race, Coalitions****Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Chair**

Rodney Hero, University of California, Berkeley

Participants

Hawai'i as a Model for Race Relations

Michael Haas, California Polytechnic University, Pomona

Minority Coalition Districts and the Politics of Representation in the South

Mark Dudley, Duke University

Shaping The Political Self: College Environments and the Racialized Dynamics of Civic Engagement

Christine Marie Slaughter, Spelman College

The Party Playbook: 2012-2014

Melanie J. Blumberg, California University of Pennsylvania

Michael D. Slaven, California University of Pennsylvania

Kelton Edmonds, California University of Pennsylvania

Mohamed Yamba, California University of Pennsylvania

2206*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 6***Media Politics across Institutional and Cultural Settings****Media and Politics****Chair**

Nicholas Davis, Louisiana State University

Participants

Mapping and Accounting for Attack Politics in Post-Communist Europe

Paul Armstrong DeBell, Ohio State University

From role models to "net hamsters": the evolution of political and media discourse surrounding the creative class in Putin's Russia

Volha Kananovich, University of Iowa

Immigration Frames and Metaphors in the UK Election for the European Parliament

Alexandru Cristea, Kent State University

Tweeting and Posting in Argentina: The impact of new media on 21st century politics

Diane E. Johnson, Lebanon Valley College

Discussant

Ben Epstein, DePaul University

**2212***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Foster 1***Agendas and Issue Framing in the U.S. Congress****Legislative Politics****Chair**

Andrew Waugh, Tulane University

Participants

Committee Competition for Agenda Space: Incentives and Limits

Jonathan Lewallen, University of Texas-Austin

Framing the Farm Bill: Coalition Maintenance Amidst Competing Narratives on Food Security

Christopher Bosso, Northeastern University

On the Origins of Issue Frames: Adoption of News Media Frames in the U.S. Congress

Charles Garrett Shields, University of Florida

The Effect of Issue Attention and Preference Heterogeneity on Legislative Participation

Ruoxi Li, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Discussant

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

2213*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Foster 2***Theology and Political Theory****Religion and Politics****Chair**

Michael Edwin Bailey, Berry College

Participants

Doers of the Word: Biblical Action, Christian Identities, & Believing Subjects in 21st Century Evangelical Political Thought

Joanna Tice, City University of New York, Graduate Center

Eschatology and Political Ends: The Case of Lemuel Haynes

Robin Marshall Bittick, Sam Houston State University

Mill and Mormonism

Ben Pauli, Rutgers University

The Freedom to Flounder: How Religion Acts as an Outlet for Civic Virtue in Tocqueville's Democracy in America

Brandon Garcia, University of Dallas

Discussants

Michael Edwin Bailey, Berry College

Olivia Newman, Harvard University

**2214***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Imperial 1***Economics and Public Opinion****Public Opinion****Chair**

Philip Paolino, University of North Texas

Participants

A Panel Study of Attitudes toward Economic Equality

Philip Paolino, University of North Texas

Individual Response to the Income Tax Rate: Economic Self-Interest,
Principled Attitudes, and Fairness

Eric M Walsh, Binghamton University

Discussant

Gino Joseph Tozzi Jr, University of Houston, Victoria

2215*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Imperial 2***The Nature and Impact of Lobbying****Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization****Participants**Biased in Their Favor: Legislative Response to Collective Action by the Politically
Marginalized

LaGina Gause, University of Michigan

Legislative Success and the Influence of Revolving Door Lobbyists

Timothy LaPira, James Madison University

Herschel Thomas, University of Texas at Austin

Lobbying in the sunshine - hiding behind transparency?

Albert Veksler, Dublin Institute of Technology

**2216***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Imperial 10***LGBT, Gender, and Sexuality Issues: Questions of roles and viewpoints****LGBT Issues, Gender, and Sexuality****Chair**

Jonathon Patrick Whooley, University of Florida

Participant

The Influence of Gender Binaries on Women in the Sierra Leone Civil Conflict

Rachel Bergsieker, American University

Discussant

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University

2217*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 1***Latino/as****Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

Gracias por Votar: Mobilizing Washington's Latino Voters to the Mailbox

Christopher B Mann, Louisiana State University

Liz Lebrón, 1978

Hispanics in the South: the Dixie GOP and Latino Voters

Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut

Daniel Benjamin Bailey, Texas Tech University

Tweet Me, Message Me if you want to get to know me?: The role of social media in Latina Candidates political campaigns

Samantha L Hernandez, Arizona State University

"Religious Traditionalism and the Political Beliefs of Latinas/os"

Alicia Reyes-Barrientez, Duke University

Discussant

Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut

**2218***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 2***Understanding and Evaluating Judicial Behavior****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Dave Bridge, Baylor University

Participants

Indicators of Judicial Greatness: Which factors influence or predict whether Supreme Court Justices will be historically great.

Colin Glennon, East Tennessee State University

Mikel Norris, Coastal Carolina University

Outsourcing Supreme Court Litigation

Greg Goelzhauser, Utah State University

Kaylee Johnson, Utah State University

Procedural Postures: The Influence of Legal Change on Strategic Litigants and Judges

Morgan Hazelton, Saint Louis University

Revise & Resubmit: A Study of Formal Revisions to Supreme Court Opinions

Tom Pryor, University of Minnesota

Maron W. Sorenson, University of Minnesota

With a Little Help from my Friends: Judicial Oversight and the Role of Legislative "Allies"

Gbemende Johnson, Hamilton College

Discussant

Shawn C. Fettig, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

2220*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 7***Race and American Politics: Undergraduate Research on Candidates, Congress and College****Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Chair**

Rick Witmer, Creighton University

Participants

Race and Representation: The Role of Congressional Staff

Mandi Bailey, Valdosta State University

Sarah Dill, Valdosta State University

The Politics of Appearance for Black Male Candidates

Kiyadh Burt, Jackson State University

Out the Door in Four: Discovering the Keys to Success for African American Men in College

DeVon A. Pruitt, Xavier University of LA

Native, Foreign, or Both?: Capturing Common Threads in the Electoral Narratives of Asian Pacific American Candidates

Christina Won, Amherst College

Discussant

R. Bruce Anderson, Florida Southern College



2221

Thursday

9:45am-11:15am

Strand 8

Psychological Dynamics of Partisanship, Engagement, and Issue Attitudes

Political Psychology

Chair

Geoffrey C Layman, University of Notre Dame

Participants

Affluent Colleges: Which Students Become Politically Active?

Brianna White, Wellesley College

Raising the "Perceptual Screen": Polarization, Predispositions, and the Activation of Partisan Bias

Matthew D Luttig, University of Minnesota

The Enduring Effects of Personality on Political Engagement

Aaron Weinschenk, UW-Green Bay

The Illusion of Explanatory Depth in Moral Knowledge and its Political Consequences

Christopher Weaver, University of Notre Dame

Discussant

Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University

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Thursday

9:45am-11:15am

Strand 9

The Politics of Risk

Public Policy

Chair

Alan Steinberg, Sam Houston State University

Participants

Unpacking Disaster Resilience in Rural Communities

Ashley Ross, Sam Houston State University

Steven Perry, Sam Houston State University

It Could Happen to You: How Risk Exposure Shapes Policy Attitudes

Kerri Milita, Illinois State University

Jaclyn Bunch, University of South Alabama

Perceived Risk, Uncertainty, and Policy Preferences on Hydraulic Fracturing

Brian Shreck, Texas A&M University

Arnold Vedlitz, The Bush School of Government and Public Service

The Differential Effects of Male and Female Unemployment Risk on Domestic Violence

Jennifer L Wienke, UNC Charlotte

Discussant

Mark D. Ramirez, Arizona State University

**2223***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 10A***Democratic Institutions and Accountability: Threats and Opportunities****Caribbean and Latin American Politics****Chair**

Orlandrew Eion Danzell, Mercyhurst University

Participants

Civil-Military Relations in Democratic Mexico

Gabriel Aguilera, Air War College, USAF

Failed States in a Federal Country? The current Mexican security situation and new challenges for a trite concept

Esteban Manteca Melgarejo, GEA. Grupo de Economistas y Asociados

International Responses to Threats to Executives in Latin America:

Explaining Capacity and Motivation

Betsy Montgomery-Smith, Georgia State University

The Missing Link? Citizens and the Ombudsman in Bolivia, Colombia, and Ecuador

Erika Moreno, Creighton University

Bianca Mejia Jinete, Creighton University

Discussant

Chad Kiewiet de Jonge, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

2224*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 10B***Political Behavior in Korea****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Participants

Are Economic Issues Valid in Korean Elections?: Empirical Analyses of Local Elections in Korea

EunJin Bae, Kyungpook National University

Kihong Eom, Kyungpook National University

Is Regional Voting Still Effective?: Empirical Analyses of Local Elections in Korea

Eunyoung Jang, Kyungpook National University

Kihong Eom, Kyungpook National University

The Relationship between Regional Parties and Ballot Order Effect: 2010 Superintendent and Education Committee Elections in South Korea

Woo-Seung Jeong, Kyungpook National University

Kihong Eom, Kyungpook National University

Why does Party Identification Fluctuate during Korean Presidential Campaigns

Jeonghun Min, Northeastern State University

Mingyu Shin, Northeastern State University

Discussant

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

**2225***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 11A***Executive Power and Decision-Making****Presidential/Executive Politics****Participants**

Grand Illusion—Barack Obama, Presidential National Security Power, and the Rule of Law
Chris Edelson, American University

Presidentialism and Coalition Governments: On the Influence of Cabinet Ministers in the
 Decision-Making Process

Mariana Batista, Federal University of Pernambuco

Ending a Quagmire: The Reagan Administration and Conflict Termination in Lebanon -
 1982/1983

Michael Gordon Jackson, Regis College

Issuing National Security Directives: The Effect of Threat

Cassandra Giana Khatri, University of Houston

Discussants

Matthew Holden, University of Illinois, Springfield

Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

2226*Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 11B***Immigration, Migration and Gender: Undergraduate Research on Comparative Politics****Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Chair**

Kimberly Deanna Gill, Columbus State University

Participants

The Europeanization of Immigration Policy and the Rise of the Radical Right:
 The Case of the Netherlands

Rijaab Mansoor, University of Florida

The Lewis Turning Point and the Hukou System

Matthew Lysik, University of Rhode Island

Gendered Legislation: Effects of Percentages of Females in Legislatures on Policy

Elizabeth Gribbins, Western Kentucky University

Transnational Surrogacy: Limitations and the Need for Legislation

Ja'Keria McCowan, Xavier University of Louisiana

**2229***Thursday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 13B***Party Politics in the South****Southern Politics****Chair**

Daniel Davis Sledge, University of Texas, Arlington

Participants

Failed Party Systems in Southern States

Joseph A. Aistrup, Auburn University

The Education of Southern Independents

John Marshall Dickey, University of Tennessee Knoxville

Voter Decision-Making in Runoff Primary Elections

Elizabeth Simas, University of Houston

The Case of the Non-existent Marginals: Expanding Competition in Southern Congressional Elections, 1964-Present

Jacob Forrest Harrison Smith, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

"The Rise and Decline of Congressional Moderates: Ideological Change of Southern Democrats and Eastern Republicans"

Travis Edward Whisenant, Texas A&M University

Jon Bond, Texas A&M University

Richard Fleisher, Fordham University

Cole Graham, Texas A&M University

Discussant

John McGlennon, The College of William and Mary

2301*Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 1***Program Chair's Panel: American Institutions and Political Participation****Program Chair's Panels****Chair**

Steven E Galatas, Stephen F. Austin State University

Participants

Apportionment Election Law and the Politics of Redistricting

Allen Brierly, *Self-employed*

Exploring the Role of Candidate Sexual Orientation in Elections

Darren Lipman, NC State University

Michael Cobb, NC State University

Piñata Politics: Assessing Electoral Competition in Texas Judicial Elections

Steven E Galatas, Stephen F. Austin State University

Donald Michael Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

Women Chief Justices, Leadership Styles, and Judicial Burnout

Mikel Norris, Coastal Carolina University

Colin Glennon, East Tennessee State University



2302

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Bolden 2

Political Sophistication Revisited

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair

Pamela N Waldron-Moore, Xavier University of Louisiana

Participants

Political Knowledge in Ghana

Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa

Kevin Fridy, University of Tampa

Political Sophistication and Clarity of Responsibility; Understanding Conditional Economic Vote

Gabriel Nicolas Camargo-Toledo, Vanderbilt University

Economic Threats, Social Threats, and Support for Authoritarian Leaders

Steven Miller, Clemson University

Discussant

Michael Huelshoff, University of New Orleans

2303

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Bolden 3

Engaging Political Science Students: Issues and Approaches

Teaching Political Science

Chair

Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College

Participant

The Liberty Exercise: Helping Students Think Critically and Consistently about Liberty

Troy Gibson, University of Southern Mississippi

Discussant

Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana, Monroe

**2304***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 4***International Economic Development and Public Policies****Graduate Student Research and Career Development****Chair**

Clayton M Webb, Texas A&M University

Participants

Analysis of Renewable Energy Policies in OECD Countries

Serife Elif Can-Sener, Clemson University Policy Studies Ph.D. Program

Oil, Polity And Civil Society; The Construction of the Hegemonic Apparatus in Iraq.

Zeinab Shuker, University of Memphis

Uncle Sam is Here to Help: an Analysis of American Involvement in International Crises, 1919-2007

Matthew Christopher Millard, University of Alabama

The Policy Decision to Drop the Atomic Bomb on Nagasaki

Laura Caccioppoli, Villanova University**Discussant**

Elizabeth Wheat, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

2305*Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 5***Data Quality in Political Science****Political Methodology****Chair**

Jeremy Padgett, University of Mobile

Participants

Should Missing Values of the Outcome Variable Be Imputed for Regression Models?

Benjamin Bagozzi, University of Minnesota**Jeff Gill**, Washington University

Improving Rule of Law Measures with Public Opinion Data

Kelly A Gleason, UW-Milwaukee**Christopher Hare**, University of Georgia

The Lying Game: Synthesizing Precise Post-election Survey Data based on the Actual Electoral Outcome

Sophie Lee, Duke University**Discussant**

Martin Johnson, Louisiana State University

**2306***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 6***Novel Findings about Media Effects****Media and Politics****Chair**

Regina Branton, University of North Texas

Participants

How Poll-Driven Is Contemporary American Politics? Results from Two News Content Analyses

Benjamin Toff, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Newsfeeding: An Experimental Analysis of Agenda-Setting Effects Through Social Media

Jessica Feezell, University of New Mexico

Brittany Ortiz, University of New Mexico

Arizona Immigration Law SB1070 and National Public Perception of Immigration

Mark Brockway, University of Notre Dame

The Impact of SNS on an Individual's Political Attitude: An Experiment on Facebook Users

Jangwon Yun, Kyungpook National University

Young Hwan Park, Kyungpook National University

Kihong Eom, Kyungpook National University

Movie Violence by Children and its Effect on Conceptions of Childhood Innocence

Steven Perry, Sam Houston State University

Heather K. Evans, Sam Houston State University

Discussant

Rosanne M Scholl, Louisiana State University

2312*Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Foster 1***Personnel in the Public Sector****Public Administration****Chair**

Karen Hult, Virginia Tech

Participants

Drinking from the Talent Pool: Human Capital, Organizational Capacity, and Policy Implementation

Manny Teodoro, Texas A&M University

David Switzer, Texas A&M University

Grade Inflation

John M. de Figueiredo, Duke University

Alexander Bolton, Princeton University

Charles Cameron, Princeton University

David Lewis, Vanderbilt University

Frank Li, University of Michigan

Impact of Goal Ambiguity on Job Satisfaction in U.S. Federal Agencies.

Jekyung Lee, University of Georgia

Hal Rainey, University of Georgia

Men and Women's Perceived Value and Wages in the Federal Civil Service

Bonnie Gail Mani, East Carolina University

Discussant

Jared Llorens, Louisiana State University

**2313***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Foster 2***Religion and the State****Religion and Politics****Chair**

Bryan Frost, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

Participants

Conflict and Religious Group Access to Political Power: A First Look at New Data

Calin Scoggins, The University of Texas at Dallas

Evangelicals and the descriptive political representation in the Brazilian Congress

Vinicius Werneck, Fulbright Visiting Fellow at Harvard Kennedy School (Shorenstein Center) and PhD Candidate (IESP/Uerj - Brazil)

Modeling State-Religion Relations

Noa Josepha Cnaan-On, Department of Political Science, Duke University

The Religious Characteristics of States Dataset and International Relations:

Classic Themes and New Evidence

Davis Brown, Maryville University of St. Louis

Patrick James, University of Southern California

Discussants

Bryan Frost, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

Calin Scoggins, The University of Texas at Dallas

2314*Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Imperial 1***Measurement Issues in Public Opinion****Public Opinion****Chair**

Ryan Strickler, University of South Carolina

Participants

Preferences, Problems and Representation

Christopher Wlezien, University of Texas, Austin

Trolling the ANES: Assessing the Value of Open-Ended Response Items in Online Surveys

Anderson Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin

The Nones: Consequences of Combining Atheists, Agnostics and Unaffiliated Survey Respondents into One Category

Peter W. Wielhouwer, Western Michigan University

Online panel v. RDD sample: Two surveys of Illinois voters

Ashley Elizabeth Kirzinger, University of Illinois Springfield

Discussants

Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University

Natalie Jackson, Huffington Post/Pollster.com



2315

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Imperial 2

Civic Engagement, Mobilization, and Policy

Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Participants

Exploring the Limits of Citizen Engagement in Public Policy

George W. Dougherty, University of Pittsburgh

The Causes of Civic Activity

Fevzi Sarac, Louisiana State University

The War on Terror: Soldier Deaths and Voters Response

Brianna White, Wellesley College

The benefits of professional organizations such as ASPA

Kirsten Kim Loutzenhiser, Troy University

2316

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Imperial 10

LGBT and Sexuality Issues: Public Attitudes and Media Framing

LGBT Issues, Gender, and Sexuality

Chair

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Participants

Attitudes towards Transgender People: A Policy Perspective

Minjie Li, Louisiana State University

The Impact of Political Knowledge on Political Tolerance

John Powell Hall, Auburn University

Conservative Framing of Transgender Rights

Jami Taylor, University of Toledo

Barry Tadlock, Ohio University

The Mainstream Media's obsession with Same-Sex Marriage: Is it a good thing or a bad thing?

Scott N Nolan, University of New Orleans

Discussant

Nancy D Wadsworth, University of Denver

**2317***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 1***Race, International****Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

Do Implicit Racial Attitudes Influence Health Related Aid-Effectiveness in Haiti? A Pilot Study

Thomas Craemer, University of Connecticut**Rebecca Thomas**, University of Connecticut School of Social Work

Freeze or Melt it Down: An Investigation of the Determinants of Military Action in Frozen Conflicts

Galib Bashirov, Florida International University

Student Perceptions of Identity, Ethnic Saliency, and Other-Group Contact in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Matthew Becker, University of Mississippi

The Tulsi Project: Evaluating South Asian American Support for a Hindu Member of Congress"

Shyam Krishnan Sriram, University of California at Santa Barbara**Discussant****Dustin Berna**, Nova Southeastern University**2318***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 2***State Courts of Last Resort****Judicial Politics****Chair****Mark Hurwitz**, Western Michigan University**Participants**

Changes in Amicus Curiae Activity in the State Judiciary

Christopher Baxter, University of Tennessee at Martin

Choosing to Dissent: Impacts of Judicial Appointment on Writing Productivity in State Supreme Courts

Thomas Gray, University of Virginia

Cross-Court Communication: Analyzing State Supreme Court Citation Networks

William C Cubbison, George Washington University**Jonathan Hack**, George Washington University

The Effect of Institutional Procedures on Agenda-Setting in State Courts of Last Resort

Benjamin Soltoff, The Pennsylvania State University**Discussant****Phil Marcin**, University of Akron



2320

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 7

The Wild Side of American Politics: Undergraduate Research on Conspiracy Theories, Political Scandals and the Tea Party

Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching

Participants

Conspiracy Culture: A Look at the Appeal and Predictors of Conspiracy Thinking

Kenneth Holiday, Valdosta State University

An Assault on the Enlightened Mind: Critical Thinking and Conspiracism.

Richard Derrell Miller, Valdosta State University

Stayin' Alive: Assessing the Effect of Scandals on Subsequent Electoral Outcomes

Bardia Khajenoori, University of Florida

Crashing the Tea Party: The Effects of the Tea Party on Congressional Midterm Elections

David Elliot Meyer, Randolph-Macon College

Discussant

Lauren Cohen Bell, Randolph-Macon College

2321

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 8

Emotions, Threat, and Political Behavior

Political Psychology

Chair

Camille Burge, Villanova University

Participants

Hearing The Angry Roar: Are there gender differences in the strategic use anger?

Ngoc Phan, University of Southern Mississippi

Threat perception, policy preference, and vote decision in the 2012 US presidential election

Hwayong Shin, Seoul National University

Turning Outrage into Disgust: The Emotions of Party System Realignment and Anti-Political Sentiment

Paul Armstrong DeBell, Ohio State University

Understanding the Economic Judgments and Political Behavior of Emotionally Cross-pressured Voters

Christina Suthammanont, Texas A&M University, San Antonio

Discussants

Camille Burge, Villanova University

Mike Gruszczynski, Austin Peay State University

**2322***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 9***Understanding Policy Change****Public Policy****Chair**

David V. Edwards, University of Texas, Austin

Participants

New Paths to Major Policy Change: Alternative Dispute Resolution and the Advocacy Coalition Framework

Emily K Maiden, University of Notre Dame

The Death of NASA: Policy Momentum, Inertia, and Change

Wendy Whitman Cobb, Cameron University

Stasis and Jumps in Indian State Budgets – Budgetary Punctuation or Forecast Error Correction?

Krishanu Karmakar, Public Management and Policy, AYSPS, Georgia State University

Commodity Futures Market Volatility: A Case for Punctuated Equilibrium

George Patterson Apperson, Clemson University

Discussant

Wayne Steger, DePaul University

2323*Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 10A***The creation and implementation of public policy in the Americas****Caribbean and Latin American Politics****Chair**

Orlandrew Eion Danzell, Mercyhurst University

Participants

Conditional Cash Transfers in the Dominican Republic: a possible political bias?

Mart Trasberg, Tulane University

Protecting Forests in a Federal System: How Economics and Geography Influence the Selection of Conservation Areas in Brazil

Benjamin Stewart Allen, University of California at Berkeley

Unintended Consequences: The Failure of Honduran Drug Policy

Randy Pestana, Florida International University

¡No Más! Latin American Challenges to the War on Drugs

Renee Gannon Scherlen, Appalachian State University

Disaster capitalism: A panel analysis of Latin America and the Caribbean

Ransford Fonseca Edwards, Florida International University

South America and the New Regionalization: Creating Policy Space for Resistance, Peace, and Development

Charles G Ripley, Arizona State University

Discussant

Robert C. Harding, Spring Hill College



2324

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 10B

Modes of Voting and Political Participation

Elections and Voting

Participants

Plugging in or Tuning Out? Early Voting and Political Participation

Peter Miller, University of Pennsylvania

The Early Electorate: Do Additional Sites Address Voter Participation Gaps?

Elliott Fullmer, Randolph-Macon College

The Structural Factors Underlying Voter Fatigue

Geoffrey Peterson, University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire

Charlotte Kupsh, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire

Why is Electronic Voting Going Downhill in Japan in Comparison with the U.S.?

Shoko Kiyohara, Meiji University

2325

Thursday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 11A

Political Thought on the Evolving Presidency

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair

Michael Edwin Bailey, Berry College

Participants

Altering Developmental Pathways Via Multiple Modes of Change: Reagan Reconstructs In A Constrained Environment

Curt Nichols, Baylor University

Food Stamps, Phones, Freeloaders, and Fraud? President Obama and the Politics of the New American Welfare State

Richard S. Conley, University of Florida

Bargaining and Command: The President, the White House Entourage, and Department Secretaries

Matthew Holden, University of Illinois, Springfield

Reconsidering Texas: Partisan Divisions and Presidential Reputations

Robert Paul Musgrave, Dickinson College

Discussants

Dave Bridge, Baylor University

David J. Siemers, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh

**2326***Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 11B***Contemporary Theories of Religion and Politics****Political Theory****Chair**

Jarrett A Carty, Concordia University

Participants

Rorty, the Public Sphere, and the Future of Religion

Michael T Gibbons, University of South Florida

Jurgen Habermas's "Religious Turn" and the Evolution of American
"Public Reason" Scholarship

Giorgi Areshidze, gareshidze@claremontmckenna.edu

Understanding Carl Schmitt's Political Theology

Freke Ette, University of Houston

Discussant

Douglas Jarvis, Carleton University

2329*Thursday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 13B***Racial Politics in the South****Southern Politics****Chair**

William S Harvard, Louisiana State University

Participants

Maclean for Mayor – At the Forefront of Integration and Desegregation in the Deep South

Carry J Smith, Clark Atlantic University

Approval of a White Mayor in a Black Majority City

Edward E. Chervenak, University of New Orleans

Shih-chan Dai, University of New Orleans

Racial Resentment and the Party Identification of Southern Whites: The View From the States

Jonathan Knuckey, University of Central Florida

Linthead Liberty: Massive Resistance and the South Carolina Upcountry of Olin D. Johnston

James Owen Heath, University Of Sussex

Discussant

Karen L Owen, Reinhardt University



2401

Thursday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Bolden 1

Motivations of Bureaucratic Behavior and Decision-Making

Bureaucratic Politics

Chair

Wendy Whitman Cobb, Cameron University

Participants

How is Endemic Corruption broken off?: An Endogenous Institutional Development Approach

Taehwan Oh, Seoul National University

T.K. Ahn, Seoul National University

Political Insulation and Endogenous Expertise Formation: Does Policy Autonomy Motivate Bureaucratic Investment in Policy Expertise?

Mark D. Richardson, Vanderbilt University

Discussant

Lucas Llanso Puente, lpuente@stanford.edu

2402

Thursday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Bolden 2

Political Conflict: Institutions, Discourses, and Attitudes

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair

Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida

Participants

An Institutional Perspective of the Attitudinal Foundation of Political Violence in Democracies

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

The Local Politics of Immigration: A Comparison of Norway and Sweden

Emma Ea Ambrose, University of Georgia

The language of discrimination in Guatemala

Kirsten Kim Loutzenhiser, Troy University

**2403***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 3***Teaching the Courts and the Constitution****Teaching Political Science****Chair**

Dave Bridge, Baylor University

Participants

May it Please the Court: Finding Exciting Ways to Learn About Political Science

Elizabeth Wheat, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

Erin Hoff, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

Taryn Oleson, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

Teaching Law and the Courts: The Pedagogical Utility of Hollingsworth v. Perry

John Evans, University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire

Brian DiSarro, California State University, Sacramento

What Introductory American Government Textbooks Teach and Don't Teach Students about the Establishment Clause

Jane Rainey, Eastern Kentucky University

Teaching Constitutional Law Online

David M. Prentiss, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

2404*Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 4***How's and Why's of Party Manifestos II****Conference within a Conference: How's and Why's of Party Manifestos****Chair**

Lars Svasand, University of Bergen

Participants

Party manifestos production in Czech Republic

Michel Perottino, Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Social Sciences

The cooperation with European party federations: an impact on party development in the non-EU countries

Mariia Shagina, University of Luzern

The Taiwanese Party Manifesto and its Purpose: Some Initial Findings and Thoughts

Alexander Co Tan, University of Canterbury

Discussants

Sejin Koo, Texas A&M University, College Station

Annabella Espana-Najera, California State University, Fresno

Samo Kropivnik, University of Ljubljana

Simona Kustec Lipicer, University of Ljubljana

**2405***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 5***"Personhood" Amendments****Women and Politics****Discussants**

Sally Paulson, Delta State University

A.M. Paulson, University of Memphis

Leslie Fadiga-Stewart, Delta State University

While acknowledging *Roe v. Wade* recognized the state's interest in the fetus, still a 2011 Penn State law journal article felt confident enough to state a "fetus" is clearly not recognized "as a person under the Constitution" and, as a result, a "woman's constitutional status is superior to that of a fetus" (114 Penn St. L. Rev. 955, "Choice in Birth, VBAC," p. 982). However this spring, a mere three years after the publication of that law journal article, a federal circuit court upheld the conviction of a pregnant woman for exposing her "unborn child" to dangerous chemicals by arguing the state has a legitimate interest in protecting the life of children from "their earliest stages of development" (*Hicks v. State*—So.3rd—2014). The question this panel would like to discuss is what political, social, and rhetorical developments have occurred during the last three years to allow such a shift in the law's perspective on life within a woman's womb. The question has become is a pregnant woman carrying an "unborn child" deserving of equal rights to the woman who carries it or is a pregnant woman carrying a "fetus" whose rights are subsumed to the woman's right to privacy and right to choice in reproductive matters. In light of these distinct views on life in the womb, this panel will provide a comparative political/historical, rhetorical/legal and dramatic analysis of the events over the last three years that have provided the grounds for these two distinct perspectives on the relationship between a woman and her unborn child/fetus. Grounded in the 2011 efforts to pass a personhood amendment in Mississippi, this panel will discuss the historical/political background to the push for constitutional "personhood" amendments throughout not only the United States but also the world at large. Further, in light of the failure of past attempts to pass constitutional amendments, this panel will discuss alternative routes some states are taking today, such as dangerous chemicals acts or requiring abortion doctors to have admitting privileges at local hospitals. Additionally, in light of the relationship between language and reality as expressed in the Shapir-Whorf hypothesis, this panel will explore the potential legal ramifications, as manifested in the recent *Hicks* decision, that the simple rhetorical act of renaming a "fetus" a "human being" could have on a woman's autonomy over her body during pregnancy. Significantly, the scholarly examinations of this topic will be dramatically embedded within key excerpts from an anthology play inspired by the efforts in Mississippi to pass a personhood amendment. Ultimately, rather than attempting to demonstrate which side is correct, this panel's goal is to motivate individuals, before acting on any of the wide variety of currently proposed initiatives, to think critically about those proposals' long-term rhetorical and legal consequences.

2406*Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 6***Media Effects on Group Political Engagement****Media and Politics****Chair**

Chance York, Louisiana State University

Participants

Does the News Source Matter? Testing the Effects of News Source on Engagement and Knowledge

John Dudley, University of Mississippi

Bridging the information gap: Do Spanish language media influence Latino voters?

Johanna Dunaway, Louisiana State University

Newly Paul, Louisiana State University

Marisa Abrajano, University of California, San Diego

Exploring the Influence of Online and Interpersonal Political Disagreement on the Political Engagement of Youth

Jessica Feezell, University of New Mexico

Jessica Jones, University of New Mexico

Discussant

Jason Turcotte, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

**2412**

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Foster 1

Congressional Voting Behavior**Legislative Politics****Chair**

Christopher Bosso, Northeastern University

Participants

Hypocrisy of Fiscal Conservatism on Debt Ceiling Votes

Wayne Steger, DePaul University

Why Not Support Civil Rights? Examining factors that affect House members' decisions to support Civil Rights legislation.

Natasha Altema McNeely, University of Texas - Pan American

Gun Control and Partisan Politics

Gregory Koger, University of Miami

Constituency Size and Roll Call Consistency among Legislators

R. Lucas Williams, University of Houston

Voting Behavior and the Tea Party Caucus

Jordan Michael Ragusa, College of Charleston

Discussant

Matthew P. Hitt, Louisiana State University

2413

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Foster 2

Authors Meet Critics: God Talk:**Experimenting with the Religious Causes of Public Opinion****Religion and Politics****Authors**

Paul Djupe, Dennison University

Brian R. Calfano, Missouri State University

Chair

Ryan L. Claassen, Kent State University

Critics

Christopher Karpowitz, Brigham Young University

Peter W. Wielhouwer, Western Michigan University

Quin Monson, Brigham Young University



2414

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Imperial 1

Lifecycle Effects on Public Opinion

Public Opinion

Chair

Mike Gruszczyński, Austin Peay State University

Participants

Reversing the Arrow: Public Opinion as a Predictor of Partisanship

Andrea Vieux, University of Central Florida

The Political Agenda of the Millennial Generation

Stella Rouse, University of Maryland

Ashley Ross, Sam Houston State University

Aged Communities and Health Reform Attitudes

Brittany Bramlett, University of Georgia

Can we impute public policy preferences by age?

Zachary Folsom Cook, DePaul University

Discussants

Bobbi Gentry, Bridgewater College

Kevin Banda, University of Nevada, Reno

2415

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Imperial 2

Using and Learning from Lobbying Data

Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Participants

Matt Grossmann, Michigan State University

Timothy LaPira, James Madison University

Herschel Thomas, University of Texas at Austin

**2416**

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Imperial 10

LGBT, Gender, and Sexuality Issues in Institutional Politics**LGBT Issues, Gender, and Sexuality****Chair**

Jeremy Padgett, University of Mobile

Participants

Same Sex Marriage in Maryland: The Saliency of Religiosity in Determining Voter Support

Jonathan Wesley Hutto, Sr., Howard University

Richard Seltzer, Howard University

Supreme Court Decision-Making: Does Gender Matter?

Steven Grant Evans, Southern Methodist University

The Effects of Images as Individual, Party Member, and Representative on Roll-call Voting:

Examining LGBT Issues in the 112th U.S. Congress

Shih-chan Dai, University of New Orleans

Discussant

Kimberly Deanna Gill, Columbus State University

2417

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 1

Voting, policy**Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

Electoral and Legislative Determinants of State Voter Identification Laws

Christopher Acuff, University of Tennessee

Race and Local Government Responsiveness: A Field Experiment Exploring Local Bureaucratic Accessibility

David Glick, Boston University

Katharine Einstein, Boston University

Racial Gerrymandering and Turnout: The Effect of Racial Gerrymandering on Voters

Brett N Odom, University of Georgia

The 21st Century: A New Era in Latino Voting

Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut

Discussant

Olivia Newman, Harvard University

**2418***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 2***Money in State Judicial Elections****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Alan Tarr, Rutgers University-Camden

Participants

Campaign Contributions and Judicial Decisionmaking: Does Money Buy Access?

Benjamin Soltoff, The Pennsylvania State University

Campaign finance and strategic opinion-writing on elected state supreme courts

Bennet Min, UT Dallas

Friends with Money: A Network Analysis of State High Court Elections

Allison Trocheset, University of Georgia

Interest Group Funding of Judicial Elections

Sara Hiers, University of Georgia**Discussant****Billy Monroe**, Prairie View A&M University**2420***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 7***Legislative Politics in the United States: Undergraduate Research on Elections, Filibusters and Leadership****Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Chair****Kristina M LaPlant**, Georgia State University**Participants**

Amateurs Strike Back: Amateur Success Rates in Recent Congressional Elections

Henry Benjamin Ashton, Student

Big Bucks: Beyond Citizens United

Noah Logan, University of South Alabama**Samuel Fisher**, University of South AlabamaNuclear Fallout: The Effect of the Nuclear Option On The U.S. Senate's
Legislative Productivity**John David Rackey**, Randolph-Macon College

The Political Voice of Women in the Georgia General Assembly, 2003-2014

Mary Eve Spirou, Georgia College & State University**Discussant****Keith Lee**, University of Florida

**2421**

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 8

Psychological Foundations of Partisanship, Polarization, and Attitudes
Political Psychology
Chair

William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University

Participants

Downstream Consequences of Partisan Perceptual Bias

Kabir Khanna, Princeton University

Party Identification, Issue Attitudes, and the Effect of Partisan Disagreement on Decision Making

Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Minnesota, Duluth

The Political Origins of Interpersonal Trust

Gregory Love, University of Mississippi

The Psychological Foundations of Social Identification and the Resurgence in Mass Partisanship

Matthew D Luttig, University of Minnesota

Discussants

William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University

Brian Schaffner, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

2422

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 9

State Politics and Policy
Public Policy
Chair

Kerri Milita, Illinois State University

Participants

Going Green: Medical Marijuana Laws in the US States

Lee Hannah, Penn State

Welfare Rules and State Responses to the Great Recession: A Mountain or a Molehill?

Edward T Jennings, University of Kentucky

Jo Ann Ewalt, University of Charleston, South Carolina

Labor's Last Stand? The Great Recession and Collective Bargaining Reform in the US States

Magic M Wade, University of Minnesota

The Politics of Educational Outcomes

Marvin King, University of Mississippi

Assessing Change in Environmental Management in the Southern States

Roy Dawes, Gettysburg College

Hunter Bacot, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Shannon Russell, Gettysburg College

Discussant

Francisco Pedraza, Texas A&M University

**2423***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 10A***Issues in Electoral Politics****Caribbean and Latin American Politics****Chair**

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Participants

Explaining Political Representation in Latin America: Effects of Party System Institutionalization, Electoral Rules, and Economic Factors

Clemente QuinonesReyes, Georgia Gwinnett College

Incumbent Party Support and the Distribution of Public Security in Brazil

Douglas Block, University of Pittsburgh

Latin America's Paradoxical Majority Voter

Alexandra Paige Castillo, Ohio State University

Symbiotic Institutions: Parties, Ballots, and Newspapers in Twentieth Century Colombia

Steven L. Taylor, Troy University

The Political Economy of Clientelism: Cheap Targeting Politics in Brazil

Hector Bahamonde, Rutgers University

Who do Parties Target? Citizens Perceptions of Clientelistic Strategies

Chad Kiewiet de Jonge, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas**Javier Osorio**, John Jay College, CUNY**Ezequiel Gonzalez Ocantos**, University of Oxford**Discussants****Edwin Camp**, Vanderbilt University**Henry Barbier Sirgo**, McNeese State University**2424***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 10B***Race, Ethnicity, and Political Behavior****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Mitchell Brown, Auburn University

Participants

Its Not Race, Its Politics! A Natural Experiment Examining the Influences of Race in Electoral Politics

Paul White, University of South Carolina**David Woodard**, Clemson University

Societal Tension and Voter Suppression: The Causes and Manifestations of Voter Suppression in the United States

Stephen M Ruxton, University of South Carolina**Joshua Cole Deroche**, University of South Carolina

The Effect of Co-Ethnicity and Shared Race on Voter Turnout Overreports

Ivelisse Cuevas-Molina, University of Massachusetts-Amherst

The Voting Rights Act of 1965: The Regression of Fifty Years of False Certainty

Brenda Riddick, University of La Verne**Discussant****Mitchell Brown**, Auburn University

**2426**

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 11B

The United States and Her Allies: Undergraduate Research on International Relations
Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching
Chair

Kevin Baron, University of Florida

Participants

Booms and Busts: The Politics behind Banking Stability

Lindsey Wanner, Lebanon Valley College

Comparative Analysis of Socioeconomic Factors Associated with Drug Trafficking Rings in Cancun and Tijuana

Ginger Denise Escudero, University of Akron

Losers' Consent: An Analysis of Germany and the U.S.

Mallory Treece, Western Kentucky University

2427

Thursday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 12

SPSA Membership Committee
Meetings
Participants

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

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Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College

Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

B. D'Andrea Orey, Jackson State University

Paulina Rippere, Jacksonville University



2428

Thursday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Strand 13A

Intersectional Identities: Gender, Race, Ethnicity and Political Behavior in the U.S.**Women and Politics****Chair**

Nadia Brown, Purdue University

Participants

Not my kind of thing: Gender, Race, and Forms of Political Participation

Mirya Holman, Florida Atlantic University

Hawks and Doves? Latina and Latino attitudes toward the War in Iraq

Adrian Pantoja, Pitzer College

Rachel VanSickle-Ward, Pitzer College

Immigration, Citizenship, and the Political Participation of Asian American Women

Jeanette Harvie, University of California, Santa Barbara

Symbolic Representation and Black Women Office Holders: The Politics of Intersectionality and Collective Identity

Atiya Stokes-Brown, Bucknell University

Linked Fate at the Intersection of Race, Gender and Ethnicity

K. Juree Capers, Georgia State University

Candis Watts Smith, Williams College

Southern African American Women Leadership and Opinion

Pearl Ford Dowe, University of Arkansas

Discussant

Sarah Gershon, Georgia State University

In the wake of the 2012 Presidential election, journalists, politicians and pundits frequently discussed the growing diversity of the American electorate and what that diversity would mean for the future of American politics. Political science research has examined the attitudes and behaviors of women and minority voters for decades, however, little scholarly attention is paid to the intersection of race/ethnicity and gender in shaping political activity in the U.S. The papers in this panel all seek to expand our collective knowledge regarding the impact of multiple identities on political attitudes and behaviors through a focus on minority women in America. Holman's study considers the impact of intersecting identities in shaping political participation, demonstrating that traditional models of political engagement are not sufficient when exploring participation among minority women in the U.S. In their paper, Pantoja and VanSickle-Ward examine attitudes and vote choice among Latinos and Latinas, identifying a significant gender gap in the foreign policies Latinas support and in how those attitudes shape their vote choice. Harvie's paper examines how the intersecting identities of Asian American women in the U.S. shape their political participation, attitudes and citizenship. In her multi-methodological design, Stokes-Brown examines the impact of descriptive representation on African American women's political participation. Capers and Smith's paper explores the concept of linked fate among Black men and women of different ethnicities, comparing political attitudes among African Americans to those of Afro-Caribbean men and women. Finally, Dowe explores the intersection of race, gender and region in her paper, exploring support for African American female candidates among African American voters in the South. This panel will highlight the unique ways the intersecting identities of race, gender and ethnicity shape political behavior in the United States as well as the methodological and theoretical diversity present in contemporary intersectional research. This panel, along with the other panel we are proposing- Intersectional Identities: Race, Gender, Ethnicity and Political Elites in American Politics- will contribute to the SPSA's theme of the 'conference within a conference', allowing participants to focus on the subject of intersectionality in American politics in depth.

**2429***Thursday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 13B***Authors Meet Critics: The Puzzle Of Unanimity and Does Diversity Matter?****Judicial Politics****Participants**

Pamela Corley, Southern Methodist University

Amy Steigerwalt, Georgia State University

Artemus Ward, Northern Illinois University

Susan Haire, University of Georgia

Laura Moyer, University of Louisville

Chair

Wendy Martinek, Binghamton University

Discussants

Sara C. Benesh, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

Bethany Blackstone, University of North Texas

Robert J. Hume, Fordham University

Timothy R. Johnson, University of Minnesota

Kevin T. McGuire, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Christopher Zorn, Penn State

This roundtable features a discussion of Corley et al.'s *THE PUZZLE OF UNANIMITY*, which considers why unanimity is so common on the U.S. Supreme Court, and Haire and Moyer's *DOES DIVERSITY MATTER?*, which considers when and how diversity among jurists matters for decision making on the U.S. courts of appeals. Both books offer unique perspectives on the tensions between and among various influences on the choices judges make, including individual preferences and legal factors. In doing so, both yield thought-provoking evidence that will inform scholarly understanding of judicial decision making for quite some time.

**2601***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 1***Taxes, Spending, and Redistribution****Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Chair**

Michael Barber, Brigham Young University

Participants

Budgeting At a Time of Constraint: Canadian Provincial Governments Respond to Financial Crisis

Oleg Kodolov, Brock University

The Policy Priorities of Democratic Political Systems

Niccole M Pamphilis, University of Glasgow

Saundra Schneider, Michigan State University

William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University

Taxing Firms: How Partisan Politics Affects Tax Rates

Mi Jeong Shin, Washington University in St. Louis

The Political Roots of Deficit Spending in Canada

John Frendreis, Loyola University Chicago

Discussant

Scott Abramson, University of Rochester

2602*Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 2***Transformations in Authoritarian Societies: Elite and Mass****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Orlandrew Eion Danzell, Mercyhurst University

Participants

Because they can: state capacity and autocratic survival

Erik H. Wang, Department of Politics, Princeton University

Yiqing Xu, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Binding Legislatures and Authoritarian Regime Survival

Matthew Charles Wilson, Pennsylvania State University

Daniel Gamarnik, Pennsylvania State University

Former Ruling Party Success in Competitive Elections

Ian O Smith, Georgia State University

PR to Show Strength: The Choice of Electoral Systems in Dictatorship

Masaaki Higashijima, Michigan State University

Eric Chang, Michigan State University

Discussants

Selin Guner, St. Edward's University

Jonathon Patrick Whooley, University of Florida

**2603***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 3***Issues in Teaching Introduction to American Government****Teaching Political Science****Chair**

Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University, Kingsville

Participants

A Study on the Effectiveness of Different Approaches to Teaching Introduction to American Government

Bolsen Toby, Georgia State University

Michael Evans, Georgia State University

Anna McCaghren Fleming, Georgia State University

Business and Labor in the American Government Textbook: A Rubric and Analysis of Coverage

Glenn W Rainey, Eastern Kentucky University

Student Perceptions of an OER (Open Educational Resources) Introduction to American Politics Textbook

Shannon Jenkins, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth

Doug Roscoe, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

2604*Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 4***How's and Why's of Party Manifestos III****Conference within a Conference: How's and Why's of Party Manifestos****Chair**

Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Participants

Characteristics of Party Manifestos in Slovenia

Samo Kropivnik, University of Ljubljana

Simona Kustec Lipicer, University of Ljubljana

Is Timing Everything? An Evaluation of Subnational and National Party Manifesto Content

Matthew Giebert, Texas A&M University

Korean Party Manifestos: Roles of Party Members

Sejin Koo, Texas A&M University, College Station

Discussants

Michel Perottino, Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Social Sciences

Lars Svasand, University of Bergen

Alexander Co Tan, University of Canterbury

**2605***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 5***Studying Political Choices****Political Methodology****Chair****Hans Noel**, Georgetown University**Participants**

General Bayesian Approach for the Estimation of the Varying Choice Logistical Model

Elena Labzina, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST LOUIS

Using GIS to Map Participation and Partisanship in Early Campaign Donations to Presidential Candidates

Karen Sebold, University of Arkansas**Joshua L. Mitchell**, University of Arkansas

“voteR: Spatial Voting Models in R”

Robi Ragan, San Jose State University

Understanding Advancement of Central Committee Members of the Communist Party of China: A Response to Shih, Adolph and Liu

Daniel Shaughnessy, Arizona State University**Zhu Zhang**, Tulane University

Policy, Political Participation and Engagement, and Partisanship in the American Electorate: Cross-Pressure Score Implementation with Spatial Analysis

Pat Gouzien, University of Missouri, St. Louis**Discussants****Hans Noel**, Georgetown University**Kelly A Gleason**, UW-Milwaukee**2606***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 6***Strategic Communications from Candidates and Officeholders****Media and Politics****Chair****Newly Paul**, Louisiana State University**Participants**

To Tweet or Not to Tweet? How District and Member Characteristics Affect House Representatives' Twitter-Style

Heather K. Evans, Sam Houston State University**Savannah Sipole**, University of Houston

The Tweet Delete of Congress: Congress and Deleted Post on Twitter

Theresa Loraine Cardenas, University of Southern Mississippi

Handshake 2.0: Uses and Limits of Twitter Engagement across 50 U.S. Governors

Anshul Jain, Boston University**James E Katz**, Boston University**Discussant****Christopher R Weber**, University of Arizona

**2612**

Thursday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Foster 1

Floor and Pre-Floor Actions: Holds, Cosponsorship, and Amendments
Legislative Politics
Chair

Jordan Michael Ragusa, College of Charleston

Participants

Members and Leaders in Senate Obstruction

Nicholas Howard, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Amendments in Congress

Gregory Koger, University of Miami

Where's the Caucus? A Study of Minority Agenda- Setting Behavior

Lashonda Brenson, University of Michigan

Some People Have Commitment Issues: How Cross-Pressuring Creates Unreliable Legislators

Justin H Kirkland, University of Houston

Jeffrey J Harden, University of Colorado Boulder

Discussant

Ryan D. Williamson, University of Georgia

2613

Thursday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Foster 2

Politics from the Pews
Religion and Politics
Chair

David Campbell, University of Notre Dame

Participants

Congregations and Local Disaster Response

Jason Pudlo, University of Oklahoma

Haley Murphy, Oklahoma State University

Filling Pews and Voting Booths: The Role of Politicization in Congregational Growth

Andre Pierre Audette, University of Notre Dame

Christopher Weaver, University of Notre Dame

Modernism, Traditionalism, and Motherhood: The Role of Family Structure and Theology in the Mobilization of Religious Women

Patrick Schoettmer, Southeastern Oklahoma State University

Picking Politics at Church

Steven Snell, Princeton University

Discussants

Mirya Holman, Florida Atlantic University

David Campbell, University of Notre Dame

**2614***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Imperial 1***Modeling Ideology and Partisanship****Public Opinion****Chair**

Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

Participants

A Mixture Modeling Approach to the Study of Inter- and Intra-Party Cleavages in the American Electorate

Ryan Bakker, University of Georgia

Christopher Hare, University of Georgia

Robert N. Lupton, Michigan State University

Keith T. Poole, University of Georgia

Examining the Correlates of Ideological Identification, 1972-2008

Judd Thornton, Georgia State University

Projection Bias and Directional Voting

William M Pollock, Stony Brook University, SUNY

Voting with Easy and Hard Issues: A Conditional Approach to Spatial Modeling

Daniel Thaler, Michigan State University

Discussants

Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Minnesota, Duluth

Christopher Lawrence, Middle Georgia State College

2615*Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Imperial 2***Nuclear Proliferation and Counter-proliferation****International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Toby James Rider, Texas Tech University

Participants

Ban the Bomb: Growing Support for a Nuclear Weapons Convention

Holly Lindamood, Morehouse College

Cooperative Threat Reduction: A New Model for Arms Control?

Nathan E. Busch, Christopher Newport University

Joseph F. Pilat, Los Alamos National Laboratory

Counterproliferation from Above

Rachel Bzostek, The University of Texas at Tyler

Perception, Prioritization, and Proliferation

Alison Logan Mintz, University of Georgia

Tempting Fate: Threats, Red-Lines, and Conflict in Nuclear Monopoly

Paul Avey, Southern Methodist University

Discussants

Toby James Rider, Texas Tech University

Ali Sanaei, University of Michigan

**2616**

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm
Imperial 10

The Gendered Politics of Framing and Syntax**Women and Politics****Chair**

Karen L. Owen, Reinhardt University

Participants

Gendered Language and Female Empowerment: How Syntax Affects Political Realities

Maisie Baldwin, Drury University

Race, Gender, and Let's Move!: The Conditional Impact of Familiarity with Michelle Obama's Campaign against Childhood Obesity on Beliefs about the First Lady's Status as a Role Model for Black Women

Ray Block, The University of Wisconsin, La Crosse

Christina S. Haynes, The University of Wisconsin, La Crosse

Resonating Value Frames: Framing Values to Target Voters by Race, Sex, and Party

Jessica A. Defenderfer, Ohio State University

Motherhood in "Utopia": The Drama Between Nature and Convention

Emily Katherine Ferkaluk, University of Dallas

Political Efficacy in Women: The Role of Symbolic Annihilation

Victoria Ashton Dounoucos, Duke University

Discussant

Christine Marie Slaughter, Spelman College

2617

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm
Strand 1

Policy**Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

Just a Spoonful of What?: Policy as prescription for reducing race-based STI health disparities

Angela Nicole Allison, Texas A&M University

Ken Meier, Texas A&M University

Let's talk about Diversity: The impact of diversity cues on political representation, redistributive policies, and racial threat.

Ngoc Phan, University of Southern Mississippi

Performance of Students Admitted Through Affirmative Action Policies in Brazil

Rubia Valente, The University of Texas at Dallas

Politics of responsibility: Race, inequality, and social policy for low income fathers

Kevin M Roy, University of Maryland, College Park

**2618***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 2***Perspectives on Constitutional Development****Judicial Politics****Chair****Peter Augustine Lawler**, Berry College**Participants**

Chief Justice Leadership: Construction of American Federalism from the Supreme Court's Center Chair

David Root, University of Oregon

Legitimizing Massive Resistance: Using "Race-Neutral" Jurisprudence to Entrench White Supremacy

Matthew Reid Krell, University of Alabama

Majoritarian Response Mechanisms for Counter-Majoritarian Supreme Court Decisions

Dave Bridge, Baylor University

Rethinking "Attitudes" in the Attitudinal Model: Using Cultural Theory to Explain Judicial Decisions

Rob Reif Robinson, University of Alabama at Birmingham**Brendon Swedlow**, Northern Illinois University

The Case for a Verdict on Judicial Review

Laura Walsh, Georgia Gwinnett College**Discussant****Richard Alexander Izquierdo**, Georgetown University Law Center**2620***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 7***African Politics: Undergraduate Research on Leadership, Corruption and Political Development****Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Chair****Julie Ann Keil**, Saginaw Valley State University**Participants**

An Analysis of the Mo Ibrahim Award for African Leadership and Achievement's Recipients

Trevor Nicholas Ward, Saginaw Valley State University

Corruption In West Africa: A Great Epidemic

Tochukwu Cynthia Madueke, Valdosta State University

Political Participation of Men and Women in Northern Ghana: Analysis from a Study of the Villages of Nangodi, Pelungu, and Dussi

Rachel Renee' Baranowski, Univeristy of Tampa

Explaining Variation in Development Outcomes: The RENI Factor

Michael Zoorob, Vanderbilt University**Discussant****Heather Hawn**, Mars Hill University

**2621***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 8***Identity, Nationalism, and Citizenship****Political Psychology****Chair**

Ilhan Can Ozen, Middle East Technical University

Participants

Self-Reliance and Citizenship: Using Surveys to Reveal Implicit Expectations Regarding American Citizens

Nicole Pankiewicz, University of Virginia

Understanding Social (In)Tolerance in Turkey

Ebru Altinoglu, Fatih University, Istanbul - Turkey

İçten Ural, Fatih University, Istanbul - Turkey

Discussants

Brittany Bramlett, University of Georgia

Ilhan Can Ozen, Middle East Technical University

2623*Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 10A***Social Cleavages and Development in the Americas****Caribbean and Latin American Politics****Chair**

Pamela N Waldron-Moore, Xavier University of Louisiana

Participants

Anti-Black Racial Stereotypes in the Coverage of Haiti in the Dominican Republic's Daily Newspapers: A Quantitative Content Analysis

Thomas Craemer, University of Connecticut

Samuel Martínez, University of Connecticut, Department of Anthropology and Institute for Latina/o, Caribbean and Latin American Studies

Sustainable Development in Rural Communities in Guatemala

Kirsten Kim Loutzenhiser, Troy University

The Impacts of the Stratification System in Colombia

Ana Maria Lopez, University of New Orleans

Theorizing Black Social Movements in Latin America: The Peruvian Case

John Thomas, University of Chicago

Discussant

John D. Van Doorn, Troy University

**2624***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 10B***Parties, Partisanship, and Elections****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Greg Shufeldt, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Participants

Eighteen Reasons Why the Democratic Party Needs to Learn the Lessons of the Machine

Nicholas W Easton, Asst. Professor

Electoral Cycle Fluctuations in Partisanship Intensity: Global Evidence

Kristin Michelitch, Vanderbilt University

Stephen Utych, Vanderbilt University

Polarization and Realignment in U.S. Presidential Elections

Mark J. Peterson, Pittsburg State University

The 1948 Realignment

Helmut Norpoth, Stony Brook University, SUNY

Discussant

Greg Shufeldt, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

2625*Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 11A***Presidential Campaigning and Public Opinion****Presidential/Executive Politics****Chair**

Wendy Whitman Cobb, Cameron University

Participants

The Obama Administration's Homeland Security Policy and the 2012 Campaign

Robert Pauly, University of Southern Mississippi

Jack Covarrubias, University of Southern Mississippi

Tom Lansford, University of Southern Mississippi

The Politics of Group Targeting in Presidential Campaign Advertisements

Jesse Hessler Rhodes, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Kaylee T. Johnson, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

The Medal of Honor as a Public Opinion Tool

Joe Walsh, Community Technical Resources

An Outsider's Rhetorical Paradox: Presidential Campaign Performance by former Governors since Watergate

Joseph Cobetto, University of Missouri, Columbia

Discussants

Michael J Faber, Texas State University

Andrew Douglas McNitt, Eastern Illinois University

**2626**

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm
Strand 11B

Public Policy and Political Networks**Political Networks****Chair**

Matthew Denny, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Participants

An Emerging Promise: Evolution of Network Structures during the Policy Development Process

Kimberly Martin, Tennessee Higher Education Commission

Impacts of federal funding program on network change among local governments in green economic development policy

Chang-Gyu Kwak, Florida State University

Congressional Networks and the Politics of Difference

Andrew Waugh, Tulane University

Dynamic Topic-Partitioned Multinetwork Embedding Models

Matthew Denny, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Bruce Desmarais, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Hanna Wallach, University of Massachusetts Amherst and Microsoft Research

The Social Network Logic in Chinese Leadership Succession

Yang Zhang, University of Iowa

Discussant

K. Amber Curtis, Clemson University

2627

Thursday
3:00pm-4:30pm
Strand 12

Strategic Planning Committee Meeting**Meetings****Participants**

Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University

Richard Forgette, University of Mississippi

Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University

David Rohde, Duke University

Catherine Estelle Rudder, George Mason University



2628

Thursday

3:00pm-4:30pm

Strand 13A

Intersectional Identities: Race, Gender, Ethnicity and Political Elites in American Politics**Women and Politics****Chair**

Sarah Gershon, Georgia State University

Participants

Charlene and Shirley: To Be Young, Gifted, Black and a Woman

Christina Greer, Fordham University

Race, Perceptions of Femininity and the Power of the First Lady: Comparative Analysis

Andra Gillespie, Emory University

Rebecca Hartsough, Emory University

A Tulsi by Any Other Name: An Analysis of South Asian American Support for a

Hindu Congressional Candidate

Shyam Krishnan Sriram, University of California at Santa Barbara

Race, Gender, Region, Representation and Anti-Abortion Policy:

A Perspective from Two Southern State Legislatures

LaTonya Williams, Johnson C. Smith University

The Pipeline of Latinas in Politics: The Trajectory of Hispanic Women Elected Officials

Carmen Burlingame, Central Michigan University

Ricardo Ramirez, University of Notre Dame

Discussant

Nadia Brown, Purdue University

This proposed panel brings together a series of papers concerned with how minority women negotiate politics in America. In spite of the growth in literature concerning women and minorities, research focused on the intersection of race/ethnicity and gender remains limited. The papers included in this panel examine the political experiences of African American, Latina and Asian American women leaders in the U.S. These papers are diverse in their methodological approaches and data sets, yet are united by a common interest in understanding the challenges faced by contemporary minority women in American politics. Greer's paper "Charlene and Shirley: To Be Young, Gifted, Black and a Woman" explores the campaigns of Charlene Mitchell and Shirley Chisholm, the first black women to run for the presidency, as well as their impact on the presidential campaigns of other minorities. Gillespie and Hartsough focus on the intersection of media, race and gender for some of America's most prominent un-elected leaders: first ladies. Sriram's paper examines the intersection of race, gender and religion, identifying voter support for hypothetical candidates of European and Indian origin and varying religious identities (Hindu vs Muslim). William's paper "Race, Gender, Region, Representation and Anti-Abortion Policy: A Perspective from Two Southern State Legislatures" examines variation in substantive representation among African American men and women. Burlingame and Ramirez's proposed paper focuses on the future of minority female representation by examining the pool of Latina candidates in the political 'pipeline.' This panel will contribute to the Women and Politics section at SPSA by bringing attention to the often-understudied population of minority women in politics. This panel, along with the other panel we are proposing- Intersectional Identities: Gender, Race, Ethnicity and Political Behavior in the U.S.- further contribute to the SPSA's theme of the 'conference within a conference', allowing participants to focus on the subject of intersectionality in American politics in depth.

**2629***Thursday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 13B***Elections in Southern States****Southern Politics****Participants**

Is Jeb Bush a Conservative? The Tea Party versus a Southern Governor

Matthew T. Corrigan, University of North Florida

Race and the Tea Party in the Palmetto State: Tim Scott and the 2014 Senate Elections in South Carolina

M. V. Hood, University of Georgia**Quentin Kidd**, Christopher Newport University**Irwin Morris**, University of Maryland, College Park

Minority Republicans in the Palmetto State

Scott Huffmon, Winthrop University**Heyward Knotts**, College of Charleston**Seth McKee**, Texas Tech University

The Futility of the Deep South Democrat? The 2014 Louisiana Senate Election: Senator Mary Landrieu versus Rep. Bill Cassidy

Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana, Monroe**Discussant****R. Bruce Anderson**, Florida Southern College

**2701**

Thursday
 4:45pm-6:15pm
 Bolden 1

The Far Right in Europe**Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations
Political Parties****Chair**

Kris Dunn, University of Leeds

Participants

How Identity can Influence the Rise of Anti-immigrant Far-right Party:
 Study on the Swedish Case

Nan Sae Bin, Seoul National University

Indicators of Impact in Measuring Radical Right-wing Party Effectiveness

Michelle Hale Williams, University of West Florida

Electoral Success of Right Wing Populist and Extremist Parties –

Challenges for European Democracies

Karin Liebhart, University of New Orleans, University of Vienna (Austria)

Issues versus Ideology in Party Competition: Racial Intolerance and the
 Right in 19 Democracies

Paula Ganga, Georgetown University

Hans Noel, Georgetown University

Discussant

Joshua D. Potter, Louisiana State University

2702

Thursday
 4:45pm-6:15pm
 Bolden 2

Roundtable - How to Make your Grant Proposal More Competitive**Research Programs, Grantsmanship, and Research Administration**

Experienced grant reviewers and proposal writers share their views on the key features that
 distinguish successful grant proposals from unsuccessful proposals.

Participants

Chris Bonneau, University of Pittsburgh

Shaun Bowler, University of California, Riverside

Sara Benesh, University of Wisconsin Milwaukee

LeaMarie Herron, West Virginia University

Maggie Penn, Washington University St. Louis

**2704**

Thursday
 4:45pm-6:15pm
 Bolden 4

Persuasion, Conflict, and Resistance in Politics and Behavior**Graduate Student Research and Career Development****Chair**

Lucas Llanso Puente, lpuente@stanford.edu

Participants

Contentious Spaces: An Analysis of Multiple Resistance Campaigns
 Sean Lee Welch, University of Louisville

Decentralized Federalism and Conflict: What Matters?
 Paula Pineda, University of Houston

The New President Election in Turkey and Its Effects on the Discussions of
 Government System Change
 Serap Gur, Louisiana State University

Discussant

Kimberly Deanna Gill, Columbus State University

2705

Thursday
 4:45pm-6:15pm
 Bolden 5

Methods for Studying Repeated Events**Political Methodology****Chair**

Robi Ragan, San Jose State University

Participants

Generalized Synthetic Control Method for Causal Inference in Time-Series
 Cross-Sectional Data

Yiqing Xu, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

The Annual Budget Myth: Analyzing Irregular Changes in TSCS Data
 Clayton M Webb, Texas A&M University

Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi

Trend Matching: Causal inference when trends affect treatments and outcomes
 Peter Drew Dimmery, NYU

Discussant

Robi Ragan, San Jose State University

**2706***Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 6***Partisan Bias and the News****Media and Politics****Chair**

Jeremy Padgett, University of Mobile

Participants

A Theoretical Framework for Evaluating Bias Accusations

Adam Schiffer, Texas Christian University

If a poll is released and Fox doesn't cover it, does it make a sound? Understanding partisan news bias in election poll coverage

Kathleen Searles, Louisiana State University

Martha Humphries Ginn, Georgia Regents University

What Drives Network Slant? Reexamining Supply and Demand in Fox News'

Ideological Coverage

Ian G. Anson, Indiana University, Bloomington

Benjamin Toll, Miami University (OH)

Discussant

Martin Johnson, Louisiana State University

2712*Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Foster 1***Elections and Congressional Behavior****Legislative Politics****Chair**

Wayne Steger, DePaul University

Participants

The Roots of Polarization in Congress: An Electoral Connection?

Matthew J Dickinson, Middlebury College

Katherine Ramsey Hamilton, Middlebury College

Legislative Communication: How Electoral Safety Moderates the Frequency and Kind of Messages Sent to Constituents

Krista Loose, MIT

Pork and Campaigning: Financial Benefits of Earmarking

Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University, Kingsville

Examining Incumbent Behavior Following Failure to Deter a Quality Challenger

Ryan D. Williamson, University of Georgia

Discussant

Logan Dancey, Wesleyan University

**2713***Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Foster 2***Reconsidering Rousseau****Political Theory****Chair**

Ralph C. Hancock, Brigham Young University

Participants

God and the Good Citizen: Rousseau and Plato on Civil Religion

Brent Edwin Cusher, Christopher Newport University

The Principle of Community and the General Will

John Robert Altick, College of Charleston

Discussant

Ralph C. Hancock, Brigham Young University

2714*Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Imperial 1***Public Opinion on Emerging Issues****Public Opinion****Chair**

Natasha Altema McNeely, University of Texas - Pan American

Participants

Framing and Policy Support for Hydraulic Fracturing: A Quasi-Experiment

Justin Bennett Bullock, The Bush School of Government and Public Service

Arnold Vedlitz, The Bush School of Government and Public Service

Speaking Out on Marriage Equality

Aaron Caffarel, Louisiana State University

Threat from the Border: Immigration and Public Opinion

Robert M. Worth, University of New Orleans

Who's in Charge? An Examination of Public Opinion on Climate Change Policy Management and Willingness to Pay

Tabitha Morton, The Bush School of Government and Public Service

Arnold Vedlitz, The Bush School of Government and Public Service

Discussant

Philip Paolino, University of North Texas

**2715***Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Imperial 2***Morality, Responsibility, and Democracy****Political Theory****Participants**

Democratic Responsibility and the Doctrine of Double Effect

Don Tontiplaphol, Harvard University

Disability and Equality: A Critique of Luck Egalitarianism

Amber Knight, Saint Louis University

Luck, Equality, and Social Status

Nicholas Barry, Department of Politics and Philosophy, La Trobe University

A Duty to Listen?

Emily Gustafson, University of Missouri-Columbia**Discussant****Gent Carrabregu**, Northwestern University**2716***Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Imperial 10***Gender Cues in State Legislatures and Primary Elections****Women and Politics****Chair****Olivia Newman**, Harvard University**Participants**

Are State Legislative Primaries Gendered?

Nathan Keith Mitchell, Prairie View A&M University

Leveling the Playing Field: How Policy Information Mediates Gender Cues in Primary Elections

Eric Loepp, University of Pittsburgh

The Role of Candidate Gender in State Legislative Campaign Fundraising

Rhonda Wrzenski, Indiana University Southeast

Let's Talk About States, Baby: A Contextual Examination of "Women-Friendly" Districts

Nicholas Pyeatt, Penn State, Altoona**Alixandra Yanus**, High Point University**Discussant****Andrea Kathryn Eckelman**, University of Houston

**2717**

Thursday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 1

Race, racialization**Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

The Descriptive Power of Hip-Hop: A Democratic Criticism of the Post-Racial Myth

Jared Anthony Loggins, Morehouse College

The Effectiveness of the Disproportionate Minority Contact Initiative in Mississippi: An Empirical Test for Overrepresentation

Ashley McKnight, University of Southern Mississippi

Underpinnings of Perceived Immigrant Threat

Nura Sedique, Duke University

Understanding the Spatial Dimensions of Welfare Racialization

Adam M Butz, California State University, Long Beach

Jason E Kehrberg, Muskingum University

2718

Thursday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 2

Courts and Public Policy**Judicial Politics****Chair**

Isaac Unah, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Participants

In the Eye of the Storm: Disaster Recovery and Judicial Administration after Hurricane Ivan

Meyer Levy, University of West Florida

Dorman Daniel, University of West Florida

Jocelyn Evans, University of West Florida

Interest Group Concentration and Employment Discrimination: The Decision to Litigate

Paul J Gardner, Princeton University

Judicial Decision Making in Cases dealing with the Patenting of Processes

Aniket Kesari, University of California, Berkeley

Judicial Partisanship in Voter Identification Litigation

Terri Peretti, Santa Clara University

The Policy Consequences of Recusals on the U.S. Supreme Court

Robert J. Hume, Fordham University

Discussant

Eve Ringsmuth, Oklahoma State University



2720

Thursday

4:45pm-6:15pm

Strand 7

Undergraduate Research in American Politics

Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching

Chair

Keith Lee, University of Florida

Discussant

Kristina M LaPlant, Georgia State University

This panel will feature research projects by undergraduates that analyze contemporary issues and themes in American government and politics.

2721

Thursday

4:45pm-6:15pm

Strand 8

Framing, Persuasiveness, and Attitudes

Political Psychology

Chair

William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University

Participants

Persuasion within Small Deliberative Groups: A Randomized Field Experiment on Fiscal Policy Discussion

Kevin Esterling, UC Riverside

Archon Fung, Harvard

Taeku Lee, University of California, Berkeley

Tell me something I don't know: An experimental investigation of novel frames and expert attitudes

Amelia C. Andrews, Purdue University

The Importance of Values for Hard and Easy Issues

Lauren R. Elliott, Ohio State University

The Role of the Spanish Language on Political Messages for the Latino Audience

Angel Saavedra Cisneros, The University of Texas - Pan American

**2722***Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 9***The Dance of Legislation****Public Policy****Chair**

Wendy Whitman Cobb, Cameron University

Participants

Economic Interests and Congressional Voting on Corporate Tax Issues in the U.S.

Mi Jeong Shin, Washington University in St. Louis

Opportunism or Politicization? Exploring Roll Call Votes on Space Policy

Alan Steinberg, Sam Houston State University

Why Does the Congress Maintain Support for Commodity Programs?

David Freshwater, University of Kentucky

Jordan Leising, University of Kentucky

How a Discharge Petition Overcame a Powerful Committee Chairman to Create an Airline Liability Policy

Melvin A. Kahn, Wichita State U.

Jonathan Piat, Wichita State University

Discussant

Wendy Whitman Cobb, Cameron University

2723*Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 10A***Regime Characteristics and Violence****International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Sophie Lee, Duke University

Participants

Economic Interdependence and Coup Occurrence

Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida

Enemies Within: Interactions Between Terrorists and Democracies

Casey Crisman-Cox, University of Rochester

Strongmen and the State: The Role of State-Society Interactions in the Presence of Terrorist Sanctuaries

Melia Pfannenstiel, Kansas State University

Discussants

Sophie Lee, Duke University

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

**2724***Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 10B***Primary Elections****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Sean A. Cain, Loyola University New Orleans

Participants

Ideological Extremism of U.S. Presidential Primary Candidates

Rachel Bitecofer, University of Georgia

Party Over Preference: Candidate Cutpoints and Strategic Voting in Primary Elections

Jarrod Kelly, University of Pittsburgh

Reclassifying State Primary Elections: Restrictiveness as a New Measure

Drew A Kurlowski, University of Missouri

U.S. Presidential Nomination: Predicting Winners and Losers

Sam Elliott, John Brown University

Discussant

Sean A. Cain, Loyola University New Orleans

2726*Thursday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 11B***Social Networks in Political Behavior****Political Networks****Chair**

David Redlawsk, Rutgers University

Participants

A Social Network Analysis of Self-Identification

K. Amber Curtis, Clemson University

Social Networks on Adolescent Political Communication and Participation

YunJoo Lee, Seoul National University

Emotions and Motivated Reasoning in Discussant Networks

David Redlawsk, Rutgers University

Cengiz Erisen, TOBB University

Elif Erisen, Hacettepe University

Politics at the Water-Cooler: A Field Experiment on Information Transmission in Workplace Social Networks

Christopher B Mann, Louisiana State University

Genevieve Mayhew, University of Maryland

Discussant

Andrew Waugh, Tulane University

**2728**

Thursday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 13A

Dynamics of Insecurity and Instability in Africa**International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Takaaki Masaki, Cornell University

Participants

Understanding the Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of Coup d'états in Africa: 1960-2012

Allan Wilford, University of Tennessee

Assessing the role of State Capacity: The Deleterious effects of Violent Extremist Organizations in Africa

Orlandrew Eion Danzell, Mercyhurst University

Boko Haram and the new crisis of terroristic threats in Africa: Assessing options to vitiate the menace.

Napoleon Bamfo, Valdosta State University

Boko Haram Insurgency: The nexus between the Chibok Girls Kidnap and 2015 Elections in Nigeria

Lysias Dodd Gilbert, Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

China Takes Africa: Challenges to Long-term Viability and United States' Hegemony

Taylor Brittan Edwards, Georgia College

Discussants

Julie Ann Keil, Saginaw Valley State University

Takaaki Masaki, Cornell University

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Thursday
6:00pm-7:00pm
Empire C & D

APSA President's Address**Meetings****Participants**

Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University

2908

Thursday
7:00pm-9:00pm
Empire C & D

APSA Awards Presentation / SPSA Welcoming Reception**Meetings****Participants**

Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

SPSA Award recipients will be recognized for their accomplishment. Reception to follow.

**3930***Friday**7:00am-6:00pm**Strand Foyer***Registration - Friday****Meetings****3130***Friday**7:30am-6:30pm**Strand Foyer***Exhibit Hall - Friday****Meetings****3101***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 1***Influences on Judicial Behavior: The Federal Judicial Hierarchy****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Paul M. Collins, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

ParticipantsSignaling and Counter-Signaling in the Judicial Hierarchy: An Empirical Analysis of
En Banc Review

Deborah Beim, Yale University

Alexander Hirsch, California Institute of Technology

Jonathan Kastlelec, Princeton University

Vertical Influences on Judicial Decision Making in the Federal Courts

Christopher Zorn, Penn State

With Age Comes Wisdom: Supreme Court Reversal of Circuit Court Judges

Sara C. Benesh, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

Strategic Conflict

Deborah Beim, Yale University

Kelly Rader, Yale University

Statutory Fixes to Constitutional Problems: An Evaluation of the Survival and Impact of
Policy-Based Responses to the Supreme Court's Constitutional Decisions

Bethany Blackstone, University of North Texas

Discussants

Wendy Martinek, Binghamton University

James Spriggs, Washington University in St. Louis

**3102***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 2*
The Change of Political Participation, Social Trust and National Identity in Asia - China and Taiwan in a New Era of Globalization
Comparative Politics: Developing Areas
Chair

Lu Chung Dennis Weng, Wesleyan University

Participants

Political Sophistication and Political Participation in Taiwan

Ching Hsing Wang, University of Houston

Presidentialism, Democratic Attitude, and Protest Behaviors in East and Southeast Asian Democracies

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Comparing Measurements of Inter-temporal Choice in Political Science

Austin Wang, Duke University

Pursue American Dream with What Identity? A Qualitative Analysis of National Identity of Chinese Student Who Study in the United States

Yi-En Tso, University of Texas at Dallas

China-Taiwan Relations and Taiwan's Economic Policy toward China

Chien-Kai Chen, Rhodes College

Discussants

Stan Hok-wui Wong, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Karl Ho, University of Texas, Dallas

Yunda Eddie Feng, Weatherford College

This panel will weave together three important themes in Asian politics: political participation, social trust, and national identity. Focusing on China and Taiwan, the five papers address different ways of understanding of the political development in a new era of globalization. Though the topic of democratization in East Asia has received a great deal of scholarly attention this panel offers several new insights by examining new data, asking new questions, applying new approach to existing puzzles, and paying attention to formerly unheard voices. All five papers examine various aspects of these three themes in East Asia with a comparative perspective. Presenter #1's paper attempts to investigate the relationship between political sophistication and political participation in Taiwan, and expects to provide insights into the effects of political sophistication on political participation in Taiwan and compensate for the inadequacy of the research on political sophistication in Taiwan. Presenter #2's paper centers on investigating the relationship between types of protest behaviors and democratic attitude. The results indicate that hard protest behaviors are negatively associated with democratic attitude, whereas soft protest strategies have a positive effect on democratic attitude. Presenter #3's paper aims to seek answers to a relative new research question in political science: What is the time discounting rate of citizens, and its influence on politics and democracy? By attempting to apply the idea of time discounting rate in Asian politics, this article first reviews the measures of inter-temporal choice, mostly in economics and psychology, and categorizes them into three groups: money-based, space-based, and network-based. Result shows that money-based and space-based items have no expected correlation with democratic value, group cohesion, and social capacity. Presenter #4's paper uses a qualitative approach to develop an in-depth understanding of Asian students who are studying abroad in the US and see how the environment affects their national identity. In this research, a strong cultural identification is observed to differentiate Asian students in the US with the Asian American students. Such identification also affects the Asian students' attitudes toward their life in the US. Presenter #5's paper examines whether and how the relationships between countries affect their economic ties by conducting an in-depth qualitative case study of the impact of China-Taiwan relations on Taiwan's economic policy toward China. By tracing the development of China-Taiwan relations and the policy change with regard to cross-strait economic ties during the former President Lee Teng-hui's and former President Chen Shui-bian's Administrations, this paper argues that it is, among other things, the increasingly tense in the China-Taiwan relations that encouraged Lee and Chen to adopt an anti-openness policy at the end. These examinations strive to enhance our understanding of various perspectives of political development in Asia, China and Taiwan in particular. Through this panel, we hope to demonstrate that China and Taiwan may provide a lot of new insights for enduring puzzles in comparative political studies.



3103

Friday

8:00am-9:30am

Bolden 3

Community and Public Reason in Contemporary Political Thought

Political Theory

Chair

Mark Griffith, Univ. of West Alabama

Participants

Habermasian Reflections on Solidarity: Elements of a Theoretical Account

Gent Carrabregu, Northwestern University

Reimagining the Idea of Public Reason

Mohamad Al-Hakim, Florida Gulf Coast University

The Core of Classical Liberalism: Steven Pinker's Reinterpretation of Modern Politics

Jeremy Fortier, Clemson University

Discussant

Don Tontiplaphol, Harvard University

**3104****Group Mobilization in Comparative Perspective***Friday***Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization***8:00am-9:30am***Participants***Bolden 4*

A Case Study: Teens' Linguistic Paradigm & Language Repertoire through Political Socialization in South Taiwan

Peter Kao, National Chung Cheng University

The Inside is Out and The Outside is In: Women Union Members, Women Elected Representatives, and the Closing of the Gender Wage Gap in Wealthy Democracies

Eric Graig Castater, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Amnah Husain Ibraheem, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Varieties of Transnationalism: An Analysis of Less Visible Activities among European Migrant Inclusion Organizations

Melissa Schnyder, American Public University

3105**The Design of Human Rights Treaties and Influence on Repression***Friday***International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights***8:00am-9:30am***Participants***Bolden 5*

Shame on Who? Examining the Economic Side of Naming and Shaming

Steven Walter, University of Georgia

Let's Make a Deal! Bloc Voting and Bribery at the UN Human Rights Council

Brett Allen Casper, New York University

Unpacking Protection: The Informative Power of Human Rights Treaty Mechanisms

Sinh Nguyen, Purdue University

**3106**

Friday
8:00am-9:30am
Bolden 6

Roundtable on The Southern ACA Experience: Recent Developments and Future Possibilities

President's Special Panels Public Policy

Participants

Robert Crew, Florida State University
 Glen Mays, University of Kentucky
 Michael Rich, Emory University
 Carol S. Weissert, Florida State University
 William G. Weissert, Florida State University

Chair

Christopher Plein, West Virginia University

This roundtable will feature discussion and analysis of state level implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA), with special attention given to matters of politics, administration, and intergovernmental relations. The participants are all involved in a nationwide study of ACA that has been organized by the Nelson A. Rockefeller Institute of Government (State University of New York) in cooperation with the Brookings Institution and the Fels Institute of Government at the University of Pennsylvania. An overview report and individual state studies and other information can be accessed at www.rockinst.org. The participants will provide overviews of state experiences in ACA implementation and will give updates on recent trends.

3112

Friday
8:00am-9:30am
Foster 1

The Development of Interest Group Networks Interest Groups, Advocacy, and Political Mobilization

Participants

Activism in the Digital Age: Evidence from Freedom Indiana's Twitter Feed
 Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College
 Joshua Bleisch, Wabash College
 Nathan Bode, Wabash College
 Dylan Miller, Wabash College

The Peacetime G.I. Bill and the Politics of the Veterans' Benefit Coalition

Melinda Rae Tarsi, Bridgewater State University

The Red Queen and the Founding of Gay and Lesbian Rights Interest Groups in the United States, 1945-2006

Anthony Nownes, University of Tennessee

**3113****Experiments on Accountability and Leader Influence***Friday***Political Methodology***8:00am-9:30am***Chair***Foster 2***Christian R Grose**, University of Southern California**Participants**

The determinants of local leader influence in elections: a lab-in-the-field experiment in Senegal

Jessica Gottlieb, Texas A&M University

Expertise and Efficacy in Elite Political Decision Making

Peter Loewen, University of Toronto**Lior Sheffer**, University of Toronto

Sources of Authoritarian Accountability: A Field Experiment in China

Jidong Chen, Princeton University**Jennifer Pan**, Harvard University**Yiqing Xu**, Massachusetts Institute of Technology**Discussant****Holger Kern**, Florida State University

These papers examine representation and accountability among political elites using field experiments and survey experiments across the globe (China, Senegal, Israel, Belgium, and Canada). The papers examine behavioral components of decision-making by candidates and public officials in democracies and authoritarian regimes.



3114

Friday

8:00am-9:30am

*Imperial 1***Sacralizing the Constitution: reason, revelation, reverence and the quest for American Sovereignty****Political Theory****Participants**

God, Law and Nation; or Sacred Sovereignty from the King's Two Body's to the People's Writ
Pamela Edwards, Jack Miller Center

Finding (a Protestant) Christ in the Constitution

Maura Jane Farrelly, Brandeis University

"Lincoln's Civil Theology?"

Steven Smith, Yale University

Arguing With Scripture: The Modern Paradox of a Sacred Constitution

Drew A Kurlowski, University of Missouri

This roundtable will consider the relationships between political ideas, religious language, and political behavior as regards the Constitutional legacies of the American Founding. It will consider the deep contexts of what has been a persistent ecclesio-political discourse of American Constitutionalism from its 18th century origins to the contemporary landscape of American Juridical and Constitutional debate. In 1987, as part of the Mormon Church's celebration of the bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution, the church's president, Ezra Taft Benson, famously remarked: "I reverence the Constitution of the United States as a sacred document. To me, its words are akin to the revelations of God." Benson's statement was an overt acknowledgement of an attitude that implicitly animated – and continues to animate – many Americans' understanding of their country's constitution and its founding more generally. Some historians and political theorists believe this reverence for America's founding documents is an important component of a "foundationalism" that is essential to America's survival as a country that was constructed out of an idea – that is, the idea of liberty. Others believe the sacralizing of the Constitution has hindered the amending process and, in so doing, turned America's foundation into a rigid bedrock that betrays the flexibility responsible for constitutionalism's survival in the United States throughout a two-hundred-year period that included civil war. From the polemic of the revolution and the high language of the Declaration, through the ratification of the constitution, to Lincoln's reinvention of tradition at Gettysburg and the second Inaugural we will consider the eighteenth and nineteenth-century transformations of what might be styled as a distinctively American idea of reverential constitutionalism. Such a paradoxical formulation necessarily suggests implications – both positive and negative – for the science of government in the late twentieth and early twenty-first centuries. It also begs consideration of a deeper controversy at the heart of constitutional and scriptural interpretation. Whether sacred writ is subject to fixed or static interpretations of meaning, all be they disputed, or open to exegetical contestation as a form of emergent theodicy. In secular parlance, we will consider whether law is a matter of original intent and strict interpretation or whether it is to be understood through the lens of human practices, customs and uses, mediated by time. But we will do so by placing that question in the wider frame of a longer ecclesio-political debate about the nature of sovereign authority and the foundations of legitimate power.

**3115****Citizenship in Ancient Political Thought***Friday***Political Theory***8:00am-9:30am**Imperial 2***Chair****Brent Edwin Cushner**, Christopher Newport University**Participants**

A Note on the Significance of Timaeus' Locrian Citizenship

Veronica Roberts, Princeton University

An Analysis of Equality, Freedom, and Citizenship in Aristotle's Politics and the American Founding

Nam Nguyen, University of North Texas

Performing Political Rhetoric in Ancient Athens

Dustin Gish, University of Houston, Honors College

Is Justice Good?: Platonic References in Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics 5.

James Guest, University of Dallas**Discussant****Brent Edwin Cushner**, Christopher Newport University**3116****Contemporary Challenges in Foreign Relations in Asia***Friday***International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights***8:00am-9:30am**Imperial 10***Participants**

China's Emerging Role in Global Science and Technology: Implications for US-China Scientific and Technological Cooperation

Zhu Zhang, Tulane University

Russia and China in the Arctic and Beyond: A Marriage of Convenience or an Alliance in the Making?

Thomas E. Rotnem, Southern Polytechnic State University

The Imbalance of China's Foreign Policy to Central Asia

Yongjae Lee, Florida international university

Predicting the Unpredictable: Text Analysis of North and South Korean News Media

Sophie Lee, Duke University**Benjamin J Radford**, Duke University

**3117***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 1***Public Policy and Political Theory****Political Theory****Chair**

Michael Benjamin Jones, Mount Aloysius College

Participants

A Jewish Approach to Prison Reform

Shlomo Bolts, Syrian American Council; TAG Institute for Jewish Social Values

Caring about Rights: Personification and Abstraction in the Same-Sex Marriage Debate

Laura Back, University of Washington

Hayek on the Limits of Democracy: The Case of the ACA's Contraceptive Mandate

Steven Barracca, Eastern Kentucky University

Public Administration and the Classical Liberal Perspective. Criticism, Clarifications and Reconstruction

Paul Aligica, George Mason University

Discussant

Kyle Scott, University of Houston

3118*Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 2***The Supreme Court and the Separation of Powers****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Patrick Wohlfarth, University of Maryland, College Park

Participants

Administrative Court Curbing: Analyzing Congressional Attempts to Insulate the Presidency from Judicial Oversight

Henry Tecklenburg, Austin Peay State University

How Presidents Control Judges

Mark Beougher, Western Michigan University

Placing the Ball in Congress' Court: Congressional Responses to Supreme Court Requests

Douglas Rice, University of Mississippi

Reassessing the 'Passive Virtues': Member Lawsuits and Presidential War Powers

Jasmine Farrier, University of Louisville

The Impact of the Solicitor General as Amicus Curiae on Supreme Court Decision Making

John M. Scheb, University of Tennessee

David Scott, Tusculum College

Richard L. Pacelle, University of Tennessee

Discussant

Morgan Hazelton, Saint Louis University

**3120***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 7***Author Meet Critics: John Kyle Day's Southern Manifesto****Southern Politics****Author**

John Kyle Day, University of Arkansas at Monticello

Chair

Angie Maxwell, University of Arkansas

Critics

Lauren Cohen Bell, Randolph-Macon College

Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

Cole Graham, Texas A&M University

John Kyle Day, author of *The Southern Manifesto: Massive Resistance and the Fight to Preserve Segregation*, meets critics.

3121*Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 8***Freedom, Community, and the Market****Political Theory****Chair**

William Sokoloff, University of Texas, Pan American

Participants

Freedom, Efficiency, and the Market

Larry M Preston, Graduate College, Union Institute & University

Hayek on Planning and Dignity

Jonathan Maiorano, Montclair State University

Walker Percy and the Incompleteness of Community

Brian A Smith, Montclair State University

Discussant

Mario Feit, Georgia State University

**3123***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 10A***Public Budgeting and Financial Management****Public Administration****Chair**

Joe Saviak, Flagler College

Participants

Budgeting to Save the Planet: Why current budgetary practices in the US will not lead to a sustainable future

Jessica DeShazo, California State University Los Angeles

Effects of Natural Disasters on Local Government Finance: Window of Opportunity or Burden?

Orkhan Ismayilov, University of North Texas

Simon A. Andrew, University of North Texas

Ordering Chaos: The Performance Consequences of Budgetary Changes

Carla Flink, The University of Texas at San Antonio

The impact of slack resources on expenditures in Illinois counties from 2000 - 2010

LaShonda M. Stewart, Southern Illinois University

John A. Hamman, Southern Illinois University

Discussant

James Craig Clinger, Murray State University

3124*Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 10B***Youth Participation and Compulsory Voting****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Joshua D. Potter, Louisiana State University

Participants

Abstaining is More Exciting: Risky Behavior and Compulsory Voting Laws

Joshua D Hostetter, Louisiana State University

Differentiation in Vote Behavior between Age Groups and Political Socialization

Kabcheol Kim, Political Science Major, Department of Political Science and International Relations, Seoul National University

More than a Bracket: State Election Administrative Reforms and Youth Voter Participation

Thessalia Merivaki, University of Florida

Enrijeta Shino, University Of Florida

What's So Mandatory about Compulsory Voting? Compulsory Voting and

Electoral Turnout, 1970-2012

Adriana Boersner Herrera, University of Missouri

James W Endersby, University of Missouri

Jonathan T. Krieckhaus, University of Missouri

Discussant

Joshua D. Potter, Louisiana State University

**3125****New Directions in Political Science***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 11A***Program Chair's Panels****Chair**

Alfonso Sanchez, University of New Orleans

Participants

At Least it's an Ethos: Nationalism in the Era of the War on Terror

J. Brent Duke, University of Memphis

Black Robes in the Political Thicket: Judicial Redistricting, Political Entanglement, and Electoral Effects

Jordan Carr Peterson, University of Southern California

Degrading Democracy: The Effect of Deficient Sources of Political Information on American Democracy

Daniel Bernard Bollich, University of Louisiana at Lafayette

Evolution: the Globalizing Threat

Sean Bradley Rogers, University of Florida

Is Nuclear-Zero a Logically Achievable Goal?

Ali Sanaei, University of Michigan

3128**The Gendered Political Pipeline in the US***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 13A***Women and Politics****Chair**

Laura Merrifield Albright, University of Indianapolis

Participants

Clogged Pipeline: Lessons on Women's Access to the Political Pipeline from the After JD Study

Kimberly Saks McManaway, Wayne State University

How to Elect More Women: Gender and Candidate Success in a Field Experiment

Christopher Karpowitz, Brigham Young University

Quin Monson, Brigham Young University

Jessica Preece, Brigham Young University

Raising Political Women: Exploring the Relationship Between Gender, Partisanship, and Religious Identification

Alixandra Yanus, High Point University

Discussant

Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University

This panel will examine the nature of gendered pipelines to public office in the US, including lower-level offices and presence in law partnerships.

**3129***Friday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 13B***The Anatomy of Terrorist and Insurgent Groups' Recruits and Supporters****International Politics: Conflict and Security****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Chair**

Lysias Dodd Gilbert, Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

Participants

Who Supports terrorism? A Comparative Study of Terrorist Resource Networks

Srobana Bhattacharya, Georgia Southern University

Militarized Men and Hegemonic Masculinities: A Comparative Analysis of the Lord's Resistance Army and Boko Haram

Jessica Nicole Casimir, University of Florida

Women Warriors: Gender Equality and Terrorism

Isabel Ranner, University of Pittsburgh

Patriot or Terrorist? : Assessing the Potential to Transition from former Combatants to Political Actors

Carol Strong, University of Arkansas at Monticello

Discussants

Lysias Dodd Gilbert, Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

Jonathon Patrick Whooley, University of Florida

3201*Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 1***Influences on Judicial Behavior: Courts and Public Opinion****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Micheal Giles, Emory University

Participants

Measuring Knowledge of the Courts

Ryan Black, Michigan State University

Anne Lippert, University of Kentucky

Justin Wedeking, University of Kentucky

The Political Court?

Tom Hansford, University of California, Merced

Chanita Intawan, University of California, Merced

Stephen P. Nicholson, University of California, Merced

Following or Floating? How Public Opinion Influences Supreme Court Decisions

Alison Higgins, Texas A&M University

Joseph Ura, Texas A&M University

Public Opinion in the U.S. Courts of Appeals

Ryan Owens, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Patrick Wohlfarth, University of Maryland, College Park

Ranking and Legitimacy: Are the Courts Truly 'Most-Liked'?

Shawn C. Fettig, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

Discussants

Kevin T. McGuire, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Sara C. Benesh, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

**3202***Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 2***Social Welfare Provisions: Top-down and Bottom-up Approaches****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Michael David Shea, Georgia State University

Participants

Political Trust, Justice Beliefs, and Attitudes toward Redistribution in East Asian Countries

Yi-Bin Chang, University of Texas at Dallas

Ching Hsing Wang, University of Houston

Poverty and Social Spending in the Middle East

Chantel VE Raymond, Saginaw Valley State University

Provision of Child Welfare Services: U.S. and China

Quintus R Jett, Rutgers University

Robert Shick, Rutgers University

Resistance to harm reduction programs in the HIV/AIDS epidemic: the role of national epistemic communities.

Elena Sokolova, Temple University

Discussant

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University

3203*Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 3***Science in Modern Political Thought****Political Theory****Chair**

Tom Joseph Hoffman, Spring Hill College

Participants

Retired and Secret: Francis Bacon on Government and Science

Erin A Dolgoy, Rhodes College

Natural Remedies vs. Modern Medicine: Rousseau's Critique of Doctors and Modern Science in the Emile

Benjamin Isaak Gross, University of North Texas

"Increase and Diffusion of Knowledge": Constructing the Relation of the Smithsonian Institution to Politics, 1835-1866

Robert Kaufman Adcock, George Washington University

Discussant

William S Harvard, Louisiana State University



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3204

Friday

9:45am-11:15am

Bolden 4

How's and Why's of Party Manifestos Business Meeting

Conference within a Conference: How's and Why's of Party Manifestos

3205

Friday

9:45am-11:15am

Bolden 5

Global Perspectives on Human Rights and Repression

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Participants

Title: Militarization of Policing and Human Rights Violations: A Case of Bangladesh

Md. Kamal Uddin, City University of Hong Kong

Witchcraft: the Paradox of a Social Disease

Roxane E. Richter, Univ. of the Witwatersrand

**3206****The Politics of State ACA Implementation Choices**

Friday
9:45am-11:15am
Bolden 6

President's Special Panels
Public Policy

Chair

Colleen Grogan, University of Chicago

Participants

Explaining state differences in the implementation of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act: a South/non-South comparison

Rick Travis, Mississippi State University

John Charles Morris, Old Dominion University

Martin Mayer, Old Dominion University

Robert Kenter, Old Dominion University

David A. Breaux, Delta State University

Evaluating Enrollment in the Affordable Care Act's Health Insurance Marketplaces: Testing the 3Cs Conceptual Framework

William P. Brandon, University of North Carolina Charlotte

Hollie L. Tripp, Public Policy PhD Program, UNC Charlotte

Who gets to decide? Inter-branch conflict over implementing Obamacare in Idaho, Michigan, Mississippi, and New Mexico

David K. Jones, Boston University

Demonstration waivers before the age of Obama

Philip M. Singer, University of Michigan

Medicaid expansion in a litmus state: The Missouri struggle

Jim Brasfield, Webster University

Discussant

Sue Tolleson-Rinehart, University of North Carolina, Chapel hill

This panel features a set of papers presenting diverse perspectives on the particular dynamics of state policymaking for, and political choices about, health care delivery and finance. The papers target the health exchanges, Medicaid expansion, state inter-branch conflict, and prior policy history, ranging from single state case studies to nationwide interstate comparisons.

3212

Authors Meet Critics: Congress in Black and White Race and Representation in Washington and at Home

Friday
9:45am-11:15am
Foster 1

Legislative Politics
Race, Ethnicity, and Politics

Author

Christian R Grose, University of Southern California

Critics

Kerry Haynie, Duke University

Eric McDaniel, University of Texas, Austin

Heyward Knotts, College of Charleston

**3213***Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Foster 2***Field Experiments of the External Monitoring of Political Elites****Political Methodology****Chair**

Daniel M. Butler, Washington University in St. Louis

Participants

The Effects of Federal and State Audits on Municipal Accountability Systems:
A Randomized Controlled Trial

Ana De La O, Yale University

Transparency and Compliance in the Colombian Tutela: Results of a Field Experiment

Jeff Stanton, Emory University

Discussant

Quintin Beazer, Florida State University

These papers examine the role of auditing elected officials using field experiments. They examine whether monitoring of public officials changes political and policy behavior in Latin America.

3214*Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Imperial 1***Debating Thomas Piketty's "Capital in the Twenty-First Century"****Political Theory****Chair**

David Lewis Schaefer, College of the Holy Cross

Participants

Piketty's "Capital": A Philosophic Critique

David Lewis Schaefer, College of the Holy Cross

What if Piketty is Right?

Thomas R. Gottschang, Holy Cross

"Social justice and the rentier in Picketty's Capital in the Twenty-First Century"

Sean Ingham, university of georgia

On Piketty's Capital

Donald Brand, College of Holy Cross

Roundtable on the bestseller "Capital in the Twenty-First Century"

**3215****Alliances, Bargaining, and Signaling in Times of War and Peace****International Politics: Conflict and Security****Participants**

Balancing Alliances: France's Geopolitical Shift while in NATO and the CFSP

Rebecca Howard, U.S. Senate

Regime Types, Alliances, and Asymmetric Bargaining

Douglas Bryan Atkinson, University of Georgia**Filip Viskupic**, University of Georgia

Shadow Balancing

John Furman Daniel, George Washington University

Unsettled Borders, Power Endowments and Costly Signaling

Toby James Rider, Texas Tech University

Centralized Command and Coalition Success in War

Daniel S Morey, University of Kentucky**Discussant****Kelly McHugh**, Florida Southern College

Friday
9:45am-11:15am
Imperial 2

3216**New Survey Research on Public Opinion in International Relations****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Participants**

Increase in South Korea-China bilateral trade and its effect on South Koreans' view toward China

Alec Seung Chung, University of Florida

The Ethnic Connection: Economic Preferences & Cultural Affinity

Antwain T. Leach, University of Mississippi

Global Citizens' Perceptions of Obama and Putin

Nikola Mirilovic, University of Central Florida**Myunghye Kim**, University of Central Florida

Friday
9:45am-11:15am
Imperial 10

**3217***Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 1***Authors Meet Critics: Seeking the Promised Land****Religion and Politics****Author**

David Campbell, University of Notre Dame

John C. Green, University of Akron

Quin Monson, Brigham Young University

Chair

Ryan L Claassen, Kent State University

Critics

Laura R. Olson, Clemson University

Steven Snell, Princeton University

Matthew Wilson, Southern Methodist University

3218*Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 2***Constitutional Law****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Robert J. Hume, Fordham University

Participants

“Constructing Constitutional Politics: The Reconstruction Experience”

Mark Graber, University of Maryland Carey School of Law

Beyond Personal Distaste: Justice Alito’s Principled Approach to First Amendment

Freedom of Speech

Deborah A O’Malley, Baylor University

In re Neagle: What is the meaning of the Word Law?

Tom Mcinnis, University of Central Arkansas

The “Other” Switch in Time: The Conservative Defense of the New Deal Constitution

Richard Alexander Izquierdo, Georgetown University Law Center

Popular Constitutionalism in the States

Alan Tarr, Rutgers University-Camden

**3220**
Challenges and Opportunities for Mentoring Undergraduate Research: A Faculty Roundtable
Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching
Participants

Carol Strong, University of Arkansas at Monticello
 Geoffrey Peterson, University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire
 R. Bruce Anderson, Florida Southern College
 Frank Niles, John Brown University

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.

Friday
9:45am-11:15am
Strand 7

3221
Author Meets Readers, Joan Wolf, "Is Breast Best? Taking on the Breastfeeding Experts and the New High Stakes of Motherhood"
Women and Politics
Author

Joan Wolf, Texas A&M University

Chair

Melissa Haussman, Carleton University

Critics

Karen Kedrowski, Winthrop University
 Cynthia Daniels, Rutgers University
 Erin Taylor, Cornell University
 Leanne Doherty, Simmons College

Friday
9:45am-11:15am
Strand 8

**3223***Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 10A***Managing Public Organizations: Strategies and Performance****Public Administration****Chair**

Claudia N Avellaneda, Indiana University

Participants

Do Public-Private Differences Matter? Managerial Characteristics and Organizational Performance

Amanda Rutherford, Texas A&M University

Claire E. Stieg, Texas A&M University

Environmental Complexity, Managerial Strategy and Organizational Performance

Kristen M Carroll, Texas A&M University

Ken Meier, Texas A&M University

Is the Performance Effect of Management Underestimated? Comparing Public Managers' and Front-line Employees' Perceptions of Management

Nathan Favero, Texas A&M University

Simon Calmar Andersen, Aarhus University

Ken Meier, Texas A&M University

Laurence J O'Toole Jr., University of Georgia

Soeren C Winter, SFI - The Danish National Centre for Social Research

Strategic Management: Much Ado about Nothing?

Amanda Rutherford, Texas A&M University

George A. Boyne, Cardiff University

Ken Meier, Texas A&M University

Discussant

Claudia N Avellaneda, Indiana University

3224*Friday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 10B***The Media and Elections****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University

Participants

A Last-Minute Cue in a High-Information Setting: An Experimental Investigation of the Effect of The New York Times Presidential Endorsement

Gregory Neddenriep, Northeastern Illinois University

Anthony Nownes, University of Tennessee

An Analysis of Presidential Campaign Ads: 1952-2012

Joseph Lee Wert, Indiana University Southeast

Biased News and Political Learning During Elections

Dimitri Kelly, Linfield College

Television vs. Twitter: Amplification or Different Message Altogether?

Allison Pingley, University of South Carolina Upstate

Discussant

Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University

**3225****A New Generation Takes Over: Meet the JOP Editorial Board***Friday***Program Chair's Panels***9:45am-11:15am***Participants***Strand 11A*

Lisa Ellis, University of Otago
 Sean Gailmard, University of California, Berkeley
 Lanny Martin, Rice University
 Jennifer Merolla, Claremont Graduate University
 William Reed, University of Maryland

Chair

Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia

3228**Gender, Negotiation, and Compensation: Creating and Maintaining Pay Equity in Political Science***Friday***Women and Politics***9:45am-11:15am***Participants***Strand 13A*

Wendy Gunther-Canada, University of Alabama, Birmingham
 Barbara Palmer, Baldwin Wallace University
 Karen Kedrowski, Winthrop University

Chair

Karen O'Connor, American University

It has been widely documented that American women, on average, make 77 cents for each dollar earned by their male counterparts. While the causes of these gender gaps are varied and diverse, the important roles of individual advocacy and salary negotiation cannot be ignored. Administrators, department chairs, university committees, and professional associations may also be important advocates for female faculty members. This panel draws on the diverse experiences of women in the profession to explore both the progress women have made in the academy and the compensation challenges that continue to face female faculty members today.



3229

Friday

9:45am-11:15am

Strand 13B

Comparative Foreign Policy Making in the Authoritarian Context (1): Domestic Politics and International Relations**International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University

Participants

Dynamics of China's Official Nationalism and Disputes over the History Issue with Japan

Naoko Eto, Keio University, Japan

The Sources of Chinese Opinion on Foreign Aid

Barry Hashimoto, New York University

A Social Origin of Electoral Support for Authoritarian Regimes: A Case Study of Chinese Immigrants in Hong Kong

Stan Hok-wui Wong, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Wai-man Lam, University of Hong Kong

Ngok Ma, Chinese University of Hong Kong

The Media and Foreign Policy Making in Autocracies

Mohammad Tababar, Texas A&M University

Discussant

Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University

Although most of the human beings have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. Foreign policy making is no exception. The papers in this "conference in the conference" try to fill this hole in studies of international relations and comparative politics. We will try to answer the following questions. Is foreign policy making in authoritarian countries different from one in democratic countries? If so, how? The literature of comparative politics has found that authoritarian rulers primarily focus on the regime's survival by using every means possible, including coercive, institutional, and repressive means. Do these efforts for the regime's survival influence foreign policy making of those authoritarian countries? If so, how? Currently, China, an authoritarian country, has emerged as one of the most important countries in the world, and U.S.-China relations have arguably become the most important bilateral international relationship in the world. Moreover, since the movement called the Arab Spring, the U.S. relationship with the Middle Eastern countries has been much more complicated than in the past. What implications does foreign policy making in the authoritarian context have on U.S. foreign policy making? To answer these questions, the papers in the panels draw empirical evidence from politics in China, the Middle East, and other authoritarian countries. Panel 1 focuses on the interactions between foreign policy making and domestic politics (especially public opinion, media, and elections) in authoritarian countries. Panel 2 explores the role of the military and its relationship with other governmental organizations in the authoritarian regime, and discusses the implications on international relations involving authoritarian countries. Panel 3 focuses on China's political economic policies (such as energy, foreign direct investment, and urbanization) and their implications on world politics and economy.

**3327****Annual Business Meeting of the SPSA***Friday***Meetings***11:00am-12:00pm**Strand 12***Participants**

Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University
 Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
 Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University
 William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University
 David Lewis, Vanderbilt University
 Judith Baer, Texas A&M University
 Larry C Dodd, University of Florida
 Kelly D. Patterson, Brigham Young University
 Lee D. Walker, University of South Carolina
 Sue Tolleson-Rinehart, University of North Carolina, Chapel hill
 Richard Forgette, University of Mississippi
 Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa
 Marc Hetherington, Vanderbilt University
 Stella Rouse, University of Maryland
 B. D'Andra Orey, Jackson State University
 D Sunshine Hillygus, Duke University
 Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri
 Robert Howard, Georgia State University

*12:00pm-1:00pm**Empire C***Awards Presentation and Reception**

**3401***Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 1***Influences on Judicial Behavior: Alternative Influences on Judicial Behavior****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Pamela Corley, Southern Methodist University

Participants

Race and Judging on the Courts of Appeals: Panel Effects in Death Penalty Cases

Jonathan Kastellec, Princeton University

Judging with Personality: The Influence of Personality Traits on
Supreme Court Decision Making

Matthew Hall, University of Notre Dame

Strategy and Opinion Breadth on the U.S. Supreme Court

Ryan Black, Michigan State University

Amanda Clare Bryan, University of Minnesota

Ryan Owens, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Confirmations and Judging

Amy Steigerwalt, Georgia State University

Discussants

Stefanie Lindquist, University of Georgia

Timothy R. Johnson, University of Minnesota

3402*Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 2***Justice and Accountability****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

John D. Van Doorn, Troy University

Participants

Independent Courts are Not Exactly Insurance Policies (But They Enhance Regime Health)

Jeffrey K Staton, Emory University

Christopher Reenock, Florida State University

Political Accountability in Africa and the Failure of Western Governance Promotion

Lisa Piergallini, Claremont Graduate University- The Claremont Colleges

Roger J. Chin, Claremont Graduate University- The Claremont Colleges

Sub-Saharan African TRCs: The Relationship between due process and improved rule of law.

Julie Ann Keil, Saginaw Valley State University

Transitional Justice in the Middle East: Arab Spring and Fall

Matt Murphy, Centenary College of Louisiana

Discussant

Robert C. Harding, Spring Hill College

**3403****Contemporary Responses to Greek Thought***Friday***Political Theory***1:15pm-2:45pm***Chair***Bolden 3*

Elizabeth Markovits, Mount Holyoke College

Participants

The Possibilities of Aristotelian Friendship Between States

Stephen Patrick Sims, Baylor University

The Empowerment of Being and Truth: Heidegger's Thoughts on the Cave Allegory in Plato's Republic

SangWon Lee, Claremont Graduate University

Discussant

Nathan Sawatzky, University of Notre Dame

3404**Roundtable - Insights from the Inside: Current and Former NSF Program Directors Discuss the Grant Process***Friday***Research Programs, Grantsmanship, and Research Administration***1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 4*

Program Directors from the NSF's Political Science and Law and Social Science programs share their experiences from the review process and discuss the many funding opportunities for research support.

Participants

Wendy Martinek, SUNY-Binghamton

Phil Paolino, University of North Texas

Lee Walker, National Science Foundation

Christopher Zorn, Penn State University

**3405***Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 5***Party Branding and Political Marketing****Political Parties****Chair****Andrew Waugh**, Tulane University**Participants**

A Partisan By Any Other Name: Assessing the Impact of Congressional Caucuses as Party Sub-Brands

Andrew J. Clarke, University of Virginia

Beyond Service: How National Party Organizations Influence Party Brands

Boris Heersink, University of Virginia**Discussant****Sean A. Cain**, Loyola University New Orleans**3406***Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 6***The ACA, Reproductive Health Politics, and the South****President's Special Panels****Chair****Melissa Haussman**, Carleton University**Participants**

Showdown in Texas: Governor Perry, the 'war on women,' and the Affordable Care Act

Roxane E. Richter, Univ. of the WitwatersrandDeterminants of Broad-Spectrum Reproductive Rights in Southern States:
a Comparative Analysis**Vivian W. Greentree**, Blue Star Families**John Charles Morris**, Old Dominion University**David A. Breaux**, Delta State University**Rick Travis**, Mississippi State UniversitySouth/Non-South Expectations about Women's Mobilization in the Wake of Hobby-Lobby:
Preliminary Results from the 2014 Midterm Elections**Sue Tolleson-Rinehart**, University of North Carolina, Chapel hill**Discussant****Melissa Haussman**, Carleton University

No one was surprised that abortion politics would be a variable in the ratification and implementation of the Affordable Care Act, but the strength of contraception as a source of controversy did catch many activists and analysts by surprise. This panel looks at reproductive rights in and beyond the ACA as policy and as a potential source of political mobilization

**3412****Congressional Representation: Ideology and Identity***Friday***Legislative Politics***1:15pm-2:45pm***Chair***Foster 1***Thomas Hayes**, University of Connecticut**Participants**

Electoral Context and Presentation of Self

Patrick DeLonjay Tucker, Washington University in St. Louis

Navigating Capitol Hill: Culture, Networks, and Political Identity Development of Congressional Staffers

Anne Bennett Smithson, George Mason University

Anyway the draft blows—draft lotteries and political ideology

Thomas Wood, Doctoral Candidate**Ethan Victor Porter**, University of Chicago

“Who’s Running Against Me?: Do more primary challengers run more often in black influence districts compared to majority-minority districts?”

Stacy Darel Carter, University of Mississippi and Alabama A&M University

Looking Beyond the Incumbency Advantage: Measuring the Effect of Challenger Ideology on Congressional Election Outcomes

Jamie Carson, University of Georgia**Ryan D. Williamson**, University of Georgia**Discussant****Justin H Kirkland**, University of Houston



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Friday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Foster 2

Workshop: Experimental Research Proposals on Institutions and Elites

Political Methodology

Participants

The impact of political and municipal context on mayoral decision making

Claudia N Avellaneda, Indiana University

Public access to information in authoritarian regimes: A field experiment to assess political biases in local Russian officials

Quintin Beazer, Florida State University

Charles Crabtree, Pennsylvania State University

Chris Fariss, Pennsylvania State University

Holger Kern, Florida State University

The effect of electoral institutions on representation: A proposal of email experiments on European parliament

Damien Bol, University of Montreal

Commitment mechanisms: Advocacy organizations and direct legislative lobbying

Christian R Grose, University of Southern California

A field experiment in the nonprofit sector

Dyana Mason, University of Oregon

A field experiment on lobbying

Amy McKay, University of Exeter

Jeffrey Lazarus, Georgia State University

Legislative representation in the U.S.

Matthew S. Mendez, University of Southern California

Deterring bribery

Abby Wood, University of Southern California

This session will be a roundtable or workshop devoted to the presenters' research designs and proposals. These designs and proposals will be short 3-8 page papers that lay out a proposed experimental design that has not yet been implemented. The purpose of this panel is to provide panelist and audience discussion related to experimental design techniques for research in progress. Importantly, it is also an opportunity for panelists to receive feedback on their proposed experiments before they are fielded. Given the workshop nature of this panel, there will be no specific discussant, as we plan to ask each presenter to also provide feedback on the designs of another participant(s), as well as the general feedback from the other conference participants and audience members.

**3414****Nature and Virtue in Modern Political Thought***Friday***Political Theory***1:15pm-2:45pm***Chair***Imperial 1*

David Lewis Schaefer, College of the Holy Cross

Participants

A Tribute Due Unto Nature: Rhetorics of Death and Dying in Bacon and Hobbes

Bradley R Jackson, Michigan State University Political Science Dept

Erin A Dolgoy, Rhodes College

Civility and Moderation in Hume and Shaftesbury

Tom Joseph Hoffman, Spring Hill College

The Tenor of Glaube in Kant

Shawn Chris Welnak, Long Island University, Post

Francis Bacon and the Philosophic Method of the Americans

Jane Louise Liebeskind, University of Texas at Austin

Discussant

Christopher Bissex, Holy Cross

**3415***Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Imperial 2***Civic Education in the 21st Century: A Multidimensional Inquiry Part I****Civic Education****Chair**

Donald Michael Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

Participants

Encouraging Civic Participation on Twitter during (and after) the 2012 Election

Heather K. Evans, Sam Houston State University

Democratizing Information: Web 2.0 Tools at Fort Hays State University

Chapman Rackaway, Fort Hays State University

Carolyn Campbell, Fort Hays State University

Moving Civic Education Research Forward: The Consortium for Inter-campus SoTL Research

J. Cherie Strachan, Central Michigan University

Elizabeth Bennion, Indiana University South Bend

Discussant

Donald Michael Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

As co-editor of the edited volume - Civic Education in the 21st Century: A Multidimensional Inquiry, I am proposing a panel where some of the authors of chapters in our volume will discuss their methods and findings in a panel on civic education in the 21st century. Today, Americans (scholars, politicians and even the general public) are increasingly lamenting a "civic crisis" or "recession" in the US (Graham and Hand 2009; Dillon 2011; Johanek 2012). In fact, Dudley and Gitelson suggest research on American civic illiteracy has often taken the character of a race to discover the most appalling lack of knowledge" (Dudley and Gitelson 2002, 176). While most research has focused on documenting the civics crisis and identifying (normatively and empirically) the culprits of it, few scholars have attempted to explain what the US's 21st century civic education process looks like in its various facets. In fact, the bulk of works have too often been singular in focus, looking primarily at formal education, as if it is the totality of our civic education process. While formal education is essential to the civic education process, the presentations based on chapters in the edited volume will demonstrate it is only one facet of it. Inspired by de Tocqueville's Democracy in America, the chapter presentations for the panel collectively suggests the diversity of forces promoting civic education in America today. Just as de Tocqueville's examination of American democracy takes a holistic approach considering everything from our colonial roots, our North-South cultural divide and philosophical disposition to our various governmental institutions, practice of federalism, use of media and group life (1990, 1990), we consider how American history and traditions, schooling, government actors and institutions, and private groups all contribute to the civic education process. While civic education certainly has changed in some fundamental ways in the 21st century from its earlier versions in the 19th and 20th, collectively this panel suggests it is more vibrant than most narrowly focused civic scholarship currently suggests. Thus, Civic Education in the 21st Century brings together political scientists to examine a variety (but not exhaustive) list of civic education mechanisms. To evaluate America's civic education process and/or to fix, it is necessary to consider the entirety of mechanisms that may comprise the typical American's civic socialization. The diagnoses and cure must be multi-dimensional.

**3416****The Influence of International Organizations and Events on Political Survival***Friday***International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights***1:15pm-2:45pm***Participants***Imperial 10*

Democratic Demonstration Effects and State Repression: Do Authoritarian Regimes Respond to Threats Outside Their Borders?

Ryan Patrick Whittingham, University of Florida

IMF Programs and the Risk of a Coup d'etat

Brett Allen Casper, New York University

Natural Disasters and Political Survivability

Steven R Garrison, Midwestern State University

Aid Bypass and Regime Survival

Matthew DiLorenzo, Vanderbilt University

3417**Black politics, identity***Friday***Race, Ethnicity, and Politics***1:15pm-2:45pm***Chair***Strand 1*

Dianne Pinderhughes, University of Notre Dame

Participants

Black is the New Black: African Americans and Symbolic Representation

Kelly Michelle Roberts, University of Southern Mississippi

Race and Representation: Being Black on the Bench

Taneisha N Means, Duke University

Toward a Black Feminist Approach to American Political Development

Nikol Alexander-Floyd, Rutgers University

"Who You Callin' A Hoe?": How The Jezebel Stereotype Adversely Cripples Progressive Black Female Politics

Osamagbe Osagie, Georgia State University

Discussant

Mitchell Brown, Auburn University



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Friday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Strand 2

The Structure and Influence of Supreme Court Decisions

Judicial Politics

Chair

Bethany Blackstone, University of North Texas

Participants

Hard Cases, Inconsistent Law: The Correlates of Judgment-Rationale Inconsistency in the U.S. Supreme Court

Matthew P. Hitt, Louisiana State University

The Structure of U.S. Supreme Court Litigation

Isaac Unah, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Using Citations to Measure Influence on the Supreme Court

Tom Pryor, University of Minnesota

Who Leads Whom? Justices, Litigants, and the Endogenous Process of Legal Change in the U.S. Supreme Court

Ryan Krog, George Washington University

Words That Matter: Predicting Persuasive Briefs in the United Supreme Court

Adam Sean Feldman, University of Southern California

Elli Menounou, University of Southern California

Discussant

Todd Collins, Western Carolina University

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Friday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Strand 7

Roundtable on the 2014 Midterm Elections in the Rim South

Southern Politics

Participants

Jay Barth, Hendrix College

Michael Cobb, NC State University

Jonathan Knuckey, University of Central Florida

Seth C McKee, Texas Tech University

Irwin Morris, University of Maryland, College Park

Chair

Ronald Keith Gaddie, University of Oklahoma

**3421****Polymaking***Friday***Positive Political Theory***1:15pm-2:45pm***Participants***Strand 8*

A Simple Theory of Authoritarian Accountability

Jidong Chen, Princeton

Career Concerns and Policy Choice in Federal Systems

Tinghua Yu, Columbia University

3422**Post-casting the 2014 Elections: How Did We Do; What Did We Learn?***Friday***Program Chair's Panels***1:15pm-2:45pm***Participants***Strand 9*

Alan Abramowitz, Emory University

James E. Campbell, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Robert S. Erikson, Columbia University

Gary C. Jacobson, University of California, San Diego

Chair

Jon Bond, Texas A&M University

**3423***Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 10A***E-Government and Information Technology****Public Administration****Chair**

Jennifer M Connolly, University of Miami

Participants

A Six-Dimensional Assessment Tool for E-Government Development Applied to the Homepage Sites of 25 U.S. States

Timothy Emmett Dolan, Texas A&M International University

Moving to the Cloud: Security Imperatives for the Public Sector

Brent Friedman, Valdosta State University

Public Participation and Technology: How 311 Affects Citizen-Initiated Contacts with Local Government

Emefa Sewordor, Georgia State University

Discussant

Jennifer M Connolly, University of Miami

3424*Friday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 10B***Models of Political Behavior****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Participants

Collapse, Climate change and Social Choice

Norman Schofield, Washington University In Saint Louis

Deconstructing Valence: An Analysis of Variation in the Importance of Non-Policy Attributes to Voters

Chitralekha Basu, University of Rochester

Integrating Voter Behavior Theory: A Unified Voter Utility Function

Kathy Dopp, Independent scholar

Linda Trautman, Ohio University-Lancaster

Split-ticket Voting as Risk Management: The Evidence from the 2013 Japanese Upper House Election

Takeshi Iida, Doshisha University

Strategic Voting For Taiwan's Legislative Yuan: An Experimental Design

Timothy S. Rich, Western Kentucky University

Discussants

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Chad Kiewiet de Jonge, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

**3425****Journal of Politics Editorial Board Meeting***Friday***Meetings***1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 11A***3428****Workshop on Teaching Case Studies of Women Leading Change***Friday***Women and Politics***1:15pm-2:45pm***Participant***Strand 13A*

Workshop on Teaching Case Studies of Women Leading Change

Sally J. Kenney, Newcomb College Institute-Tulane University**Mary Trigg**, Rutgers University**Barbara Nelson**, Luskin School of Public Affairs**Marieka Marieka**, University of Washington, Evans School of Public Policy**Carolyn Wood**, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University

The Harvard Business School pioneered the use of cases in its pedagogy and many policy schools, led by the Kennedy School of Government, adapted the tool. In political science, the international relations subfield embraced case teaching as a way to engage students who might be intimidated by quantitative modeling. Case teaching makes sense for many domains, but it is particularly appropriate for women, gender, and sexuality studies, with its epistemological emphasis on women's experience, and the field of leadership studies, where students want to learn from real leaders facing real dilemmas. The focus on real world scenarios appeals to professional schools, adult learners, and undergraduates alike and is a great way to engage students and enliven class discussions. The recent controversy about how the HBS suppresses and excludes its women students has amplified concerns raised by Kenney and Chetkovich and Kirp about how the case model draws heavily on white male decision makers. The Electronic Hallway at the Evans School at the University of Washington, Douglas College of Rutgers University, the Luskin School of Public Affairs, and the Newcomb College Institute of Tulane University, like the Harvard Business School and the Kennedy School of Government, are working to ensure that we produce and use quality cases that integrate women, gender, and feminism into the narrative. This workshop will provide an introduction to case teaching for those who might like to use a case in their classes, will describe the landscape of existing cases and their production, and recruit future case writers.



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Friday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Strand 13B

Comparative Foreign Policy Making in the Authoritarian Context (2): The Military and State Building**International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Stan Hok-wui Wong, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Participants

Authoritarian Reconstruction and Foreign Policy in Egypt

Housam Darwisheh, IDE-JETRO

Securitization of the Regime in the Post-Arab Spring Countries

Satoshi Ikeuchi, University of Tokyo

Changing Natures of China-North Korea and China-Myanmar Relations? Domestic Political Changes and Foreign Policies in the Two East Asian Authoritarian Regimes

Wooyeal Paik, Sungkyunkwan University, South Korea

Chinese Military: Foreign Policy Instrument or Foreign Policy Actor?

Laura-Anca Parepa, University of Tsukuba

Discussant

Stan Hok-wui Wong, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Although most of the human beings have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. Foreign policy making is no exception. The papers in this “conference in the conference” try to fill this hole in studies of international relations and comparative politics. We will try to answer the following questions. Is foreign policy making in authoritarian countries different from one in democratic countries? If so, how? The literature of comparative politics has found that authoritarian rulers primarily focus on the regime’s survival by using every means possible, including coercive, institutional, and repressive means. Do these efforts for the regime’s survival influence foreign policy making of those authoritarian countries? If so, how? Currently, China, an authoritarian country, has emerged as one of the most important countries in the world, and U.S.-China relations have arguably become the most important bilateral international relationship in the world. Moreover, since the movement called the Arab Spring, the U.S. relationship with the Middle Eastern countries has been much more complicated than in the past. What implications does foreign policy making in the authoritarian context have on U.S. foreign policy making? To answer these questions, the papers in the panels draw empirical evidence from politics in China, the Middle East, and other authoritarian countries. Panel 1 focuses on the interactions between foreign policy making and domestic politics (especially public opinion, media, and elections) in authoritarian countries. Panel 2 explores the role of the military and its relationship with other governmental organizations in the authoritarian regime, and discusses the implications on international relations involving authoritarian countries. Panel 3 focuses on China’s political economic policies (such as energy, foreign direct investment, and urbanization) and their implications on world politics and economy.

**3601***Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 1***Influences on Judicial Behavior Workshop: Leadership, Consensus, and Agenda Setting****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Kevin T. McGuire, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Participants

The Role of the Chief Justice in State Politics

Teena Wilhelm, University of Georgia

Consensus on State High Courts

Amy Steigerwalt, Georgia State University

Extreme Dissensus: Explaining Multiple Dissents on the U.S. Supreme Court

Pamela Corley, Southern Methodist University

Artemus Ward, Northern Illinois University

Unanimous Grants on the U.S. Supreme Court

Eve Ringsmuth, Oklahoma State University

Timothy R. Johnson, University of Minnesota

Marcus E Hendershot, Oklahoma State University

Docket Control and Ideological Voting on the U.S. Supreme Court

Paul M. Collins, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Discussants

Lee Epstein, Washington University in St. Louis

Justin Wedeking, University of Kentucky

**3602***Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 2***Statehood and State Building****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Participants

Multi-Party Structure of Turkey: Is it Applicable to Presidential System

Serap Gur, Louisiana State University

Nigeria: The Challenge of Governance and the prospects of State Failure

James Apam, Benue State University

Puerto Rico Statehood: Is it a reality?

Clayton De Souza, Guilford College

Yu Gil-jun's Doctrine on Modern Nation-Building and Polity: A Comparative Study with Fukuzawa Yukichi

Miran Kim, Kyungpook National University

Man-ho HEO, Kyungpook National University

3603*Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 3***Envisioning a New Republicanism****Political Theory****Chair**

Michael J Faber, Texas State University

Participants

The Extended Republic: Agreement Between Montesquieu and Publius

Lisa Piergallini, Claremont Graduate University-The Claremont Colleges

Visions of the City: Architecture and Citizenship in the work of Daniel Burnham, George Pullman, and Jane Addams

Joseph Mink, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

The Progressive Call for Direct Election of Senators

Sarah Arlene Mallams, University of Houston

Discussant

Bruce Hunt, University of Houston

**3604****Urban Politics and Policy***Friday***Public Policy***3:00pm-4:30pm***Chair***Bolden 4***Ashley Ross**, Sam Houston State University**Participants**

Housing Affordability and Regional Variations in the United States: A New Approach to Housing Affordability Policy

Xiang Cai, University of Texas at Dallas**Lu Chung Dennis Weng**, Wesleyan University

Still Bowling Alone? Neighborhood Politics of Class and Race after HOPE VI

Ashley Brown Burns, Amherst College

The High Cost of a Thin Red Line: Historic Zoning Practices in Municipal Governments

Christopher Wilson, University of Tennessee**Christopher Acuff**, University of Tennessee

Political market commitments to local government sustainability tools

Aaron Deslatte, Florida State University**William L. Swann**, Florida State University

The Effect of Particularistic, Universalistic, and Mixed Benefits in Support for Public Transportation

Mark D. Ramirez, Arizona State University**3605****Tea Party and Party Development***Friday***Political Parties***3:00pm-4:30pm***Chair***Bolden 5***Henry Barbier Sirgo**, McNeese State University**Participants**

Exploiting Southern Discomfort: An Investigation of the Rise of the Tea Party in the South

William Samuel Adcock, University of Southern Mississippi**Joshua Adam Freeman**, University of Southern Mississippi

The Tea Party v the GOP: Why Enemies Instead of Allies?

Rachel Blum, Georgetown University

Ideas of Power: The Politics of American Party Ideology Development

Verlan Lewis, University of Virginia**Discussants****Adam Chamberlain**, Coastal Carolina University**Andrew Douglas McNitt**, Eastern Illinois University

**3606***Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 6***A Special Panel – Predicting the Presidency: Barack Obama’s Second Term****Presidential/Executive Politics****Chair**

Jose D. Villalobos, University of Texas, El Paso

Participant

Predicting the Success of Presidential Leadership

George C. Edwards, Texas A&M University

Discussants

Charles Walcott, Virginia Tech

Stephen J. Wayne, Georgetown University

For this Special Panel, Dr. George C. Edwards III will present a paper entitled “Predicting the Success of Presidential Leadership” covering material for an upcoming book and therein assess the state of the Obama presidency in the aftermath of the midterm elections. Charles Walcott and Stephen Wayne will serve as discussants.

3612*Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Foster 1***Legislative Development****Legislative Politics****Chair**

David J. Siemers, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh

Participants

Congressional Polarization in the Gilded Age: An Exploration

Sara Chatfield, MIT

Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia

Charles Stewart, MIT

Property Rights and 19th Century Congressional Politics: The Search for an Electoral Connection

Laine Patrick Shay, University of Georgia

Jason Byers, University of Georgia

Bryan Black, University of Georgia

Legislative Entrepreneurship and Reform Through the Congressional Cycle

Kevin Baron, University of Florida

Finally, Nebraska: A Synthetic Control Analysis of Nebraska’s Switch to a Unicameral Legislature

William Bryce Hankins, University of South Carolina Upstate

Legislative Studies at the Frontier: Analyzing the Congress of the Republic of Texas

Robert Paul Musgrave, Dickinson College

Discussant

Michael Kowal, University of Massachusetts

**3613***Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Foster 2***Using Experiments and Audit Studies to Reveal Biases among European Elites****Political Methodology****Chair**

Christian R Grose, University of Southern California

Participants

Truth replaced by silence: Private censorship in Russia

Holger Kern, Florida State University

Charles Crabtree, Pennsylvania State University

Chris Fariss, Pennsylvania State University

You Have Got Mail! A Field Experiment on Legislator Responsiveness in the European Parliament

Catherine de Vries, Oxford University

Discussant

Christopher Wlezien, University of Texas, Austin

These papers examine the responsiveness of European elites and elected officials to regular citizens. They both use audit methods in Russia or in the European Parliament. The papers suggest that, under certain conditions, public officials remain silent to constituents, when democratic theory would suggest they should not.

3614*Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Imperial 1***Authors Meet Critics: Thomas Kleven, Equitable Sharing****Political Theory****Author**

Thomas Kleven, Thurgood Marshall School of Law, Houston, TX

Chair

Ronald Turner, University of Houston

Critics

Olivia Newman, Harvard University

Joseph S. Devaney, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

Saradzayi Matambanadzo, Tulane Law School

A discussion of Thomas Kleven's book, *Equitable Sharing*, published by Lexington Press in 2014. The book argues that a principle of equitable sharing, meaning that the benefits and detriments of social life must be fairly distributed among all members of society, is fundamental to the concept of democracy and is implicit in the founding documents of the democratic society the United States purports to be. The book first examines John Locke's libertarianism, John Mill's utilitarianism, and John Rawls' egalitarianism, which represent major strains of Western democratic theory and all of which all contain a principle of equitable sharing in some form. The book then examines the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution. While these documents do not set forth a particular version of equitable sharing, they contain elements of all of Locke's, Mill's and Rawls' philosophies and evidence a commitment to equitable sharing as fundamental to the democratic society they contemplate. The task in this society is to engage throughout its existence in an on-going dialogue that gives life to the commitment to equitable sharing set forth in its founding documents. As the elected representatives of the people and the repository of the powers through which to implement much of what equitable sharing requires, the primary responsibility for implementation rests with the legislative branch. The book argues that the Supreme Court also has a meaningful role to play in the dialogue over the requirements of equitable sharing and can play this role in a manner consistent with democratic principles. This point is illustrated through a discussion of several contemporary issues: same sex marriage, racial integration in public schools, health care, and the regulation of the electoral process.



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Friday

3:00pm-4:30pm

Imperial 2

Civic Education in the 21st Century: A Multidimensional Inquiry Part II

Civic Education

Chair

Donald Michael Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

Participants

Educating Students about the National Debt: A Multiyear Study of Civic Engagement in the University Core Curriculum

Steven E Galatas, Stephen F. Austin State University

Cindy Pressley, Stephen F. Austin State University

An Examination of Judicial Civic Education Efforts

Brendan P. Toner, Arkansas Tech University

It Can Work: The Surprisingly Positive Prospects for Effective Civic Education

Robert Maranto, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

Discussant

Donald Michael Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

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Friday

3:00pm-4:30pm

Imperial 10

Author Meets Readers: Judith Baer, *Ironie Freedom*

Judicial Politics

Participant

Judith Baer, Texas A&M University

Chair

Mark Graber, University of Maryland Carey School of Law

Ironie Freedom is a powerful statement by the leading feminist theorist in the public law/political theory field. Leading scholars who discuss Baer's theory that "may" in liberalism too often becomes a "must" and the need to develop a post-liberal feminist theory that will best respond to the dilemma of how theories that appeal to the most fortunate of the least fortunate often disadvantage the least fortunate of the least fortunate.

**3617**
The Psychosocial Contradictions Of Neoliberalism: Irrational Actors And The Myth Of Liberal Rationality
Political Theory
Chair

Lynn Stout, Cornell Law School

Participants

Neoliberalism and its Hobbesian Reversion: The Irrationalist Defense and its Antidotes

James E Block, DePaul University

The Fall of the Neo-Hobbesian Conception of Man

Michael Thompson, Paterson University of New Jersey

From the Classical Liberal and Neoliberal Subject to the Post-Liberal Subject

S.M. Amadae, Ohio State University

Discussant

David Ciepley, University of Denver

While claiming to root the centrality of liberal society in the choices individual members make and in the inherent rationality of those choices, neoliberalism is in fact based on a logic of irrational drives which it further maintains and promotes. Individuals do not ever act directly on behalf of the public good or the common well being. Rather they pursue their own narrow self-interest which works according to neoliberalism to the benefit of the system as a whole. This normative transmutation derives from its conception of rationality which rejects the role of reason to evaluate the morality of the passions as guardian of broader norms and social goals. Rational motives for neoliberalism (taken from early pre-ideological liberalism) are those which operate to acquire and achieve systemically authorized markers and goals, regardless of the actual reasons or underlying motives for such acquisition and without regard for any limits on acquisition that might benefit the society. This system, moreover, proclaims the centrality of individual choice as a natural foundation for liberal institutional arrangements without acknowledging the role of child rearing, educational institutions, and consumer culture in shaping citizen desires in line with the existing system of rewards or therefore the self-serving role of its own ideology of natural choice. In this privileging and emphasizing of such obsessive, that is, irrational pursuits, they become in effect rational because their objectives have been determined in advance as systemically reinforcing and containable, that is, they are instrumental conduct whose sole (measurable) virtue is in their directional regularity. The result is a fable of rational choice that such uncontained pursuit of systemic power and leverage in a competitive and vastly stratifying war of all against all will always work to strengthen the system and that any motives designed toward altering or ameliorating the system or its disparities are inherently irrational. This closed definitional universe becomes in effect a form of license for intra-system madness, and for a society that can frame no normative limits or agendas regarding the individual or social good besides advocating more of what it already demands and delivers.



3618

Friday

3:00pm-4:30pm

Strand 2

The Supreme Court and Public Opinion

Judicial Politics

Chair

Ryan Owens, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Participants

Evaluating the Effects of Multiple Opinion Rationales on Supreme Court Legitimacy

Chris Bonneau, University of Pittsburgh

Jarrod Kelly, University of Pittsburgh

Kira Pronin, University of Pittsburgh

Shane Redman, University of Pittsburgh

Matthew Zarit, University of Pittsburgh

Strategic Agenda Setting and the Influence of Public Opinion on the U.S. Supreme Court

Ryan Krog, George Washington University

Huan-Kai Tseng, George Washington University

The Dynamics of Legitimacy Change for the U.S. Supreme Court

Benjamin Woodson, University of Missouri - Kansas City

The Effect of Media Framing on Public Support for the Supreme Court

Paul J Gardner, Princeton University

Evaluating the President's Choice: How Citizens Form Judgments about
US Supreme Court Nominees

Amanda Clare Bryan, University of Minnesota

Philip Chen, University of Minnesota

Discussant

Jay N. Krehbiel, Washington University in St. Louis

**3620****Roundtable on the 2014 Midterm Elections in the Deep South***Friday***Southern Politics***3:00pm-4:30pm***Participants***Strand 7*

Shannon Bridgmon, Northeastern State University

John Bruce, University of Mississippi

M. V. Hood, University of Georgia

Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana, Monroe

David Woodard, Clemson University

Chair

Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M

Post-election roundtable on the Deep South.

3621**Agencies***Friday***Positive Political Theory***3:00pm-4:30pm***Participants***Strand 8*

Rules vs. Discretion: The Nature of Regulatory Uncertainty

B Pablo Montagnes, University of Chicago

Stephane Wolton, London School of Economics

Sequential Adjudication

Deborah Beim, Yale University

Tom Clark, Emory University

John Patty, Washington University in Saint Louis



3622

Friday

3:00pm-4:30pm

Strand 9

Roundtable: The Future of the Southern Political Science Association

Program Chair's Panels

Participants

Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University
Richard Forgette, University of Mississippi
Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University
Robert Howard, Georgia State University
David Rohde, Duke University
Catherine Estelle Rudder, George Mason University

3623

Friday

3:00pm-4:30pm

Strand 10A

Governing at the Local Level

Public Administration

Chair

Richard. C Feiock, Florida State University

Participants

Does Administrative Recentralization Affect Municipal Performance? Assessing the Impact of Municipal Mergers

Kohei Suzuki, Indiana University, Bloomington

Kentaro Sakuwa, Indiana University, Bloomington

Organizational Decision Making: The Association Between EMS Ownership and Patient Transport

Jackson Deziel, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Stakeholders: Finding the Right Combination of Groups in Making Development Policy

Tammy Wakefield Laughlin, Auburn University

The Price of Politics: How Competitive Local Elections Impact City Manager and Council Relations

Jennifer M Connolly, University of Miami

Toward a Model of Port Governance: A Public Administration Perspective

Christopher Williams, Old Dominion University

John Charles Morris, Old Dominion University

Discussant

Carla Flink, The University of Texas at San Antonio

**3624****Voter ID Laws***Friday***Elections and Voting***3:00pm-4:30pm***Chair***Strand 10B*

Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University, Kingsville

Participants

Conditional Effects of Voter ID Laws

Phillip Allan Garee, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Racial Burden vs. Electoral Integrity: An Empirical Study of the Texas Voter Identification Law

Imelme Umana, Harvard University

The Context of Support for Restrictive Voter ID Laws

William D Hicks, Appalachian State University

Seth C McKee, Texas Tech University

Daniel A Smith, University of Florida

Discussant

Travis Braidwood, Texas A&M University, Kingsville

3625**Contemporary Issues in Bureaucratic Institutions***Friday***Bureaucratic Politics***3:00pm-4:30pm***Chair***Strand 11A*

Robin Marshall Bittick, Sam Houston State University

Participants

An Empirical Consideration of Statutory Deadlines and Their Intent

Mitchell McKinley Boynton, Vanderbilt University

Political Control and Agency Human Capital in the Department of Homeland Security

Benjamin Fifield, Princeton University

David Lewis, Vanderbilt University

The New Civil-Military Bargain: Sexual Assaults and the Curtailment of American Military Unit Discipline

Allen Linken, University of Massachusetts

The Politics Behind the Federal Reserve's Structure

Lucas Llanos Puente, lpuente@stanford.edu

Discussant

Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

**3626***Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 11B***In Honor of Dr. Jewel Limar Prestage: A Life Remembered****Program Chair's Panels****Participants**

Lucius Barker, Stanford University
Gloria Braxton, Southern University
Bill Daniels, Rochester Institute of Technology
Marianne Githens, Goucher College
Sheila Harmon, University of the District of Columbia
Mack Jones, Clark Atlanta University
Kathie Stromile, Mississippi Valley State University

Chairs

Dianne Pinderhughes, University of Notre Dame
Mitchell Rice, Texas A&M University

3628*Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 13A***Why so few Women in the Louisiana Legislature?****Women and Politics****Chair**

Rosalind Blanco Cook, Tulane University

Participant

Why so few Women in the Louisiana Legislature?

Anna Mitchell Mahoney, Rutgers University
Nadia Brown, Purdue University
Beth Reingold, Emory University
Karen Carter Peterson, Senator, LA 5th District
Sharon Weston Broome, Senator, LA District 15, Pro Tempore
Helena Moreno, House of Rep., Louisiana District 93

Though women make up over 50 percent of the population in the United States, the number of women elected to serve in all levels of government is small—women still hold limited positions of political power. The broad problem of underrepresentation of women in U.S. state legislatures, however, reaches new heights in the southern state of Louisiana. Statistics bear out the fact that for the past two years, Louisiana is dead last in the number of women in state legislatures. In fact, not only has the numbers stalled, the percentage of women has actually decreased over the last few years! How does this lack of political power affect Louisiana women and the issues they face? With women accounting for only 12.5 percent of the state legislature, one may argue that because women undoubtedly bring a different perspective to government, legislation, and policies, the population of the state suffers as a result of this underrepresentation. Participants of this roundtable, consisting of current women legislators and academics, will discuss implications of gender parity, issues facing women candidates, the contemporary theory of “when women run, women win,” and recommendations on how to proactively engage in getting more women elected.

**3629**
Comparative Foreign Policy Making in the Authoritarian Context (3): Authoritarian Power? China Meets the World
*Friday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 13B*
International Politics: Conflict and Security
Chair

Martin K. Dimitrov, Tulane University

Participants

The Modern Strategic Triangle: Energy Security, Economic Development, and the Responsible Stakeholder

Carrie Liu Currier, Texas Christian University

Rising Powers in the Third Countries: Comparing China's and India's Investment Strategies in Africa

Selina Ho, National University of Singapore

Urban Renewal, Ethnic Identity, and Inter-Ethnic Relations in China: An Examination of Han-Hui Relationships in China's Cities

David R. Stroup, University of Oklahoma

State Capitalism and China's Outbound Direct Investment

Yu Zheng, University of Connecticut

Discussant

Martin K. Dimitrov, Tulane University

Although most of the human beings have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. Foreign policy making is no exception. The papers in this "conference in the conference" try to fill this hole in studies of international relations and comparative politics. We will try to answer the following questions. Is foreign policy making in authoritarian countries different from one in democratic countries? If so, how? The literature of comparative politics has found that authoritarian rulers primarily focus on the regime's survival by using every means possible, including coercive, institutional, and repressive means. Do these efforts for the regime's survival influence foreign policy making of those authoritarian countries? If so, how? Currently, China, an authoritarian country, has emerged as one of the most important countries in the world, and U.S.-China relations have arguably become the most important bilateral international relationship in the world. Moreover, since the movement called the Arab Spring, the U.S. relationship with the Middle Eastern countries has been much more complicated than in the past. What implications does foreign policy making in the authoritarian context have on U.S. foreign policy making? To answer these questions, the papers in the panels draw empirical evidence from politics in China, the Middle East, and other authoritarian countries. Panel 1 focuses on the interactions between foreign policy making and domestic politics (especially public opinion, media, and elections) in authoritarian countries. Panel 2 explores the role of the military and its relationship with other governmental organizations in the authoritarian regime, and discusses the implications on international relations involving authoritarian countries. Panel 3 focuses on China's political economic policies (such as energy, foreign direct investment, and urbanization) and their implications on world politics and economy.

3701
Influences on Judicial Behavior Roundtable: The Future of the Judicial Politics Discipline
*Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 1*
Judicial Politics
Participants

Lee Epstein, Washington University in St. Louis

Micheal Giles, Emory University

Stefanie Lindquist, University of Georgia

James Spriggs, Washington University in St. Louis

Christopher Zorn, Penn State

Chair

Matthew Hall, University of Notre Dame

**3702***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 2***Constitutional Theory****Political Theory****Chair**

Larry M Preston, Graduate College, Union Institute & University

Participants

Constitutional law in the absence of constitution: law in the revolutionary interregnum

Richard Stacey, University of Toronto

John Marshall, Marbury v. Madison, and the Construction of Constitutional Legitimacy

Clyde Ray, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Liberty as "Habitus": Magna Carta and Aristotelian Ethical Thought

Benjamin Mabry, Louisiana State University

What, according to contemporary classicists, is reasonably well established about Cleisthenes' reforms?

Dawid Tatarczyk, Western Michigan University**Discussant****Steven M. Smallpage**, Michigan State University**3703***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 3***Theories of War in the Age of the Drone****Political Theory****Participants**

Burke and Clausewitz on the Limitation of War in a Radical Age

John Furman Daniel, George Washington University**Brian Smith**, Montclair State University

Ethical Responsibility and Combat Drone Operation

Jesse Kirkpatrick, Radford University

The Prussian Military and the Politics of Recognition 1815 - 1914

Ralph Gert Schoellhammer, University of Kentucky / Danube University Krems

Until the Global Revolution: Marx's Vision of Class and Interstate Conflict in International Relations

Nathan Orlando, Baylor University**Discussant****Dustin Berna**, Nova Southeastern University

**3704****Dollars and Sense***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 4***Public Policy****Chair****Mi Jeong Shin**, Washington University in St. Louis**Participants**

The Politics of Public-Sector Bargaining Laws

Sarah F. Anzia, University of California, Berkeley**Terry M. Moe**, Stanford University

Fed Speak on Main Street

Carola Binder, UC Berkeley

Changing Relations of Revenues and Expenditures: Before and After Reagan

Wayne Steger, DePaul University

Commitment Credibility in Funding State Public-Employee Pensions (2001-2011)

John Brooks, University of California, Berkeley**Discussant****James Craig Clinger**, Murray State University**3705****Institutions and Its Impact on Political Parties***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 5***Political Parties****Chair****Sean A. Cain**, Loyola University New Orleans**Participants**

An Exploration of the Impact of National Political Party Convention Sites on Local Elections

David Richard White, Francis Marion University

Ballot Reform and the Decline of Third Parties in State Legislatures

Daniel C Reed, American University

Legislative Institutions and the Power of Majority-Party Leaders

Alexander Fourniaies, London School of Economics and Political Science**Andrew Hall**, Harvard University

Political Parties and Voting Rights in American Political Development

Rick Valelly, Swarthmore College**Discussants****Adam Chamberlain**, Coastal Carolina University**Greg Shufeldt**, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

**3706***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 6***Program Chair's Panel in Comparative Politics****Program Chair's Panels****Chair**

Walle Engedayehu, Prairie View A&M University

Participants

Analysis of the impact of Brazilian law 11.340/2006 on murder of Women in Brazil (2002-2012)

Dáfni Priscila Alves da Silva, Federal University of Pernambuco

Anderson Henrique da Silva, Federal University of Pernambuco

Lucas Emanuel Silva, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco

Mao Zedong and Deng Xiaoping: A Brief Comparison of Modern China's Most Influential Leaders

Mir Zohair Husain, University of South Alabama

Mixed Legislative Systems and Support for Same-Sex Marriage Legislation: Evidence From Taiwan

Timothy S. Rich, Western Kentucky University

Why Do the Secular Poor Vote for the Religious Parties in Muslim Countries?:

A Game Theoretical Approach to Elections, Religion and Redistribution

Asli Cansunar, Duke University

What Drives African Food Protests? The Case for Local Access

Alfonso Sanchez, University of New Orleans

Discussant

Walle Engedayehu, Prairie View A&M University

3712*Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Foster 1***Religion and Political Thought****Political Theory****Chair**

Robin Marshall Bittick, Sam Houston State University

Participants

A Law Within Themselves: An Understanding of John Locke's Paraphrase

Kevin Kearns, University of North Texas

Saint Benedict's Place in Classical Political Thought

Thomas F.X. Varacalli, Louisiana State University

Taming the Public: Locke's Call for Rights via a Philosophical Refinement of the Desire for Immortality

Bruce Hunt, University of Houston

The Liberty of Endurance: Toleration and Dissent in Montaigne's Political Thought

Benjamin Mitchell, United States Military Academy, West Point

Discussant

Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

**3713***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Foster 2***Experimental Studies of Elite Behavior in the United States****Political Methodology****Chair**

Daniel M. Butler, Washington University in St. Louis

Participants

Please Recuse Yourself: A Field Experiment on Campaign Finance-related Conflicts of Interest and Judicial Recusal

Costas Panagopoulos, Fordham University

Do electoral rules reduce partisan polarization? A field experiment of legislative campaigns

Christian R Grose, University of Southern California

The desire to lead and policy learning: Evidence from a field experiment

Daniel M. Butler, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussants

Abby Wood, University of Southern California

Kerry Haynie, Duke University

These papers examine the behavior of legislative, municipal, and judicial candidates and officials in the United States. These papers seek to determine whether elite behavior is affected and constrained by lobbying, constituent influence, and partisanship. They all use experimental interventions in the field to empirically assess their research questions.

3714*Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Imperial 1***Debating and Framing Rights****Political Theory****Chair**

Jeremy Fortier, Clemson University

Participants

Equal Protection and the Right to Know Your Rights

Olivia Newman, Harvard University

Political Toleration and Religious Liberty

Bryan McGraw, Wheaton College

Problems of Intergenerational Justice: Orienting Citizens Through Narrative

Elizabeth Markovits, Mount Holyoke College

Discussant

Jeremy Fortier, Clemson University

**3716***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Imperial 10***Health Care Politics in the U.S. Congress****Legislative Politics****Chair**

Andrew Douglas McNitt, Eastern Illinois University

Participants

Revolving Door Lobbyists and Legislative Access: Interest Group Representation on the Affordable Care Act

Richard Lee Hall, University of Michigan

Goeffrey Lorenz, University of Michigan

Challenges of Representation: An Analysis of Congressional Voting Behavior on Alzheimer's Legislation

Andrew J. Clarke, University of Virginia

Congressional Voting Behavior and the Affordable Care Act: Pivotal Politics When the Stakes Are Highest

Zachary Cahn, Emory University

Emily M Johnston, Emory University

Representation and Health Outcomes

Eric McDaniel, University of Texas, Austin

Rebecca Eissler, University of Texas at Austin

Annelise Russell, University of Texas at Austin

Discussant

Gary Edward Hollibaugh, University of Notre Dame

3717*Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 1***The Structural Contradictions of Neoliberalism: Corporate Actors and the Myth of Neoliberal Individualism****Political Theory****Chair**

Michael Thompson, Paterson University of New Jersey

Participants

Does Neoliberal Individualism Contradict Corporate Collectivism?

Jongchul Kim, Columbia Law School

The Contradictions of the Neoliberal Corporation: Inefficiency, Individual Irresponsibility, and Authoritarianism

David Ciepley, University of Denver

Intergenerational Equity, Intergenerational Efficiency, and the Corporate Form

Lynn Stout, Cornell Law School

Two Conceptions of Society

Daniel Brudney, University of Chicago

Discussant

James E Block, DePaul University

The papers on this panel thematize the contradictions between neoliberal theory and its concrete institutionalization. Formulated as an alternative to socialism and totalitarian planning, neoliberalism idealizes a world of sovereign individuals interacting in markets so as to maximize the satisfaction of their preferences. Yet neoliberal policies—the privatization of public services and the marketization of private services—actually foster a corporate, organizational world, which itself socializes property and engages in economic planning, but under corporate governance. What is more, this corporate order is sponsored and sustained by government, and exempts itself from the ethic of individual moral responsibility that neoliberalism espouses. In this and other ways, neoliberalism completely misconstrues the nature of the economy it fosters, its connection to government, and its guiding “ethic,” as the panel papers document.

**3718****Politics and Literature***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 2***Political Theory****Chair**

Bryan Frost, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

Participants

Anthony Trollope: Novelist of the Democratic Revolution

Sara Henary, Missouri State University

Never Let Them Go: Education, Love, and Rage in Kazuo Ishiguro's *Never Let Me Go*

Jeremy J Mhire, Louisiana Tech University

Rodolfo Hernandez, Texas State University, San Marcos

The Organic Whitman: Reconciling the Language of the Individual and Society in "Song of Myself"

Zachary Austine Stine, Tulane University

Falando de Virtù: O "Criador" e a "Criatura"

Líliam Viana Cavalcanti, Universidade Estadual Do Sudoeste Da Bahia - Uesb

Discussant

Kimberly Hurd Hale, Washington and Lee University

3720**The Impact of Civil Rights 50 years Later***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 7***Southern Politics****Chair**

Laura R. Olson, Clemson University

Participants

The Fight for Voting Rights in Florida

Aubrey Jewett, University of Central Florida

Terri Susan Fine, University of Central Florida

The New and Old South

Michael P. McDonald, University of Florida

Brian Amos, University of Florida

Black Conservatism & Voting Rights through the Lens of Booker T. Washington

Leslie Small, Clark Atlanta University

Voting Rights Act: The Problem with the South Redistricting & Reapportionment

Cary J Smith, Clark Atlantic University

Race and Fair Housing Enforcement in the South and Non-South

Eric M. Wilk, Georgia Gwinnett College

Charles Lamb, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Discussant

Phil Bridgmon, Northeastern State University

**3721***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 8***Take It To The Lab****Positive Political Theory****Participants**

Behavior and Search in Contests with Asymmetric Valuations

Jonathan Woon, University of Pittsburgh

How Transparency Kills Information Aggregation: Theory and Experiment

Niall Hughes, University of Warwick

Primaries, Strategic Voting, and Candidate Positioning

Jonathan Woon, University of Pittsburgh**Kristin Kanthak**, University of Pittsburgh**3723***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 10A***Collaborative Governance: Networks, Contracting, and Non-Governmental Organizations****Public Administration****Chair****John A. Hamman**, Southern Illinois University**Participants**

Politics and Regulation: Nongovernmental Organizations in Latin America

Claudia N Avellaneda, Indiana University**Jill Nicholson-Crotty**, Indiana University**Meghann Rother**, University of Oklahoma

Power imbalances in collaborative networks: are higher levels of group cohesion a solution?

Alexandra Joosse, University of ArizonaSuccessfully Communicating about Public Policies – Contracting and
Public-Private Partnerships**Joe Saviak**, Flagler College**Lawrence Martin**, University of Central Florida**Wendell Lawther**, University of Central Florida

Who is Managing Whom?: A Preliminary Study of Third-Party Contract Management

Jessica Nicole Terman, George Mason University**Lachezar Anguelov**, Florida State University**Richard. C Feiock**, Florida State University**Discussant****Roy Heidelberg**, Louisiana State University

**3724****Race, Education, and the Social Contract***Friday***Political Theory***4:45pm-6:15pm***Chair***Strand 10B*

Joshua Cherniss, Georgetown University

Participants

Politics of Culture and Education: The Case of W. E. B. Du Bois

William Sokoloff, University of Texas, Pan American

Rethinking the Social Contract: Minority Politics in Alabama

Lindsey Smith, University of Alabama

Underdevelopment and Racial Politics: Thinking Politically with Walter Rodney

Andrew J Douglas, Morehouse College

Revenge of the Confederacy: John C. Calhoun and the 21st Century

Kyle W Beam, University of Notre Dame

Discussant

Juman Kim, University of Pennsylvania

3728**Business Meeting: Women's Caucus for Political Science-South (WCPS)***Friday***Meetings***4:45pm-6:15pm***Participant***Strand 13A*

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

**3729***Friday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Strand 13B***U.S. Foreign Policy Reconsidered****International Politics: Conflict and Security****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Chair**

James Preston Todhunter, Troy University

Participants

A Playbook for Going First: Preemption and the SIOF

Rachel Bzostek, The University of Texas at Tyler

Hawkish or Dovish: Quantifying America's Hawkishness and its Effects on United States-North Korean Interaction

Kimberly Michelle Ganczak, Old Dominion University

Reinterpreting US Intervention in Chile, 1970-1976

Rachael Murdock, DePaul University

Understanding Carrots and Sticks in U.S. Aid Allocation: The Case of the Middle East

Steven Miller, Clemson University

Discussants

James Preston Todhunter, Troy University

Tobias Heinrich, University of South Carolina

3807*Friday**6:00pm-7:00pm**Empire C***SPSA President's Address****Meetings****Participants**

Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University

3910*Friday**7:00pm-9:00pm**Empire D***SPSA President's Reception****Meetings**



4930 <i>Saturday</i> <i>7:00am-6:00pm</i> <i>Strand Foyer</i>	Registration - Saturday Meetings
4130 <i>Saturday</i> <i>7:30am-6:30pm</i> <i>Strand Foyer</i>	Exhibit Hall - Saturday Meetings
4102 <i>Saturday</i> <i>8:00am-9:30am</i> <i>Bolden 2</i>	Regimes, Rules, and Representation Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations Chair Niccole M Pamphilis, University of Glasgow Participants Electoral Systems and Opinion Representation Christopher Wlezien , University of Texas, Austin Stuart Soroka , University of Michigan An Institutional Common Score of National Constitutions Scott Abramson , University of Rochester Michael Barber , Brigham Young University Values and Conceptions of Democracy Kris Dunn , University of Leeds Robert N. Lupton , Michigan State University Ethnicity and Democratization in the Former Soviet Space: A Quantitative Analysis James Preston Todhunter , Troy University Michael Slobodchikoff , Troy University Discussant Yao-Yuan Yeh , University of California, Merced

**4103***Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 3***Demanding Policies and Party Responsiveness****Political Parties****Participants**

Are parties responsive to protest? A comparative analysis in 12 Western Democracies

Daniel Bischof, University of Leicester

Demanding Policy: Purposive Goals and American Party Elites

Kimberly H. Conger, Colorado State University

Rosalyn Cooperman, University of Mary Washington

John C. Green, University of Akron

Richard Herrera, Arizona State University

Kerem Ozan Kalkan, Eastern Kentucky University

Geoffrey C Layman, University of Notre Dame

Greg Shufeldt, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Discussants

Andrew Waugh, Tulane University

William S Harvard, Louisiana State University

4104*Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 4***Politics of Integration and Openness in Europe****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Chair**

Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi

Participants

The Prospective Economic Impact of the Accession of the Republic of Macedonia to the European Union: A Comparative Time Series Model

Aleksandar Jankovski, Northeastern Illinois University

Theories of Central European Political Organization after World War I

Peter Csanyi, Alexander Dubcek University of Trencin

Inside 'Fortress Europe': Refugee rights protected in an Italian city; but the undocumented are vulnerable to exploitation.

Robert Press, University of Southern Mississippi

Discussant

Joe Weinberg, University of Southern Mississippi

**4105***Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 5***Methods for Studying Repeated Events in International Relations****Political Methodology****Chair**

Tobias Heinrich, University of South Carolina

Participants

Estimating a Dynamic Game of International Crisis Escalation

Casey Crisman-Cox, University of Rochester Department of Political Science

Michael Gibilisco, University of Rochester Department of Political Science

Repeated observations in the study of terrorism: A hierarchical Bayesian approach

Michael Kellermann, United States Naval Academy

Discussant

Tobias Heinrich, University of South Carolina

4106*Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Bolden 6***Influences on Press Freedom, Democracy, Censorship, and Corruption****Media and Politics****Chair**

Mike Gruszczynski, Austin Peay State University

Participants

Ashley Etienne - Michel Martelly, Can a Pop Star really lead Haiti into Democracy?

Ashley Etienne, SUNY Buffalo State

Assessing the Influence of Subnational Politics on Press Freedom in Mexico

Jonathan Achee Solis, University of Houston

Configuring Developing States: An Analysis of OECD Non-Member States and State Censorship

Michael P Fix, Georgia State University

Stavros Papadopoulos, Georgia State University

Political capital and Corruption in China: A Computer-assisted Content Analysis of News reports during Xi Jinping Administration, 2012-2014

Thomas Anthony La Piana, University Of Texas, Dallas

Karl Ho, University of Texas, Dallas

Discussant

Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University



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Saturday

8:00am-9:30am

Foster 1

Congress and Interest Groups

Legislative Politics

Chair

Christopher Bosso, Northeastern University

Participants

Bankruptcy Reform and Congressional Action: The Role of Special Interests in Shaping Policy

Thomas Hayes, University of Connecticut

Multiple Representation in the U.S. House of Representatives: Vote for the Median Voters,
Speak for the Interest Groups

Ruoxi Li, University of Wisconsin-Madison

The Rise and Evolution of Corporate Lobbying Networks

Michael Kowal, University of Massachusetts

Discussant

William Bryce Hankins, University of South Carolina Upstate

4113

Saturday

8:00am-9:30am

Foster 2

Controversial policies in the Intergovernmental Arena

Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Chair

Cynthia Bowling, Auburn University

Participants

Constitutional Doctrine and Contemporary Firearm Legislation: Evidence from
State Legislatures

Naser Javaid, Roosevelt University

Horizontal or Vertical diffusion? Understanding Adoption of Medicaid Waivers

Carol S. Weissert, Florida State University

William G. Weissert, Florida State University

Immigration Federalism: Study on State Resistance to Federal Exclusivity on
Immigration Policymaking

Jaisang Sun, Seoul National University

Windsor and Its Progeny: Federalism and Same-Sex Marriage

Joseph S. Devaney, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

Discussant

Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University

**4114**

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Imperial 1

Public Opinion in Comparative Perspective**Public Opinion****Chair**

Chad Kiewiet de Jonge, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

Participants

Networks and Movements in Civil Society: The Case of the Candle Light Protest in South Korea

YunJoo Lee, Seoul National University

Outlooks toward Democracy: Evaluating Orientations at Different Levels of Government in Quebec

Mebs Kanji, Concordia University

Kerry Lynne Tannahill, Concordia University

The Disproportional Influence of Economically Advantaged Citizens on Political Representation? The Case of the 18th National Assembly of South Korea

Kihong Eom, Kyungpook National University

Young Hwan Park, Kyungpook National University

Understanding Latin Americans' Attitudes About the Rule of Law

Ryan Salzman, Northern Kentucky University

Discussant

Alexandra Paige Castillo, Ohio State University

4115

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Imperial 2

Defending the Contentious Principles and Practices of the American Founding**Political Theory****Chair**

Geoffrey Kellow, Carleton University

Participants

Hamilton on Plurality and Presidential Power

Geoffrey Kellow, Carleton University

Diamonds from Dunghills: Thomas Jefferson, Religious Reform, and the Freedom of Mind

John Colman, Ave Maria University

Federalist No. 37 and the Challenges of Founding

Jarrett A Carty, Concordia University

This panel gathers three studies on hotly debated topics of the American Founding: the power and scope of the executive branch, the guarantee of freedom of thought and expression, and the necessity of compromises in the American constitutional design. Each paper examines the defenses of these topics, respectively, in the thought of Alexander Hamilton, Thomas Jefferson, and James Madison. As these papers will show, not only were these defenses of supposed essential principles of the American regime, these were also attempts to inculcate these principles to the discerning public who would assent to and perpetuate their practice. Therefore these papers account for how contentiously debated topics of the American Founding were to be transformed by Hamilton, Jefferson, and Madison into great key characteristics of the regime.

**4116***Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Imperial 10***Gendered Politics in Asia and the Middle East****Women and Politics****Chair**

Leanne Doherty, Simmons College

Participants

A Comparative Time Analysis of Iranian Women and Her Sociopolitical Rights

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University

Heather Wellman, Nova Southeastern University

Yoido Women: Gender, Parties, and Women-Friendly Bills in South Korea, 2004-2012

Young-Im Lee, University of Missouri, St. Louis

Marriage Migrants' Political Participation in South-Korea

Hee Jung Kim, Kyungpook National University

Man-ho HEO, Kyungpook National University

Discussant

Polliann Hardeo, UMB Global Governance & Human Security Ph.D Program

This panel considers the optimal factors for descriptive and substantive women's representation in South Korea and Iran.

4117*Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 1***Executive Appointments and Management****Presidential/Executive Politics****Chair**

Karen Hult, Virginia Tech

Participants

Clearing the Hurdles: The Joint Determination of Presidential Nomination and Senatorial Confirmation

Gary Edward Hollibaugh, University of Notre Dame

Lawrence Rothenberg, University of Rochester

Polarization and Recess Appointments

Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University

Irwin Morris, University of Maryland, College Park

In the Shadow of the Presidency: Presidential Management Style and the Influence of Cabinet Secretaries

John Koehler, Auburn University

Presidential Appointments and Political Support for Presidential Priorities

Gary Edward Hollibaugh, University of Notre Dame

Discussants

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Adam L. Warber, Clemson University

**4118**

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 2

Comparative Law and Courts: Democracy, Rights, and the Rule of Law
Judicial Politics
Participants

Bull in the China Shop: A Free Speech Doctrine for the People's Republic

Asif Waheed SIDDIQUI, Peking University HSBC Business School

Courts as Gatekeepers: The Role of Constitutional Courts in Democratic Consolidation

Adriana Buliga-Stoian, Mount Mercy University

Judicial Independence as a Latent Variable: A Cross-National Measure and

Analysis of Judicial Independence

Karen Bodnaruk Jazayeri, University of Georgia

Regional Courts as Instructors: The Role of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights

Rebecca Reid, University of South Carolina

Measuring Judicial Independence in the American States: A Latent Variable Approach

Jeremy R Johnson, The Pennsylvania State University

Discussant

Jeffrey K Staton, Emory University

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Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 7

Conflict, War and Justice: Undergraduate Research on Comparative Politics
Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching
Chair

Elcin Haskollar, Defiance College

Participants

Micro-lending: Financial Security Combatting Radical Militia Activity in Tanzania

Dava Donaldson, Defiance College

The Importance of Political Issues in Cold War Cinema and its Impact on the American Public

Sarah Sayyar, University of Arkansas - Monticello

The Soldier's Virtues and the Just War Tradition

Kathryn Goldner, Montclair State University

Prolonged Justice: Inefficient Trials in Cambodia

Abby Taylor, Defiance College

Discussant

Nicholas Philip Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University

**4121***Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 8***War****Positive Political Theory****Participants**

Club Goods, Terrorist Attacks and Counterterrorism: Endogenizing Terrorist Growth

Christine Mele, University of Arkansas

Why Is It Difficult to Defeat Weak Adversaries? A Two-Tax Model of War Supply

Ali Sanaei, University of Michigan

Extremism in Revolutionary Movements

Mehdi Shadmehr, University of Miami

Factional Competition and Organizational Competition

Michael Ting, Columbia University**Jonathan Bendor**, Stanford University**4122***Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 9***Policy Learning****Public Policy****Chair****Donley Studlar**, University of Strathclyde**Participants**

Policy Learning and Policy Diffusion: Assessing the Role of Policy Failures

Kristin O'Donovan, Wayne State University

Science use in Regulatory Benefit Cost Analysis: The Effects of Political Attention and Controversy

Mia Costa, University of Massachusetts Amherst**Bruce Desmarais**, University of Massachusetts Amherst**John Hird**, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Creating Policy-Relevant Interpretive Theory

David V. Edwards, University of Texas, Austin

Agency Reputation, Regulatory Federalism, and the Electric Grid: An Examination of Policy Change at the FERC

James Craig Clinger, Murray State University**Discussant****Daniel Davis Sledge**, University of Texas, Arlington

**4123**

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 10A

Is Democracy Worth It?**Political Theory****Chair**

Lisa Ellis, University of Otago

Participants

Is democracy worth it?: The effect of democracy on individual character

Kyle Scott, University of Houston

Living Citizenship

Roudy Hildreth, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Love in the Time of Measles: The Anti-vaccination Movement in America

Seth L Casey, Arkansas State University

Truth be Told: The irrelevance of fact in contemporary political discourse

Michael Benjamin Jones, Mount Aloysius College

Discussant

Nick Dorzweiler, Northwestern University

4124

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 10B

Money and Politics**Elections and Voting****Chair**

Michael G. Miller, Barnard College, Columbia University

Participants

In the Shadows of Sunlight An Empirical Study of Campaign Finance Transparency

Abby Wood, University of Southern California

Douglas Spencer, University of Connecticut

Natural Experiment Study of Elections to the U.S. House from the Insular Territories and D.C.

Sean A. Cain, Loyola University New Orleans

The Effect of Independent Expenditures on Democratic Responsiveness

Nour Abdul-Razzak, University of Chicago

Carlo Prato, Georgetown. University

Stephane Wolton, London School of Economics

Tuned In and Turned Off: Campaign Money and Youth Turnout

Andrea Vieux, University of Central Florida

Whitney Court, College of St. Benedict and St. John's

Discussant

Michael G. Miller, Barnard College, Columbia University



4125

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 11A

Religion and Ideology

Religion and Politics

Chair

Quin Monson, Brigham Young University

Participants

Are Young Evangelicals Losing Faith in the Republican Party?

Amy Stringer, University of Florida

Katherine Burnett, University of Florida

Religion or ideology? Examining the Influence of Religious Beliefs on Policy Preferences.

Justin Jay Norris, University of Georgia

Religiosity and the Pocketbook Over Time: How Religion and Income Structure Partisan and Ideological Orientations

James C. Garand, Louisiana State University

Angela Farizo, Louisiana State University

Nicholas Davis, Louisiana State University

Religious Right, Religious Left, Both, or Neither? Understanding Religious Ideological Identification

Angela Farizo, Louisiana State University

James C. Garand, Louisiana State University

Nicholas Davis, Louisiana State University

Laura R. Olson, Clemson University

Discussants

Quin Monson, Brigham Young University

Ryan L Claassen, Kent State University

4126

Saturday
8:00am-9:30am
Strand 11B

Country-Specific Perspectives on Nuclear and Other Armament

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair

Clifton Sherrill, Troy University

Participants

Embedded Rationality: Explaining China's Opaque Diplomacy on Nonproliferation

Hongyu Zhang, University of Georgia

The Multilateral Sanctions Regime Instituted in Iran and Its Effects on Nuclear Policy Compliance

Scott Camuto, Michigan State

Discussant

Clifton Sherrill, Troy University

**4127***Saturday**8:00am-11:00am**Strand 12***Executive Council Meeting - Saturday****Meetings****Participants**

Thomas Carsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
 Ann O'M. Bowman, Texas A&M University
 Judith Baer, Texas A&M University
 William G. Jacoby, Michigan State University
 David Lewis, Vanderbilt University
 Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University
 Kelly D. Patterson, Brigham Young University
 Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa
 Marc Hetherington, Vanderbilt University
 Stella Rouse, University of Maryland
 D Sunshine Hillygus, Duke University
 B. D'Andra Orey, Jackson State University
 Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri
 Robert Howard, Georgia State University
 Pearl Ford Dowe, University of Arkansas, *Nominated*
 Susan Haire, University of Georgia, *Nominated*
 Cherie Maestas, University of North Carolina Charlotte, *Nominated*
 Jeff Gill, Washington University, *Nominated*

Ann Bowman presiding as President

4128*Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 13A***Roundtable on Women in Methodology: Challenges and Solutions****Women and Politics****Participants**

Lonna Rae Atkeson, University of New Mexico
 Jolly Ann Emrey, University of Wisconsin, Whitewater
 Natalie Jackson, Huffington Post/Pollster.com
 Wendy Martinek, Binghamton University
 Laura Langbein, American University
 Ellen Key, Appalachian State University
 Ngoc Phan, University of Southern Mississippi

Chair

Jennifer Kelkres Emery, University of West Florida

This roundtable will discuss challenges women face in leading and teaching in research methods, as well as the status of the support network for female scholars who are developing expertise in methods (e.g. Visions in Methodology, the Women's Dinner at the Annual PolMeth meeting, and NSF-funded training available to all scholars).

**4129***Saturday**8:00am-9:30am**Strand 13B***State Politics and Change****State Politics****Chair**

Daniel C. Lewis, Siena College

Participants

Designing a State Energy Regulation Index

Ryan M. Yonk, Southern Utah University

Nicholas Hilton, Utah State University

On the Development of the Congress of the Texas Republic

Nathan Keith Mitchell, Prairie View A&M University

The Changing Anatomy of Political Corruption in Massachusetts

Maurice Tobin Cunningham, University of Massachusetts, Boston

What Drives the Relationship between Legislative Term Limits and Fiscal Policy?

Daniel C. Lewis, Siena College

Hydraulic Fracturing Policy in the States

Rick Witmer, Creighton University

Matthew Barnes, Princeton University

Taylor Benson, Creighton University

Discussant

Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

4202*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 2***Democratization: Leaders, Institutions, and Discourses****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Robert C. Harding, Spring Hill College

Participants

Business Sector Candidates and the Integrity of Elections

Erik Herron, West Virginia University

Fredrik Sjoberg, NYU/World Bank

Democratization and Political Socialization in Taiwan: An Age-Cohort-Period Analysis

Lu Chung Dennis Weng, Wesleyan University

Institutions and Constitutions in Contemporary Uganda

Ryan Gibb, Baker University

Sultan Putin? Is the Façade of Democracy in Russia turning into Sultanism?

Jennifer Romine, University of Illinois

The Transformation of the Political Space in the Arab World

Malek Abduljaber, Wayne State University

Myanmar's Democratization Approaching a New Form of Political Development since 2008 ?:

An Analysis of State-Society Interaction

Jenn-Jaw Soong, National Cheng Kung University

Yi-Chun Chen, National Cheng Kung University

Discussants

Chad Kiewiet de Jonge, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

Renee Gannon Scherlen, Appalachian State University

**4203***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 3***Challenges, Solutions, and Best Practices in Internships****Teaching Political Science****Participant****Bobbi Gentry**, Bridgewater College

Research and insights about internship practices have not kept pace with the increasing demand for internships nationwide. This roundtable will examine current legal challenges, practices at the departmental level, solutions to common problems, and developing best practices with respect to faculty, students, employers, and administrators. By reviewing the current literature on internship experiences in Political Science and inviting the audience to participate in the discussion, we will address the current state of evidence, assessment processes, requirements, and faculty concerns about internships. Participants will be encouraged to discuss their challenges and experiences, various institutional requirements, and solutions that might alleviate common problems or issues faced by stakeholders. After short presentations by the conveners, there will be time for Q&A. Participants will be invited to collaborate on research projects currently under development.

4204*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Bolden 4***New Research on the Organization of Terrorist Groups****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Participants**

Terrorists and the Failed State: The Role of Terrorist Groups after State Failure

Joshua Adam Freeman, University of Southern Mississippi

The Fox and the Lion: Terrorist Mobilization and the Effects of Militarizing the Conflict

Michael Douglas Baggs, Midwestern State University

ISIS: How do we stop them

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University



4205

Saturday

9:45am-11:15am

Bolden 5

Candidate Issue Positions and Voter Behavior

Elections and Voting

Chair

Elizabeth Simas, University of Houston

Participants

Do Partisan Voters Trust Party Switchers? A Case Study of the 2014 Florida Gubernatorial Election

Michael D. Martinez, University of Florida

Stephen C. Craig, University of Florida

Issue Trespassing and the Dynamics of Candidate Support

Kevin Banda, University of Nevada, Reno

No Love for Doves? Foreign Policy and Candidate Appeal

John V Kane, Stony Brook University

Helmut Norpoth, Stony Brook University, SUNY

Public Responses to Political Flip-Flops: Experimental Evidence

David Doherty, Loyola University Chicago

Conor M Dowling, University of Mississippi

Michael G. Miller, Barnard College, Columbia University

Discussant

Elizabeth Simas, University of Houston

4206

Saturday

9:45am-11:15am

Bolden 6

Context and Effects in the Contemporary Media Environment

Media and Politics

Chair

Jason Turcotte, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

Participants

An Empirical Examination of Media Fragmentation

Mike Gruszczynski, Austin Peay State University

Does Media Fragmentation Drive Elite Polarization?

Johanna Dunaway, Louisiana State University

Nicholas Davis, Louisiana State University

Christopher R Weber, University of Arizona

Understanding How Individual Differences and Political Context Shape Media Effects

Kevin Arceneaux, Temple University

Martin Johnson, Louisiana State University

Videomalaise and Assessment of American Government: 1998-2002

Jieun Park, Georgia State University

Discussant

Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M

**4212***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Foster 1***Political Parties and Congressional Polarization****Legislative Politics****Chair**

Gregory Koger, University of Miami

Participants

A Theory of Minority Party Influence in the U.S. Congress

Jeffery Jenkins, University of Virginia

Nathan Monroe, UC-Merced

Kaitlyn Smith, UC-Merced

Procedural Polarization: Examining Changes in the Construction of the Roll Call Voting Record, 1877-2012

Michael S. Lynch, University of Georgia

Anthony Madonna, University of Georgia

Jordan McKissick, University of Georgia

Rebecca A. Bennett, University of Georgia

Hannah M. Weiss, University of Georgia

Primary Challengers and Incumbent Ideology: Testing the Impact of Well-Funded Challengers on the Ideological Placement of Members of Congress.

Michael Kowal, University of Massachusetts

Samuel Stoddard, University of Massachusetts

The Positives of Partisanship: Establishing an Outside Ethics Commission in Congress

Logan Dancey, Wesleyan University

How do Institutions Shape Legislators' Induced Preferences

Daniel M. Butler, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant

Nicholas Howard, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

4213*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Foster 2***Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations in U.S. Elections****Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations****Participants**

A New Elections Federalism: Dual Election Administration Systems in 2014

Brandon Fincher, Auburn University

Kathleen Hale, Auburn University

Election Administration in the Southern States

Heather Creek, Pew Charitable Trusts

Mail Ballots: Divergent Definitions & Practices Across the States

Mitchell Brown, Auburn University

Kathleen Hale, Auburn University

The Effects of the Implementation of the Help America Vote Act on Election Administration

Shelbie Grace Keel, Auburn University

Voter Photo Identification Laws and State Court Rulings: Multiple Cracks in the Federal System

Bruce Ransom, Clemson University



4214

Saturday

9:45am-11:15am

Imperial 1

Public Opinion on Political Figures

Public Opinion

Chair

Matthew D Luttig, University of Minnesota

Participants

Economic News Effects on the Public's Opinion of the President

Gino Joseph Tozzi Jr, University of Houston, Victoria

Peasants, Bankers or Parrots? The Role of Information Flow on Presidential Approval

Joshua L Whaley, Binghamton University

The Effect of Candidate Wealth on the 2012 Presidential Campaign

Meredith Sadin, University of California-Berkeley

Discussant

Pat Gouzien, University of Missouri, St. Louis

4215

Saturday

9:45am-11:15am

Imperial 2

Justice and Democratic Theory

Political Theory

Chair

Thomas Kleven, Thurgood Marshall School of Law, Houston, TX

Participants

Democracy's Disappointments: Lessons from Dewey and Foucault on World War I and the Iranian Revolution

Nick Dorzweiler, Northwestern University

Justifying Participatory Budgets with Public Philosophy: A Moral Limits of Markets Approach

Jeremy Brannon, University of North Texas

The Democratic Structure of Environmental Conflict

Lisa Ellis, University of Otago

Popular control without a popular will

Sean Ingham, University of Georgia

Discussant

Bryan McGraw, Wheaton College

**4216***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Imperial 10***Comparative Gender and Politics-Europe and Latin America****Women and Politics****Chair**

Andrea Kathryn Eckelman, University of Houston

Participants

Angela Merkel's Leadership: A Theoretical Assessment

Sarah Elise Wiliarty, Wesleyan University

Angela Merkel: Recasting German and EU Leadership?

Mary Nelle Hampton, ACSC

Gendered Budgeting: Examining the Spending Behaviors of Women and Men Executives

Kendall Funk, Texas A&M University

Tourism as Political Opportunity for Indigenous Women in the Yucatan and Guatemala

Heather Hawn, Mars Hill University

Discussant

Larry M Preston, Graduate College, Union Institute & University

The papers in this section critically evaluate input and output factors for women's representation in Europe and Latin America.

4217*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 1***Discrimination, violence****Race, Ethnicity, and Politics****Participants**

Domestic Violence, Undocumented Victims, and Rights Denied: Current Practices in Granting U Visas

Sheila Moreira, Rutgers-Newark

Racial Violence and the Contested Nature of "Law and Order" in the Postwar South

Kirstine Taylor, University of Washington

The Incumbency Connection: Political Violence and Electoral Politics

Sunita Parikh, Washington University in St. Louis

Ambreen Chaudhri, Washington University in St. Louis

**4218***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 2***The Constitution, the Family, and the Courts****Judicial Politics****Chair****Ralph C. Hancock**, Brigham Young University**Participants**

The Person, the American Constitution, and the Family

Peter Augustine Lawler, Berry College

The Supreme Court, Marriage and the New American Family

David Ramsey, University of West Florida

Does the Law and the Constitution of the Family Have to Change?

James R Stoner, Louisiana State University

Procreation, Education, and Parenthood in American Law

Scott Yenor, Boise State University

Is My Family Private? Ask the Court

Patrick Cain, Lakehead University**Discussant****Sara Henary**, Missouri State University

In the past several decades, state and federal courts have introduced numerous changes in the law of the family, often invoking the Constitution, which says next to nothing explicit about the family. This panel will explore those changes, examining the constitutional argument, developments in common and statutory law, technological innovations, and evolving public opinion, as well as the relative role of judges and other actors (legislators, officials, and voters) in bringing about change. We will consider the question of the law of the family in its own right, but will also ask how the manner of legal change in this area affects American constitutionalism as a whole.

4220*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 7***Middle East Politics: Undergraduate Research Exploring the Region's Instability****Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Participants**

'Reaping What Someone Else Has Sown': A Regional Assessment of the Impact of Western Influence

James Trigleth, University of Arkansas - Monticello

Russia's Involvement with Iran's Nuclear Program

Shehmin Awan, Maryville University of St. Louis

Social Spending in the Middle East

Chantel VE Raymond, Saginaw Valley State University

Yemen: Theocracy and Hypocrisy, Constitutional Optimism within an Illiberal Democracy

Nicholas A. Rudnik, Valdosta State University**Discussant****Rachel Bzostek**, The University of Texas at Tyler

**4221***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 8***Legislatures****Positive Political Theory****Participants**

Fair Play in the Assembly

Michael Gibilisco, University of Rochester Department of Political Science

Informational Lobbying and Legislative Voting

Keith Schnakenberg, University of Kentucky

What is Opposition Good For?

Betul Demirkaya, Washington University in St. Louis**4222***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 9***Elites, Leaders, and the Public in International Conflicts****International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair****Steven Miller**, Clemson University**Participants**

Elite Opinion Leadership in Protracted Conflicts

Kelly McHugh, Florida Southern College

New Leaders and the Termination of Old Wars: How the Civil-Military Variable Moderates the Politics of Blame

Shawn Thomas Cochran, USAF School of Advanced Air and Space Studies

Testing the Interaction of Costs, Elite Conflict and Public Perceptions of Legitimacy during Wartime

Erin Elizabeth Hurley, University of Sydney

Rally 'Round the Flag vs. the Democratic Peace

Nicholas Philip Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University

Bringing "Relations" back into International Relations: A Call for a New Research Agenda

John D. Van Doorn, Troy University**Discussant****Steven Miller**, Clemson University



4223

Saturday

9:45am-11:15am

Strand 10A

Socratic Political Philosophy

Political Theory

Chair

Shawn Chris Welnak, Long Island University, Post

Participants

How to Watch for Individuals' Needs and Aptitudes: A New Reading of Socrates' Politics

Nathan Sawatzky, University of Notre Dame

Socrates and Aristophanes on the Best Regime

Derek Duplessie, Tuland University

Discussant

Veronica Roberts, Princeton University

4224

Saturday

9:45am-11:15am

Strand 10B

Legislative Elections and Representation

Elections and Voting

Chair

Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University

Participants

Do Extremists Encourage Extremism? Election Results and the Ideology of the Candidate Pool in U.S. House Races

Andrew Hall, Harvard University

Making a Point: Stacking the Deck Through U.S. Senate Appointments?

Timothy Lynch, Lewis-Clark State College

Rain and Representation: The Effect of Margin of Victory on Incumbent Legislative Behavior

John Arthur Henderson, Yale University

John Brooks, University of California, Berkeley

Why Shirking? The District Characteristics of Partisan Intradistrict Deviation

Ian McDonald, Lewis & Clark College

Lincoln Boyd, Lewis & Clark College

Discussant

Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University

**4225***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 11A***The Bible, Civil Religion, Political Movements and Political Ideas****Religion and Politics****Chair**

Joseph S. Devaney, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

Participants

Onward Townsend Soldiers: The Civil Religion and Moral Politics of the Townsend Movement

Aaron Quinn Weinstein, Brown University

The American Jeremiad: The Bible in the Civil Rights and Christian Right Movements

Jonathan Keller, Hunter College

The Centrality of the Kingdom over the Contours of Christian Political Theology

Troy Gibson, University of Southern Mississippi

The Moral and Biblical Basis of Just War Theory

Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

Discussants

Joseph S. Devaney, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

4226*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 11B***Theoretical Approaches to International Security****International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

Robin Marshall Bittick, Sam Houston State University

Participants

From History to Practice to Theory: Raymond Aron's Peace and War

Bryan Frost, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

Modern Japanese Security Policy and Neoclassical Realism

Clifton Sherrill, Troy University

The Coming Power Transition and Nuclear Weapons

Michael Tkacik, Stephen F. Austin State University

The Neoconservative War on Modernity

Benjamin Luongo, University of South Florida

Ethics and International Politics: Thinking Limits and Promises of Ethical Foreign Policy in the era of Armed Humanitarianism

Visne Korkmaz, Yildiz Technical University

**4228***Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 13A***Bottom-up Federalism: how cities are (re)shaping American public policy****Urban Politics****Chair****Benoy Jacob**, University of Colorado, Denver**Participants**

Local Elected Officials and Local Public Administrators: Understanding Commitment, Discretion and Innovation on Climate Change Policy and Practice

Brian J. Gerber, University of Colorado, Denver

Bottom-up federalism and local government advocacy: The role of local governments in state-wide fracking policy debates

Samuel Gallher, School of Public Affairs - University of Colorado, Denver

Bottom-Up Federalism: Leadership on Climate Change Policy and Clean Energy.

Terry O'Sullivan, University of Akron

Local Bureaucrats and Policy Leadership: The case of the Elk River Chemical Spill

Warren Eller, University of West Virginia

The extant theories of federalism – legal, economic, and political – offer a fairly precise demarcation of the ‘appropriate’ policy domains for different levels of government. For local governments, the policy domains are often defined by low externalities, few economies of scale, and non redistributive in nature. Thus, the policy role of local governments is often conceptualized in quite narrow terms; defined to only a handful of public issues within their specific geographic boundaries. Increasingly, however, local governments – cities in particular – are taking an active role in policy domains that fall outside of this theoretical and conceptual framework (e.g. immigration, gun control, and climate change). Simply stated, as it relates to local governments, the extant theories are no longer adequate. The proposed panel examines what the new role of local governments looks like in the context of different policy areas.

4229*Saturday**9:45am-11:15am**Strand 13B***State Politics and Fiscal Issues****State Politics****Chair****Joshua L. Mitchell**, University of Arkansas**Participants**

Ballot proposition awareness among voters.

Shaun Bowler, UC Riverside**Stephen P. Nicholson**, University of California, Merced

Parcel Tax Elections in California School Districts

D. Roderick Kiewiet, Caltech**Sarah Hill**, CSU-Fullerton**Shelly Arsneault**, CSU-Fullerton

Public Sector Unions and Fiscal Sustainability in the U.S. States: Evidence from Revised Pension Data

Carolyn Abbott, Princeton University

The Short-run and Long-run Effects of Supermajority Rule to Raise Taxes on Fiscal Outcomes across States

Soomi Lee, University of La Verne

Voters, Politicians, and Schools: Reassessing the Fiscal Effects of Direct Democracy

Christopher Berry, University of Chicago**Discussant****James Craig Clinger**, Murray State University

**4301***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 1***Institutions and Economic Performance: Historical Legacies, Social Conditions, and Economic Policies****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

Participants

Autocratic Constraint and Default: Which Autocracies Make more Credible Commitments?

Stephen Bagwell, University of Georgia

Allison Cuttner, University of Georgia

Resource Nationalism and Mining: Comparing Nationalization Efforts in Latin America and Africa

Paula Mukherjee, UNC-Chapel Hill

Alissandra T. Stoyan, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

The Factional Politics of Exchange Rate in China

Jiun Da Lin, UCSD IR/PS

Discussants

Elena Sokolova, Temple University

John D. Van Doorn, Troy University

4302*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 2***Grassroots Political Activism in China: Empirical Analyses****Comparative Politics: Developing Areas****Chair**

Wenfang Tang, University of Iowa

Participants

The Driving Factors of Conflict Behavior in China: A Structural Equation Model with CGSS2010 Data

Guang Cheng, Southwest Jiaotong University

Qingquan Xie, Southwest Jiaotong University

Why do College Students Join the Communist Party in China—An Analysis of Political Identity

Xuchuan Lei, Southwest Jiaotong University

Peng Wang, Southwest Jiaotong University

Wen Lei, Southwest Jiaotong University

Community Participation and Political Socialization among Chinese College Students

Xuchuan Lei, Southwest Jiaotong University

Xiaoqing Ye, Southwest Jiaotong University

Jian Yang, Southwest Jiaotong University

Are Online Survey Data Valid and Reliable? Experimental Evidence from Groups of College Students

Wei Zhao, Southwest Jiaotong University

Xuchuan Lei, Southwest Jiaotong University

Effects of Identity Recognition on the Perception of Procedural Justice: An Empirical Assessment in China

Zhi Yuan, Southwest Jiaotong University

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Discussant

Jie Lu, American University

**4303***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 3***Public Policy in the European Context****Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations****Chair**

Saundra Schneider, Michigan State University

Participants

Europeanisation Across Time: Evidence from an Expert Survey

Galina Zapryanova, University of Mannheim

Kyriaki Nanou, University of Nottingham

Institutional Design & Economic Inequality: How Economic Actors Influence Public Policy in Germany and the United States

Jennifer Hudson, University of Central Florida

No Smoking: Changes to Germany's Tobacco Control Policy

Alice Cooper, University of Mississippi

Paulette Kurzer, University of Arizona

The United States and Europe: Cross-National Concern about Climate Change

Brian Kennedy, Michigan State University

Discussant

Saundra Schneider, Michigan State University

4304*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 4***The Design and Effectiveness of Foreign Aid Programs****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Participants**

Bypass Aid in Sub-Saharan Africa: Are Alternative Donor Delivery Tactics Stimulating Economic Growth and Development?

Gerardo Armando Urtuzuastigui, University of Missouri

Designing Foreign Aid Packages to Assuage the Public

Tobias Heinrich, University of South Carolina

Yoshiharu Kobayashi, Nazarbayev University

Does Aid Reduce Tax Revenues?: Micro-Evidence from Tanzania

Takaaki Masaki, Cornell University

From Swagger to Self-Advocacy: India's Extended "Transition" in the World Bank

Jason A. Kirk, Elon University

Vikash Yadav, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

Keep in Corps: An Analysis of the Decisions to Close Peace Corps County Programs

Thomas Nisley, Southern Polytechnic State University

**4305***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 5***Roundtable – The Rhetoric of Heroic Expectations: Establishing the Obama Presidency****Presidential/Executive Politics****Participants**

Justin Vaughn, Boise State University
 Jennifer R. Mercieca, Texas A&M University
 Jonathan H. Bernstein, Bloomberg View
 Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University
 Melvin Carl Laracey, University of Texas, San Antonio
 Curt Nichols, Baylor University
 Joshua M. Scacco, Purdue University

Chair

Jose D. Villalobos, University of Texas, El Paso

An exciting Roundtable discussion on the recently released book, *The Rhetoric of Heroic Expectations: Establishing the Obama Presidency* (2014, Justin S. Vaughn and Jennifer R. Mercieca eds.).

4306*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Bolden 6***Media Use in Crises, Protests, and Political Change****Media and Politics****Chair**

Paige Kathleen Brown, Louisiana State University

Participants

A content analysis of crisis response strategies in media messages: A comparative study of South Korea and the United States

A-Reum Jung, Louisiana State University

The Innovative Use of Media by Social Movements in the United States

Ben Epstein, DePaul University

The impact of social media on political change: Gezi protests in Turkey

Selin Guner, St. Edward's University

Tweeting the First Anniversary of the Deepwater Horizon Oil Disaster

Victoria L. LaPoe, Western Kentucky University

Andrea Miller, LSU

Understanding Social Media and Protest Behavior in Latin America

Ryan Salzman, Northern Kentucky University

Discussant

Christopher B Mann, Louisiana State University



4312

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Foster 1

**Authors Meets Critics: Representational Style in Congress:
What Legislators Say and Why It Matters**

Legislative Politics

Author

Justin Grimmer, Stanford University

Critics

Daniel M. Butler, Washington University in St. Louis

Nathan Monroe, UC-Merced

Christian R Grose, University of Southern California

4313

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Foster 2

Credit Claiming and Influencing Popular Perceptions using Intergovernmental Actions

Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Participants

Credit-Claiming or Piggybacking?: American Federalism and Gubernatorial Rhetoric

Bryan Cook, Florida State University

Hurricanes, Floods, and Earthquakes: The Politics of Natural Disasters

Harry C Strine IV, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania

Christopher Darr, Indiana University - Kokomo

**4314***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Imperial 1***Shaping Public Opinion****Public Opinion****Chair**

Christopher Lawrence, Middle Georgia State College

Participants

Accountability and Opinion Quality in Deliberative Forums

Nicholas Felts, Ohio State University

Drawing Contrasts: How Political Graphs Shape Public Opinion

Adam Gregory Hughes, University of Virginia

Objective or Subjective? The impact of economic security on individuals' opinion towards affirmative action.

Amy Lynn Roomsburg, University of New Orleans

Deborah Toscano, University of New Orleans

Joy Ballard, University of New Orleans

Rational Disbelief: The Role of Belief Certainty & Heuristics in Information Updating

William D Flanders, Florida State University

Discussant

Nicholas Philip Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University

4315*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Imperial 2***Nature and Authority in Literature and Film****Political Theory****Chair**

Ryan Lee Teten, University of Louisiana in Lafayette

Participants

Machiavelli, The Hunger Games, and the Art of Dictatorship

Michael J Faber, Texas State University

Seductress, Storyteller, and Subject: Helen of Argos and the "Feminine" Complex of Dialectic of Enlightenment

Katherine C Bermingham, University of Notre Dame

Shiny Happy People: Human Nature and Technological Advancement in Atwood's "Oryx and Crake"

Kimberly Hurd Hale, Washington and Lee University

Bad Batman: The Case against the Dark Knight

Alan Ivan Baily, Stephen F. Austin State University

Discussant

Zachary Austine Stine, Tulane University



4316

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Imperial 10

Contention in Reproductive Rights Politics

Women and Politics

Chair

Lois Duke Whitaker, Georgia Southern University

Participants

Divided Elites Effects on Women's Organizations' Political Activity in Developed Democracies

Alexandria Wilson, University of Florida

Not Just a Southern Thing: Racialized Criminalization of Pregnancy

Grace Elizabeth Howard, Rutgers Univeristy

The Persons Behind the "Personhood" Movement: The Newest Pro-Life Activists

Susan Lynn Roberts, Davidson College

Unplanned at What Price?: How "Defund Planned Parenthood" Policies Affect Reproductive Health Outcomes

Angela Nicole Allison, Texas A&M University

Discussant

Laura R. Woliver, University of South Carolina

4317

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 1

Partisanship and Elections

Race, Ethnicity, and Politics

Participants

Explaining Heterogeneity in Latino American Partisanship and Ideology

Matthew L Jacobsmeier, West Virginia University

Felony Disenfranchisement: A Study of the Racial, Class, Constitutional and Partisan Impacts

Carter Wilson, Northern Michigan University

Ruth Watry, Northern Michigan University

Maximizing the Vote: De-racializing Strategies of Minority Candidates

Loren Collingwood, University of California, Riverside

Bishin Ben, University of California, Riverside

Erinn Lauterbach, University of California, Riverside

Understanding Non-Metro Hispanic Partisanship: Rural Hispanics and the Republican Party

Daniel Benjamin Bailey, Texas Tech University

Discussant

Mirya Holman, Florida Atlantic University

**4318***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 2***The Politics of Lower Federal Courts****Judicial Politics****Chair**

Virginia Hettinger, University of Connecticut

Participants

Compliance or Attrition? Re-evaluating Jurisprudential Regimes in the Courts of Appeals

Christopher Krewson, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Ryan Owens, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Judicial Diversity: The Pre-Bench Experiences of Federal Appellate Judges

Mark Hurwitz, Western Michigan University

Drew Lanier, University of Central Florida

Nominee Ideology and the Judicial Confirmation Crisis

Stephanie Dean, Emory University

Speaking Different Languages: How Ideological Distance between Appeals Courts and the Supreme Court Affects Certiorari

Andrew Hewitt Smith, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Discussant

Marcus E Hendershot, Oklahoma State University

4320*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 7***Teaching Political Science: Perspectives on Faculty and Student Engagement****Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Teaching Political Science****Chair**

James LaPlant, Valdosta State University

Participants

Assessing the Effect of Break-Out Sessions on Student Learning Outcomes and Retention

Elizabeth Oldmixon, University of North Texas

Bethany Blackstone, University of North Texas

Implementing the New Government Core Curriculum at Kilgore College, a Two-Year College in Texas

Lindsey Beth McLennan, Kilgore College

Public Engagement and the Liberal Arts Professor

Elizabeth S Smith, Furman University

Luke Christie, Furman University

Sean O'Rourke, Furman University

Paul Djupe, Dennison University

Discussant

Heather Hawn, Mars Hill University



4321

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 8

Elections

Positive Political Theory

Participants

Centripetal and Centrifugal Electoral Incentives in Multidimensional Policy Spaces

Robi Ragan, San Jose State University

Political Marketing Games

Jidong Chen, Princeton

Matias Iaryczower, Princeton

Second-Order Elections and Cabinet Reshuffles

Livio Di Leonardo, New York University

4322

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 9

Policy Diffusion

Public Policy

Chair

Samantha Mosier, Missouri State University

Participants

Towards a New Approach to Understanding Policy Diffusion: An Enhanced Policy Diffusion Model

Samantha Mosier, Missouri State University

Diffusion of Local Renewable Energy Policies in the United States

Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo, University of Kentucky

Whitney Davis, University of Kentucky

John Poe, University of Kentucky

Diffusion versus need: Competing hypotheses for obesity school policy adoption

Danielle Atkins, University of Tennessee

Daniel L Fay, University of Georgia

Vicky Wilkins, American University

Examining the Adoption and Diffusion of Sharia Law in U.S. States

Joshua L. Mitchell, University of Arkansas

Brendan P. Toner, Arkansas Tech University

Discussant

Kristin O'Donovan, Wayne State University

**4323***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 10A***Elites and Democracy in American Political Thought****Political Theory****Chair**

David J. Siemers, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh

Participants

An American Abroad: Thomas Jefferson and Early National Diplomacy

Dustin Gish, University of Houston, Honors College

Tocqueville and American Political Values

Steven M. Smallpage, Michigan State University

Adam M. Enders, Michigan State University

Tocqueville on Equality and Democracy in the Age of the 1%

Simon Stacey, UMBC

"Visual Politics and 'Uses of Civility' in the Early Republic"

Joseph Mink, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

Discussant

James R Stoner, Louisiana State University

4324*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 10B***Voter Beliefs and Information****Elections and Voting****Chair**

David Doherty, Loyola University Chicago

Participants

Changing Perceptions but Not Positions: The Effect of Information about Equality of Opportunity in America

Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University

Conor M Dowling, University of Mississippi

How Long Does New Knowledge Last? The Enduring Quality of Political Misperception

Conor M Dowling, University of Mississippi

Michael G. Miller, Barnard College, Columbia University

Incumbency and Information: Voter Heterogeneity and the Incumbency Advantage

Devin Caughey, MIT

Krista Loose, MIT

Christopher S. Warshaw, MIT

What Voters Believe Matters: Variation in Concepts of Representation in the Netherlands and Germany

Debra Lynn Leiter, UMKC

Discussant

David Doherty, Loyola University Chicago



4325

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 11A

Islamic Culture and Politics

Religion and Politics

Participants

Islamism and Cultural Despair

Ralph Gert Schoellhammer, University of Kentucky / Danube University Krems

Salafi Women in Post-Revolution Egypt

Hebatullah Selim, University of Birmingham

The Islamic Republic of Iran: Between Theocracy and 'Clerical Fascism'

Eliot Assoudeh, University of Nevada Reno

Cain and Abel in Torah and Qur'an

Steven D. Ealy, Liberty Fund, Inc.

Discussant

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University

4326

Saturday

11:30am-1:00pm

Strand 11B

Intrastate Conflict in Cross-Cultural Contexts

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair

Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida

Participants

On the Possible Origins of Kashmiri and Palestinian Revolt in the Late 1980s

Shlomo Bolts, Syrian American Council; TAG Institute for Jewish Social Values

Power Sharing, Autonomy, and Conflict in Greater Kurdistan: Exploring the Effects of Transnational Group Power on Intrastate Conflict

Megan Ann Connelly, SUNY Buffalo State

Kyeonghi Baek, SUNY Buffalo State

Securitization and the Maintenance of Minority Rule: The Case of Syria

Leonard Robinson, Salisbury University

The Reality of Instability in Syria: The Case of the Islamic State

Benjamin William Cole, Auburn University

Discussants

Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida

Faisal Muhammad Majeed, Forman Christian College University

**4328***Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 13A*
Urban and Local Service Provision, Methods of Election, Forms of Government, Partisanship, and Spatial Memory
Urban Politics
Participants

Does Combining At-Large and District Representation Enhance or Undermine Minority Representation?: The Case of Little Rock, Arkansas

Kiril Kolev, Hendrix College

Jay Barth, Hendrix College

How Representative is Town Meeting? Not Very

Ray La Raja, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Wouter Van Erve, University of Massachusetts-Amherst

Shifting Preferences and Moving People: The Partisan Divergence of Urban and Rural Areas

Markie Rae McBrayer, University of Houston

Spatial Memory: The Cityscape of Laredo

Mehnaaz Momen, Texas A & M International University

Defection Vulnerability and Transaction Cost Characteristics

Namhoon Ki, Florida State University

Chang-Gyu Kwak, Florida State University

4329*Saturday**11:30am-1:00pm**Strand 13B*
Health and Social Welfare Policy
State Politics
Participants

State Policy and Children's Medicaid Eligibility: Application of the Median Voter Model

Emily M Johnston, Emory University

The Influence of Oligarchy on Welfare Generosity: Evidence from the U.S. States

Thomas Hayes, University of Connecticut

Lyle Scruggs, University of Connecticut

The Politics of Smoking in Louisiana

Judith Sylvester, Louisiana State University

Who Gets Left Out? Explaining the Determinants of Changing Eligibility Criteria for State TANF Programs

Sojin Jang, University of Colorado Denver

Brian J. Gerber, University of Colorado, Denver

Discussant

Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana, Monroe



4427

Saturday

1:00pm-2:00pm

Strand 12

2016 Program Committee Meeting

Meetings

Participants

David Lewis, Vanderbilt University

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

4402

Saturday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Bolden 2

Politics of Distribution and Redistribution: Domestic and International Perspectives

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair

Jonathon Patrick Whooley, University of Florida

Participants

Competitive Clientelism

Edwin Camp, Vanderbilt University

Mariela Szwarcberg, Reed College

Political Regimes and Redistribution

Dae Jin Yi, Hankuk University of Foreign Studies

Jun Hee Woo, Korea University

Job insecurity and Attitudes towards Redistributive Policies in South Korea

Soomi Lee, University of La Verne

Discussant

Orlandrew Eion Danzell, Mercyhurst University

**4403***Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 3***Technology and Political Science Education****Teaching Political Science****Chair**

Nicholas Philip Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University

Participants

Learning Management Systems: The Impact of Race and Gender on the Learning Process

T Price Dooley, University of Illinois Springfield

Using Online Tutorials To Teach Statistics Software Skills

Doug Roscoe, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

When Upside Down is Right-side Up: A Skills Based Flipped Classroom Approach to Political Science

Alan Steinberg, Sam Houston State University

Discussant

Lee Hannah, Penn State

4404*Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Bolden 4***New Directions for Research on Transnational Actors and Advocacy****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Participants**

More Harm than Good? Does Transnational Advocacy create more of a Backlash than Benefit?

Danial Aaron Hoepfner, University of Pittsburgh

The Domestic Consequences of International Shame: How Naming and Shaming Affects Individual Participation in Protest and Rebellion

Jacob Ausderan, Tulane University

Resisting Rights: How African Churches Navigate Transnational Expectations and Local Demands

Sarah Kristin Dreier, University of Washington



4405

Saturday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Bolden 5

Economic Voting, Fiscal Policy, and Voter Behavior

Elections and Voting

Chair

Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

Participants

Economic voting and welfare states: Does welfare system hinder economic voting?

Jungsub Shin, University of Missouri-Columbia

Beomseob Park, University of Missouri-Columbia

Political Business Cycles in Dictatorship

Masaaki Higashijima, Michigan State University

Political Sophistication, Attribution, and Economic Voting: Assessing the Evidence

Brad Gomez, Florida State University

Matthew Wilson, Southern Methodist University

The Dynamics of Fiscal Policy and Electoral Outcomes: Fiscal Transparency and Voter Turnout

Chang Beum Kwon, George Mason University

Hyungon Kim, Inter-American Development Bank

Kyung Min Lee, George Mason University

Discussant

Mary Stegmaier, University of Missouri

4406

Saturday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Bolden 6

Race and Gender in Political Communication and the News

Media and Politics

Chair

Newly Paul, Louisiana State University

Participants

Race, Gender, and National Television News Coverage of U.S. House Members

Jeremy Padgett, University of Mobile

Social Media and Minority Interests: A Content Analysis of U.S. Senator Twitter Activity

Mandi Bailey, Valdosta State University

Jennifer Dandron, Valdosta State University

"Quote a Female Scientist": Science Press Releases and Science Writers' News Judgment

Paige Kathleen Brown, Louisiana State University

Christopher B Mann, Louisiana State University

The role of gender in equalizing issue priorities in presidential debates

Jason Turcotte, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

Newly Paul, Louisiana State University

Discussants

Johanna Dunaway, Louisiana State University

Kathleen Searles, Louisiana State University

**4412***Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Foster 1***Parties and Leaders: Reflections on the 20th Anniversary of the 104th Congress****Legislative Politics****Participants**

Charles Stewart, MIT
 Larry C Dodd, University of Florida
 Nathan Monroe, UC-Merced
 Bruce Oppenheimer, Vanderbilt University

Chair

David Rohde, Duke University

January's meeting of the Southern Political Science Association coincides with the 20th anniversary of the opening of the 104th Congress. Having won control of both chambers for the first time since 1952, Republicans set forth on an ambitious effort "change Washington" and implement their "Contract with America." Please join us for a roundtable discussion where noted congressional scholars reflect upon 20 years of research on parties, party leaders, and polarization.

4413*Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Foster 2***Decentralization and the Allocation of Intergovernmental Transfers****Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations****Chair**

James Craig Clinger, Murray State University

Participants

Decentralization and Increased Debt: Accident or Strategy

Meghan McConaughey, Georgetown University

From Negotiation to Arbitration: Winners and Losers in Georgia Revenue Distribution

Sarah Beth Gehl, Georgia State University

Political Cycles and the allocation of federal transfers in Brazilian states and municipalities (1990-2014)

Enivaldo Carvalho Rocha, Federal University of Pernambuco (UFPE)

Mariana Batista, Federal University of Pernambuco

Dalson Britto Figueiredo Filho, Federal University of Pernambuco (UFPE)

Government Revenue Collection, Expenditure Outlay and the Economy

G. Ross Stephens, University of Missouri, Kansas City

Discussant

James Craig Clinger, Murray State University



4414

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Imperial 1

Ideology and Polarization

Public Opinion

Chair

Kevin Banda, University of Nevada, Reno

Participants

In a Rush: Ideological Constraint and Time to Completion on Public Opinion Surveys

Edward Burmila, Bradley University

Partisan Polarization and Deliberative Democracy: The Role of Affect and Ideology

Ryan Strickler, University of South Carolina

Discussant

Mike Gruszczynski, Austin Peay State University

4415

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Imperial 2

Twentieth Century Political Theory

Political Theory

Chair

Alan Ivan Baily, Stephen F. Austin State University

Participants

Abolishing the Objective: A Voegelinian Critique of Marxian Consciousness

Emma Christine Fontenot, University of Southern Mississippi

An Ethos of Politics Between Realism and Conviction: The Enigmatic Ethics of Max Weber

Joshua Cherniss, Georgetown University

Rorty and the Question Concerning Truth

Michael T Gibbons, University of South Florida

The Rule of Law, Positivism, and Natural Law: Examining Such Themes in the Works of

Michael Oakeshott, John Austin, H.L.A. Hart, and Lon Fuller

Peter Daniel Haworth, Ciceronian Society Foundation

Discussant

Giorgi Areshidze, gareshidze@claremontmckenna.edu

**4416**

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Imperial 10

Gendered Behavior in the US House**Women and Politics****Chair**

Mitchell Brown, Auburn University

Participants

Assessing the Long Term Impact of Competitive Female Candidates: An Analysis of U.S. House Races

Katelyn E Stauffer, Indiana University

The Effects of Gender on Winnowing in the U.S. House of Representatives

Victoria Anne Rickard, University of Oklahoma

Understanding the "Party Gap" in Women Elected to the US House of Representatives, 1946-2014

Barbara Palmer, Baldwin Wallace University

Dennis M Simon, Southern Methodist University

This panel will examine various aspects of gender cues within and across parties in the US House and in elections to the US House.

4417

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 1

Executive Unilateral Powers**Presidential/Executive Politics****Chair**

Michelle Helene Belco, University of Houston

Participants

Executive Orders: When, Why, and How Presidents Use Them

Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

Veto Bargaining in Iterated Games: LBJ, Ford, and the Freedom of Information Act

Kevin Baron, University of Florida

Barack Obama and the Clemency Power: Reform on the Way?

Jeffrey Crouch, American University

Public Perception of the Presidential Toolkit

Kenneth Lowande, University of Virginia

Thomas Gray, University of Virginia

Discussants

Gary Edward Hollibaugh, University of Notre Dame

Gbemende Johnson, Hamilton College



4418

Saturday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Strand 2

Courts in State and Local Politics and Policy

Judicial Politics

Chair

Lauren Cohen Bell, Randolph-Macon College

Participants

Home Rule or Judge Rule? State Supreme Court Justice Behavior in Local Government Regulation Cases

Matthew Jason Zalewski, Michigan State University

Potential Jurors' Attitudes and Beliefs about Attorneys: A Case Study from a Southern City

Kenneth Wink, University of Texas at Tyler

John Clark, University of Texas at Tyler

Renewing the Longitudinal Study of Trial Courts

Patrick Peel, University of Montana

Supreme Court Religious Doctrine in Texas Public Schools: A Test of the Composite Model of Compliance for Texas School Administrators

Donald Michael Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University

Charles Frederick Abel, Stephen F. Austin State University

Discussant

Matthew Reid Krell, University of Alabama

4420

Saturday

1:15pm-2:45pm

Strand 7

Public Policy in the United States: Undergraduate Research on Environmental, Poverty and Welfare Policies

Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching

Chair

James LaPlant, Valdosta State University

Participants

Can We Frack and Have Renewables, Too? Natural gas as a bridge to carbon zero

Michael Zoorob, Vanderbilt University

To Green or Not to Green: Understanding Variations in Levels of Climate Change Policy Adoption by U.S. States

Shannon Aileen Temlak, Elon University

Hurricane Katrina and New Orleans: Pre-existing Conditions to Present Day Realities

Colleen Closson, Mercer University

Falling into Quicksand: Social Welfare Policy's Fight against the Inequalities of Poverty

Ashley Lawrence, University of Arkansas - Monticello

Discussant

Elizabeth Wheat, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay

**4421**

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 8

Oversight**Positive Political Theory****Participants**

Compliance and Middle Managers

Deborah Beim, Yale University

Taking the Law to Court: Citizen Suits and the Legislative Process

Marion Dumas, Ms.

Working Towards Policy: A Theory of Organizational Implementation and Management

John Patty, Washington University in Saint Louis

4422

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 9

Authors Meet Critics: Benjamin Ginsberg's The Fall of the Faculty**Program Chair's Panels****Author**

Benjamin Ginsberg, Johns Hopkins University

Chair

Judith Baer, Texas A&M University

Critics

Candace Hetzner, Boston College

Patricia Hurley, Texas A&M University

Ralph Rossum, Claremont McKenna College

**4423***Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 10A***Political Theory in Contemporary Visual Media****Political Theory****Chair**

Sara Henary, Missouri State University

Participants

Cavell, Levinas, and Graphic Memoirs: Comics and the Politics of Suffering

Andrew Fletcher, The University of Alabama

Her Today, (Humans) Gone Tomorrow?

Stephen Savage, Louisiana State University

Lost and Found and Lost Again: Island Utopias and Dystopias in Contemporary Video Games

Ryan Lee Teten, University of Louisiana in Lafayette

Elizabeth Nyman, University of Louisiana in Lafayette

Democratic Nostalgia in Neoliberal Times: Downton Abbey's Political Affects

Mario Feit, Georgia State University

Discussant

Jeremy J Mhire, Louisiana Tech University

4424*Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 10B***Understanding the Causes and Consequences of Parties and Party Systems****Elections and Voting****Chair**

Adriana Buliga-Stoian, Mount Mercy University

Participants

A Test of Electoral Reform's Effect on Party Systems in Italy and New Zealand

Dalston G. Ward, Washington University in St. Louis

Does the Size Matter? The Influence of Effective Number of Parties on Voter Turnout.

Jakub Zajakala, University of Texas at El Paso

Forecasting the 2015 British General Election in a Fragmenting Party System

Matthew J Lebo, Stony Brook University, SUNY

Helmut Norpoth, Stony Brook University, SUNY

Ideology and Voter Turnout: How Partisan Effects of Increased Voter Turnout Vary Across the Left.

Allan Wilford, University of Tennessee

Discussant

Adriana Buliga-Stoian, Mount Mercy University

**4425**

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 11A

Religion and Public Opinion**Religion and Politics****Chair**

Paul Djupe, Dennison University

Participants

American Jews and Israel's Military Intervention in Gaza

Dawid Tatarczyk, Western Michigan University

Male v. Female Religious Elite Influence: An Examination of Catholic Public Opinion

Jeanine Kraybill, Claremont Graduate University

Perceptions of Threat to Religious Liberty

Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M

Craig M. Freeman, Oklahoma State University

Brian Smentkowski, Appalachian State

Who's in and Who's Out? The Politics of Religious Norms

Christopher Karpowitz, Brigham Young University

Quin Monson, Brigham Young University

Kelly D. Patterson, Brigham Young University

Discussants

Leigh A. Bradberry, California State University, Northridge

Paul Djupe, Dennison University

4426

Saturday
1:15pm-2:45pm
Strand 11B

Global and Regional Ramifications of the U.S.'s "War on Terror"**International Politics: Conflict and Security****Chair**

James Preston Todhunter, Troy University

Participants

The Afghanistan Effect

Marc David Turetzky, Gavilan College

Indonesia, 9/11, and its Relations with the Global Community: Is There a Relationship among them?

Arianne C Gouveia, Eastern Illinois University

The Future of South Asian Geopolitics: What New-Regionalists have to Say?

Faisal Muhammad Majeed, Forman Christian College University

Discussants

Thomas E. Rotnem, Southern Polytechnic State University

Rachel Bzostek, The University of Texas at Tyler

**4428***Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 13A***Urban Economic Development: Challenges, Opportunities, Responses****Urban Politics****Chair**

Mirya Holman, Florida Atlantic University

Participants

Mega-event strategy of downtown business elites: A case study of 1996 Atlanta Olympics

Tuna Batuhan, Florida State University

The Role of Quality of Life Amenities in City Economic Development: Views of City Managers

James Martin Vanderleeuw, Lamar University

Jason Sides, Lamar University

City Limits, Politics, and Local Developmental Policy

Susan M Opp, Colorado State University

Jeffery Osgood, West Chester University of Pennsylvania

Cynthia R. Rugeley, University of Minnesota, Duluth

Oklahoma City Metropolitan Area Projects: How OKC's downtown went from desolation to destination.

Joseph Campbell, Rose State College

The Urban Periphery and the Evolving Core: Cultural Policy and Metropolitan Restructuring

Costas Spirou, Georgia College & State University

Discussant

Joshua L. Mitchell, University of Arkansas

4429*Saturday**1:15pm-2:45pm**Strand 13B***Dynamics in State Elections****State Politics****Chair**

Greg Shufeldt, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Participants

Do Outsiders Have It Harder? Governors' personal background, legislative success, public approval, and electoral fortunes

Rafael Jacob, Temple University

Incumbent vulnerability in gubernatorial elections: The entry of U.S. House members from 1978 to 2008.

John A. Hamman, Southern Illinois University

Charles DiStefano, Southern Illinois University

Jumping Ship: The Causes and Consequences of Governors Turning to Third Parties

Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

The White Conservative Democratic Conundrum in Georgia

Cary J Smith, Clark Atlantic University

Discussant

Andrew Douglas McNitt, Eastern Illinois University

**4602**

Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Bolden 2

Understanding Rebellions, Revolts, and Civil Wars
International Politics: Conflict and Security
Chair

Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida

Participants

Containing Infection or Rivalry? Neighboring Intervention and Peace Durability after Civil Wars

Chong Chen, Utah State University

Education as a Security Threat

Kimberly Turner, Southern Illinois University

Governance between Governments: Civil War, Rebels, and Authority

Ryan Gibb, Baker University

Discussants

Jonathan Powell, University of Central Florida

Sophie Lee, Duke University

4603

Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Bolden 3

Electoral Systems, Institutions, and Political Parties
Political Parties
Elections and Voting
Chair

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Participants

Candidate-Centered Electoral Systems, Intra-Party Politics, and Cabinet Composition

Hiroki Kubo, Rice University

Constituency Diversity, District Magnitude, and Voter Coordination

Joshua D. Potter, Louisiana State University

Disentangling Party System Nationalization, Number of Electoral Parties and Social Diversity: a Nonrecursive Simultaneous Equations Approach

Fabricio Vassellai, Center for Political Studies - Umich / University of São Paulo

Explaining Citizen Perceptions of Party Ideological Positions: The Role of Voter Characteristics and Institutional Contexts

Royce Carroll, Rice University

Hiroki Kubo, Rice University

Discussants

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Andrew Waugh, Tulane University

**4604***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 4***The Security Considerations of International Economic Interdependence****International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights****Participants**

“Arms Around the World: United States Importing and Exporting of Firearms”

Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Is Interdependence model still valid for European energy supply security?

A current evaluation

Nursin Guney, Yildiz Technical University**Visne Korkmaz**, Yildiz Technical University

Patterns of North-South Investment in Farmland: Food Security or FDI as usual?

Patrick Egan, Tulane University**Joe Weinberg**, University of Southern Mississippi**4605***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 5***Government Performance and Policy Outcomes****Public Administration****Chair****Ryan Strickler**, University of South Carolina**Participants**

Does Context Condition the Effect of Chief Executives' Managerial Capacity on Municipal Performance?

Kohei Suzuki, Indiana University, Bloomington**Claudia N Avellaneda**, Indiana University

Employee Voluntary and Involuntary Turnover, and Organizational Performance: Revisiting the Hypothesis from Classical Public Administration

Seung-Ho An, Department of Political Science, Texas A&M University

Managing Diversity, Social Capital and Organizational Performance

Mallory Compton-Vuillaume, Texas A&M University**Ken Meier**, Texas A&M University

Much Ado About Nothing: Organizational Red Tape and Performance Revisited

Ken Meier, Texas A&M University**Polly Calderon**, Texas A&M University

Rebalancing Long-Term Care with Integrated Referral Systems

Jessica Gratz, Auburn University**Discussant****Gary Edward Hollibaugh**, University of Notre Dame

**4606***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Bolden 6***Civic Education as the Imperative****Civic Education****Participants**

A Particular Set of Skills: The Influence of Virtual Group Membership on Political Participation

Benjamin Isaak Gross, University of North Texas

Playing to Political Literacy

Laura Walsh, Georgia Gwinnett College**4612***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Foster 1***Congress and the Presidency****Legislative Politics****Presidential/Executive Politics****Chair****Richard S. Conley**, University of Florida**Participants**

Picking winners and losers: Policy Choices by the U.S. Congress and the President, 1947-2010

Pamela Lopez, American University

Delegation, Ideology, and Politicization

Sharece Thrower, The University of Pittsburgh**Alexander Bolton**, Princeton University

Coequality in the First Branch: Congressional Assertions about Institutional Equilibria Across Time

David J. Siemers, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh

Mining Congress: Unilateral Orders as an Agenda Setting Tool

Michelle Helene Belco, University of Houston**Discussants****Michelle Helene Belco**, University of Houston**Sharece Thrower**, The University of Pittsburgh

**4613***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Foster 2***Federalism: Understanding how and to whom power is distributed****Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations****Participants**

The Implications of Homeowner's Associations on Citizens and Government Institutions

Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University**Kimberly Karnes**, Old Dominion University

The Statehood Process: Applying Historical Arguments to Modern Debates

Steven Nawara, Lewis University

Why do States Grant Powers to Cities? Demand, Institutions and the Provision of Home Rule

Greg Goelzhauser, Utah State University**Charles Barrilleaux**, Florida State University**Jaclyn Bunch**, University of South Alabama

The "First and Most Natural Attachment:" Federalism in the United States and Canada Compared

Margaret Moslander, The University of Texas at Austin**Discussants****Daniel Davis Sledge**, University of Texas, Arlington**John Powell Hall**, Auburn University**4614***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Imperial 1***Group Identity and Tolerance****Public Opinion****Chair****Gino Joseph Tozzi Jr**, University of Houston, Victoria**Participants**

American Identity: Explaining Public Opinion towards Immigration

Maruice Mangum, Texas Southern University**Ray Block**, The University of Wisconsin, La Crosse

Cultural Shifts in the Nature of American Political Tolerance, 1976-2012

Adam M. Enders, Michigan State University**Steven M. Smallpage**, Michigan State University

Ethnocentrism and Linked Fate among African Americans, Latinos, and Caucasians

Angie Maxwell, University of Arkansas**Todd Shields**, University of Arkansas

Policy Popularity: The Arizona Immigration Law

Helmut Norpoth, Stony Brook University, SUNY**Jeeyoung Park**, Stony Brook University**Discussants****Anderson Starling**, University of Tennessee at Martin**Natasha Altama McNeely**, University of Texas - Pan American

**4615**

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 3:00pm-4:30pm
Imperial 2

Nietzsche on Soul and Value**Political Theory****Chair**

Geoffrey Kellow, Carleton University

Participants

Bringing the Soul Back In: Nietzsche, Plato, and the Dionysian Drama of the Soul

Troy Manuel Vidal, Columbus State University

Exile and Otherworldliness: Nietzsche on the Denaturalization of Values

Rodney Gill, University of North Texas

Nietzsche's Early Ethical Idealism

Jeffrey Church, University of Houston

The Politics of Suffering in Nietzsche's Birth of Tragedy

Candice Maneri, Montclair State University

Discussant

SangWon Lee, Claremont Graduate University

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Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
Imperial 10

Comparative Social Movement Strategies**Women and Politics****Chair**

Laura R. Woliver, University of South Carolina

Participants

Calculated Identity Positioning and Agency: Black Women Activists in the Environmental Justice Movement

Andrea Yvette Simpson, University of Richmond

Rhetoric, Perception, and Participation of Black Women in the Democratic Alliance

Christine Marie Slaughter, Spelman College

Subdued Power and Spoken Resistance: Analyzing the Range of Agencies in Muslim Women Surrounding the 2011 Egyptian Revolution

Polliann Hardeo, UMB Global Governance & Human Security Ph.D Program

Women's Movements, Militarism, and Feminist Policymaking in Uganda

Summer Forester, Purdue University

Discussant

Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College

This panel examines the rhetorical and structural strategies of social movement organizations at various points in multi-level systems to assess success and failure.

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 Strand 1

Social Media and Politics: Undergraduate Research on Facebook, Twitter and YouTube**Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching****Chair**

Lauren Cohen Bell, Randolph-Macon College

Participants

Campaigns 'Gone Viral': A Cost-Benefit Analysis of Social Media Advertising in Political Campaigns

Tyler Harrison, University of Arkansas - Monticello

Fighting Back: Analyzing the Use of Social Media for Counterterrorism

Mikhaila Nicole Calice, Randolph-Macon College

Racial Risk in Privacy Exposure on Social Media

Evangeline Dech, Xavier University of Louisiana

Bianca N Moore, Xavier University of Louisiana

Gubernatorial Tweet Retraction in Electoral Contexts

Paige Settles, Western Kentucky University

Discussant

Mandi Bailey, Valdosta State University

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Saturday
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 Strand 2

Comparative Law and Courts: Judicial Behavior**Judicial Politics****Chair**

Tom Clark, Emory University

Participants

Elections, Public Awareness, and Judicial Decisionmaking

Jay N. Krehbiel, Washington University in St. Louis

English Judicial Decision Making: Search and Seizure Cases Before the Queen's Bench

Amanda Jones, University of South Carolina

The South African Constitutional Court and Regime Response, 1994-2004

Stacia Haynie, Louisiana State University

Brooksie Chastant, Louisiana State University

Johnathan Smith, Louisiana State University

Eric Harper, Louisiana State University

Sabrina Valenti, Louisiana State University

Threat as a motivational factor in Canadian Supreme Court decision making

Susanne Schorpp, Georgia State University

Discussant

Adriana Buliga-Stoian, Mount Mercy University

**4620**

Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Strand 7

Public Policy Across the American States: Undergraduate Research on Guns, Crime and Poverty

Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching

Chair

Matthew Reid Krell, University of Alabama

Participants

A Policy Analysis of Militarization within Municipal Police Departments in the United States

Parker Emerson Quinlan, Winthrop University

Ready, Aim, Adopt: Why States are Adopting Stand Your Ground Laws

Eric Malcolm Craig, Xavier University of Louisiana

Why Pookie is More Likely to be in Jail in Louisiana than Maine: Variation in Incarceration Rates Across the United States

Cierra Wilcox, Xavier University of Louisiana

Utilitarianism: Is Harsh, Harsh Enough?

Reba Worthen, University of Arkansas at Monticello

Welfare in America: Humanities Obligation to Help the Helpless

Leslie Beard, University of Arkansas - Monticello

Discussant

Kevin Baron, University of Florida

4621

Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Strand 8

Terrorism

Positive Political Theory

Participants

Coercive Force and the Political Foundations of Centralized Authority

Scott Tyson, New York University

Military Compliance and the Efficacy of Mass Killings at Deterring Rebellion

Scott Tyson, New York University

Brett Allen Casper, New York University

The Politics of Counterterrorism Provision: Terrorist Threats, Transparency and Electoral Accountability

Livio Di Lonardo, New York University

**4622***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 9***Global Public Health Policy****Public Policy****Participants**

Public Health, Private Medicine, and the Foundations of American Health Policy

Daniel Davis Sledge, University of Texas, Arlington

Quarantine: Public Health Necessity or Gateway for Oppression

Christine Crudo, Washington State University**Jason McConnell**, Washington State University

Multilevel Governance and the Regulation of Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs) in the European Union.

Donley Studlar, University of Strathclyde

More resources or a better local implementation? Analysis of the impact of federal transfers on the performance of health policies in Brazil

Anderson Henrique da Silva, Federal University of Pernambuco**Mariana Batista**, Federal University of Pernambuco**Lucas Emanuel Silva**, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco**Discussant****Daniel L Fay**, University of Georgia**4623***Saturday**3:00pm-4:30pm**Strand 10A***Democracy in Times of Crisis****Political Theory****Chair****Joseph Mink**, Hobart and William Smith Colleges**Participants**

'The Time Is Always Out Of Joint': Democratic Time and Frustration

Juman Kim, University of Pennsylvania

Claims To Authority In The Politics Of Persuasion And Coercion: A New Paradigm for Political Studies

David V. Edwards, University of Texas, Austin

Immunity, Individuality, and Modern inside/outside Dialectic

Ali Fuat Birol, The University of Alabama**Discussant****Andrew J Douglas**, Morehouse College

**4624**

Saturday
3:00pm-4:30pm
Strand 10B

Voter Turnout and Persuasion Field Experiments**Elections and Voting****Chair**

Conor M Dowling, University of Mississippi

Participants

All Door Knocks are Local: Examining Outcomes from Two Door-to-Door
Canvassing Experiments

Genevieve Mayhew, University of Maryland

Effects of photo primes on motivating campaign volunteers: Results from 4 randomized
field experiments.

Brandon W. Lenoir, Oklahoma State University

Who Can Be Persuaded? An Online Town Hall Experiment

Ryan Kennedy, University of Houston

Anand Sokhey, University of Colorado

David Lazer, Northeastern

Michael Neblo, Ohio State University

Kevin Esterling, UC Riverside

Winning the Jackpot on Election Day: Would a lottery for voters boost turnout?

Ray La Raja, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Brian Schaffner, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Discussant

Conor M Dowling, University of Mississippi

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Saturday
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Strand 11A

Religion and Public Policy**Religion and Politics****Chair**

Davis Brown, Maryville University of St. Louis

Participants

Christian Conservative Legal Advocacy and the Future of Marriage Litigation

Daniel Bennett, Eastern Kentucky University

Is There A Connection Between Religious Group Membership and Welfare Generosity
in the United States?

Richard Ledet, Troy University

The Influence of Religion on Immigration Reform: Welcoming the Stranger.

Revathi I Hines, Southern University

Discussant

Davis Brown, Maryville University of St. Louis



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Strand 11B

Formation and Growth of Terrorist and Insurgent Organizations

International Politics: Conflict and Security

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Chair

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University

Participants

Greed or Grievance? Beyond ISIS' Religious Rhetoric

Adam Howe, Florida International University

Transnational jihadist network development within the EU

Joshua Earl Lambert, University of New Orleans

International Security Organization and Stability: Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) and Terrorism in China and Central Asia.

Yongjae Lee, Florida international university

The Politics of Sharia (Islamic Law): Examining the Roots of Mobilization in the Muslim Countries

Kamran Adil, University of the Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan

Waqas Iqbal, Superior Law College

Discussants

Dustin Berna, Nova Southeastern University

Orlandrew Eion Danzell, Mercyhurst University

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Saturday
3:00pm-4:00pm
Strand 12

SPSA Site Selection Committee Meeting

Meetings

Participant

Robert Howard, Georgia State University

2019 Site Selection to meet on Friday afternoon.

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Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Strand 13A

Urban Leadership: How City Leaders React to and View Their Positions
Urban Politics
Participants

"The Fiscal Crisis of the Local State: Take Detroit...Please!"

richard wang, arkansas state university

Perceptions of Slack among Local Elected Officials Considering Interlocal Collective Action

Thomas Stefan Skuzinski, University of Michigan

The Business of Being Mayor

Patricia A Kirkland, Columbia University

The Elephant in the Room: The Discussion of Economic Crises by Urban Leaders

Mirya Holman, Florida Atlantic University

The View from Outside the Gate: Insights from Residents and Planning Commissioners

Keith C Veal, Rhodes College

Discussant

Peter Burns, Loyola University, New Orleans

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Saturday
 3:00pm-4:30pm
 Strand 13B

State Politics and Policy Responsiveness
State Politics
Chair

Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University

Participants

Dynamic Representation in the American States

Nathaniel Birkhead, Kansas State University

Matthew Hall, University of Notre Dame

Jeffrey J Harden, University of Colorado Boulder

Jason Harold Windett, Saint Louis University

From Statehouse to Courthouse: The Impact of Legislative Professionalism on State High Court Docket Allocation

Miles T Armaly, Michigan State University

Gubernatorial Use of Executive Orders

Mitchell Dylan Sellers, University of Florida

Urban/Rural Spatial Identity and Legislative Behavior in Nebraska:

Melissa Trueblood, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Who is Elected and What They Do When They Win: Florida Legislators and Term Limits

Kevin Fahey, Florida State University

Teresa C Stanquist, Florida State University

Amanda Driscoll, Florida State University

Carol S. Weissert, Florida State University

Discussant

Pat Gouzien, University of Missouri, St. Louis



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Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Bolden 3

Party Emergence and Party Decline: A Comparative Perspective

Political Parties

Chair

Joshua D. Potter, Louisiana State University

Participants

Party Entry in New Democracies

Dagmar Radin, University of Zagreb

Brian Shoup, Mississippi State University

What fosters regional political parties? An analysis of existence, number and degree across 62 democracies (1945-2012)

Fabricio Vassellai, Center for Political Studies - Umich / University of São Paulo

Examining Dominant Party System Decline Through a Critical Junctures Framework

Edward M. Larsen, Temple University

Discussants

Joshua D. Potter, Louisiana State University

Hans Noel, Georgetown University

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Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Bolden 4

The Politics of International Trade and Capital Flows

International Politics: Global Issues, IPE, and Human Rights

Chair

Patrick Egan, Tulane University

Participants

Best for Business: Worker Rights and International Capital

Stephen Bagwell, University of Georgia

Europe's Double-Edged Sword

Bill Eger, Old Dominion University

Institutional Leakiness? The Political Sources of Capital Flight in Developing Countries

Daniel Scott Owens, University of Maryland

Ties that Protect: Free Trade Agreement Networks and Global Economic Crisis

Michael Huelshoff, University of New Orleans

Discussant

Patrick Egan, Tulane University

**4705***Saturday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 5***Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management****Public Administration****Chair**

Joshua L. Mitchell, University of Arkansas

Participants

Fukushima Nuclear Plant Disaster: Case Analysis and Lessons.

Yoonho Kim, University of Seoul

Interorganizational Collaboration in Hazard Mitigation Strategies

KyungWoo Kim, University of North Texas

Kyujin Jung, University of North Texas

Simon A. Andrew, University of North Texas

Police Preparedness and the Disaster Cycle: A Holistic Approach

Stephen E. Sussman, Barry University

Kirsten Kim Loutzenhiser, Troy University

The Communication Effect in Disaster Preparedness

Brian Don Williams, University of North Texas

Discussant

Joshua L. Mitchell, University of Arkansas

4706*Saturday**4:45pm-6:15pm**Bolden 6***Civic Education Paradigms and Nuances****Civic Education****Participants**

Hookworm Eradication as an Instrument for Schooling in the American South

John Arthur Henderson, Yale University

Shakespeare and Bureaucratic Reform

Jerry Herbel, Georgia College

The Fight for Equal Rights: The Intersectionality of the Methods and Means used by Aaron Henry, Harvey Milk and Bayard Rustins as Leaders of Countercultural Movements

Rhonda C. Cooper, Jackson State University



4715

Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Imperial 2

Identity and Autonomy in Feminist Theory

Political Theory

Chair

Marc Stier, Temple University

Participants

Biological Drag: The Performative Potential of Tears

Danielle Hanley, University of Pennsylvania

The Choices We Make Matter

Farhana Loonat, Skagit Valley College

Richard Rorty's Private Irony And The Culture Wars Over The Western Family

Douglas Jarvis, Carleton University

Discussant

Lorna Norman Bracewell, University of Florida

4716

Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Imperial 10

Gendered Public Policy

Women and Politics

Chair

Kimberly Deanna Gill, Columbus State University

Participants

The Impact of Polarization on Women's Policy: Losing Republican Advocates

Bailey Sanders, Duke University

The Role of Political Ideology in State Breastfeeding Policies

Leanne Doherty, Simmons College

Conditioning Difference: Legislative Professionalism, Gender, and Legislative Behavior

Sarah Poggione, Ohio University

Crossing the Divide: The Intersection of Gender Roles and Ideology in Health Care Preferences

Kenicia Wright, University of Houston

Andrea Kathryn Eckelman, University of Houston

Discussant

Lois Duke Whitaker, Georgia Southern University

This panel will examine the nature of structural inputs and public framing as components of successful women-friendly policymaking.

**4717**

Saturday
 4:45pm-6:15pm
 Strand 1

New Measures, Methods, and Models in Conflict and Security Studies
International Politics: Conflict and Security
Chair

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Participants

Guns or Roses: Strategic Choice between Violent and Nonviolent Campaigns

Sophie Lee, Duke University

Reassessing the Democratic Advantage in International Conflict using K-adic Data Sets

Jacob Ausderan, Tulane University

Seeing the Light in the "Black Box": A Call for a More Refined Measure of Sectarianism in Conflict Studies

Amber Aubone, St. Mary's University

The Effect of Time, Duration, and Sequencing on Bargaining during National Crises

Gretchen Casper, Pennsylvania State University

Matthew Charles Wilson, Pennsylvania State University

Discussants

Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of California, Merced

Ali Sanaei, University of Michigan

4720

Saturday
 4:45pm-6:15pm
 Strand 7

Undergraduate Research in International Politics
Undergraduate Student Research and Teaching
Chair

Kelly McHugh, Florida Southern College

Discussant

Brian A Smith, Montclair State University

This panel features papers written by advanced undergraduate students on various topics in International Relations. Paper topics include conflict and war, human rights, political economy, and U.S. foreign policy.



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Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 8

Behave!

Positive Political Theory

Participants

Abstract Behavioral Models

David A Siegel, Duke University

Collective Action with Biased Beliefs: The Effect of Group Size

Andreas Madum, University of Copenhagen

Inequality and Values

Elizabeth Maggie Penn, Washington University in St. Louis

Learning About Voter Rationality

Scott Ashworth, University of Chicago

Ethan Bueno de Mesquita, University of Chicago

4724

Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 10B

Technology and Security

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair

Davis Brown, Maryville University of St. Louis

Participants

Can Computers Prevent War? Applying Machine Learning to Conflict Prediction

Vanessa Ko, McGill University

Joe Walsh, Community Technical Resources

A Realist Theory for the Digital Age

Brenton Avery, University of West Florida

US Space Policy at a Critical Juncture: Russia and the Emerging Space Powers' Effect of US Space Dominance

Robert C. Harding, Spring Hill College

Discussant

Thomas E. Rotnem, Southern Polytechnic State University

**4725**

Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 11A

Religiosity and Political Engagement**Religion and Politics****Chair**

Steven Snell, Princeton University

Participants

Old Wine in New Wineskins? The Effect of Christian Conservatives on the Tea Party Social Agenda

Andrea C. Peña-Vasquez, University of Florida

The Link Between Question Wording, Answer Choices and (Non)-Attendance at Religious Services

Leigh A. Bradberry, California State University, Northridge

The Rise of American Religious Nones: Causes and Possible Consequences

Michael Edwin Bailey, Berry College

Evangelicals, Environmentalism, and Evolution

Ryan L Claassen, Kent State University

Dominic Wells, Kent State University

Discussants

Steven Snell, Princeton University

Nancy D Wadsworth, University of Denver

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Saturday
4:45pm-6:15pm
Strand 13B

Candidates, Party Competition, and Elections**State Politics****Chair**

Laura Merrifield Albright, University of Indianapolis

Participants

Donor Variation for Female and Minority Candidates in State Legislative Elections

Laura Merrifield Albright, University of Indianapolis

Electoral Success of Female Gubernatorial Candidates

Mitchell Dylan Sellers, University of Florida

Diana Forster, University of Florida

State Party Competition and Citizens' Political Attitudes

Greg Shufeldt, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Patrick Flavin, Baylor University

State Party Platforms and Democracy

Kevin Dyrland, Florida State

Discussant

Nathan Keith Mitchell, Prairie View A&M University



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