Democratic Theory and Republicanism

**Thursday**
8:00am-9:20am

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
Arturo Chang Quiroz, Northwestern University

**Participants**
- Agonism, Democracy, and the Voting Rights Act of 1965
  Micah Akuezue, UCLA
- A Republican Rationale for the Indian State to Retract its Declaration to Article 5(a) of the CEDAW
  Shritha K Vasudevan, University of Florida
- Between Tyranny and Technocracy: John Dewey's Liberal Democratic Alternative
  Michelle Chun, Columbia University

**Discussant**
Arturo Chang Quiroz, Northwestern University

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Causes and consequences of judicial review

**Thursday**
8:00am-9:20am

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Meghan E. Leonard, Illinois State University

**Participants**
- Are We Alone In Our Concern About Judicial Review? Attitudes of Elected Officials Towards Judicial Review
  Kyle Morgan, Rutgers University
- A Survey of Federal Judges' Views on Redistricting
  Mark Jonathan McKenzie, Texas Tech University
- Reading the Tea Leaves: The Future of Administrative Law in U.S. Supreme Court Jurisprudence.
  John M. Aughenbaugh, Virginia Commonwealth University
- Severability Clauses and the Exercise of Judicial Review
  Garrett Vande Kamp, Texas A&M University
- Justiciability: Examining Separation of Powers and Institutional Motivations for Dodging Disputes
  H. Chris Tecklenburg, Georgia Southern

**Discussants**
Richard Pacelle, University of Tennessee
Jordan Carr Peterson, Texas Christian University
2100 Communication meets Political Science: Cross-Disciplinary Perspectives on Social Media and Politics I

Thursday 8:00am-9:20am

Politics, Big Data, and New Technology

Chair
Stuart Soroka, University of Michigan

Participants
CWC Paper: Attention to Fake News in Mobile Facebook Feeds
Kathleen Searles, LSU
Jessica Feezell, University New Mexico
Patrick Rose, Louisiana State University

CWC Paper: The Misinformed Citizen? Computational Approaches for Examining the Quality of Online News
Rebekah Tromble, Leiden University

The Twitter Signal: Comparing Twitter and Mainstream Media Coverage of Defense Budget Allocations
Lindsay Dun, University of Texas at Austin

Discussants
Yphtach Lelkes, University of Pennsylvania
Brian Weeks, University of Michigan

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2100 After the Violence: Local Attitudes and Behavior

Thursday 8:00am-9:20am

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Maya Hadar, University of Masaryk

Participants
Caring for the Self and the Other: Compassion Training in Post Conflict Societies
Alexa Royden, Queens University of Charlotte

How does Terrorism Impact Public Foreign Policy Attitudes?
Andrea Malji, Hawaii Pacific University
Ngoc Phan, Hawaii Pacific University

Local Perspectives and Transitional Justice: The Role of Civil Society Actors as Intermediaries
Elham Kazemi, University of California, Irvine

The Impact of Exposure to Terrorism on the Likelihood of Political Participation
Cigdem Unal, University of Pittsburgh

The Specter of Qaddafi’s Failure: Where Libya’s Path to Reputational Recovery went Wrong and What Alternatives Exist for Others to Follow
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

Discussant
Pellumb Kelmendi, Auburn University
Retrospective Voting

Electoral Politics

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

Chair
Linda Trautman, Ohio University

Participants
Assessing the timelessness of retrospective and pocketbook voting
Thomas Gray, University of Texas at Dallas
Daniel Smith, University of Maryland

It’s Not Economics, Stupid: Class, Region, and the Social Dimension’s Effect on Changes in White Political Behavior
M. V. Hood III, University of Georgia
Seth C. McKee, Texas Tech University

“It’s (Not) the Economy, Stupid:’ The Long Reach of Racial Resentment”
Angie Maxwell, University of Arkansas
Todd Shields, University of Arkansas

Perception and Reality in Citizens’ Assessments of Local Conditions
Aaron C Weinschenk, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay
Thomas Holbrook, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Retrospective Voting in School Board Elections: Does Performance Matter?
Scott J Hofer, University of Houston
Yeaji Kim, California State University Dominguez Hills

Discussant
Brian Arbour, John Jay College, CUNY

Global Governance, Aid and the Environment

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

Chair
Gorana Draguljic, Towson University

Participants
Alternatives for global governance for sustainability transition and justice in a grassroots context: A case of Japan’s response to nature conservation after the Fukushima Disaster
Masatoshi Yokota, Tokyo University of Science

Democracy Aid Flow and UN General Assembly Voting Patterns: Does Voting Similarity Lead to an Increase in Democracy Aid?
Saewon Park, McGill University

Do European Union Member States Exploit the Presidency of the Council When Allocating Foreign Aid?
Alice Iannantuoni, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

The Emergent Origins of Environmental Clauses in Trade Agreements
Tim Marple, University of California, Berkeley

Discussant
Matthew DiLorenzo, Old Dominion University
2100

**Lactation Room Thursday**

Thursday
8:00am-6:20pm

**Meetings**

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2100

**Voting and Elections in the U.S. States**

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

**State Politics**

**Chair**
Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

**Participants**
A Blue Wave in the Making? The Impact of the 2016 Election on Gubernatorial Races
Regina Lea Wagner, The University of Alabama
How Effective Was the Voting Rights Act: A Study of North Carolina Precincts
Shawn Donahue, Binghamton University
Location, Location, Location: Geography and Participation in State Politics
Jonathan Winburn, University of Mississippi
Morality and Medical Marijuana: The 2018 Vote on State Question 788 in Oklahoma
John David Rausch, West Texas A&M University
Overviewing the 2018 State Legislative Elections in the South
Knox Brown, Tulsa Community College

**Discussant**
Billy Monroe, Prairie View A&M University
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New Data and Methods in Public Policy

Thursday 8:00am-9:20am

Public Policy

Chair
Jay Jennings, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Congressional Committee Reliance on Bureaucratic Witnesses
Connor William Dye, University of Texas at Austin
The Policy Agenda of Ideological Think Tanks in the United States
EJ Fagan, University of Texas at Austin
Toward a Better Understanding of Courts and Policymaking: Bringing Law into CAP Judicial Data
Christine Bird, The University of Texas at Austin
Understanding Presidential Agenda Leadership
Paul Rutledge, University of West Georgia
Can Celebrities Set the Agenda?
Anthony J. Nownes, University of Tennessee

Discussants
JoBeth Shafran Shafran, Western Carolina University
Herschel Thomas, Univ of Texas at Arlington

Emergency Management and the Bureaucracy

Thursday 8:00am-9:20am

Public Administration

Participants
An Investigation of the Challenges to Emergency Management on the Texas Coast
Brian Don Williams, Lamar University
Ismail Soujaa, University of North Texas
Abraham Benavides, University of North Texas
Informal Collaboration and Faith-based Disaster Response Networks
Jason Pudlo, Oral Roberts University
Reinvestigating the Determinants of Emergency Preparedness using 2008 GSS Data
Ismail Soujaa, University of North Texas
What Determines Local Government’s Disaster Management Budget?: Focusing on Political, Financial, and Service Demand Factors
M. Jae Moon, Yonsei University
Sehee Jung, Yonsei University

Discussant
Brian Collins, University of North Texas
CWC 14: Hazards governance

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Skip Krueger, University of North Texas

Participants
Local Communities and Policy Change after Environmental Disasters: A Comparison of the Exxon Valdez and BP Oil Spills
Tanya Corbin Buhler, Radford
Chanda L. Meek, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Trust in FEMA and Individual Emergency Preparedness for Tornadoes in the United States
Junghwa Choi, UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOM
Property Rights Attitudes as an Unlikely Source of Public Opposition to Flood Mitigation Policy
Logan Strother, Purdue University
Laura Hatcher, Southeast Missouri University
Hazard Mitigation Planning and Public Input: Moving Beyond the Public Meeting
Amy Goodin, University of Oklahoma
David Grizzle, Norman Oklahoma
Capacity and Accountability in Disaster Recovery: The Case of West Virginia
L. Christopher Plein, West Virginia University
Indigenous DRR: past, present and future
Simon Lambert, University of Saskatchewan

Discussants
Reuben Kline, Stony Brook University
Jennifer M. Connolly, University of Miami

Public policy, disaster responses and recovery

CWC15: Conflict

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Brenton Kenkel, Vanderbilt University

Participants
Elite Polarization and Pro-Regime Militia Formation in Civil Wars
Ammar Shamaileh, Franklin & Marshall College
Investment in the Shadow of Conflict: Globalization, Capital Control, and State Repression
Mehdi Shadmehr, University of Chicago Harris School
Prohibition, Theft, and Violence: Exchange in Illicit Markets
Kristopher William Ramsay, Princeton University
Colin Krainin, Princeton University
Brendan Cooley, Princeton University
Reputations in International Conflict and Cooperation
Ekrem Baser, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
The Dark Underbelly of Hearts and Minds
Todd Lehmann, University of Michigan
Jessica Sun, University of Michigan
Scott Tyson, University of Rochester

Discussant
Nikolay Marinov, University of Houston
CWC 2: Public opinion and censorship in authoritarian regimes

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Yonatan Lupu, GWU

Participants
Mechanisms of censorship: A study of Confucius Institute teachers
Jennifer Pan, Stanford
Tongtong Zhang, Stanford
Yingjie Fan, Stanford

Categorical confusion: Ideological labels in China
Jason Wu, UCSD

Soft propaganda, misinformed citizens, and source credibility: A survey experiment on foreign political advertising
Yaoyao Dai, PSU
Rose Luwei Luqiu, Hong Kong Baptist University

Diverting attention: Media coverage of economic conditions on Russian state-controlled television, 2003--2017
Quintin Beazer, FSU
Charles Crabtree, UM
Holger Kern, FSU

Discussants
Yonatan Lupu, GWU
Dimitar Gueorguiev, Syracuse

Public opinion and censorship in authoritarian regimes

Institutions in Latin America

Thursday
8:00am-9:20am

Latin American and Caribbean Politics

Participants
Cooperation is not enough: Decentralization improves cooperation but fails to improve effectiveness among bureaucrats
Tara Grillos, Purdue University
Alan Zarychta, University of Chicago
Krister Andersson, University of Colorado

From hope to disaster: neodevelopmentalism and institutional crisis in Brazilian recent experience
Kleber Chagas Cerqueira, Universidade de Brasília-UnB
Jackson De Toni, Brazilian Agency for Industrial Development ABDI

Legislative representation in a multilevel system: The case of Brazil
Royce A Carroll, University of Essex
Fernando Meireles, Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais

Understanding Civilian Control of the Mexican Armed Forces
Gabriel Aguilera, Air War College
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20th Century Continental

Political Theory

Chair
Daniel Conway, Texas A&M University

Participants
All The World's Your Stage: Albert Camus' Theater as a guide for action
  Stephen Savage, Louisiana State University
Brecht and Marxism
  Anthony Squiers, Tarrant County College
The Grand Hotel Abyss: Political Aporia in Frankfurt School Critical Theory
  Sid Simpson, University of Notre Dame

Discussant
Liza Williams, Bucknell University

Hobbes's Kingdom of Light by Devin Stauffer

Thursday
9:30am-10:50am

Political Theory

Critics
  Peter Ahrensdorf, Davidson
  Andrew Day, Northwestern
  Laurie Johnson, Kansas State University
  Lee Ward, Baylor University

Author
Devin Stauffer, University of Texas, Austin

Author meets critics roundtable on Hobbes's Kingdom of Light by Devin Stauffer.
Novel data, novel measures: judicial hierarchy

Judicial Politics

**Chair**

Susan B Haire, University of Georgia

**Participants**

Doctrinal Flexibility, Hierarchical Control, and Policy Preference: How Justices Use Legal Doctrine to Achieve Goals

Christopher Krewson, Claremont Graduate University

Examining the Effects of Supreme Court Reversal on Lower Court Opinion Writing

Ryan C. Black, Michigan State University

Ryan Owens, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Nicholas Waterbury, Washington University in St. Louis

Revisiting Political Ideology in the U.S. District Courts

Ryan Hubert, University of California, Davis

Ryan Copus, Harvard Law School

Considering the Costs of Intercircuit Conflict

Adamu Kofi Shauku, SUNY Buffalo State College

**Discussants**

Mark Hurwitz, Western Michigan Univ.

Justin Wedeking, University of Kentucky

This year's proposals contained an outstanding set of proposals using new data or new measurement techniques, some of which were on similar topics. Taking advantage of this synergy, I created a set of panels “Novel data, novel measures” to profile these new data or measurement methodologies, with the intention of turning them into workshops. In the spirit of advanced methods training, these panels are often smaller than the other panels to provide a chance for the researchers to emphasize not only the findings but also showcase the new data or measurement strategies, giving presenters and the audience a chance to learn from one another.
Communication meets Political Science: Cross-Disciplinary Perspectives on Social Media and Politics II

Thursday 
9:30am-10:50am

Politics, Big Data, and New Technology

Chair
Kathleen Searles, LSU

Participants
CWC Paper: Automated Content Analysis of Discrete Emotions
Sarah Bachleda, University of Michigan
Stuart Soroka, University of Michigan
Brian Weeks, University of Michigan
Ariel Hasell, University of Michigan

CWC Paper / (Re)Claiming our expertise: Parsing large text corpora with manually validated and organic dictionaries
Ashley Muddiman, U of Kansas
Shannon C McGregor, University of Utah
Natalie Stroud, University of Texas at Austin

Decoding Political Activity from Social Media Images: Computational Approaches
Jungseock Joo, UCLA

Discussants
Jaime Settle, College of William & Mary
Dan Haesshutter-Rice, University of Michigan

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International Influence in the Middle East

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Rachel Sternfeld, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Participants
American Foreign Policy in Iraq and the New Iraqi Political Elites
Miaad Hassan, University of Florida
External Support of Militias and Political Influence
Karen Nershi, University of Pennsylvania
International Security Dynamics and the Fate of Iran’s Afghan Refugees
sussan siavoshi, Trinity university
Lord of the Nukes: Battle for Middle East
Arjun Banerjee, University of Tennessee Knoxville/ Government of India
The Political Economy & Geopolitics of the Syrian Civil War
Halit Tagma, Northern Arizona University

Discussants
Rachel Sternfeld, Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Melda Ozsut, University of North Texas

2200

Thursday
9:30am-10:50am

Feeling & Emotion in Politics

Electoral Politics

Participants
How You Like Me Now? Evolving Perceptions in the 2016 Presidential Election
Chris W Bonneau, University of Pittsburgh
Kristin Kanthak, University of Pittsburgh
The Era of Anger: Can e-democracy Soothe People’s Anger?
Kyoungsu Lee, Korea University
Heungsuk Choi, Korea University
The Politics of Spectacle: the role of emotion and rhetoric in voter policy appraisals in the 2016 presidential campaign.
Heather E. Yates, University of Central Arkansas
Who Cares? Investigating How Voters Perceive Empathy in Candidates for Office
Jared McDonald, University of Maryland

Discussants
David Broockman, Stanford
Jonathan David Klingler, University of Mississippi
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**Chair**
Mona Lyne, University of Missouri - Kansas City

**Participants**
Assessing the Securitization Of Migration in the EU: The Role of Audience Acceptance
Jennifer Hudson, University of Central Florida

`Bloom where you are planted.’ What can we learn about immigration politics from public opposition to emigration?
Alexander Kustov, Princeton University

Individual Attitudes toward Migrants: How to Define Citizenship
Yu Jin Woo, Waseda University

Political Regimes and Refugee Politics: Explaining Entries and Rights of Refugees
Masaaki Higashijima, University of Michigan
Yu Jin Woo, Waseda University

The Effect of Immigration Enforcement on the Unauthorized Population in the United States
Hans Lueders, Stanford University

**Discussants**
Calla Hummel, University of Miami
Brendan Skip Mark, University of Rhode Island
Electoral Politics and Political Behavior in Africa

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Jaimie Bleck, University of Notre Dame

Participants
Courts and Institutional Legitimacy in African Competitive Authoritarianism: How rulings in Parliamentary Petitions Affect Electoral and Judicial Legitimacy
Nicholas Kerr, University of Florida
Michael Wahman, Michigan State University

Persuasion or Backlash? The Effect of Campaign Rallies in African Elections
Donghyun Danny Choi, University of Pennsylvania
Leonardo Arriola, University of California Berkeley
Matthew Gichohi, University of Bergen
Ken Opalo, Georgetown

The Diverse Determinants of Nonpartisanship in Electoral Autocracies
Natalie Wenzell Letsa, University of Oklahoma

Personality, Values, and Candidate Preference: A Conjoint Experiment from Northern Ghana
Jaimie Bleck, University of Notre Dame
Kevin Fridy, University of Tampa
Paul Friesen, University of Notre Dame

Discussants
Aaron Erlich, McGill University
Rodrigo Salido, The University of Texas at Austin

This panel examines electoral politics and political behavior in Africa. Choi, Gichohi, and Opalo explore the effect of campaign rallies on vote choice. They leverage a set of natural experiments during the 2017 Kenyan elections and demonstrate that the effect of rallies is conditional on the partisan and ethnic makeup of the constituencies where they are held. Kerr and Wahman examine opposition challenges of parliamentary results in the court. They find the effect of court rulings on voters' assessment of electoral quality in the context of the 2016 Zambian elections. Negative rulings are correlated with opposition and independent voters rating the elections to be a lower quality; they also find limited support that independents rate election to be higher quality after positive rulings. Letsa uses Afrobarometer data from 9 electoral autocracies to show that mass parties and opposition parties court different types of independent voters. She finds that strong opposition parties pursue voters with higher socio-economic status, while mass parties rely on patronage or coercion to win over lower socio-economic status voters. Bleck, Fridy, and Friesen use a conjoint survey experiment in Northern Ghana to demonstrate that citizens' personality traits, values, and experiences are predictive of political preferences and behavior.
Facing the Ballot Box

Thursday 9:30am-10:50am

Legislative Politics

Chair
Bryan Gervais, University of Texas at San Antonio

Participants
Are Special Elections to Congress the Bellwether to other Elections or Just Local, Partisan Affairs?
Charles S. Bullock, III, The University of Georgia
Karen L. Owen, University of West Georgia
Examining Exit Decisions and Their Effect on the 2018 House Elections
Joel Sievert, Texas Tech University
Ryan D Williamson, Auburn University
Scandals and Congressional Elections in the Era of Partisan Tribalism
Scott Basinger, University of Houston
Symbiotes or Sentient Swords: Examining the Coattail Effect Between the Senate and the House
Michael K Romano, Shenandoah University
The Influence of Age on Congressional Elections and Approval
Timothy Lynch, University of St. Thomas

Discussants
Anthony Fowler, University of Chicago
Tom Brunell, UT Dallas

Independence Movements in a Comparative Context

Thursday 9:30am-10:50am

Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations

Chair
Christopher Way, Cornell University

Participants
Scottish independence referendum: referendum timing and what comes next in a complex state system
Sam Rohrer, University of North Georgia
Nathan Price, University of North Georgia
The Christian Democratic Response to the Alternative for Germany
Sarah Williarty, Wesleyan University
The radicalization of nationalist movements in liberal-democracies: Scotland and Catalonia.
Andre Lecours, University of Ottawa
Utilizing Public History to Construct Identity: Memory, Remembrance, and Representation in the Celtic Fringe
Mark Sachleben, Shippensburg University

Discussant
Carrie Humphreys, University of Tennessee at Martin
Policy Adoption in the U.S. States

State Politics

Chair
Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo, Christopher Newport University

Participants
Crafting Policy: The Diffusion of Craft Beer Policy Reform
  Thomas E Sowers, Lamar University
Drinking Alone: The Social Role of State Borders in Trade
  Austin Johnson, Texas A&M University
Explaining State Variation in Incarceration Rates
  Robert Kenter, Old Dominion University
  John C Morris, Old Dominion University
  Martin Mayer, Old Dominion University
  Shenita Brazleton, Tuskegee University
The Grass is Greener in the Other State: Public Opinion and Marijuana Policy Responsiveness
  Kelley Doll, Florida State University
Understanding Racial Disparities in Incarceration Rates in the American States
  Courtney Broscious, Eastern Connecticut State University
  Katherine Javian, Rowan University

Discussant
Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo, Christopher Newport University

Race and Ethnic Politics in a Trump Era

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair
Katelyn E Stauffer, University of South Carolina

Participants
All Trump Voters Are the Same? A Two-State Comparison
  Sarah Perez, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
Racial Prejudice, Sexism and Vote Choice for Trump in the 2016 U.S. Presidential Election
  Myunghee Kim, University of Central Florida
  Jonathan Knuckey, University of Central Florida
The Impacts of the Politics and Policies of the Trump Administration on African Americans and White Workers
  Carter Wilson, Northern Michigan University
The Media and Latino Academic Performance
  Tabitha Morton, PVAMU
What do you have to lose? Denial of racism and minority support for Trump
  Rudy Alamillo, University of California, Riverside

Discussants
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  Katelyn E Stauffer, University of South Carolina
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CWC 14: Emergency Behavior

Conference Within A Conference

Thursday
9:30am-10:50am

Chair
Rob DeLeo, Bentley University

Participants
Shifting Focuses in U.S. Election Administration: Election System Security and Contingency Planning
Lindsey Forson, Auburn University
Mitchell Brown, Auburn University
Kathleen Hale, Auburn University

After a Storm Comes Votes: The Electoral Consequences of Disaster Relief
Kyosuke Kikuta, University of Texas at Austin
Kentaro Fukumoto, Gakushuin University

Disaster, Trust, and Policy
Carlos Scartascini, Interamerican Development Bank
Elizabeth Zechmeister, Vanderbilt University

Who do you Trust? Inefficiency Incentives in Climate Change Adaptation
Talbot M. Andrews, Stony Brook University
Andrew Delton, Stony Brook University
Reuben Kline, Stony Brook University

The Role of Disaster Experience on Climate Change Belief and Concern
Abbey Hotard, Texas A&M University Galveston
Anna Abelman, University of Delaware
Ashley Dyan Ross, Texas A&M University at Galveston

Harvey Unstrapped
Magdalena Anna Denham, Sam Houston State University
Natalie Baker, Sam Houston State University
Matthew Marchetti, Crowdsourse Rescue

Discussants
Logan Strother, Purdue University
Simon Lambert, University of Saskatchewan

Electoral outcomes, public opinion, and political behaviour and decision making in emergencies
CWC15: Campaigns and Committees.

Thursday
9:30am-10:50am

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Keith Dougherty, University of Georgia

Participants
Campaign Spending and Lobbying
Greg Sasso, Bocconi University
Dan Alexander, Vanderbilt University

Dynamic Committee Decision-Making
Ben Johnson, Penn State Law
Garrett Darl Lewis, Washington University in St. Louis

It's In Our Hands: Multiple Referral with a Primary Committee
Scott Moser, University of Nottingham
Jonathan Lewallen, University of Tampa

Nominating Legislative Representatives
Gleason Judd, Princeton University

The Halo Effect: A Formal Model of Strategic Opposition Research
Alejandro Medina, Texas A&M University
Benjamin G. Ogden, Texas A&M University

Discussant
Keith Schnakenberg, Washington University in St Louis
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Thomas Hobbes and the Natural Law

Political Theory

Critics
Jim Stoner, Louisiana State University
Kevin Stuart, Austin Institute
William McCormick, St. Louis University

Author
Kody Cooper, UTC

In the second half of the 20th century, there was an explosion of new interest in the political philosophy of Thomas Hobbes. While interest in Hobbes had waxed and waned over the years, the new interest in Hobbes seemed to dovetail with a renewed interest in the foundations of political life after WWII. But, has Hobbesian moral and political theory been fundamentally misinterpreted by most of his readers? Since the criticism of John Bramhall, Hobbes has generally been regarded as advancing a moral and political theory that is antithetical to classical natural law theory. In his new book, Thomas Hobbes and the Natural Law, Kody W. Cooper challenges this traditional interpretation of Hobbes. Cooper contends that Hobbes affirms two essential theses of classical natural law theory: the capacity of practical reason to grasp intelligible goods or reasons for action and the legally binding character of the practical requirements essential to the pursuit of human flourishing. Hobbes’s novel contribution lies principally in his formulation of a thin theory of the good. Accordingly, the book seeks to prove that Hobbes has more in common with the Aristotelian-Thomistic tradition of natural law philosophy than has been recognized. According to Cooper, Hobbes affirms a realistic philosophy as well as biblical revelation as the ground of his philosophical-theological anthropology and his moral and civil science. In addition, Cooper contends that Hobbes’s thought, although transformative in important ways, also has important structural continuities with the Aristotelian-Thomistic tradition of practical reason, theology, social ontology, and law. We propose in this panel to reexamine Thomas Hobbes’s relationship to the natural law tradition in light of Cooper’s thesis. Each panelist has interest and expertise in natural law theory, and plans to offer critical reflections on the central theses of the book. The panel will also raise larger questions about the relationship of natural law to liberalism and the contemporary viability of natural law theory. The following scholars have confirmed their intention to participate: Dr. Kevin Stuart, The Austin Institute Dr. James Stoner, Louisiana State University Dr. William McCormick, Saint Louis University

Politics and Religion

Political Theory

Participants
Christianity and the Subversion of the State
Paul R. DeHart, Texas State University
Dante’s "Monarchia" and the Possibility of World Government
Spencer Krauss, Baylor University
Political Toleration and Religious Liberty: a Defense of Smith-RFRA
Bryan McGraw, Wheaton College
The Capacity to be Free: Abraham Heschel on Human Being and Social Action
Sarah Beth Vosburg Kitch, Truman School of Public Affairs & Kinder Inst, University of Missouri
Novel data, novel measures: the public in the separation of powers

Thursday  
11:00am-12:20pm

Judicial Politics

Chair  
Colin Glennon, East Tennessee State University

Participants

Public Opinion and Jurisdiction Stripping  
Joe Ura, Texas A&M  
Patrick C. Wohlfarth, University of Maryland, College Park

The Impact of Supreme Court Polarization on Public Judgments of Judicial Authority  
Brandon L. Bartels, George Washington University

The Presidency, Partisan Cues, and Public Perception of the U.S. Supreme Court  
Ali Shiraz Masood, California State University, Fresno  
Ryan Strickler, Colorado State University, Pueblo  
Michael Zilis, University of Kentucky

Public Attitudes Toward the Supreme Court: It’s Complicated  
Sara C Benesh, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee  
Wendy L. Martinek, Binghamton University

Discussants  
Ian Ostrander, Michigan State University  
Benjamin Bricker, Southern Illinois University

This year's proposals contained an outstanding set of proposals using new data or new measurement techniques, some of which were on similar topics. Taking advantage of this synergy, I created a set of panels “Novel data, novel measures” to profile these new data or measurement methodologies, with the intention of turning them into workshops. In the spirit of advanced methods training, these panels are often smaller than the other panels to provide a chance for the researchers to emphasize not only the findings but also showcase the new data or measurement strategies, giving presenters and the audience a chance to learn from one another.
There are burgeoning literatures focused on social media and political behavior. This work focuses, for instance, on the nature of social media content, the structure of online social networks, the use of social media as tool to understand political behavior, and the impact that social media use and/or content has on a wide range of political attitudes and behaviors. Scholars are working on these themes in Political Science, and in Communication as well. Both disciplines have made major advances in recent years, driven in part by work that leverages new 'big-data' techniques to explore the content and impact of social media. This series of panels aims to bring scholars in both fields together to discuss current research, and to consider the advantages of approaching social media using a combination of cross-disciplinary theories and 'big-data' methodologies.
2300

**Security Issues in East Asia**

*Thursday 11:00am-12:20pm*

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**

Hongyu Zhang, University of North Carolina Wilmington

**Participants**

Comfort Women Negotiations and Security in East Asia  
Jooyoun Lee, St. Edward's University  
Sovereignty Sensitivity and Mutual Trusts: Rethink Taiwan’s “International Space”  
Zheng Feng, Xi'an Jiaotong University  
What President Xi Jinping’s Third Term Means for Cross-Strait Relations  
Brian Heath Anderson, Western Kentucky University  
When Provoked and When Not?: Determinants of China’s Military Responses to External Provocations  
Myung Gyun Lim, Georgia State University  
With Friends Like These: Israel and Taiwan's Defense Ties with Central America  
vasabjit banerjee, Mississippi State University

**Discussant**  
Hongyu Zhang, University of North Carolina Wilmington

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**Participating in Politics**

*Thursday 11:00am-12:20pm*

**Electoral Politics**

**Participants**

Does Lowering the Voting Age Mobilize Young People? First results of the Ghent study.  
Marc Hooghe, Uni Louvain  
Movable States in Presidential Elections: Short-term and Long-term Influences on Competitiveness of States  
Jaeyun Sung, Lyon College  
Retired General and Flag Officer Endorsements  
Olivia Simon, United States Military Academy  
Voter Participation in Judicial Retention Elections: State Supreme and Appellate Courts  
James W Endersby, University of Missouri

**Discussant**  
Jonathan Winburn, University of Mississippi
2300

Political Economy of Conflict and Cooperation

Thursday
11:00am-12:20pm

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair
Quan Li, Texas A&M University

Participants
Should I Stay or Should I Go? Exit Threats in International Organizations
Leanne Powner, Independent Scholar

Competing Perspectives on Territoriality and Regionalism in Eurasia: The Structuring of a Europe-Eurasia Regional Interface
Boyka Stefanova, University of Texas at San Antonio

The Liberal International Order: How Resilient?
Vincent Auger, Western Illinois University

The Political Economy of Land Acquisitions
Burak Giray, University of Houston
Patrick Shea, University of Houston

Gorana Draguljic, Towson University

Discussant
Patrick Shea, University of Houston

Southeast Asian and South Asian Politics

Thursday
11:00am-12:20pm

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Amy H Liu, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Does Affirmative Action Work? Evaluating India's Quota System
Alexander Lee, University of Rochester

Does the Piper Call the Tune? A Quantitative Analysis of the Impact of Government Funding on NGOs’ Political Activism in India
Vera Heuer, Virginia Military Institute

Laos: A Struggling Socialist Nation
Thomas Kolasa, Troy University

Querying the Indian Parliament: Legislative Responsiveness to Public Opinion
Sumitra Badrinath, Grad Student

The Political Dimensions of Malaysia's BR1M Policy: Patronage and Party Competition
Matthew Wagner, University of South Carolina

Discussants
Matthew Wagner, University of South Carolina
Amy H Liu, University of Texas at Austin
**Party Competition & Discipline**

*Thursday*

*11:00am-12:20pm*

**Legislative Politics**

**Chair**

Alison W. Craig, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**

Does Party Control Change Revealed Legislator Preferences? The Causality of Senator Casualty in a Quasi-Experiment in the 83rd Senate  
Christian R. Grose, University of Southern California  
Nicholas G. Napolio, University of Southern California  
Intra-party democracy and legislative behavior in Paraguay's Chamber of Deputies  
Andres Manuel Carrizosa, Rice University  
Mandate to Message: The Influence of Partisan Competition on Bill Introductions and Position-Taking in Congress  
Jesse Crosson, University of Michigan  
Party Competition and Legislative Conflict: Legislative Dimensionality in the American South, 1880-1930  
Michael Olson, Harvard University Department of Government  
Socialization and Partisanship in the House: Press Releases as an Indicator of New Member Adaptation  
Steven G Livingston, Middle Tennessee State Univ.  
Sally Friedman, University at Albany  
James McCulley, University at Albany

**Discussants**

Annelise Russell, University of Kentucky  
David Fortunato, Texas A&M University

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**Teaching and Learning in International Relations/Foreign Policy**

*Thursday*

*11:00am-12:20pm*

**Teaching Political Science**

**Chair**

Matthew Clary, Auburn University

**Participants**

Pedagogy and IR Theory: Teaching First Level of Analysis and an Active Territoriality Simulation  
Halit Tagma, Northern Arizona University  
Simulations in Political Science: Prospects for Innovation and Execution  
Patrick Larue, University Of Texas At Dallas  
A SWOT Approach to Teaching US National Security Policy  
Robin Marshall Bittick, Sam Houston State University  
Teaching Conflict Studies with Staff Rides  
Lionel Beehner, US Military Academy at West Point  
Liam Collins, US Military Academy at West Point

**Discussant**

Matthew Clary, Auburn University
2300 Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Thursday 11:00am-12:20pm

State Politics

Chair
Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College

Participants
A More Perfect Union through Intergovernmental Relationships of Tribes and States
Oscar Loza Hoyos, Rose State College
County Participation in U.S. Federal Immigration Enforcement
Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
Diffusion Interrupted: How Preemption Impedes the Transmission of Policy from Blue Cities to Red States
Abigail Matthews, Miami University
Rebecca Kreitzer, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
One Step Forward, Two Steps Back: State Selection of ACA Exchanges and U.S. Intergovernmental Relations
Michele Deegan, Muhlenberg College
Lanethea Mathews-Schultz, Muhlenberg College
Sabrina Terrizini, Moravian College

Discussant
Jordan Carr Peterson, Texas Christian University

2300 Evaluating Academia and the Discipline By Gender and Race

Thursday 11:00am-12:20pm

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair
Matt Tokeshi, Williams College

Participants
Countervailing Political Goals, Costs, and Benefits of Diversity in US Research Universities
Thomas Craemer, University of Connecticut, Department of Public Policy
Impact of Motivation on academic success of predominantly black college students
Maurice Yiangmbop Mongkuo, Dr.
Room for Discussion: The Impact of Race & Ethnicity on the Propensity to Discuss Politics in Different Social Contexts
Matt Lamb, RICE UNIVERSITY
The History of Lynching, the politics of sexual assault, and #MeToo: How these histories can inform Employer and University Policymakers
Girma Elyot Alifieyo Parris, Case Western Reserve University

Discussants
Matt Tokeshi, Williams College
Sara Sadhwani, University of Southern California
2300

Regional Effects and Regional Considerations Related to Public Opinion

Public Opinion

Thursday
11:00am-12:20pm

Participants

The Dynamics of Public Opinion on Free Trade
Morgan Adams, Texas A&M University

The effects of the population size of foreign residents on anti-immigrant attitudes
Tomoya Yokoyama, Rikkyo University
Masahisa Endo, Waseda University

The Great Divide: Southern, Rural, or Both?
Cameron Wimpy, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
William Perry McLean, Arkansas State University

The Political Implications of Southern Regional Identification in Kentucky, Missouri, and West Virginia
Scott Lasley, Western Kentucky University
Joel Turner, Western Kentucky University
Jeffrey Kash, Western Kentucky University
Scott Buchanan, The Citadel

2300

The President and Congress

Presidential/Executive Politics

Thursday
11:00am-12:20pm

Chair
Michelle Belco, University of Houston

Participants

Does Bipartisanship Pay? Legislative Coalitions and Presidential Power
Ashley Moraguez, UNC Asheville

Ideological Extremity in the House of Representatives
Patrick T Hickey, West Virginia University

Presidential Support in Congress in the Trump Era
Jon Bond, Texas A&M University

We’re Warning You: Statements of Administration Policy and Legislative Outcomes
John Koehler, Texas A&M University- Central Texas

Discussants
Michelle Belco, University of Houston
Philip Waggoner, College of William & Mary
2300

CWC 14: Broader Causes and Consequences of Disaster

Thursday
11:00am-12:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Gina Yannitell Reinhardt, University of Essex

Participants
Positive Early Life Rainfall Shocks and Adult Mental Health
Marc Rockmore, Clark University
Mochamad Pasha, Clark University
Chih Ming Tan, University of North Dakota

The Long-run Effects of the Yogyakarta Earthquake on Child Health
Dhanushka Thamarapani, Chico State University, California

The NGOization of Civil Society in West Africa and Implications for Crisis Response
Michelle Reddy, Stanford University

Climate Change Adaptation through Multiple Partial Couplings: A Comparative Public Policy Study of Independent MSF Cases
Dana Archer Dolan, George Mason University

Informal Savings, Financial Social Network Bias and the Failure to Escape Informal Settlement Dwelling: A List Experiment in Kenya
Hye-Sung Kim, Winthrop University

Hurricanes and Resilience: Understanding the relationship between disaster risk, vulnerability, and local government financial resources
Skip Krueger, University of North Texas
Julie Winkler, University of North Texas
Laura Siebeneck, University of North Texas

Discussants
Cherie Maestas, University of North Carolina Charlotte
L. Christopher Plein, West Virginia University

Health policy, social capital, networks, finance, and disasters

2300

CWC15: Internal Conflict

Thursday
11:00am-12:20pm

Positive Political Theory

Chair
Scott Tyson, University of Rochester

Participants
Popular foundations of the rule of law
Joseph Warren, University of California, Berkeley

Conspiracies As a Strategy of Political Communication
Nikolay Marinov, University of Houston

Forming States: The Political Advantages of Weak Groups
Brenton Kenkel, Vanderbilt University
Jack Paine, University of Rochester

Political Disagreement and State Sovereignty
Michael Hutchins, Freddie Mac

Discussant
Kristopher William Ramsay, Princeton University
2300 CWC 2: Political elites in authoritarian regimes

Thursday 11:00am-12:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
David Szakonyi, GWU

Participants
Watching the watchers: Coercive institution leadership and informant network density in socialist Poland, 1950–1980
Thomson Henry, ASU
Officer promotion in the security service of the Polish People's Republic
Barbara Piotrowska, Oxford
From challenger to coup: Elite mobilization and defection within authoritarian regimes
Gloria Cheung, Duke
Unbelievable lies
Andrew Little, UC Berkeley
Sherif Nasser, College of Business, Cornell

Discussants
David Szakonyi, GWU
Tavana Daniel, Princeton

Political elites in authoritarian regimes

2300 Party politics in Latin America

Thursday 11:00am-12:20pm

Latin American and Caribbean Politics

Participants
Failure to Convince?: Determinants of Partisan Influence in Mexican Electoral Authorities
José Luis Enríquez, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Party Systems and Inequality in Subnational Brazil
Vincent Mauro, Cornell University
The importance of parties as a heuristic in Latin America: a contextual approach
Agustina Haime, Rice University
2300

**Inter- and Intra-country variation in political attitudes**

**Comparative Politics: Political Behavior**

**Chair**
Semih Cakir, Université de Montréal

**Participants**
Beyond Culture: Geographic Relocation and Social Trust across Canada
Evelyne Brie, University of Pennsylvania
East Vs. West or Old Vs. Young? German Millennials In The Post-Wall Era
Geoffrey Peterson, UW-Eau Claire
Sierra Zellner, UW-Eau Claire
Pride and Prejudice: The Effect of Intolerant Stereotypes on Nationalism
Kayla L Parnin, Idaho State University
Lee D. Walker, University of North Texas
Is There a Problem? Diffuse Support Between Voters and Elites
Feodor Snagovsky, Australian National University
Procedures matter: an organizational justice model of regime support
Matthew Rhodes-Purdy, Clemson University
More 'Europe', less democracy? Institutions, budgets and democratic satisfaction
Ruth Dassonneville, Université de Montréal
Alexandra Jabbour, University of Montreal
Michael S. Lewis-Beck, University of Iowa

**Discussant**
Peter Miller, Brennan Center for Justice

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2400

**Theory and IR**

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
Mark Sachleben, Shippensburg University

**Participants**
Motivated Force & Imaginative Power: Realism and Utopianism in E.H. Carr and Hannah Arendt
Arturo Chang Quiroz, Northwestern University
Practising the Imperial: Alain Locke’s Theory of Race Practice and International Order
Owen Brown, Northwestern University
Process vs Substance, Social Sorting, and the Birth of a Unified Theory for Terrorism
Eric Lake, University of Florida
The Necessity of Tactical Jus Ad Bellum
Celestino Perez, U.S. Army War College

**Discussant**
Mark Sachleben, Shippensburg University
Beyond the Age of Anger: Four Perspectives on the Mishra Thesis

Political Theory

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Participants
Moving Away from Anger: J.G.A. Pocock and the Cambridge School Method
Monica Alfaro-Rodriguez, University of Texas, Dallas
A Thoughtful Look into Mishra’s Criticism of Classical Liberalism in the Age of Anger
Sarah Armor, Temple College
The Erosional Symptoms of Modernity: Anger and Anxiety in Politics
Sylvia Gonzalez, Louisiana State University
Global Capitalism and Nationalistic Ideologies
Phillip H. Pierce, TWU

Discussants
Samah Elhajibrahim, University Of Pennsylvania
Jonathan Olsen, Texas Woman's University
Haj Ross, University of North Texas

A much discussed recent publication attempting to make sense of the turbulent times in global political dynamics is Pankaj Mishra’s Age of Anger: A History of the Present. Our proposed panel offers four perspectives on Mishra’s analysis. Monica Alfaro Rodriguez examines how the approach to historical analysis represented by the Cambridge School, particularly as expressed in the work of J.G.A. Pocock, can take us “away from anger;” Sarah Armor questions Mishra’s understanding of classical liberalism in the West; Sylvia Gonzalez, from a political behavior perspective, examines anger and anxiety in modern politics; and Phillip Pierce argues that the expansion of the global marketplace has changed political identities in the direction of corporate ones. Proposed discussants bring their expertise on citizenship (Samah Elhajibrahim), the rise of right wing populism, especially in Europe, (Jon Olsen), and in the field of linguistics (Haj Ross). We believe our panel and papers will be of interest to anyone teaching and doing research in comparative and American politics, in both normative and empirical political theory, those simply interested in a robust exchange on current events involving global political dynamics, and, of course, those interested in Mishra’s analysis.
Administering the work of courts

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Judicial Politics

Chair
Susanne Schorpp, Georgia State University

Participants
Strategic Delay and the Use of Incompatibility Rulings at the German Constitutional Court
Jay Krehbiel, West Virginia University
Litigation amid Political Uncertainty
Sivaram Cheruvu, Emory University
How do judges save time? State Courts and Readability of Judicial Decisions
Bailey Fairbanks, Georgia State University
Horizontal Effect in the European Union: Republicanism in Supranational Context
Christina Noriega Bambrick, University of Texas at Austin
The right to health care and judicialization of health care policy in Brazil
Francisca Andra Silva Oliveira, University of Tennessee

Discussants
Yi Zhao, Grand Valley State University
John M. Aughenbaugh, Virginia Commonwealth University
### The Politics of New Technology

**Politics, Big Data, and New Technology**

**Participants**
- Jack of All Trades, Master of None: Jurisdictional Clarity and Data Security and Privacy Enforcement at the Federal Trade Commission
  - Rachel German, University of Texas at Austin
- Social media policies in the cities and counties of the Ark-La-Tex
  - James Michael McQuiston, Southern Arkansas University
- The pitfalls of bottom-up accountability: the case of a school constructions’ monitoring technology in Brazil
  - Umberto Mignozzetti, NYU

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### Formal Models of Conflict

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**
- Cathy Wu, Old Dominion University

**Participants**
- A New Model of Signaling Foreign Policy Interests: Revisiting Sunk Costs and Tied Hands
  - Anthony Pierucci, Purdue University
- Bluff to Peace: How Economic Dependence Promotes Peace Despite Increasing Deception and Uncertainty
  - YULENG ZENG, University of South Carolina
- Conscription and Civil Conflict: Professional Soldiers, Draftees, and Insurgents
  - Nikitas Konstantinidis, School of International Relations, IE University
  - Henry Pascoe, School of International Relations, IE University
- Fighting For Survival
  - Chris Schwarz, New York University
- War as an Internal Indivisibility Problem
  - Jason Sanwalka Davis, University of Pennsylvania

**Discussant**
- Scott Wolford, University of Texas at Austin
Changing How We Vote

Electoral Politics

Participants
Does Vote-by-Mail Cause Voters to Gather Information About Politics?
  James Szewczyk, Emory University
Party Voting on the Long Ballot
  Shiro Kuriwaki, Harvard University
Vote Centers and Turnout by Election Type in Texas
  Brandon Rottinghaus, University of Houston
  Jeronimo Cortina, University of Houston
What We Know, and Don't Know, about Voter Registration
  Charles Stewart, MIT

Discussants
  Carolyn Abott, St. John's University
  Heather E. Yates, University of Central Arkansas

Globalization and Development

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair
  Rachel Wellhausen, The University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Neighboring Countries and Dissimilar Paths of Growth
  John Taden, University of Texas at Dallas
Public Policy on a Budget: Natural Resources and Social Welfare in Developing Economies
  Iasmin Goes, University of Texas at Austin
Remittances and Service Provision in Mexico
  Hans Lueders, Stanford University
Trade Agreements and Market Reform Credibility
  Blair Niece, Coastal Carolina University
Unsolicited Justice: the Impact of FCPA Prosecutions on Corruption and Investment
  Jian Xu, Emory University

Discussant
  Jonas Bunte, University of Texas at Dallas
Authoritarian Politics across the World

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm
Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Joel R. Campbell, Troy University

Participants
Ascertaining Types of Military Rule in East Asia
Minseok Jeong, Sogang University
Jongwon Oh, Korea University

Explaining Jokowi's Victory in Indonesia’s 2014 Presidential Election: Populism or Clientelism?
Ya-Wen Yu, Tamkang University

Return of the State: Local and International Drivers of NGO Priorities in Bangladesh
Aeshna Badruzzaman, Northeastern University

The State as It Is: Seen and Unseen Dimensions of Politics and Governance in the DR Congo through the Prism of Decentralization Reforms
Lisa Jené, Claremont Graduate University

Do natural resources lead to more personalized autocracies?
Matthew Fails, Oakland University

Discussants
Joel R. Campbell, Troy University
Natalie Wenzell Letsa, University of Oklahoma

Legislative Agendas

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm
Legislative Politics

Chair
Jonathan Lewallen, University of Tampa

Participants
Building the Border Wall: Congressional Efforts to Support Trump’s Immigration Legacy
Carly Schmitt, Indiana State University
Matthew Bergbower, Indiana State University

Intensity and Representation: the Politics of Guns
Gregory Koger, University of Miami
Christopher Mann, Skidmore College

Korean Legislative Voting on War Issues: The Emergence of New Cleavages
Hwalmin Jin, Texas A&M University
Michael Koch, Department of Political Science, Texas A&M

U.S. Congress & Cyber Policy: Bipartisanship in a Partisan World
Tony Gonzales, University of Southern Mississippi

Voting Against the Experts: Why Members of the House of Representatives Vote to Alter Committee Sanction Recommendations: 1967-2011
Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

Discussants
JoBeth Shafran Shafran, Western Carolina University
Nicholas Howard, Auburn University - Montgomery
Challenges and Opportunities for Mentoring Undergraduate Research: A Faculty Roundtable

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Teaching Political Science

Chair
Carol Strong, University of Arkansas - Monticello

Discussants
Geoffrey Peterson, UW-Eau Claire
Zachary Baumann, Florida Southern College
Juan Carlos Huerta, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

With faculty and former students 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 former students will talk about the benefits they received from the experience and how it has prepared them for graduate school and the workforce. 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.

Legislative Politics in the U.S. States

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm

State Politics

Chair
Regina Lea Wagner, The University of Alabama

Participants
All Work and No Play: The Role of Legislative Staffers in the States
Shannon Jenkins, UMass Dartmouth
Does Political Incivility Reduce Productivity in State Legislatures?
Bryan Gervais, University of Texas at San Antonio
Irwin Morris, University of Maryland, College Park
Growing Tea at the Grassroots: Predicting Tea Party Affiliation in State Legislatures
Charles Russell Hunt, University of Maryland, College Park
Kristen Essel, Brown University
Stella Rouse, University of Maryland, College Park
The Diminishing Role of Legislative Leaders in Term-Limited States
Jordan Butcher, University of Missouri
Who makes good public policy?: Staff professionalism in American State legislatures
Seulhan Lee, University of Missouri-Columbia

Discussant
John David Rausch, West Texas A&M University
Gender and Politics

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair
Kenicia Wright, University of Central Florida

Participants
Gender Bias in Peer Evaluations of Teaching
Kristina Mitchell, Texas Tech University
Rebecca Larsen, Texas Tech University
Partisan Polarization and Gender Socialization in the United States
Andrew Pierce, University of Georgia
Talk Like a Man
Jaclyn Bunch, University of South Alabama
Shelby Savage, University South Alabama
Who represents? Gender, race/ethnicity, and attitudes about descriptive representation
Jennifer Lucas, Saint Anselm College
Heather Silber Mohamed, Clark University
Black, Christian and Female: Reflections on Historical Activists to Enlighten Contemporary Identity Politics
Sharon Gramby-Sobukwe, Eastern University

Discussants
Kenicia Wright, University of Central Florida
Jaclyn Bunch, University of South Alabama

Economic and Political Divisions

Thursday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Public Opinion

Participants
Diagnosing Endogenous Partisanship and Partisan Presidential Approval Bias in Surveys
B. Pablo Montagnes, Emory University
Zachary Peskowitz, Emory University
From Consensus to Divide: American public opinion toward Israel
Amnon Cavari, IDC
Guy Freedman, University of Texas at Austin
Money or Menace? The Impact of Economic versus Terrorist Events and Evaluations on Political Trust
Amélie Godefroidt, KU Leuven
Silke Goubin, KU Leuven
Which Economy? News Exposure and the Limits of Motivated Reasoning
Ian Anson, UMBC
### President Trump's Populism in Comparative Perspective

**Thursday**  
12:30pm-1:50pm  

**President/Executive Politics**

**Chair**  
Kurt Weyland, University of Texas at Austin

**Discussants**  
- Elizabeth Simas, University of Houston  
- Raul Madrid, University of Texas at Austin  
- Lyn Ragsdale, Rice University  
- Jeffrey K Tulis, University of Texas at Austin  
- Kurt Weyland, University of Texas at Austin

This roundtable seeks to assess the political prospects of President Trump's populism and its impact on U.S. democracy through a dialogue among specialists on American and Comparative Politics. Through this wide-ranging approach, the roundtable seeks to shed light on a phenomenon -- a populist leader as chief executive -- that is unusual for the U.S., but that has been quite common in Europe and especially in Latin America. Can these international experiences suggest valid and useful lessons for the U.S. case? How will the typical patterns of populist politics play out in the U.S., given the specific institutional and societal context of this country and its differences with nations where populist chief executives have been more common?

### Membership Committee Meeting

**Thursday**  
1:15pm-3:00pm  

**Meetings**
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**Participants**
- The Origins of Scientism: Revisited<br>  David N Whitney, Nicholls State University
- "Liberalism and Its History" for America<br>  David Corey, Baylor
- How to Speak About a Gnostic Revolution<br>  Michael Scott Robison, Houston Baptist University
- The Comparative Politics of Eric Voegelin<br>  Lee Trepanier, Saginaw Valley State University

This panel re-examines essays written by Eric Voegelin during the first two decades of the Cold War, with an emphasis on the continued relevance of the works in the 21st century.

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**Participants**
- The Cradle to the Grave: Winston Churchill's Burkean Defense of the Welfare State<br>  Robert J. Lacey, Iona College
- On Deliberation and Doctoring: The Ethics of Shared Decision Making in American Health Policy<br>  Liza Williams, Bucknell University
- The Radical Implications of Care Ethics for State Institutions and Policies<br>  Daniel Engster, Hobby School of Public Affairs at the University of Houston

**Discussant**
- Bryan-Paul Frost, UL-Lafayette
Novel data, novel measures: measuring judicial personality

**Thursday 2:00pm-3:20pm**

**Judicial Politics**

**Chairs**
- Pamela C Corley, Southern Methodist University
- Artemus Ward, Northern Illinois University

**Participants**
Authoritarianism and the Supreme Court: How the justices’ information environment affects decision making
- Christopher D Kromphardt, Cornell College
- Jeffrey Glas, University of Georgia

Fear, Duty, or Prestige? Why U.S. Supreme Court Justices Follow Public Opinion
- Matthew E.K. Hall, University of Notre Dame
- Alison Higgins Merrill, Susquehanna University

What Do Justices Want? Probing the Power of Personality on U.S. Supreme Court Decision Making
- Ryan C. Black, Michigan State University
- Ryan Owens, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Justin Wedeking, University of Kentucky
- Patrick C. Wohlfarth, University of Maryland, College Park

**Discussants**
- Joshua Y. Lerner, Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law
- Todd Curry, University of Texas El Paso

New Methodologies in 'Big Data' Approaches to Political Science

**Thursday 2:00pm-3:20pm**

**Politics, Big Data, and New Technology**

**Chair**
- Philip Waggoner, College of William & Mary

**Participants**
Content Analyzing Political Tweets using Natural Language Processing: Opportunities and Challenges
- Jeff Fine, Clemson University

Predicting Legislative Cleavages from Bill Text
- Eric N. Waltenburg, Purdue University
- Janel Jett, Purdue University
- Habi Zhang, Purdue University
- Walter Schostak, Purdue University
- Chris Kulesza, Rice University
- Dan Goldwasser, Purdue University
- Maryam Davoodi, Purdue University

Text-based Ideology Estimation with Reddit Data
- Evgenii Nikitin, NYU

**Discussant**
- Philip Waggoner, College of William & Mary
### Perceptions of Leaders and the Public in International Politics

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**  
Ngoc Phan, Hawaii Pacific University

**Participants**
- Do domestic economic conditions moderate the size of audience costs?  
  Katsuya Nakano, Kobe University
- Oh, That's Just Crazy Talk: How Leaders Use Language to Create Perceptions of Irrationality  
  Jacob Ausderan, Barry University
- The Perception of Democratic Society as Sensitive to Casualties and its Impact on Dealing with Strategic Threats: A Comparative Analysis  
  Pnina Shuker, Bar Ilan University
- Will We Help? Race and Public Support for Foreign Policy Overseas  
  Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas
  Charles Wu, Purdue University
- How Wartime Experiences Affect Desire for Revenge: Evidence from the Franco-Prussian War  
  Christopher Chiego, University of Pennsylvania

**Discussant**  
Jacob Ausderan, Barry University

### Explaining the Trump Election

**Electoral Politics**

**Participants**
- “Alt-Right Ideas and Voting for Candidate Trump”  
  Kyu Chul Shin, West Virginia University
- Did the Trump election make a difference to how supportive Americans are of democracy?  
  Simon Stacey, UMBC
  Carolyn Forestiere, University of Maryland, Baltimore County
- Trump and Florida in 2016: How he beat two favorite sons (Bush and Rubio)  
  Matthew Thomas Corrigan, University of North Florida
- Twisted Rationality: Prospect Theory and the Rise of Donald Trump  
  Guido Tiemann, Institute for Advanced Studies, Vienna
- Voter Research and Donald Trump’s 2016 Presidential Campaign.  
  Brian M Conley, Suffolk University

**Discussants**  
Aaron C Weinschenk, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay
Jaeyun Sung, Lyon College
Non-state Actors in Armed Conflicts

International Politics: Conflict and Security
Chair
Sojeong Lee, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Participants
Accommodate Me Or Else: The Escalation of Protests to Civil Wars
Niels H. Appeldorn, Texas A&M University
Know When to Fold 'Em: Political Causes of Rebel Surrender
Michael Gibbs, University of Texas at Austin
Stella Wancke, University of Texas at Austin
Military Professionalization and Civilian Victimization in Civil Wars
ibrahim kocaman, university of north texas
MUSTAFA KIRISCI, university of north texas
Monopolies of Violence? Civil Insurgency and the Accountability Paradox
Alexei Abrahams, Citizen Lab - University of Toronto
Brandon Merrell, U.C. San Diego
Sovereignty Games, Security, and Resource Politics in Sub-Saharan Africa
Orlandrew E Danzell, Mercyhurst University
Naaborle Sackeyfio, Miami University
Patrick Larue, University Of Texas At Dallas

Discussant
Michael Findley, University of Texas at Austin

Governance Responsiveness in China

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas
Chair
Xian Huang, Rutgers University

Participants
How Authoritarian Responsiveness Fosters Social Unrest: Evidence from China
Siyao ZHENG, Tsinghua University
Local State Responses to Labor Contention in China, 2013-2015
Yuqian Chen, Harvard University
Why Are Things Out of Control? Protest Target and Mass Violence in China
Wei-Feng Tzeng, University of North Texas
Hsin-Hsien Wang, National Chengchi University, Taiwan(R.O.C.)
Courtroom Broadcast in China and Its Effects on Judicial Legitimacy
Dong Yu, University of Iowa

Discussants
Jay Chieh Kao, University of Texas
Xian Huang, Rutgers University
### Author Meets Critics--Poor Representation: Congress and the Politics of Poverty in the United States

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**Critic**  
Michelle Whyman, Duke University

**Author**  
Kristina Miler, University of Maryland

Tens of millions of Americans live in poverty, but Kristina C. Miler’s book reveals that they receive very little representation in Congress. While a burgeoning literature examines the links between political and economic inequality, Miler’s book is the first to comprehensively examine the poor as a distinct constituency. Drawing on three decades of data on political speeches, party platforms, and congressional behavior, Miler first shows that, contrary to what many believe, the poor are highly visible to legislators. Yet, the poor are grossly underrepresented when it comes to legislative activity, both by Congress as a whole and by individual legislators, even those who represent high-poverty districts. To take up their issues in Congress, the poor must rely on a few surrogate champions who have little district connection to poverty but view themselves as broader advocates and often see poverty from a racial or gender-based perspective.

### Building a Robust Political Science Undergraduate Major

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**Chair**  
Daniel Fuerstman, State College of Florida

**Participants**
- Building a New Political Science Major from Scratch in the Contemporary Era  
  Christopher Lawrence, Middle Georgia State University
- Teaching Undergraduates to Read: Faculty Role in Developing Strategic Readers  
  Chana M. Solomon-Schwartz, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
- Transfer Students and Course Modality: Determinants of Student Success in Political Science  
  Kerstin Hamann, University of Central Florida  
  Rebecca Glazier, University of Arkansas Little Rock  
  Philip H. Pollock, University of Central Florida  
  Bruce Wilson, University of Central Florida

**Discussant**  
Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College
Political Development in the U.S. States

Thursday
2:00pm-3:20pm

State Politics

Chair
John J. McGlennon, College of William & Mary

Participants
"A Cindered Capitol": Historic State Capitol Fires and the Growth of State Governments
Bertram Johnson, Middlebury College
Bilingual Education in California and Texas: The Effects of Subnational Policymaking Contexts on Immigrant Political Incorporation
Girma Elyot Alifeyo Parris, Case Western Reserve University
Education Reformers or 'Bro Culture': Lifting the Veil on a Dark Money Ballot Question
Maurice Cunningham, University of Massachusetts at Boston
Policy Diffusion through Pressure Groups in the Gilded Age
Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University
Alixandra B. Yanus, High Point University
Nicholas Pyeatt, Pennsylvania State University- Altoona
The Politics of Legislature Size: Structures of State Legislatures as Venues for Party Competition, 1900 to 2006
Jordan Carr Peterson, Texas Christian University
Nicholas G. Napolio, University of Southern California

Discussant
Skip Krueger, University of North Texas

The Ballot Box and Identity Politics: How Race and Ethnicity Shapes Elections

Thursday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair
Jongho Lee, Western Illinois University

Participants
Asian Americans in California's Top Two Primary
Sara Sadhwani, University of Southern California
It is Race: An analysis of Voting Restrictions post-2008
Ryan M Yonk, Dixie State University
It's Her Turn(Out): Latinas Influence on Latinx Voter Registration
Tana Stamper, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
Voter Behavior and Immigrant Generations: A Study of the Asian American Community
Cornelia Lawrence, University of Texas at Austin
You Live Where? The Impact of Race and State Level Factors on Turnout in US Presidential Elections
Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut

Discussants
Jongho Lee, Western Illinois University
Rudy Alamillo, University of California, Riverside
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**CWC 14: Methods and Means of Disaster Communication**

**Conference Within A Conference**

**Chair**
Gina Yannitell Reinhardt, University of Essex

**Participants**
Information, Participation, and Public Trust as Predictors of Support for Disaster-Related Policy Change
Elizabeth Albright, Duke University
Deserai Crow, University of Colorado Denver

Tweeting Against the Wind: The Effectiveness of Government Warnings sent via Twitter during Hurricane Irma
Wen-Jiu Wang, Sam Houston State University
Thomas Haase, Sam Houston State University
Chia-Hsuan Yang, James Madison University

The Effect of Risk Communication in Tornado Scenarios on Individual Preparedness and Resilience
Haley Murphy, Oklahoma State University
Hao-Che Tristan Wu, Oklahoma State University

**Discussant**
Scott Robinson, University of Oklahoma

This panel explores various methods and means of communicating before, during, and after critical events, and pursues pressing questions about how, when, and why different communication strategies are used effectively.

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**CWC15: Policy Implementation**

**Positive Political Theory**

**Chair**
Peter Bils, Princeton University

**Participants**
Hierarchies and Promotions in Political Institutions: Accountability and Selection
B Pablo Montagnes, Emory
Stephane Wolton, LSE

Policy Implementation and Noncompliance in Multi-Level Political Systems
Joshua Camden Fjelstul, Emory University

Revolving Doors
Ryan Hubert, University of California, Davis
Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School

The Probability of Violating Arrow's Conditions
Keith Dougherty, University of Georgia
Jac Heckelman, Wake Forest University

**Discussant**
Benjamin G. Ogden, Texas A&M University
**Conference Within A Conference**

**Chair**

Edmund Malesky, Duke University

**Participants**

Political regimes and higher education
- Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M
- Jan Pierskalla, OSU

At Risk: Thresholds of democratic breakdown
- Anne Meng, Virginia
- Benjamin Helms, Virginia
- Jonathan Kropko, Virginia
- David Leblang, Virginia

Stand where you sit: Democratic values and competition
- Dimitar Gueorguiev, Syracuse

The king can do no wrong: Blame avoidance and regime stability under authoritarian rule
- Scott Williamson, Stanford

**Discussants**

- Edmund Malesky, Duke University
- John Reuter, UWM

Regime (in)stability and regime transitions

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**Finance Committee Meeting**

**Meetings**

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Theory and Rhetoric
Thursday
3:30pm-4:50pm
Political Theory
Chair
Daniel Kapust, UW Madison
Participant
Taking a Knee: Receiving Rhetoric and the Hermeneutics of the Self
Simon Lambek, University of Toronto
Discussant
Daniel Kapust, UW Madison

Roundtable on Jeffrey Church, Nietzsche's Culture of Humanity
Thursday
3:30pm-4:50pm
Political Theory
Chair
Paul E Kirkland, Carthage College
Discussants
Jeffrey Church, University of Houston
Daniel Conway, Texas A&M University
Lawrence James Hatab, Old Dominion University
Jason Caro, University of Houston-Downtown
Iain Patrick Morrison, The Honors College, University of Houston

This panel will be a roundtable discussion of Church's book, Nietzsche's Culture of Humanity. Nietzsche scholars have long been divided over whether Nietzsche is an aristocratic or a democratic thinker. Nietzsche's Culture of Humanity overcomes this debate by proving both sides wrong. Jeffrey Church argues that in his early period writings, Nietzsche envisioned a cultural meritocracy that drew on the classical German tradition of Kant and Herder. The young Nietzsche's "culture of humanity" synthesized the high and low, the genius and the people, the nation and humanity. Nietzsche's early ideal of culture can shed light on his mature period thought, since, Church argues, Nietzsche does not abandon this fundamental commitment to a cultural meritocracy. Nietzsche's Culture of Humanity argues that Nietzsche's novel defense of culture can overcome some persisting problems in contemporary liberal theories of culture. As such, this book should interest Nietzsche scholars, political theorists, and philosophers interested in modern thought, as well as contemporary thinkers concerned with the politics of culture.
Extrajudicial forces

Judicial Politics

Chair
Maureen Therese Stobb, Georgia Southern University

Participants
2 Legit 2 Quit? Civil Society Activism and Judicial Defection Against Autocratic Backsliding
Laura Siltanen Hosman, University of Denver
Maoz Rosenthal, Inter Disciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya
Stand by Me: How Do Indigenous Rights Fare at the IACHR?
Rebecca Reid, UTEP
Political Context and Bottom-Up Diffusion of Law: the Case of "Public Figure" in China
Yi Zhao, Grand Valley State University
Mark Richards, Grand Valley State University
Agenda Setting in Cause Lawyering Organizations
David Trowbridge, Middle Tennessee State University

Discussant
Susanne Schorpp, Georgia State University

'Big Data' Approaches to Propaganda, Autocracy and Cyberattacks

Politics, Big Data, and New Technology

Participants
Autocratic Propaganda in Comparative Perspective
Brett Carter, University of Southern California
Erin Baggott Carter, University of Southern California
Cyberattack Initiation
Lance Young Hunter, Augusta University
Craig Douglas Albert, Augusta University
Eric Garrett, Augusta University
Online Activism: What Social Media Analysis Reveals About Justice Mobilization for Syria
Nitin Agarwal, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
Eric Wiebelhaus-Brahm, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
The Propaganda Value of Refugee
Nikolay Marinov, University of Houston
Domestic Politics and International Conflict

Thursday
3:30pm-4:50pm

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

Participants
Audience Costs ... with Chinese Characteristics?
Ray Thomas Hartman, Seoul National University
Autocratic Transitions and Diversionary Conflict
Dmitriy Nurullayev, Louisiana State University
Compelling Targets: Democratic Regimes and Coercive Success
Matt Koji Scroggs, Christopher Newport University
Domestic Politics and International Bargaining: non-parametric combination analysis of a survey experiment
Yeon Kyung Grace Park, Emory University
Vetoing the Peace: The Agency Dilemma in Crisis Decision-Making
Brandon Merrell, U.C. San Diego

Discussant
Cathy Wu, Old Dominion University

Participation in Politics

Thursday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Electoral Politics

Participants
Do email messages suppress turnout on election day? Experimental evidence from the 2016 general election
Michael U Rivera, University of California, Berkeley
Douglas Alex Hughes, University of California, Berkeley
Micah Gell-Redman, University of Georgia
Does the Horserace Matter? Citizen Perceptions of Local Elections Outcomes and Voter Turnout
Feodor Snagovsky, Australian National University
Mind the (Participation) Gap: Vouchers, Voting, and Visibility
Abby Wood, USC
Christopher Elmendorf, UC Davis
Douglas Spencer, University of Chicago
The Racial Contours of the Relationship between Voter Turnout and Partisan Outcomes
Michael D Martinez, University of Florida
Jeff Gill, American University
When Do (and Don't) Politicians Use Populist Rhetoric? A Mobilization Model of Populism
Alexander Kustov, Princeton University
Yaoyao Dai, PSU

Discussants
James W Endersby, University of Missouri
Thomas Gray, University of Texas at Dallas
International Finance and Financial crises

Thursday
3:30pm-4:50pm

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair
Pablo M. Pinto, University of Houston

Participants
Analysis of the Potential Brexit Impact on the European Union and the United Kingdom
Peter Csanyi, University of Economics in Bratislava
Banks of a Feather Swap Together: Social Similarity and Currency Swaps During the 2008 Financial Crisis
Tim Marple, University of California, Berkeley
Competition and Cooperation in the Export Credit Regime
Jonas Bunte, University of Texas at Dallas
Geoffrey Gertz, Brookings Institute
Alexandra Zeitz, University of Oxford
Effects of International Debt on Economic Growth in Emerging Market Economies
Kelly A Stone, Western Kentucky University
Political Outcomes of Financial Crisis: Evidence from Municipal Elections in Brazil
Marianne Batista, University of Pittsburgh

Discussant
Blair Niece, Coastal Carolina University

The Role of Elections in Developing Countries

Thursday
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Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Nicholas Kerr, University of Florida

Participants
Kickbacks and Limits on Campaign Donations
Saad Gulzar, Department of Political Science, Stanford
Miguel Rueda, Emory University
Nelson A. Ruiz, University of Oxford
Power of Persuasion: Regime Legitimation During Authoritarian Elections
Christopher Francis Patane, Sam Houston State University
Turn Me On: The Politicization of Socio-Political and Socio-Economic Issues by African Incumbent Parties.
Rafael Oganessian, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Jonathan-Georges Mehanna, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Voter Support for Elite Politics in Africa? Evidence from a Survey Experiment in Cote d'Ivoire and Uganda
Nathaniel Terence Cogley, Tarleton State University
The Uses of Public Policies: Electoral Cycles in Social Programs in Brazil
Natalia Bueno, Emory University

Discussants
Nicholas Kerr, University of Florida
Donghyun Danny Choi, University of Pennsylvania
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**Article I Meets Article II**

**Thursday**

*3:30pm-4:50pm*

**Legislative Politics**

**Chair**

Anthony Lister Ives, Texas A&M University

**Participants**

Better Left Unsaid: The Connection Between Members of Congress, Presidents, and Political Ambiguity  
Grace Pittman, Georgia Southern University  
Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

Incentives for Bipartisanship: Why Opposition Members Defect to the President  
Travis Baker, University of California Center Sacramento  
Jordan Kujala, University of California Center Sacramento

The Legislative Veto and the Subversion of the Constitution's Political Architecture  
Thomas Bell, University of Texas at Austin

The (Police) Agency Problem: Police Use of Deadly Force  
Scott Cook, Texas A&M University  
David Fortunato, Texas A&M University

**Discussants**

Joel Sievert, Texas Tech University  
Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

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**Experiential Teaching and Learning in Political Science**

**Thursday**

*3:30pm-4:50pm*

**Teaching Political Science**

**Chair**

Brian Roberts, Principia College

**Participants**

Dawgs at the Door: Efficacy, Local Politics, and the Inaugural UMBC Retriever Exit Poll  
Ian Anson, UMBC

“DIY” Politics: Service-learning Pedagogy and Outcomes in a Minority-Serving Polytechnic University  
Brady Collins, Cal Poly Pomona

“Experiential Learning among Native Americans: Challenges, Opportunities, and Insights for Political Scientists”  
Richard Steven Conley, University of Florida

Internships: Good, Bad and Where do we go from here  
Bobbi Gentry, Bridgewater College

Internships: Who's doing what?  
Sue Ann Skipworth, University of Mississippi

**Discussant**

Brian Roberts, Principia College
**Gender, Race, and Religion in American Politics**

**Thursday**  
3:30pm-4:50pm

**Religion and Politics**

**Chair**  
Kevin den Dulk, Calvin College

**Participants**

- Multiracial Churches: Are their Black and White Parishioners different?  
  BRAD LOCKERBIE, East Carolina University  
  Peter Wielhouwer, Western Michigan University
- Clergywomen and “Women’s Issues”: Women's Substantive Representation in American Congregations  
  Cammie Jo Bolin, Georgetown University
- Racial Limitations on the Gender, Risk, Religion & Politics Model  
  Mirya Holman, Tulane University  
  Amanda Friesen, IUPUI
- Religion and the Politics of Race: Descriptive Representation and African American Interests in the Senate  
  John McTague, Towson University  
  Shanna Pearson-Merkowitz, University of Rhode Island

**Discussant**  
Brandon Rudolph Davis, Brown University

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**Political Attitudes and Identity Politics**

**Thursday**  
3:30pm-4:50pm

**Race, Ethnicity, and Gender**

**Chair**  
Hannah Walker, Rutgers University

**Participants**

- Manipulating White Identification & the Consequences for Intergroup Emotions  
  Kristine Kay-Erkiletian, UC Berkeley
- Racial Attitudes and Varying Expectations of Publicity: Letters to the Editor and Legislators on Civil Rights in the 1960s  
  Neal Allen, Wichita State University  
  Kylie Cameron, Wichita State University  
  Jaiden Soupene, Wichita State University
- The New American Identity: Assimilation in the Age of Identity Politics  
  Kasia Hinkson, University of Houston
- The Zeal of the Convert: Corruption, Immigration, and Latino Trust in the Government  
  Charles Joshua Mays, University of Delaware
- Whites' Assessments of Police Violence using a Survey Experiment  
  Kiela Crabtree, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor  
  Nicole Yadon, University of Michigan

**Discussants**  
Hannah Walker, Rutgers University  
Aaron Rosenthal, Simmons University
Political Attitudes and Connections to Government

Thursday 3:30pm-4:50pm
Public Opinion

Participants
Accountability in the Eyes of Voters: The Impact of Perceived Issue Agreement in a Party-Polarized Electorate
Stephen Ansolabehere, Harvard University
Shiro Kuriwaki, Harvard University
American Authoritarianism: Attitudes as Determinants of Support for Authoritarian Regimes
Alexandra T Middlewood, University of Kansas
Rachel E Finnell, University of Kansas
Do Interest Group Endorsements Help Voters Hold Representatives Accountable?
David Broockman, Stanford
Gabriel Lenz, Berkeley
Aaron Kaufman, Harvard
Political Knowledge and Education: Alternative Explanations?
Yulmin Park, University of Texas at Austin
The Impact of the Environmental Connection and Governmental Characteristics on Prime Ministers’ Popularity Ratings: Evidence from Israel
Alon Peretz Kraitzman, Michigan State University
Charles W. Ostrom, Michigan State University

The Administrative Presidency

Thursday 3:30pm-4:50pm
Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
Ashley Moraguez, UNC Asheville

Participants
Assessing Trump's White House
Matthew J. Dickinson, Middlebury College
Bring Out the Best: Testing Models of Loyalty-Competence Tradeoffs in Presidential Appointments
Richard Waterman, University of Kentucky
Yu Ouyang, Purdue University Northwest
Control without Confirmation: The Politics of Vacancies in Presidential Appointments
Christina M Kinane, University of Michigan
The Structure of Appointment Politics: Consistency or Change?
Gary Hollibaugh, University of Pittsburgh
Lawrence Rothenberg, University of Rochester

Discussants
Ashley Moraguez, UNC Asheville
Jon Bond, Texas A&M University
**CWC 14: Round table on Focusing Events**

**Conference Within A Conference**

**Chair**
Rob DeLeo, Bentley University

**Discussants**
Cherie Maestas, University of North Carolina Charlotte
Scott Robinson, University of Oklahoma
Tom Birkland, North Carolina State University
Elizabeth Shanahan, Montana State University

This round table visits Tom Birkland's seminal work on focusing events during its anniversary year.

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**CWC15: Executive Branch**

**Positive Political Theory**

**Chair**
Ryan Hubert, University of California, Davis

**Participants**
Disproportionate Policy Responses and Executive Expertise
  Peter Bils, Princeton University
Endogenous Interest Group Power and Presidential Unilateral Action
  David Robert Foster, University of California, Berkeley
Federalism and Ideology
  Anna Wilke, Columbia University
  Michael Ting, Columbia University
  Georgiy Syunyaev, Columbia University
Separation of Powers, Elections, and Persuasion in Policy Reform
  Myunghoon Kang, Washington University in St. Louis
Talking Points
  Korhan Kocak, Princeton University

**Discussant**
Dan Alexander, Vanderbilt University
CWC 2: Elections and legislatures in authoritarian regimes

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Quintin Beazer, FSU

Participants
Testing legislator responsiveness to citizens and firms in the Vietnamese National Assembly: A field experiment
Edmund Malesky, Duke University
Jason Todd, Duke University
Anh Le, Duke
Anh Tran, Indiana

The origins of electoral opposition under authoritarian rule: Evidence from Kuwait
Tavana Daniel, Princeton

Candidate filtering: The strategic use of electoral fraud in Russia
David Szakonyi, GWU

Apathy or activism? Examining the determinants of pro-regime mobilization in Russia
John Reuter, UWM
Noah Buckley, NYU Abu Dhabi

Discussants
Quintin Beazer, FSU
Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M

Elections and legislatures in authoritarian regimes

American Founding Thought

Political Theory

Chair
Paul R. DeHart, Texas State University

Participants
"Decision, Activity, Secrecy and Despatch": The Intellectual Origins of Hamilton's Rhetoric in Federalist No. 70
Jeremy Bailey, University of Houston
Haimo Li, University of Houston

Jefferson, Adams, and the Debate over Censorship
Bruce Hunt, Angelo State University
Robert Ross, Utah State University

Reconsidering the Relation between Political Equality and Economic Inequality: The Founders' View
David Lewis Schaefer, college of the holy cross

The Civic Education of the Spirit of Commerce: Franklin on Ambition and Enterprise.
Geoffrey Kellow, Carleton University

The Political Theology of the American Founding
Justin Dyer, University of Missouri

Discussant
Alin Fumurescu, University of Houston
**Liberalism’s Discontents**

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
Amber Knight, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte

**Participants**
- Political theory and the trauma of the twentieth century: Liberalism of Anxiety
  - Paul Babbitt, Southern Arkansas University
- The Erosional Symptoms of Modernity
  - Sylvia Gonzalez, Louisiana State University
- The Politics of Self-Help: The pursuit of happiness and the loss of the common good
  - Christie Maloyed, University of Louisiana at Lafayette

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**Novel data, novel measures: the state of state courts**

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Wendy L. Martinek, Binghamton University

**Participants**
- The Politics of Self-Assignment in State Supreme Courts
  - Meghan E. Leonard, Illinois State University
  - Joseph V Ross, Florida Gulf Coast University
- Do Judicial Selection Mechanisms Influence Judges Voting Behavior?
  - Jason Harold Windett, Mr
  - Matthew E.K. Hall, University of Notre Dame
  - Jeff Harden, Notre Dame
  - Morgan Hazelton, Saint Louis University
- The Impact of Judicial Selection Methods on Judicial Behavior: A Synthetic Controls Analysis of State Supreme Courts
  - Kristen Renberg, Duke University
- The Effects of Institutional Rules and Structure on Compliance in State Judicial Hierarchies
  - Justin Kingsland, Georgia State University

**Discussants**

Jeffrey Budziak, Western Kentucky University
Benjamin J Kassow, University of North Dakota

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### Comparative Party Policy Strategies

**Political Parties**

**Chair**  
Debra Lynn Leiter, University of Missouri-Kansas City

**Participants**
- The Tangential Party Responsiveness Model: How Mainstream Parties Attempt to Stem Niche Party Success through Indirect Responsiveness  
  Christopher Williams, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
- Entering Niche Space: An Electoral Strategy for the Mainstream Right  
  Matthew Bergman, UC San Diego  
  Henry Flatt, UT Austin
- Examining the (Niche) Electoral Successes of Radical Right Parties  
  Lewis Alexander Luartz, University of California, Riverside
- When Copycats Go Astray: An Individual-Level Study of the Electoral Effects of Mainstream Parties Responding to Niche Parties  
  Christopher Williams, University of Arkansas at Little Rock  
  Maurits Meijers, Radboud University
- Campaign Valence Rhetoric and Vote Choice in Europe: How do Self-Praises and Valence Attacks Affect Vote Choice?  
  Zeynep Somer-Topcu, University of Texas at Austin  
  Daniel Weitzel, University of Texas at Austin

**Discussant**  
Debra Lynn Leiter, University of Missouri-Kansas City

### Representation & Electoral Determinants of Elite Behavior

**Electoral Politics**

**Participants**
- How Partisan is Local Law Enforcement? Evidence from Sheriff Cooperation with Immigration Authorities  
  Daniel Thompson, Stanford University
- Is Less More? Measuring the Effectiveness of Candidates’ Non-Answers  
  David Niven, U of Cincinnati
- More Responsibility, More GATT/WTO Complaints? — Examining the U.S. from 1948 to 2018  
  Jou Fei Huang, University at Buffalo
- The Rise and Fall of the IDC in the New York State Senate  
  Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College

**Discussants**
- Michael J Faber, Texas State University
- Jack Collens, Siena College
Politics and Foreign Direct Investment

Thursday
5:00pm-6:20pm

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair
Erica Owen, University of Pittsburgh

Participants
Does Joining International Transparency Initiatives Draw More FDI?
Haeyong Lim, University of Houston
FDI, regime type and technological spillover
Islam Rizvanoglu, University of Houston
Ulkar Imamverdiyeva, University of Houston
Moving Bars and Strategic Silence in International Investment Arbitration
Rachel Wellhausen, The University of Texas at Austin
Leslie Johns, UCLA
The impact of political relations on foreign divestment
Di Wang, University of Texas at Austin
Robert Weiner, George Washington University
Migrants, Rule of Law, and Foreign Direct Investment: Reconsidering the Influence of Immigration on Financial Flows
Tatsiana Kulakevich, University of South Florida

Discussant
Nathan Jensen, University of Texas at Austin

Government Behavior in China

Thursday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

Participants
Lobbying within the Party-state: The Rising Policy Influence of Private Entrepreneurs in China
Dongya Huang, Sun Yat-Sen University
Minglu Chen, The University of Sydney
Monitoring Corruption and the Supply of Politicians: Evidence from China
Wenhui Yang, University of Texas at Austin
Talking in Slogans: How Public Statements of Chinese Ruling Elites Reveal Their Differences
Yin Yuan, University of California, San Diego
Media Exposure and Bureaucratic Incentives in Authoritarian Regimes
Xiaoshu Gui, Duke University
Social Cleavages and Preferences for Government Redistribution in China
Xian Huang, Rutgers University

Discussants
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas
Siyao ZHENG, Tsinghua University
2700

Legislative Districts and Candidates

Thursday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Legislative Politics

Chair
Matthew Bergbower, Indiana State University

Participants
Analysis of Legislative Apportionment and District Allocation
Allen Brierly, INDEPENDENT SCHOLAR
A Proportionality Standard for Redistricting
Tom Brunell, UT Dallas
Candidate Quality and the Delayed Republican Takeover of Southern State Legislatures
Sean Evans, Union University
Electoral Competition in State Legislative Races and the Effects of Term Limits and Gerrymandering
Anthony Jesuale, Wayne State University
Save Havens or Facilitators: How Institutions shape Representation
Cynthia R. Rugeley, University of Minnesota Duluth

Discussants
Dan Alexander, Vanderbilt University
Justin H Phillips, Columbia University

Innovations in Teaching and Learning with the Core Curriculum

Thursday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Teaching Political Science

Chair
Amy Denn Perry, Texas State University

Participants
Assessing a Political Science Learning Community
Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College
Peter Brusoe, Bloomberg Government
Online peer interactive collaborative teaching and learning
Anita Chadha, university of houston, downtown
Using Online Tools to Increase Instructor Presence in Introductory Government Courses
Nathan Keith Mitchell, Prairie View A&M University
John Starne, Prairie View A&M University
Pleading Pathos - Pedagogical Approach to Fake News
Maria I Gabryszewska, College - CyFair
Bibek Chand, Florida International University

Discussant
Gloria Christina Cox, University of North Texas
### Determinants of Public Policy in the U.S. States

**State Politics**

**Chair**
Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

**Participants**
- Corporate Reactions to Minimum Wage Legislative Threat
  - Julia Valdes, University of California Irvine
- Salience, Scientific Uncertainty, and the Agenda-Setting Power of Science
  - Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo, Christopher Newport University
  - Andrew Karch, University of Minnesota
- Selection or Adaptation: Selection or Adaptation: Identifying the Mechanisms of Spillover Responsiveness
  - Desmond Wallace, University of Iowa
- The Political Business Cycle of Tax Policy in the U.S.
  - Skip Krueger, University of North Texas
  - HyungGun Park, University of North Texas
- What explains the adoption of comprehensive body-worn camera legislation in the U.S? A fuzzy set qualitative comparative analysis of 50 states
  - Sunyoung Pyo, SUNY Albany

**Discussant**
Jonathan Winburn, University of Mississippi

### Organized Interests and Public Policymaking

**Public Policy**

**Chair**
Clare Brock, Texas Woman's University

**Participants**
- Effective or Evicted? How Landlord Lobbying Affects Eviction Rates in the United States
  - Rosalie Swingle, Oklahoma State University
- Delegating Responsibility in the Aftermath of Disaster: Private Contractors and Insurers as Non-state Actors
  - Daniel Sledge, UT-Arlington
  - Herschel Thomas, Univ of Texas at Arlington
- How Policy Contact Shapes Social Constructions of Politically Relevant Groups
  - Rebecca Kretzer, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
  - Elizabeth Maltby, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- Partisan Polarization and the Role of Outside Groups in the Policy Process
  - Zachary Albert, University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Discussants**
- EJ Fagan, University of Texas at Austin
- Maraam A Dwidar, The University of Texas at Austin
2700

Public Attitudes, Opinions, Intensity, and Interest

Thursday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Public Opinion

Participants
Are Two Better Than One? Evaluating the Effects of Multiple Cues on Policy Opinions
Alexander Davis, University of Oklahoma
Contentedness and Political Interest
Sarah Heise, Ms.
Measuring Preference Intensity
Chris Tausanovitch, University of California - Los Angeles
Policy or Process? The Sources of Citizens’ Opinions about Tax Reform
Logan Dancey, Wesleyan
Erika Franklin Fowler, Wesleyan
Sarah Gollust, University of Minnesota
Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Georgia
Should They Stay or Should They Go Now?: A Conjoint Experiment on Attitudes Toward Deportation
Anja Kilibarda, Columbia University in the City of New York

Information Across Media Systems and Regime Types

Thursday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Media and Politics

Chair
Newly Paul, University of North Texas

Participants
Media and Politics: The Hungarian Media Network After 2010
Attila Farkas, Eotvos Lorand University
Media Freedom in the Shadow of a Coup
Raphael Boleslavsky, University of Miami
Mehdi Shadmehr, University of Chicago Harris School
Konstantin Sonin, University of Chicago Harris School
Social Media's Role in Instigating Protests and Framing the 2011 Egyptian Uprising
Asif Waheed Siddiqui, University of Nevada, Reno
Reading Is Believing: The Effect of Frames in Communication on National Identities in Israel
Maya Hadar, University of Masaryk
Media and Politics in Africa: the Case of Cameroon in Central Africa
Felicitas Aquegho Yari, Southern University and A&M College, Baton Rouge, LA

Discussant
Ping Xu, University of Rhode Island
2700

CWC 14: Researching Disaster Resilience and Behavior with Text and Content Analysis

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Ashley Dyan Ross, Texas A&M University at Galveston

Participants
Automated Text Analysis: Investigating Perspectives of International Humanitarian Organizations on Local Organizational Cooperation
Michelle Reddy, Stanford University

Should I Stay or Should I Go? An Experimental Test of Citizen Compliance with Hurricane Evacuation Orders
Jennifer M. Connolly, University of Miami
Casey Klofstad, University of Miami
Joseph E Usctinski, University of Miami

What can Computerized Text Mining Tell Us about Disaster Resilience? Investigating Resilience Plans
Gina Yannitell Reinhardt, University of Essex
Kakia Chatsiou, University of Essex

Locally-led Disaster Management - Exploring the role of community based organisations in local disaster management in Australia
Lex Drennan, Griffith University

Using Computerized Text Analysis to Understand the Ebola Crisis
Leah Windsor, University of Memphis
Robert Ostergard, University of Nevada, Reno

Discussants
Andrew Delton, Stony Brook University
Kathleen Hale, Auburn University

Computerized text analysis has recently surged in popularity as a tool for investigating fundamental questions in political science. This panel explores text analysis via computerized and non-computerized methods.

2700

CWC2: Workshop on V-DEM Cross-National Data Collection

Conference Within A Conference

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### 3100 Bureaucratic Decision-making: Interests, Influence, and Public Opinion

**Friday**  
8:00am-9:20am

#### Bureaucratic Politics

**Chair**  
John E Brooks, Auburn University, Montgomery

**Participants**

- Bureaucratic Responsiveness to LGBT Americans  
  Kenneth Lowande, University of Michigan  
  Andrew Proctor, Princeton University

- Finding the Beneficiary: Inside the Bureaucratic Network of Public Pension Fund Governance Bodies & their Investment Choices  
  Caitlin Marie McGowan, Georgetown University

- How the Sausage Gets Made: An Experiment in Shaping Public Opinion of the Administrative State  
  Colin Angus Leslie, University of Southern California  
  Anthony W. Orlando, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona  
  William George Resh, University of Southern California

- Meetings, Comments, and the Distributive Politics of Rulemaking: Evidence from Dodd-Frank  
  Brian Libgober, Yale University

**Discussants**

- John E Brooks, Auburn University, Montgomery  
- Scott Limbocker, United States Military Academy

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### 3100 Foreign precedent

**Friday**  
8:00am-9:20am

#### Judicial Politics

**Chair**  
Kyla Stepp, Central Michigan University

**Participants**

- The Use of Foreign Precedent and Support for the Supreme Court  
  Jay Krehbiel, West Virginia University

- A Deliberative Democratic Defense of Transnational Constitutional "Borrowing"  
  Laura Back, University of Washington

- Reasoning Globally: With a Little Help from Their Friends  
  Elli Menounou, University of Southern California

- The Debate between Justices Scalia and Breyer over the Meaning of the Constitution  
  Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

**Discussant**

- Banks Prescott Miller, Univ. of Texas at Dallas
Group Bias, Prejudice, and Discrimination

Political Psychology

Chair
Colin Scott, McGill University

Participants
Romantic Partner Sorting and Discrimination: Do Interracial Families Differ on Views towards Minority Discrimination
Ngoc Phan, Hawaii Pacific University
Natasha Altema McNeely, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
Edward D. Vargas, Arizona State University

When Words Become Threats: The Impact of Hispanic/Latino Racialization on Immigration Attitudes among Whites
Alejandro Honeker, University of Pittsburgh

Social motivations of religious accommodation attitudes: Gender attitude and prejudice across the ideological spectrum.
Colin Scott, McGill University

Triggering Social Fear: Issue Framing and Attitudes Toward Immigrants
Matthew Bufford, University of Georgia

Intergroup bias and attitudes on felon disenfranchisement
Klara Fredriksson, University of Texas at Austin

Discussants
Mark Peffley, University of Kentucky
Colin Scott, McGill University

Immigration and Nativism in American Political Development

American Political Development

Participants
Assembling Immigration Detention
dustin ken ellis, University of Oregon

Before Ozawa and Thind: Asian Race and Naturalization in American Political Thought and Jurisprudence, 1882-1921
Juman Kim, University of Oregon

Immigrant Political Incorporation & Sub-National Contexts: Comparing Policy Development in NRW Islamic Religious Instruction v. California Bilingual Education
Girma Elyot Alifieyo Parris, Case Western Reserve University

No Nation Left Behind? Mass Schooling, Assimilation, and National Identity Formation
Soumyajit Mazumder, Harvard University

The Politics of Discontent: Evaluating the Know-Nothings
Justin Moeller, West Texas A&M University

Discussant
Anna Law, CUNY Brooklyn College
# Political Theory

## American Political Thought in the Civil War and Beyond

**Friday**

8:00am-9:20am

**Chair**

Jason Maloy, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

**Participants**

- A Tale of Two Speeches: A Machiavellian Reading of Lincoln's Political Religion
  - Alexios Alexander, Eastern University

- John C. Calhoun and John Taylor of Caroline: A Contrast Revealing An Interesting Division in the Early State-Rights School
  - Clifford Humphrey, Hillsdale College

- 'Languages of the Unheard': Martin Luther King, Jr. and Politics as Dissent
  - Micah Akuezue, UCLA

- Lincoln and Machiavelli: Two Diverse Humors and the Problem of Perpetuation.
  - Jeong Hwan Bae, University of Notre Dame

- The Tyranny of Reason, The Persistence of Political Theology, & The Possibility of Politics: Yuval Levin & Mark Lilla on Liberty and America
  - Trevor Shelley, Arizona State University, School of Civic & Economic Thought & Leadership

**Discussant**

Christie Maloyed, University of Louisiana at Lafayette

## Mill and Tocqueville

**Friday**

8:00am-9:20am

**Chair**

Jeffrey K Tulis, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**

- John Stuart Mill on Deference in Democracy
  - Alec Arellano, University of Texas at Austin

- The Primacy of Progress in On Liberty: Mill, Comte, and Freedom’s Utility for Progress
  - Vince Bagnulo, Texas State University

- Tocqueville, Historicism, and the Origins of Modernity
  - Keegan Callanan, Middlebury College

- Tocqueville on the Decadence of Democratic Compassion
  - Lewis Hoss, Northern Illinois University

**Discussant**

Alec Arellano, University of Texas at Austin
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New Perspectives on Arms Control and Arms Trade

Friday
8:00am-9:20am
International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Ginta T. Palubinskas, West Virginia State University

Participants
China Opposing Nonproliferation: A Rational Policy with an Ideological Mask
   Hongyu Zhang, University of North Carolina Wilmington
Intellectual Property and the Arms Trade
   Robert Farley, University of Kentucky
   Charles Dainoff, University of Idaho
Introducing Pro-Nuclear Leaders: A New Global Data Set of Leaders' Positions on Nuclear Weapons
   Doreen Horschig, University of Central Florida
Launching the Missile Technology Control Regime
   Christopher Way, Cornell University
   Julie George, Cornell University
Will Revisionist States Give Up Their Bomb? A Quantitative Analysis of the Revisionist Experience and Nuclear Proliferation
   Minjung Kim, Georgetown University

Discussant
   Matt Koji Scroggs, Christopher Newport University

Electoral Systems

Friday
8:00am-9:20am
Electoral Politics

Participants
At-Large Elections Revisited: The Contingent and Causal Effects of Reform on Local Minority Representation
   Carolyn Abott, St. John's University
   Asya Magazinnik, Princeton University
Incumbency, Partisanship, and Strategic Coordination: Evidence from Korea's Local Elections
   BK Song, Hanyang University
The Effect of Core Values on Support for Electoral Reform: Evidence from a Survey Experiment
   Sheahan Gray Virgin, Vanderbilt University
The Election Rejection Thesis
   Mark J Peterson, Pittsburg State University

Discussants
   Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler
   Charles Stewart, MIT
Gender and Learning about Politics

**Women and Politics**

*Friday*

8:00am-9:20am

**Chair**

Heather E. Yates, University of Central Arkansas

**Participants**

You cannot be what you cannot see: when and how children see politics as masculine and male

- Mirya Holman, Tulane University
- J. Celeste Lay, Tulane University
- Angie Bos, Wooster
- Zoe Oxley, Union College
- Jill Greenlee, Brandeis

Female Veterans: Developing Civic Skills through Service

- Rebecca English Deen, the University of Texas at Arlington

Conflict Avoidance and Gender Differences in Political Engagement

- Jennifer Wolak, University of Colorado

Investigating the Gender Gap: Legislative Behavior of High School Students Participating in Mock Government

- Silviya Gancheva, Wayne State University
- Stephanie Zarb, Wayne State University
- Teresa Patton, Wayne State University
- Kevin Lorentz, University of Michigan-Flint
- Mary Herring, Wayne State University

**Discussants**

- Heather E. Yates, University of Central Arkansas
- Whitney Ross Manzo, Meredith College

**3100**

**Distributive Politics in Latin America**

*Comparative Politics: Developing Areas*

*Friday*

8:00am-9:20am

**Chair**

Noam Lupu, Vanderbilt

**Participants**

Clientelism and conditional cash transfers: social policy expansion in Latin America after the neoliberal turn

- Elin Bergman, University of Gothenburg

Democratic Dead Spots: Participation and Social Programs in Brazil’s Authoritarian Enclaves

- Michael Touchton, University of Miami

Do CCTs Empower Women? Insights from Brazil and South Africa

- Wendy Ann Hunter, Professor of Government
- Natasha Borges Sugiyama, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Hearts and Minds: A Lab-in-the-Field Experiment in Mexico

- Abraham S Aldama, NYU

Aligned on Crime: Can Political Alignment Reduce Local Crime?

- Giancarlo Visconti, Purdue University
- Diego Diaz-Rioseco, Universidad Catolica de Chile
- Alberti Carla, Universidad Catolica de Chile

**Discussants**

- Matthew Rhodes-Purdy, Clemson University
- Noam Lupu, Vanderbilt
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Secrets of Successful Legislators

Legislative Politics

Chair

sean theriault, University of Texas

Participants

Adjusting the Agenda: Effects of Intraparty Organizations in the U.S. House of Representatives
Zachary A McGee, The University of Texas at Austin

Bipartisan Policymaking: The Legislative Consequences of Collaboration
Alison W. Craig, University of Texas at Austin

Setting Up Shop: How Freshman Members Staff Their Congressional Offices
Casey Burgat, University of Maryland, College Park
Charles Russell Hunt, University of Maryland, College Park

The Changing Role of Committees on Legislative Effectiveness
Patrick Rickert, Washington University in St. Louis

Unorthodox Lawmaking and Legislator Productivity: The LawProM Bill Text Reuse Measure
Mandi Eatough, University of Michigan
Jessica Preece, Brigham Young University
Michael Barber, Brigham Young University

Discussants

Kathryn VanderMolen, University of Tampa
Jennifer Selin, University of Missouri

Comparative perspectives on partisanship and political behavior

Comparative Politics: Political Behavior

Chair

Joel R. Campbell, Troy University

Participants

Does cumulative change in policy preferences lead to change in partisanship?
Alexandra Jabbour, University of Montreal

Why Has the Regionalist Party System Persisted in South Korea?: Korean Regionalism in a Comparative Perspective
Youngho Cho, Sogang University
Yong Cheol Kim, Chonnam National University

Where Persuasion Starts: A Survey Experiment on “Half-Tuition Issue” in 2014 Korean Local Election
JinMi Song, Seoul National University
Won-ho Park, Seoul National University

Politics of Anger, Negative Partisanship, and the Rise of the Populist Left in Mexico
Rodrigo Castro Comejo, University of Virginia

Do Independents Promote Democracy?
Semih Cakir, Université de Montréal

Is the Party Passe? Independent Voters and Democratic Consolidation in East Asia
O. Fiona Yap, Australian National University
Howard Sanborn, Virginia Military Institute

Discussants

Joel R. Campbell, Troy University
Shane Singh, University of Georgia
3100

Lactation Room Friday

Friday 8:00am-6:20pm

3100

Theory and Economics

Friday 8:00am-9:20am

Political Theory

Participants
Economic Justice and Political Theory in the Progressive Era
  Tim V Klein, LSU
Global Capitalism and Nationalist Concepts
  Phillip H Pierce, TWU
Globalization and the Threat to Local Culture: A Gramscian Assessment of Cultural Vulnerability
  G Doug Davis, Troy University
Günter Grass, Class Historian: Reflections on the Petit-Bourgeoisie in Grass's Danzig Trilogy
  Alex Donovan Cole, Louisiana State University
The moral powers and basic economic liberties
  Nick Cowen, New York University School of Law
Presidential Swing States at the Midterm

State Politics

Chair
Nicole R Foster Shoaf, Missouri Southern State University

Participants
New Hampshire: A Northeastern Swing State at the Midterms
Dante Scala, University of New Hampshire

Michigan: A Midwestern Swing State at the Midterms
David Dulio, Oakland University

Virginia: A Southern Swing State at the Midterms
John J. McGlennon, College of William & Mary

Discussant
Nicole R Foster Shoaf, Missouri Southern State University

I am proposing a panel comprised of three participants in the "Presidential Swing States" project, an ongoing edited volume on the Presidential elections in swing states. The first edition was published in 2015, covering the 2012 election (Hecht and Schultz, eds., Lexington Books) and the second edition was published in 2018 (Schultz and Jacob). The panel will consist of papers by Dante Scala, Associate Professor, University of New Hampshire, David Dulio, Professor and Director of the Center for Civic Engagement at Oakland University in Michigan, and John McGlennon, Professor, College of William & Mary in Virginia. Each presenter will analyze the outcome of the 2018 midterm elections in its state and contextualize it in relation to the 2016 and 2020 Presidential elections.

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender in the Comparative Setting

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair
Jennifer Lucas, Saint Anselm College

Participants
Can the Descriptive-Substantive Link Survive Beyond Democracy?: Comparative Analysis of Women Representation and Reproductive Policy
Udi N Sommer, Tel Aviv University
Aliza Furman-Rabinovici, Tel Aviv University

Femicide: A Problem Without Solution in Mexico
Rebeca Rivas, UTEP

The Impact of Female Peaceful Protesting on Female Political Representation
Nathan A Crosby, Texas Tech University

The Journey and Issues of Indian Diaspora in Multi-ethnic Mauritius and Britain: A Gender Perspective
Prof. Tanuja Singh, Patliputra Univ
SHREYA ISHITA, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston

Discussants
Jennifer Lucas, Saint Anselm College
Nicole Yadon, University of Michigan
Trust and Confidence in Government

Friday 8:00am-9:20am

Public Opinion

Participants
Cognitive-Social Convergence within Social Groups and Trust in Government: Dynamic Network Analysis on Institutional Patterns of Social Trust Building in Korea
Chang-Gyu Kwak, Sejong University
Do prime ministers, governments and incumbent parties depend on each other for achieving public support? Evidence from Britain
Alon Peretz Kraitzman, Michigan State University
How Social Media Affect Voters’ Trust in Government
Elad KLEIN, Aarhus University
Joshua Robison, Aarhus University
Perceptions of Government Performance and Support for State Constitutional Conventions
William Blake, University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Ian Anson, UMBC
Reference to Great Presidents and Support for Populist Claims
Iida Takeshi, Doshisha University

Administrative Decision Making and Behavior

Friday 8:00am-9:20am

Public Administration

Participants
A Public Servant Dilemma: An Obligation to Dissent
Stephen W Northam, University of North Georgia
Compared to Who? Social and Historical Reference Points and Performance Appraisals by Students, Managers, and the General Public
Amanda Rutherford, Indiana University
Thomas Rabovsky, Indiana University
Megan Darnley, Indiana University
“Hostages to Compliance”: Towards a Reasonableness Test for Administrative Burdens
Meghan Doughty, The Evergreen State College
Karen Baehler, American University
Merit or Marionettes? An Analysis of Decision-Making and Control of Federal Project Grants
Benjamin Brunjes, University of Washington
The Effects of Competition on Administrative Behavior: Evidence from Municipal Consolidation in Denmark on Test Score Gaming
Carlos Xabel Lastra-Anadon, Harvard University
Martin Baekgaard, Aarhus University
Kim Mannemar Sonderskov, Aarhus University
Soren Serritzlew, Aarhus University
Discussants
M. Jae Moon, Yonsei University
Ling Zhu, University of Houston
Technology, participation and public policy

Democratic Participation & Civic Engagement

Chair
Meredith Rolfe, University of Massachusetts - Amherst

Participants
Compositional Effects of Universal Vote by Mail Elections
Robert Stein, Rice University
Yuki Atsusaka, Rice University
Andrew Menger, Washington University
Cyber Participation and Voting: A Comparative Examination of Social Media Use and Voting in the U.S. and Canada
Matt Lamb, RICE UNIVERSITY
Is Political Representation Even Possible Today?
DAVID V. Edwards, University of Texas at Austin
Technology, institutions and their interactions: How do these explain e-participation degree and levels?
Pragati Rawat, Slippery Rock University
Tweeting the Advocacy Agenda: Social Media Data, Networks and Policy Congruence
CADENCE WILLSE, Brown University

Discussant
Meredith Rolfe, University of Massachusetts - Amherst

CWC8: Experiments Measuring and Predicting Citizen Responses

Conference Within A Conference

Participants
But Do They Mean It? Differentiating Expressive Responding From True Attitudes and Intentions
Yanna Krupnikov, Stony Brook University
John Barry Ryan, Stony Brook University
Assessing the Impact of Rural Consciousness on Political Behavior
Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Georgia
A Distinction with a Difference? Investigating the Difference between Liberals and Progressives
Kevin K. Banda, Texas Tech University
John Cluverius, University of Massachusetts Lowell
Lilliana Mason, University of Maryland
Hans Noel, Georgetown University
Accountability or Audacity? : Labelling Protestors as Uncivil
Emily Sydnor, Southwestern University

When confronted with closed-ended survey questions, why do citizens select the response choices that they do? This panel brings together four experimental projects exploring (1) how to distinguish between honest answers and answers designed to make a public message; (2) how rural environments shape attitudes and behaviors; (3) which individuals prefer to identify as "progressive" rather than "liberal;" and (4) how perceptions of the civility of a protest shape support for the protest itself, civil rights, and civil liberties.
CWC12: Augustine and His Interlocutors

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Ashleen Bagnulo, Texas State University

Participants
Augustine’s Engagement with the Sermon on the Mount: The Question of Politics and Violence
Douglas Kries, Gonzaga University
What Augustine Didn’t Find in the Books of the Platonists
Randall Brian Smith, University of St. Thomas
Augustine and the Glory of the Romans
Ashleen Bagnulo, Texas State University
“Pleasant to read, rather than potent to persuade: St. Augustine on the Platonic division between the few and the many in some of his earlier writings”
Thomas Harmon, University of St. Thomas

Discussants
Thomas F.X. Varacalli, Texas State University
Theresa Smart, Princeton University, James Madison Program

Augustine, a timely thinker in an era of political change and challenges to old institutions, is famous for interrogating the assumptions of his contemporaries and of his predecessor culture. In this panel, we examine Augustine's thought in relation to some of his greatest interlocutors: the Romans, the philosophers and Christ himself.

CWC9: Building community resilience

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Jack Mewhirter, University of Cincinnati

Participants
The Influence of Public Marketing on Disaster Resilience of Communities
Hyunsang Ha, Kookmin University
Patterns of Resilience and sustainability in Urban infrastructure investments: Evidence from cities' Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports
Jacqueline Peterson, University of Toronto
Does trust in governments matter in building disaster resilience? Lessons from Citizens, Experts, and Public Managers’ Perspective
Jeongmin Oh, Florida State University
Impact of Smart Growth on Economic Resilience
Vaswati Chatterjee, University of North Texas

Discussant
Simon Andrew, University of North Texas

The papers in this panel empirically examine different facets of resilience and emergency management.
### 3100

**Media Effects on Policy and Institutions**

**Friday**  
8:00am-9:20am

**Media and Politics**

**Chair**  
Anderson Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin

**Participants**  
First Do No Harm: How Reporters Can Cover Threats to American Elections Without Negatively Impacting Voters
- Bethany Albertson, University of Texas at Austin  
- Katherine Haenschen, Virginia Tech University  
- Joe Cutbirth, University of Texas at Austin  
- Jay Jennings, University of Texas at Austin  
- Sharon Jarvis, University of Texas at Austin

Civic Culture, Bureaucracies, and Social Movements: Disentangling the Impacts of the Internet on Judicial Systems
- Jamil Civitarese, Fundação Getúlio Vargas  
- Armando Martins, Universidade Federal Fluminense

Effects of Editorials Defending Professionalism
- Martina Santia, Louisiana State University  
- Raymond J Pingree, Louisiana State University  
- Brian K Watson, Louisiana State University  
- Kirill Bryanov, Louisiana State University

Policy Typologies, Media Framing, and Narrative Analysis: Comparing the Development, or lack thereof, of Immigration Policy vs. LGBTQ Policy:  
- harry wessel, merrimack college

**Discussant**  
Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M

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### 3200

**Navigating Murky Waters: Tenure and Promotion Roundtable**

**Friday**  
9:30am-10:50am

**President's Special Panels**

**Chair**  
Angela K. Lewis, University of Alabama at Birmingham

**Discussants**  
- Natasha V. Christie, University of North Florida  
- Ravi Perry, Virginia Commonwealth University

A frank and candid discussion about navigating tenure and promotion from assistant to full professor.
Novel data, novel measures: whose opinion is it anyway

Friday

9:30am-10:50am

Judicial Politics

Chair
Alison Higgins Merrill, Susquehanna University

Participants
Neither Purse Nor Sword: Judicial Policy-Making and Strategic Minority Opinions
Thora Giallouri, University of Southern California
Ongoing Constitutional Dialogue: The Impact of Dissents on Future U.S. Supreme Court Majority Opinions
Pamela C Corley, Southern Methodist University
Artemus Ward, Northern Illinois University
The Political Ramifications of Opinion Content: Majority Coalitions and Strategic Writing in State Supreme Courts
Todd Curry, University of Texas El Paso
Michael K Romano, Shenandoah University
Tiffany D. Stevens, University of Texas at El Paso
Variance in Opinion Writing Style on the U.S. Supreme Court
Jeffrey Budziak, Western Kentucky University
Daniel Lempert, State University of New York Potsdam

Discussants
Matthew E.K. Hall, University of Notre Dame
Ryan Hubert, University of California, Davis

Queering Campaigns, Public Opinion, and Legislation

Friday

9:30am-10:50am

Lesbian, Gay, Transgender and Bisexual Politics

Chair
Anne Caldwell, University of Louisville

Participants
Explaining Legislative Support for Transgender Bathroom Bills
Kimberly Martin, Georgia Southern University
How Do Voters React to LGBT and HIV+ Candidates? Evidence from Five Established Democracies
Gabriele Magni, Princeton University
Andrew Reynolds, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Measuring Bias Against Transgender Political Candidates: Evidence From an Experiment
Morgan N Smith, Brigham Young University Hawaii
Taiwan from 1996 to Present: Shaping the Public's Perception of LGBT Issues
Ashleigh Patricia Cleary, Western Kentucky University

Discussant
Edward Kammerer, Skidmore College
### Historical Perspectives on Trade and National Security Policy

**Friday**
9:30am-10:50am

**Participants**

- A framing moment and the US – China Trade War
  - Edward Ashbee, Copenhagen Business School (Denmark)
  - Yi-hung Chiou, National Chiao Tung University
- Building the Strategy of Freedom: Carter, Regan, and international religious freedom
  - Luke M Perez, University of Missouri
- Globalization, Social Capital, and Democracy
  - Mi-son Kim, University of Texas RGV
  - Erika Gonzalez, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
  - Dongkyu Kim, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
- Transforming the VA: The Puzzling Politics of Veterans’ Health Care
  - Colin Moore, University of Hawaii

### Arendt

**Friday**
9:30am-10:50am

**Political Theory**

**Chair**

- Sid Simpson, University of Notre Dame

**Participants**

- Arendt's Idea of the University
  - Gent Carrabregu, Duke University
- Nationalism and Narrative: An Arendtian Analysis
  - Samuel Piccolo, The University of Notre Dame
- "The Voice of Politics: On the Future of Plurality"
  - Daniel Conway, Texas A&M University

**Discussant**

- John Francis Burke, Trinity University
This year's proposals contained an outstanding set of proposals using new data, measurement techniques, some of which were on similar topics. Taking advantage of this synergy, I created a set of panels “Novel data, novel measures” to profile these new data or methodologies, with the intention of turning them into workshops. In the spirit of advanced methods training, these panels are often smaller than the other panels to provide a chance for the researchers to emphasize not only the findings but also showcase the new data or measurement strategies, giving presenters and the audience a chance to learn from one another.
Political Actors and Comparative Policy

Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations

Chair
Lanny Martin, Bocconi University

Participants
Do Natives’ Attitudes towards Immigrants Affect Their Attitudes towards Welfare State?
Woong Kwon Kwon, University of Texas - Austin
Insiders, Outsiders, and Support for the Welfare State
Andrew Morelock, Murray State University
Rebecca Oliver, Murray State University
Military Spending and Income Inequality: Introducing a QCA Approach
Jeremy Charles Graham, University of Notre Dame
Danielle Mueller, University of Notre Dame
Political partisanship, social policy and climate change
Lyle Scruggs, University of Connecticut
Salil Benegal, Depauw University
The Labor Market Effects of Immigration In the EU: Why Labor Market Institution Matter
Jennifer Hudson, University of Central Florida

Discussants
Lanny Martin, Bocconi University
Andre Lecours, University of Ottawa

Conflict Resolution: From Mediation to Peace Treaties

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Michael Patrick Broache, University of North Carolina Greensboro

Participants
International investments and diplomatic intervention in inter-state conflicts
Samaila Adelaiye, University at Buffalo
Ann Liles Cox, Meredith College
Regional Powers, Mediation, and Conflict Resolution
Samad Karimov, University of Houston
The 1951 United Nations Convention and Humanitarian Crisis in Libya: Causes, Consequences and Remedies
Obiekwe Godwin Nwanolue, Chukwuemeka Odumegwu Ojukwu University
The Durability of Post-Civil War Peace Settlements: Do Rewards Work?
Burak Giray, University of Houston

Discussant
Ryan M Welch, University of Tampa
### 3200 Primaries & redistricting

**Friday**  
9:30am-10:50am  

**Electoral Politics**

**Participants**
- Group Donors and Candidate Emergence in Primary Elections, 1980-2016  
  Zachary Albert, University of Massachusetts Amherst  
  Bruce Desmarais, Pennsylvania State University  
  Raymong La Raja, University of Massachusetts Amherst  
- Parties as Severance Institutions in Redistricting out Representation  
  Tyler Steelman, UNC Chapel Hill  
  John Curiel, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill  
- Superdelegates and the Democratic Presidential Nominating Process  
  Michael J Faber, Texas State University  
- The Institutional Determinants of Partisan Bias in State Legislative District Maps  
  Alex Keena, Virginia Commonwealth University

**Discussant**  
Jeff Gulati, Bentley University

### 3200 Gender and Candidate Emergence

**Friday**  
9:30am-10:50am  

**Women and Politics**

**Chair**  
Rebecca Kreitzer, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**Participants**
- Barriers to Election: Recruitment of Women to State Legislatures  
  Micayla Chantelle Clark, Georgia State University  
- Mad Enough to Run? Female Candidate Emergence in the Time of Trump  
  Kelly Rolfes-Haase, Georgetown University  
- Making Her Own Way  
  Jackie Northrup, Northeastern University/ The University of Alabama  
  Lamea "Elle" Shaaban-Magana, University of Alabama  
- She Should (Not) Run: Party Activists and Women's Place  
  Rosalyn Cooperman, University of Mary Washington

**Discussants**  
Rebecca Kreitzer, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
Katelyn E Stauffer, University of South Carolina
In authoritarian typologies, personalist dictatorships are often characterized by their lack of institutional constraints—thereby, rendering them distinct from party and military dictatorships. Put differently, personalist dictatorships operate outside parties; and party dictatorships constrain their executives. All five papers in this panel challenge this conceptualization—whether it is shifting the focus to the resources, threats, or policy changes. Empirically, two of the papers [Meng and Sumner] offer new global measures to improve on the extant ones; and the remaining three [Liu, Ding, Schuler] focus on China in a comparative perspective.
### Sources of support for authoritarian rule

**Friday**

9:30am-10:50am

**Comparative Politics: Political Behavior**

**Chair**

Costin Marius Viorel Ciobanu, McGill University

**Participants**

- Social Media and Regime Support in Russia: Does it Matter Which Website is Used?
  - Matthew Placek, University of South Carolina Upstate

- Re-Examining the Dynamics of Popular Support for President Putin
  - William Mishler, U of Arizona

- Defend our motherland: why citizens demonstrate support to autocrats when facing criticism
  - Li Shao, Syracuse University
  - Dongshu Liu, Syracuse University
  - Fangfei Wang, Dalian University of Technology

- When Autocracies Threaten Citizens With Violence: Evidence from China
  - Erin Baggott Carter, University of Southern California
  - Brett Carter, University of Southern California

- Does military experience affect the survival strategy of dictators?
  - Yuyang Pu, University of Houston

**Discussant**

Aaron Erlich, McGill University

### Effective Pedagogies for Teaching and Learning in Political Science

**Friday**

9:30am-10:50am

**Teaching Political Science**

**Chair**

Anita Chadha, University of Houston, downtown

**Participants**

- Give Them Something to Talk About: Comparing the Effectiveness of Different Types of Online Discussion Boards in a Global Politics Class
  - Matthew Clary, Auburn University

- The Case for Mastery-Based Learning in the Political Science Classroom
  - Brent Alexander Burgess, Concordia University Texas

- The Pedagogy of Critical Cosmopolitanism
  - Michael Rodriguez, Stockton University

- Bringing Balance: A more Robust Analysis on the Dark Side of Trade
  - Richard Tanksley, North Idaho College

**Discussant**

Anita Chadha, University of Houston, downtown
Religious Freedom and Comparative Politics

**Religion and Politics**

**Chair**
Kerem Ozan Kalkan, Eastern Kentucky University

**Participants**
21st Century Blasphemy Laws: A Violation of Human Rights in Pakistan  
Fanny Mazna, Texas State University

Does Globalization Improve Religious Freedom?  
Lihui Zhang, University of Oklahoma

Religiousness and Lay State in the Brazilian Constitution of 1988  
Lilian Souza Viana Cavalcanti, Universidade Estadual do Sudoeste da Bahia - UESB

Freedom Now: Many Religious Traditions of the African Diaspora, but One Social Movement  
Michael D Royster, Prairie View A&M University

**Discussant**  
Seniha Ayse Orellana, Georgetown University

Counter-terrorism, Emergency Response, and Disaster Mitigation

**Public Policy**

**Chair**
Samuel Workman, University of Oklahoma

**Participants**
National Security policy reform in the US: How 9/11 made way for a long overdue change  
Laura de Castro Quaglia, University of Texas - Austin

Issue-Specific Knowledge and Citizen Coproduction: The Case of Counter-Terrorism Service  
Youlang Zhang, Texas A&M University

Xinsheng Liu, Texas A&M University

Arnold Vedlitz, Texas A&M University

Institutional Crisis in Emergency Management After 2006  
Patrick Roberts, Virginia Tech

The Role of Non-Governmental Entities in Disaster Response  
Daniel Sledge, UT-Arlington

Herschel Thomas, Univ of Texas at Arlington

Wesley Wehde, University of Oklahoma

Junghwa Choi, UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

**Discussant**  
Scott Robinson, University of Oklahoma
### Contemporary Issues in U.S. Politics

**Public Opinion**

**Participants**
- **Debating for their Lives: An Analysis of the American Gun Control Debate after Parkland**
  - Kiki Miller, University of Texas at Austin
- **Female Firepower: Women’s Gun Ownership, Perceptions of Safety, and Concealed Carry**
  - Alexandra T Middlewood, University of Kansas
  - Mark R Joslyn, University of Kansas
  - Donald P Haider-Markel, University of Kansas
- **Partisanship, Ideology, and Border Separation Policy Preference in the Trump Administration**
  - Melinda Rae Tarsi, Bridgewater State University
  - Rachel Navarre, Bridgewater State University
- **Public Opinion, Intersectionality, and Rallying Support Around the “Me Too” Movement**
  - Tabitha Bonilla, Northwestern University
- **The Opioid Crisis and Drug Policy Preferences**
  - Christopher Chaky, Harvard University

### The Unilateral Presidency

**Presidential/Executive Politics**

**Chair**
- Mark Andrew Kelso, Queens University of Charlotte

**Participants**
- **Acting Alone in the First 100 Days**
  - Michelle Belco, University of Houston
- **Are Executive Agreements Unlawful?**
  - Eric Svensen, Sam Houston State University
- **Lyndon Johnson, Signing Statements, and Public Controversy over the Faithful Execution of Law**
  - Kevin Evans, Florida International University
- **Thanksgiving Day Proclamations and the Evolution of the Unilateral Presidency**
  - Yu Ouyang, Purdue University Northwest

**Discussants**
- Gary Hollibaugh, University of Pittsburgh
- Ian Ostrander, Michigan State University
## Democracy, parties and mobilization

**Friday Participation & Civic Engagement**

**Chair**
Ashley Woodiwiss, Lander University

**Participants**
- Reverse Mortgages and Aircraft Parts: What Is the Real Utility of Referenda in Constitutional Change?
  - Joseph Francesco Cozza, University of Texas at Austin
  - Alexander Hudson, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity
- Stabbed in the Back: Emotions, Institutions, and Social Mobilization During Civil War
  - Michael Gibbs, University of Texas at Austin
- Stopping the Motor: the Social and Political Effects of Progressivism on the Democratic Party
  - Rachel Fuentes, University of Tennessee Knoxville
  - Ayesha Jade Ahsanuddin, University of Tennessee at Knoxville
- Weakening democracy and democratic participation in Slovenia
  - Miro Hacek, University of Ljubljana
  - Simona Kukovic, University of Ljubljana

**Discussant**
Ashley Woodiwiss, Lander University

## Friday Exhibit Area

**Friday Meetings**

9:30am-5:00pm
CWC8: Experiments on Candidate Evaluation

Friday
9:30am-10:50am
Conference Within A Conference

Participants
Voter Response to Sexual Harassment Accusations under Uncertainty
William Pollock, Appalachian State University
What’s My Name Again? An Experimental Analysis of Signaling Race, Ethnicity, and Gender Using Names
Matthew Hayes, Rice University
Ideological Attacks and Information Search in Primary Elections
Kylee Britzman, Lewis-Clark State College
Ben Kantack, Georige Gwinnett College
Reputation Durability and Dynamic Accountability in Electoral Politics
George A. Krause, University of Georgia (Public Administration and Policy)
Alexa Bankert, University of Georgia

Which pieces of information about candidates have the greatest impact on voters and how is that information used in impression formation? This panel brings together four experiments that explore (1) citizens' reactions to sexual harassment scandals; (2) the trait inferences that voters draw from candidates' names; (3) how voters respond to ideological attacks made in a primary election; (4) how the changing usefulness of information as it ages impacts electoral accountability.

CWC12: New Perspectives on Thomas Aquinas’s work On Kingship

Friday
9:30am-10:50am
Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Douglas Kries, Gonzaga University

Participants
The Rewards of Kingship in De Regno
Erik Dempsey, University of Texas at Austin
Politeia and Regimen in the Thought of Thomas Aquinas
Joseph Macfarland, St. John's College, Annapolis
The Nature of the Political: Aristotle, Augustine and Aquinas on the Political Ambivalence of Christianity
William McCormick, St. Louis University
A Distinction of Disturbance: Aquinas's Permission for Tyrannicide and Its Qualification
Robert Wyllie, University of Notre Dame

Discussant
Ashleen Bagnulo, Texas State University

At some point around the middle of the Thirteenth Century, Thomas Aquinas composed a letter on the subject of Kingship. It was apparently never sent or even completed by Thomas himself, but it remained in his papers and became a classic text within Christianity for answering a host of important political questions. The text itself and the historical circumstances of its composition have received new scholarly attention in recent times, however—so much so that a significant body of scholarship has grown up around the text. This panel session, composed of four papers, seeks to explore some of the many new discussions to which Thomas’s De regno has given rise.
**CWC9: Citizen perception and local leadership in sustainability**

*Conference Within A Conference*

**Friday**

9:30am-10:50am

**Chair**

Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico

**Participants**

  Christopher Stream, University of Nevada Las Vegas
- Comparing Citizen’s Perception to Local Leaders’ Priorities for Sustainable Growth: Cases from Mexico
  Edgar Eugenio Ramírez, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)
- Politicization of City Managers and Municipal Sustainable Development: Testing the Moderating role of Political Turnover and Competition for Promotion
  Tianfeng Li, Florida State University
  Kyujin Jung, Sungkyunkwan University

**Discussant**

Lachezar Anguelov, Evergreen State College

This panel examines public perception around issues of local sustainability in relation to that of local leaders across a variety of US and international settings.

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**Technological Affordances for Discussion, Distraction, and Deception**

*Media and Politics*

**Friday**

9:30am-10:50am

**Chair**

Erik Peterson, Texas A&M

**Participants**

- Finding a Cure for Fake News
  Bayli Foley, Virginia Wesleyan University
  Leslie Caughell, Virginia Wesleyan University
- Incivility and Indifference: Online Deliberation and Norms of Opinion Formation
  Emily Van Duyn, The University of Texas at Austin
  Jessica Collier, The University of Texas at Austin
- Take Out the Trash Day: Social Media Saturation As Politics of Distraction
  Chana M. Solomon-Schwartz, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
- Political Platforms: Technology, User Affordances, and Campaign Communications
  Dan Haesshutter-Rice, University of Michigan

**Discussant**

Kevin (Vin) Arceneaux, Temple University
### Opportunities for Effective Teaching and Learning in the Core Curriculum

**Friday**  
9:30am-10:50am  

**Teaching Political Science**

**Chair**  
Linda Kay Mancillas, Georgia Gwinnett College

**Participants**

- How do we introduce Political Science? An analysis of introductory requirements at national colleges and universities  
  Brent Hierman, Virginia Military Institute

- Is It REALLY All That? The Impact of the Digital Textbook in Introductory Political Science Classes  
  Stephanie Ann Slocum-Schaffer, Shepherd University

- Stereotype Threat and Female Success in Introductory Courses  
  Jennifer Danley-Scott, Texas Woman's University

  John M. Aughenbaugh, Virginia Commonwealth University

- Building Community in the Introductory Government Classroom  
  Joyce Langenegger, Blinn College

**Discussant**  
Amy Denn Perry, Texas State University

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### Annual Business Meeting of the SPSA

**Friday**  
11:00am-12:00pm  

**Meetings**
SPSA Awards Presentation and Reception

Friday
12:00pm-1:30pm

Career Dynamics in the Public Sector

Friday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Bureaucratic Politics

Chair
Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

Participants
Bashing over Time: Has Congress Changed in How It Talks about Public Employees?
  Gordon Abner, University of Texas at Austin
  Louis Fucilla, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

The Bureaucratic Revolving Door: Career Trajectories and Regulatory Action
  Alex Bolton, Emory University
  Josh McCrain, Emory University

The Leftovers: Army Aviation
  Robert Farley, University of Kentucky

The Politics of Careers in the U.S. Civil Service
  Scott Limbocker, United States Military Academy
  Mark Richardson, James Madison University

Value Judgments: How Presidents, Agencies, and Congress Differ on Desirable Characteristics for Bureaucratic Leaders
  Evan Haglund, US Coast Guard Academy

Discussants
  Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University
  Christina M Kinane, University of Michigan
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Affect and Emotion in Politics

Political Psychology

Chair
Bethany Albertson, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
An experimental test of the effects of fear on a coordination game
Abraham S Aldama, NYU
Mateo Vasquez Cortes, NYU
Lauren Elyssa Young, UC Davis
Deshawn Sambrano, NYU

Expressing Anxiety: Emotion Regulation Strategies and Social Sharing of Policy Information
Jingjing Gao, University of North Carolina Charlotte
Cherie Maestas, University of North Carolina Charlotte
Sara Levens, University of North Carolina Charlotte
Lonna Atkeson, University of New Mexico

Helicopter Parenting and the Decline of Political Ambition: Anxiety, Trust, and External Locus of Control
Kerri Milita, Illinois State University
Jaclyn Bunch, University of South Alabama

The Effects of Candidate-Specific Emotions and Emotional Ambivalence on the Presidential Vote
Jongho Lee, Western Illinois University

Partisan Representations: Partisan Differences in Semantic Representations and their Role in Attitude Judgments
Pedro L Rodriguez, New York University
David Halpern, NYU

Discussants
Nicholas Valentino, University of Michigan
Bethany Albertson, University of Texas at Austin
Politics in the Early Republic

**Friday**
12:30pm-1:50pm

**American Political Development**

**Participants**
- And Be It Enacted: Sunset Provisions in the Colonial Legislatures
  - Elizabeth I. Dorssom, University of Missouri
- James Madison's First Term Presidential Dilemma
  - Donald Albert Zinman, Grand Valley State University
- Populism and Elitism in the American Executive: Foundations of the Jefferson-Hamilton Debate In the Context of the Modern Presidency
  - Jeffery Tyler Syck, University of Virginia
- The Moderates of 1788: The Contested Middle in the Ratification Debates
  - Michael J Faber, Texas State University
- What Was the Original Intention of the Electoral College?: Founding Perspectives on Electoral College Reform
  - Ben Slomski, Baylor University

**Discussant**
- Bartholomew Sparrow, University of Texas at Austin

Ancient Poets and Historians

**Friday**
12:30pm-1:50pm

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
- Rob Goodman, McGill University

**Participants**
- Hector's Understanding of The Public and Private Good in The Iliad
  - Mary Craig, Baylor University
- Judgment and the Public Good: Democratic Athenians in the Courts and the Theatre
  - Ella Street, University of Toronto
- The Desire to Rule: Thucydides on Stasis in Corcyra and Athens
  - Jonathan Gondelman, University of Notre Dame
- Speaking Together: Freedom of Speech and Its Limit in Aeschylus' The Persians
  - Se-Hyoung Yi, University of Houston-Clear Lake

**Discussant**
- Micah Akuezue, UCLA
**3400**

**Political Theory**

**Friday, 12:30pm-1:50pm**

**Chair**
Samuel Arnold, Texas Christian University

**Participants**
Dworkin, Gadamer, and Competing Concepts of Interpretation  
Tyler Moore, University of Notre Dame
The Unrealism of Rawls's Political Philosophy  
Brett Larson, East Georgia State College
Freedom of Expression in the Well Ordered Society: Bringing Gandhi's Pluralist Vision to Bear on Rawlsian Public Reason  
Liza Williams, Bucknell University

**Discussant**
Samuel Arnold, Texas Christian University

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**3400**

**Novel data, novel measures: diversity and decision making**

**Friday, 12:30pm-1:50pm**

**Chair**
Susan B Haire, University of Georgia

**Participants**
Diversity and Collective Decision Making on the U.S. Courts of Appeals  
Laura Moyer, University of Louisville  
Susan B Haire, University of Georgia  
John Szmer, University of North Carolina at Charlotte  
Robert Christenson, BYU
Judges, Parties, Gender, and Campaigns: Exploring Attitudes, Activities and Implications  
Jennifer M. Jensen, Lehigh University  
Wendy L. Martinek, Binghamton University
The “Gender Gap” Among Federal Trial Judges in LGBTQ and Abortion Cases Across the U.S.  
Kyla Stepp, Central Michigan University
The Impact of Social and Gender Effects in the Supreme Court of Canada  
Susan Johnson, University of North Carolina at Greensboro  
Ali Shiraz Masood, California State University, Fresno

**Discussants**
Shane A Gleason, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi  
Matthew E.K. Hall, University of Notre Dame

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**Parties, Publics, and Governments**

**Comparative Politics: Industrial Nations**

**Friday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Chair**

Joel R. Campbell, Troy University

**Participants**

General Strikes and Public Opinion in Spain
Kerstin Hamann, University of Central Florida
Bonnie N. Field, Bentley University
Alison Johnston, Oregon State University

Global Performance Assessments and the Puzzle of Self-Sabotage
Carlos Xabel Lastra-Anadon, Harvard University
Emmerich Davies, Harvard University
Thomas Gift, UCL

Labor Theory and Economic Sustainability in the United States
Jacob Saliba, Boston College

Policy Prescription? The Impact of Legislative Policy on Niche Party Success
Carrie Humphreys, University of Tennessee at Martin

What Makes a Changemaker?: An Analysis of Policy Entrepreneurs in EU Food Policy
Renu Singh, Georgetown University

**Discussants**

Joel R. Campbell, Troy University
Sam Rohrer, University of North Georgia

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**Assessing the South at Southern**

**Electoral Politics**

**Friday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Participants**

Backlash and the Political Economy of the Voting Rights Act
David Broockman, Stanford
Evan Soltas, MIT

God, Guns, and Glacier Melting: Social and Environmental Issues in Unhyphenated America
Brian Arbour, John Jay College, CUNY

In-Migration and Political Change in the US South, 1978-2010
NATHAN H LOVIN, University of Maryland

Voter Photo ID Laws in the US: Back to the Southern Dummy Variable?
Joseph A Aistrup, Auburn University
Rick Travis, Mississippi State University
John C Morris, Old Dominion University
Kathleen Hale, Auburn University
Dave A Breaux, Delta State University

Multiple Meanings? An Exploration of the Content of Attitudes About Voter Fraud
Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Georgia
Adriano A Udani, University of Missouri - St. Louis

**Discussants**

Alan Abramowitz, Emory University
David Niven, U of Cincinnati
### Money in Politics

**Friday**  
*12:30pm-1:50pm*

**Electoral Politics**

**Participants**
- Campaign Contribution Limits and Corruption: Evidence from the 50 states  
  Mark Hand, University of Texas-Austin  
- Campaign Finance and the Top Two Primary in Washington  
  Emily Schnurr, Northern Arizona University  
- How Does the Money Flow?  
  Megan Elmore, University of Arkansas  
  Andrew Dowdle, University of Arkansas  
- Power of the Personal: How District Roots Dictate Legislator Campaign Spending  
  Charles Russell Hunt, University of Maryland, College Park  
- Super PAC Targeting in Federal Elections  
  Jay Goodliffe, Brigham Young University  
  Paul Herrnson, University of Connecticut  
  Douglas Spencer, University of Chicago

**Discussants**
- Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College  
- Philip Waggoner, College of William & Mary

### Roundtable on Gender and Identity in the Classroom amid the Trump Presidency

**Friday**  
*12:30pm-1:50pm*

**Teaching Political Science**

**Chair**
- Lindsay H Hoffman, University of Delaware

**Discussants**
- Alixandra B. Yanus, High Point University  
- Jessica Preece, Brigham Young University  
- Susan L Roberts, Davidson College

This roundtable will discuss gender and identity in the political science classroom, given the many divides facing Americans in the Trump presidency. Inclusivity, tolerance, and civil dialogue are important in the classroom, but as the national conversation among highly involved partisans has opened up to include openly racist, sexist, and xenophobic talking points, we as professors need to evaluate how to deal with such assertions in the college classroom. How can we identify--quickly--whether a student's remark is a sexist personal attack or a partisan talking point? As Seth Masket recently pointed out in "The Crisis in Political Science Education" (Pacific Standard, July 16, 2018), "If we call it out, are we defending classroom inclusivity or are we attacking a student for his partisan beliefs?" This roundtable will feature faculty from a variety of backgrounds and who teach at various types of colleges/universities in rural and urban areas, private and public institutions, and other differences that invite a conversation about how to best teach political science in the college classroom in 2019.
The Political Causes and Consequences of Migration

**Comparative Politics: Developing Areas**

**Chair**

Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

**Participants**

- African Migration: Failure of African and European States to Protect Human Dignity and Human Rights
  - Robert M PRESS, University of Southern Mississippi
- Prejudice from the Pocketbook? Exploring Xenophobia towards Arab and sub-Saharan African Migrants in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA)
  - Matt Jeffrey Buehler, University of Tennessee
  - Kyung Joon Han, University of Tennessee
- The treacherous trail to a ‘gilded future’? Rationalizing why Sub-Sahara African migrants cross the desert to Europe.
  - Napoleon A Bamfo, Valdosta State University
- Analysis of migration of women from Nepal for domestic work: push factors and government’s legal provisions.
  - Sayam Moktan, University of Cincinnati

**Discussant**

Stephen Phillips, Belhaven University

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Norms & Behavior

**Legislative Politics**

**Chair**

Hanna Brant, University of Missouri

**Participants**

- Committee Delay in Federal Court Nominations
  - Nicholas Howard, Auburn University - Montgomery
  - Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler
- Congressional Norms: Methods and Relevance
  - Brian Alexander, Washington and Lee University
- Problem Creators in Congress
  - sean theriault, University of Texas
- Send in the B-Team: Declining Congressional Comity and Congressional Hearings
  - John D. Rackey, University of Oklahoma
  - Lauren C. Bell, Randolph-Macon College
- The Logic of the Partisan Speakership
  - Matthew T. Harrigan, Santa Clara University

**Discussants**

- Alison W. Craig, University of Texas at Austin
- Jonathan Lewallen, University of Tampa
Gender and political behaviour in a comparative perspective

Friday  
12:30pm-1:50pm

Comparative Politics: Political Behavior

Chair  
Ian Down, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Participants
Does the Water Flow Uphill? Offspring Gender and Parental Political Attitudes and Behaviors  
Sumitra Badrinathan, Grad Student  
Devesh Kapur, Professor
Does Ethnicity Salience Affect Political Attitudes? Evidence From India  
Franziska Roscher, NYU Politics
When and why have women become more left-wing?  
Ruth Dassonneville, Université de Montréal
Gender Differences in Candidate Policy Priorities, Expertise, and Positions: Do Male and Female Office Seekers Represent Different Issues in Japan?  
Yoshikuni Ono, Tohoku University, Japan  
Justin Reeves, Southern Methodist University

Discussant  
Teresa Cornacchione, Florida State University

Political Institutions, Political Elites, and Race

Friday  
12:30pm-1:50pm

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender

Chair  
Thomas Craemer, University of Connecticut, Department of Public Policy

Participants
Constituency Influence in Minority Legislators’ Substantive Representation from the Perspective of Strategic Behavior  
JI YEON HONG, University of Iowa
Elite Rhetoric and the Social Desirability Bias  
Nicolas Martin Anspach, York College of Pennsylvania
Structural and Societal Considerations of Women’s Representation in State Legislatures: An Intersectional Analysis  
Mary Ellen Kempf, Elon University
Submerged for Some: Government Visibility, Race, and the Decline of American Political Trust  
Aaron Rosenthal, Simmons University
Why are African American Governors and U.S. Senators So Rare? Exploring White Voters' Responses to African American Statewide Candidates  
Matt Tokeshi, Williams College

Discussants  
Thomas Craemer, University of Connecticut, Department of Public Policy  
Beth Ginsberg, University of Connecticut
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James Guth, Furman University  
Religiosity, Ideology, and Public Opinion  
Brandon Rudolph Davis, Brown University  
Source Derogation, Christian Witness and Support for Trump: Experimental Results  
Andra Gillespie, Emory University |
|             |                                                                                |                                            | Discussant                                                                                       |
|             |                                                                                | Quin Monson, Brigham Young University      |                                                                                                |
| 12:30pm-1:50pm | The Intersection of Race and Gender in American Politics                       | Sharon Gramby-Sobukwe, Eastern University   | Disability among Asian Americans: An Analysis of Race and Gender  
Andy Sharma, Univ. of Maryland at College Park  
The Politics of Skin Color  
Nicole Yadon, University of Michigan  
The Puzzle of the Over-Representation of Minority Women in State Legislatures  
Kenicia Wright, University of Central Florida  
The Role of the First (Black) Lady: An examination of Michelle’s Obama’s influence on Black Women’s Political Evaluations  
Jamil Scott, Georgetown University  
Colored Lines?: Perceptions of U.S. Elites Regarding Venus and Serena Williams  
Teresa Cosby, Professional |
|             |                                                                                |                                            | Discussants                                                                                      |
|             |                                                                                | Heather Silber Mohamed, Clark University   |                                                                                                |
|             |                                                                                | Sharon Gramby-Sobukwe, Eastern University   |                                                                                                |
Making Sense of Public Opinion

Friday 12:30pm-1:50pm

Public Opinion

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

Participants
Citizen Trust in Public Opinion Surveys
  Michael Cobb, North Carolina State University
Compromise is for Losers? Political Minority Status, Perceived Loss, and Support for Legislative Compromise
  David Barker, American University
  Shaun Bowler, UC Riverside
  Christopher Jan Carman, Glasgow University
Conspiracy Theories in the 2016 Election
  Joseph E Uscinski, University of Miami
Issues vs. Affect: How Do Elite and Mass Polarization Compare?
  Adam M. Enders, University of Louisville
Sorting Hawks and Doves; War, Polarization, and Public Opinion
  Mackenzie Colella, United States Military Academy

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

Causes and Consequences of Variance in Financial Structures

Friday 12:30pm-1:50pm

Public Administration

Participants
American Pension Development
  John E Brooks, Auburn University, Montgomery
A Typology of Contract Payment Structures: Risk, Information Exchange, and Transaction Costs
  Benjamin Brunjes, University of Washington
Close to Home: Understanding Budget Preferences in Participatory Local Governance
  Melinda Rae Tarsi, Bridgewater State University
  Wouter van Erve, Texas Woman’s University
Dedicated local option sales taxes: Did they make a difference in post-recession Texas municipalities?
  Jeremy L. Hall, University of Central Florida/Public Administration Review
  David Kanaan, San Diego State University
Which types of ministers get more budget? A study on the influences of Korean ministers in budgetary process
  Hyejin Kang, Seoul National University
  Byongseob Kim, Seoul National University

Discussant
Robert Lowry, University of Texas at Dallas
Turnout and participation

Democratic Participation & Civic Engagement

Chair
David Dulio, Oakland University

Participants
A State of Mind: Mental Health as a Predictor of Political Participation
April Johnson, Kennesaw State University
Measuring Democracy: Considering Corporate Influence
Caroline Heldman, Occidental College
Kiril Kolev, Hendrix College
Mobilization or Withdrawal? Understanding the competing effects of economic hardship and income inequality on voter turnout.
Allan Wilford, Anderson University
Trust and Turnout in Indian Country
Aaron Berg, Claremont Graduate University
Jean Schroedel, Claremont Graduate University
Javier Rodriguez, Claremont Graduate University
Joseph Dietrich, Claremont Graduate University

Discussant
David Dulio, Oakland University

CWC8: Experiments on Polarization

Conference Within A Conference

Participants
Not in (My, Your, or Any?) Front Yard: An Experimental Exploration of Social Distance
Elizabeth Simas, University of Houston
Priming Partisanship: How Activating Partisan Identity Affects Survey Responses
Simon Williamson, University of Georgia
Sorting the News: How Ranking by Popularity Polarizes Our Politics
Samara Klar, University of Arizona
Yotam Shmargad, University of Arizona
Parties in the Field
Maggie Deichert, Vanderbilt University
Melissa Sands, University of California, Merced
Alexander Theodoridis, UC-Merced

There is continuous discussion and debate about the who, what, and why of the political divisions among U.S. citizens. This panel brings together four experimental projects that (1) distinguish between identity-driven and policy-driven social distance; (2) explore how the timing of the partisanship question impacts the polarization of subsequent responses; (3) test how the sorting of the popularity of news contributes to affective polarization; and (4) examine how partisan discrimination impacts real-world settings.
CWC12: The Limits of Knowledge in Maimonides

Conference Within A Conference

Friday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Chair
Joshua Parens, University of Dallas

Participants
The Theologico-Political Significance of the Limits of Knowledge in Maimonides’s Guide, part 2
Joshua Parens, University of Dallas

The Book of Job and the Limitations of Human Knowledge (Maimonides, Guide 3.22–23)
Martin Yaffe, University of North Texas

Two Steps Forward, One Step Back: Idolatry and Materialistic Monotheism in the Guide of the Perplexed
Seth Appelbaum, St. John's College, Santa Fe

At least since Shlomo Pines’s 1979 article on the limits of knowledge in Maimonides, scholars have argued on all sides of the question with the majority of scholars accepting the notion that Maimonides in his Guide of the Perplexed makes some stark claims setting forth limits of knowledge. Yet scholars remain divided about whether he accepts clear limits and bows to Jewish tradition as to the proper view of God or harbors some other view of God, despite his clear defense of Jewish law. Must we be skeptical and defer to tradition, or does Maimonides mean to teach something else? Are the limits of knowledge limits in principle much like Kants—as Pines argued—or might Maimonides be appealing to limits that are not so much in principle as convenient for his defense of Judaism? The proposed participants for this panel do not necessarily agree in their answers to these questions, but they agree that they are well worth asking.

CWC9: Implementation and performance measurement in sustainability

Conference Within A Conference

Friday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Participants
Performance counts in (Non-Trival) Amounts: City Sojourns Toward Sustainable Development
Aaron Deslatte, Florida State University

Beyond Adoption: Exploring the institutional landscape of sustainability performance management system in U.S. Local Governments
Angela Y.S. Park, University of Kansas

Inter-Governmental Politics and Local Energy-Efficiency Policy Implementation
Taekyoung Lim, Florida State University

Stimulating local government's continuing innovation through intergovernmental grants
Tian Tang, Florida State University

Discussants
Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico
Eric Zeemering, University of Georgia

The papers in this panel examine issues of implementation and performance management in the areas of energy efficiency and sustainable development.
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Politicians, Bureaucrats, and Accountability

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Bureaucratic Politics

Chair
Kaare Strøm, University of California, San Diego

Participants
Bureaucrats Writing Bills
Mary Kroeger, University of Rochester
Institutional Change and Legislative Speech: The Creation of Responsible Party Government in Japan
Max Goplerud, Harvard University
Daniel M. Smith, Harvard University

Politization and Turnover of Top-level Bureaucrats
Jon H. Fiva, Norwegian Business School
Benny Geys, Norwegian Business School
Tom-Reiel Heggedal, Norwegian Business School
Rune Sorensen, Norwegian Business School

Political Turnover, Bureaucratic Turnover, and the Quality of Public Services
Diana Moreira, University of California, Davis
Mitra Akhtar, Airbnb
Laura C. Trucco, Development Research Institute, NYU

Discussant
Kaare Strøm, University of California, San Diego

Modern representative democracy entails a chain of delegation from voters to elected politicians to unelected bureaucrats, and a reverse chain of accountability. The papers in this panel focus on the delegation and accountability relationships between the two latter actors: politicians and bureaucrats. The first two papers examine the roles and degree of influence of politicians and bureaucrats in the legislative process. First, Kroeger examines the extent to which state-level bureaucrats in the United States manage to secure their preferred statutory language in legislation. Smith and Goplerud, in contrast, focus on who is accountable to the national legislature for explaining government policy in Japan—bureaucrats or government ministers—and how this accountability role has shifted following institutional reforms. The second pair of papers deal with questions of bureaucratic turnover and delegation of policymaking authority. Fiva, Geys, Heggedal, and Sorensen explore whether politicians in Norway delegate more responsibility to, and retain for longer, bureaucrats whose policy orientations match their own. Finally, Moreira, Akhtar, and Trucco use a regression discontinuity design on close elections to investigate the impact of political and bureaucratic turnovers on educational public goods provision in Brazil. The range of cases and approaches represented in this panel shed important comparative light on the roles and relationships of politicians and bureaucrats in democracies.
Liberties in perspective

Judicial Politics

Chair
David Trowbridge, Middle Tennessee State University

Participants
Constitutional Symbolism and the American Flag in Minersville v. Gobitis and West Virginia v. Barnette
Jacob R. Boros, Baylor University
Meyer, Pierce, and the Constitutional Status of the Right of Parents to Direct their Children's Education
Joseph Griffith, Rochester Institute of Technology
Public Interest Litigation and the Issue of Judicial Overreach: A Case study of India
shubha sinha, Delhi University
Liberty of Contract in the States
Joseph S Devaney, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
Surrogacy Contracts: An Examination of the Limits of Human Freedom
Corrie Harris, Baylor University

Discussants
Mark Jonathan McKenzie, Texas Tech University
Joseph S Devaney, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
3500

**Public Policy, Political Leadership, and Political Psychology**

**Friday**
2:00pm-3:20pm

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
Kelly D Patterson, Brigham Young University

**Participants**
More Than Words: Extracting Latent Psychological Traits and Preferences from Written Text  
Adam Ramey, New York University Abu Dhabi  
Jonathan David Klingler, University of Mississippi  
Gary Hollibaugh, University of Pittsburgh  
Moral Intuitions and Presidential Politics: Candidates’ Verbal Use of Moral Foundations in Primary Debates  
Paul G Lewis, Arizona State University  
Non-Machiavellian Careers and the Social Esteem Motive  
Nathaniel Terence Cogley, Tarleton State University  
Ideology, Implicit Bias, and Policy  
Kimberlie Lynn Payne, University of Alabama at Birmingham  
How Did Assisted Suicide Become a Partisan Issue: Answers from Hawaii  
Jacqueline Harvey Abernathy, Tarleton State University

**Discussants**
Kelly D Patterson, Brigham Young University  
Bobbi Gentry, Bridgewater College

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3500

**States, Markets, and Information**

**Friday**
2:00pm-3:20pm

**American Political Development**

**Chair**
Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

**Participants**
Dissemination as Component of a Free Press: Censorship by mail in the Ratification Debates  
Rory Michael Vance, University of Texas at San Antonio  
Matthew S Brogdon, University of Texas at San Antonio  
Pressure Groups and Rural Free Delivery: An Interconnected Relationship  
Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University  
Alexandria Putman, Coastal Carolina University  
The Political Construction of Corporate Criminality  
Anthony Grasso, US Military Academy  
Using Transportation Networks to Predict Federal Policy  
Garrett Darl Lewis, Washington University in St. Louis  
Building State Capacity through Public Land Disposal: An Application of RNN-Based Counterfactual Prediction  
Jason Poulos, University of California, Berkeley
Aristotle

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
Erik Dempsey, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**
Ethical Virtue, Habituation, and Human Beginnings in Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics
Rachel Alexander, Baylor University
Magnanimity and Friendship in Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics
John Boersma, Louisiana State University
The Noble and the Problem of Politics in Aristotle
Ann Ward, Baylor University

**Discussant**
Erik Dempsey, University of Texas at Austin

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Reexamining Alienation in an Age of Populism

**Political Theory**

**Participants**
Alienation, the Cybernetic Society and the Politics of Populism
Michael Thompson, William Paterson University
We're Still Here: Political Alienation and the Attraction to Populism in the U.S.
Brian W Sullivan, University of Houston
Panhandle Patronage: Alienation, Populism, and Wildfire in North Texas
Riad Azar, University of Texas at Austin
Alejandro Ponce de Leon, University of California, Davis

The fear that developed in response to fascist movements leading up to World War II required theoretical and empirical responses from social scientists to study why such movements had gained so many followers. Members of the Frankfurt School primarily generated this research, which focused heavily on the concept of alienation. Historically, alienation in a neoliberal context has taken many forms, from the labor-generated pathologies theorized by Marx, to the development of alienation in response to periods of international crisis prompted by Frankfurt School theorists such as Horkheimer, Adorno and Fromm. With the rise and interest in mass populism around the world today, alienation as a way of understanding social and political phenomena can once again be utilized to help us understand the recent populist resurgence. This panel seeks to elicit diagnoses to the contemporary socio-political phenomenon of mass populism by applying traditional and novel theoretical, qualitative and quantitative approaches to the concept of alienation to conceptualize the nature of the contemporary rise in populism in an all too familiar neoliberal society. What we hope to get out of this research is an understanding of whether traditional measures of alienation substantially explain this contemporary rise in populist ideals, or if a reformulation of the concept of alienation is necessary to capture the complexities of contemporary political behavior.
Author Meets Critics: Stephen Wasby's BORROWED JUDGES: VISITORS IN THE U.S. COURTS OF APPEALS

Friday 2:00pm-3:20pm

Judicial Politics

Chair
Jeffrey Budziak, Western Kentucky University

Discussants
H.W. Perry, University of Texas
Robert M Howard, Georgia State University
Stephen L Wasby, University at Albany, SUNY

This “Author Meets Critics” panel will examine Stephen Wasby’s Borrowed Judges: Visitors in the U.S. Courts of Appeals, the first full-length treatment of U.S. courts of appeals’ use of judges visiting from other circuits and in-circuit district judges sitting by designation, with some attention also given to courts of appeals’ use of their own senior circuit judges. Several individuals will comment on the book and the author will respond.

Trump and Rightwing Politics

Friday 2:00pm-3:20pm

Political Parties

Chair
B. Dan Wood, Texas A&M University

Participants
God, Greed, and Guile: The Far-Right and the Re-Defining of the American Dream
Rachel Cremona, Flagler College
Conservatism in the Era of Trump
Jeremy C. Pope, Brigham Young University
Jack Lyons Reilly, New College of Florida
Ron Rapoport, College of William and Mary
Walt Stone, UC Davis
Jordan Kujala, University of California Center Sacramento
White Tribalism and the Rise of the Alternative Right
Christopher James Schorr, Georgetown University

Discussant
B. Dan Wood, Texas A&M University
Power Projection and Reaction in the International System

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm
International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

Participants
Between A Rock and A Hard Place: How Small and Medium Countries Respond to the Competing Great Powers in Asia-Pacific Region
Hsin-Hsien Wang, National Chengchi University, Taiwan(R.O.C.)
Wei-Feng Tzeng, University of North Texas
Pivoting Alone Towards Asia: The Obama Administration’s Strategic “Rebalance” and Transatlantic Relations
Michael Baun, Valdosta State University
Dan Marek, Palacky University, Department of Politics and European Studies
Russia’s Strategic Approach to Reorganizing the International System and What It Means for International Relations
Ginta T. Palubinskas, West Virginia State University
Strategic Annoyance: Intentional Provocations and Moscow’s Bid for Status in the Post-Cold War Order
Louis-Philippe Brochu, McGill University
‘We Shall Not Flag or Fail’: Volunteer Reserves as a Credible Deterrent Against Conventional Adversaries
Lionel Beehner, US Military Academy at West Point
Liam Collins, US Military Academy at West Point

Discussant
Matthew Clary, Auburn University

Taking Geography Seriously

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm
Electoral Politics

Participants
Oh, the Places They’ll Go: A Geographic Analysis of Gubernatorial Campaigns
Austin Trantham, Jacksonville University
Ryan Voris, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
Pandering to the Base? The Causes and Consequences of Campaign Stops in the 2017 German Federal Election
Hans Lueders, Stanford University
Place-Based Appeals and Geographic Identities: How Place Affects Voter Perceptions of Political Candidates
Daniel Fudge, University of Mississippi
Temporal, Geographic, and Political Context of Nationalized Gubernatorial Elections, 1928-2017
Kendall Lyons Bailey, Northeastern University
What are Friends For? The Effect of Geographic Proximity on Primary Voter Turnout
Zachary Baumann, Florida Southern College
Jonathan Winburn, University of Mississippi
Mohammed Shariful Islam, University of Mississippi
Salvatore Russo, California State University-Dominguez Hills

Discussants
Marc Hooghe, Uni Louvain
Abby Wood, USC
Gender and Elections

**Friday**
2:00pm-3:20pm

**Women and Politics**

**Chair**
Sarah Fulton, Texas A&M

**Participants**
Are Women More Likely to Throw the Rascals Out? The Effect of Gender on Corruption Voting
- Amy Alexander, University of Gothenburg
- Andreas Bågenholm, University of Gothenburg
- Nicholas Charron, University of Gothenburg

Identity in Campaign Finance and Elections: The Impact of Gender and Race on Money Raised in U.S. House Elections
- Philip Chen, Beloit College
- Ashley Sorensen, University of Minnesota

The Strategic Adoption of Gender Quotas in Authoritarian Regimes
- Amanda B Edgell, University of Florida

**Discussant**
Sarah Fulton, Texas A&M

The Politics of Public Goods Provision in Developing Countries

**Friday**
2:00pm-3:20pm

**Comparative Politics: Developing Areas**

**Chair**
Giancarlo Visconti, Purdue University

**Participants**
Bullets and Blessings: Do Conflicts Render States Less Accountable? Re-Examining Social Contract in Developing Countries through the Prism of Public Goods Provision in Armenia
- Evgenia Jane Kitaevich, phd student

Executive Party Ideology and Education Outcomes: Surprising Results from Latin America
- Brendan Apfeld, University of Texas at Austin

Land Inequality, Asset Portfolio Diversification, and Public Goods Provision
- Victoria Paniagua, Notre Dame University

The Electoral Dimension of Electricity Provision in Latin America: The "Light for All" Program in Brazil, 2003-2014
- Cesar Benshuni Martinez Alvarez, University of California, Los Angeles

Political Influence and Organization Among Informal Workers. A Study of Urban Politics in Mexico City
- Federico Fuchs, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**Discussants**
Giancarlo Visconti, Purdue University
Saad Gulzar, Department of Political Science, Stanford
3500
Parties, elites, and political behavior

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Comparative Politics: Political Behavior

Chair
Elad KLEIN, Aarhus University

Participants
Pre-Electoral Coalitions: Are parties fooling the voter? A Bayesian approach
Miguel Maria Garza Casado, The Ohio State University
Political Preferences in Transition: Elite Responses to Formal Institutional Change during Armenia’s Velvet Revolution
Carolyn Coberly, University of Virginia
From Protesters to Parliamentarians: Dissidents and Electoral Competition in New Democracies
Dominika Kruszewska, Harvard University
Stars and statesmen: retired flag officer endorsements of presidential candidates
Zachary Griffiths, United States Military Academy
Olivia Simon, United States Military Academy

Discussant
Debra Lynn Leiter, University of Missouri-Kansas City

3500
Undergraduate Research on Public Policy

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Undergraduate Research and Training

Participants
Comparing the Policy Agendas of the U.S. Supreme Court and the U.S. Congress
MiKayla Jones, University of North Texas
How States Pass Criminal Justice Legislation: A Qualitative Analysis of Three Cases
Demitra Katherine Kourtzidis, Eastern Connecticut State University
Policymaking at the Intersection of Legislative and Judicial Politics
Alaina Grace McGuffee, University of North Texas
Ian Layden, University of North Texas
Texas State Policy and Opportunity Gaps: Funding Disparity in HISD
Leah Sparkman, University of Arkansas - Monticello
The Power of a Post: Social Media's Effect on Political Contention in China
Quinn E Conrad, Virginia Military Institute
### Addressing Inequality Through a Racial Lens

**Friday**

2:00pm-3:20pm

**Race, Ethnicity, and Gender**

**Chair**

Carter Wilson, Northern Michigan University

**Participants**

Racial Diversity, Income Inequality, and Social Capital in the US counties

Mi-son Kim, University of Texas RGV

Dongkyu Kim, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Natasha Altema McNeely, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Still Separate, Still Unequal: The Politics of the Nation’s Largest Desegregation Plan

Melissa Garcia, University of Missouri-St. Louis

The Politics of the Carceral State: An Examination of Political Science’s Contribution

Natasha V. Christie, University of North Florida

The Structure of Inequality, Social Distance, and Redistributive Health Spending

Naomi Nashell Nubin, University of Houston

Ling Zhu, University of Houston

**Discussants**

Carter Wilson, Northern Michigan University

Kaylee Johnson, University of Massachusetts Amherst

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### Framing, Implementation, and Expenditures

**Friday**

2:00pm-3:20pm

**Public Policy**

**Chair**

Zachary A McGee, The University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**

Trump’s Tweets as Policy Narratives: Constructing the Immigration Issue via Social Media

Melissa Merry, University of Louisville

Food Security: Framing and Policy Implementation

Clare Brock, Texas Woman’s University

Samuel Workman, University of Oklahoma

The death of taxes: a examination of the termination of federal tax expenditures

Chris Faricy, Syracuse University

John Curiel, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

The Impact of Policy on Infrastructure: The Case of Highway Bridges

Greg McAvoy, UNC Greensboro

Sustaining the Unsustainable: The Politics of Health Care Financing in the U.K. and the U.S.

Alex Waddan, University of Leicester

**Discussant**

Derek Epp, UT-Austin
Historical and Comparative Influences on Public Opinion

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Participants
How democratic meanings shape political compromise
Nick Davis, Texas A&M University
Kirby Goidel, Texas A&M
Keith Gaddie, The University of Oklahoma

If They Can Do It, Why Can't We? The Effect of International Policy Comparisons on Public Opinion
Bas W van Doorn, College of Wooster

Invisible Scars: Memories of Maoist Era Violence and their impact on political engagement in China
Anil Menon, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Jiannan Zhao, University of California, San Diego

The Past Has Never Been Passed: Nationalism, War History, and Asian Mass Perceptions of China
Gong Chen, Georgia State University

The Political Consequences of Authoritarian Nostalgia in Post-Democratization South Korea
JONGSEOK WOO, University of South Florida
EUNJUNG CHOI, Chonnam National University

Public Opinion

President Trump and the Separation of Powers

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Chair
Katy Harriger, Wake Forest University

Discussants
Jasmine Farrier, University of Louisville
Nancy Kassop, SUNY New Paltz
Jeffrey Crouch, American University
Chris Edelson, American University
Mark Rozell, George Mason University

A separation of powers system operates, in theory, to allow political actors to exercise their legislative, executive, or judicial power while constraining their ability to abuse those powers. In the United States, there has been an ongoing debate about whether the presidency has become too powerful, upsetting the balance of power, or whether, instead, the presidency has been too constrained, unable to meet the framers desire for the unitary executive to act with energy and dispatch. The first two years of the Trump presidency certainly provide many examples of these tensions, with a number of injunctions imposed by courts against many of his executive actions, with congressional investigations of the 2016 election, and with ongoing tension with his Department of Justice and the special counsel investigation. Old questions have arisen again: Can a sitting president be indicted? How much deference is the president due in matters of national security and foreign affairs? How much control can the president exercise over the bureaucracy? Novel questions have arisen as well: Can a president pardon himself? Are there any limits or checks on the pardon power? This panel will explore these questions in the context of the Trump presidency. In what ways do Trump’s actions in the first two years continue trends that have long existed in the operation of the U.S. political system? What is different or extraordinary? What are the implications for U.S. politics and constitutionalism of these developments? The panel will consist of political science scholars who study the presidency and the separation of powers. The roundtable discussion will place the Trump presidency in the context of historical developments in the area about which they write: national security/foreign policy, the pardon power, executive control of the bureaucracy, the DOJ and independent counsel, and relations with Congress and the courts. The roundtable will also represent the first meeting of the group to discuss the development of an edited volume on the subject.
Comparative Politics Posters

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
The Nation as Brand: Postcolonial Construction of National Identity in Late 20th/Early 21st Century
  Qatar
  Ryunhye Kim, Stuyvesant High School
Freedom Now: Multiple Religious Traditions of the African Diaspora, One Social Movement
  Michael D Royster, Prairie View A&M University
Military Obedience in the 21st Century: An Analysis of Bolivia, Iran, and Bahrain
  Timothy Hazen, Central Michigan University
Outlaw Heaven: Why States Become Tax Havens
  Charles Dainoff, University of Idaho
Localization of Transitional Justice: Who is the Local?
  Elham Kazemi, University of California, Irvine
NATO’s Security Vulnerability and Eastern European Foreign Policy
  G Doug Davis, Troy University
  Michael Slobodchikoff, Troy University-Political Science Department
“Two Nations in Search of a State: The Anglophone Crisis and Cameroon’s Ambivalent Outlook”
  Augustine E. Ayuk, Clayton State University

Education, socialization and participation

Democratic Participation & Civic Engagement

Chair
Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

Participants
Letting 16-17 Year Old Citizens Vote: A Look at 2016.
  Niall Michelsen, Western Carolina University
School Boards and Political Participation: Assessing the Activities of School Board Members and Their Influence on Civic Culture
  Antwain Leach, Fisk University
Sounds from the Holler: The Political Messages of the Rural Poor
  Lara A Wessel, Georgia Southern University
Teachers’ Civic Participation: A Person-Centered Analysis and Associations with Students’ Attitudes towards Participation
  Frank Reichert, The University of Hong Kong
The Political Socialization of College Students: Student Government, Diversity and Political Power
  Elizabeth S Smith, Furman University
  Sabrina Roof, Furman University
  Katherine West, Furman University

Discussant
Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University
CWC5: The Political Theory of the Family

Friday 2:00pm-3:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Kevin Stuart, Austin Institute

Participants
The Family in Catholic Social Theory
William McCormick, St. Louis University
Natural Rights, Natural Theology, and the Public Policy of the Founding
Justin Dyer, University of Missouri
Latinos and the Naturalness of the Family
Ashleen Bagnulo, Texas State University

Discussant
Jim Stoner, Louisiana State University

The understanding of the family in political theory and political culture.

CWC13: Inclusion and Diversity in Academia: Bias and Student Teaching Evaluations

Friday 2:00pm-3:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Renee G Scherlen, Appalachian State University

Discussants
Ellen Key, Appalachian State University
Phillip Ardoin, Appalachian State University

This year SPSA Women will offer two panels on the theme of "Inclusion and Diversity in Academia: Challenges and Opportunities." This panel focuses on issues surrounding bias in student evaluations. What research do we have on the topic? What remedies (if any) can be taken? Questions and participation by audience members encouraged.
CWC9: International perspectives on Urban environment and economic growth

Conference Within A Conference

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Participants
Urban Growth and Fragmentation in Europe and the U.S.  
Antoni Tavares, Universidade do Minho
Effect of Local Government Capacities and Policy Tools on Local Population and Economic Growth  
M. Jae Moon, Yonsei University
Yuze Yang, Sun Yat-sen University
Hierarchical Stimulus and Collaboration Design: Environmental Collaboration among Chinese Local Governments  
Zhou Lingyi, Florida State University

Discussants
Richard Feiock, Florida State University
Gwen Arnold, University of California Davis

The four papers in this panel offer an international perspective on questions of economic growth and land management in urban environments.

Elites and Engagement on Social Media

Friday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Media and Politics

Chair
Dan Hiaeshtter-Rice, University of Michigan

Participants
MC, Myself, and I: Exploring Why MCs Have Multiple Twitter Accounts  
Kaitlyn Widner, University of Florida
Peter R Licari, The University of Florida
Out of the Kitchen and Into Congress: An Analysis of How Female Candidates Tweeted in 2016  
Miranda J. Estrada, Sam Houston State University
Heather Evans, Sam Houston State University
Social Media Use and Campaign Engagement in the 2016 Election Cycle  
Anderson Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin
Twitter and the Midterms: Social Network Analysis of 2018 Senate Campaigns  
Ben LaPoe, Ohio University
Celebrity endorsement of a candidate: The influence of identification, perceptions of viability, and fit  
Mia Sanati, Barry University

Discussant
Nichole Bauer, LSU
25 Years After the "Republican Revolution": The Future of Congressional Party Leadership

**Friday**

2:00pm-3:20pm

Legislative Politics

**Discussants**

- David Rohde, Duke University
- Don Wolfensberger, Woodrow Wilson Center
- Kristina Miler, University of Maryland
- Gregory Koger, University of Miami
- sean theriault, University of Texas

The 1994 congressional elections brought Republicans a U.S. House majority for the first time in a generation and helped nationalize congressional party politics. This distinguished roundtable will discuss what we have learned about parties and party leaders in Congress over the past 25 years, including Speakers John Boehner and Paul Ryan's recent challenges. We also look ahead to what we can expect from the 116th Congress following the recent midterm elections.

**Friday Children's Reception Ages 5 and under**

**Friday**

2:45pm-4:45pm

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New Ideas in Bureaucratic Politics

Friday 3:30pm-4:50pm

Bureaucratic Politics

Chair
Mark Richardson, James Madison University

Participants
Evaluating the Federal Election Commission’s Application of Federal Election Laws
Karen Denice Sebold, University of Arkansas

Is Korean Bureaucratic Power Still Strong?
Seohee Choi, Seoul National University National Leadership Center
Byongseob Kim, Seoul National University

Is Korea still a Bureaucratic State?
Byongseob Kim, Seoul National University
Hyejin Kang, Seoul National University

Motive Schemas of Bureaucratic Corruptibility: Rational, Irrational, and Beyond
Yahong Zhang, Rutgers University

Rethinking Representative Relationships: Modelling Representation as a Multi-Institutional Process
ANGELA N ALLISON, Texas A&M University

Discussants
Evan Haglund, US Coast Guard Academy
Mark Richardson, James Madison University

Author Meets Critic: The Paradox of Citizenship in America: Ideals and Reality

Friday 3:30pm-4:50pm

American Political Development

Critics
Nandhii Rangarajan, Texas State University
Alfonso Vergaray, Texas A &M International University

The Paradox of Citizenship in America: Ideals and Reality by Mehnaaz Momen Palgrave Macmillan, 2017 http://www.springer.com/gb/book/9783319615295#otherversion=9783319615301 This book addresses a range of issues that shape citizenship—political philosophy, historical connotations, transitions in the nation-state, methods of governance, legal provisions, and real-life implications—including its impact on different groups of people in terms of their ethnic, regional, and class positions. The evolution of American citizenship is explored through five different perspectives—identity, nation-building, world relations, immigration, and information technology—focusing on the official narratives as well as the real-life consequences, and most importantly, why and how the gaps between the two versions have been produced and maintained throughout history. While the meaning of citizenship in America has been analyzed from the multiple perspectives of history, politics, and policy, special attention has been paid to the critical junctures where rhetoric and reality clash, and how paradoxes occur which contain the nuanced and more complete story of citizenship.
Authors Meet Critics--Reactionary Republicanism

Political Psychology

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Chairs
Irwin Morris, University of Maryland, College Park
Bryan Gervais, University of Texas at San Antonio

Discussants
Rachel Marie Blum, Miami University of Ohio
M. V. Hood III, University of Georgia
Sharon Jarvis, University of Texas at Austin
Seth C. McKee, Texas Tech University

The shocking election of President Trump spawned myriad analyses and post-mortems, but they consistently underestimate the crucial role of the Tea Party on the GOP and Republican House members specifically. In Reactionary Republicanism, Bryan T. Gervais and Irwin L. Morris develop the most sophisticated analysis to date for gauging the Tea Party's impact upon the U.S. House of Representatives. They employ multiple types of data to illustrate the multi-dimensional impact of the Tea Party movement on members of Congress. Contrary to conventional wisdom, they find that Republicans associated with the Tea Party movement were neither a small minority of the Republican conference nor intransigent backbenchers. Most importantly, the invigoration of racial hostility and social conservatism among Tea Party supporters fostered the growth of reactionary Republicanism. Tea Party legislators, in turn, endeavored to aggravate these feelings of resentment via digital home styles that incorporated uncivil and aversion-inducing rhetoric. Trump fed off of this during his run, and his symbiotic relationship with Tea Party regulars has guided-and seems destined to-the trajectory of his administration.

Southern Politics and American Political Development

American Political Development

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Participants
Building from Below: State Development, Race-Making, and the Stono Uprising, 1690-1740
Sean Kim Butorac, University of Washington
Failed Nation-Building in the South, 1607-1890
Robert Mickey, University of Michigan
Subaltern Whites, Political Culture, and American Political Development
Bartholomew Sparrow, University of Texas at Austin
Too Busy to Hate: Sunbelt Capitalism and the Making of Crime Policy in the South
Kirstine Taylor, Ohio University

Discussants
Paul E. Herron, Providence College
Daniel Kryder, Brandeis University

The American South has always had an outsized influence on national political development. The evil and brutality of African slavery in service of profit and wealth corrupted southern culture, which, in turn, corrupted American culture. Planters and farmers in the region had additional fears about a centralized government, even with the bonus three-fifths representation for human chattel gained at the Philadelphia Convention. As the southern political economy became more dependent on slave labor and the population and power of free states swelled, those fears led to war. In the aftermath of defeat, conservatives managed to secure white supremacy and a brutal racial hierarchy that was, for many years, ignored by the federal government. This tenuous arrangement set the stage for some of the great domestic dramas of the modern American state – desegregation, extension of rights to all citizens, party realignment, and the establishment of a truly national political, economic, and constitutional system. This panel considers the place of the South in American political development from a variety of perspectives.
### 3600

**Author Meets Critics: Michael Haas, "Political Science Revitalized"**

**Political Theory**

"Political Science Revitalized" is a history of political science, focusing on paradigms that have been proposed over more than a century. The book at the same time is a critique of the discipline for currently ignoring paradigms yet being filled with studies that are disconnected because they do not connect with paradigms.

### 3600

**Rousseau and the 18th Century**

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
- David Lay Williams, DePaul University

**Participants**
- Adam Smith on the Love of Praiseworthiness, Resentment, and Their Political Implications
  - Antong Liu, Duke University
- Against Kantian Statism
  - Billy Christmas, New York University
- Education's Role in Hindering Amour-Propre: Rousseau's Emile
  - Rebeca Castaneda, Claremont Graduate University
- Rousseau's Legislator and the Challenge of Civic Education
  - Zachary Richard Bennett, University of Texas at Austin
- Sublime, Mortal, and Rare: Rousseau's Politics of Transformative Authority and Self-Authored Action
  - Arturo Chang Quiroz, Northwestern University

**Discussant**
- Bryan-Paul Frost, UL-Lafayette
This year's proposals contained an outstanding set of proposals using new data or new measurement techniques, some of which were on similar topics. Taking advantage of this synergy, I created a set of panels “Novel data, novel measures” to profile these new data or measurement methodologies, with the intention of turning them into workshops. In the spirit of advanced methods training, these panels are often smaller than the other panels to provide a chance for the researchers to emphasize not only the findings but also showcase the new data or measurement strategies, giving presenters and the audience a chance to learn from one another.

The cross-national study of political parties was once hampered by a lack of systematic party-level data, but in recent years the newly-available resources have radically changed this picture. This panel brings together scholars who have helped compile some of the leading new data sources for studying parties and party systems. They will discuss how these and other new sources can help advance studies in this field, and will consider some of the remaining challenges for future data collection in this area.
### International Institutions in Conflict

**Friday, 3:30pm-4:50pm**

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**
Obiekwe Godwin Nwanolue, Chukwuemeka Odumegwu Ojukwu University

**Participants**
- How Counting Counts: UNAMA and Civilian Targeting Norms in Afghanistan
  Ardeshir Pezeshk, University of Massachusetts
- Minimizing Legal Liability: Explaining State Decisions to Ratify the Kampala Amendments to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court
  Michael Patrick Broache, University of North Carolina Greensboro
- Peacekeeping Distortion: Political and Economic Side Effects of International Presence in the Post-Conflict Settings
  Yasuka Tateishi, Yale University
- Public Support for International Criminal Tribunals: Examining Variation in Attitudes towards ICTY
  Pellumb Kelmendi, Auburn University
- Status in Token United Nations Peacekeeping Contributions
  Alex Stephenson, UC Berkeley

**Discussant**
Paul M. Silva II, University of Florida

### Making Votes Not Count: Restrictions on the Right to Vote & Outright Fraud

**Friday, 3:30pm-4:50pm**

**Electoral Politics**

**Chair**
Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Georgia

**Participants**
- Effects of Contemporary Felony Disenfranchisement upon Election Turnout: New Evidence
  Linda Trautman, Ohio University
- Framing the Picture: Lessons from Decisions and Laws on Voter Identification
  Karen L. Owen, University of West Georgia
  Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler
  Mason Miller, The University of Texas at Tyler
- Reconsidering the Disparate Racial Impact of Felon Voting Disenfranchisement
  Daniel Edward Williams, Texas Southern University
- The Democratic Tipping Point: Electoral Fraud and the Paradox of Political Competition
  Stephen Graeme Dawson, University of Gothenburg
- The White Ballot Imbroglio: Was There Electoral Fraud In The 2006 Italian Election?
  Alberto Lioy, University of Oregon

**Discussants**
Douglas Alex Hughes, University of California, Berkeley
Joseph A Aistrup, Auburn University

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm
Women and Politics
Chair
Mirya Holman, Tulane University

Discussants
Laura R. R. Woliver, University of South Carolina
Nadia Brown, Purdue
Eileen McDonagh, Northeastern University
Mirya Holman, Tulane University

“Author Meets Readers and Critics Panel” full panel proposal for Southern Political Science Convention, Austin, Texas, January 17-19, 2019. As of: September 14, 2018 From: Laura R. Woliver; woliver@sc.edu; University of South Carolina. Panel Chair: TBA Author and Book: Laura R. Woliver, Push Back, Move Forward: The National Council of Women's Organizations and Coalition Advocacy. Philadelphia, Pa.: Temple University Press, 2018. Panelists: 1. Dr. Nadia Brown, Purdue University: brown957@purdue.edu 2. Dr. Eileen McDonagh, Northeastern University: e.mcdonagh@northeastern.edu 3. Dr. Mirya Holman, Tulane University: mholman@tulane.edu 4. TBA

Given the deadline for panel and paper proposals, I am submitting this partial list of panel participants for now. Both of the above participants have agreed to be on the panel. South Carolina is preparing for a hurricane this weekend (“Florence”) but I will try to secure two or three more panelists and a chair in the next couple of days. thank you. Laura R. Woliver cell: 803-783-3559

Electoral Fraud in Africa and Latin America

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm
Comparative Politics: Developing Areas
Chair
Wendy Ann Hunter, Professor of Government

Participants
Bad Losers: Who Uses Tally Irregularities in Court Cases in Kenya
Aaron Erlich, McGill University
Nicholas Kerr, University of Florida
Citizen Insecurity and Voter Turnout in Mexican National Elections
JEFF RYAN, UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
Not Without Electoral Competitiveness: How Parties Matter for the Punishment of Corruption in the Polls
German Petersen, University of Texas at Austin
What Can we Learn From Election Petitions? An Analysis of Kenya's 2013 Election-related Court Cases
Aaron Erlich, McGill University
Saewon Park, McGill University
Incomplete Roadmaps - Re-assessing Electoral Monitoring Guidelines
Anna Kapambwe Mwaba, Smith College

Discussants
Elin Bergman, University of Gothenburg
Jaimie Bleck, University of Notre Dame
**Legislative Structure and Performance**

**Chair**
Michelle Whyman, Duke University

**Participants**
Cross-Cutting Legislation and The Impact of Committee Reform on the Pursuit of Black Issues in the House of Representatives
Periloux C. Peay, University of Oklahoma
Rationalist Explanations for Legislative Impasse
Dan Alexander, Vanderbilt University
Patricia A Kirkland, Princeton University
Justin H Phillips, Columbia University
Structure, Conduct, and Performance in Congress
Philip Waggoner, College of William & Mary
Success at the Constitutional Convention
Keith Dougherty, University of Georgia
Aaron A. Hitefield, University of Georgia

**Discussants**
Brian Alexander, Washington and Lee University
Cynthia R. Rugeley, University of Minnesota Duluth

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**Context, institutions, and political participation**

**Chair**
Ruth Dassonneville, Université de Montréal

**Participants**
A Political Economy of Status Seeking
Kai Ou, Florida State University
Electoral Competitiveness and Perceived Election Quality: Unraveling the Mediation Role of District-level Turnout in the 2016 Korean Legislative Election
Youngho Cho, Sogang University
Beomseob Park, The College of New Jersey
Candidate Approval and Early Voting: Comparing the United States and Finland
Peter Miller, Brennan Center for Justice
Neil Chaturvedi, Cal Poly Pomona
Keeping up with the Joneses: Relative Economy and Voter Turnout
Beomseob Park, The College of New Jersey
The Political Consequences of Crime: Applying MRP to Latin American Survey Data
Joshua D. Clinton, Vanderbilt University
Claire Q. Evans, Vanderbilt University
Noam Lupu, Vanderbilt

**Discussant**
Christopher Williams, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
Undergraduate Research on Comparative Politics and Political Change

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Undergraduate Research and Training

Chair
William Nichols, St. Edward's University

Participants
Paper 1
Juan I. Naranjo Diaz, St. Edward's University
Paper 2
Alexandra Jones, St. Edward's University
Paper 3
McKenzie Blaser, St. Edward's University
Paper 4
Gabriela Perches, St. Edward's University

Western-Based Globalized Universities: Does Education Really Threaten Regime Control?
Eleanor Brigitta Hendren, Virginia Military Institute

Discussant
William Nichols, St. Edward's University

Undergraduate research on comparative politics and political change.

Author Meets Critics: "The Politics of the Sacred in America"

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Religion and Politics

Discussants
Michael K Romano, Shenandoah University
Donald Gooch, Stephen F. Austin State University
Fred Cady, South Texas College

This book provides a comprehensive investigation of the political dimensions of civil religion in the United States. By employing an original social-psychological theory rooted in semiotics, it offers a qualitative and quantitative empirical examination of more than fifty years of political rhetoric. Further, it presents two in-depth case studies that examine how the cultural, totemic sign of ‘the Founding Fathers’ and the signs of America’s sacred texts (the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence) are used in attempts to link partisan policy positions with notions that the country collectively holds sacred. The book’s overarching thesis is that America’s civil religion serves as a discursive framework for the country’s politics of the sacred, mediating the demands of particularistic interests and social solidarity through the interaction of social belief and institutional politics like elections and the Supreme Court. The book penetrates America’s unique political religiosity to reveal and unravel the intricate ways in which politics, political institutions, religion and culture intertwine in the United States. (Springer 2018)
Education Policy

Public Policy

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Chair
Helen Elizabeth Baxendale, University of Oxford

Participants
Assessing public management and public opinion: A view of management and administrative influence of Texas public opinion on education.
Darrell A Lovell, College university park
Nathan Keith Mitchell, Prairie View A&M University
Education Campaigns and Conflict: Evidence from Turkey
Emine Deniz, Özyeğin University
Teach for America as Institutional Subversive: The contemporary politics of American education reform
Helen Elizabeth Baxendale, University of Oxford
What We Think About When We Think About Schools: Urban Framing of American Public Education
Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University
Where the Schools Are: An Examination of Charter School Location and Its Implications
Carol Smith Weissert, Professor
Matthew Uttermark, Florida State University
Kenneth Mackie, Florida State University

Discussants
Gloria Christina Cox, University of North Texas
Carlos Xabel Lastra-Anadon, Harvard University

Understanding Attitudes toward Immigration, Deportation, and Refugees

Public Opinion

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Participants
A comparative examination of how knowledge and intergroup contact shape public opinion on refugee resettlement
Erik Amundson, University of Southern Mississippi
Immigration Attitudes and Mass Responsiveness to Rising Income Inequality
David Macdonald, Florida State University
Immigration in Europe and Latin America: A Comparative Analysis of Motivation and Preferences
Zoila Ponce de Leon, Washington and Lee University
Gabriele Magni, Princeton University
The Stability of Immigration Attitudes: Evidence and Implications
Cassidy S Reller, UCSD
Dillon L Laaker, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Alexander Kustov, Princeton University
Value frames and attitudes toward refugees
Rita Lynn Nassar, Indiana University Bloomington
The Good, Bad, and Ugly of Information in Governance

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Public Administration

Participants
Hurricane Harvey and Increased Volunteerism: How Social Media Impacted Individual Participation in Emergency Management Responses
Terri B. Davis, Lamar University

Strength of Strong Ties: Inter-city Government Information Sharing and County Jurisdiction Boundary
Namhoon Ki, FSU Public Administration and Policy dept
Chang-Gyu Kwak, Sejong University
Minsun Song, Valdosta State University

The Social Media Dilemma: Free Speech Versus Order and Discipline
John McCaskill, The University of Texas at Dallas
James Harrington, University of Texas at Dallas

To Post or Not to Post: An Examination of Court Cases on Off-Duty Social Media Conduct of Public Teachers, Civil Servants and Paramilitary Officers
Paul D Foote, Murray State University

Why do states create multilingual websites? Testing responsiveness, risk communication, financial, and political theories."
Ismail Soujaa, University of North Texas
Abraham Benavides, University of North Texas

Discussant
Benjmain Brunjes, University of Washington

International Relations Posters - General 1

Friday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Counter-Conduct in International Relations: South African and Russian Relations
Gordon Parris, Northeastern University

In Defense of Environment: Understanding the link between Environment Sustainability and Development
RINKI DAHIYA, Assistant Professor in Department of Economics in the Motilal Nehru College, University of Delhi,
Selectivity of college scholastic ability test and political education in highschool education and political knowledge; focused on Gangnam which is affluent districts of Seoul and the other areas focused.
eomji yang, sogang university

State and Self-employed Relationship in South Korea: Clientelism without Patronage
Sujin Lee, Ewha Womans University

Global Economic Crisis and Recession in Nigeria: Exploring the Linkages and Consequences
Monday Effiong Dickson, Akwa Ibom State University, Obio Akpa Campus, Nigeria

Never again: Legal change in China after the melamine milk powder crisis
Anmnieke van den Dool, University of Amsterdam

Ranked Ethnicity, Inequality, and Ethnic Party Performance in India
Neeraj Prasad, Tufts University
H Zeynep Bulutgil, University College London

Interdisciplinarity In IR: What's The Use?
James Heilman, University of Massachusetts Amherst
**The politics of protest and social movements**

**Democratic Participation & Civic Engagement**

**Chair**
Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College

**Participants**
- Do the Number of Individuals Killed by Law Enforcement Officers Drive Protests in the United States?
  Jeffrey Payne, University of Central Florida
- Economic Protest or Political Protest?: Protest, Economic Hardship, and Accountability in Asia
  Myunghee Lee, University of Missouri
- Marching for their Lives: How the Parkland Survivors Created a Social Movement
  Kiki Miller, University of Texas at Austin
- Pop-Up Civil Society: Creative Placemaking as Civic Engagement in the 21st Century
  Ryan Salzman, Northern Kentucky University
  Jarett Lopez, Northern Kentucky University
- The Mobilizing Effects of Police Contact
  Arvind Ram Krishnamurthy, Duke University
  Jesse Lopez, Duke University
  Jasmine Smith, Duke University

**CWC5: Where Law and Public Policy Can Help (or at least stop hurting) the Family**

**Conference Within A Conference**

**Chair**
Kevin Stuart, Austin Institute

**Participants**
- Knowing God’s Law and Pursuing the Common Good
  Christina Noriega Bambrick, University of Texas at Austin
- Parental Rights & Children’s Rights in Constitutionalization of the Family
  Lynne Marie Kohm, Regent University School of Law
- Analyzing the Policy Impact of Planned Parenthood Defunding
  Michael New, Catholic University
- A Feminism with Part-Time Work
  Scott Yenor, Boise State University

**Discussant**
David Upham, University of Dallas

Towards a guide to successful legislation in support of the family after Obergefell
CWC 13: Inclusion and Diversity in Academia: Constructing a 21st Century Syllabus

Friday 3:30pm-4:50pm
Conferece Within A Conference
Chair
Brian Smentkowski, University of Idaho
Discussants
Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College
Susan Achury, University of Houston
Nina Barzachka, Dickinson College

This year SPSAWomen will offer two panels on the theme of "Inclusion and Diversity in Academia: Challenges and Opportunities." This panel focuses on constructing a 21st century political science syllabus. Emphasis is placed on developing inclusion and diversity in syllabus content as well as developing syllabi that speak to our diverse students in an inclusive manner. Questions and participation by audience members encouraged.

CWC9: Neighborhoods, community change, and decision making

Friday 3:30pm-4:50pm
Conferece Within A Conference
Chair
Christopher Hawkins, University of Central Florida
Participants
Revisiting Recent Findings on Gated Communities and Racial Homogeneity: A Longitudinal Study
Daniel Scheller, University of Texas at El Paso
Unitary not Uniform: “Green” as a Tieboutian Strategy for Local Governments in South Korea
Jill Tao, Incheon National University
The linkage between crime and entrepreneurship in the Gentrification Era" An analysis of the City of Miami
Shaoming Cheng, Florida International University
Working Together or Pulling Apart? An Institutional Analysis of Collaboration among Neighborhood and Homeowner Association
Simon Andrew, University of North Texas
Discussant
Edgar Eugenio Ramírez, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)

The papers in this panel consider demographics, citizen preference, and decisions about where to live, work, and locate businesses and the implications of these decisions on local sustainability.
Media and Politics in China

Friday 3:30pm-4:50pm

Chair
Joshua P. Darr, Louisiana State University

Participants
Chinese Social Media - The Mouthpiece of the CCP?
Ray Thomas Hartman, Seoul National University
Exploring the Effects of Media on Hierarchical Levels of Political Trust in China
Ping Xu, University of Rhode Island
Yinjiao Ye, Professor
Mingxin Zhang, Professor
Protest and Regime Responsiveness: How Chinese Media Reporting Can Stimulate Collective Action
Li Shao, Syracuse University
Reading China: Measuring Policy Change with Machine Learning
Julian TszKin Chan, Bates White Economic Consulting
Weifeng Zhong, American Enterprise Institute

Discussants
Iza Ding, University of Pittsburgh
Joshua Eisenman, University of Texas at Austin
Emerging Research Trends in Middle East Democratization

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Hicham Bou Nassif, Claremont McKenna College

Participants
Entrusting Elites: Who do Autocrats Make Security Ministers, and Why?
Matt Jeffrey Buehler, University of Tennessee
Mehdi Ayari, Independent Consultant

A Sectarian Military? Overturning Conventional Wisdom about Syria’s Armed Forces and Coup Plotters
Hicham Bou Nassif, Claremont McKenna College

From Prison to Parliament: Evidence from Turkey and Tunisia
Kimberly Guiler, Harvard University

Cognitive Path Dependence and “Refolutions”: Theorizing the Effect of Digital Behaviors on Political Resistance
Peter Russell, University of Texas at Austin

Discussant
Matt Jeffrey Buehler, University of Tennessee

Since the 2011 uprisings, the Middle East and North Africa region has undergone dramatic changes. These changes include how the region’s authoritarian regimes manage politics, fend off the opposition, and pursue policies to keep their citizens compliant. Similarly, dramatic changes have taken place amongst oppositionists—social movements, political parties, sectarian minorities, coup plotters, and other actors that challenge regimes. Many of these oppositionists have altered their strategies and tactics to enhance their effectiveness in voicing their demands, realizing their interests, and undermining regimes. Engaging this topic, this panel explores emerging trends in scholarship related to Middle East democratization and authoritarianism. Drawing on diverse methodologies, including qualitative interviews, original surveys, and archival research, this panel’s papers present new theoretical findings related to this region’s authoritarian regimes and the opposition movements that contest them. The panel’s papers look not only at a variety of countries (Tunisia, Syria, Turkey, Egypt, and others) but also diverse chronological time periods—both contemporary and historical—to reveal emerging research trends in this domain of scholarly inquiry. The panel’s first two papers look at the relationship between autocrats and their militaries in the Middle East. Utilizing an original dataset built from Tunisian Arabic archival documents, the first paper explores which elites are most likely to be entrusted by autocrats as security ministers (leaders of either the security services or military). The second paper examines the formation of Syria’s military under the French mandate and the sectarian dynamics that were at play in the armed forces from the early years of its inception until the first decades that followed independence and the Asad regime’s ascent to power. The panel’s latter two papers look at opposition movements within authoritarian regimes of the Middle East. The third paper, drawing on an original survey experiment from Turkey, examines how an opposition leader’s prison record (legacy of imprisonment) increases his public support among likely voters. The fourth paper looks at the relationship between digital communications technology and psychological cognitive processing, showing how it played an important role in shaping the patterns of mobilization among political actors and movements. Taken as a whole, this panel’s papers carry critical consequences for research on democratization and authoritarian persistence, highlighting new avenues for future scholarship based in the Middle East context.
SPSA Women's Business Meeting

**Friday**
4:45pm-6:15pm

Meetings

4:45 pm Friday

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Public Comments and Public Policy

**Friday**
5:00pm-6:20pm

**Bureaucratic Politics**

**Chair**

Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School

**Participants**

Congressional Oversight Revisited: Politics and Procedure in Agency Rulemaking

Kenneth Lowande, University of Michigan

Rachel Potter, University of Virginia

(Not So) Strange Bedfellows? Policy Success and Diversity in Lobbying Coalitions

Maraam A Dwidar, The University of Texas at Austin

Private Influence on the Regulatory Process: Evidence From Comments on Rules

Steven Rashin, NYU

Why do agencies get so much mail? Lobbying coalitions, mass comments, and political information in bureaucratic policymaking

Devin Judge-Lord, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**Discussants**

Brian Libgober, Yale University

Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School
The Development of State and Federal Institutions

**Friday**
6:20pm

**American Political Development**

**Participants**
Gubernatorial Impeachment and Resignation: Process and History
   Drew Kurlowski, Coastal Carolina University
   Clint Swift, Sewanee: The University of the South
"The Consequences of Informal versus Formal Bargaining Structures under Separated Powers: Executive
   Budgetary Influence and the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921"
   George A. Krause, University of Georgia (Public Administration and Policy)
The Democratic Governors Association and the Nationalization of American Party Politics
   Anthony P Sparacino, University of Virginia
The Development of a National Budget System During the Progressive Era
   James Saturno, Congressional Research Service

**Discussant**
   Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

Political Knowledge and Misperceptions

**Friday**
6:20pm

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**
   John Barry Ryan, Stony Brook University

**Participants**
Stealth Democracy Reconsidered: A Conspiratorial Perspective
   Nicolette Alayon, Stetson University
   Steven Smallpage, Stetson University
Voting machine conspiracy: Election integrity, information seeking and sharing
   Yongkwang Kim, University of Houston
The effect of government conspiracy belief on political engagement
   Yongkwang Kim, University of Houston
What Does Misinformation Tell Us About Political Beliefs?: Learning, Motivated Reasoning, and the
   Affect Heuristic
   Dustin Carnahan, Michigan State University
   Daniel E Bergan, Michigan State University
Going Beyond The Quiz: A New Tool for Measuring Political Knowledge and Sophistication
   Steven Perry, Rice University

**Discussants**
   John Barry Ryan, Stony Brook University
   Lonna Atkeson, University of New Mexico
Political Institutions in Autocratic Settings: Executives, Legislatures, and Parties

Friday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Thiago Nascimento da Silva, Texas A&M University

Participants
It's Good to Be King: Ruler Type and Expectations of Ruler Conduct in Authoritarian Regimes
Scott Williamson, Stanford
Parliamentary Oversight under Autocratic Rule
Felix Dwinger, University of Gothenburg
Party Behavior in Authoritarian Regimes
Holly Rains, University of Kansas, Dept of Political Science
Rachel E Finnell, University of Kansas
Haruka Nagao, University of Kansas
Party Hegemony and Legislative Strength in Non-Democratic Regimes
Matthew Charles Wilson, West Virginia University
Josef Woldense, University of Minnesota
Non-Electoral Connection: The Source of Authoritarian Representation in China
Chuanmin Chen, Sun Yat-sen University

Discussant
Ian Oliver Smith, St. Mary's University - San Antonio

Political Theory Concepts: Freedom, Autonomy, Partiality, Pluralism, Compromise

Friday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Political Theory

Chair
John Francis Burke, Trinity University

Participants
Nathan Orlando, Saint Vincent College
The Challenging Need for Political Partiality
Bruce Hunt, Angelo State University
The Ineluctable Nature of Conflict: Moral Monism and Value Pluralism
Kenneth McIntyre, Sam Houston State University
United We Stand? Identity Politics and the Politics of Compromise
Alin Fumurescu, University of Houston
Vulnerable Citizens and Relational Autonomy
Amber Knight, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Discussant
Stephen Savage, Louisiana State University
Social Contract and the 17th Century

**Friday**

**Political Theory**

**Chair**
Devin Stauffer, University of Texas, Austin

**Participants**
Calculation, Self-Interest, and Fear in Hobbes' Translation of Thucydides
Chris Campbell, University of Michigan
Can Social Contract Theory's De Facto Problem Be Overcome?
Paul R. DeHart, Texas State University
John Locke, the "Appeal to Heaven," and the Ghost of Jephthah's Daughter
Noah Stengl, Northwestern University
Let Every Soul Be Subject Unto The Higher Powers: Scriptural Interpretation in John Locke’s Paraphrase
Kevin Kearns, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi
Spinoza’s blueprint for modern politics
Rory Schacter, MIT

**Discussant**
Andrew Day, Northwestern

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Choosing judges: causes and consequences

**Friday**

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**
Erin B. Kaheny, UW-Milwaukee

**Participants**
Special Nominees: United States Attorneys and Federal Judicial Selection
Brett Curry, Georgia Southern University
Banks Prescott Miller, Univ. of Texas at Dallas
The Incumbency Advantage in Judicial Elections
Michael Olson, Harvard University Department of Government
Andrew Stone, Harvard University Department of Government
Citizen Ignorance and the Influence of Judicial Elections on State Supreme Court Legitimacy
TJ Kimel, Midlands Technical College

**Discussants**
Benjamin J Kassow, University of North Dakota
Drew Lanier, Univ. of Central Florida
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Partisanship and Vote Choice

Electoral Politics

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5:00pm-6:20pm

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Estimating the Effect of Scandals in Congressional Elections
Jeff Gulati, Bentley University
Lara Brown, George Washington University
Jordan Kyle Landry, Louisiana State University
Military Service, Combat Experience, and Voting Behavior
Tyson Chatagnier, University of Houston
Jonathan David Klingler, University of Mississippi
The Ideological Foundation of Partisan Identification in the American Electorate: Evidence from the 2017 Pew Typology Survey
Alan Abramowitz, Emory University
Steven Webster, Washington University

Discussants
Michael D Martinez, University of Florida
Brian M Conley, Suffolk University

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Gender and Political Participation

Women and Politics

Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Chair
Philip Chen, Beloit College

Participants
In Whose Name? A Look into Women in Rebuilding after the 2015 Nepali Earthquake
Shana Scogin, University of Notre Dame
Political Participation of Women of the African Diaspora: A Case Study of Limpopo, South Africa
Saundra Curry Ardrey, Western Kentucky University
Violence Targeting Women and Women’s Political Participation: A New Data Source
Roudabeh Kishi, University of Wisconsin - Madison
Women, Confidence and Politics
Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa
Haley Hill, University of Tampa
Alexis Laroe, University of Tampa
Courtney Wilson, University of Tampa

Discussants
Philip Chen, Beloit College
Jackie Northrup, Northeastern University/ The University of Alabama
Endogenous State Capacity

**Comparative Politics: Developing Areas**

**Chair**
John Gerring, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**
Social Dissent, Coercive Capacity, and Redistributive Strategies: Evidence from Authoritarian Mexico
Horacio Larreguy, Harvard University
Juan Felipe Riaño Rodríguez, University of British Columbia
Mariano Sanchez Talanquer, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas

Hollowing out the State: Status Hierarchy and Fiscal Capacity in Colonial India
Pavithra Suryarayan, Johns Hopkins University

The Great Revenue Divergence
Alexander Lee, University of Rochester
Jack Paine, University of Rochester

Fiscal Capacity as a Moderator of the Taxation-Accountability Hypothesis
Jessica Gottlieb, Texas A&M University
Florian Hollebach, Texas A&M

**Discussant**
Jan Pierskalla, OSU

States vary in their capacity to govern and extract resources, both across their geography as well as across time. In recent years, interest in the origins of state capacity and the consequences of variation therein has grown. The ability of the state to raise revenue and rule its territory has important contemporaneous, downstream, and long-run effects on policies, institutions, as well as economic and political development. These, in turn, may affect incentives of politicians to strategically invest (or not) in state capacity in expectation of potential political consequences. The papers in this panel build on the most recent developments in the literature and investigate 1) how and why states differ in their levels of state capacity; and 2) how these differences in capacity effect political economic outcomes. Together, they inform our understanding of the endogeneity of state capacity — in other words, the strategic calculations that may undergird decisions to invest in the state. The proposed papers make use of econometrics, historical data, and mathematical modeling to investigate these questions. Larreguy, Rodriguez, and Talanquer argue that differing level of state capacity influence the state’s response to social unrest and use data from historical Mexico to test their argument. Pavithra Suryarayan uses the case of India to contend that political elites may undermine the capacity of the state to raise revenue to protect themselves from future taxation should outside groups gain political power. Lee and Paine use game theory to investigate the reasons for Western European states’ development into revenue raising machines in the early 20th century. Lastly, Gottlieb and Hollebach ask whether different levels of fiscal capacity changes how voters evaluate politicians’ efforts to increase taxes and make use of a quasi-exogenous shock to fiscal capacity in Brazilian municipalities to answer this question.
The Use and Abuse of Power: Corruption, Scandal and Chicanery

**Friday**
5:00pm-6:20pm

**Comparative Political Institutions**

**Chair**
Eduardo Aleman, University of Houston

**Participants**

Corruption Levels and Party System Stability
Joseph Wayne Robbins, Valdosta State University

Do political scandals impact the value of politically connected firms? - Evidence from Russia
Katelyn Hess, Florida State University

Participatory Budgeting and Corruption
Leonardo Antenangeli, University of Houston

Not my Donor: Statistical detection of Campaign Finance Violations
Ernesto Calvo, University of Maryland
Virginia Oliveros, Tulane University
Andres Sinitcofsky, Soviet

**Discussant**
Eduardo Aleman, University of Houston
### Trade Politics

**Friday**

5:00pm-6:20pm

**International Politics: Global Issues and IPE**

**Chair**
Di Wang, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**

- Economic Openness, Unemployment Risk, and Gender Equality Perceptions
  - Li Zheng, The University of Houston
  - Ling Zhu, University of Houston

- Making Trade Electorally Salient: An Empirical Analysis of Trade Campaign Ads in the United States
  - Aycan Katitas, University of Virginia

- Multidimensional Preferences in US Trade Politics: A Conjoint Experiment
  - Kate DeMoss, Tulane University

- Rural-Urban Divide on Protectionism: The Social-Context Approach
  - Hirofumi Kawaguchi, The University of Tokyo
  - Ikuma Ogura, Georgetown University

### Undergraduate Research on Presidents and Executive Politics

**Friday**

5:00pm-6:20pm

**Undergraduate Research and Training**

**Chair**
Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University

**Participants**

- Match Made in Heaven?: Presidential Overreach and Presidential Approval
  - Noah Bond, New England College

- Campaign Tone & Presidential Approval
  - Trevor Mark Van Niel, New England College

- The Evolution of the American Presidency
  - Daniela Delgado, University of Arkansas - Monticello

**Discussant**
Joshua Kennedy, Georgia Southern University
Political Parties and Campaigns in the U.S. States

State Politics
Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm
Chair
Shannon Jenkins, UMass Dartmouth

Participants
Institutional Behavior of Progressively Ambitious U.S. State Legislators
Doug Murdoch, University of Houston
Issue Attitudes Among Tea Party Republicans in Texas and the Roots of Support for Donald Trump
James R Henson, The University of Texas at Austin
Joshua M Blank, Texas Politics Project at UT-Austin
Legislative Inspiration: Party Platforms and State Legislation
Nicole R Foster Shoaf, Missouri Southern State University
Measuring and Assessing the Independence of State Attorneys General
Thomas Gray, University of Texas at Dallas
The Effects of Disclosure Law on Campaign Contributions to State Legislative Candidates
Christopher Kulesza, Purdue University

Discussant
Adam Chamberlain, Coastal Carolina University

The Media, Political Messaging, and Perceptions of Race

Race, Ethnicity, and Gender
Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm
Chair
Maurice Yiangmbop Mongkuo, Dr.

Participants
Framing Hate and Terror: Classifying Violence in the United States
Kiela Crabtree, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Corina Simonelli, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Mascots to Name Calling: National Survey on Politics, Media Consumption and Native American Issues
Victoria L. LaPoe, Ohio University
The Politics of Racial Abjection
Brandon Rudolph Davis, Brown University
Vying for Votes: How Group-based Appeals Affect Voter Opinions
Tabitha Bonilla, Northwestern University
White Target Audience: Explicit Racial Priming Revisited
Kaylee Johnson, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Discussants
Maurice Yiangmbop Mongkuo, Dr.
Brandon Rudolph Davis, Brown University
Partisanship, Polarization, and Ideological Sorting

Friday
5:00pm - 6:20pm

Public Opinion

Participants
Blind Guessing? Voter Competence About Partisan Messaging
John Henderson, Yale University
Did They Go Too Far? Political Scandal and the Limits of Voter Support
Tyler Godines Camarillo, The University of Oklahoma
The Big Fix: Ideological Sorting and Social Desirability Bias
Klara Fredriksson, University of Texas at Austin
The Newly Partisan Nature of Americans’ Changing Attitudes towards Muslims
David Nield, University of California, Berkeley
Nathaniel Swigger, The Ohio State University
Will I Stay or Will I Go? Internal Migration and Partisan Polarization in the Contemporary Electorate
Adam Ramey, New York University Abu Dhabi

Emerging Issues in Public Administration

Friday
5:00pm - 6:20pm

Public Administration

Participants
How Social Capital Shapes Citizen Willingness to Coproduce Public Service: Evidence from the Water Sector
Youlang Zhang, Texas A&M University
Xinsheng Liu, Texas A&M University
Arnold Vedlitz, Texas A&M University
Information Technology Coursework in Asian Public Administration Programs
James Michael McQuiston, Southern Arkansas University
Aroon Manoharan, University of Massachusetts Boston
The Impersonal Sovereign: Public Administration and the Political Problem of our Time
Roy Heidelberg, Louisiana State University
Understanding the Role of State Inspectors Generals’: Evolving Roles, Responsibilities and Implications for the 21st Century
Robert William Smith, University of Illinois at Springfield
Utilization Focus in a Local Public Health Program Evaluation: Lessons from a SAMHSA Funded Community Based Program in a US Southern Border City
Nandita Chaudhuri, Public Policy Research Institute, Texas A&M University

Discussants
Marc A. Wallace, Texas State University
Stephen W Northam, University of North Georgia
American Politics Posters

Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Occupational Licensing and Income Inequality in the States
  William Franko, West Virginia University
  Robert McGrath, George Mason University
On Signs and Semiotics: Gramsci on Political Signaling
  Margaret Mary Riley, Louisiana State University
Politics and Friendship Selection: An experimental study
  Meredith Rolfe, University of Massachusetts - Amherst
  Mason Lord, University of Massachusetts - Amherst
The Politics of Educational Reform: Three Ideological Based Approaches
  Stephen Earl Williams, Prairie View A&M University
Too Busy to Hate: Sunbelt Capitalism and the Making of Crime Policy in the Postwar South
  Kirstine Taylor, Ohio University
The Racialization of the Non-Human: What West World Can Teach Us About Systemic Racism
  Charles Phillips, Gettysburg College
Textbooks, Mythmaking and Conflicting Notions of American National Identity
  Amilcar Antonio Barreto, Northeastern University
  Henry Cohen, Northeastern University
Selecting Judges for Three-Judge Courts in Redistricting
  Stephen L Wasby, University at Albany, SUNY
The Constitution, Congress, and the Myth of Legislative Inefficacy
  Coby Thomas DeVito, UNC

Presidential Rhetoric

Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Presidential/Executive Politics

Chair
  Mark Andrew Kelso, Queens University of Charlotte

Participants
All Roads Lead to 2020: Exploring President Trump’s Speeches at Midterm
  Shannon Bow O'Brien, University of Texas at Austin
Disorderly Conduct and White Fear: Donald Trump, Broken Windows Rhetoric, and the Immigration Agenda
  Revathi Hines, SUBR
Everything is Fine, Believe Me: Deceptive Language on the Economy from American Presidents
  Christopher Olds, Fort Hays State University
Presidential Rhetoric and Issue Ownership
  Amnon Cavari, IDC

Discussants
  Mark Andrew Kelso, Queens University of Charlotte
  Yu Ouyang, Purdue University Northwest
CWC5: ROUNDTABLE: Springtime for Legislation? Prospects for the Roberts Court

Friday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Jim Stoner, Louisiana State University

Discussants
Judith Baer, Texas A&M University
Matthew Franck, Princeton University
Gary Jacobsohn, University of Texas
Christopher Wolfe, University of Dallas

Leading scholars of the judiciary comment on the prospects for doctrinal change and judicial deference on the Supreme Court in the coming years.

CWC13: SPSAWomen Business Meeting

Friday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Renee G Scherlen, Appalachian State University

Annual business meeting for SPSAWomen.
CWC9: Policy diffusion and Isomorphism across local governments

Conference Within A Conference

Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Participants
Intra-Regional Diffusion of Municipal Climate Action Plans: Evidence from Spatial Analysis
Adam Butz, California State University Long Beach
Brian An, University of Southern California
Interlocal Agreements and Cutback Management after the Great Recession
Eric Zeemering, University of Georgia
De Facto Isomorphism in Fracking Governance in the Mid-Atlantic States: Second Verse, Same as the First?
Gwen Arnold, University of California Davis
Local Manager's career paths and the diffusion of policy innovation: An agent Network Diffusion Model
Hongtao Yi, The Ohio State University

Discussants
Jack Mewhirter, University of Cincinnati
Meghan Rubado, Cleveland State University

This panel examines how policies spread across local governments - covering a range of substantive areas - including fracking, climate commitment, and financial management.

Historical Perspectives on Media and Politics

Friday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Media and Politics

Chair
Amber E Boydstun, UC Davis

Participants
A comparative framing analysis of Gulf War 1990-1991 and Iraq War 2003 of Media and Congressional Record
Nouf A Aljassar, University Of Florida
“Endorsing Presidential Candidates: Newspapers in Political Campaigns, 1788-2016.”
John P McIver, University of Texas, Austin
The Political-Historic Origins of the Crisis of Epistemology in the US Media
Girma Elyot Alifeo Parris, Case Western Reserve University
From Watergate to Russiagate: Coverage of Presidential Scandals by Cultural Magazines
Karine Premont, University of Sherbrooke
Valérie Beaudoin, University of Sherbrooke
Alexandre Millette, ENAP

Discussants
Derek Epp, UT-Austin
Matthew Thornton, Drake University
### Authors Meet Critics: The Great Broadening by Bryan Jones, Sean Theriault, and Michelle Whyman

**Friday**

5:00pm - 6:20pm

**Legislative Politics**

**Chairs**

- Bryan Jones, The University of Texas at Austin
- Sean Theriault, University of Texas
- Michelle Whyman, Duke University

**Discussants**

- Gregory Koger, University of Miami
- Anthony Fowler, University of Chicago
- JoBeth Shafran Shafran, Western Carolina University

In *THE GREAT BROADENING* (forthcoming from the University of Chicago Press), we document the expansion of the national policy agenda and its effects on modern governance. Beginning in the mid-1950s, peaking in the late 1970s, and declining afterward, the United States experienced a vast expansion in the national policy-making agenda. We call this burst the Great Broadening because government got larger, not by doing more of what it was already doing but by getting involved in new issues. We suggest that the downstream effects of the expansion of the scope of the federal government in the late 1970s include, increases in polarization, the radical transformation of Congress from primarily a lawmaking body to primarily an oversight body, the proliferation of interest groups in Washington D.C. and the conservative counter-revolution. This panel will showcase the criticisms of this book's argument as well as the authors' response.

### SPSA President's Reception

**Friday**

7:30pm - 9:00pm

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Roundtable: proposal for an open source textbook on judicial politics

Saturday
8:00am-9:20am

Judicial Politics
Teaching Political Science

As a tireless advocate for learners everywhere, Oregon State University is proactive in finding ways to make higher education more affordable, and its open textbook initiative aims to ease the financial strain on students. A collaboration between OSU Libraries, OSU Press and Ecampus Open Educational Resources, the open textbook initiative provides financial, technical and editorial support for faculty members to adapt, adopt or author texts that will be freely accessible online to any student in the world. Oregon State students will spend an average of $1,200 on textbooks and supplies in 2017-18, according to the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships. That's on par with the national average as estimated by The College Board. In addition to relieving students of ever-increasing costs, these works will also feature interactive content that enhances learning through video, audio and other multimedia. The textbooks will be incorporated into OSU curriculum and include Creative Commons licenses to facilitate their use at other universities at no cost.
Trust, Alienation, and Views of the Nation

Political Psychology

Chair
Marc Hutchison, University of Rhode Island

Participants
Exploring the Values of Trust and Accountability: A Social Psychology Experiment on the Distribution of a Finite Good
David Thomason, St. Edward's University
Sam Drew, St. Edward's University
Brittney Johnson, St. Edward's University
Border-line Personality Dis-order? Maps, Nationalism, and Altruism
Adam Ramey, New York University Abu Dhabi
Jonathan David Klingler, University of Mississippi
Trust, Influence, Self-Esteem, and the Brexit Vote
Gaspare M Genna, The University of Texas at El Paso
Women’s reproductive autonomy and alienation: Revisiting the original conceptualization of alienation in the 21st century
Brian W Sullivan, University of Houston
Rebecca Costantini, Texas A&M University

Discussants
Marc Hutchison, University of Rhode Island
Paul G Lewis, Arizona State University

Race, Rights, and the Development of the American State

American Political Development

Participants
For the Punishment of Crime: The Antebellum Northern Foundation of Convict Slavery
Robinson Woodward-Burns, Howard University
"It is the Fault of the School": The Liberal Origins of the Punitive Education State
Daniel S Moak, Ohio University
“The Unity among These Groups Is Truly Tremendous”: The Collaborative Lobbying Campaign for the Civil Rights Act of 1964
Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College
White Supremacy in State Constitutions from the Founding to the Present
Paul E. Herron, Providence College
Daniel Kryder, Brandeis University

Discussant
Anthony Grasso, US Military Academy
**Dan Kapust's Flattery and the History of Political Art: Author Meets Critics**

**Saturday**

*8:00am-9:20am*

*Political Theory*

**Critics**
- Michelle Clarke, Dartmouth College
- Andrew Riggsby, University of Texas at Austin
- Naomi Choi, University of Houston
- Daniel O’Neill, University of Florida

**Author**
- Daniel Kapust, UW Madison

Professor Kapust’s new book Flattery and the History of Political Thought: That Glib and Oily Art (Cambridge University Press, 2018) addresses the moral and political problems associated with flattery, as they have been explored in a wide range of ancient and early modern texts including Cicero, Pliny, Castiglione, Machiavelli, Hobbes, Mandeville, Smith, and the Federalists/Anti-Federalists. Arguing that flattery is not always the contemptible and low-minded behavior that it often seems to be, Kapust explores how it has been used to navigate serious power imbalances and even to realize our deepest social capacities. Discussing Kapust’s book will be: Naomi Choi (Assistant Professor of Political Science at the University of Houston), Andrew Riggsby (Luce Shoe Meritt Professor of Classics at the University of Texas, Austin), and Daniel O’Neill (Associate Professor of Political Science at the University of Florida).

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**Roundtable on Benjamin Gregg's The Human Rights State**

**Saturday**

*8:00am-9:20am*

*Political Theory*

**Chair**
- Jeffrey Spring, St. Francis Xavier University

**Discussants**
- Benjamin Gregg, The University of Texas at Austin
- Jennifer Correa, Texas A&M University San Antonio
- Mark Frezzo, The University of Mississippi
- Joe Hoover, Queen Mary University of London

In his book The Human Rights State: Justice within and beyond Sovereign Nations Benjamin Gregg theorizes ways in which citizens can assert their rights in order to transform existing states into rights-respecting political orders, which he metaphorically calls a human rights state. One’s status as a human being, rather than the territory one inhabits, should determine whether one bears at least a minimal set of rights. In his view, human rights are made and achieved, not discovered or given. They are best realized through persuasion from the local level on up by challenging, influencing, and modifying the resources of the state. This involves reimagining the rights-respecting state such that rights trump, and so limit, territorial sovereignty. The human rights state promotes justice by embodying locally sourced cosmopolitan rights, which are a socially constructed practice originating through voluntary participation. Yet, curiously, Gregg focuses on the rule of law rather than democracy as the major precondition for the possibility of human rights. He connects deep philosophical insight with the practical importance of advancing a more rights-respecting cosmopolitan order. As such, his book warrants on-going critical engagement to explore its central theoretical aspects, relevant interdisciplinary connections, and noteworthy empirical applications. I propose this roundtable, with the author, to provide a stimulating and worthwhile discussion among experts in the field.
Courts and their publics
Saturday
8:00am-9:20am
Judicial Politics
Chair
Amanda Bryan, Loyola University Chicago
Participants
The Supreme Court and Public Opinion: Who Maintains Public legitimacy
Giancarlo A Gonzalez, University of Tennessee
Constitutional Knowledge and Support: Reexamining Positivity Bias
Kevin Lorentz, University of Michigan-Flint
The Effects of Knowledge on Attitudes towards the US Supreme Court
Harlee Paige Havens, Western Kentucky University
Legal Reasoning and Public Support for the Supreme Court
Albert Rivero, Harvard University
Andrew Stone, Harvard University Department of Government
Public Views of Courts: The View From Africa
Shannon Ishiyama Smithey, Westminster College
Discussants
Miles T Armaly, University of Mississippi
Philip Chen, Beloit College

American Parties in States
Saturday
8:00am-9:20am
Political Parties
Chair
Doug Roscoe, UMass Dartmouth
Participants
Presidential Endorsements by State Legislators in the 2016 Presidential Nominations
Gregory Koger, University of Miami
Boris Shor, University of Houston
2018 Tennessee Senate Election
Joshua Stockley, University of Louisiana Monroe
Profiles in Party Switching: The Case of Southern Party Activists
Antoine Yoshinaka, University at Buffalo, SUNY
Seth C. McKee, Texas Tech University
Black-and-Tans and Lily-Whites: The Racial Composition of the Republican Party in the South after Reconstruction
Boris Heersink, Fordham University
Jeffery A. Jenkins, University of Southern California
Discussant
Doug Roscoe, UMass Dartmouth
Influences on Domestic and Transnational Terrorism

**Saturday**  
8:00am-9:20am

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**  
Andrea Malji, Hawaii Pacific University

**Participants**  
Migration and Terrorism: the effects of labor force waiting periods  
Patrick Larue, University Of Texas At Dallas

Propaganda and Deed: An Empirical Analysis of English language Digital Magazine Propaganda and the Effect on Transnational Terrorism  
Orlandrew E Danzell, Mercyhurst University  
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

State Support for Rebel Groups and Terrorist Incidents  
Michelle Keck, UTRGV

The Effects of G7 Alignment on Terrorism  
Lance Young Hunter, Augusta University  
Glen Biglaiser, University of North Texas

Tourism and Terrorism: Exclusion and Resistance in the Sinai Peninsula  
Rachel Sternfeld, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

**Discussant**  
Suveyda Karakaya, University of Tennessee at Little Rock

Geography, Conflict, and Cooperation

**Saturday**  
8:00am-9:20am

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**  
Emily Naasz, Richland College

**Participants**  
By Land or by Sea? Identifying Geographic Correlates of Hegemony  
Daniel Smith, University of Maryland  
Thomas Gray, University of Texas at Dallas

Can Territorial Salience explain why neighboring countries remain undemocratic?  
Karthikeyan Thiagarajan, University of Central Florida

Terrain and War Fighting Ability in Interstate War, 1816-2003  
Connor Joseph Sprayberry Sutton, Wayne State University  
Michael Joseph Battaglia, Michigan Tech Research Insitute

Water Resource Network and Interstate Cooperation  
Sojeong Lee, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Territorial Claim as an Insurgent Strategy  
Huseyin Tunc, University of Houston

**Discussant**  
Henry Pascoe, School of International Relations, IE University
Assessing Gender and Ideology

Saturday 8:00am-9:20am

Women and Politics

Chair
Amanda M Roberti, Ramapo College of New Jersey

Participants
Americans United for Life: A Pro-Life Force in a Post-Roe Nation?
Susan L Roberts, Davidson College
Surveying Neoliberal Feminism: A Study on the Behavior of Neoliberal Feminism
Camille Martin, Southwestern University
Women for Trump in 2016
Aime Hogue, Baylor University
David Bridge, Mentor

Women’s representation between identity and ideology. Assessing gender-based preferences in a comparative perspective
Pamela Pansardi, University of Pavia
Luca Pinto, Scuola Normale Superiore

Discussants
Amanda M Roberti, Ramapo College of New Jersey
Rosalyn Cooperman, University of Mary Washington

Louisiana Political Science Association Annual Meeting: Roundtable on Gulf Coast Hurricanes and Disaster Response

Saturday 8:00am-9:20am

Meetings

Chairs
Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University
Benjamin L Mabry, Louisiana College

Discussants
John Sutherlin, University of Louisiana Monroe
Fred Slocum, Minnesota State University Mankato
Terri B. Davis, Lamar University

This session would cover the LPSA annual business meeting as well as presentations of research by LPSA members on a tbd topic.
Legislative and Oversight Capacity

Saturday
8:00am-9:20am

Legislative Politics

Chair
Jesse Crosson, University of Michigan

Participants
Brain Drain? An Analysis of Congressional Committee Staffers’ Legislative and Oversight Capabilities
Hanna Brant, University of Missouri
Jennifer Selin, University of Missouri

Institutional Capacity in the First Congress
Anthony Lister Ives, Texas A&M University

Legislative Error in the States
Kathryn VanderMolen, University of Tampa
Jonathan Lewallen, University of Tampa

Passing the Baton: Assessing Legislative Continuity in Freshman House Members Through Congressional Staff Retention
Michael Heseltine, American University

What Makes Oversight Oversight? Information, Representation, and Influence on the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations
Jason MacDonald, West Virginia University

Discussants
Michelle Whyman, Duke University
Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler

Lactation Room Saturday

Saturday
8:00am-6:20pm

Meetings
### 4100

**Effects of local control**

**Urban Politics**  
*Saturday 8:00am-9:20am*

**Chair**  
Antonio P.D. Carriere, Southern University and A&M College

**Participants**  
Disaster and Tax Policy: The Impact of Hurricane Harvey on Residential Support for an Increase in Local Sales Tax  
David Branham, University of Houston-Downtown  
Locating Policies in European Cities: Towards an Embedded Approach  
Patricia Karina Hajek, University of Illinois at Chicago  
Registration, Property, and Citizenship in a Post-Soviet City  
Ajar Chekirova, University of San Francisco  
The relation between local financing and education outcomes: evidence from US school districts  
Carlos Xabel Lastra-Anadon, Harvard University  
Urban Education in the Mayor's Purview: Power, Politics, and Ulterior Motives  
Darry Powell-Young, The New School

**Discussant**  
Daniel Scheller, University of Texas at El Paso

### 4100

**Public Opinion and Muslims in American Politics**

**Religion and Politics**  
*Saturday 8:00am-9:20am*

**Chair**  
James Guth, Furman University

**Participants**  
New Social Movement Theory and Muslim Engagement in Interfaith Dialogue in the US after 9/11  
Seniha Ayse Orellana, Georgetown University  
From Ethnocentrism to Politics: Attitudes toward Muslims over Time  
Kerem Ozan Kalkan, Eastern Kentucky University  
Legislating Islamophobia: Measuring Support for Anti-Sharia Legislation  
Charles M Turner, University of Utah

**Discussant**  
Jason Michael Adkins, Montana State University Billings
4100

Executive Council Meeting II

Saturday
8:00am-11:00am

4100

Crises in Public Health

Saturday
8:00am-9:20am

Public Policy

Chair
Eric Button, University of Arkansas

Participants
Analysis of the opioid crisis in Georgia
   Shobana Jayaraman, Savannah State University
Gender and the Opioid Crisis
   William De Soto, Texas State University
Social Capital and Opioid Use in the American States
   Daniel P Hawes, Kent State University
   Austin McCrea, American University
Mental Health Evaluations of Newly Arrived Refugees and Asylum Seekers in the U.S.
   Ajali Jones, Prairie View A&M University
Consolidating and Decaying Universal Health Insurance System: An Experience of Japan in the 1960s
   Takakazu Yamagishi, Nanzan University

Discussant
   Daniel Sledge, UT-Arlington
### Considering the Context of Education in Public Administration

**Saturday 8:00am-9:20am**

**Public Administration**

**Participants**
- Government Intervention, Organization Turnaround, and Perceived Performance
  Megan Darnley, Indiana University
- Perspectives from the Front-line: Street-level Bureaucrats, Administrative Burden and Access to Oklahoma’s Promise
  Elizabeth Bell, The University of Oklahoma
  Kylie Smith, The University of Oklahoma
- Race, Immigration, School Discipline and Juvenile Justice: Examining Bureaucratic Decisionmaking
  Trey Marchbanks, Texas A&M University
- The Colorado College Opportunity Fund: Is This Any Way to Run a Natural Experiment?
  Robert Lowry, University of Texas at Dallas
- University Presidents and Performance: Testing the Theory of Publicness Fit
  Chad Thomas, The University of Texas at Dallas

**Discussants**
- Thomas Rabovsky, Indiana University
- Amanda Rutherford, Indiana University

### International Political Economy and the Environment

**Saturday 8:00am-9:20am**

**Environmental Politics**

**Chair**
- Steve B Lem, Kutztown University

**Participants**
- Environmental Sustainability and Regional Trade Agreements: A Global Concern & Policy Options
  PRIYA DAHIYA, RESEARCH SCHOLAR
- Identifying the Influential: Using the PD4SDG database as a proxy for regime formation
  Anne E Egelston, Tarleton State University
  Scott Cook, Tarleton State University
  Tu Nguyen, Tarleton State University
- Informal Governance in the European Carbon Market
  Emilia Barreto, University of Houston
- Sustainable Development Goals and Environmental Justice: Realization through Disaggregation?
  Joshua C. Gellers, University of North Florida
  Trevor J. Cheatham, University of North Florida
- The Evolution of Non-State Governance in the Chemical Industry
  James Heilman, University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Discussants**
- Steve B Lem, Kutztown University
- Julianne Grace Liebenguth, Colorado State University
CWC3: How Do Electoral Institutions Affect Behavior and Attitudes? New Voices in Electoral Administration

Saturday 8:00am-9:20am
Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Martha E Kropf, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Participants
Voter Confidence and the Winner Effect in American Elections: Winning is Almost Everything
   Lonna Atkeson, University of New Mexico
   Lisa A. Bryant, California State University, Fresno
   Paul Gronke, Reed College
Examining the Impact of Early Voting on Local Elections
   Gayle Alberda, Fairfield University
Privatized Democracy: How Election Services Vendors Influence the Voting Experience
   Nadine Suzanne Gibson, University of Texas at Austin
Administering Voter Confidence in Elections
   Cameron Wimpy, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
State Poll Worker Qualifications and Diversity
   Bridgett King, Auburn University

Discussant
Charles Stewart, MIT

Political Behavior and Electoral Administration
Conference Within A Conference

Saturday
8:00am-9:20am

Chair
Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University (SMU)

Participants
The Origins and Evolution of Social Surveillance in China
Martin K. Dimitrov, Tulane University

Election Timing in Autocracy
Masaaki Higashijima, University of Michigan
Yuki Yanai, Kochi University of Technology, Japan

Jaehwan Lim, Aoyama Gakuin University, Japan

Can Repression Increase an Authoritarian Regime's Public Support? Evidence from a Survey Experiment
Stan Hok-Wui Wong, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Discussant
Hiroki Takeuchi, Southern Methodist University (SMU)

Although most of the human being have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. This conference-within-the-conference tries to fill this hole in political science. Why have some authoritarian regimes been resilient (like China so far)? What makes authoritarian governments stay in power? How do institutions help the regime to sustain authoritarian rule, if at all? How do authoritarian regimes face the challenges from popular protests and democratization movements? Interestingly, many authoritarian regimes have faced social unrest, and they have been democratized in some cases while they have survived in other cases. What explanations would account for this variation? And do authoritarian states behave differently in international relations? 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 how rulers manage public opinion and popular participation to maintain the authoritarian regime, Panel 2 highlights the interactions between domestic politics and international relations in the authoritarian context, and Panel 3 explores the interactions between popular participation and foreign policy making in the context of China-U.S. relations.
CWC9: Regional arrangements in collaboration

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Kewei Xu, Florida State University

Participants
Regional Governance and Inclusive Powersharing: How Institutional Change Contributes to Equitable Development
Brian An, University of Southern California
Regional institutions and collaborative governance
Christopher Hawkins, University of Central Florida
Metropolitan Planning Organizations and City Transportation Planning
Jonathan Lubin, Florida State University
Local Government Participation in Collaborative Regional Planning: A Study of Municipal Involvement in the VibrantNEO 2040 Plan Development
Meghan Rubado, Cleveland State University

Discussant
Hongtao Yi, The Ohio State University

The papers in this panel consider a variety of different institutions and arrangements that impact the extent and impact of collaboration across metropolitan areas.

Threat, Incivility, Hostility, Partisanship and Polarization

Media and Politics

Chair
Shannon C McGregor, University of Utah

Participants
The Role of the Internet in Group Consciousness
Meyer Levy, University of Notre Dame
When Politics and Pictures Collide: The Role of Political Affiliation and the Probability of Providing Support
Michael Friedman, Brandon Strategic Public Relations
Chatting Across Party Lines: How the framing of policy discussions influences affective polarization on Facebook
Brian K Watson, Louisiana State University
Raymond J Pingree, Louisiana State University
Threat Mobilization Hypothesis in The Mass Public: The consequences of hostile conversations
Samuel York, Rice University
Super Mad at Everything All the Time: Modern Media & Our National Anger
Alison Dagnes, Shippensburg University
How Authoritarian and Nonauthoritarians Respond to Corrective Information
Amanda Wintersieck, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Discussants
Jay Jennings, University of Texas at Austin
Emily Van Duyn, The University of Texas at Austin
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**Chair**
Evan Haglund, US Coast Guard Academy

**Discussants**
George A. Krause, University of Georgia (Public Administration and Policy)
David Lewis, Vanderbilt University
William George Resh, University of Southern California
The politics of confirmation

Judicial Politics

Chair
Michael K Romano, Shenandoah University

Participants
Confirmation by Cloture: Lessons from Trump's Early Judicial Nominations
Jonathan King, Michigan State University
Ian Ostrander, Michigan State University

The 'New Normal' in Supreme Court Confirmation Voting: Hyper-Partisanship in the Trump Era
Scott Basinger, University of Houston

Discussing Supreme Court Nominations on the Senate Floor
Charles Gregory, Stephen F. Austin State University

Party Over Norms?: Public Support for Hardball Tactics in Supreme Court Appointments
Scott Boddery, Gettysburg College
Aaron Houck, Queens University of Charlotte
Andrew O'Geen, Davidson College

Discussants
Patrick C. Wohlfarth, University of Maryland, College Park
Brett Curry, Georgia Southern University

Values, Ideology, and Moral Foundations

Political Psychology

Chair
Joshua Robison, Aarhus University

Participants
Rethinking Measurement in Moral Foundations Theory
David Ciuk, Franklin & Marshall College

Issue Frames, Moral Foundations, and Political Polarization: The Case of Free Speech Debate
Kirill Zhirkov, University of Michigan

Individualism as a Dominant American Value
Christopher D Karpowitz, Brigham Young University
Kelly D Patterson, Brigham Young University

Does Negative Group Information Moderate Symbolic Ideology? An Experimental Test
Karyn Amira, College of Charleston

Liberal or Democrat? Conservative or Republican? Ranking political identities
Lucas de Abreu Maia, University of California, San Diego

Discussants
Joshua Robison, Aarhus University
Scott Clifford, University of Houston
Policymakers and Policy-making in Democratic Legislatures

Comparative Political Institutions

Participants
Explaining Legislative Activism: Legislative Reviews, Obstruction and Governing Coalitions in the Brazilian Congress
Taeko Hiroi, The University of Texas at El Paso
Policy Monitoring in Presidential Multiparty Systems
Thiago Nascimento da Silva, Texas A&M University
Bicameral Games: Analyzing the Choices of Revising Chambers
Eduardo Aleman, University of Houston
Patricio Navia, New York University
Nicolas Mimica, Universidad Diego Portales
Women Legislators’ Law Initiation Behavior and the Inclusion of Indigenous Populations’ Interests in the Mexican Congress
Michelle E. Munoz Cisneros, The University of Texas at El Paso
Progressive Ambition and Representation: The Case of Mexico
Oscar Castorena, Vanderbilt University

Authors meets Critics: Undoing Work, Rethinking Community, by James A. Chamberlain

Political Theory

Chair
Marek Steedman, University of Southern Mississippi

Discussants
Rachel Brown, Washington University, St. Louis
david frayne, NYU
Maria Rosales, Guilford College
Samuel Arnold, Texas Christian University

Author meets critics for my recently published book, Undoing Work, Rethinking Community: A Critique of the Social Function of Work (Cornell University Press, 2018). From the back of the book: “This revolutionary book presents a new conception of community and the struggle against capitalism. In Undoing Work, Rethinking Community, James A. Chamberlain argues that paid work and the civic duty to perform it substantially undermines freedom and justice. Chamberlain believes that to seize back our time and transform our society, we must abandon the deep-seated view that community is constructed by work, whether paid or not.”
Comparative Electoral Systems

Saturday
9:30am-10:50am

Comparative Politics: Electoral Systems

Chair
Joseph Wayne Robbins, Valdosta State University

Participants
Electoral Costs of Party Switching in Japan
Garrett Bredell, UC - San Diego
Open-list PR and Ethnic Minority Representation
Stephen Bloom, Southern Illinois University
Frank Thames, Texas Tech University
The Electoral Reform and The Nomination of Party-list Candidates in Taiwan
Yu-Ceng Liao, Political Science, University of Houston
Too Small to Win, Too Big to Fail
Geoff Allen, University of California Santa Barbara
Matthew Jenkins, University of California Santa Barbara

Discussant
Rachel E Finnell, University of Kansas

Institutions and outcomes

Saturday
9:30am-10:50am

Judicial Politics

Chair
Jennifer M. Jensen, Lehigh University

Participants
"The Effect of U.S. Supreme Court Justices' Constitutional Interpretation Styles on Fourth Amendment Cases"
Adam Rutkowski, University of Georgia
Power of the Pen or the Gavel? Determining Asylum Standards on the Courts of Appeals
Maureen Therese Stobb, Georgia Southern University
Regional Differences in Asylum Appeals Outcomes
Ivanka Bergova, Georgia State University

Discussants
Mark Richards, Grand Valley State University
Joseph V Ross, Florida Gulf Coast University
4200

Social Networks in Judicial and Economic Contexts

Saturday 9:30am-10:50am

Political Networks

Participants
Firm Connections and Incumbent Survival: The Case of Conflict Outbreak in Turkey
Emine Deniz, Özyeğin University
Friends of Morality: Amicus Curiae Networks in State and Federal Abortion and LGBTQ Cases
Rachel Marie Blum, Miami University of Ohio
Abigail Matthews, Miami University
Judges are not Vulcans: Using Social Network Analysis to Understand Judicial Behavior
Laura Siltanen Hosman, University of Denver
Sovereign Lending after Default
Jonas Bunte, University of Texas at Dallas
Brandon Kinne, University of California, Davis
Specialization or Generalization: the evolution of ties within US Supreme Court advocacy.
Sahar Abi-Hassan, Boston University

Discussants
Bethany Blackstone, University of North Texas
Shane A Gleason, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi

Theorizing War

Saturday 9:30am-10:50am

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
sussan siavoshi, Trinity university

Participants
Competitiveness as a Security Dispositif in the International System
ALTAN APAR, Graduate Student
IR, Ontology, and the Individual Level of Analysis
Ben Luongo, University of South Florida
Recovering Realism
Edwin Daniel Jacob, Arkansas State University
Cooperating for Status: The Effects of Status Inconsistency on Cooperative Behavior
Aaron Shreve, Randolph College

Discussant
Bryan-Paul Frost, UL-Lafayette
Ethnicity and State Building in Africa

Comparative Politics: Developing Areas

Chair
Jessica Gottlieb, Texas A&M University

Participants
Consociationalism and the Challenge of Trans-border Ethnic Kinship
Ibrahim Shliek, University of North Texas
John Ishiyama, University of North Texas

Contours of Community: Nation-Building Trajectories in Tanzania and Kenya
Mary Victoria Gorham, University of Florida

Federalism, Ethnicity and Violence: The Case of Nigeria
Rodrigo Salido, The University of Texas at Austin

State Development and Institutional Weakness: Regime Resilience in Africa
Michael E. Jones, Tulane University

When and Where “Who’s Asking” Matters: The Timing and Geography of Dissimulation
Eric McLaughlin, University of Redlands

Discussants
Jessica Gottlieb, Texas A&M University
Rafael Oganesyan, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Gender, Campaigns, and Candidate Evaluations

Women and Politics

Chair
Jennifer Wolak, University of Colorado

Participants
Ballot of the Sexes: The Effect of Gender and Electoral Level of Voter Candidate Evaluation
Steven Perry, Rice University
Carly Mayes, Rice University

Good Enough, Smart Enough, and the People like Her
Lindsey P Cormack, Stevens Institute of Technology
Kristyn Karl, Stevens Institute of Technology

Running as Women: Do Female Candidates Incorporate Gender into Campaign Strategy?
Jamie Stokes, The University of Texas at Austin

The Gendered Politics of Congressional Elections
Sarah Fulton, Texas A&M

Discussants
Jennifer Wolak, University of Colorado
Rebecca English Deen, the University of Texas at Arlington
Preparing, and Succeeding, in Regional Simulation Exercises: Model Organization of American States

Saturday
9:30am-10:50am

Teaching Political Science

Chair
Betsy Lynn Smith, St. Mary's University

Participants
The Academic Value of Immersive Simulations
Joshua Hyles, ESMOAS, Program Director and Staff Writer, Sage Publications

How do I even teach these skills? A Guide for First-Timers in Model Simulations
Betsy Lynn Smith, St. Mary's University

Logistical and Financial Challenges to Running a Model Simulation
Joshua Hyles, ESMOAS, Program Director and Staff Writer, Sage Publications

Using Inter-American Court of Human Rights Moot Court to Enhance the Undergraduate Teaching Experience.
Brent Alexander Burgess, Concordia University Texas

Incorporating Student Perceptions of Diplomatic Simulations Into Our Pedagogy
Betsy Lynn Smith, St. Mary's University
Ximena Mondragon, St. Mary's University

The use of simulations in classrooms has received relatively consistent attention over the years and research demonstrates the benefits of using simulations in the classroom (Weir and Baranowski 2011; Bernstein and Meizlish 2003). In particular, the use of Model United Nations has set the standard for activities that create scenarios designed to simulate an international organization and engage students in more hands-on, high-impact experiential learning (Muldoon, 1995; Obendorf and Randerson, 2013). However, there has been a proliferation of simulations reflecting regional intergovernmental organizations, such as Model Arab League, Model Organization of American States, and Model NATO. Despite this proliferation, literature describing how to develop, participate in, and succeed at many of these regional model simulations is lacking. This panel will cover a variety of topics related to the Model Organization of American States simulation, including a review of tips and techniques for first-time teachers, specifics on parliamentary procedures and how to use them effectively, how to prepare for the crisis scenario, and finally, how to prepare for the Mock Inter-American Court of Human Rights simulation, which presents unique challenges different than domestic moot court simulations. This panel hopes to increase the use of regional organization simulations and to help professors find ways to prepare and succeed in using simulations in the classroom.
Legislative Representation

Saturday
9:30am-10:50am

Legislative Politics

Chair
Casey Burgat, University of Maryland, College Park

Participants
Representation on Prohibition in the American North and South
   Michael Olson, Harvard University Department of Government
   James M Snyder, Harvard University
Social Media and Interactive Representation in Congress
   Colleen Shogan, Library of Congress
   Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service
   Matthew Glassman, Georgetown University
The Descriptive Representation of Wealth in Congress
   Andrew J Taylor, North Carolina State University
The Gender Pay Gap Among Congressional Staff
   Josh McCrain, Emory University
   Maxwell Palmer, Boston University
The Two Faces of Homestyle: An Investigation of Senator Travel and Staffing Behavior
   Jaclyn Kaslovsky, Harvard University

Discussants
   Ruoxi Li, California State University San Marcos
   Christian R. Grose, University of Southern California
Political support in new democracies

**Comparative Politics: Political Behavior**

**Chair**
Virginia Oliveros, Tulane University

**Participants**
The Impact of Political Socialization on Support for Democratic Principles
Allison Pingley, University of South Carolina Upstate
Patterns of Democracy Support: A Latent Class Analysis of Democracy Support Across East Asia
Jose Aleman, Fordham University
Howard Sanborn, Virginia Military Institute
Do Interviewer and Respondent Age Differences Affect Survey Response? Evidence from the South Caucasus
Aaron Erlich, McGill University
Andrew McCormack, McGill University
Old-age Pensions for Enhanced Public Support in Sub-Saharan Africa
Si-ae Kim, University of Iowa
Trust is a Must: The impact of political trust on protest behavior in Africa
Patience Kapfer, University at Buffalo (SUNY)
Ashlee Wilde, University at Buffalo (SUNY)

**Discussant**
Matthew Placek, University of South Carolina Upstate

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Local Coalitions in Elections and Policy Making

**Urban Politics**

**Chair**
Martha E Kropf, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

**Participants**
Coalitions, Agendas, and Funding in Public Transport. Exploring Urban Government Arrangements in Two Mexican Cities
Manlio Felipe Castillo, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)
Dirty Water and Rise of Urban Working class Religious Utopianism in Late-Nineteenth-Century Germany
Mark Denninghoff, University of Virginia
Keep Austin Affordable: Issue Prioritization and Reform in: Austin Local Government
Brooke Nicole Shannon, University of Texas at Austin
Slow Change in a Progressive City: Austin and Its City Council Elections
Ann Bowman, Texas A&M University
Stop Being Nice: Legislative Conflict and the Effectiveness of Local Councils
Scot Schraufnagel, Northern Illinois University

**Discussant**
Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College
4200 Religious Identities and American Politics

Saturday 9:30am-10:50am

Religion and Politics

Chair
Mirya Holman, Tulane University

Participants
Growing Grace: Religion and Politics Among Southern Millennials
Rebecca Glazier, University of Arkansas Little Rock
Brian Gregory, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Policies, Polarization, and Piety: The Effect of Religious Denomination in America
Stephanie L. DeMora, University of California, Riverside
Christina Gregory, University of California, Riverside
Christian Lindke, University of California, Riverside

“Reaching the Religious: New Perspectives on Recruiting and Representing the Faithful in Public Opinion Research”
Gabrielle Malina, Harvard University
Amy Lakeman, Harvard University

Discussant
Charles Abel, Stephen F. Austin State University

4200 Authority and Corruption in Public Policy

Saturday 9:30am-10:50am

Public Policy

Chair
Dércio Fernando Moraes Ferrari, UNESP (Universidade Estadual Paulista)

Participants
Beyond Red States and Blue Cities: How States and Cities Negotiate Authority
Erika M Rosebrook, Michigan State University

Chain of Command vs. Who’s in Command: Structure, Politics and Regulatory Outputs
Christopher Reenock, Florida State University
David Konisky, Indiana University--SPEA
Matthew Uttermark, Florida State University

Doing Business Below the Line: Screening, Mafias and European Funds
Gemma Dipoppa, University of Pennsylvania
Gianmarco Daniele, Bocconi University

From Oil Boom to Economic Doom: Reflecting on Institutionalised Corruption Under President Goodluck Jonathan’s Administration (2010 - 2015)
Samuel Olufeso, University of Ibadan, Nigeria
Damilola Asaye, Texas State University, San Marcos

Discussant
Ross Ardley Buchanan, University of Texas at Austin
Managing the Economy: Implementation and Outcomes

Saturday  
9:30am-10:50am

Public Management

Chair
James Harrington, University of Texas at Dallas

Participants
An Agent of Economic Growth: The Role Micro Finance Institutions in the Development of Sub-Saharan Africa
Ruth Endam Mbah, Southern University and A&M College
Yengong Nchanji Nche, Ministry of Public Works, Department of General Affairs, Sub Department of Human Resource, Cameroon

Creating a Seller’s Market: How Governments Privilege their Own Debt
Timm Betz, Texas A&M University
Amy Pond, Texas A&M University

Triggering Rural Business Transformation: Does improved financial access contribute to production efficiency?
Agustin Palao, The University of Texas at Dallas

An Analysis of the Factors Affecting the Implementation of Performance Management in Government Organizations: The Case of the Korean Central Government Agencies
Jung Wook Wook Lee, Yonsei University

Rising China: Challenges and Opportunities

Saturday  
9:30am-10:50am

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair
Xiaobo Lu, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
China’s Special Economic Zones as Decentralized Regulatory Authorities in International Trade
James H Ruhland, Texas Tech University

Diplomatic Recognition of Taiwan: A Mixed Method Approach
Timothy Rich, Western Kentucky University

Golden Migrants: The Rise and Impact of Illegal Chinese Small-Scale Mining in Ghana
Osman Antwi-Boateng, United Arab Emirates University

Regime similarities and Generational differences between Vietnam and China: Case study of Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in Southeast Asia.
Son Doan, University of Texas at Dallas

Discussant
Vincent Auger, Western Illinois University
Theory Posters

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Doing Gender Online: Critical Exploration of Technological Assemblages from a Cyberfeminist Perspective
Garrett Pierman, Florida International University
Dorothy Day's Vision for Catholic Politics
William Schulz, College - CyFair
Early Medieval Nationhood: Intersecting Communities in the Latin Bible
Anna Marisa Schoen, University of Houston
High-Stakes Political Judgment
Celestino Perez, U.S. Army War College
The Goldilocks Principle: Modern Conservative Thought and the Challenge of Post-Modern Political Order
Troy Vidal, Columbus State University
Who Are More Willing to Pay for Government: Profiles of Citizenships?
Heungsuk Choi, Korea University
The Journey of India Diaspora in South Africa: The Relevance of Gandhi's Contribution Through Styagraha
Prof. Tanuja Singh, Patliputra Univ
SHREYA ISHITA, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston

Environmental Beliefs and Attitudes

Environmental Politics

Chair
Johanna Dunaway, Texas A&M University

Participants
Communication and Climate Change Beliefs: Strategies to Combat Politicization and Partisan Motivated Reasoning
Toby Bolsen, Georgia State University
Risa Palm, Georgia State University
Justin Kingsland, Georgia State University
Community-Based Governance in the Presence of Human-Wildlife Conflict: Examining Attitudinal Drivers in Four Namibian Conservancies
Stefan Carpenter, Indiana University
Political Identity and Weather Forecasts: By-Product Learning and Climate Change Belief
Wesley Wehde, University of Oklahoma
Understanding Opposition and Support for Resource Extraction
Moises Arce, University of Missouri
Will I Pay, Do I Even Care? How Within Nation Income Inequality Impacts Citizen Perspectives toward the Environment
Lawrence Rothenberg, University of Rochester
Ioannis Vassiliadis, University of Rochester

Discussants
Johanna Dunaway, Texas A&M University
Katy Hansen, Duke
CWC3: Implementing Election Administration: From Registration to Expenditures

Saturday
9:30am-10:50am

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Mitchell Brown, Auburn University

Participants
Uncovering Implementation Problems in Voter Registration: The Case of Youth Preregistration in Florida
Thessalia Merivaki, Mississippi State University
Is EAVS a Reliable Guide to Voter List Maintenance?
Charles Stewart, MIT
A Local's Guide to the State of Election Administration
Paul Gronke, Reed College
Evan Crawford, University of San Diego
Evaluating the Recessionary Impact on Election Administration Budgeting and Spending
Zach Mohr, University of North Carolina, Charlotte
Ahmad Hill, University of North Carolina, Charlotte
JoEllen Pope, University of North Carolina, Charlotte
Mary Jo Shepherd, University of North Carolina, Charlotte
Evaluating the Capacity of the Federal Election Commission to Administer Federal Election Laws
Karen Denice Sebold, University of Arkansas

Discussant
Daniel A. Smith, University of Florida

Election Administration and Implementation
CWC 10 - Domestic Politics and International Relations in the Authoritarian Context (2): Does Authoritarian Politics Matter for International Relations?

Saturday  
9:30am-10:50am

Conference Within A Conference

Chair  
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

Participants

Wrecking Regimes, Empowering Dictators: The Impact of the ICC Arrest Warrant of President Bashir on Sudan's Foreign Policy  
Mohamed Omer Abdin, Gakushuin University, Japan

Where Is the Other Half of the Sky? The Power of Gender in the China Dream  
Carrie Liu Currier, Texas Christian University (TCU)

The Evolution from Authoritarian Dominant-Party System to Strongman Politics: The Case of Egypt  
Housam Darwisheh, IDE-JETRO, Japan

China's Vietnam War: A Domestic Politics Perspective  
Joshua Eisenman, University of Texas at Austin

Discussant  
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

Although most of the human being have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. This conference-within-the-conference tries to fill this hole in political science. Why have some authoritarian regimes been resilient (like China so far)? What makes authoritarian governments stay in power? How do institutions help the regime to sustain authoritarian rule, if at all? How do authoritarian regimes face the challenges from popular protests and democratization movements? Interestingly, many authoritarian regimes have faced social unrest, and they have been democratized in some cases while they have survived in other cases. What explanations would account for this variation? And do authoritarian states behave differently in international relations? 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 how rulers manage public opinion and popular participation to maintain the authoritarian regime. Panel 2 highlights the interactions between domestic politics and international relations in the authoritarian context, and Panel 3 explores the interactions between popular participation and foreign policy making in the context of China-U.S. relations.
CWC9: Structural considerations in collaboration

Conference Within A Conference

Saturday 9:30am-10:50am

Participants
Patterns in Special District Formation and Dissolution
Christopher Goodman, University of Nebraska Omaha
Conflict Carryover in Complex Governance Systems
Jack Mewhirter, University of Cincinnati
Kent Portney, Texas A&M University
Lead Agency Consolidation to Overcome Functional Collective Action Dilemmas: A Network Examination of Fort Collins Colorado's Sustainability Services Area
Morgan Danielle Farnworth, University of Kansas

Discussants
Aaron Deslatte, Florida State University
Cali Curley, INDIANA UNIVERSITY

This panel considers structural and institutional factors in metropolitan collaboration.

Oversight: Congressional Hearings and Agency Communications

Bureaucratic Politics

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

Chair
Kenneth Lowande, University of Michigan

Participants
Measuring Oversight in Congressional Hearings
Janna King Rezaee, USC Price School
The easy button: Congressional communications with the United States Special Operations Command
Zachary Griffiths, United States Military Academy
Legislating Coercion: Congress and the Foreign Policy of Sanctions
Nikolay Marinov, University of Houston
Presidential Administrations and Agency Communications
John E Brooks, Auburn University, Montgomery
Nicholas Howard, Auburn University - Montgomery

Discussants
Kenneth Lowande, University of Michigan
Jason MacDonald, West Virginia University
### Citizenship and Identity in American Political Development

**Saturday**  
11:00am-12:20pm

**Participants**  
From The Army of Israel to the Conqueror of Canaan: Religion, The Army, and American National Identity in the Early Republic
- Jonathan Keller, Manhattan College
- William Adler, Northeastern Illinois University
Memorialization and the Lost Cause: The Rise and Fall of Silent Sam
- Keith Gaddie, The University of Oklahoma
- Jocelyn Evans, University of West Florida
Reconstruction, Redemption, and American Political Development
- Justin Peck, Wesleyan University
Written in Blood: The Cherokee Freedmen and Developing Views of Citizenship
- Aaron Kushner, University of Missouri

**Discussant**  
Bartholomew Sparrow, University of Texas at Austin

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### LGBT Activism, Assimilation, and Citizenship

**Saturday**  
11:00am-12:20pm

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

**Chair**
- Matthew Dean Hindman, University of Tulsa

**Participants**  
Assimilation or Liberation: Examining the Legal Rhetoric in Select LGBT Rights Cases in the United States Supreme Court
- Edward Kammerer, Skidmore College
- Daryl Barker, NA
At What Cost Success: Revaluating the LGBT Movement.
- Anne Caldwell, University of Louisville
- Douglas Page, Gettysburg College
#LGBT?????: How the use of differing hashtags impact activism in the LGBTQIA community
- Megan Elizabeth Osterbur, New England College

**Discussant**  
Kimberly Martin, Georgia Southern University
**Democracy or Autocracy: Meaning and Measurement**

**Comparative Political Institutions**

**Chair**

Austin Mitchell, Texas A&M

**Participants**

How Do Democracies Backslide? A Cross-National Study of Trends
Geoffrey Macdonald, International Republican Institute
David Sands, International Republican Institute

What's in a Democracy: How Regime Components Impacts War Termination
Michael Gibbs, University of Texas at Austin

Ian Oliver Smith, St. Mary's University - San Antonio
Ryan Carlin, Georgia State University

**Discussant**

Jason Maloy, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

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**Michelle Clarke's Machiavelli's Florentine Republic: Author Meets Critics**

**Political Theory**

**Critics**

Daniel Kapust, UW Madison
Cary Nederman, Texas A and M Political Science
Alexander Duff, University of North Texas Political Science
Rebecca Flavin, Baylor University Department of Political Science

**Author**

Michelle Clarke, Dartmouth College

Professor Michelle Clarke's recently published "Machiavelli's Florentine Republic" (Cambridge University Press) is an important contribution to scholarship on Machiavelli and republicanism. Focusing on Machiavelli's "Florentine Histories," Professor Clarke argues provocatively that Machiavelli not only debunks the views of his humanist contemporaries and predecessors, but that he also shows that conventional morality is often a tool of ambitious rulers. Discussing Professor Clarke's book are three political theorists: Cary Nederman (Texas A and M), Alexander Duff (University of North Texas), and Rebecca Flavin (Baylor University).
Federalism in a Comparative Perspective

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Chair
Joseph Campbell, Rose State College

Participants
Defining the Dimensional Variation Among Federations
Ryan Lux, University of Texas at Dallas

The 18th Constitutional Amendment and Inclusive Federalism in Pakistan: Theory and practice
Muhammad Mushtaq, University of Gujrat, Pakistan

The impact of decentralization on the quality of government
Robin Donggyu Park, Yonsei University
M. Jae Moon, Yonsei University

Theorizing separation and integration within the purview of comparative federalism
Okyeon Yi, Seoul National University

Discussants
Mary Kroeger, University of Rochester
Youlang Zhang, Texas A&M University

Criminal Injustice

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

Judicial Politics

Chair
Drew Lanier, Univ. of Central Florida

Participants
Studies in Local Court Policy Making--The Impact of Criminal Probation
Shannon Ishiyama Smithey, Westminster College
Kristen Robison, Tennessee Higher Education Initiative

The Proliferation of Federal Criminal Law Reevaluated
Lauren Mattioli, Boston University

The Tragedy of Dependent Judiciary: Wrongful Convictions with Chinese Characteristics
Peiyuan Li, University of Colorado Boulder

Federal Sentencing Hearings: Differences and Disparities
Sinead Redmond, University of Michigan

Why Do States Privatize their Prisons? The Unintended Consequences of Inmate Litigation
Anna Gunderson, Emory University

Discussants
David Niven, U of Cincinnati
Michael P Fix, Georgia State University
4300

Lobbying & Coalitions Overtime

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

Interest Groups

Chair
Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College

Participants
Common Cause: Evolution and Revitalization of a Government Reform Lobby
Marcie Reynolds, Tarleton State University
Intergovernmental Lobbying in the United States: Assessing the Benefits of Accumulated Knowledge
Jennifer M. Jensen, Lehigh University
Risk, Uncertainty, and Interest Coalitions
Laila Sorurbakhsh, University of Houston-Downtown
Political Entrepreneurship in Inheriting a Wartime Legacy: Japanese Farmers’ Organizations after WWII
Hirofumi Kawaguchi, The University of Tokyo

Discussant
Clare Brock, Texas Woman's University

4300

Human Rights in a Context of War

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

International Politics: Conflict and Security

Chair
Alexa Royden, Queens University of Charlotte

Participants
Does Shaming Lead to the Adoption of Human Rights Institutions?
Ryan M Welch, University of Tampa
Romani Identity, Exclusion, Denial, and Resistance in Europe
Danielle K. Scherer, Temple University
Silencing the Critics: Explaining State Repression of Human Rights Groups
Suparna Chaudhry, Christopher Newport University
The exchange of punitive policies for political gain in El Salvador
Viveca Pavon-Harr, University of Arizona
“What a Tutsi Woman Tastes Like”: Sexual Dehumanization in the Rwandan Genocide
Carlyn Jorgensen, South Texas College

Discussant
Patrick Larue, University Of Texas At Dallas
### Economic Origins of Conflict and Violence

**Saturday**  
11:00am-12:20pm

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**  
Yeon Kyung Grace Park, Emory University

**Participants**

- **Civil Wars and Domestic Spending**  
  Christopher Cody Macaulay, West Texas A&M University  
  Melda Ozsut, University of North Texas

- **Economic Attrition, Asymmetric Dependence, and Conflict Duration: Biding Time versus Timely Retreat**  
  YULENG ZENG, University of South Carolina

- **Targeted Sanctions, Leader Survival, and Political Repression**  
  Henry Pascoe, School of International Relations, IE University

- **Trade Policy in the Shadow of Power**  
  Brendan Cooley, Princeton University

**Discussant**  
Tyson Chatagnier, University of Houston

### Gender in the Middle East and North Africa

**Saturday**  
11:00am-12:20pm

**Women and Politics**

**Chair**  
Roudabeh Kishi, University of Wisconsin - Madison

**Participants**

- **Kuwait and Her Regional Neighbors: Executive, Legislative and Societal Battles for Women's Rights**  
  Chana M. Solomon-Schwartz, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

- **Secularizing the Law of God? Family Law and Voting Behavior in Tunisia**  
  Salih Yasun, Indiana University

- **Measuring Gender Egalitarianism in the Middle East**  
  Katelyn E Stauffer, University of South Carolina  
  Monica C. Komer, University of Wisconsin

**Discussant**  
Roudabeh Kishi, University of Wisconsin - Madison
The year 2019 represents the 400th anniversary of the arrival of the 20 Africans into Jamestown, Virginia - the first permanent English settlement in what will eventually become the United States. Not coincidentally, in 1619 – the same year that Africans were introduced into the new colony – the first representative assembly in the English colonies (the House of Burgesses) was established. These two parallel events would place the lives of the descendants of the English settlers and the Africans on fundamentally different trajectories. The English and other “whites” would become heirs to a constitutional republic, a grand experiment in human freedom, endowed with the rights to “life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.” The Africans, on the other hand, were reduced to chattel slavery and treated as three-fifths of a person by the Constitution of the United States. Slavery is often thought of as America’s “original sin” which, as David Brion Davis in The Problem of Slavery in Western Culture (1966) argues, calls into question “the very meaning of America.” Similarly, the French nobleman Alexis de Tocqueville, upon visiting the United States in the 1830’s, writes in Democracy in America that slavery “represents the greatest threat” to the future of the United States than any other factor. A century later, Swedish sociologist Gunnar Myrdal coined the term “The American Dilemma” to describe the chasm between America’s ideals of liberty and justice for all and its actual treatment of African Americans. Despite the tumultuous changes that the nation has experienced since its founding – the American Revolution, westward expansion, the Civil War and Reconstruction, the World Wars, the emergence of the United States as a superpower, the modern civil rights movement, or the election of the nation’s first African American president – race has remained remarkably resilient as a defining feature of American politics. Instead of leading America to a “postracial nirvana,” Barack Obama’s election inspire a racist, reactionary political backlash which ultimately culminated in the election of Donald J. Trump as president of the United States. This panel will discuss the stubbornly resilient relevancy of race in American politics. While this discussion is couched in the history of race relations in America, the bulk of this dialogue will concentrate on the significance of the fact that the same America that elected Barack Obama in 2008 and 2012 elected Donald Trump in 2016. Not coincidentally, Donald Trump first emerged as a serious presidential possibility when he became the national spokesman for the “birther movement” which asserted, without evidence, that Barack Obama was not a citizen of the United States. The fact that this roundtable will take place in the aftermath of the 2018 midterm elections and as the 2020 presidential
Party Conventions, Primary Elections, and Campaign Finance Politics in the US

Saturday
11:00am-12:20pm

Political Parties

Chair
Brian Brox, Tulane University

Participants
Catching the Wave: Hill Committee Strategies in the Citizens United Era
Dante Scala, University of New Hampshire

Financial Stratarchy: Local Party Organizations and Federal Campaign Finance
Doug Roscoe, UMass Dartmouth
Shannon Jenkins, UMass Dartmouth

Ideology, Group Affinity and Electability: Assessing the Competing Preferences of Primary Election Voters
John Henderson, Yale University
Stephen Goggin, San Diego State
Logan Dancey, Wesleyan
Geoffrey Sheagley, University of Georgia
Alexander Theodoridis, UC-Merced

The Convention Bump Revisited
Kenneth Alan Wink, University of Texas at Tyler
Mark Owens, University of Texas at Tyler

Discussant
Brian Brox, Tulane University
Economic conditions, inequality, and the vote

**Comparative Politics: Political Behavior**

**Chair**
Beomseob Park, The College of New Jersey

**Participants**
Economic Risks within Households and Voting for the Radical Right
Tarik Abou-Chadi, University of Zurich
Thomas Kurer, Weatherhead Center, Harvard University

Fortunes of Extreme Political Parties and Household Savings in Advanced Democracies
Leon Kockaya, University of Arkansas Little Rock

Grab Them by the Pocket: How Economic Voting Trumps Values
Elad KLEIN, Aarhus University

Globalisation, crisis, and voting behaviour. The electoral impact of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund
Costin Marius Viorel Ciobanu, McGill University
Aengus Bridgman, McGill University

Transparency, Media Capture, and Inequality
Haeyong Lim, University of Houston

**Discussant**
Michael S. Lewis-Beck, University of Iowa

Voice of the people?: Who Prefers What in Local Politics

**Urban Politics**

**Chair**
Scot Schraufnagel, Northern Illinois University

**Participants**
Comparing Citizen’s Perception to Local Leaders’ Priorities for Sustainable Growth: Two Cases from Mexico
Edgar Eugenio Ramírez, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)

Gentrification and Local Democracy: Evaluating Responsiveness in the Context of New York City
Abraham Antonio Barranca, University of Texas at Austin

How Do New Social Media Platforms Impact Neighborhood Social Capital?
Suzanne Leland, UNC Charlotte
Martha E Kropf, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
Jacqueline Chattopadhyay, UNC Charlotte
Ryan Fertakos, UNC Charlotte

Legislating “Community Character” through Criminal Activity Nuisance Ordinances
J. Rosie Tighe, Cleveland State University

Money and turnout in mayoral elections
Colby Humphrey, University of Texas

**Discussant**
David Branham, University of Houston-Downtown
Religion and Political Elites in Congress and the States

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

Religion and Politics

Chair
Elizabeth Oldmixon, University of North Texas

Participants
Governors, Religion, and Candidate Quality
Diana Forster, American Institutes for Research
Mitchell Dylan Sellers, Colorado State University
Practicing What Is Preached: Churched and Unchurched Catholics in the U.S. Congress
Nicole Asmussen Mathew, Oakland University
Religious expression on the campaign does not mean religion in legislation.
Jonathan Doc Bradley, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Discussant
Elizabeth Oldmixon, University of North Texas

Healthcare Policy

Saturday 11:00am-12:20pm

Public Policy

Chair
Daniel Sledge, UT-Arlington

Participants
Attitudes Toward Obamacare Post Republican Attempts to Repeal and Replace
Judith L. Sylvester, Louisiana State University
Certificate of Need (CON) Laws and Their Impact on Healthcare Delivery
brent friedman, DPA student
The Cost of Monopolies in Healthcare
Jason Castillo, The University of Alabama
Richard Fording, The University of Alabama
Do plasma clinics crowd out voluntary blood donations, and is it a problem?
William English, Georgetown University McDonough School of Business
Peter Jaworski, Georgetown University McDonough School of Business
Veterans’ Healthcare Enrollment Preferences: Knowledge, Access, and Demographic Characteristics in Statistical Decision
Eric Button, University of Arkansas

Discussants
Alex Waddan, University of Leicester
Daniel P Hawes, Kent State University
**Presidential Leadership in Historical Perspective**

**Saturday**

*11:00am-12:20pm*

**Presidential/Executive Politics**

**Chair**

Richard Steven Conley, University of Florida

**Participants**

  - Markus Toivo Juhani Kantola, University of Turku
- Drugs, Alcohol and Lynching and the Expansion of the Law and Order President, 1890-1933
  - Joshua L Miller, Catholic University
- Presidential Nepotism in Historical Perspective
  - Beth Rosenson, University of Florida
- Presidents as Party Leaders: Shifting Institutional Norms to Drive Party Change
  - Sean Joseph Byrne, Indiana University
- Presidential Bereavement and Presidential Performance: Calvin Coolidge and Abraham Lincoln
  - Robert E. Gilbert, Northeastern University

**Discussants**

- Richard Steven Conley, University of Florida
- Kevin Evans, Florida International University

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**International Politics Posters - Conflict**

**Saturday**

*11:00am-12:20pm*

**Program Chair's Panels**

**Participants**

- Compounding Grievances: Why Self-Determination Movements Become More Violent
  - Daniel Gustafson, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- How is the word "effective" used in measuring the success of UN Peacekeeping missions?
  - Molly Stout, University of Memphis
  - David Lektzian, Texas Tech University
- #Radicalization: Effect of Social Media on Recruitment to Jihadist Groups
  - Kanika Varma, The University of Texas at Austin
- Terror and the War Paradigm Revisited
  - Seth Cantey, Washington and Lee University
- The Coup-Repression Tradeoff: Balancing Insider and Outsider Threats Against Dictatorship
  - Jack Paine, University of Rochester
- The Strategic Importance of Kenya in the Fight Against Terrorism in the Horn of Africa: Evaluating Counterterrorism Measures in Kenya
  - Conny Kazungu, UT Knoxville
- Troop contributing countries and civilian protection in UN Peacekeeping
  - Anup Phayal, University of North Carolina Wilmington
  - Brandon Prins, Baker Center, University of Tennessee
Identity and Activism in Environmental Politics

Saturday
11:00am-12:20pm

Environmental Politics

Chair
Neal Woods, University of South Carolina

Participants
Egalitarians Speak: Lone Voices of Dissent in the Congressional Hearings on Radical Animal Liberation and Environmental Activism
John Duerk, Lake Tahoe Community College
Environmental Protests and State Responses in Contemporary China: A Comparison of Four “Anti-PX” Incidents
Hsin-Hsien Wang, National Chengchi University, Taiwan (R.O.C.)
Wei-Feng Tzeng, University of North Texas
Islam, Science, and the Politics of Climate Change
Jennifer Epley Sanders, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi
Organizing Rural Communities: Rhetoric, Interests, and Environmental Activism
Celia Carroll Jones, Hampden-Sydney College

Discussants
Neal Woods, University of South Carolina
Antonio P.D. Carriere, Southern University and A&M College

CWC7 Natural Disasters, Provincial Wealth, and Judicial Reform as Factors in Political Attitudes in China

Saturday
11:00am-12:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Participants
Natural Disasters, Nationalism and Political Trust in China: Natural Experimental Evidence from the 2008 Wenchuan Earthquake
Yanjun Liu, Peking University
An Aggregate-Level Test of the Modernization Theory in China
Joseph Yingnan Zhou, University of Texas, El Paso
Courtroom Broadcasting in China and Its Effects on Trust in Judiciary
Dong Yu, University of Iowa

Discussants
John Wagner Givens, Kennesaw State University
Hans Jorgen Gaasemyr, University of Bergen, Norway
John James Kennedy, University of Kansas

Collectively, the papers of this panel address the roles of natural disasters, provincial wealth, and judicial reform as factors in political attitudes in China.
Although most of the human being have historically and geographically lived under authoritarian rule, majority of the studies in political science have focused on politics in democratic countries. This conference-within-the-conference tries to fill this hole in political science. Why have some authoritarian regimes been resilient (like China so far)? What makes authoritarian governments stay in power? How do institutions help the regime to sustain authoritarian rule, if at all? How do authoritarian regimes face the challenges from popular protests and democratization movements? Interestingly, many authoritarian regimes have faced social unrest, and they have been democratized in some cases while they have survived in other cases. What explanations would account for this variation? And do authoritarian states behave differently in international relations? 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 how rulers manage public opinion and popular participation to maintain the authoritarian regime. Panel 2 highlights the interactions between domestic politics and international relations in the authoritarian context, and Panel 3 explores the interactions between popular participation and foreign policy making in the context of China-U.S. relations.
CWC9: Sustainably financing local investments

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Tian Tang, Florida State University

Participants
Men Behaving Badly: Institutional Learning and Public Procurement Fraud
Christy Smith, University of New Haven
Social context, Institutional Capacity, and the Provision of Urban Parks: A Local Public Economies Framework
Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico
Are Public Private Partnerships in China Launched as an substitute for local debts in financing infrastructure?
Hai Guo, Florida International University
The Role of Fiscal Capacity in Water Crisis Response: Evidence from Texas Drought Restrictions
Robert Greer, Texas A&M University

Discussant
Antonio Tavares, Universidade do Minho

The papers in this panel explore various approaches and challenges to financing local infrastructure and investments in a sustainable and ethical manner.
### Media, Groups, and Identities

#### Media and Politics

**Chair**
Kathleen Donovan, St. John Fisher College

**Participants**

- Qualified to Lead? Differences in News Coverage of Female and Male Candidate Qualifications
  - Nichole Bauer, LSU
  - Tatum Taylor, Louisiana State University
- Correcting misperceptions of political bias: Does thematic coverage of gender bias reduce perceptions of sexism in politics?
  - Newly Paul, University of North Texas
- DACA and Dreamers: Media Representation versus Life Experiences
  - Renee G Scherlen, Appalachian State University
  - Antonio Cisneros Tirado, Benemerita Universidad Autonoma de Puebla
  - Melva Navarro Sequeira, Benemerita Universidad Autonoma de Puebla
- Framing, Identity, and Responsibility: Do Episodic vs. Thematic Framing Effects Vary by Target Population?
  - Amber E Boydstun, UC Davis
  - Jessica Feezell, University New Mexico
  - Rebecca Glazier, University of Arkansas Little Rock
- The Impact of Skin Tone on Empathetic Responses to Refugee Related News
  - Johanna Dunaway, Texas A&M University
  - Kevin (Vin) Arceneaux, Temple University
  - Bert Bakker, University of Amsterdam
  - Madelyn Phillips, Texas A&M University

**Discussant**
Allison Archer, University of Richmond

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### Class, Inequality, and Public Opinion

#### Class and Inequality

**Participants**

- COLOR BLIND?: The Institutionalization of Race and the road to Racial Consciousness in Brazil
  - Patricia C Cheney, Flagler College Student
- How Americans Talk and Think about Economic Inequality
  - Emily Wager, UNC Chapel Hill
- Income, Education, Homeownership...or Race? Evidence of a Racialized Middle Class Identity
  - Kaylee Johnson, University of Massachusetts Amherst
- Inequality and U.S. public opinion on foreign aid
  - Hakseon Lee, James Madison University
- Opinions on Economic Inequality and the Effects on Political Participation
  - Marissa Katherine Bosley, Louisiana State University
  - Christopher Kenny, Professor
Authors Meet Critics: "Legacies of Losing in American Politics"

Saturday
12:30pm-1:50pm

American Political Development

Critics
David Crockett, Trinity University
Terri B. Davis, Lamar University
Curt Nichols, Baylor University

Authors
Jeffrey K. Tulis, University of Texas at Austin
Nicole Mellow, Williams College

Described by renowned APD scholar and current APSA President, Rogers Smith, as “a riveting argument that may well prove seminal,” Legacies of Losing in American Politics (University of Chicago Press, 2018) is a provocative account of how three significant political losers in American history transformed themselves into long-term victors. Jeffrey Tulis and Nicole Mellow re-cast the massive defeats at the three most pivotal moments in American political history: the founding, when Anti-Federalists failed to stop the ratification of the Constitution; the aftermath of the Civil War, when President Andrew Johnson’s plan for restoring the South to the Union was defeated; and the 1964 presidential campaign, when Barry Goldwater’s challenge to the New Deal order was soundly defeated by Lyndon B. Johnson. In each of these cases, the very mechanisms that caused the initial failures facilitated the losers’ eventual successes, and the seemingly discredited ideas and programs disrupted political convention by prevailing, often subverting, and occasionally enhancing constitutional fidelity. In this author meets critic session, Tulis, Mellow, and a distinguished set of critics will discuss the book and its implications for the study of American political development, American political thought, and political science more generally. These implications include: problematizing the meaning of political success; offering a new conception of political agency; providing a new interpretation of Federalist and Anti-Federalist political thought; revising the idea of constitutional moments; elaborating the multiple traditions thesis; and providing a new account of the mechanisms that sustain illiberal ideas and practices. In addition to the authors (Tulis and Mellow), the panel will include the following critics: Chair: Thomas Bell, University of Texas at Austin Panelists: David Crockett, Trinity University; Terri Davis, Lamar University; Curt Nichols, Baylor University
Partisan Identities and Social Identities

Political Psychology

Chair
Samara Klar, University of Arizona

Participants
Blue is Black and Red is White? Racialized Images of U.S. Partisan Coalitions and Their Consequences
Nicholas Valentino, University of Michigan
Kirill Zhirkov, University of Michigan

The Intersection of Racial and Partisan Discrimination: Evidence from a Correspondence Study of Four Year Colleges
James N. Druckman, Northwestern University
Richard M. Shafranek, Northwestern University

Political Considerations in Nonpolitical Decisions: A Conjoint Analysis of Roommate Choice
Richard M. Shafranek, Northwestern University

Identity Convergence and Political Intolerance
Mark Peffley, University of Kentucky
Marc Hutchison, University of Rhode Island
Michal Shamir, Tel Aviv University, Israel

Political Identity Development in a Changing World
Bobbi Gentry, Bridgewater College

Discussants
Samara Klar, University of Arizona
Christopher D Karpowitz, Brigham Young University
### Political Parties and Representation

**Saturday**  
12:30pm-1:50pm

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Imantas Bernotas, University of Houston  
Corporate Tax Rates and Regional Electoral Competition: Fiscal Decentralization in Russia  
Curtis bram, Duke University  
Communist Parties in Post-Communist Eurasia: From Viable Contender to Remnants of the Past  
JUNSEOK LEE, University of Florida  
The Effective Number of Parties and Policy Scope  
Michelle Christine Phillips, Texas A&M University | Virginia Oliveros, Tulane University |

### Democratic Theory

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Mario Feit, Georgia State University  
Democracy and the Problem of General Policymaking Authority.  
Scott Harris, USC Upstate  
José Ortega y Gasset and the Poverty of Democratic Elitism  
Alec Francis Dinnin, University of Florida | Scott Harris, USC Upstate |
### Competitiveness and Accountability

**Saturday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Comparative Politics: Electoral Systems**

**Chair**

Yu-Ceng Liao, Political Science, University of Houston

**Participants**

- Are Competitive Elections Better for Democracy?
  - Laura Sudulich, University of Kent
  - Karp Jeffrey, Brunel University

- The Battle over Gerrymandered Districts: How Americans Balance Fairness & Partisanship
  - Abigail Heller, Emory University

- The Role of Elections on Repression Levels in Competitive Authoritarian Regimes
  - Rachel E Finnell, University of Kansas

- Measuring the Competitiveness of Elections
  - Gary W. Cox, Stanford University
  - Jon H. Fiva, Norwegian Business School
  - Daniel M. Smith, Harvard University

**Discussant**

Royce A Carroll, University of Essex

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### Experiments and Judicial Legitimacy

**Saturday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Judicial Politics**

**Chair**

Sara C Benesh, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

**Participants**

- The Effects of Supreme Court Rhetoric on Judicial Legitimacy
  - Logan Strother, Purdue University
  - Colin Glennon, East Tennessee State University

- What Threatens Judicial Legitimacy: Campaigns, on Partisanship?
  - Arvind Ram Krishnamurthy, Duke University

- Getting What You Don’t Want: How Expectation Violations Affect Judicial Evaluations
  - Shane Redman, University of Pittsburgh

- Strategic Retirement and Public Support of the Supreme Court
  - Benjamin Beutel, Texas A&M
  - Joe Ura, Texas A&M
  - Maxwell Allamong, Texas A&M
  - Daniel Fink, Texas A&M

- The Effect of Strategic versus Principled Dissent on Support for Court Decisions
  - Miles T Armaly, University of Mississippi

**Discussants**

- Brandon L. Bartels, George Washington University
- Logan Strother, Purdue University
**Lobbying Strategy**

**Saturday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Interest Groups**

**Chair**

Jacob R Straus, Congressional Research Service

**Participants**

Does Direct Lobbying Work? A Theory and Experiment
Christian R. Grose, University of Southern California
Pamela Lopez, K Street Consulting
Sara Sadhwani, University of Southern California
Antoine Yoshinaka, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Why Do Interest Groups Outsource Lobbying? Convenience, Compliance, and Connections
James Manning Strickland, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Getting Caught and Saving Face: Disclosure of Controversial Covert Corporate Political Activity
Timothy Werner, University of Texas at Austin

Talking Business on a Party Line: Corporate Earnings Calls and Political Engagement
Michael Kowal, Stevens Institute of Technology
James Ben-Aaron, University of Massachusetts

**Discussant**

Brian Roberts, University of Texas at Austin

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**Repression and Rebellion: Governments, Militaries and Militants**

**Saturday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**International Politics: Conflict and Security**

**Chair**

Rachel Sternfeld, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

**Participants**

An Economic Theory of Civilian Abuse
Andrea Morris, University of Rochester

Context or Strategy: Making Sense of Insurgent Success and Failure
Joel Blaxland, Western New Mexico University

Government Responses to Militant Group Competition
Justin Conrad, UNC Charlotte
Kevin Greene, University of Pittsburgh
Brian Phillips, CID

Rebel Institutionalization and the Timing of Political Violence: Evidence from Ramadan
Xin Nong, University of Texas at Austin
Chun-Ying Wu, University of Texas at Austin

Signaling Moderation: Women Insurgents and Foreign Sponsorship in Rebel Groups
Caglayan Baser, Loyola University Chicago

The adoption of Special Forces tactics and strategies in Abyssinia in 1941
John Michael Meyer, University of Texas at Austin

**Discussant**

Justin Conrad, UNC Charlotte
4400

The 2018 Congressional Midterms

Saturday 12:30pm-1:50pm

Electoral Politics

Chair
Rachel Bitecofer, Christopher Newport University

Participants
The 2018 Midterm Election: Results and Implications for 2020
Alan Abramowitz, Emory University
House and Senate Forecasts: Structure-X Models for 2018
Charles Tien, Hunter College
Predicting the Blue Wave: Negative Partisanship in the 2018 Midterms
Rachel Bitecofer, Christopher Newport University
Assessing the 2018 Elections
G. Elliott Morris, The Economist

A roundtable to discuss the results of the 2018 congressional midterm and look ahead to the 2020 presidential elections.

4400

Rethinking Women and Representation

Saturday 12:30pm-1:50pm

Women and Politics

Chair
Andrea Kathryn Eckelman, University of Montevallo

Participants
Benefiting the Many: An Analysis of the Collective Benefits of Female Legislators
Jaclyn Kaslovsky, Harvard University
Representation of Gender Equality vs. Representation of Women: Reclaiming Pitkin’s Second Way
Mette Marie Harder, Texas Tech
All Work and No Play Makes Jane...Run for Office: Female Work Culture and Political Representation
Kelly Rolfes-Haase, Georgetown University
Female nominees and party performance
Ulkar Imamverdiyeva, University of Houston

Discussants
Andrea Kathryn Eckelman, University of Montevallo
Amy Alexander, University of Gothenburg
The Politics of Inward and Outward Investment Promotion

Saturday
12:30pm-1:50pm

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair
Michael Oden, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Investment Incentives and Local Entrepreneurship
Sarah Bauerle Danzman, Indiana University
The Transparency of Economic Development
Nathan Jensen, University of Texas at Austin
21st Century Million Dollar Facilities
Carlianne Patrick, Georgia State University
Shawn Rohlin, Kent State University
Greenfield Gold: FDI and Economic Incentives
Clint Peinhardt, University of Texas at Dallas
Paul Cavallo, University of Texas at Dallas
Rising Multinationals: State Policies and Firm Internationalization in Developing Countries
Aparna Ravi, George Washington University

Discussants
Amy Pond, Texas A&M University
Kishore Gawande, University of Texas at Austin

This panel examines the use of government policy for the promotion of inward and outward FDI. Participants include professors in the fields of economics, international studies, political science, public policy, and urban planning.

Campaigning and Governing

Saturday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Legislative Politics

Chair
Zachary A McGee, The University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Avoiding Disaster? Military Base Closures and the Electoral Connection
Colin Daniel Emrich, George Washington University
Do Campaign Contributions Buy Favorable Policies? Evidence from the Insurance Industry
Alexander Fourniaies, University of Chicago
Anthony Fowler, University of Chicago
Is There a Trade-off Between Campaigning and Legislating in Congress?
Ruoxi Li, California State University San Marcos
Andrew Loveridge, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Senate Campaigns and Legislative Promise Keeping on Women’s Issues and LGBTQ Issues
Jackie Northrup, Northeastern University/ The University of Alabama
Tough Choices in Congress: Communicating as a Policy Wonk or Constituent Servant
Annelise Russell, University of Kentucky

Discussants
Scott Basinger, University of Houston
Patricia A Kirkland, Princeton University
### Causes and consequences of corruption and political scandals

**Saturday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Comparative Politics: Political Behavior**

**Chair**

Alexandra Jabbour, University of Montreal

**Participants**

- Do Political Attitudes Affect Who Participates in Everyday Corruption? Survey Evidence from China and Russia
  - William M. Reisinger, University of Iowa
- Context Matters: How Corrupt Environments Create Corrupt Individuals
  - Leonardo Antenangeli, University of Houston
- Vote buying, Corruption, and Partisan Motivated Reasoning. Experimental Evidence from Mexico
  - Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, University of Virginia
- Do Scandals Matter? A Conjoint Experiment in the U.K.
  - Tzu-Ping Liu, University of California Davis

**Discussant**

Ruth Dassonneville, Université de Montréal

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### Geopolitics: The Role of Boundaries in Local Politics and Policy Making

**Saturday**

12:30pm-1:50pm

**Urban Politics**

**Chair**

Mark Denninghoff, University of Virginia

**Participants**

- Center Cities and their Capacity to Manage Fiscal Stress Through the 2007 Economic Crisis
  - Timothy Daniel Mulligan, Wayne State University
  - Joe Manzella, Quicken Loans
- Localized State Failure: Racial Displacement, Hyper-Segregation & Violence in Chicago Neighborhoods
  - Rebecca Urokov Thorpe, University of Washington
- Multidimensional Models of City Land Area and Boundary Change
  - Allen Brierly, INDEPENDENT SCHOLAR
- Residence – Governance - Disaster: Choice Among Communities in Metropolitan Houston
  - James P. Nelson, Lamar University
  - Brian Don Williams, Lamar University
  - Daniel Scheller, University of Texas at El Paso
- Risks, Vulnerabilities, and Mitigation of Severe Storm Flooding: Lessons from Houston & Hurricane Harvey
  - Steven Perry, Rice University
  - Arjoon Srikanth, Rice University
  - Katherine Simmers, Rice University

**Discussant**

Ann Bowman, Texas A&M University
Understanding Health, Well-being, and Social Welfare

**Saturday**
12:30pm-1:50pm

**Public Policy**

**Chair**
Gloria Christina Cox, University of North Texas

**Participants**
Health in All Politics? Evidence from a Survey Experiment of Policy Elites
Jake Haselswerdt, University of Missouri
Elizabeth Rigby, George Washington University

Immigration, Welfare Exclusion, and State-Level Inequality in TANF Participation
Ping Xu, University of Rhode Island
Ling Zhu, University of Houston

Improving adolescent well-being: A study to assess the long-term impacts of youth mentoring.
Liliokanaio Peaslee, James Madison University
Amanda C Teye, James Madison University

How Adult Criminalization of Children Creates Secondary Deviance
Tamarra L Smith, Prairie View A&M University

An examination of cost effective procedures for multi-modal survey research
Kristina Walther, Texas A&M University
Trey Marchbanks, Texas A&M University
Alicia Novoa, Texas A&M University

**Discussants**
Chris Faricy, Syracuse University
Austin McCrea, American University

Organizational Performance: Establishing Goals and Assessing Outcomes

**Saturday**
12:30pm-1:50pm

**Public Management**

**Participants**
Toward a Theory of Goal Ambiguity: An Analysis of Goal Ambiguity in the Korean Central Government Agencies
Jung Wook Wook Lee, Yonsei University

The Impact of the Difference of the Military Service Systems on Organizational Performance: An Examination of the Voluntary and Conscription Military Service System in the Republic of Korea Army
Yongjun Park, University of Texas at Dallas
James Harrington, University of Texas at Dallas

Politicization of City Managers and Municipal Performance: Testing the Moderating Role of Political Turnover and Competition for Promotion
Tianfeng Li, Florida State University

Religious Exemptions in American Foster Care and Adoption: What’s the Effect on Youth Well-being?
Brandon Ranello-Benavidez, Doctoral candidate
Violence and conflict in Latin America

Latin American and Caribbean Politics

Saturday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Participants
Criminality as a Social Process: Evidence from Colombian Ex-combatants
Mateo Vasquez Cortes, NYU
Geographic Variation in Violence: Drug Trafficking Organizations, Rivalry and Homicides in Mexico
Alanna Fulk, University of Central Florida
The Second Insurgency: Explaining the Rise of Late-Entering Insurgent Groups in El Salvador and Guatemala
vasabjit banerjee, Mississippi State University
Turn out the Lights, the Party is Over: Political Retreat in Lawless Environments
Diego Esparza, University of North Texas
John Ishiyama, University of North Texas
Lee D. Walker, University of North Texas
Metal Mining Regulation, Elite Power, and Social Movements in Central America
Nathan Edenhofer, Northern Arizona University

New Research in Environmental Politics: Domestic Politics & Security

Saturday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Environmental Politics

Chair
Steven Davis, Edgewood College

Participants
Conceptions of Security in Global Environmental Discourses: Exploring the Water-Energy-Food Security Nexus
Julianne Grace Liebenguth, Colorado State University
International Agreements, Party Positions, and Environmental Policy in Advanced Democracies
Brandon C Zicha, Leiden University, The Hague
Julia van Aart, Leiden University, The Hague
Steve B Lem, Kutztown University
The Damming of the Presidency: How environmental factors impact a political campaign
Frederick David Gordon, Columbus State University
The Impact of Deregulation on Reelfoot Lake National Wildlife Refuge
Dalis Lampkins, University of Tennessee at Martin
Anderson Starling, University of Tennessee at Martin
Patrick Baker, University of Tennessee at Martin
This Means War: Can Environmental Change and Food Production Have an Effect on Conflict in Africa?
James Ferrell Holland, Winthrop University

Discussants
Steven Davis, Edgewood College
Manny Teodoro, Texas A&M University
CWC7 Environmental Law and Environmental Consciousness in China (followed by CWC7 Business Meeting)

Conference Within A Conference

Saturday
12:30pm-1:50pm

Chair
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Participant
Using Legal Advice Websites to Address Environmental Consciousness in China
John Wagner Givens, Kennesaw State University
Coraline Goron, University of Oxford
Andrew MacDonald, Duke Kunshan University

Discussants
Sarah Eaton, University of Gottingen
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas
Xinsheng Liu, Texas A&M University
Yanjun Liu, Peking University
Joseph Yingnan Zhou, University of Texas, El Paso
Dong Yu, University of Iowa
Haruka Nagao, University of Kansas
Xian Huang, Rutgers University
Erik H. Wang, Princeton University
John Wagner Givens, Kennesaw State University
Hans Jorgen Gaasemyr, University of Bergen, Norway
John James Kennedy, University of Kansas
Jay Chieh Kao, University of Texas
Yaoyao Dai, PSU
Armin Mueller, Jacobs University Bremen
Coraline Goron, University of Oxford
Andrew MacDonald, Duke Kunshan University

The first part of this panel focuses on environmental law and environmental consciousness in China. The rest of the panel time will be devoted to discussion of "where to go from here" with the papers presented in the CWC on China.
CWC6: Gender and 2016 Election

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Mirya Holman, Tulane University

Participants
CWC6 Gender, Voice and Hillary Clinton: The Effect of Candidate Voices
Travis Ridout, Washington State
Kathleen Searles, LSU
Patricia Strach, Albany
Erika Franklin Fowler, Wesleyan
Kathleen Zuber, SUNY Rockefeller Institute of Government

CWC6 Evangelical Women Voters and the Access Hollywood Tapes
Erin Cassese, University of Delaware

CWC6 Gender attitudes and voter turnout in the 2016 election
Mirya Holman, Tulane University

Gender, Media Bias, and the 2016 General Presidential Election
Erin Heidt-Forsythe, The Pennsylvania State University
Mark Major, The Pennsylvania State University

This panel of the Gender and Political Psychology Conference-within-a-conference focuses the role of gender and political psychology in the 2016 election.
Saturday 12:30pm-1:50pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Angela Y.S. Park, University of Kansas

Participants

The Role of Policy and Politics in Shaping Residential and Utility Solar Energy Penetration
  Kewei Xu, Florida State University

Pay to protect: Examining the factors of the use of market-based mechanisms for local water sustainability
  Daniel Bailey, Presbyterian College
  Sung-Wook Kwon, Texas Tech University
  Nathaniel Wright, Texas Tech University

The Influence of City-Utility Collaboration on Local Level Energy-Related Policy Adoption
  Cali Curley, INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Inter-municipal cooperation in Bulgaria: Applying an Institutional Collective Action (ICA) Framework to investigate inter-municipal governance
  Lachezar Anguelov, Evergreen State College
  Haris Alibašić, University of West Florida

Discussant
Aaron Deslatte, Florida State University

Four papers consider different dimensions of the adoption of governance strategies and consumer behaviors that advance sustainability.
Roundtable Book Discussion: Renew Orleans? Globalized Development and Working Class Resistance

Saturday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Class and Inequality

Roundtable Book Discussion: Renew Orleans? Globalized Development and Working Class Resistance (University of Minnesota Press, 2018). Hurricane Katrina hit the Gulf Coast a little more than one decade ago, with devastating impacts especially on the city of New Orleans. In what ways has the political economy of New Orleans shifted since the hurricane, and what do these shifts tell us about broader questions of development, politics, class and race in urban America? The recently published book, Renew Orleans? Globalized Development and Working Class Resistance, tackles these questions and analyzes the making of race and class in contemporary political struggles between elites committed to a globalized and exclusionary model of development and alternatives led by working class and popular forces.

Drawing on original data collection, surveys, and interviews, Renew Orleans? explores the rise of a globally-oriented faction of local capital through the fragmented institutional architecture of local governance. These newly dominant elite factions used their power to impose a dual model of development, deregulating and re-regulating sectors in ways that enhance their control while ignoring greater linkages to the majority population of poor people of color. The book explores in specific details the segmentation of production in construction and tourism and services, in which people are allocated to good and bad jobs according to ascriptive characteristics of race, gender, and citizenship status. Such segmentation accelerates accumulation both in the workplace and in the community, and greatly complicates efforts to build working class power. Yet, episodes of resistance are frequent, occurring at the margins and the interstices of dominated sectors, and in historically-organized sectors such as manufacturing. The book identifies episodes of working class power, especially in the joined-up struggles that bridge resistance in the workplace to resistance in communities, joining struggles of production to struggles over social reproduction. But the book is realistic in noting the absence of any coherent political vehicle by which working classes might scale-up their resistance into the state and confront an increasingly-dominant globalized faction of the bourgeoisie. In the shadow of this recently published book and ongoing struggles in New Orleans and beyond, the proposed panel will address challenges facing cities with respect to development, politics, race, and class. Critics will reflect on Renew Orleans? and will provide their own comment on ongoing urban struggles, including those that extend struggles over production, social reproduction, class and race into political questions of power, political elites, and urban governance. Participants: Aaron Schneider, author of Renew Orleans? (University of Denver) Adolph Reed, Jr., author of Stirrings in the Jug: Black Politics in the Post-Segregation Era (University of Pennsylvania) Cedric Johnson, author of Revolutionaries to Race Leaders: Black Power and the Making of African American Politics (University of Illinois at Chicago) John (Jay) Arena, author of Driven from New Orleans: How Nonprofits Betray Public Housing and Promote Privatization (City University of New York – Staten Island)
Understanding diversity

Saturday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Judicial Politics

Chair
Susan B Haire, University of Georgia

Participants
Courting Political Minorities: Trailblazers in Judicial Diversity
   Drew Lanier, Univ. of Central Florida
   Mark Hurwitz, Western Michigan Univ.
Judicial Representation in Alabama
   David Hughes, Auburn University at Montgomery
Truth, Lies and Politics: Social Background and the Assessment of Evidence in Asylum Claims
   Maureen Therese Stobb, Georgia Southern University
Selecting Latino Judges: Trading Diversity at the Expense of Ideology
   Scott J Hofer, University of Houston
   Susan Achury, University of Houston

Discussant
Robert Christenson, BYU

Social Influence, Rhetoric, and Persuasion

Saturday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Political Psychology

Chair
Sharon Jarvis, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Morally Convicted Attitudes and Partisanship: Does Political Party Matter?
   Nicholas Philip Nicoletti, Missouri Southern State University
   William K Delehanty, Missouri Southern State University
Inviting A Backlash: Testing the Effect of Boomerang Messages on Efficacy, Interest, and Trust
   Katherine Haenschen, Virginia Tech University
   Bethany Albertson, University of Texas at Austin
   Sharon Jarvis, University of Texas at Austin
Partisanship and the Local Information Environment as Moderators of Negativity Bias
   Casey Ste Claire, University of California, Berkeley
Why Follow the Leader? Attitude Formation Processes and Implications for Attitude Strength
   Elizabeth Mitchell, University of California, Berkeley
   Casey Ste Claire, University of California, Berkeley
Updating with Others: Testing the Effect of Informational Social Influence on Political Attitudes
   Aaron Houck, Queens University of Charlotte
   Aaron S. King, University of North Carolina Wilmington
   James Benjamin Taylor, Kennesaw State University

Discussants
Sharon Jarvis, University of Texas at Austin
Yanna Krupnikov, Stony Brook University
How political institutions affect policy outcomes in democratic systems

Comparative Political Institutions

Participants
The Provision of Public Goods in Advanced Democracies
   Chris Schwarz, New York University
The Effectiveness of Pre-Trial Bargaining in Litigation over Policy Implementation
   Sivaram Cheruvu, Emory University
   Joshua Camden Fjelstul, Emory University
Kompromat
   Ryan Hubert, University of California, Davis
   Andrew Little, UC Berkeley
Popular vs. Elite Democracies and Ecological Degradation
   Jason Maloy, University of Louisiana, Lafayette

Does the American Social Contract Have a Future?

Political Theory

Chair
   Gladden Pappin, University of Dallas

Discussants
   Robert C. Koons, University of Texas, Austin
   Julius Krein, American Affairs
   Michael Lind, University of Texas, Austin

Since the advent of industrialization, the promise of the American way of life has included technological modernization, widely shared economic prosperity, and the sense (though challenged by many factors) of national and social integrity. Taken together, these have formed the goal of the "social contract" between American workers and business owners, between "labor" and "capital." In the last thirty years the transformation of the American economy toward the production of services and the importation of manufactured goods (and increasingly high-technology manufactures) has strained this arrangement on all sides. The participants in our roundtable will address this question from a number of different angles:

What should political theory make of the challenges to American liberalism (in all its forms) posed by the political reactions to this situation? Can those reactions retain the goods of liberalism and avoid the dangers of anti-liberalism? Can the American economy successfully navigate the waters of technological change and change in the makeup of the American labor force? What role will the state have to play, on a national and local level, in the next twenty to thirty years of American technological development? Does the existing American "social contract" have a future—how can it be changed to accommodate the next economy, and how can the country manage the development of that economy for the benefit of the nation as a whole?
Federalism in States and Cities

Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations

Chair
Maria Escobar-Lemmon, Texas A&M University

Participants
Form of Government and Federal Lobbying Spending among the American City Governments
Youlang Zhang, Texas A&M University
Help from Above, Support from Below: Subnational Spending Cycles and Intergovernmental Fiscal Coordination
Maria Escobar-Lemmon, Texas A&M University
Austin Mitchell, Texas A&M University
Interest Groups, Polarization, and Intergovernmental Tensions in the United States
Andrew Karch, University of Minnesota
Tim Callaghan, Texas A&M University
Mary Kroeger, University of Rochester
Metropolitan Planning Organization Obstacles to Regional Cooperation
Joseph Campbell, Rose State College

Discussant
Antonio P.D. Carriere, Southern University and A&M College

Deciding on death

Judicial Politics

Chair
Melina Juarez, University of Arkansas

Participants
John M Scheb, University of Tennessee
Hemant K Sharma, University of Tennessee
The Influence of Race in State Legislative Debate on the Death Penalty
David Niven, U of Cincinnati
Is it the Utmost Option? An Assessment of the Casualties of the Death Penalty
Ruth Endam Mbah, Southern University and A&M College
Masters of Their Own Domain: Explaining Variation in State High Court Responses to Atkins v. Virginia
Michael P Fix, Georgia State University
Benjamin J Kassow, University of North Dakota

Discussant
Anna Law, CUNY Brooklyn College
## Movement & Group Constituency Pressures

**Saturday**

2:00pm-3:20pm

### Interest Groups

**Chair**
Laura R. R. Woliver, University of South Carolina

**Participants**

- Structural Inequality Among Nonprofits: How Choice of Constituency Constrains Organizational Options
  - Kirsten Widner, Emory University

- Ideological Cohesion and Representation in Decentralized American Social Movements
  - Hannah Wilson, University of Notre Dame

- Shotgun Feminism: The NRA, Gun Culture & Women
  - Noah Samuel Schwartz, Carleton University

- Are all politics local? The extent that domestic electoral politics explain U.S.-Middle East Policy.
  - Bryan Daves, Carleton College

**Discussant**
Brayden King, Northwestern University

## New Research on Civil Conflicts

**Saturday**

2:00pm-3:20pm

### International Politics: Conflict and Security

**Chair**
Tyson Chatagnier, University of Houston

**Participants**

- Armed Forces and the Strategic use of Sexual Violence in Intrastate Conflicts
  - Emily Naasz, Richland College

- It Never Rains But It Storms: Land and Ocean Climate Shocks, Armed Conflict, and Maritime Piracy
  - Kyosuke Kikuta, University of Texas at Austin

- Narcotics Funding as a Determinant of Civil Conflict
  - Matthew Aaron Rains, University of Georgia

- Transnational Rebel Groups and External Support in Civil Conflicts
  - Yu Mei, Renmin University of China

**Discussant**
Sojeong Lee, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
What institutions enhance the quality of democracy?

**Comparative Political Institutions**

**Chair**
Daniel Brinks, University of Texas, Austin

**Participants**
- Do More Political Parties Increase the Quality of Democracy?
  BYUNG-DEUK WOO, University of Iowa
- "People-Centered" Regionalism in the Global South: Sloganeering or Meaningful Reform?
  Brooke Coe, Oklahoma State University - Dept of Political Science
- Hate Speech Laws in Comparative Perspective: Militant Democracy at Work or a Copycat Phenomenon?
  Abraham Antonio Barranca, University of Texas at Austin
- States trumping human rights, again? How Donald Trump is changing international human rights norms.
  Rhonda Callaway, Sam Houston State University
  Julie Harrelson-Stephens, Stephen F. Austin State University

**Discussants**
- Daniel Brinks, University of Texas, Austin
- Oscar Castorena, Vanderbilt University

Selecting Women: Women and Non-Elective Office

**Women and Politics**

**Chair**
Emily Schilling, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

**Participants**
- Achieving gender parity...on California’s Health Care District Boards?
  Jessica Venita Nevin, Rutgers - New Brunswick
- Bumps on the road to gender parity: Why are so few women in powerful appointed offices?
  David McLennan, Meredith College
  Whitney Ross Manzo, Meredith College
- From Invisible to Visible: The Changing Politics of Active Gender Representation in the Fifty American States
  Andrea Kathryn Eckelman, University of Montevallo
- The Role of Institutions in Perceiving and Rectifying Gender Bias in Judicial Selection: Evidence from Survey Experiments
  Nancy B Arrington, Cal Poly State University

**Discussants**
- Emily Schilling, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
- Tracy Osborn, University of Iowa
Ideology in the Profession

Teaching Political Science

Chair
Mark Carl Rom, McCourt School of Public Policy

Discussants
Matthew Wilson, SMU
Josiah Marineau, Campbellsville University
Shawn Williams, Campbellsville University
Andrew J Taylor, North Carolina State University
Lonna Atkeson, University of New Mexico
Phillip W Gray, Texas A&M University - Qatar

Since at least the time of God and Man at Yale, conservatives have complained that the Academy has a liberal bias. Indeed, universities have been dominated by liberal professors and liberal students. Increasingly, universities are seen by conservatives as not only unfriendly to them, but also hostile to the public interest. The election of Donald Trump to the presidency disrupted the fairly stable ideological patterns and divisions between Republicans and Democrats, further heightening political polarization and increasing distrust and animosity within the electorate. What impacts has Trump’s election had on the ideological dimensions of higher education? Of political science? Although ideology is a key concept of our discipline, one would scan the APSA website in vain to find insights into the ideology of our profession. This proposed roundtable hopes to remedy this by focusing on matters involving ideology — and especially ideological diversity — within the political science discipline. PS: Political Science and Politics has agreed to publish two symposia based on these issues in 2019. Those presenting at SPSA have all committed to writing essays for the symposia.

Mentoring Women to Communicate Effectively Across All Levels of the Profession

President's Special Panels

Chair
Sarah Gershon, Georgia State University

Discussants
Carol Strong, University of Arkansas - Monticello
Mary R Anderson, University of Tampa
Rebecca Bromley-Trujillo, Christopher Newport University
Ningxin Dong, University of Florida
Immigration, diversity, and political behavior

Comparative Politics: Political Behavior
Saturday 2:00pm-3:20pm

Chair
Yannick Dufresne, Université Laval

Participants
Electoral participation of nonwestern immigrants in Belgium
Barbara Sgouraki Kinsey, University of Central Florida
Cristina Bradatan, Texas Tech University
Immigration: Mainstream Party Positioning on Immigration and Support for Radical Right Parties
Ian Down, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Kyung Joon Han, university of tennessee
The Politics of the PRC and its Minorities International Studies
Grayson Lanza, University of Central Florida
Losing elections for standing for your values? The electoral consequences of a court ruling on the niqab ban in Canada
Aaron Erlich, McGill University
Costin Marius Viorel Ciobanu, McGill University
Danielle Bohonos, McGill University
Christopher Ross, McGill University
Meet in the Middle: Terrorism and Centrist Party Vote Shares in Legislative Elections
Lance Young Hunter, Augusta University
Joseph Wayne Robbins, Valdosta State University
Martha Humphries Ginn, Augusta University
Aaron Hutton, Augusta University
The Trump Effect? Political Rallies and Hate Crime Contagion
Ayal Feinberg, University of North Texas
Regina Branton, University of North Texas

Discussant
Neil Chaturvedi, Cal Poly Pomona

Undergraduate Research on Comparative Politics and International Relations

Undergraduate Research and Training
Saturday 2:00pm-3:20pm

Chair
Daniel Fuerstman, State College of Florida

Participants
Bridging the Past and the Present: Mediation as a Conflict Resolution Technique
Danilo Gjukovikj, University of Colorado Boulder
Defining Terrorism through the Lens of Ideology
Belle Tan, University of Arkansas - Monticello
Developing Political Sustainability in MENA through Nationalism
Dylan McClain, University of Arkansas - Monticello
Security, Honor and Sacrifice: Comparing Militaries Service in Turkey and the U.S.
Rachel Langley, University of Arkansas - Monticello
The Prosecution of Conflict-Related Sexual Violence in Post-War Bosnia and Herzegovina: An Analysis
Katherine Lane Hedrick, Western Kentucky University

Discussant
Daniel Fuerstman, State College of Florida
The Effect of Religion on Public Policy

**Religion and Politics**

**Chair**
Nicole Asmussen Mathew, Oakland University

**Participants**
Caring for “the Least of These”: Religion and the Policy Diffusion of Medicaid Expansion  
Jay Goodliffe, Brigham Young University  
Joseph Quin Monson, Brigham Young University  
God and Guns: Religious Tradition, Gun Ownership, and Political Behavior in the U.S.  
Abigail Vegter, University of Kansas  
Kevin den Dulk, Calvin College  
The growing disconnect between American politicians and the religious 'nones'  
Carolyn Forestiere, University of Maryland, Baltimore County  
Reverse God Talk: How Religious Elites Deploy Coded Political Cues  
Jason Michael Adkins, Montana State University Billings

**Discussant**
Robin Marshall Bittick, Sam Houston State University

Electoral Politics and Public Policy

**Public Policy**

**Chair**
Brooke Nicole Shannon, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**
An Electoral Cycle Theory of Public Policy Making  
Dennis Patterson, Texas Tech University  
Jiayi Zhou, Texas Tech University  
Ballot Measures for Land Conservation: A Political Market Approach  
Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico  
Does evidence matter in climate change risk perceptions?  
Austin Wilkins, University of Arkansas  
Geoboo Song, University of Arkansas  
Problems, Solutions and Politics: The Influence of Evidence on Local Policymaker Perceptions  
Daniel E Bergan, Michigan State University  
Tackling NIMBYism through local democracy  
David Robert Foster, University of California, Berkeley  
Joseph Warren, University of California, Berkeley

**Discussants**
Greg McAvoy, UNC Greensboro  
Michael Henderson, Louisiana State University
Popular perception holds that presidents act “first and alone,” resorting to unilateral orders to promote their agenda and head off unfavorable legislation. Little research, however, has considered the diverse circumstances in which such orders are issued. The Dual Executive: Unilateral Orders in a Separated and Shared Power System reinterprets how and when presidents use unilateral power by illuminating the dual roles of the president. Drawing from an original data set of over 5,000 executive orders and proclamations, this book situates unilateral orders within the broad scope of executive-legislative relations. Michelle Belco and Brandon Rottinghaus shed light on the shared nature of unilateral power by recasting the executive as both an aggressive “commander” and a cooperative “administrator” who uses unilateral power not only to circumvent Congress but also to support and facilitate its operations.
International Relations Posters - General 2

Saturday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Program Chair's Panels

Participants
Conflict and Cholera: Yemen's Man-Made Public Health Crisis
   Christine Crudo Blackburn, Texas A&M University
   Paul E Lenze, Northern Arizona University
   Rachel Paige Casey, Texas A&M University
Hizbollah and Lebanese Muslim Dissidents: The Lessons of Shaykhs Al Assir and Al Tufaili
   Ihsan Alkhatib, Murray State University
Islamic State and Future of Syria
   Sena Karasipahi, Texas A&M
Planning for Complexity: The Limits of Operational Art in Afghanistan
   Rebecca Jensen, Marine Corps University Doctoral Fellow
Rentier-States and the Development of a Domestic Workforce: The Case of Qatar
   Ryunhye Kim, Stuyvesant High School
The Nation-Building Process in Pakistan: Investigating the Effects of Successive Policies
   Muhammad Mushtaq, University of Gujrat, Pakistan
Skills-Mismatch and Life Satisfaction Level of North Korean Defectors
   SeungJoon Yoo, Sogang University
   Hyunseok Lee, Sogang University
Which Cleavage Matters? A Critical Assessment of Importance of Ethnic Cleavage in Bosnia and Herzegovina
   Dragana Svraka, University of Florida

CWC7 Government/Party Strategies as Factors in Political Attitudes in China

Saturday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
   Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

Participants
Family Matters: Education and Indoctrination in Authoritarian Regimes
   Jay Chieh Kao, University of Texas
Self-censorship and Popular Support for an Authoritarian Regime: a Survey List Experiment in China
   Yaoyao Dai, PSU
Is there a Populism with Chinese Characteristics?
   Sarah Eaton, University of Gottingen
   Armin Mueller, Jacobs University Bremen

Discussants
   Haruka Nagao, University of Kansas
   Xian Huang, Rutgers University
   Erik H. Wang, Princeton University

Collectively, the papers of this panel address the roles of government/party strategies as factors in political attitudes in China.
Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Heather Ondercin, Wichita State University

Participants
CWC6 The Gender Gap in Partisanship: Connecting Elite Cues to Partisan Attachments
Heather Ondercin, Wichita State University
CWC6 Partisan Worldviews: How Democrats and Republicans Perceive the Social Constructions of Politically Relevant Target Groups
Rebecca Kreitzer, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Candis Watts Smith, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
CWC6 She Should (Not) Run: Party Activists and Women’s Place
Rosalyn Cooperman, University of Mary Washington
CWC6 Gender, Partisanship, and Immigration Attitudes
Mary-Kate Lizotte, Augusta University

This panel of the Gender and Political Psychology Conference-within-a-conference focuses on how gender and partisanship interact to shape political behavior, attitudes, outcomes, and institutions.

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Christy Smith, University of New Haven

Participants
Water Sustainability Innovations through Collaborative Networks
Edna Liliana Gomez Fernandez, University of Arizona
The effect of self-organized systems for private engagement in sustainable actions: An analysis with clean cities coalitions
Heewon Lee, Florida State University
Coalitions, Agendas, and Funding in Public Transport. Exploring Urban Government Arrangements in Mexican Cities
Manlio Felipe Castillo, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)
Local Climate and Sustainability Policy Networks: An examination of cities' use of multiple memberships for strategic positioning and impact maximization
Rachel Krause, University of Kansas

Discussant
Kent Portney, Texas A&M University

The papers in this panel empirically explore the role of collaboration, social networks, and coalitions in decision-making around sustainability.
Media and Politics in the Trump Era

Saturday
2:00pm-3:20pm

Media and Politics

Chair
Heather Evans, Sam Houston State University

Participants

#MakeTwitterGreatAgain: Donald Trump's Twitter Feed and the Media
John Lovett, Merrimack College
Devin Christensen, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
John Curiel, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Some Very Fine People on Both Sides: The Framing of Social Movements Under the Trump Administration
Steven Brailsford, Louisiana State University
Eugene Johnson, Louisiana State University

“Political Humor in the Trump Era: Late Night Talk Show Hosts Take Center Stage”
Jody C Baumgartner, East Carolina University

Indexing and the anti-establishment candidate: News norms and candidate coverage in the 2016 U.S. Presidential Campaign
Matthew Thornton, Drake University
Jason Turcotte, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

President Trump and the Mother of All Bombs – Quickly Forgotten
Judith L. Sylvester, Louisiana State University

Discussants
Jessica Feezell, University New Mexico
Nick Davis, Texas A&M University

Unequal representation? Institutional responsiveness to socioeconomic interests

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Class and Inequality

Chair
Chris Faricy, Syracuse University

Participants

Always Be Obstructing: Affordable Housing Initiatives and Real Estate Professionals in Extended Party Networks
Robert Louis Mermer, University of Florida

Are Political Elites Out of Touch? Experimental Evidence from State Legislative Candidates
Adam Thal, Yale University

Do the Rich Override the Middle? Measuring Disagreement in Analyses of Unequal Democracy
Jarron Bowman, Duke Sociology

The Electoral Competitiveness of Working Class Candidates in Germany
Yann Kerevel, Louisiana State University
Austin S Matthews, University of Denver

Discussant
Chris Faricy, Syracuse University
### New Directions in APD

**Saturday**  
3:30pm - 4:50pm

**Participants**
- Howling maniacs of high priests: Personalistic Politics, Social Erosion and Religious Retrenchment in Utah Territory, 1891-1896  
  Mark Denninghoff, University of Virginia
- Institutional Hibernation and Cycles in American Political Development  
  Tom Wraight, Copenhagen Business School
- Political Violence in an Age of Creedal Passion  
  Aaron Mannes, University of Maryland
- The Constitution, Refounding Periods, and American Political Development  
  Stephen Phillips, University of Florida
- The Feudal Family and APD: The Gender Bonus of Familial Government  
  Eileen McDonagh, Northeastern University

### Personality Traits in Politics

**Saturday**  
3:30pm - 4:50pm

**Political Psychology**

**Chair**  
Judd Thornton, Georgia State University

**Participants**
- Indifference and Ambivalence in the concept of Authoritarianism and the Consequences for Tolerance and Trust in Others  
  Kris Dunn, University of Leeds
  Judd Thornton, Georgia State University
- Scarily Coming to the Centre: Political Centrism as an Effect of Mortality Salience and a Need for Closure  
  Carlos Alberto Rivera, The University of Texas at Austin
- The Big Five Personality Traits and Policy Representation in the States  
  Ryan M. Jewell, University of Houston
- The Role of Personality in Trust in Public Policy Automation  
  Philip Waggoner, College of William & Mary
  Ryan Kennedy, University of Houston

**Discussants**
- Richard M. Shafranek, Northwestern University
- Judd Thornton, Georgia State University
4600

Rents, Resources, and Credit: How political institutions affect spending and finance

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Comparative Political Institutions

Chair
Taeko Hiroi, The University of Texas at El Paso

Participants
Andres A Sandoval, Tulane University

A Renewable Resource Curse? Institutional Uncertainty and Social Conflict, with Evidence from Indonesia
Donald Grasse, Emory University

Parliamentary and Semi-Presidential Advantages in Sovereign Credit Market: Democratic Institutional Design and Sovereign Credibility
Isa Camyar, St. Francis College

The Resource Curse and International Substitution: The Case of Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI)
Haeyong Lim, University of Houston

Discussants
Taeko Hiroi, The University of Texas at El Paso
Leonardo Antenangeli, University of Houston

4600

Civil Rights/Jurisprudence

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Political Theory

Chair
Benjamin Gregg, The University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Judges and the Pre-Modern Roots of Public Reason
Theresa Smart, Princeton University, James Madison Program
Respect for Rights
Jeffrey Spring, St. Francis Xavier University
The Reluctant Figurehead: Revisiting the Guardian of the Constitution
Ndifeke Ette, University of Houston
The State of Religious Freedom at the End of the Kennedy Court
Tony Bartl, Angelo State University

Discussant
James E. Mock, Rust College
Winners and Losers of Globalization

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

**Chair**
Clint Peinhardt, University of Texas at Dallas

**Participants**
Foreign Trade and Domestic Protests in Developing Countries
Li Zheng, The University of Houston

Heavy Lifting: Union Strength and Income Inequality
Stephen Michael Bagwell, University of Georgia
Brendan Skip Mark, University of Rhode Island

Rena Sung, Texas A&M University
Erica Owen, University of Pittsburgh
Quan Li, Texas A&M University

Import Competition and Hate Groups in the United States, 2000-2017
Matthew DiLorenzo, Old Dominion University

Why Export Promotion is No Silver Bullet: Limited Access Orders and the Political Endogeneity of Firm Behavior
Mona Lyne, University of Missouri - Kansas City

**Discussant**
Sarah Bauerle Danzman, Indiana University

Navigating sexism: attorneys and judges

Judicial Politics

**Participants**
“Flying off the Handle”: Gender and Elite Evaluations of Federal Judicial Nominees
Amanda Bryan, Loyola University Chicago
Philip Chen, Beloit College

Implicit Bias or Outright Sexism? The Interactive Effect of Attorney and Judge Gender on Evaluations of Judges
Rebecca Gill, University of Nevada Las Vegas

Oral Arguments before the Supreme Court: The Interplay of Gender, Emotional Content, and Cognitive Complexity
Jessica Stone, University of Texas El Paso
Ariana A. Perez, University of Texas at El Paso
Todd Curry, University of Texas El Paso

The Impact of Attorney & Justice Gender on Attorney Success at Oral Arguments, 1956-2016
Shane A Gleason, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi
EmiLee Simons, Idaho State University

Women Attorneys and Legal Mobilization in the U.S. Supreme Court
Erin B. Kaheny, UW-Milwaukee
John Szmer, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
Tammy A. Sarver, Benedictine University

**Discussants**
Benjamin Bricker, Southern Illinois University
Laura Moyer, University of Louisville
Social Networks and Political Engagement

**Saturday**  
3:30pm-4:50pm

**Political Networks**

**Participants**
- How Networks Influence Strategic Behavior: Strategic and Non-Optimal Voting in the 2015 Canadian Election  
  Debra Lynn Leiter, University of Missouri-Kansas City  
  Jack Lyons Reilly, New College of Florida
- Public Diplomacy on Twitter: A Comparison of U.S. Embassy Strategies and Relative Success  
  Trevor Rubenzer, University of South Carolina Upstate
- Social Proximity and ‘Friends-and-Neighbors’ Voting in Local Elections  
  Donald A. DeBats, Flinders University  
  Sarah John, University of Virginia  
  Matthew Thomas Pietryka, Florida State University
- The Efficacy of Political Discussion in the Face of Polarization  
  Matthew Thomas Pietryka, Florida State University  
  John Barry Ryan, Stony Brook University

**Discussants**
- Kathleen Searles, LSU  
- Matthew Thomas Pietryka, Florida State University

The Political Consequences of Non-tax Revenues

**Saturday**  
3:30pm-4:50pm

**Comparative Politics: Developing Areas**

**Chair**
- Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M

**Participants**
- A Bonanza for Bad Politicians: Informal Gold Mining and Criminal Candidates in Peru  
  Antonella Bandiera, NYU
- New Evidence on Authoritarianism and Fossil Fuel Subsidies  
  Matthew Fails, Oakland University
- Petro-Citizens: Oil and Public Attitudes in Saudi Arabia and the UAE  
  Nimah Mazaheri, Tufts University
- FDI and labor rights in the Developing Countries: The Role of Business Environment  
  Dongkyu Kim, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley  
  Cesar H Villegas, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
- Foreign determinants of the Shadow Economy: The effect of Loans and Foreign Aid.  
  Jonas Bunte, University of Texas at Dallas  
  Les Stanaland, University of Texas at Dallas

**Discussants**
- Florian Hollenbach, Texas A&M  
- Abraham S Aldama, NYU
Assessing the 2018 Elections

Saturday  
3:30pm-4:50pm

Electoral Politics

Chair  
Charles Tien, Hunter College

Participants
An ‘Authoritarian Spring’? Authoritarianism and the 2018 Midterm Elections  
Anne Cizmar, Eastern Kentucky University  
John McTague, Towson University  
Diverse Roads to Congress: Tracing the Success of Female and Minority Candidates in the 2018 Midterm Elections  
Marcia Godwin, University of La Verne  
Sean Foreman, Barry University  
Walter Wilson, University of Texas at San Antonio  
Donald Trump and the 2018 Midterm Battle for Central New York  
Luke Perry, Utica College  
Gender and Vote Choice in the 2018 House Elections  
Logan Dancey, Wesleyan  
Christopher Chapp, St. Olaf College  
Kjersten Nelson, North Dakota State University  
Novices and Veterans: The 2018 Congressional Primaries  
Jack Collens, Siena College

Discussant  
Rachel Bitecofer, Christopher Newport University

Institutional Development and Governance

Saturday  
3:30pm-4:50pm

International Politics: Global Issues and IPE

Chair  
John Gerring, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Agents of Repression: Examining Subnational Repression in Mexico  
Kimberly R. Fruge, Florida State University  
Jordan Holsinger, FSU  
Does Foreign Aid Volatility Hinder Institutional Development in Recipient Countries?  
Alice Iannantuoni, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
Do Political Finance Reforms Reduce Corruption?  
Calla Hummel, University of Miami  
John Gerring, University of Texas at Austin  
Thomas Burt, University of Texas at Austin  
The Industrial Organization Origin of Democracy and Dictatorship  
Jacque Gao, University of Rochester

Discussant  
Masaaki Higashijima, University of Michigan
Innovative Teaching Methods & Undergraduate Research

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Teaching Political Science

Chair
Nicole R Foster Shoaf, Missouri Southern State University

Discussants
Heather E. Yates, University of Central Arkansas
Austin Trantham, Jacksonville University
Shamira Gelbman, Wabash College
Nicole R Foster Shoaf, Missouri Southern State University

This roundtable will offer discussion of innovative teaching methods & the use of undergraduate research. Roundtable participants will provide copies of their materials to help attendees implement innovative teaching methods & undergraduate research in their own classrooms. Topics covered will include Harry Potter constitutions, Netflix teaching, undergraduate research groups, and more.

Race, gender, and Latin American Politics

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Latin American and Caribbean Politics

Participants
Social Mobility and Citizenship: Race, Class, and Welfare in Two Brazilian Cities
Elizabeth Kaknes, Marist College

The Electoral Buzz: Evaluating Gender Stereotypes and the Politics of the Zika Epidemic in Brazil
Kelly Senters, Wesleyan University

The Politics of Intervention: The Effect of Women’s Police Stations on Reporting Intimate Partner Violence to the Police
Abby Cordova, University of Kentucky
Helen Kras, University of Kentucky
Undergraduate Research on International Relations and Foreign Policy

**Saturday**
3:30pm-4:50pm

**Undergraduate Research and Training**

**Chair**
William Nichols, St. Edward's University

**Participants**

Project 1
Ryan M. Feringa, St. Edward's University

Project 2
Tannya Oliva Martinez, St. Edward's University

Project 3
Violet C. Spencer, St. Edward's University

Project 4
Sea K. D'amico, St. Edward's University

**Discussant**
William Nichols, St. Edward's University

Recent research from undergraduate students at St. Edward's University in Austin.

Latino Politics

**Saturday**
3:30pm-4:50pm

**Race, Ethnicity, and Gender**

**Chair**
Neal Allen, Wichita State University

**Participants**

Accepting Risk: The Effect of Risk Attitudes on Black and Latino Non-Electoral Participation
Joe R. Tafoya, The University of Texas at Austin

Assimilation, Group Disadvantage, and Latino Views of Black and Latino Relations
Jongho Lee, Western Illinois University

Building Perceptions: Examining Latino Party Image Holding
Joanne Ibarra, Austin Community College

Latina Candidates and Republican Voter Behavior: An Experimental Analysis
Benjamin White, University of Texas, Austin
Jessica Preece, Brigham Young University
Quin Monson, Brigham Young University
Christopher D Karpowitz, Brigham Young University

The Wildfire Effect: The Political Consequences of Proximal Contact with Immigration Enforcement
Hannah Walker, Rutgers University
Marcel Roman, University of California, Los Angeles
Matt Barreto, University of California, Los Angeles

**Discussant**
Neal Allen, Wichita State University
Undergraduate Research: Millennial Report - New Perspectives on State Power in a Transnational Context

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Undergraduate Research and Training

Chair
Christopher M. Brown, Georgia Southern University

Participants

Planted Here: The Role of the Palm Oil Industries in Displacing Indigenous Communities in Indonesia
Nilda Bianca Borup, Georgia Southern University

Legalizing Chaos: The Impact of Marijuana-Legalization on the Mexican Narco-Economy, Positives and Negatives
Alexander Ross, Georgia Southern University

An American Girl in Italy: Observations on Comparative Politics and Contrasting Views of Public Space
Samantha Weikers, Georgia Southern University

IT'S NOT HER, IT'S HIM: Reverse sexism in the benefits of American Social Services
Ida Di Giacomantonio, Georgia Southern University

Al Qaeda's Reign of Terror in the Middle East: Counter-terrorism's Lessons for Confronting the Next Global Threat
Janna Bourdonnay, Georgia Southern University

Re-Assessing US Hegemony and America’s Role on the World Stage
Stephens Preston, Georgia Southern University

Qatar-U.S. Relations: Their Significance and Impact on Trade
Hannah Johnston, Georgia Southern University

Discussant
Christopher M. Brown, Georgia Southern University

This panel addresses new perspectives on the capacities of government policies to impact sub-national and transnational institutions. While states are the key political agents in the global order, the ability to control the outputs and externalities of their policy choices varies widely as the panel highlights. The papers address the policy goals and unintended consequences of domestic, foreign, and comparative governance. The panel examines long-range considerations of global hegemony and global policy for addressing trade and counterterrorism; it also grapples with the impact of non-traditional security policies across state borders employing comparative perspectives. Embedded in the broader longitudinal waves that drive globalization, each paper deals with how macro-level considerations affect local considerations from human rights violations of the indigenous peoples of Indonesia to the exacerbation of sexism in the provision of social services in the US. Each of the authors writes from the perspective of a generation steeped in globalism and committed to understanding a sense of self, place, and a recognition that managing the realities of change so as to promote greater understanding is what gives each community a deeper awareness both of its own fragility and its motivation for self-expression and survival amidst post-modern globalization.
Managing Workplace Culture: Performance, Diversity, and Free Speech

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Public Management

Chair
Heather Rimes, Western Carolina University

Participants
Managing Environments Differently: Sector, Environments, and Diversity Management
Morgen Johansen, University of Hawaii
Austin McCrea, American University
Ling Zhu, University of Houston

To Post or Not to Post: An Empirical Analysis of Off-Duty Social Media Conduct
James Harrington, University of Texas at Dallas
John McCaskill, The University of Texas at Dallas
Paul D Foote, Murray State University

How governing structure and institutional culture influence the voting behavior of public university board members
Melanie Johnson, Southern University and A&M College

Building Better Personnel Skills & Organizational Value: A how-to guide for your toolkit
Matt Thomas Bagwell, Tarleton State University

Discussant
Stephen W Northam, University of North Georgia
### Higher Education Issues Affecting Political Science

**Saturday**
3:30pm-4:50pm

#### Teaching Political Science

**Chair**
Juan Carlos Huerta, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

**Participants**
Gender Bias in Teaching Evaluations: Can recognizing biases serve as a step in addressing them?
- Phillip Ardoin, Appalachian State University
- Ellen Key, Appalachian State University

The Erosion of Academic Freedom From Within
- Gloria Christina Cox, University of North Texas

Why Don't More Political Science Programs Teach How To Teach?
- David Trowbridge, Middle Tennessee State University
- Jennifer Woodward, Middle Tennessee State University

“Maximizing the ‘Art of the Possible’: Translating political science into a relatable subject for military veterans.”
- Gregory Michael Markley, Auburn University at Montgomery, AL

**Discussant**
Juan Carlos Huerta, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

### Methodology and Theory Posters

**Saturday**
3:30pm-4:50pm

#### Program Chair’s Panels

**Participants**
A Comparison of Some Methodologies for the Factor Analysis of a Multi-level Construct
- Jongsoo Park, Korea University
- Chang-Gyu Kwak, Sejong University
- Taeeun Kim, Korea National University of Transportation

Contested Narratives in the Domain of Gig Economy: A Study of Uber in Tampa Bay
- Dragana Mrvos, University of South Florida - Tampa

Subaltern Whites, Political Culture, and APD
- Bartholomew Sparrow, University of Texas at Austin

The Choices, Narratives, and Dilemmas of Sacred Rhetoric: A Strategic Interactionist Perspective of the Unity for Gallaudet Protests in 2006
- Brendan Stern, Gallaudet University

Total Access Classroom: Traditional Methodologies in the Digital Age
- Hans Erskine Schmeisser, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

Whose ‘Southern Tradition’?
- Marek Steedman, University of Southern Mississippi

Rhetoric and Ritual in the Crisis of Parliamentary Democracy
- Rob Goodman, McGill University
CWC7 Social Capital, Social Cleavages, Efforts to Fight Corruption and Political Attitudes in China

Conference Within A Conference

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Chair
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas

Participants
Trust and Tolerance: Social Capital and Political Tolerance in Rural and Urban China
Haruka Nagao, University of Kansas
Social Cleavages and Preferences for Government Redistribution in Contemporary China
Xian Huang, Rutgers University
Frightened Mandarins: The Adverse Effects of Fighting Corruption on Local Bureaucracy
Erik H. Wang, Princeton University

Discussants
Jay Chieh Kao, University of Texas
Yaoyao Dai, PSU
Armin Mueller, Jacobs University Bremen

Collectively, the papers of this panel address the roles of social capital, social cleavages, and efforts to fight corruption as factors affecting political attitudes in China.

CWC6: Gender and political candidates

Conference Within A Conference

Saturday
3:30pm-4:50pm

Chair
Nichole Bauer, LSU

Participants
CWC6 Perceptions of Qualifications by Sex and Issue Domain
Sarah Fulton, Texas A&M
CWC6 Do Voters Hate on Female Candidates who Self-Promote?
Nichole Bauer, LSU
CWC6 From Running Laps to Running for Office
Abigail Bowen, Georgia State University
CWC6 Conceptual Metaphors and Political Ambition: Motivating Officeholding Identity
Monica C Schneider, Miami University
Jennie Sweet-Cushman, Chatham University
Mark Landau, University of Kansas

This panel of the Gender and Political Psychology Conference-within-a-conference focuses on how gender shapes how voters view candidates and how candidates behave.
CWC9: Roundtable: Co-production of local government research in an academic space

**Conference Within A Conference**

**Participant**

Co-production of local government research an in academic space  
Richard Feiock, Florida State University  
Simon Andrew, University of North Texas

This roundtable features two previous chairs of the Local Governance and Sustainability CwC as they discuss the future of local government research.

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**Political Effects from Television and Films**

**Media and Politics**

**Chair**  
Brian K Watson, Louisiana State University

**Participants**

Criminal Minds: Do crime dramas lessen the impact of racial resentment on punitiveness?  
Kathleen Donovan, St. John Fisher College

Marvel's Avengers: Patriotism in Superhero Films & What It Teaches Us  
Jackelyne Briseno, Texas A&M International University

Political Fictions: The Lord of the Rings as a Challenge to Just War Theory  
Jeffrey Dixon, Texas A&M University - Central Texas

The American Dream in Film & the Effects of its Portrayal on Audiences  
Michelle Pautz, University of Dayton

“We’ll put a boot in your ass, it’s the American way”: Selling chauvinism in the South  
Jayme Renfro, University of Northern Iowa  
Evan Renfro, University of Northern Iowa

**Discussant**

Lindsay H Hoffman, University of Delaware
4700 Ideal Points and Attitudes

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Political Methodology

Participants
Ideal Point Estimation Using Partial Rank Preference Data
Ikuma Ogura, Georgetown University
Large-Scale Estimation of Interest Group Ideal Points
Sahar Abi-Hassan, Boston University
Janet Box-Steffensmeier, Ohio State University
Dino Christenson, Boston University
Aaron Kaufman, Harvard
Brian Libgober, Yale University
Multiple Ideal Points: Common Scaling In Different Voting Domains
Chelsea Lofland, University of California at Santa Cruz
Scott Moser, University of Nottingham
Abel Rodriguez, University of California at Santa Cruz
Uncovering Agenda-Driven Congressional Responsiveness With Multi-Session Ideal Points
David Broockman, Stanford
Matthew Tyler, Stanford University
The Analysis of Ordinal Dependent Variables
Philip Paolino, University of North Texas

4700 Latin American Public Opinion and Political Behavior

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Latin American and Caribbean Politics

Participants
Ends against the middle: converging rich-poor support for conditional cash transfers in clientelist contexts
Elin Bergman, University of Gothenburg
Cesar Benshuni Martinez Alvarez, University of California, Los Angeles
High-Skill Emigration from Latin America and the Caribbean: Is willingness to leave a country linked with its government performance?
Anniete Isaure Cohn-Lois, Georgetown University
The Mexican Protestor: Mobilizing Motivations, Dynamics, and Political Attitudes.
Maria Inclan, Centro de Investigacion y Docencia Economicas
Explaining Anti-Mainstream Sentiments and Social Networks in Politics
Joao Victor Guedes-Neto, University of Pittsburgh
**4700**

**Toward Tolerance**

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

**Chair**
Douglas Page, Gettysburg College

**Participants**

A Queer Series of Events: A Comparative Examination of Same-Sex Marriage Legalization  
Michael David Shea, Georgia State University  
"Can we Teach Political Tolerance for LGBT Rights?"  
john Hall, Middle Georgia State University  
Legal Status of Consensual Homosexual Sodomy in Ghana, and Côte d'Ivoire as Colonial Legacy: a Comparative Study  
Daniel Edward Williams, Texas Southern University

**Discussant**
Megan Elizabeth Osterbur, New England College

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**4700**

**Authors Meet Critics: "The Politics of Millennials"**

**Public Opinion**

**Discussants**
Ashley Dyan Ross, Texas A&M University at Galveston  
Jason Casellas, University of Houston  
Elizabeth Oldmixon, University of North Texas  
Bethany Albertson, University of Texas at Austin

This authors meet critics panel will focus on Stella Rouse and Ashley Ross' book, "The Politics of Millennials: Political Beliefs and Policy Preferences of America's Most Diverse Generation" (Michigan Press 2018). The Politics of Millennials offers a first of its kind analysis of the Millennial Generation's political attitudes and policy preferences. The book utilizes data from multiple original surveys, as well as from extensive, original focus group interviews, to explore how the Millennial Generation identity or frame affects this cohort's political attitudes. The findings show that important and unique characteristics of the Millennial Generation significantly and substantively affect this cohort’s political attitudes, policy preferences, and levels of political engagement, which have meaningful implications for the current and future U.S. political landscape. This is an important book that examines how the largest and most diverse generation in U.S. history will influence the political process and engages with the political system. The panel brings together scholars from different parts of the discipline to engage with the substantive themes of the book, with the goal of connecting those themes to a broader discussion about how we account for generation identity. The following scholars will participate: Bethany Albertson, University of Texas at Austin Elizabeth Oldmixon, University of North Texas Jason Casellas, University of Houston Each of the participants is excited about the book and what it will add to our study of political behavior, public opinion, and race and ethnic politics.
The Political Significance of Joyfulness in Nietzsche’s Thought

Political Theory

Chair
Michael J. McNeal, MSU Denver

Participants
“The Meaning of Our Cheerfulness”: Life After the Death of God
Daniel Conway, Texas A&M University
‘The Laughing Storm’ of Nietzsche’s Free Spirits: Irrepressible Mirth toward a Philosophy of the Future
Michael J. McNeal, MSU Denver
Political Aesthetics of Joy in Nietzsche’s Middle Period
Paul E Kirkland, Carthage College
The Goal of Shared Joy for the Übermensch: Evaluating Relationality in Nietzsche
Melanie Shepherd, Misericordia University
Nietzsche and Foucault: From a Politics of Ressentiment to a Politics of Affirmation
George William Shea, IV, Misericordia University

Discussant
Jeffrey Church, University of Houston

This panel brings together Nietzsche scholars to treat the themes of joy and cheerfulness and the way in which they inform his political thought. This includes consideration of the meaning of cheerfulness as an opening to new possibilities in light of the great historical changes Nietzsche anticipates, including considering the capacity for cheerfulness and invigorating new possibilities for human relations, political structures, and the revaluation of values. Rather than remaining mired in debates about democracy and hierarchy, the papers on this panel consider the way in which joy contributes to his understanding of political change and the shape of future possibilities. The papers will all attend to the way in which such affirmative possibilities shape Nietzsche’s contribution to political thought. Among the various themes examined, it takes up the meaning of cheerfulness after the death of God, joyful relationality, subversive laugher, aesthetic play, and disruptive overcoming. The linked essays will bring together high-level scholarship on Nietzsche’s political thought that will engage one another on the way in which Nietzsche’s thought may inform future possibilities for philosophy and political life.

Regime classification in Latin America

Latin American and Caribbean Politics

Participants
Authoritarianism or Democracy in Nicaragua? Shifting Citizen Attitudes, 2016-2018
Leslie E. Anderson, University of Florida
Lawrence C Dodd, University of Florida
Won-ho Park, Seoul National University
Classifying Bolivia's Political Regime under Morales
Omar Sanchez, Texas State University
Reevaluating the Chávez Regime: 21st Century Socialism or Rentier Populism?
Paul W Posner, Clark University

This panel analyzes regime type in states that display both authoritarian and democratic characteristics.
4700

Executive power and the judiciary

Judicial Politics

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Chair
John M Scheb, University of Tennessee

Participants
Getting Involved: Public Attention and Powerful Litigants
Matthew D Montgomery, Georgia State University
Moving in New Directions? The Changing (?) Role of the Solicitor General
Richard Pacelle, University of Tennessee
State High Court Decision Making: Do Courts Defer to the Executive?
Natalie Rogol, Rhode Island College
Michael P Fix, Georgia State University
Ivanka Bergova, Georgia State University

Discussants
Joe Ura, Texas A&M
Scott Basinger, University of Houston

4700

Changes in and Consequences of Comparative Party Organizational Strategies

Political Parties

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Chair
Zeynep Somer-Topcu, University of Texas at Austin

Participants
Bringing Women into the Party: Quotas, Women’s Leadership, and Women Activists
Aldo Ponce, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE)
Susan Scarrow, University of Houston
Susan Achury, University of Houston
Reaching Out: The Effect of Selectorate Expansion on Electoral Regionalization and Leadership
Candidate Emergence
Chase Bradford Meyer, University of Florida
Brett N. Odom, University of Georgia
Responding to e-Democracy Queries across German MPs
Debra Lynn Leiter, University of Missouri-Kansas City
Starting at the Top: Regionalist Parties in Multilevel Jurisdictions
Ross Cotton, University of Florida

Discussants
Daniel Weitzel, University of Texas at Austin
Zeynep Somer-Topcu, University of Texas at Austin
Author Meets Critics: Party Polarization in America, The War Over Two Social Contracts

**Political Parties**

*Chair*

Sean Theriault, University of Texas

*Discussant*

Jon Bond, Texas A&M University

This book, coauthored with Soren Jordan of Auburn University, and published by Cambridge University press traces party polarization from the constitutional convention to present. In the modern era, the work reports statistical analyses as to the causes of both party polarization in the electorate, as well as party polarization in Congress.

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Ideology in the Classroom

**Teaching Political Science**

*Chair*

Mark Carl Rom, McCourt School of Public Policy

*Discussants*

Robert Maranto, University of Arkansas

Matthew E. Woessner, Penn State University

Kelly Clancy, Nebraska Wesleyan

The election of Donald Trump to the presidency disrupted the fairly stable ideological patterns and divisions between Republicans and Democrats, further heightening political polarization and increasing distrust and animosity within the electorate. How has the rising polarization and tribalism in America affected the teaching of political science? How have teachers handled issues of political ideology, given the diversity of opinions among both faculty and students? This roundtable is the second of two symposia to appear in 2019 in PS: Political Science and Politics. Fewer faculty in this symposium were able to attend SPSA, so I hope to add a few more speakers.
Women's Legislative Behavior

Saturday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Women and Politics

Chair
Shannon Jenkins, UMass Dartmouth

Participants
Gendered Mayhewian Behavior and Credit Claiming Language in the 114th Congress
   Maria I Gabryszewska, College - CyFair
Majority of the Majority: Integrating Critical Mass and Party Control
   Emily Schilling, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
The Gender Gap in the European Parliament
   Teresa Cornacchione, Florida State University
'Women Deserve Better:' Gender Dynamics and the Use of the Pro-Woman Frame in Antiabortion Policies
   Amanda M Roberti, Ramapo College of New Jersey

Discussants
Shannon Jenkins, UMass Dartmouth
Mirya Holman, Tulane University

Workshop: Facilitating Classroom Interactions in an Era of Political Polarization

Saturday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Teaching Political Science

This research in political science education explores how to facilitate productive in-class discussions of public policies during times of intense political polarization. Building on Mcavoy and Hess’s (2013) study of classroom deliberation, we apply the psychological theory of “Interpersonal Group Therapy” (Yalom, 2008) to entry level political science courses. Following Yalom’s model of “group therapy” where the job of the therapist is to make things uncomfortable in order to stimulate growth and wisdom, we theorize that it is occasionally the job of the instructor to facilitate uncomfortable classroom discussions in a manner that stimulates intellectual growth and wisdom. Our design utilizes a survey experiment that tracks students understanding of complex, controversial political issues over two semesters of entry level political science courses.
Getting it Right: Research on Research

Political Methodology

Participants
Bots, Cyborgs, IPs and the Venezuelan Economic Crisis: Explaining the Recent Quality Scare on Amazon's Mechanical Turk
- Scott Clifford, University of Houston
- Ryan M Jewell, University of Houston
- Ryan Kennedy, University of Houston
Correcting Point Estimates for Publication Bias
- Anthony Fowler, University of Chicago
Learning from Biased Research Designs
- Andrew Little, UC Berkeley
- Thomas Pepinsky, Cornell
Standing Out and Blending in: Fieldwork Ethics and Positionality
- Carolyn E Holmes, Mississippi State University
The Impact of Geographic Unit Selection when Analyzing Cross-Sectional Data
- Samantha Zuhlke, Texas A&M

New perspectives to explaining the vote choice

Comparative Politics: Political Behavior

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Chair
- Evelyne Brie, University of Pennsylvania

Participants
Asian-Americans and the 2016 Vote: Sociological or Psychological?
- Rafael Oganesyan, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- Karl Catarata, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
You Vote How You Live? The Predictive and Explanatory Effects of Lifestyles on Vote Choice
- Yannick Dufresne, Université Laval
- Justin Savoie, University of Toronto
Mobilizing Collective Memory: A Large-Scale Field Experiment on the Effects of Priming Collective Threat on Voting Behavior
- Joan Barcelo, Washington University in St. Louis
Do Populists Support Populism? An Examination Through an Online Survey Following the 2017 Tokyo Metropolitan Assembly Election.
- Masaru Nishikawa, Tsuda University
- Takeshi Hieda, Osaka City University
- Masahiro Zenkyo, Kwansei Gakuin University
Change My Mind: Vote Choice and Election Outcomes After Human Rights Advocacy Campaigns
- Shelby Lynn Hall, University of Georgia
The Effect of Opinion Polls on Political Information Seeking Across Countries
- Shane Singh, University of Georgia
- Jason Roy, Wilfrid Laurier University
- Patrick Fournier, Université de Montréal

Discussant
- Rodrigo Castro Cornejo, University of Virginia
Undergraduate Research on Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Chair
Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College

Participants
Analysis paralysis, political efficacy, and voting: A two-stage study
Ana Schugurensky, Soka University of America
The Black Stain in A White America: The Views of Whites Towards Police Brutality and Black Lives Matter
Aayana Ingram, Student
Gender, Region, and Perceptions of Candidates: Results From an Experimental Survey in Germany
Erin Woggon, Western Kentucky University
Timothy Rich, Western Kentucky University
Help Wanted? Examining Individual Support for Government Aid in Crises
Leigh Francia, University of Colorado, Boulder
Taiwanese Exposure to LGBT Culture
Isabel Eliassen, Western Kentucky University

Discussant
Jeffrey Kraus, Wagner College

The Two Koreas and the Great Powers

Saturday 5:00pm-6:20pm

Chair
Jooyoun Lee, St. Edward's University

Participants
China and Kim-Trump Summit: Has Beijing Been Sidelined on the Korean Peninsula?
Peter J Li, University of Houston-Downtown
Lucille Y Li, University of Texas- Austin
Consistent versus Changing Strategies in U.S.-North Korea Relations: A Game Theoretic
Dennis Patterson, Texas Tech University
Jangsup Choi, Texas A&M University, Commerce
Is the Grand Bargain Possible? Trump Negotiates with Kim Jong Un
Joel R. Campbell, Troy University
Sanctioning an Unruly Ally: Understanding Sino-North Korean Trade through the People’s Daily
Weifeng Zhong, American Enterprise Institute
United States Diplomacy with North Korea and Vietnam
Michael Haas, University of Hawai’i at Manoa

Discussant
Ivan Wills Rasmussen, New York University-Shanghai
Comparative Analysis of Agenda Setting

**Saturday**

**5:00pm-6:20pm**

**Public Policy**

**Chair**
Maraam A Dwidar, The University of Texas at Austin

**Participants**
Framing Purpose: The How and Why of Policy Purpose Rhetoric  
Katie Madel, University of Texas at Austin
Gender differences in Issue Attention  
laura Chaqués-Bonafont, University of Barcelona and IBEI
Is Local Government Different? Punctuated Equilibria in the Budgets of an American City  
Brooke Nicole Shannon, University of Texas at Austin
It might not be as bad as you think - or is it?  
Stefanie Kasparek, Temple University
Responsiveness and Feedback under Authoritarianism: The Public, City Governments, and Air Pollution in China  
Ross Ardley Buchanan, University of Texas at Austin  
Lingna Zhong, Central China Normal University

**Discussants**
EJ Fagan, University of Texas at Austin  
Samuel Workman, University of Oklahoma

Examining the State of Local Governance

**Saturday**

**5:00pm-6:20pm**

**Public Administration**

**Participants**
County Manager Professionalization Impacts on Economic Development in the Peripheral South  
James Gibbs Owen IV, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill
Do 311 Systems Influence Citizens’ Perception of Local Government Service Quality?  
Jie Tao, University of North Texas  
Brian Collins, University of North Texas
Social Context, Institutional Capacity, and Public Employment in Municipalities: Evidence from Panel Data Analysis  
Agustin Leon-Moreta, University of New Mexico
Institutional Impacts on Information Disclosure among U.S. Local Governments: Evidence from Local Governments in Arizona and Colorado  
Jie Tao, University of North Texas  
Brian Collins, University of North Texas
State of the Black South: Examining State of the City Addresses Across the Black South  
Antwain Leach, Fisk University

**Discussants**
Jeremy L. Hall, University of Central Florida/Public Administration Review  
John Marvel, George Mason University
The Trump and Obama Presidencies

**President/Executive Politics**

**Chair**
Henry Barbier Sirgo, McNeese State University

**Participants**
Donald Trump, Populist Style, and Precedent
Richard Steven Conley, University of Florida
Do Shareholders Prefer Political Connectedness or Corporate Social Responsibility? Evidence from Letting Trump Be Trump
Kelly Carter, Morgan State University
Presidential Legacy in the Era of Obama and Trump
Alex Waddan, University of Leicester
Clodagh Harrington, De Montfort University
Rating the Obama Presidency
Daniel P Franklin, Georgia State University

**Discussants**
Amnon Cavari, IDC
Shannon Bow O'Brien, University of Texas at Austin

Comparative Political Institutions Posters

**Program Chair’s Panels**

**Participants**
2. Failure of Failed State Approach in explaining rising piracy
   Keunsoo Jeong, University of Pittsburgh
Making infrastructure great: high-speed rail development in China and the United States
   Edward Ashbee, Copenhagen Business School (Denmark)
The Mystery of Development: A Comparison of South Korea and Zambia Development Trajectory
   Ruth Endam Mbah, Southern University and A&M College
   Yengong Nchanji Nche, Ministry of Public Works, Department of General Affairs, Sub Department of Human Resource, Cameroon
   Drusilla Engonwei Mbah, University of Buea
A Theory of Public Goods Provision under Uncertainty about Bureaucratic Capacity and Politician Competence
   Anna Wilke, Columbia University
Blame-Shifting in Autocracies
   Georgiy Syunyaev, Columbia University
Power sharing for inclusive peace in post-conflict societies. African perspectives
   ekelle ngoue Thierry, University of Yaoundé II
Local & State Environmental Politics

Saturday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Environmental Politics

Chair
Rachel Krause, University of Kansas

Participants
Logic and Effectiveness of Urban Tree Preservation Efforts: Comparing Distinct Approaches in Two Southern Cities
Francine Sanders Romero, University of Texas at San Antonio

Retrospective Accountability for Water Rates in North Carolina
Katy Hansen, Duke
Megan Mullin, Duke University

The Wrong Side of the Stacks: Air Polluters’ Location in America’s Cities
James E. Monogan, University of Georgia
David Konisky, Indiana University--SPEA
Neal Woods, University of South Carolina

Who’s gonna take your garbage out? Regulatory politics of public & private landfills
Manny Teodoro, Texas A&M University
David Konisky, Indiana University--SPEA

Discussants
Elizabeth Albright, Duke University
Rachel Krause, University of Kansas

CWC7 Age, Party Membership, Individual Dependency and Political Attitudes in China

Saturday
5:00pm-6:20pm

Conference Within A Conference

Chair
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University

Participants
Age vs. Socialization in Understanding Attitudes toward Economic Reforms
Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University
Yao-Yuan Yeh, University of St. Thomas
Xinsheng Liu, Texas A&M University

Hans Jorgen Gaasemyr, University of Bergen, Norway
Tor Midtbo, University of Bergen, Norway

Trust in the System or System Justification: Examining Authoritarian Resilience from the Bottom Up
John James Kennedy, University of Kansas

Discussants
Yanjun Liu, Peking University
Joseph Yingnan Zhou, University of Texas, El Paso
Dong Yu, University of Iowa

Collectively, these papers address the relationships of age, party membership, and individual dependency to political attitudes in China.
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CWC6 Identity and Deservedness

Conference Within A Conference

Participants
CWC6 Just "Kids": The Social Construction of Target Groups in ART Policy;
   Erin Heidt-Forsythe, The Pennsylvania State University
CWC6 Support for Disability Assistance?! The Role of Deservingness in American Public Opinion
   Monica C Schneider, Miami University
   Rachel Marie Blum, Miami University of Ohio
   Dara Strolovitch, Princeton
   Justin Holmes, Univ of Northern Iowa
CWC6 Intersectional Identities and an Examination of African American and Latino Attitudes about
   Representation
   Christina Bejarano, University of Kansas
   Nadia Brown, Purdue
   Sarah Gershon, Georgia State University
   Celeste Montoya, University of Colorado, Boulder,
CWC6 Gender, race/ ethnicity, and attitudes about descriptive representation
   Jennifer Lucas, Saint Anselm College
   Heather Silber Mohamed, Clark University
CWC6: Choose Moms Choose Schools: Effects of Gender on School Choice
   J. Celeste Lay, Tulane University

This panel of the Gender and Political Psychology Conference-within-a-conference focuses on how views of who deserves representation, care, and help from the state interact with identity in the creation of policy and political behavior.

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End of Conference Reception

Meetings

Saturday
7:30pm-9:00pm
Coopers Pit BBQ