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ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS AND EXPERIENCE

Director, School of Public Affairs, Penn State University-Harrisburg, 2020-present.

A dean-level position within Penn State University charged with leading a productive, diverse, NASPAA-accredited School with five divisions (criminal justice, health administration, homeland security, political science/public policy, and public administration); 31 full-time faculty, two dozen adjunct faculty, and seven support staff; over 250 undergraduate and graduate residential majors and 800 non-residential majors; almost \$900,000 yearly in external grants and contracts; and a discretionary annual budget of approximately \$225,000. Reports to campus's chief academic officer; responsible for hiring, performance evaluations of, and promoting faculty and staff; marketing and communications for School; coordinating/hosting/moderating School outreach programs; enrollment management and scheduling for 22 academic programs, including certificates, associate's, bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees; strategic planning; development and fundraising undertakings; promoting external research funding; diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts; and School's interactions with other Penn State campuses and programs.

Chair (Interim), Programs in Homeland Security, Penn State University-Harrisburg, 2022-present.

Chair (Interim), Department of Political Science, University of Missouri, 2009-2010.

Leadership and oversight responsibilities for a PhD-granting department with 20 tenure track faculty, one non tenure track faculty, and four full-time staff members.

Duties included coordinating course scheduling, leading faculty recruitment and retention efforts, performance evaluations of faculty and staff, and management of departmental budget.

Founding Co-director, Social Science Research Laboratory, University of Mississippi, 1995-2000.

Leadership responsibilities for a full-service survey research laboratory that conducts opinion surveys (local, state, and national), needs assessments, market analysis, program assessments, and various other contract services for a variety of governmental and non-governmental clients; my responsibilities focused on client contact, contract negotiation, IRB matters, report writing, and public presentations.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Pennsylvania State University-Harrisburg, School of Public Affairs
Professor of Political Science, 2020-present

University of Missouri, Department of Political Science
Professor, 2004-2019; Associate Professor, 2002-2004
Affiliated Faculty, Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy, 2015-2019
Frederick A. Middlebush Chair in Political Science, 2008-2011
University of Mississippi, Department of Political Science
Associate Professor, 1995-2002 (tenure awarded 1997); Assistant Professor, 1993-1995
Adjunct Appointment, Center for the Study of Southern Culture, 1993-2002
Senior Research Associate and Founding Co-Director, Social Science Research
Laboratory, 1994-2002
Loyola University Chicago, Department of Political Science
Assistant Professor, 1991-1993; Instructor, 1990-1991

VISITING APPOINTMENTS

John W. Kluge Center, Library of Congress, Distinguished Visiting Scholar, 2018-2019
Vesalius College, Vrije Universiteit Brussel (Belgium), Visiting Professor, 2009
Johns Hopkins University-Nanjing University Center for Chinese and American Studies
Fei Yi-Ming Visiting Professor of Comparative Politics, 1997-1998 and 2005-2006
University of Szeged (Hungary), Institute of English and American Studies
Laszlo Orszagh Chair (Fulbright Distinguished Lecturer), 2000-2001

EDUCATION

Ph.D., University of Oklahoma, Department of Political Science and Carl Albert Congressional
Research and Studies Center, 1991
Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, University of Michigan, 1987
A.B., Davidson College, *cum laude*, Honors in Political Science, 1983

REFEREED ARTICLES (* Current Graduate Student; † Former Graduate Student; ‡ Undergraduate Student)

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Senate." *Journal of Women, Politics and Policy* 41: 527-541.

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613.

Endersby, James W. and L. Marvin Overby. 2018. "Congress and the Constitution: The Twenty-
seventh Amendment and the Past and Future of Constitutional Alteration." *Congress and the
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Majority: An Analysis of Senate Deaths, 1919-2015." *Social Science Quarterly* 99: 1637-
1648. [Findings discussed in London School of Economics US Centre's Blog on
American Politics and Policy ([blogs.lse.ac.uk/usappblog/2018/08/28/john-mccains-
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senate/](https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/usappblog/2018/08/28/john-mccains-passing-reminds-us-that-death-has-always-been-an-important-part-of-life-in-the-us-senate/)).]

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- Miller,[†] Susan M. and L. Marvin Overby. 2014. "Discharge Petitions and the Conditional Nature of Agenda Control in the U.S. House of Representatives." *Party Politics* 20: 444-455.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Christopher D. Raymond,^{*} and Zeynep Taydas.[†] 2011. "Free Votes, MPs, and Constituents: The Case of Same-Sex Marriage in Canada." *American Review of Canadian Studies* 41:465-478.
- Orey, B. D'Andra, L. Marvin Overby, Peter Hatemi, and Baodong Liu. 2011. "White Support for Racial Referenda in the Deep-South." *Politics and Policy* 39:539-558.
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- Holt,[†] Jacob, Christopher D. Raymond,[†] and L. Marvin Overby. N.D. “Unity, Polarization, and Party Asymmetry in the U. S. House of Representatives.” In progress.
- Yildirim,^{*} T. Murat and L. Marvin Overby. N.D. “‘Representing While Female’: Gender Differences in Policy Priorities and Constituency Behavior among Turkish Politicians.” In progress.
- Yildirim,[†] T. Murat and L. Marvin Overby. N.D. “Media and Politics: Public Attention and Parliamentary Questions in the Turkish Grand National Assembly.” In progress.
- Hall,[†] Benjamin L. and L. Marvin Overby. N.D. “Party Hopping: Congressional Party Defection and Its Consequences.” In progress.
- Overby, L. Marvin. N.D. *Dark Diaspora: The Causes and Consequences of the Great Migration*. In progress.
- Endersby, James W. and L. Marvin Overby. N.D. *Elections that Echo: The Most Important Congressional Campaigns in American History*. In progress.

TEACHING RELATED PUBLICATIONS

- Overby, L. Marvin. 2008. “Some Things Y’all Need to Know: Teaching Southern Politics at Home and Abroad.” *Journal of Political Science Education*, 4: 98-115.
- Auger, Vincent A. and L. Marvin Overby. 2005. “Teaching and Learning in Nanjing: Community, Communities, and Politics in an Overseas Program.” *Journal of Political Science Education*, 1:233-247.

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- Overby, L. Marvin. 2014. Review of William G. Howell, Saul P. Jackman, and Jon C. Rogowski, *The Wartime President: Executive Influence and the Nationalizing Politics of Threat*. *Journal of Legislative Studies* 20: 610-611.
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- Orey, B. D'Andra and L. Marvin Overby. 2004. "African-American Committee Chairs in American State Legislatures." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Harvey D. Palmer. 2003. "Investigating Heterogeneity in the Impact of Black Empowerment on Participation." Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Jay Barth. 2003. "*Narrowcasting*: Radio Advertising in American Political Campaigns." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Lauren Cohen Bell. 2002. "Leaders and Followers in the U.S. Senate: Rational Behavior or the Norm of Reciprocity?" American Political Science Association.
- Prince,* David W. and L. Marvin Overby. 2002. "Explaining Committee Outliers in State Senates." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Thomas A. Kazee, and David W. Prince.* 2001. "Committee Composition in State Legislatures: An Examination of the Causes of Committee Outliers." American

- Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Thomas A. Kazee, and David W. Prince.* 2000. "Committee Outliers in State Legislatures." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Winkle, John W., III, L. Marvin Overby, Robert D. Brown, John M. Bruce, and Charles E. Smith, Jr. 2000. "Race, Representation, and Racial Empowerment: An Examination of the Mississippi Judicial System." Citadel Symposium on Southern Politics.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1999. "The Etiology and Implications of Public Support for Congressional Leaders." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Robert D. Brown, John M. Bruce, and Charles E. Smith, Jr. 1999. "Policy Balancing in 1996: Who are the Balancers?" Midwest Political Science Association.
- Barth, Jay and L. Marvin Overby. 1998. "Are Gay Men and Lesbians in the South the New 'Threat'?": Regional Comparison of the Contact Theory." Citadel Symposium on Southern Politics.
- Auger, Vincent A. and L. Marvin Overby. 1998. "Teaching and Learning in Nanjing: Community, Communities, and Politics in an Overseas Program." American Political Science Association.
- Bruce, John M., Robert D. Brown, L. Marvin Overby, and Charles E. Smith, Jr. 1997. "Ticket-Splitting, Divided Government, and the 1996 Presidential Election." American Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Thomas A. Kazee. 1997. "Outlying Committees in the Statehouse: An Examination of the Prevalence of Committee Outliers in State Legislatures." American Political Science Association.
- Barth, Jay and L. Marvin Overby. 1997. "Contact, Context, and Citizen Attitudes Toward Gay Men and Lesbians: Results from a Recent National Survey." 20th Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Krakow, Poland.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Charles E. Smith, Jr., John M. Bruce, Robert D. Brown, and John W. Winkle, III. 1997. "Justice in Black and White: Race, Perceptions of Justice, and Diffuse Support for the Judicial System in an American State." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Hetland,[†] Gary, Christopher D. Martin,* and L. Marvin Overby. 1996. "Retirements, Retention, and Realignment: Voluntary Congressional Departures and the Pace of Partisan Change in the Post-War South." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Sarah Ritchie. 1996. "Racial Redistricting and the Representation of Minority Interests: Evidence from Two State Legislatures." American Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Sarah Ritchie. 1995. "Symbolic vs. Substantive Representation?: Racial Redistricting in the Mississippi State Legislature." Southern Political Science Association.
- Brown, Robert D. and L. Marvin Overby. 1995. "Race, Redistricting, and Re-election: The Fate of White Incumbent Democrats in the 1994 Congressional Elections." American Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1995. "Free Voting in a Provincial Parliament: The Case of 'Same-Sex' Legislation in Ontario, 1994." Canadian Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Leonardo Valdes. 1995. "Parties and Partisanship in Contemporary North America." Conference on "Los Sistemas politicos de America del Norte, hoy: Desafios y convergencias," Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico City.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Robert D. Brown. 1995. "Electoral Coalitions and the Politics of Supreme Court Confirmation Votes: Re-election Constituencies and the Senate Vote on Justice Clarence Thomas." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Fisher, Samuel, III, L. Marvin Overby, and Richard Vengroff. 1994. "The 1994 Quebec

- Provincial Elections: Party Realignment, Independence Referendum, or More of the Same?" American Council for Quebec Studies.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Robert D. Brown, Jennifer M. Davis,* Charles E. Smith, and David B. Holian.† 1994. "The Prevalence and Dynamics of Outlier Committees in the U.S. Congress: 1951-1990." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Kenneth M. Cosgrove. 1994. "Unintended Consequences?: Racial Redistricting and the Representation of Minority Interests." American Political Science Association.
- Holian,† David B., Robert D. Brown, L. Marvin Overby, and Charles E. Smith, Jr. 1994. "Committees as Preference Outliers: When is a Difference a Difference?" Midwest Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Kenneth M. Johnson. 1993. "Senior Citizens and Constituency Clout." American Political Science Association.
- Tatalovich, Raymond, L. Marvin Overby, and Donley T. Studlar. 1993. "Patterns of Abortion Voting in the Canadian House of Commons." Canadian Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Todd Lough,* and Anne C. Layzell.* 1993. "Follow the Bouncing Checks: Correlates and Consequences of the 1992 House Banking Scandal." Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1992. "Inexperienced Amateurs, Vulnerable Incumbents, and Political Change: Southern Republicans in the House of Representatives, 1946-1990." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin, Beth M. Henschen, Julie Strauss, and Michael H. Walsh.* 1992. "African-American Constituents and Supreme Court Nominees: An Examination of the Confirmations of Thurgood Marshall and Clarence Thomas." American Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Timothy B. Krebs.* 1992. "Excuses, Excuses: Congressional Adjournment Dates and Incumbent Return Rates, 1946-1990." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Frendreis, John P. and L. Marvin Overby. 1992. "Reversal of Fortune: The Rise and Fall of the Southern Republican Senate Class of 1980." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1991. "Political Amateurism, Legislative Inexperience, an Incumbency Behavior: Southern Republican Senators, 1980-1986." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Sarah Ritchie. 1990. "Mobilized Masses and Strategic Opponents: A Resource Mobilization Analysis of the Clean Air and Nuclear Freeze Movements and Their Opponents." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1989. "Inputs and Outcomes of Western Peace Movements: An Application of Kitschelt's Political Opportunities Structures Thesis." 14th European Studies Conference, University of Nebraska-Omaha.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1989. "The Politics of Parochialism: Southern Senators and the Southern Democracy in the 1980s." American Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Sarah Ritchie. 1989. "Mobilized Masses and Strategic Opponents: A Reassessment of Policy-Making in the Wake of the Clean Air and Nuclear Freeze Movements." Midwest Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1989. "Assessing Constituency Influence: A Loglinear Model of Congressional Voting on the Nuclear Freeze, 1982-1983." Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin and Kenneth M. Cosgrove. 1988. "A Clash of Conceptions: Democratic Theories and the Ongoing Struggle for Northern Ireland." Western Political Science

Association.

- Overby, L. Marvin. 1987. "Our Peculiar Defects': Tocqueville on the Literature of Democracies." Southern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1987. "Implementing the New Federalism: Lessons from the Environmental Protection Agency's National Municipal Policy, 1984-1985." 5th Student Pugwash USA International Conference, Stanford University.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1987. "Politics and Integration: The Case of the Central American Common Market. Institute of Latin American Studies Student Association, University of Texas.
- Copeland, Gary W. and L. Marvin Overby. 1987. "Legislative Socialization and Inter-Branch Rivalry: An Empirical Assessment of the Carter and Reagan Presidencies." Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Overby, L. Marvin. 1986. "The Politicization of Principle: The Nuclear Freeze Movement in Congress, 1982-1983." Southern Political Science Association.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Barbara Sinclair Lectureship Committee, American Political Science Association, 2024.
- Dissertation Award Committee, Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs, and Administration (NASPAA), 2021-present.
- Big Ten Academic Alliance Department Executive Officers Seminar, Fall 2022.
- Council, Southern Political Science Association, 2019-2022.
- Selection Committee, Congressional Fellowship Program, American Political Science Association, 2019.
- Associate Editor, *Journal of Legislative Studies*, 2008-present.
- Vice president and Program Chair, Southwestern Political Science Association, 2003-2004.
- Executive Director, Southern Political Science Association, 1999-2001.
- Editorial Board, *American Journal of Political Science*, 1998-2001.
- Member, Site Selection Committee, Southwestern Social Science Association, 1999-2002.
- Chair, Nominations Committee, Southwestern Political Science Association, 1997-1998.
- Committee member, 1996-1998.
- Section Head, "Executives and Legislatures," 1996 Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Editor, *Extensions*, Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center, university of Oklahoma, 1986-1988.

DOCTORAL STUDENTS (*co-chair)

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| Susan M. Miller (2010) | Arizona State University (previously, Ohio State University, Oklahoma State University, and the University of South Carolina) |
| Jiangying Wang (2012) | Radio Free Asia (Washington, DC) |
| Nicole Foster-Shoaf (2013) | Missouri Southern State University (previously Lincoln University, Jefferson City, MO) |
| Jacob Holt (2013) | Columbus State University (previously University of Wisconsin-La Crosse) |
| Benjamin Hall (2013) | BlueCross BlueShield of Tennessee (previously Cengage Learning, Boston) |
| Kayla Crider (2014) | Office of Research, Missouri State Senate |
| Jennifer Dubé* (2015) | Walt Disney Company (previously National Media, Inc., Alexandria, VA) |
| Theodore J. Masthay (2018) | DeSales University (previously Augustana University and |

COURSES TAUGHT

Undergraduate: Introductory American Government
 Legislative Process
 Comparative Legislatures
 American Presidency
 Politics of the American South
 Democracy in America (and Elsewhere)
 Overview of Liberal Democratic Theory and Practice (Tutorial)
 Developing Dynamics of Democracy (Summer Study Abroad)

Graduate: Scope and Method of Political Science
 Seminar in American Legislative Politics
 Seminar in Southern Politics
 Seminar in American Political Institutions

CONSULTING

Political Analyst for Kansas and Missouri. Consulate-General of Japan, Chicago, 2016-2018.
Thomas Green v Missouri Republican State Committee, Circuit Court of St. Charles County, Missouri. 2007
Milyo, Jeffrey and Marvin Overby. 2006. "Report on *Kathleen Weinschenk et al. v State of Missouri et al. and Jackson County, Missouri v State of Missouri (Consolidated)*." Circuit Court of Cole County, Missouri

PERSONAL GRANTS and LEAVES

John W. Kluge Center, Library of Congress. Distinguished Visiting Scholar, "Elections that Echo: The Most Significant Congressional Elections in American History." Fall 2018, \$40,000.
Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy, University of Missouri. Research and Travel Grant, "Archival Research for book manuscript *Elections that Echo: The Most Important Congressional Campaigns in American History*." 2018-19. \$3,500.
Carl Albert Center Congressional Archives. Visiting Scholars Program, "Douglas v Nixon, 1950 California Senate Race." 2017-18, \$976.
Research Council, University of Missouri. Faculty International Travel Award, "Travel to the Third General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research Standing Group on Parliaments (Munich)." Summer 2016, \$2,000.
Kinder Forum on Constitutional Democracy, University of Missouri. Course Development Grant, 2014. \$5,750.
International Center, University of Missouri. Site Visit Award for Short-term Study Abroad (Strasbourg, France), 2014. \$2,000.
University of Missouri, College of Arts and Science Alumni Organization Faculty Incentive Grant, "Archival Research on Discharge Petitions." 2010, \$1,250.
Carl Albert Center Congressional Archives, Visiting Scholars Program, "Discharge Petitions in Context." 2008, \$800.
Dirksen Center, Congressional Research Award, "Discharge Petitions in the Pre-Conditional Party Government Era." 2008, \$3,294.
Research Council, University of Missouri, "Discharge Behavior in the U. S. House of Representatives, 1931-1976." 2007-2008, \$962.
Office of Research, University of Missouri, Faculty International Travel Award. "Travel to the

- 57th Political Studies Association Annual Conference, University of Bath, United Kingdom." Spring 2007, \$1,500.
- European Union Center, University of Missouri, "Starter Grant for Developing Exchange Program with Hungarian Universities." 2007-2008. \$3,500. With Edmund Lambeth.
- Research Board, University of Missouri System, "The Institutionalization of Colonial and State Legislatures: 1781-1824." 2005-2007. \$13,400. With Jay Dow.
- Center for Arts and Humanities, University of Missouri. "Research Travel to Washington, DC, for Archival Work on the History of the Filibuster in the United States Senate." Fall 2004, \$500.
- Office of Research, University of Missouri. Faculty International Travel Award, "Travel to the Scientific Meeting of the International Society for Political Psychology, Lund, Sweden." Summer 2004, \$1,500.
- Global Scholars Summer Seminar in Russia, International Studies Center, University of Missouri, June 2004.
- Canadian Studies Program, Government of Canada, Faculty Research Grant, "The Politics of Same-Sex Rights in Canada: An Examination and Analysis of Recent Provincial, Judicial, and Parliamentary Developments." Summer 2004, \$7,000.
- International Center, University of Missouri. Internationalizing the Curriculum Award. Fall 2003, \$1,000.
- National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar, "American Constitutionalism in Comparative Perspective," University of Notre Dame, Summer 2003, \$3,700.
- University of Mississippi. Sabbatical Leave, "The Etiology and Implications of Public Opinion Regarding Congressional Leaders." Fall 2001
- Government of Canada. Canadian Studies Faculty Enrichment Grant, "Development of a Syllabus for a Course on Canadian Politics." Summer 1999, \$4,500.
- College of Liberal Arts, University of Mississippi, Faculty Development Grant, "Travel to the Scientific Meeting of the International Society for Political Psychology, Krakow, Poland." Summer 1997, \$800.
- Office of Research, University of Mississippi. Faculty Research Small Grant, "The Roots of Cooperative Behavior in the U. S. Senate: Rational Choice or the Norm of Reciprocity?" Summer 1996, \$1,000.
- College of Liberal Arts, University of Mississippi. Faculty Development Grant, "Travel to the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association." Spring 1996, \$400.
- College of Liberal Arts, University of Mississippi. Faculty Development Grant, "Travel to the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Montreal, Quebec." Summer 1995, \$425.
- Canadian Studies Program, Government of Canada. Faculty Research Grant, "Free Voting in Canada: An Examination of the Federal and Selected Provincial Parliaments." Summer 1994, \$5,000.
- Office of Research, University of Mississippi. Faculty Summer Support Grant, "Unintended Consequences: Race-Based Redistricting and the Representation of Minority Interests." Summer 1994, \$4,000.
- University of Mississippi. Partner's Grant, "Purchase of a Laptop PC for Off-Campus Research Activities," Chancellor's Office, Spring 1994, \$1,000.
- Loyola University Chicago, Paid Leave of Absence, "Inexperienced Amateurs, Vulnerable Incumbents, and Political Change: Southern Republicans in the House of Representatives, 1946-1990." Spring semester 1994 (declined).
- Loyola University Chicago, Summer Research Stipend, "Exploring the Roots of Legislative Committee Strength: An Empirical Test of the 'Ex Post Veto' Hypothesis." Summer

- 1993, \$4,000 (declined).
- Loyola University Chicago, Research Support Grant, "Inexperienced Amateurs, Vulnerable Incumbents, and Political Change: Southern Republicans in the House of Representatives, 1946-1990." Summer 1992, \$1,200.
- Loyola University Chicago, Research Support Grant, "Excuses, Excuses: Congressional Adjournment Dates and Incumbent Return Rates, 1946-1990." Summer 1991, \$1,000.
- Thomas J. Watson Fellowship, "The Role of the European Communities in Cross-Border Irish Relations," Thomas J. Watson Foundation, 1983-84, \$10,000.

FUNDED ACTIVITIES and GRANTS (University of Mississippi Social Science Research Laboratory)

- "Mississippi Alliance for Prevention — Evaluation Component," Governor's Office and Mississippi Department of Mental Health, 2001-2004, \$404,000.
- "Assessment of the Mississippi Pilot Tobacco Program: Teen-Oriented, Anti-Tobacco Media Campaign," Mississippi Department of Health, 1999-2000, \$300,000.
- "Assessment of the Crime and Security Needs of Elderly Mississippians," Mississippi Leadership Council on Aging, Spring-Summer 1999, \$31,000.
- "Retirement Community Feasibility Study," City of Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce, Summer - Fall 1997, \$75,000.
- "User Satisfaction Survey for Library Re-Accreditation," John Davis Williams Library, University of Mississippi, Spring 1997, \$750.
- "Survey of Political Science Departments," American Political Science Association, Spring 1997, \$7,500.
- "Coahoma Community College Needs Assessment," Coahoma Community College, Spring 1997, \$24,092.
- "Network Infrastructure Upgrade for the Social Science Research Laboratory," University of Mississippi Associates Grant, Spring 1997, \$7,215.
- "1996 Mississippi Elderly Needs Assessment Study," Mississippi Department of Human Services (coordinated with Dr. JoAnn O'Quin), Spring 1996, \$113,800.
- "Planning and Development District Elderly Needs Assessment," Mississippi Association of Planning and Development Districts, Spring 1996, \$57,400.
- "Public, Student, Teacher, and Staff Perceptions in the Oxford School District," Oxford School District, Spring 1996, \$12,500.
- "Needs Assessment/Marketing Survey for the University of Mississippi's Branch Campuses in Tupelo and Southaven," Chancellor's Office and the Office of Public Relations at the University of Mississippi, and the Ramey Agency, Fall 1995, \$42,300.
- "Public Perceptions of Bias in the Mississippi Courts," the Supreme Court of Mississippi's Committee on Bias in the Courts, Fall 1995.
- "Public Attitudes About the Mississippi Judiciary," the Mississippi Judicial Advisory Study Committee (in collaboration with Dr. John W. Winkle, III), Fall 1995, \$25,000.
- "Needs Assessment Survey," Division of Child and Family Services, Mississippi Department of Human Services, Spring 1995, \$16,500.
- "Public Attitudes Towards Sports Gambling," Mississippi Gaming Commission (coordinated with Mississippi State University's Social Science Research Center), Winter 1995, \$7,500.

OTHER FUNDED ACTIVITY

- Office of the Provost, University of Missouri, "Access Missouri Project." 2014, \$25,000.
- University of Missouri and Jack Miller Center for Teaching America's Founding Principles and

History, "Forum on Constitutional Democracy," 2014-2016, \$1,500,000.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- Profs and Pints (Washington, DC), "Death Comes to Congress," October 2023.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, "Reconstruction, Redemption, and the American Story," July 2023.
- Profs and Pints (Washington, DC), "What the Bill of Rights Got Wrong," July 2023.
- Epoka University (Albania), "Constitutions Amendments Process with a Particular Focus on the American Case," May 2023.
- Nanyang Technological University (Singapore), S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, "The Domestic and Foreign Policy Implications of the 2022 U. S. Midterm Elections," November 2022.
- Penn State Harrisburg, School of Public Affairs, "The 2022 Midterms: A Postmortem," November 2022.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, "Great Migration: Scope, Causes, and Consequences," July 2022.
- Penn State Harrisburg, Constitution Day Colloquium, "'Congress Shall Make No Law': Rights, Selectivity, and Incorporation," June 2022.
- WITF and Penn State Harrisburg panel on "The Lasting Legacy of Benjamin Franklin," March 2022.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, "Reconstruction and Redemption (and Reconstruction and Redemption)," June 2021.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, "Reconstruction and Redemption," June 2019.
- Eastern Michigan University, Department of Political Science, "Just Walk Away: 2018 Congressional Retirements and Resignations in Historical Perspective," March 2019.
- American Political Science Association, Congressional Fellowship Program, "This Way to the Egress: Voluntary and Involuntary Departures from the U. S. Congress," November 2018.
- United States Capitol Historical Society, "Calling It Quits: Voluntary Departures from the U. S. Senate, 1919-2018." November 2018. (See: [youtube.com/watch?v=WvNO0E_WJ8Y](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WvNO0E_WJ8Y)).
- Mount St. Mary's University, Department of Political Science, "Calling It Quits: Voluntary Departures from the U. S. Senate, 1919-2018." September 2018.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, "Reconstruction and Redemption," June 2018.
- University of Evansville, "State of Our Union: Insights from Political Science." March 2018.
- Missouri Humanities Council, "Why the First Amendment is Really the Third Amendment: A History of Proposal, Drafting, and Ratification of the Bill of Rights." Various presentation sites. December 2016 – October 2017.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, "Reconstruction and Redemption," June 2017.
- Eastern Mediterranean University (Famagusta, Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus), Department of Political Science and International Relations, "The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly: American Politics in the Age of Donald Trump." May 2017.
- University of Oklahoma, Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center, "Roundtable: The Role of the Professor in a Time of Political Turmoil." April 2017.
- United States Air Force Academy, Department of Political Science, "Legislative Careers and Legislative Retirements: Data from the House of Representatives, the Senate, and Beyond." October 2016.
- Coastal Carolina University, Department of Politics and Geography, "The Great Migration and the Making of Modern America." September 2016.
- Coastal Carolina University, Department of Politics and Geography, "Congressional Retirements:

- And What They Tell Us About Elections, the Chambers, and the Parties.” September 2016.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, “The Great Depression and New Deal,” July 2016.
- Queen’s University Belfast, School of Politics, International Studies, and Philosophy, “Senators, Retirements, and What Senate Retirements Tell Us About American Politics.” May 2016.
- League of Women Voters of Missouri, State Conference, “Contested Conventions.” April 2016.
- University of Missouri, Kinder Scholars Program, “Reconstruction and Redemption,” July 2015.
- University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Department of Political Science and Public Administration, and Program in Public Policy, “What’s in a Name?: Preferences, Discipline, and Social Identity in a Parliamentary Free Vote.” April 2014.
- University of Missouri, Program in Canadian Studies, “‘The Ugliest Word in the Language’: Legislative Retirements in Canada and the United States.” March 2014.
- Liberty School of Kansas City, “Even God Quotes Tocqueville: An Introduction to a Most Atypical Advocate of Democracy.” March 2014.
- University of Tennessee, Department of Political Science, “Discharge Petitions and the Conditional Nature of Agenda Control in the U.S. House of Representatives.” March 2014.
- University of Texas at Dallas, Program in Political Science, “Discharge Petitions and the Conditional Nature of Agenda Control in the U.S. House of Representatives.” February 2014.
- University of Idaho, Martin Institute, “Interdisciplinarity in the Modern University,” April 2013.
- Lincoln University (Jefferson City, MO), Department of History and Political Science, “Dark Diaspora: The Scope, Causes, and Political Consequences of the Great Migration,” March 2013.
- University of Missouri, College of Arts and Science’s “A Taste of Arts and Science,” “I Heard it on the Radio: ‘Narrowcasting’ in American Political Campaigns,” March 2012.
- Western Michigan University, Department of Political Science, “Why Are People Gay? ... and Why it Matters,” February 2010.
- University of Oklahoma, Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center, “Musing on Knowledge and ‘What We Know’ About Legislative Politics,” October 2009.
- Cooperative Campaign Analysis Project, Lake Arrowhead, CA, “Public Attitudes Toward Gays and Lesbians,” October 2009.
- Leiden University, Department of Political Science, “Radio Advertising in American National Elections,” March 2009.
- University of North Carolina – Charlotte, Department of Political Science, “Discharge Behavior in the Modern House,” April 2008.
- Central European University (Budapest, Hungary), Department of Political Science, “Radio Advertising in American Political Campaigns,” March 2008.
- University of Redlands, Department of Political Science, “‘Party or Petition’: Discharge Behavior in the Modern House,” December 2007.
- University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Department of Political Science, “‘Party or Petition’: Discharge Behavior in the Modern House,” October 2007.
- University of Missouri, Truman School of Public Affairs Research Seminar, “‘Party or Petition’: Discharge Behavior in the Modern House,” October 2007.
- University of Missouri Working Group on Canadian Studies, “Coming in Third: Analyzing the Canadian Parliament’s Free Vote on Same-Sex Marriage,” February 2007.
- University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, “Investigating Heterogeneity in the Impact of Black Political Empowerment,” October 2006.

- Nanjing University, “Black Elite Electoral Success and Public Feelings of Empowerment,” December 2005.
- Johns Hopkins University-Nanjing University Center for Chinese and American Studies, “Supreme Court Appointments: Process and Politics,” October 2005
- University of Missouri, Gaines/Oldham Black Culture Center, “The Rights of All: Blacks and the U.S. Constitution,” October 2004.
- University of Missouri, Asian Affairs Center, All-China Youth Federation Delegation, “Public Opinion in the United States,” May 2004
- University of Missouri Working Group on Canadian Studies, “Of Provinces, Parliaments, Parties, and Procedures: The Case of ‘Same-Sex’ Legislation in Ontario,” December 2002.
- Harry F. Byrd Visiting Scholar, James Madison University, “The Rise and Stall of the Republican Party in the South,” October 2002.
- Mary Baldwin College, “‘In a Free Country’: Political Parties in the United States,” October 2002.
- University of Missouri, Department of Political Science, “Committee Outliers in State Legislatures: A Counting Of and Accounting for Unrepresentative Committees in the Statehouse,” January 2002.
- University of Arkansas, Department of Political Science, “Minority Empowerment in the South: An Examination of Public Attitudes Toward the Judiciary in Mississippi,” January 2002.
- Peter Pazmany Catholic University (Budapest, Hungary), Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, “You Can’t Understand One Without the Other: Southern Politics and American Politics in the 20th Century,” April 2001.
- Georgia State University, Department of Political Science, “Committee Outliers in State Legislatures: Data and Observations from a Forty-five State Sample,” March 2001.
- University of Debrecen (Debrecen, Hungary), Faculty of Humanities, “Representation of Minority Interests in the United States: Historical Development and Contemporary Issues,” November 2000.
- Samford University, Department of Political Science, “Damned if You Do, Damned if You Don’t: Contemporary Congressional Leadership and the Dilemma of Public Opinion,” March 2000.
- Vanderbilt University, Department of Political Science, “Outliers in the Statehouse: An Examination of Committee Outliers in American State Legislatures,” November 1999.

SELECTED UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Pennsylvania State University-Harrisburg

Recruitment Committee Co-Chair, Assistant Dean for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, 2021

University of Missouri

Campus Promotion and Tenure Advisory Committee, 2016-2017

Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy, Advisory Board, 2016-2018

Core Faculty, 2014-2019

University of Missouri-Columbia, Research Council, 2015-2016

Minor in American Constitutional Democracy, Faculty Advisory Committee, 2013-2019

University of Missouri System Research Board, 2007-2011, 2013.

Ad Hoc Member, Subcommittee on Social and Behavioral Science, 2013, 2014, 2017

Chair, 2010-2011

Convener, Subcommittee on Social and Behavioral Sciences, 2009-2010

Chair, Promotion Committee, Department of Communications, 2013

Committee on Faculty Responsibility, 2008-2019
 Campus Writing Board, 2004-2007.
 Committee on Academic Appeals, College of Arts and Science, 2004-2007
 Chair, Lectureship in American Traditions and Values Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2003-2004
 Executive Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2003-2004, 2006-2009.
 Chair, 2007-2008
 Executive Committee, Department of Political Science, 2002-2008, 2011-2013, 2015-2018
 Chair, Recruitment Committees, Department of Political Science, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2006-2007, 2008-2009, 2011-2012
 Multicultural Studies Committee, Office of the Vice Provost for Undergraduate Studies, 2002-2003

University of Mississippi

Planning Committee, Symposium on the Scientific, Ethical, Legal, and Societal Implications of Stem Cell Research, 2001-2002
 Faculty Senate, 1998-2000, 2002
 Chair, Faculty Governance Committee, 2002
 Chair, General Academic Affairs Committee, 1999-2000
 Member, Senate Executive Committee, 1999-2000, 2002
 Housing Judicial Council, 1999-2000
 Committee on Academic Freedom and Faculty Responsibility, 1999-2000
 Academic Discipline Committee, 1998-2000, 2001-2002
 Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, 1994-1997

Loyola University Chicago

Graduate Fellowships Committee, Graduate School, 1992-1993
 Graduate Committee, Department of Political Science, 1992-1993
 Faculty Coordinator, Loyola-Catholic University Washington Semester Exchange Program, College of Arts and Science, 1991-1992

TEACHING AWARDS

Gold Chalk Award for Graduate Teaching Excellence, University of Missouri, 2019
 Mizzou '39 Mentor, Mizzou Alumni Association, 2019
 Excellence in Education Award, Division of Student Affairs, University of Missouri, 2016
 Mizzou '39 Mentor, Mizzou Alumni Association, 2016
 Provost's Award for Leadership in International Education, University of Missouri, 2015
 Ann K. Covington Award for Undergraduate Mentoring, University of Missouri, 2015
 Faculty Fellows Award, European Union Center, University of Missouri, 2008
 Cora Lee Graham Award for Outstanding Teaching of Freshman Students, College of Liberal Arts, University of Mississippi, 1999

GRADUATE HONORS

Carl Albert Fellowship, University of Oklahoma, 1985-1990
 Congressional Fellowship, American Political Science Association, 1988-1989 (Legislative Assistant to Rep. David E. Price, D-N.C.)
 Harriet Harvey Memorial Scholarship, University of Oklahoma, 1988-1989
 John H. Leek Memorial Scholarship, Department of Political Science, University of Oklahoma, 1987 and 1988

REFERENCES

On request.

October 2023