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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Current Position

- Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, *University of Connecticut*, 2009-present.

Previous Positions

- Associate Editor, *Polity*, 2010-2015.
- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, *University of Connecticut*, 2002-2009.
- Adjunct Professor, Department of Government, *University of Texas at Austin*, 2000-2002.
- Adjunct Professor, Department of Government, *Austin Community College*, 1998-1999.

Education

- Ph.D., *University of Texas at Austin*, 2002, Department of Government
Dissertation: *Party Development and the Depoliticization of Interests*.
Committee: Brian Roberts (chair), Walter Dean Burnham, Tse-Min Lin, Robert Moser, Alan Kessler, Stephen Bronars.
Published: 2002, Ann Arbor, MI: ProQuest/UMI Dissertation Publishing.
- B.A., *University of Wisconsin at Madison*, 1993, Department of
Political Science
University of Wisconsin at Madison, 1993, Department of
Economics
· Emphasis in Mathematics

PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

Books

In Print or Forthcoming

Confronting Trump: How the 2020 Democratic Presidential Nomination Was Won.
Lawrence, University Press of Kansas. (under contract).

Articles and Chapters

In Print or Forthcoming

“Income Inequality and Ideological Positions in the U.S. Congress” Forthcoming. *Political Research Quarterly*.

“‘Appearances Do Matter’: Congressional District Compactness and Electoral Turnout.”
2018. *Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy* 17 (2): 137-150.

“Vetoing the Future: Political Constraints and Renewable Energy.” 2017. *Environmental Politics* 26 (1): 49-70. (with Oksan Bayulgen).

- “Before the Lines are Drawn: Congressional Apportionment in Florida” in *Jigsaw Puzzle Politics in the Sunshine State*, ed. Seth C. McKee. 2015. University of Florida Press.
- “The Devil’s in the Details: Evaluating the One Person, One Vote Principle in American Politics.” 2014. *Politics and Governance* 2 (1): 4-30. (with Seth C. McKee).
- “Owning Valence Issues: The Impact of a ‘Culture of Corruption’ on the 2006 Midterm Elections.” 2013. *Congress & the Presidency* 40 (2): 129-51. (with Samuel J. Best and Danielle C. Wong).
- “Political Trust and the Health of Democracy in the United States: Rethinking Traditional Measures and Interpretations.” 2013. *Revista Mexicana de Analisis Politico y Administracion Publica* 2 (1): 109-27. (with Joe Gershtenson and Dennis L. Plane).
- “One Person, One Vote, 435 Seats: Interstate Malapportionment and Constitutional Requirements.” 2011. *Connecticut Law Review* 43 (4): 1125-56.
- “The Global Political Economy of Trade: Neo-Classical Liberal Views on Impacts” 2010. In Robert A. Denemark’s (ed.) *The International Studies Encyclopedia*, vol. XI. Oxford, England: Wiley-Blackwell Publishing Ltd., pp.7061-79.
- “Ideological Polarization and the Vanishing of Marginals: Retrospective Roll-Call Voting in the U.S. Congress.” 2010. *The Journal of Politics* 72 (2): 499-512.
- “Housing Starts and the Political Business Cycle.” 2008. *American Politics Research* 36 (5): 776-98.
- “On the Causes and Consequences of and Remedies for Interstate Malapportionment of the U.S. House of Representatives.” 2008. *Perspective on Politics* 6 (1): 89-107 (with Mathew Jasinski)
- “The Effect of Risk Perceptions on Online Political Participatory Decisions.” 2007. *Journal of Information Technology and Politics* 4 (1): 5-17. (with Samuel Best and Brian Krueger)
- “Democratization and Success in the Global Economy: Are they Compatible?” 2007. *The International Journal of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences* 2 (1): 321-28. (with Oksan Bayulgen)
- “Examining the Different Types of Foreign Capital and their Political Effects.” 2007. *The International Journal of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences* 2 (1): 161-68. (with Oksan Bayulgen)
- “Parties, Institutional Control, and Trust in Government.” 2006. *Social Science Quarterly* 87 (4): 882-902. (with Joseph Gershtenson and Dennis Plane)
- “Domestic Influences on International Trade Policy: Factor Mobility in the United States, 1963 to 1992.” 2006. *International Organization* 60 (1): 69-103.

“Privacy in the Information Age.” 2006. *Public Opinion Quarterly* 70 (3): 375-401. (with Samuel Best and Brian Krueger)

“Conditional Party Government and the Homogeneity of Constituent Interests.” 2005. *The Journal of Politics* 67 (4): 1006-29.

“The Influence of the Legislative Environment on Conference Committees during the 98th and 106th Congresses.” 2005. *Extension of Remarks* 28 (1). (with James Bourbeau)

Other Publications

Newspapers

“Democrats want to make D.C. a state. Here’s what it would take.” *The Washington Post, The Monkey Cage*. <https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2019/06/20/democrats-are-considering-making-dc-state-heres-what-it-would-take/>.

“Trump’s fight to count US citizens and non-citizens: 5 questions answered.” *The Conversation*. <https://theconversation.com/trumps-fight-to-count-us-citizens-and-non-citizens-5-questions-answered-120957>.

Exit Polls Analyst and Article Contributor, *New York Times*, November 6, 2012.

“Insights From the Super Tuesday Exit Polls” *New York Times*, March 6, 2012.

“Exit Polls: Gas Prices” *New York Times*, March 6, 2012.

“Exit Polls: Age of Voters” *New York Times*, March 6, 2012.

“Exit Polls: Ohio Independents” *New York Times*, March 6, 2012.

“Exit Polls: Early Deciders” *New York Times*, March 6, 2012.

Conference Presentations

Invited Conferences

“Presidential Elections” *Merryall Lecture Series*, New Milford, CT. October 7, 2012.

“One-Person, One-Vote, 435 seats: Interstate Malapportionment and Constitutional Requirements” *Is Our Constitutional Order Broken?* University of Connecticut Law School Symposium. October 15, 2010.

U Vote – 2008 Election symposium sponsored by The University of Connecticut. October 20, 2008.

Domestic Preferences and Foreign Economic Policy conference, Niehaus Center for Globalization and Government, Princeton University. April 18-19, 2008.

“The People’s Branch: Current Issues in Congressional Representation of Constituent Interests.” *The Association of Centers for the Study of Congress* annual meeting. May 10-11, 2006.

Election Polling: Lessons Learned symposium sponsored by the Roper Center for Social Inquiry and the University of Connecticut. November 19, 2002.

Other Conferences

“Murder and Presidential Elections: A Cultivation-Based Issue-Ownership Theory of Local Television News and Its Geographic Structure.” *Southern Political Science Association*, January 2020, San Juan, Puerto Rico. (with Oksan Bayulgen).

“Murder and Presidential Elections: A Cultivation-Based Issue-Ownership Theory of Local Television News and Its Geographic Structure.” *Southwest Social Science Association*, April 2017, Austin, TX.

“‘Appearances Do Matter’: Congressional District Compactness and Its Electoral Consequences.” *Midwest Political Science Association*, August 2014, Washington D.C. (with Danielle C. Wong).

- “‘Appearances Do Matter’: Congressional District Compactness and Its Electoral Consequences.” *Midwest Political Science Association*, April 2014, Chicago, IL. (with Danielle C. Wong).
- “Book Panel: Ron Suskind’s *Confidence Men*” *New England Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2012, Portsmouth, NH.
- “One Person, One Vote: Principle versus Reality in Congressional Apportionment.” *State Politics and Policy Conference* annual meeting, February 2012, Houston, TX.
- “Murder and Presidential Elections: The Effects of Local News and Crime on Aggregate Presidential Vote Choice.” *International Society of Political Psychology* annual meeting, July 2011, Istanbul, Turkey. (with Oksan Bayulgen, David Jones, and Monika McDermott).
- “Death and Politics: The Social, Economic, and Political Sources of County-Level Mortality Rates in the United States” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2011, Chicago, IL. (with Timothy Callaghan).
- “Income Inequality and Ideological Positions in the U.S. Congress” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2010, Chicago, IL.
- “Income Inequality and Party Polarization in the U.S. House” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2009, Toronto, Canada. (with Samuel Best and Robert O’Brien).
- “All Politics is Local (News): The Effect of Local News on Presidential Elections, *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2009, Chicago, IL. (with Elizabeth Donovan)
- “All Politics is Local (News): The Effect of Local News on Presidential Elections, *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2008, Boston, MA. (with Elizabeth Donovan)
- “Retrospective Voting in the U.S. House and Ideological Polarization.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2007, Chicago, IL. (with Stephen Napier)
- “Descriptive Characteristics and Representation: Civil Rights Ideology in the U.S. House” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2007, Chicago, IL. (with Michelle Dube)
- “Equal Representation? Race and Legislators’ Support for Civil Rights.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2007, Chicago, IL. (with Michelle Dube)
- “Ideological Polarization and the Vanishing of Electoral Margins.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2007, Chicago, IL. (with Stephen Napier)
- “Home Sweet Home: The Electoral Effects of Asset Construction and Acquisition.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2006, Philadelphia, PA. (with Chris Andrews and James Bourbeau).
- “Political Business Cycle and Asset Construction” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2006, Chicago, IL. (with Chris Andrews and James Bourbeau).
- “Legislative Organization and Conference Committee Selection” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2005, Washington, D.C. (with James Bourbeau).
- “Disaggregating Globalization: The Mixed Effects of Foreign Capital on Democratization.” *International Studies Association* annual meeting, March 2005, Honolulu, Hawaii (with Oksan Bayulgen).

- “The Nature of Conferee Selection in the U.S. House of Representatives.” *Northeast Political Science Association* annual meeting, November 2004, Boston, MA. (with James Bourbeau)
- “Socio-Pocketbook Partisan Voting: A Hybrid Model of Constituent Economic Interests and Congressional Vote Choice.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, September 2004, Chicago, IL.
- “PocketBook Voting Revisited: Partisanship, Economic Interests and Congressional Elections, 1963-1992.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2004, Chicago, IL.
- “Dictators and Democrats: Polarizing Effects of Political Institution on FDI Performance.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2004, Chicago, IL. (with Oksan Bayulgen)
- “Policies, Parties, and Trust in Government: Implications of the 2002 Elections.” *Southern Political Science Association* annual meeting, January 8 – 10, 2004, New Orleans, LA. (with Joseph Gershtenson and Dennis Plane)
- “Divergent Development: The Political Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, August 2003, Philadelphia, PA. (with Oksan Bayulgen)
- “Party-in-Government: Economic Interests, Secular Trends and Voting in the U.S. Congress.” *International Political Science Association* annual meeting, June 2003, Durban, South Africa.
- “Divergent Development: The Political Determinants of Foreign Direct Investment.” *International Political Science Association* annual meeting, June 2003, Durban, South Africa. (with Oksan Bayulgen).
- “Party-in-the-Electorate: Economic Interests and Congressional Vote Choice.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 3 – 6, 2003, Chicago, IL.
- “Party-in-Government: Economic Interests, Secular Trends and Partisan Voting in the U.S. Congress.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, August 2002, Boston, MA.
- “Decline of Parties and the Depoliticization of Interests.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2002, Chicago, IL.
- “Interests and Votes: A Class and Sectoral Analysis of House Voting Patterns.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting, Sept. 2001, San Francisco, CA.
- “Economic Representation: The Connection Between Interests and Votes.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2001, Chicago, IL.
- “Foreign Economic Policy: Economic Incentives and Congressional Coalitions.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2000, Chicago, IL.
- “Between Politics and Economics: The Sectional Foundations of Monetary Politics.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting. September 1999, Atlanta, GA.
- “Between Politics and Economics: The Sectional Foundations of Monetary Politics.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting. April 1999, Chicago, IL.
- “The Politics of the IMF.” *Southwestern Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 1999, San Antonio, TX.
- “International Monetary Fund: An Analysis of the Domestic Sources of Foreign Affairs.” *Western Political Science Association* annual meeting, March 1999, Seattle, WA.
- “Monetary Politics: A Sectional Analysis of Coalitions and Conflicts.” *American Political Science Association* annual meeting. September 1998, Boston, MA.
- “International Economics and Domestic Policies.” *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting. April 1998, Chicago, IL.

PROFESSIONAL TEACHING and ADVISING

Courses Taught (U=undergraduate; G=graduate)

American Politics

Introduction to American Politics (U); Congress in Theory and Practice (U); Congressional Redistricting and Apportionment (U); Presidency and the Media (U); State and Local Politics (U); Urban Politics (U); American Presidency (U); Making the Modern American President (U); Modern American Presidency (U); Presidency and Congress (U,G); Presidential Elections (U); American Political Parties (U,G); American Politics Pro-Seminar (G).

Political Economy

American Political Economy (U,G); American Trade Politics (U); Congressional Trade Politics (U).

Quantitative Methods

Quantitative Methods of Political Science (G).

Instructional Websites Created

- www.dimpledchad.info
Best Instructional Software Award, American Political Science Association (2013) with Samuel Best, Brian Krueger, and Clifford Vickrey
- http://magic.lib.uconn.edu/magic_2/onlinetools/redistricting_short/index.html

Academic Advising

2019-2020

- Faculty Advisor to 9 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Fizza Alam, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor).
- Nicholas Hall, *Political Science Bennett Scholar* (major advisor).
- Kyle Fishbein, *Political Science Independent Study*: “A History of Apportionment and the Efficiency Gap in Connecticut.” (major advisor).
- Kyle Fishbein, *Political Science Independent Study*: “District Compactness in the Connecticut Legislature.” (major advisor).

2018-2019

- Faculty Advisor to 9 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Misha Jetwa, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor).

2017-2018

- Faculty Advisor to 12 undergraduate and graduate students.

2016-2017

- Faculty Advisor to 14 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Carl Costa, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor). Currently in the Peace Corp in Malawi.
- Clifford Vickrey, *Political Science Doctorate Thesis* (associate advisor): currently adjunct professor at the University of Connecticut.

2015-2016

- Faculty Advisor to 15 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Kevin Generous, *Political Science Doctorate Thesis* (associate advisor).

2014-2015

- Faculty Advisor to 23 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Juhem Navarro-Rivera, *Political Science Doctorate Thesis* (associate advisor): currently senior policy analyst at Demos.

2013-2014

- Rodrigo Praino, *Political Science Doctorate Thesis* (major advisor): currently lecturer at Flinders University.
- Clifford Vickrey, *Political Science Master Thesis* (associate advisor).
- Danielle C. Wong, *Political Science Master Thesis* (associate advisor).
- Faculty Advisor to 20 undergraduate and graduate students.

2012-2013

- Connor Bergen, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor).
- Nicholas Easton, *Political Science Doctorate Thesis* (associate advisor): currently assistant professor at Columbus State University.
- Faculty Advisor to 26 undergraduate and graduate students.

2011-2012

- TJ Dubeansky, *Political Science Master Thesis* (major advisor): currently at Capital Workforce Partners.
- Taylor Poro, *Political Science Master Thesis* (major advisor): currently at USDA Rural Development.
- Faculty Advisor to 35 undergraduate and graduate students.

2010-2011

- Timothy Callaghan, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): Currently tenure-track assistant professor at Texas A&M.
- Faculty Advisor to 32 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to 6 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* interns.

2009-2010

- Peter Seilman, *Political Science Dissertation Thesis* (associate advisor).
- Jason Rich, *Political Science Dissertation* (reader): currently associate professor at George College.
- Michael Mitchell, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): currently policy analyst at Centeron Budget.
- Faculty Advisor to 31 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to 5 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* interns.

2008-2009

- Chris Paskewitz, *Political Science Dissertation* (reader): Currently tenure-track at Centre College.
- Robert O'Brien, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor).
~Won the *Political Science Thesis* award~
- Chris Holcomb, *Political Science Master's Thesis* (associate advisor).
- Faculty Advisor to 33 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to 8 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* interns.

2007-2008

- Jeffrey Stephen Ferketic, Political Science, *University Scholar Honors Thesis* (major co-advisor): currently an associate attorney at Weil, Gotshal & Manges.
~*Mitchell Scholarship Finalist*~
- Elizabeth Donovan, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): Currently at U.S. House of Representatives, Office of Joe Courtney.
~Won the *Political Science Thesis* award~
- Alpa Patel, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): currently Outsourcing Senior Manager at Amgen.
- Faculty Advisor to 38 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to about 85 undergraduate *Pi Sigma Alpha* members.
- Faculty Advisor to 6 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* interns.

2006-2007

- Chris Pavasaris, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): currently Legal Compliance Analyst at Global Atlantic Financial Group.
- Meghann LaFountain, Political Science, *University Scholar Honors Thesis* (co-advisor).
~Won the *Best Political Science Thesis* award~
- Jeffrey Stephen Ferketic, Political Science, *University Scholar Honors Thesis* (major co-advisor): currently an associate attorney at Weil, Gotshal & Manges.
- Andrew Pieper, *Political Science Dissertation* (associate advisor): Currently an Associate Professor at Kennesaw State University.
- Jessica Papadoulous, Political Science and International Relations, *Senior Thesis* (major advisor): currently associate director at Merck.
- Faculty Advisor to 28 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to about 70 undergraduate *Pi Sigma Alpha* members.
- Faculty Advisor to 7 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* interns.

2005-2006

- Chase Harrison, *Political Science Dissertation* (reader): currently at Harvard University.
- Peter Seilman, *Political Science Master's Thesis* (associate advisor).
- James Bourbeau, *Political Science Master's Thesis* (associate advisor).
- Stephen Napier, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): currently attorney at Ivey, Barnum & O'Mara.
~Won the *Best Political Science Thesis* award~
- Meghann LaFountain, Political Science, *University Scholar Honors Thesis* (major co-advisor): currently attorney at Howard McMillan & Tycz.
- Faculty Advisor to 37 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to about 60 undergraduate *Pi Sigma Alpha* members.
- Faculty Advisor to 7 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* interns.

2004-2005

- David Agrawal, Political Science, *University Scholar Honors Thesis* (major advisor): Currently at Assistant Professor at the University of Kentucky, Department of Economics.
~ Won the *Audrey Beck* award~
- Joseph M. Reynolds, *Political Science Master's Thesis* (associate advisor).
- Silvia M. Adaes. *Individualized Major* (B.A.), Spring 2005 (co- advisor).
- Faculty Advisor to 33 undergraduate and graduate students.
- Faculty Advisor to 1 *UConn Washington DC Honor Program* intern.

2003-2004

- Thomas Noggle, *Political Science Master's Thesis*, (associate advisor): currently senior manager at InterContinental Hotels Group.
- Faculty Advisor to 25 undergraduate and graduate students.

2002-2003

- Mathew Jasinski, *Political Science Honors Thesis* (major advisor): currently associate attorney at MotleyRice.
- Faculty Advisor to 20 undergraduate and graduate students.

PROFESSIONAL HONORS, ACTIVITIES and SERVICE

Awards, Grants and Fellowships

- *Bennet Honors Undergraduate Research Grant*, University of Connecticut, 2017, 2020.
- *Teaching Innovation Award*, University of Connecticut, CETL, 2017.
- *Best Instructional Software Award*, American Political Science Association (2013) with Samuel Best, Brian Krueger, and Clifford Vickrey.
- *Large Faculty Grant*, University of Connecticut, 2010-2012.
- *Alan Bennett Award for Outstanding Junior Faculty in the Department of Political Science*, University of Connecticut, 2008.
- *Small Faculty Grant*, University of Connecticut, Spring 2008.
- *Pilot Survey Grant*, Center for Survey Research and Analysis, Fall 2006.
- *Small Faculty Grant*, University of Connecticut, Spring 2005.
- Research Funding, University of Connecticut, Spring 2005.
- Summer Research Funding, University of Connecticut, Summer 2003.

Professional Activities

Associate Editor

- *Polity*, The Journal of the Northeastern Political Science Association, 2010-2015.
- *The International Journal of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences*, 2007.

Book Manuscript Reviewer

CQ Press; Palgrave.

Journal Manuscript Reviewer

American Political Science Review; American Journal of Political Science; Journal of Politics; American Politics Research; International Journal of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences; International Interactions; International Studies Quarterly; Legislative Studies Quarterly; New England Journal of Political Science; Political Research Quarterly; Polity; Review of International Political Economy; Social Science Quarterly.

Panel Chair

Media Effects. *Southwest Social Science Association*, April 2017, Austin, TX.
Drift Away: Polarization in Congress. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2015, Chicago, IL.
Citizen Responses to Major Issues, Policies, and Events. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2014, Chicago, IL.
Polarization and Moderation. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2013, Chicago, IL.
Democratic Deliberation and Civic Engagement. *Graduate Student Conference on Democracy and Governance* annual meeting, March 2012. Storrs, CT.

Congressional Polarization. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April, 2011.
Graduate Student Conference on Democracy and Governance annual meeting, March 2010. Storrs, CT.
Political Geography, Institutions, Interests, and Trade Policy. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, Chicago, IL. April, 2006.
Legislative Behavior. *International Political Science Association* annual meeting Durban, South Africa. July, 2003
The State and Capitalism. 1997. *Southwestern Political Science Association* annual meeting, New Orleans, LA. March, 1997.

Discussant

Parties and Leaders in Congress. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April, 2013, Chicago, IL.
Polarization and Gridlock. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April, 2012.
Democratic Deliberation and Civic Engagement. *Graduate Student Conference on Democracy and Governance* annual meeting, March 2012. Storrs, CT.
Congressional Polarization. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April, 2011.
Polarization in Congress II. *Midwest Political Science Association* annual meeting, April 2010, Chicago, IL.
Graduate Student Conference on Democracy and Governance annual meeting, March 2010. Storrs, CT.
The State and Capitalism. *Southwestern Political Science Association* annual meeting, New Orleans, LA March, 1997.

Political Consulting

Professional Consulting

New York Times, Exit Poll Analyst, 2012-2014.
Peppers and Rogers Group, Istanbul, Turkey, 2009-2010.
Apportionment.us, 2009-2010.

Extended Television Interviewee

“Banking Crisis.” *News@Ten*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. August, 2008.
“Chris Dodd's Strategy.” *Beyond the Headlines*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. February 25, 2007.
“Lieberman Running as Independent.” *News@Ten*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. August 9, 2006.
“Election Night Coverage.” *News@Ten*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. November 2, 2004.
“Candidate Comparison.” *Beyond the Headlines*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. October 17, 2004.
“Bush/Kerry Debates.” *Beyond the Headlines*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. September 26, 2004.
“Reagan Remembered: His Legacy”. *Beyond the Headlines*, Fox 61 WTIC-TV. June 13, 2004.
“Election Polling: Lessons Learned.” *Connecticut Public Television*. December 2, 2002.

Extended Radio Interviewee

“Public Opinion and the Electorate” *Connecticut Public Radio*, October 20, 2008.
“Conversations with Kathleen Dunn” *Wisconsin Public Radio*, September 3, 2008.
“Congresswoman DeLauro” *Public Radio International*, April 5, 2007.

Extended Online Interviewee

“Congressional Polarization” *Democracy Lab Podcast*, recorded January 23, 2018.

“Experts Offer Their Views on Key Political Races” *Connecticut Post* Online Discussion Forum, October 24, 2010.

Newspaper/Magazine Interviewee/Reference

Baltimore Sun; Boston Globe; Capital News; Connecticut Mirror; Connecticut Post; CQ Politics; Hartford Courant; Huffington Post; Lawn & Landscaping Magazine; Manchester Journal Inquirer; MSNBC.com, New London Day; Norwalk Hour; Norwich Bulletin; PoliticsMagazine.com; Stamford Advocate; The Hill; TIME magazine; UConn Advance; UConn Daily Campus; U.S. News and World Report; Washington Post; and, Waterbury Republican-American.

Administrative Experience

University of Connecticut, Department of Political Science

- *Department of Political Science Teaching Mentor*, 2017-present.
- *American Politics Search Committee: Avery Point*, 2019-2020.
- *American Politics Search Committee*, 2016-2017.
Chair: 2016-2017.
- *Merit Allocation Committee*, 2017.
Chair: 2017.
Consulting: 2018-2019.
- *Merit Revision Committee*, 2014-2016.
- *Graduate Affairs Committee*, 2014-2015.
- *Colloquium Committee*, 2014-2015.
Chair: 2014-2015.
- *Assessment Coordinator*, 2013-2015.
- *Associate Director of Graduate Studies*, 2009-2011.
- *Graduate Committee*, 2009-2011.
- *American Politics Field Committee*, 2002-present.
Chair: Spring 2009; 2010-2011; 2014-2016; 2017-2019; 2020.
- *Quantitative Methods Committee*, 2002-2011.
Chair: Fall 2004
- *UConn Washington DC Congressional Honors Internship Program (Faculty Advisor)*, 2004-2011.
~Advised 40 Interns.
- *Scheduling Committee*, 2009-2011.
- *Pi Sigma Alpha*, Faculty Advisor, 2004-2008.
- *Graduate Recruitment Working Group*, 2008-2009.
Chair: 2008-2009.
- *Executice Committee (elected)*, 2008-2009.
- *Undergraduate Courses and Curriculum Committee*, 2004-2005.
- *Latino-American Politics Search Committee*, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2010-2011.
- *U.S. Congress Search Committee*, 2006.
- *American Political Behavior Search Committee*. 2004.

University of Connecticut, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

- *Polis Department Head Search Committee (elected)*, 2007-2008.
- *CLAS Courses and Curriculum Committee*, 2003-2004.

University of Connecticut

- *UConn Faculty Senate Faculty Salary Equity Task Force*, 2020-present.
- *AAUP Faculty Salary Composition Budget Subcommittee*, 2019-present.

- *University Leadership Legacy Selection Committee*, 2010-present.
- *University Legacy*, Mentor, 2009-2010.
- *Office of National Scholarships, Truman Selection Committee*, 2009-present.
- *Graduate Faculty Council*, Alternate Member (elected), 2009-2011.
- Restructured *UConn Honor's Washington D.C. Internship Program*, 2005-2010
 - ~ Established an internship relationship between the University of Connecticut and Connecticut's Governor Rell's Washington D.C. office.
 - ~ Established an internship relationship between the University of Connecticut and the Democratic Caucus for the U.S. House of Representatives.
- Staffed multiple recruitment/informational meetings for the *UConn Honor's Washington D.C. Internship Program*, Fall 2002-2011.
- *Presidential Debates*. October 5, 2004.

Political Science

- Best Article of 2013 Award Committee, *Polity*, 2014
- Best Article of 2010 Award Committee, *Polity*, 2011
- Best Article of 2009 Award Committee, *Polity*, 2010

Current Membership in Professional Association

- American Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association
- Southwest Political Science Association

REFERENCES

- Samuel Best, Professor, Department of Political Science, *University of Connecticut*, Storrs, CT 06269.
- Walter Dean Burnham, Professor Emeritus, Department of Government, *University of Texas*, Austin, TX 78751.
- David Jones, Professor, Department of Political Science, *CUNY-Baruch*, New York, NY 10010.
- Brian Roberts, Professor, Department of Government, *University of Texas*, Austin, TX 78751.