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EDUCATION

Ph.D. July 2002

University of Kansas, Division of Government: Public Administration, American Politics, and Comparative Politics

Ph.D. Dissertation: Turning to the Token: The Local Politics of Gaming.

Advisor: Elaine B. Sharp.

Committee Members: Jocelyn M. Johnston, Donald Haider-Markel, Mark Joslyn

Recipient of Harris Dissertation Award, 2001-02.

M.A., July 1996

University of Northern Iowa, Political Science.

B.A., May 1994

University of Northern Iowa, Political Science and International Affairs.

Summa cum laude

Purple and Old Gold Award for meritorious scholarship in political science.

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Professor

Department of Political Science/Public Administration, Winona State University, Fall 2012-present.

Associate Professor

Department of Political Science/Public Administration, Winona State University, Fall 2008-present.

American Democracy Project Coordinator

Winona State University, 2008-present.

Assistant Professor

Department of Political Science/Public Administration, Winona State University, Fall 2006-July 2008

Courses Taught: American National Government, Public Service, Public Budgeting, American Congress, Political Research Seminar, Heath Politics and Policy, OR100: Intro to Higher Education.

Assistant Professor

Department of Political Science/Public Administration, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, Fall 2002-Spring 2006.

Courses Taught: Introduction to Public Administration, Health Policy, Health Administration, Public Policy, Ethnic Politics in Contemporary America, Women and Politics, Research Methods, American Presidency, American National Government, State and Local Government, Senior Seminar in Political Science, UWL 100: First Year Experience.

Adjunct Instructor

Webster University-Vienna, Vienna, Austria, Summer 2005

Course: Gender and Politics

- Twenty-two students from over 10 different countries including five students from the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- Pennoyer, Kara and Bradley Smith. "Student Attitudes Towards Gender Hierarchy: The United States vs. Eastern Europe." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Wisconsin Political Science Association, Milwaukee, WI. October 14, 2005.

Adjunct Instructor

Department of History, Political Science and Sociology, Baker University, Fall 2000.

Courses: American Presidency and Introduction to American Politics.

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Department of Political Science, University of Kansas, Aug. 1998-2000.

Course: Introduction to American Politics: Independent Sections Summer 2000 and Fall 2000.

Adjunct Instructor

Department of Political Science, University of Northern Iowa, Aug. 1996-May 1997.

Course: World Politics (2 sections each semester).

Adjunct Instructor

College of Arts and Science, Hawkeye Community College, Aug. 1995-May 1997.

Course: Introduction to Political Science (2 sections each semester).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Projects

American Commonwealth Project

Steering Committee Member

For Democracy's Future: Education Reclaims Our Civic Mission.

Kettering Foundation

Civic Arts Workshop

Dayton, OH: March 1-2, 2012.

Students as Citizens: Measuring the First Year Civic Experience

IFO PIF Funds \$200.

Teachers as Citizens: A Cohort of Pre-Service Teachers on Civic Engagement and Citizenship.

IFO PIF Funds: \$1800

American Democracy Project: Civic Agency Institute

Winona State University 2010-present.

American Democracy Project: Deliberative Polling Project
Winona State University 2008-09.

U.S. Election Assistance Commission: *Developing Young Voters as Public Servants*
Grant Award June-December, 2008: \$29,495.

Developing Students as Public Servants: From the Classroom to the Polls
Co-author: Ruth Charles, Winona State University.
IFO PIF \$1300.
Innovation Funds \$3000 for 2008 Election training.

Leaders of the Pack: Health Policy Challenges in the Upper Midwest
Co-Author, Chad Kniss, University of Wisconsin.
Innovation Funds \$1750 for student research assistance.

Faculty Consultant

CLEP American Government Test Development Committee
Educational and Testing Services, Princeton, New Jersey, April 15-17, 2011.
James Sheffield, University of Oklahoma
Rorie Spill Solberg, University of Oregon
Kara Lindaman, Winona State University

American Political Science Association Annual Meetings, Chicago, IL, September 2007.
Focus Group on American Government course.
Focus Group on "Today's Students."

College Board's College Level Examination (CLEP) Program
Educational and Testing Services, Princeton, New Jersey, 2004.
Standard-setting studies of CLEP American Government examination

Peer Reviewer

Political Research Quarterly.
State and Local Government Review.
State Politics Review.
Sociological Focus.
Politics and Policy.
Journal of Politics.
Journal of Economic Development and Culture Change.

Survey Researcher

Health Care Survey Report for the La Crosse Tribune and WXOW TV-19, April 1-3, 2003.

Research Assistant

National Science Foundation Grant on culture wars in local governments, 1999-2000.
Principal Investigator Elaine B. Sharp, Department of Political Science, University of Kansas.
Data collection and analysis for team of 10 researchers in cities across the United States.

Research Assistant

Sponsored by the Kellogg Foundation and the Nelson A. Rockefeller Institute, 1997-2000.
Principal Investigator Jocelyn M. Johnston, Department of Public Administration, University of Kansas.

State capacity study of the implementation of welfare reform in Kansas.

Research Assistant

Sponsored by Price WaterhouseCoopers, 1999.

Co-investigators Jocelyn Johnston and Barbara Romzek, Department of Public Administration, University of Kansas.

Study of state contracting decisionmaking.

Research Assistant

Investigator Michael Fox, Department of Health Services Administration, University of Kansas, 1998.

Individual level data analysis of psychotropic drug prescriptions to children in Kansas receiving Medicaid.

PUBLICATIONS

Course Reader: American Government, forthcoming. Florence, KY: Wadsworth, Cengage Learning, Inc. SELECTIONS: Public opinion, Inequality, Domestic policy, Foreign policy.

Course Reader: Public Administration, 1st ed. 2013. Florence, KY: Wadsworth, Cengage Learning, Inc. ISBN-10:1133350356. SELECTIONS: Public management, public policy, intergovernmental relations.

Direct Democracy: The Struggle for Democratic Responsiveness and Representation, ed. 2011. New York: International Debate Education Association Press.

“Practice Makes Perfect: Engaging Student-Citizens in Politics Through Theory and Practice.” 2011. *Journal of Political Science Education* 7: 65-78. (Co-author: Karen Csjako)

Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions. 2008. Congressional Quarterly Press. ARTICLES: Municipal Government, Elections, Mayor, Mayor-Council Systems (strong), Mayor-Council Systems (weak), Licensing, Referenda.

“Place Your Bet on Politics: Local Governments Roll the Dice.” 2007. *Politics and Policy* 35(2): 274-97.

“Lose, Win, or Draw? A Reexamination of Direct Democracy and Minority Rights.” 2007. *Political Research Quarterly* 60(2): 304-14. (Co-authors: Alana Querze and Donald Haider-Markel.)

“The Elusive Nexus: Basic Needs and Fiscal Decentralization.” 2004. In the Public Administration and Policy: Institutional and Infrastructural Resources, edited by Krishna Tummala, in *The Encyclopedia of Life Support Systems*. (EOLSS), Developed under the auspices of the UNESCO, Eolss Publishers, Oxford, UK. [<http://www.eolss.net>] (Co-author: Kurt Thurmaier).

“Health and Social Services.” 2004. Book chapter in *Wisconsin Government and Politics*, 8th ed. McGraw-Hill (Editor: Ronald Weber).

“Beyond Efficiency and Economy: An Examination of Basic Needs and Decentralization.” 2002. *Journal of Economic Development and Cultural Change* 50(4): 915-34 (Co-author: Kurt Thurmaier).

“Issue Evolution, Political Parties and Culture Wars.” 2002. *Political Research Quarterly* 55(1): 91-110 (Co-author: Donald Haider-Markel).

“Motor Voter : A License for Roll-off.” 2000. *American Review of Politics* 21(Fall): 237-54 (Co-author: Mark Joslyn).

“Kansas Carves Out a Middle Ground.” 2000. In *Learning from Leaders: Welfare Reform Politics and Policy in Five Midwestern States*, Carol S. Weissert, ed. Albany: Rockefeller Institute Press, pp.51-76 (Co-author: Jocelyn Johnston).

“Implementing Welfare Reform in Kansas: Moving, But Not Racing.” 1998. *Publius* 28(3): 123-42 (Co-author: Jocelyn Johnston).

“Implementing Welfare Reform in Kansas: Moving, But Not Racing.” 1999. In *Welfare Reform: A Race to the Bottom?* Sanford F. Schram and Samuel H. Beer, eds. Washington, D.C.: Woodrow Wilson Center Press, pp.157-76 (Co-author: Jocelyn Johnston).

Book Review: “Targeting Management Reform Paul C. Light: *The Tides of Reform: Making Government Work 1945-1995*.” 1998. *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 8: 271-73.

An Evaluation of the Medicaid Managed Care Program in Kansas. 1998. Lawrence: Department of Health Services Administration, Health Services Research Group, University of Kansas (Co-participants: Michael H. Fox, Jocelyn Johnston, Raymond Davis, Robert Lee, Mary Zimmerman, Janice Moore).

Conference Papers and Presentations

2012. “Shaping our Future at Winona State University.” Presentations at the American Democracy Project Annual Meetings, San Antonio, TX, June 7-9.

2012. “The Challenges and Joys of Teaching Civic Engagement through Writing.” Presentation at the College of Liberal Arts Writing Workshop, Winona State University, January 4.

2011. “We the People: Preparing Students and Voters as Citizens for 2012.” Presentation at the Library Athenaeum, Winona State University, March 30.

2011. “Teachers as Citizens: A Cohort of Pre-Service Teachers on Civic Engagement and Citizenship.” Presentation at the 3rd International Conference on Education, Economy, and Society, Paris, France, July 18-24.

2010. “Deliberative Democracy Through a Deliberative Poll: The Experience of a Small Minnesota Community.” Presentation at the annual meetings of the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, April. (co-author Karen Csjako)

2009. “Deliberative Polling in Winona: A Community Partnership on Alcohol Abuse.” Presentation at the annual meetings of the American Association of Colleges and Universities, Minneapolis, MN, October 11-13.

2009. “Deliberative Polling in Winona.” Presentation at the annual meetings of the American Democracy Project Meeting, Baltimore, MD, June 11-13.

2009. “Practice Makes Perfect.” Presentation at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2009.

2008. “Developing students as public servants from the classroom to the polls.” Presentation at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association Teaching and Learning, San Jose, CA, February 22-24. (Co-author Ruth Charles.)

2008. "Creating Citizenship and Community from the Classroom to the Polls." Paper accepted for presentation at the annual meetings of the Western Political Science Association, March 20-22.
2005. "Crafting Studies of Our Home Towns." Presented at the joint annual meetings of the Wisconsin Political Science Association and the Wisconsin Sociological Association, Milwaukee, WI, Oct. 14. (Co-author Carol Miller)
2005. "New Students in Old Schools: The Fear of Cultures Colliding." Presented at the annual meetings at the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, Sept. 1-4.
2005. "New Students in Old Schools: The Fear of Cultures Colliding." Presented at the annual Faculty Research Day, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, Aug. 30.
2004. "Four Communities Struggle with New Populations: Evidence from Elites." Presented at the annual meetings of the Western Political Science Association, Portland, OR, March 10-13.
2003. Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Midwest Roundtable. Iowa State University, August 16.
2003. "New Populations on the Playground: The Debate in Four Midwestern Communities." Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April.
2003. "The Morality of Gambling: Local Governments Roll the Dice." Presented at the annual meetings of the Western Political Science Association, Denver, March.
2002. UW-La Crosse 2nd Annual Teaching Conference. September 27, 2002.
2002. "'Place your Bets on Politics: The Determinants of Local Gambling Policy.'" Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April.
2000. "All Issues Are Not Created Equal: Reexamining Issue Evolution in Morality Policy." Co-author Donald Haider-Markel. Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April.
2000. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meetings, Panel Chair "Religion and Race in Congressional Party Politics." Panel 15-E. Apr. 29.
1999. Conference on Public Governance. Roundtable discussion at the Kettering Foundation, Dayton, Ohio, December.
1999. "Budgeting for Neighborhood Revitalization: Backward and Forward Mapping Performance and Outcomes." Presented at the annual meetings of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Washington, D.C., November.
1999. "What Drives Turnout? The Conflicting Determinants of Voting." Co-author Chad Kniss. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, Georgia, September.

1999. "Fiscal Decentralization and Basic Needs: The Elusive Nexus." Co-author Kurt Thurmaier. Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April.
1999. "Motor Voter: A License for Roll-off." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southwest Political Science Association, San Antonio, TX, March.
1998. "Implementing Welfare Reform in Kansas." Co-author Jocelyn Johnston. Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April.
1998. "Public Choice and Principal Agent: The Theory Problem." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southwest Political Science Association, Corpus Christi, Texas, March.

ACADEMIC HONORS

2011. *Presidents' Civic Engagement Steward Award: Engaged Faculty Leader.* Minnesota Campus Compact Presidents' Awards.
2009. *New York Times* Travel Scholarship to attend the 2009 American Democracy Project Annual Meetings.
2006. University of Wisconsin System Woman of Color Award in Higher Education for the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
2005. Office of Multicultural Student Services Graduation Celebration, Faculty Address, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2004-05. Faculty Research Grant, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
Culture Wars in the Rural Midwest: The Effects of New Populations on Evaluations of School Quality.
- 2004-05. Classroom Research Project. The Scholarship of Teaching & Learning Work Group. University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2002-03. One-time grant from the College of Liberal Studies Director's Reserve. *New Populations on the Playground: The Debate in Four Midwestern Communities.*
- 2001-02. Harris Dissertation Award, Department of Political Science, University of Kansas. Awarded to one outstanding A.B.D. graduate student in political science.
- 2001-02. Walter Thompson Graduate Scholarship, Department of Political Science, University of Kansas. Awarded to outstanding graduate students in political science.
- 2000-01. Walter Thompson Graduate Scholarship, Department of Political Science, University of Kansas. Awarded to outstanding graduate students in political science.
1999. Best Student Paper Award, Association for Budgeting and Financial Management. Awarded conference costs, honorary banquet, and panel presentation at the annual meetings in Washington, D.C.

1999. Departmental Nominee for University Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award, Department of Political Science, University of Kansas.
1999. Kettering Foundation Conference on Public Governance, Dayton, Ohio. Awarded invitation and roundtable participation and costs.
- 1996-97. Graduate Assistant Scholarship, Department of Political Science, University of Northern Iowa.
- 1994-96. Graduate Tuition Scholarship, Department of Political Science, University of Northern Iowa.
1994. Carol Rocklin Kay Memorial Scholarship, Women in Politics Conference, Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Essay competition on women in higher education.
1994. Field Representative, Dave Nagle U.S. Congressional Campaign, Second Congressional District, Iowa.
Leading and staffing candidate events, canvassing, fund-raising and organizing volunteers.
1994. Purple and Old Gold Award for Meritorious Scholarship in Political Science, University of Northern Iowa.
Highest honor given to one graduating senior in political science.
1994. Summa cum laude, University of Northern Iowa.
1994. Center for the Study of the Presidency Twenty-fifth Annual Student Symposium.
Invitation and conference costs awarded to the top senior in political science, University of Northern Iowa.
- 1993-94. Peer Instructor, Academic Advising, University of Northern Iowa.
Taught courses in Speed Reading and Effective Study Strategies.
1993. Copy Editor, *Old Gold Yearbook*, University of Northern Iowa.
- 1992-93. Summer Orientation Staff, University Representative, University of Northern Iowa.
Competitive application and interview process by university committee.
- 1991-93. Provost/Merit Scholarship, University of Northern Iowa.
Requirements: Top 10% high school graduating class, ACT score of 29 or above, and successful essay and personal interviews.
- 1991-94. Minority Scholarship, University of Northern Iowa.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

College –Level Examination Program (CLEP) American Government Faculty Test Development Committee, The College Board. July 1, 2009 to present.

- Develop/edit exam content.
- Guide CLEP policy.
- Determine credit-granting standards.

League of Women Voters, Minnesota Member and Moderator on public forums for candidates.

Faculty Sponsor, Undergraduate Research Grants, Winona State University

- Flynn, Daniel.
- Kujak, Amber.
- Maloney, Lisa.
- Moua, Kham
- Nehring, Mary.
- Perkins, Kristin
- Wood, Codi
- Giffin, Jesse. "The Chief Justice: Shaping the Court," 2007.
- Selbrade, Tyler. "Primary Research Project of Education Funding in the United States," 2007.
- Stelpflug, Lindsay.

Faculty Sponsor, Undergraduate Research Grants, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse

- Boe, Elizabeth. "An Analysis of the Effects of Decreases in Allotted Budget Public Health Programs in Minnesota," 2005.
- Carey, Joe. "Laws and Guns: A Comparative Perspective." 2004. (International Grant)
- Bradek, Colleen. "Participation of College Students in Elections," 2002.
- Johnson, Lynsey. "Alternatives to Incarceration in the State of Wisconsin," 2003.
- Knack, Kara. "Abortion Policy and Representation: The Wisconsin Assembly." 2006.
- Pennoyer, Kara and Bradley Smith. "Madame President: The Effects of Commander in Chief," 2006.
- Naegele, Luke. "The Impact of Iraqi Refugees in Syria: More than Economics?" 2006.

Honor Societies with initial membership dates:

- 2002. Western Political Science Association
- 1999. Phi Kappa Phi (Honorary Society for Graduate Students).
- 1999. Phi Alpha Alpha (Honorary Society for Public Administration).
- 1999. Pi Sigma Alpha (Honorary Society for Political Science).
- 1999. American Political Science Association
- 1998. Midwest Political Science Association
- 1997. Southwest Political Science Association
- 1993. Omicron Delta Kappa.
- 1993. Golden Key Honor Society.
- 1992. Phi Eta Sigma.

SERVICE

Department

- 2011. Search and Screen Committee, Political Theory Search, Winona State University.
- 2011. Graduate School Process with MPA Director Kurt Thurmaier from Northern Illinois University, Minne Lounge, Nov. 30.

- 2006-2007. Search and Screen Committee, American Politics Search, Winona State University.
- 2005-2006. Search and Screen Committee, American Politics Search, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
2003. Help Session for students interested in going to Grad School with Dr. Pam Rodgers, Sept. 29, Department of Political Science/Public Administration, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2002-2006. Scholarship Committees
Lindblad Scholarship
Graff Scholarship
Heim Scholarship
2002. Political Science Association Career Night speaker November 11.

College

- 2003-2006. College of Liberal Studies Publicity Committee Member, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
2003. Political Science Alumni Banquet. Madison, Wisconsin. February 5, 2003.

University

- 2008-present American Democracy Project Coordinator
- 2010-2011 College of Liberal Arts Dean Search Committee, Winona State University
- 2008-2010 All-University Inclusive Excellence Committee
- 2007-2010 IFO Multicultural Issues Committee, Representative from Winona State University.
- 2007-2009 Affirmative Action Officer Search Committee, IFO Member, Winona State University.
- 2007-2010. Climate Commitment Committee, Winona State University
- 2007-2010. Diversity Committee, Winona State University
- 2007-present Faculty Advisor, Barak Obama for President Club, Winona State University
- 2006-2010. University Research Celebration Committee, Co-Chair 2007-08.
- 2006-2010. Faculty and Staff Scholarship Committee, Winona State University.
- 2006-present Feminist Issues Committee, Winona State. University.
- 2006-2010. Affirmative Action and Title IX Compliance Committee, Winona State University.
- 2006 –present WAGS (Women and Gender Studies) Advisory Council, Winona State University.
- 2006-present. Faculty Advisor, Pi Sigma Alpha Chapter, Winona State University.

- 2008-present. Faculty Advisor, College Democrats, Winona State University.
- 2006-present. Faculty Advisor, Price is Right Club, Winona State University.
- 2006- 2007 Orientation Committee, Winona State University.
- 2005-2006. Member of Chancellor's Women's Advisory Committee, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2004-2006. Member of Undergraduate Research Committee, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2004-2006. UWL Women's Samulnori Ensemble.
Korean Drumming Group with numerous performance on campus, in area schools, and at the Wisconsin Music Educator's Conference in Madison (2005).
- 2003-2006. Faculty advisor for Pi Sigma Alpha, Honorary Political Science Society, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
Reinstated honorary society after 15 years of being inactive.
Activities include: graduate school caravans and visits, conference presentations and attendance, annual banquet, and graduation reception.
- 2003-2006. Faculty advisor for the College Democrats, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
(Co-advisor Lisa Giddings)
- 2002-2006. Teaching for Diversity Seminar, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2003-2005 Student Employee of the Year (SEOY) Committee Member, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
2003. Campus based reading seminar. UW System Institute on Race and Ethnicity.
Books included *How Race is Lived in America* and *Why are All the Black Kids Sitting Together in the Cafeteria?*
2003. Faculty judge for Mr. Angell Pageant, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, Nov. 6.
2003. New Faculty Orientation Panel Member, August 25, Cleary Center, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2002-2004 Student Organizations Committee Member, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.
- 2002-03. Organization of Campus Women, member and holiday fudgemaking fundraiser volunteer.
2002. "Fireside Chat." Breakfast with Chancellor Doug Hastad. November 6, 2002.

Professional and Community

- 2003-2011. Alumni Board of Directors, University of Northern Iowa.
- 2007-present Advanced Placement American Government and Politics Examination Reader, Educational and Testing Services, Daytona Beach, FL.

- 2003-05. Advanced Placement American Government Examination Reader, Educational and Testing Services, Colorado State University.
- 2008-present Gifted and Talented Education Committee, Winona Area Public Schools, Jefferson Elementary Representative.
- 2006-present Judge and Volunteer for Southeast Regional History Day and Science Fair.
- 2010-present Education Committee Chair, Central United Methodist Church, Winona, MN
- 2007-present Handbell Choir, Central United Methodist Church, Winona, MN.
- 2007-present Sunday School Teacher, Central United Methodist Church, Winona, MN.
2005. Chairperson of Church Council, Onalaska United Methodist Church, Onalaska, WI.
- 2003-05. Sunday School Teacher, Onalaska United Methodist Church, Onalaska, WI.
- 2007-2009. Volunteer, Academic Triathlon, Winona Middle School, Winona, MN.
- 2007-present Coach and Volunteer, Destination Imagination, Jefferson Elementary, Winona, MN.
- 2005-06 Coach, Odyssey of the Mind, Viking Elementary, Holmen, WI.