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EDUCATION and OTHER TRAINING

Ph.D., The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (1994)
Field: Political Science
Major: American Politics
Dissertation: "Republican Problems Down Ticket: The Persistence of Democratic Control Below the Presidential Level in the South"
Advisor: Professor Thad Beyle
Minor: Public Law
Minor: Political Theory

- M.A., The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (1989) Thesis: "The Success of Republicanism in the New South" Advisor: Professor Merle Black
- B.A., Hendrix College (1987)
 Magna Cum Laude with Departmental Distinction Major: American Studies

Participant, Summer Institute in Political Psychology, The Ohio State University, 1996

Participant, Summer Seminar on the History and Philosophy of Freedom of Speech, Oxford University, 1997

Participant, Associated Colleges of the South Summer Teaching and Learning Workshop, Rollins College, 1997

Participant, National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute, "Teaching the History of the Southern Civil Rights Movement, 1865-1965," Harvard University, 1998

Participant, Experiments in Social Sciences Summer Program, Institution for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, 2003

Participant, Wye Faculty Seminar, The Aspen Institute, 2006

Participant, NITLE Introducing GIS Workshop, Lake Forest College, 2007

Participant, Management Development Program, Harvard University Graduate School of Education, 2008

HONORS and AWARDS

Recipient, Butler Center Fellowship, The Butler Center for Arkansas Studies, 2008

- Arkansas Professor of the Year, 2007, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching and the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE)
- Recipient, Steiger Congressional Fellowship, American Political Science Association, 2000-2001 +Staff member, U.S. Senator Paul D. Wellstone

+Primary focus of legislative work: Education and civil rights policy

Faculty Appreciation Award, Hendrix College, 1995, 1997, 1998, 2000, and 2009 +Presented by the Senior Class to the faculty member who has shown "excellence in instruction and concern for the welfare of Hendrix students."

John Patrick Hagan Award for Outstanding Teaching by a Graduate Student, Department of Political Science, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1993

Pogue Fellowship, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1987-1990

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Politics and International Relations, Hendrix College, January 1994-present **Southern Politics** *Courses taught: **American State and Local Government Race and American Politics Gender, Sexuality, and American Politics American Constitutional Law: The Federal System American Constitutional Law: Ind. Rights and Liberties American Political Parties and Elections** Bush v. Gore **Arkansas Politics and Government: Seminar and Practicum Political Psychology Issues in Politics: The Politics of Education Issues in Politics: Free Expression U.S.** Congress **Introduction to American National Government Ancient and Medieval Political Thought Modern Political Thought American Political Thought Methods in Political Analysis Politics/International Relations Senior Seminar**

The University of Arkansas Clinton School of Public Service, 2003-2007

*Courses taught:

The Dynamics of Social Change Public Service Practicum (Co-director)

Faculty Director, Hendrix-in-London program, Winter 1999 *Course taught: Free Expression: History and Theory

Instructor, **Southern Politics**, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (Fall 1993, Spring 1993, Fall 1992, Summer 1992, Spring 1992, Summer 1991, Spring 1991, Fall 1990)

Instructor, American Constitutional Law: The Federal System, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (Fall 1991)

PUBLICATIONS

BOOK

Arkansas Politics and Government: Do the People Rule?, Second edition. 2005. University of Nebraska Press (with Diane D. Blair).

REPORTS

Reading to Learn: The Importance of Reading by the End of Third Grade in Arkansas. 2012. Report developed for Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families.

- *Ripe for Reform: Arkansas as a Model for Social Change.* 2012. Report developed for the Arkansas Public Policy Panel and the Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation.
- Making Arkansas a Land of Opportunity for All: Understanding the Cradle to Prison Pipeline. 2011. Report developed for the Arkansas Cradle to Prison Pipeline Initiative.
- Rules of the Game: An Advocate's Guide to Arkansas's Tax and Budget System. 2009. Report developed for Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families (with Ginny Blankenship).
- Arkansas Education in the Post-Lake View Era: What Is Arkansas Doing to Close the Achievement Gap? 2008. Report developed for Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families and the Arkansas Public Policy Panel (with Keith A. Nitta).

CHAPTERS IN EDITED WORKS

"Arkansas: He's Not One of (Most of) Us." In *A Paler Shade of Red: The 2008 Presidential Election in the South*, ed. Branwell DuBose Kapeluck, Laurence W. Moreland, and Robert P. Steed. 2009. University of Arkansas Press. (with Janine Parry and Todd Shields).

- "Arkansas's Electoral History." In *The Historical Report of the Arkansas Secretary of State 2008*. 2008. University of Arkansas Press.
- "The Continuing Role of Race in Southern Party Organizations." In *Southern Political Party Activists: Patterns of Conflict and Change, 1991-2001*, eds. John A. Clark and Charles L. Prysby. 2004. The University Press of Kentucky.
- "Provincialism, Personalism, and Politics: Campaign Spending and the 2002 U.S. Senate Race in Arkansas." In *The Last Hurrah? Soft Money and Issue Advocacy in the 2002 Congressional Elections*, eds. David B. Magleby and J. Quin Monson. 2003. Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy (with Janine Parry).
- "Arkansas: Nonstop Action in Post-Clinton Arkansas." In *The 2000 Presidential Election in the South*, eds. Robert P. Steed and Laurence W. Moreland. 2002. Praeger. (with Todd Shields and Janine Parry).
- "Arkansas: Characters, Crises, and Partisan Change." In *Southern Politics in the 1990s*, ed. Alexander P. Lamis. 1999. The Louisiana State University Press. (with Diane D. Blair and Ernie Dumas).
- "Arkansas: The Last Hurrah for a Native Son." In *The 1996 Presidential Election in the South: Southern Party Systems in the 1990s*, eds. Laurence Moreland and Robert Steed. 1997. Praeger.
- "The Impact of Election Timing of Republican Trickle-Down in the South." In *Southern Parties and Elections: Studies in Regional Political Change*, eds. Robert Steed, Laurence Moreland, and Tod Baker. 1997. The University of Alabama Press.
- "Arkansas." In *State Party Profiles: A 50-State Guide to Development, Organization, and Resources*, eds. Daniel S. Ward and Andrew Appleton. 1996. Congressional Quarterly Press. (with Diane D. Blair).

JOURNAL ARTICLES

"Immigration Restriction in the States: Contesting the Boundaries of Federalism?" 2012. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* (with Gary Reich) 42: 422-448.

"Is False Imputation of Being Gay, Lesbian, or Bisexual Still Defamatory? The Arkansas Case," 2012. *The University of Arkansas at Little Rock Law Review* 34: 527-549.

- "Educating Citizens or Defying Federal Authority? A Comparative Study of In-State Tuition for Undocumented Students," 2010. *Policy Studies Journal* 38: 419-445 (with Gary Reich).
- "The Media, the Medium, and Malaise: Assessing the Effects of Campaign Media Exposure with Panel Data," 2009. *Mass Communication and Society* 12: 271-290 (with L. Marvin Overby).

"Community Context, Personal Contact, and Support for an Anti–Gay Rights Referendum," 2009. *Political Research Quarterly* 62: 355-365. (with L. Marvin Overby and Scott H. Huffmon).

- "Political Culture, Public Opinion, and Policy (Non)Diffusion: The Case of Gay- and Lesbian-Related Issues in Arkansas," 2009. *Social Science Quarterly* 90: 309-225 (with Janine Parry).
- "2 > 1 +1?: The Impact of Contact with Gay and Lesbian Couples on Attitudes About Gays/Lesbians and Gay-Related Policies," 2009. *Politics and Policy* 37: 32-51 (with Janine Parry).
- "Pursuing the Early Voter: Which Bird Gets the Worm?" 2008. *Journal of Political Marketing* 7: 131-150 (with Martha Kropf, E. Terrence Jones, and Janine Parry).
- "Post-Amendment 80 Judicial Politics in Arkansas: Have the Changes Undermined the Argument for Selection by Appointment?" 2008. *The University of Arkansas at Little Rock Law Review* 30: 753-769.
- "Mobilizing the Seldom Voter: Campaign Contact and Effects in High-Profile Elections." 2008. *Political Behavior* 30: 97-113 (with Janine Parry, E. Terrence Jones, and Martha Kropf).
- "Radio Advertising in American Political Campaigns: The Persistence, Importance, and Effects of Narrowcasting." 2006. *American Politics Research* 34: 451-478 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Numeracy About Minority Populations: Americans' Estimations of *Local* Gay Population Size." 2006. *Polity* 38: 194-210 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Arkansas: Still Swingin' in 2004." 2005. American Review of Politics 26: 133-154 (with Janine Parry).
 [Reprinted in Readings in Arkansas Politics and Government, eds. Janine A. Parry and Richard P. Wang. 2009. The University of Arkansas Press.]
- "Bridge to Modernity: The Political Legacy of Sid McMath." 2004. *The University of Arkansas at Little Rock Law Review* 26: 535-542.
- "Arkansas: More Signs of Momentum for Republicanism in Post-'Big Three' Arkansas," 2003. American Review of Political Science 24: 111-126. [Reprinted in Readings in Arkansas Politics and Government, eds. Janine A. Parry and Richard P. Wang. 2009. The University of Arkansas Press.]
- "Are Gay Men and Lesbians in the South the New `Threat'? Regional Comparisons of the Contact Theory." 2003. *Politics and Policy* 31 (3): 1-19 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Provincialism, Personalism, and Politics: Campaign Spending and the 2002 U.S. Senate Race in Arkansas." 2003. *PS: Political Science and Politics E-Symposium* 36 (3) (with Janine Parry).

"Governors in the Legislative Arena: The Importance of Personality in Shaping Success." 2002.

Political Psychology 23: 787-808 (with Margaret Ferguson).

- "American Governors and their Constituents: The Relationship Between Gubernatorial Personality and Popularity." 2002. *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 2: 268-282 (with Margaret Ferguson).
- "Contact, Community Context, and Public Attitudes Toward Gay Men and Lesbians." 2002. *Polity* 34: 433-456 (with L. Marvin Overby).

"Gender and Gubernatorial Personality." 2002. Women and Politics 24: 63-81 (with Margaret Ferguson).

- "Paper Ballots, Computers, and Everything Else in Between: The Impact of Voting Devices on Ballot Roll-off." 1997. *Midsouth Political Science Review* 1:1-12.
- "Arkansas' Juvenile Crime Special Session: An Election Season Success with Forewarnings for Arkansas Politics." 1994. *Comparative State Politics* 15 (5): 19-27.
- "Dual Partisanship in the South: Anachronism, or a Real Barrier to Republican Success in the Region?" 1992. *Midsouth Political Science Journal* 13: 487-500.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Columnist, Arkansas Times, 2012-present (See here for collection.)

- "The Conversation: Arkansas Talks About the Photograph That Shocked a Nation," 2011. *Arkansas Life* 4(2): 46-48.
- "A Generation of Change, 1983 vs. 2009: Legislative Retrospective," 2009. *Talk Business Quarterly* 2 46-49.

"LR in Black and White." 2007. Arkansas Times, 20 September.

"The 2006 Governor's Race: Huge Ramifications for Party Politics in Arkansas," 2006. *The Arkansas Publisher* 78 (8): 9.

"Arkansas: A Moral Loss for Dems," 2005. SouthNow 8: 10.

"The Young and the Test List, Take 2." 1993. *Campaign* 7 (1) (with David Hughes).

"The Young and the Test List." 1992. *Campaign* 6 (10) (with David Hughes).

"Siting Hazardous Waste Facilities." 1990. Inside Politics: North Carolina 1 (13).

"Republican U.S. Senate Election Returns." 1990. Inside Politics: North Carolina 1 (5).

REVIEWS

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Regular reviewer for CHOICE: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries

- Book Review of Painting Dixie Red: When, Where, Why, and How the South Became Republican, 2012. Arkansas Historical Quarterly 71: 453-454.
- Book Review of *The Boy from Altheimer: From the Depression to the Boardroom* by William H. Bowen, 2006. *Arkansas Historical Quarterly* 65: 459-460.

Book Review of Mighty Peculiar Elections: The New South Gubernatorial Elections of 1970 and the

- Book Review of *Reelection: William Jefferson Clinton as a Native-Son Presidential Candidate*, by Hanes Walton, Jr. 2002. *American Political Science Review* 96: 220-221.
- Exhibit Review of The Central High Museum and Visitor Center. 2001. *The Public Historian* 23: 127-129.
- Book Review of *Party Activists in Southern Politics: Mirrors and Makers of Change*, edited by Charles D. Hadley and Lewis Bowman and *Party Organization and Activism in the American South*, edited by Robert P. Steed, John A. Clark, Lewis Bowman, and Charles D. Hadley. 1999. *The Southern Quarterly* 37: 303-304.
- Book Review of *The New Politics of the Old South*, edited by Charles S. Bullock III and Mark J. Rozell. 1999. *Journal of Politics*. 61: 226-227.
- Book Review of Arkansas Politics: A Reader, edited by Richard P. Wang and Michael B. Dougan. 1998. Arkansas Historical Quarterly 57: 67-68.
- Book Review of *The South* by B. C. Hall and C. T. Wood. 1996. *Arkansas Historical Quarterly* 55: 224-228
- Book Review of *Tar Heel Politics: Myths and Realities* by Paul Luebke. 1990. *Inside Politics: North Carolina* 1 (16).

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

- "Arkansas," In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Haider-Markel, Donald P. 2009. CQ Press. (with Gary Wekkin).
- "Gerrymandering"; "Recalls"; "Regionalism." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Haider-Markel, Donald P. 2009. CQ Press.
- "Political Advertising, Radio." In *Encyclopedia of Political Communication*, edited by Christina Holtz-Bacha and Lynda Kaid. 2008. Sage Publications. (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Arkansas Plan"; "Beebe, Mike"; "Democratic Party"; "Election Fraud"; "Interstate 630"; "Pryor, David Hampton"; "Republican Party"; "White Flight." In *The Encyclopedia of Arkansas History and Culture*, <u>www.encyclopediaofarkansas.net</u>.
- "Arkansas." In *Supplement to the Encyclopedia of the Republican Party*, edited by George T. Kurian. 2001. Sharpe Reference.
- "Arkansas"; "Family Values"; "Hillary Rodham Clinton"; "Women." In *Supplement to the Encyclopedia* of the Democratic Party, edited by George T. Kurian. 2001. Sharpe Reference.
- "American Association of Retired Persons"; "Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965"; "Gay and Lesbian Rights"; "Internet, Censorship and the." In *Civil Rights in the United States*, edited by Waldo E. Martin, Jr. and Patricia Sullivan. 2000. Macmillan Library Reference.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

INVITED LECTURES

"Advertising in American Presidential Campaigns: Past, Present and Future," Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, University of Arkansas, 2012. "2012: The End of the Progressive Reform Era in Arkansas Politics?" Robert B. Walz Lecture in Arkansas and Regional History, Southern Arkansas University, 2012.

- "10 Years After Lake View: How Has Arkansas's Education System Changed?" Arkansas Old State House and Faulkner County Library, 2011.
- "Student Free Speech and the U.S. Constitution," Arkansas Bar Association Arkansas Teachers Law School, 2011.
- "The History and Future of the American Two-Party System," "The Mechanics of Running for Office in the United States," Being a Candidate for Office in the United States," and "President Obama and the Future of American Race Relations," all at Heilongjiang University, Harbin, China, 2011.
- "Running for Political Office in the United States," Guangxi Normal University, Guilin, China, 2011.
- "Corruption in Arkansas: A Short Political History" Honors College, University of Central Arkansas, 2010.
- "What is the Opportunity to Learn Gap?," Arkansas Opportunity to Learn Summit, 2010.
- "The Legacy of the Brooks-Baxter Battle in Arkansas Politics and Government," The Brooks-Baxter War Old State House Museum Symposium, 2009
- "The Arkansas Legislature in Historical Context," Arkansas State House of Representatives Orientation Session, 2008
- *"Narrow*casting: What Explains the Effectiveness of Radio Advertising in American Political Campaigns?," Honors College, University of Central Arkansas, 2008.
- "Post-Amendment 80 Judicial Politics in Arkansas: Have the Changes Undermined the Argument for Selection by Appointment?" Ben J. Altheimer Symposium, University of Arkansas at Little Rock Bowen School of Law, 2008.
- "Election 2008 in the South: A Look Back and a Glance Ahead," Department of Political Science, Southern Methodist University, 2008.
- "The Changing Face of Race in Little Rock: 1957-2007," Featured Speaker, Bishop Kenneth Hicks Peace Award Dinner, 2007.
- "Aftermath: The Geography of Race and Politics Since the 1957 Little Rock Crisis," J.N. Heiskell Distinguished Lecture, The Butler Center for Arkansas Studies, 2007. (http://www.butlercenter.org/cdm-aftermath/index_aftermath.php?CISOROOT=/aftermath)
- "After the Dust Settles: The Future of Party Politics in Arkansas After Election 2006," Dinner Speaker, William R. Overton Inn of Court, Little Rock, AR, 2006.
- "Bill Clinton and Arkansas Politics," presented at "From the Louisiana Purchase to the Clinton Library" Elderhostel, 6 and 13 November 2005 and at "Bill Clinton's Arkansas" Elderhostel, 27 March and 3 April 2006, 14 March and 26 March 2007, 26 November 2007, 31 March 2008, 14 April 2008, and 21 May 2008.

"Arkansas Politics 2006," Lunch Speaker, Arkansas Society of Professional Lobbyists, 2006.

"The Hendrix Odyssey: Thinking Outside the Book," presented at the Villa Julie College National Career Conference, 2006 (with Mark Schantz).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- "Where there is Pull, Can there be Push? A Popular Governor, an Unpopular President and a Coattail Experiment in State Legislative Elections," presented at the Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, 2013 (with Craig Burnett and Janine A. Parry).
- "The Grassroots of State Immigration Policy: Explaining Legislative Activism Across the States," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2013 (with Gary Reich).
- "Immigration Restriction in the States: Pushing the Boundaries of Federalism," presented at the Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, 2012 (with Gary Reich).
- "Is False Imputation of Being Gay, Lesbian, or Bisexual Still Defamatory? The Arkansas Case," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2012.
- "Explaining State Activism on Immigration Policy: A Comparative Analysis of the Power of the

Initiative

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- Process," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 2011 (with Gary Reich).
- "Broadcasting vs. Narrowcasting: Television Ads, Radio Ads, and Niche Marketing in an American Political Campaign," presented at the Annual Meeting of the European Political Science Association, 2011 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Mobilizing Voters: Evaluating the Type, Timing, and Target of Campaign Contact," presented at the Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, 2011 (with Janine A. Parry, William D. Schreckhise, Martha Kropf, and Terry Jones).
 - "Explaining State Activism on Immigration Policy: Restrictive vs. Accommodating Policies in Four States," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2011 Gary Reich).
 - "The Roots of State Activism on Immigration: Explaining the Adoption of Restrictive versus Accommodating Policies." presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, 2009 (with Gary Reich).
 - "The 2008 Presidential Election in Arkansas: He's Not One of (Most of) Us," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2009 (with Janine A. Parry and Todd G. Shields).
 - "The Framing of Policy Making: A Comparative Analysis of State-Level Immigration Policies in the United States," presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 2008 (with Gary Reich).
 - "One Nation, Fifty Immigration Policies? The Roots of State Activism on Immigration," presented at the Annual Conference on State Politics and Policy, 2008 (with Gary Reich).
 - "Will Adequate School Facilities Create a More *Equitable* Education in Arkansas?" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2008 (with Russ Montgomery and Keith A. Nitta).

- "Is There Inherent Tension Between the Search for State Educational Adequacy and Addressing the Achievement Gap?: The Arkansas Case," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2008 (with Keith A. Nitta).
- "Here, There, and Everywhere: Local, State, and National Estimates of Gay Population Size," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 2007 (with L. Marvin Overby and Scott Huffmon).
- "Explicit and Implicit: The Persistence of Group-Based Appeals in Radio Campaign Advertising," presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 2007 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Personal Contact, Community Context, and Support for an Anti-Gay Rights Referendum," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association and at the Annual Meeting of the Political Studies Association, 2007 (with L. Marvin Overby and Scott Huffmon).
- "2 > 1 +1?: The Impact of Contact with Gay and Lesbian Couples on Attitudes About Gays/Lesbians and Gay-Related Policies," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, 2007 (with Janine Parry).
- "Framing the DREAM: A Comparative Analysis of State Legislative Issue Framing on Tuition Rates for Undocumented Students," presented at the Annual Conference on State Politics and Policy, 2007 (with Gary Reich).
- "The Media, the Medium, and Malaise: Assessing the Effects of Campaign Media Exposure with Panel Data," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2007 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Attitudes towards GLBT Issues in Arkansas: Libertarian, But Not Libertine," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2006 (with Janine Parry).
- "Radio Advertising in American Political Campaigns: The Persistence, Importance, and Effects of *Narrow*casting," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2005 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Still Swingin': Arkansas and the 2004 Presidential Race," presented the Annual Meeting of the Arkansas
 - Political Science Association, 2005 (with Janine Parry).
 - "Mobilizing Voters: A Closer Look at Campaign Contact and Effects," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2005 (with Janine Parry).
 - "Going Negative in Competitive U.S. Senate Elections: Who Notices and So What?," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 2004 (with E. Terrence Jones, Martha Kropf, and Janine Parry).
 - "Giving the People What They Want: Is Synchronicity Between Desired Political Communication and Campaign Activity Important in Shaping Voter Turnout?," presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 2004 (with E. Terrence Jones, Martha Kropf, and Janine Parry).
 - "Numeracy About Minority Populations: Americans' Estimations of *Local* Gay Population Size," presented at the Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology,

2004 (with L. Marvin Overby).

- "Floating Voters in Competitive U.S. Senate Elections," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, 2004 (with E. Terrence Jones, Martha Kropf, and Janine Parry).
- "Enlivening Undergraduate Research Methods: A Cross-Campus Thematic Approach," presented at the American Political Science Association Conference on Teaching and Learning in Political Science, 2004 (with Gary Reich).
- "Mobilizing Voters: A Dynamic Model of Campaign Effects," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2004 (with Janine Parry, E. Terrence Jones, and Martha Kropf).
- "Pursuing the Early Voter: Which Bird Gets the Worm?," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Political Science Association, 2003 (with Martha Kropf, E. Terrence Jones, and Janine Parry).
- *"Narrow*casting: Radio Advertising in American Political Campaigns," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2003 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Provincialism, Personalism, and Politics Campaign Spending and the 2002 U.S. Senate Race in Arkansas," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2003 (with Janine Parry).
- "The Perfect Storm: Campaign Spending and the 2002 U.S. Senate Race in Arkansas," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2003 (with Janine Parry).
- "Gender and Southern Party Activists: Evidence from the 2001 Southern Grassroots Party Activists Project," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2002.
- "Arkansas: More Signs of Momentum for Republicanism in Post-Clinton Arkansas," presented at the Citadel Symposium on Southern Politics, 2002.
- "Gubernatorial Personality and Campaign Fund Raising Success," presented at the Research Conference on Gubernatorial, Senatorial, and Presidential Approval, Texas A&M University, 2001 (with Margaret Ferguson).
- "State Variation in the Presidential Gender Gap: Unraveling a Puzzle," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 2000 (with Zoe Oxley).
- "American Governors and their Constituents: The Relationship Between Gubernatorial Personality and Popularity," presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 2000 (with Margaret Ferguson).
- "Gubernatorial Personality and the Scope of Legislative Agendas," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 2000 (with Margaret Ferguson).
- "Gender and Gubernatorial Personality," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 1999 (with Margaret Ferguson).
- "Party, Personality, and Gubernatorial Success," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 1999 (with Margaret Ferguson).

"Are Southern Governors Still a Different Breed? Examining Gubernatorial Personality in the South and

Non-South," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1998 (with Margaret Ferguson).

- "An Examination of the Role of Gubernatorial Personality in Explaining Leadership Success," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 1998 (with Margaret Ferguson).
- "Are Gay Men and Lesbians in the South the New `Threat'? Regional Comparisons of the Contact Theory," presented at the Citadel Symposium on Southern Politics, 1998 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Arkansas: Characters, Crises, and Partisan Change," presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, 1997 (with Diane D. Blair and Ernie Dumas).
- "Contact, Context, and Citizen Attitudes Toward Gay Men and Lesbians: Results from a Recent National Survey," presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 1997 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Sports, Society, and Politics: A Study of the 1994 Oklahoma Elections," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 1996 (with Matthew House).
- "A Review of the 1996 Elections in the South," The Center for the Study of Southern Culture, The University of Mississippi, 1996 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "A Post Mortem on the November '95 Elections and a Glimpse at '96," The Center for the Study of Southern Culture, The University of Mississippi, 1996 (with L. Marvin Overby).
- "Are They Really Amateurs? The Backgrounds of the 1994 Republican Class and Implications for Their Congressional Careers," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1995 (with Jim Cox).
- "Paper Ballots, Computers, and Everything In Between: The Impact of Different Voting Devices on Ballot Roll-Off," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 1995.
- "Campaign Messages of the Two Parties' Gubernatorial Candidates in the Contemporary South," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1994.
- "Race and Down-Ticket Voting in the South," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 1994 (with John Haskell).
- "The Impact of Election Timing on Republican Trickle-Down in the South," presented at the Citadel Symposium on Southern Politics, 1994.
- "Opportunity Ladders' in the Contemporary South: Differences in the Quality of the `Products' Offered by the Two Parties," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1993.
- "Dual Partisanship in the South: A Thing of the Past or a Real Barrier to Republican Success in the Region?," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1992.
- "Testing for Realigning Trends in State Treasurer and Attorney General Races in the South," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1990 (with John Haskell).

ROUNDTABLES and PANELS

Roundtable chair/participant, "The 2012 Elections in Arkansas," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political

- Science Association, 2013.
- Panel Moderator, "Winthrop Rockefeller's Legacy to Arkansas Politics," Winthrop Rockefeller Institute Conference on Political Reform, 2012.
- Roundtable participant, "The 2012 Presidential and Congressional Elections," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2012.
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2012.
- Roundtable Participant, "Arkansas and the 2010 Elections," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2011.
- Panel Participant, "An Education for Global Citizenship: The Best Form of Career Education" Annual Meeting of the Association of American Colleges and Universities, 2011.
- Panel Moderator, "The Future of Southern Culture and Identity," The Future of the South Symposium presented by *Oxford American*, 2010.
- Roundtable Participant, "The Future of LGBT Politics and Policies in the South," Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2010.
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2010.
- Roundtable Participant, "Arkansas Politics: What Happened in 2008 and Where Is the State Headed Politically?," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2009
- Roundtable Participant, "The 2008 Presidential Election in the South," Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2009
- Roundtable Participant, "Making the Southern Safe for LGBTs in the Profession," Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2009
- Roundtable Participant, "Arkansas and the 2008 Presidential Election Contest," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2008
- Roundtable Moderator, "Arkansas Politics Roundtable," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2008.
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2008.
- Panel Discussant, Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 2007
- Roundtable Participant, "Arkansas Politics Roundtable: What Did the 2006 Election Mean for the Future of Arkansas Politics?," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2007.

Panel Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, 2007.

Roundtable Participant, "The South After the Midterm Elections," Annual Meeting of the Southern

Political Science Association, 2007.

Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2007.

Panel Moderator, "Economic Development in Communities," A Future of the South Conference, William J. Clinton Presidential Library, 2006.

Panel Participant, "Arkansas Politics 2006," Saline County (Ark.) Library, 2006.

Panel Participant, "Bridge to the Future: Building a Caring Community and Nation," William J. Clinton Presidential Center, 2006

Panel Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2006

Panel Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2005

Panel Chair, the Annual Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 2004

Panel Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2004

- Roundtable Participant, "Thinking About Teaching, Doing Research and/or Being Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual or Transgendered in Political Science," Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2002
- Panel Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2002
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2002
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2001
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 2001
- Roundtable Participant, "The 2000 Elections in the South," Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2000
- Roundtable Participant, "Constitutional Issues for the New Millennium," Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2000
- Roundtable Participant, "The Year 2000 Elections in the South," Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1999
- Panel Chair, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1998
- Panel Chair, Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, 1997
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, 1997
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 1997
- Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1996

Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 1996

Panel Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 1995

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Regular Panel Participant, Arkansas Week (Arkansas Educational Television Network), 2002-2012

- Manuscript Reviewer: American Journal of Political Science, American Politics Quarterly, American Politics Research, American Review of Politics, Arkansas Historical Quarterly, Ethnic and Racial Studies, Journal of Community Engagement and Higher Education, Journal of Homosexuality, Journal of Political Science Education, Journal of Politics, Midsouth Political Science Review, Political Behavior, Political Research Quarterly, Publius, Southeastern Political Review, State and Local Government Review, State Politics and Policy Quarterly, The Sociological Quarterly, Social Science Quarterly
- Judge, U.S. Professors of the Year program, Council for Advancement and Support of Education, 2013
- Guest curator, "A Circus Hitched to a Tornado": Arkansas Politics in the 20th Century, Arkansas Old State House Museum, open 2008-2009 (with Ernest Dumas).
- President, Arkansas Political Science Association, 2007-2008
- Chair, Southern Political Science Association Committee on the Status of Lesbians, Gays, Bisexuals and the Transgendered (LGBT), 2008-2010
- Member, American Political Science Association Distinguished Teaching Award Committee, 2012-13
- Member, American Political Science Association Committee on the Status of Lesbians, Gays, Bisexuals and the Transgendered (LGBT) in the Profession, 2007-2010
- Section Chair, Arkansas Politics/State Politics, Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2013
- Section Chair, Southern Politics, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 2009
- Program Chair, Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2007
- Member, Southern Political Science Association Executive Council, 2007-2010
- External Reviewer, Department of History and Politics, Catawba College, 2008
- External Reviewer, Center for Interdisciplinary Studies, Davidson College, 2007
- External Reviewer, Department of Political Science, Rollins College, 2004, 2006
- Participant, Outside Money in the 2002 Congressional Elections project
 - +Part of a team, directed by the Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy at Brigham Young University and funded by the Pew Charitable Trust, examining non-candidate campaign spending in Arkansas in the 2002 election cycle.
- Participant, Southern Grassroots Party Activists II Project, 2000 +Part of a team that has received NSF funding for completion of Phase II of this study of party activists in the South.
- Member, Advisory Board, State Key Vote Program, Project Vote Smart
- Member, Advisory Board, Arkansas Journal of Social Change and Public Service

Moderator, Experiential Learning Section, American Political Science Association Conference on Teaching and Learning in Political Science, 2005

Member, Hubert H. Humphrey Award Committee, 2005-2006, American Political Science Association

- Member, Sophonisba Breckinridge Award Committee, 2003, Midwest Political Science Association
- Member, Malcolm Jewell Best Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, 2005, Southern Political Science Association
- Member, Diane Blair Award Committee, 2001-2003, Southern Political Science Association

Member, Editorial Board, The Encyclopedia of Arkansas History and Culture

American Political Science Association Short Course Participation:

- State Politics Data Resources (2001)
- Teaching About Campaigns and Elections II (2001)
- Teaching Political Philosophy Through Film (2000)
- Teaching About Campaigns and Elections (2000)
- Section Chair, Teaching Politics, Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, 2004
- Section Chair, Arkansas Politics, Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, 2003 2004, and 2009
- Member, Status of Women in Arkansas Report Advisory Committee

Member, Curricular Review Committee, Arkansas School for Mathematics and Sciences, 1999

Section Chair, Southern Politics, Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, 1998

Executive Board Member, Arkansas Political Science Association, 1996-1998

SELECTED CAMPUS SERVICE (all at Hendrix College)

Faculty Representative, Hendrix College Board of Trustees, 2012-present

DEPARTMENT AND PROGRAMMATIC

Director, Crossings Program, 2008-present

Project Pericles, Hendrix Program Director, 2005-present

Distinguished Scholarships Advisor, 2003-2006, 2011-present

Chair, Department of Politics, 1999-2000; 2001-2004; 2010-present

Gender Studies Program Oversight Committee, 1995-present Chair, 1997-2000

American Studies Program Oversight Committee, 2003-present

Chair, Challenges of the Contemporary World Oversight Committee, 2007-2008

Pre-Law Advisor, 1997-present

Campus Coordinator, Washington Semester Program, 1995-2009

COMMITTEES

Co-Chair, Provost Search Committee, 2012-13

Committee on Engaged Learning, 2006-present Committee Chair, 2008-2009

Elected member of Academic Policy Council, 1997-2000, 2003-2006, 2011-present

Honors Committee, 2003-2006, 2011-present

Member, Galileo/Odyssey Task Force, 2003-2005 (Chair: Spring 2005) +The committee developed the proposal for Hendrix Odyssey, a new engaged learning program for the College, ultimately approved by the Faculty.

Co-Chair, Engaging With Democracy Task Force, 2004 +The committee planned a six-week series of events centered on the celebration of democracy, including Rock the Vote, leading up to the dedication of the Hendrix Odyssey program.

Student Life Committee, 1994-1997, 2001-2003 Committee Chair, 2002-2003 Chair, Diversity Concerns Subcommittee, 1995-1997 Chair, Residence Life Subcommittee, 1994-1995, 2001-2002

Campus Alcohol Policy Review Committee, 1995-1997

Politics and International Department Search Committee, 1996-1997, 1999, 2001, 2003, 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2008-2009, 2010-2011, 2011, 2012

History Department Search Committee, 2006-2007

Sociology/Anthropology Department Search Committee, 2003, 2007

Chemistry Department Search Committee, 1995, 1997, 2007

Library Search Committee, 1995-1996, 2002

Council on New Student Advisors, 1994-1995, 1999-2000, 2001-2002, 2006-2007, 2009-2010

Library and Learning Resources Committee, 1994

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Secretary, Omega Psi chapter of Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science Honor Society), 2001-present

Faculty Advisor, Student Senate, 1994-1997

Faculty Advisor, Young Democrats, 1994-present

Faculty Advisor, UNITY (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Straight Alliance), 1999-present

Faculty Advisor, Pre-Law Society, 2002-present

Faculty Advisor, The Franklin Literary Society, 2003-2005

Faculty Advisor, Alpha Chi Honor Society, 1995-1997

SELECTED COMMUNITY SERVICE

Member, Arkansas State Board of Education, 2012-present

Member, Arkansas Quality Digital Learning Study Committee, 2013-present

Member, American Civil Liberties Union National Board (Arkansas Affiliate Representative)

Member, Board of Directors, American Civil Liberties Union, Arkansas Affiliate

Member, Arkansas Governor's Task Force on Best Practices for After-School and Summer Programs, 2008

Member, Arkansas Non-Legislative Commission on the Study of Landlord-Tenant Laws, 2011-2012

Delegate, Democratic National Convention, 2012

Democratic Party of Arkansas

+Member, State Committee +Member, State Executive Committee, 2007-2011 +Chair, State Platform Committee, 2006 +Member, Blue Ribbon Committee on Party Rules, 2008 +Secretary, Special State Convention, 2008 +Parliamentarian, State Convention, 2008

First Vice-Chair, Pulaski County (Ark.) Democratic Party Central Committee, 2007-2009

Chair, Board of Directors, Just Communities of Central Arkansas, 2010-2011

Chair, Arkansas Out of School Network, 2010-2012

Chair, Board of Directors, Single Parent Scholarship Fund of Pulaski County, 2012-present +Volunteer of the Month, Arkansas Single Parent Scholarship Fund, January 2013

Member, Board of Directors, Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families

Member, Pro Bono Committee, Arkansas Access to Justice Commission

Arkansas Sierra Club +Member, Nominating Committee +Co-Chair, State Government Committee

Member, Board of Directors, Downtown Little Rock Community Development Corporation

Member, Class XXII, Leadership Greater Little Rock