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- POSITIONS HELD** **East Tennessee State University**, Johnson City, TN
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, August 2021-
Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN
Postdoctoral Research Scholar, Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions, July 2020-August 2021
- EDUCATION** **Washington University in St. Louis**, Saint Louis, MO
Ph.D., Political Science, May 2020
• Fields: American Politics & Quantitative Political Methodology
University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI
M.A., Political Science, May 2015
The George Washington University, Washington, DC
B.A., Political Science, August 2011
- JOURNAL ARTICLES** Miller, David R. “The President Will See Whom Now? Presidential Engagement with Organized Interests.” *Conditionally accepted at American Political Science Review*.
- Butler, Daniel M. and David R. Miller. “Does Lobbying Affect Bill Advancement? Evidence from Three State Legislatures.” *Forthcoming at Political Research Quarterly*.
- Ladam, Christina, Austin Bussing, Alexander C. Furnas, Josh McCrain, David R. Miller, and Rachel Porter. “The Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS).” *Forthcoming at PS: Political Science & Politics*.
- Miller, David R. 2022. “On Whose Door to Knock? Lobbyists’ Strategic Pursuit of Access to Members of Congress.” *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 47(1), 157-192.
- Miller, David R. and Andrew Reeves. 2022. “Pass the Buck or the Buck Stops Here? The Effectiveness of Claiming and Deflecting Blame by Elected Executives.” *Journal of Public Policy*, 42(1), 63-91.
- Miller, David R. 2021. “Empirical Approaches to the Study of Access.” *Interest Groups & Advocacy*, 10(3), 286-302.
- Stein, Robert M., Christopher Mann, Charles Stewart III, . . . , David Miller, . . . , et al. 2020. “Waiting to Vote in the 2016 Presidential Election: Evidence from a Multi-county Study.” *Political Research Quarterly*, 73(2), 439-453.
- Mann, Christopher B., Gayle A. Alberda, Nathaniel A. Birkhead, . . . , David Miller, . . . , et al. 2018. “Pedagogical Value of Polling Place Observation By Students.” *PS: Political Science & Politics*, 51(4), 831-837.
- Miller, David R. and Andrew Reeves. 2017. “Attitudes toward Delegation to Presidential Commissions.” *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, 47(3), 495-516.

OTHER ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS	<p>Stein, Robert M., Christopher Mann, Charles Stewart III, . . . , David Miller, . . . , et al. 2020. “Polling Place Quality and Access.” In <i>The Future of Election Administration</i>, Mitchell Brown, Kathleen Hale, and Bridgett A. King, Eds. Palgrave Macmillan, 83-100.</p> <p>Reeves, Andrew, David R. Miller, and Bryant Moy. 2018. “U.S. Presidential Campaigns and Their Impact.” In <i>Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science</i>.</p>
WORKING PAPERS	<p>Boston, Joshua, Benjamin Kassow, Ali Masood, and David R. Miller. “Save These Honorable Courts: The Consequences of Judicial Scandal on Specific and Diffuse Support.”</p> <p>Egerod, Benjamin C.K., Hans J.G. Hassell, Josh McCrain, and David R. Miller. “Hiring Representative Agents or Skill Sets? Principal-Agent Problems in Hiring Lobbyists.”</p> <p>Lewis, David E. and David R. Miller. “Partisanship and Support for the Administrative State in the U.S. Senate.”</p> <p>Miller, David R. and Jeffrey Ziegler. “Preferential Abstention in Conjoint Experiments.”</p>
WORKS IN PROGRESS	<p>Butler, Ryden, JB Duck-Mayr, David R. Miller, and Erin Rossiter. “May It Please the President? The Role of Deference to Executive Power in Supreme Court Nominations.”</p> <p>Miller, David R. and Chris Piper. “Costs for Not Appointing?: The Public Attitudes Towards Executive Branch Vacancies.”</p>
PUBLIC SCHOLARSHIP	<p>“Biden’s Supreme Court commission probably won’t sway public opinion” (with Andrew Reeves). <i>The Conversation</i>. June 16, 2021.</p> <p>“New evidence that lobbying affects legislative outcomes.” <i>3Streams</i>. May 30, 2021.</p> <p>“Here’s the evidence lobbyists are trying to persuade your member of Congress.” <i>3Streams</i>. February 2, 2021.</p> <p>“If Trump Took Responsibility for Coronavirus Missteps, It Might Actually Help Him” (with Andrew Reeves). <i>The Washington Post</i>. March 26, 2020.</p> <p>“Late to the Party (Nomination): How Primary Election Timing Disadvantages Missouri Voters.” In APSA’s <i>RAISE the Vote Campaign</i>. January 17, 2020.</p>
CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	<p>American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (2018, 2019)</p> <p>Harvard Experiments Working Group Graduate Student Conference (2019)</p> <p>Money in Politics APSA Pre-Conference (2020)</p> <p>Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting (2015, 2017, 2019, 2021)</p> <p>Presidents and Executive Politics Micro-Conference (2022)</p> <p>Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting (2018, 2022)</p> <p>Washington University-Illinois Student Exchange (2019)</p>
INVITED PRESENTATIONS	<p>University of California, San Diego (2019)</p> <p>University of Rhode Island (2020)</p>
AWARDS	<p>George C. Edwards III Dissertation Award (2021)</p> <p>Best dissertation on executive politics completed and accepted in 2019 or 2020</p>

For: “All the President’s Organized Interests”

GRANTS
AND
FELLOWSHIPS

Graduate Research Seed Grant, \$1,500 (Washington University in St. Louis, Spring 2019)
Richard Beaupre Hope & Heritage Fund Travel Award, \$300 (University of Rhode Island, Spring 2015)
Graduate Assistants United Travel Grant, \$200 (University of Rhode Island, Spring 2015)

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

East Tennessee State University

Instructor of Record

- PSCI 1120 Introduction to American Government, Fall 2021, Spring 2022
- PSCI 3440 Research Methods, Fall 2021, Spring 2022
- PSCI 3710 State and Local Government, Spring 2022

Washington University in St. Louis

Instructor of Record

- Poli Sci 101: Introduction to American Politics, Summer 2018

Teaching Assistant

- Poli Sci 101: Introduction to American Politics, Fall 2016 & Fall 2017 (Instructor: Andrew Reeves)
- Poli Sci 363: Quantitative Political Methodology, Fall 2018 (Instructor: Betsy Sinclair)
- Poli Sci 4043: Public Policy Analysis, Assessment and Practical Wisdom, Spring 2017 (Instructor: Dan Butler) & Spring 2018 (Instructor: Keith Schnakenberg)
- Poli Sci 495: Research Design and Methods, Spring 2019 (Instructor: Matt Gabel)

University of Rhode Island

Teaching Assistant

- PSC 113: Introduction to American Politics, Fall 2013 & Fall 2014 (Instructor: Maureen Moakley)
- PSC 116: Introduction to International Politics, Spring 2014 & Spring 2015 (Instructor: Marc Hutchison)

PROFESSIONAL
SERVICE

Reviewer—*Interest Groups & Advocacy*, *Journal of Politics*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Research & Politics*
Conference Panel Chair/Discussant—APSA (2020); MPSA (2019, 2021); SPSA (2022)
Founding Co-Organizer—[Junior Americanist Workshop Series](#) (2020-present)

INSTITUTIONAL
SERVICE

East Tennessee State University

Coordinator, Public Administration Minor, August 2021-

Member, College of Arts & Sciences Internal Research and Creative Activity Council, March 2022-

Washington University in St. Louis

Graduate Student Recruitment Coordinator, Spring 2018

American Politics Research Workshop Student Coordinator, August 2017-May 2018

MEDIA
COVERAGE

Johnson, Theodore R. “Reparations Won’t Start With Congress. A President Needs to Do That.” *Politico*. June 21, 2019.

COMPUTER
SKILLS

L^AT_EX, Python, R, Stata

REFERENCES

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