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Panel 17-S

DEARBORN 3

BRANCHING OUT: CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT

- Chair: **Kenneth R. Mayer**, *University of Wisconsin*, kmayer@polisci.wisc.edu
- Papers: "The Effect of Divided Government on the Ideological Character of Bills Enacted by the Senate, 1953-1994." **Cary R. Covington**, *University of Iowa*, Cary-covington@uiowa.edu **Andrew Barga**, *University of Iowa*, andrew-barga@uiowa.edu
- "Incomplete Information and Intentional Provocation as Causes of Vetoes." **John B. Gilmour**, *College of William and Mary*, jbgilm@wm.edu
- "How Presidents Influence the Legislative Priorities and Decisions of Members of Congress: A Theory of 'Focused Party Government.'" **Alan Rozzi**, *University of California, Los Angeles*, arozzi@ucla.edu
- "Position-taking and the Incidence of Executive Vetoes in Comparative Perspective: the Case of U.S. State Governments." **Eric Magar**, *University of California, San Diego*, and *Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México*, emagar@weber.ucsd.edu
- Disc: **Kenneth R. Mayer**, *University of Wisconsin*, kmayer@polisci.wisc.edu

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LASALLE 3

AUTHOR MEETS CRITICS: MAXWELL STEARNS' CONSTITUTIONAL PROCESS: SOCIAL CHOICE ANALYSIS OF SUPREME COURT DECISION MAKING

- Chair: **Erin O'Hara**, *Vanderbilt University Law School, Nashville, TN*, e.erin.ohara@law.vanderbilt.edu
- Disc: **Maxwell Stearns**, *George Mason University School of Law*, mstearns@gmu.edu
- Charles Cameron**, *Columbia University*, cmc1@columbia.edu
- Paul Edelman**, *Vanderbilt University Law School*, paul.edelman@law.vanderbilt.edu
- Lee Epstein**, *Washington University*, epstein@artsci.wustl.edu
- Mark Graber**, *University of Maryland*, mgraber@gvpt.umd.edu

Panel 19-F

LASALLE 4

PUBLIC OPINION, POLITICAL PARTIES, AND STATE POLICY

- Chair: **Charles Barrilleaux**, *Florida State University*, barrile@garnet.acns.fsu.edu
- Papers: "Public Opinion and Public Policy, 1976-2000" **John P. McIver**, *University of Colorado*, john.mciver@colorado.edu **Gerald C. Wright**, *Indiana University*, wright1@ucs.indiana.edu
- "Political Parties, Institutions, and Policy Responsiveness in Post-War American Federalism" **George A. Krause**, *University of South Carolina*, George.Krause@sc.edu **Ann O'M. Bowman**, *University of South Carolina*, bowman-ann@sc.edu
- "The Influence of Constituency, Party, and Ideology on Roll Call Voting in the American States" **Shannon Jenkins**, *Loyola University – Chicago*, sjenki2@luc.edu
- "Partisanship and Decentralization: Evidence for an Institutional Partisan Model of Government Expenditure" **Okyeon Yi Hong**, *University of Michigan*, okyeonh@umich.edu
- Disc: **Michael Berkman**, *Pennsylvania State University*, mbb1@psu.edu