

John R. Beiler

CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University, expected 2017
Ph.D., Political Science
Major Field: International Relations
Minor Fields: Political Methodology, Computational Methods

Louisiana State University, 2012
B.A., Political Science
Cum Laude, College Honors
Thesis: Leader Psychology and Involvement in International Events

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

“U.S. Leaders, Bureaucracies, and Client States: How Do the “Psychologies” within an Administration Affect Policy?”

- Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. San Francisco. April 3-6, 2012.

CONFERENCE PRESENTA- TIONS

“Leader Psychology and Involvement in International Events”

- Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. San Diego. April 1-4, 2012.

“Changes in Leader Psychology and the Response to Crisis Onset.” with John Robert Butler.

- Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association-Midwest. St. Louis, MO. November 10-13, 2011.
- Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Louisiana Political Science Association. February 24-25, 2012.
- *Winner of the International Studies Association-Midwest Margaret G. Hermann Award for Best Paper Using Text Analysis*
- *Winner of the Louisiana Political Science Associations Undergraduate Student Research Award for Best Undergraduate Paper.*

“Effects of Presidential Psychology on Militarized Interstate Disputes from 1945-2001.”

- Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. Montreal. March 15-19, 2011.

“The Effect of Leadership on Foreign Policy Decisions: A Study of Relations Between the U.S. and Iran.”

- Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association-Midwest. St. Louis, MO. November 4-7, 2010.
- Paper presented at the University of Louisiana-Lafayette Honors Invitational.

PROGRAMS AND UTILITIES

Lafleur, McKendon and John Beiler. 2012. “PresidentParser: Automated Mark-up Utility.” *The Political Methodologist*. 19:2.

- Program available at johnbeiler.org/code.

py_apsrtable

- py_apsrtable is a Python program written to aid in the creation of \LaTeX tables from the output of Python statistical packages such as statsmodels.
- Code and further description available at johnb30.github.com/py_apsrtable/

**COMPUTER
SKILLS**

Software: R, Stata, SPSS, Profiler Plus

Languages: Python (Proficient), R (Proficient), C (Beginner), SQL (Beginner)

**HONORS AND
AWARDS**

LSU Honors College Outstanding Honors Thesis Award. Spring 2012.

LSU Tiger Athletic Foundation Thesis Scholarship Award Winner. Spring 2011.

LSU Honors College Outstanding Junior of the Year. Fall 2010-Spring 2011.

LSU ASPIRE Research Grant. Spring 2011, Spring 2012.

Phi Kappa Phi Honors Society. Fall 2011.

Pi Sigma Alpha Honors Society. Spring 2010.

LANGUAGES

French (Proficient)

ASSOCIATIONS

International Studies Association