

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), 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.