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Academic Appointments

August 2013-present. Assistant Professor (tenure-track)

Center for Water Policy. School of Freshwater Sciences. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Courtesy appointments in:

• Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies (CLACS).

January 2012-May 2013. Assistant Professor (tenure-track) School of Govt. and Public Policy. University of Arizona Courtesy appointments in:

- Water Resources Research Center (WRRC).
- Institute for Environment and Society (IES)
- Center for Latin American Studies (CLAS).

January 2010-April 2012. Researcher

Argentine National Council of Scientific and Technical Research (CONICET)

July 2009-December 2009. Assistant Professor (tenure-track) School of Government and Public Policy. University of Arizona

January 2007-June 2009. Assistant Professor (tenure-track) Department of Political Science. University of Arizona

Education

2006. Ph.D. in Political Science (December)

Florida State University Concentration: Public Policy

Minors: Comparative Politics, Methods

2005. Masters of Science in Political Science (January)

Florida State University

1996. Bachelor of Science in Political Science (December)

Catholic University of Córdoba (Argentina)

Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals

Berardo, Ramiro. 2013. "The Coevolution of Perceptions of Procedural Fairness and Link Formation in Water Policy Networks." *Journal of Politics* 75(3):686-700.

Berardo, Ramiro, Tomás Olivier, and Marcos Meyer. 2013. "Adaptive Governance and Integrated Water Resources Management in Argentina." *International Journal of Water Governance* 1(3/4):219-236.

Lubell, Mark, John T. Scholz, Ramiro Berardo, and Garry Robins. 2012. "Testing Policy Theory with Statistical Models of Networks." *Policy Studies Journal* 40(3):351-374.

Berardo, Ramiro, and Víctor Mazzalav. 2012. "Trust, Political Influence and Exchange of Resources in Regional Decision-Making Arenas." Revista de Ciencia Política 32(2):479-500 (in Spanish).

Berardo, Ramiro, and Andrea Gerlak. 2012. "Conflict and Cooperation along International Rivers: Crafting a Model of Institutional Effectiveness." Global Environmental Politics 12(1):101-120.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2011. "Speaking with an Accent: Some Practical Advice for Foreign First-Time Teachers." PS: Political Science & Politics 44(2):421-423.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2011. "Networking Networkers: An Initial Exploration of the Patterns of Collaboration among the Members of a New Community in Political Science." PS: Political Science & Politics 44(1):69-75.

Berardo, Ramiro, and John T. Scholz. 2010. "Self-Organizing Policy Networks: Risk, Partner Selection and Cooperation in Estuaries." American Journal of Political Science 54(3):632-649.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2009. "Processing Complexity in Networks: A Study of Informal Collaboration and its Effect on Organizational Success." Policy Studies Journal 37(3):521-539.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2009. "Generalized Trust in Multi-organizational Policy Arenas: Studying its Emergence from a Network Perspective." Political Research Quarterly 62(1):178-189.

Scholz, John, Ramiro Berardo, and Brad Kile. 2008. "Do Networks Enhance Cooperation? Credibility, Search, and Collaboration." Journal of Politics 70(2):393-406.

Book Chapters

Berardo, Ramiro. 2010. "Sustaining Joint Ventures: The Role of Resource Exchange and the Strength of Inter-organizational Relationships." In Feiock, Richard, and John T. Scholz (eds.) Self-Organizing Federalism: Collaborative Mechanisms to Mitigate Institutional Collective Action. New York: Cambridge University Press. Pp. 204-228.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2005. "The East Central Florida Regional Water Supply Planning Initiative: Creating collaboration." In Scholz, John T. and Bruce Stiftel (eds.) Adaptive Governance and Water Conflict. Washington, D.C.: Resources for the Future Press.

Other **Publications**

Book review. 2013. Tun Myint's Governing International Rivers: Polycentric Politics in the Mekong and the Rhine. Edward Elgar Publishing. In Perspectives on Politics.

Berardo, Ramiro, and Tomás Olivier. 2011. "Social-Ecological Systems and Management of Natural Resources." Hydria 37:21-26 (in Spanish).

Berardo, Ramiro. 2010. "Policy Networks and Communication." In Alt, James, Simone Chambers, Geoffrey Garrett, Margaret Levi, and Paula McClain (eds.) International Encyclopedia of Political Science. Washington: CQ Press.

Technical Reports Berardo, Ramiro, Sergio Chiavassa, Ruben Actis Danna, Beatriz Ensabella, Diego Gurvich, Federico Kopta, Agustín Pierobon, and Pablo Vagliente. 2012. "Abbreviated Report on the Need to Implement the Integrated Management of Water Resources in the Sierras Chicas area (Cordoba)." Professional report sponsored by the UrbanEnvironmental Forum of the city of Cordoba. In Spanish.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2012. "Collaboration Networks for the Management of Transboundary Natural Resources in the Amazon, Great Chaco, and Patagonia: Lessons from the past and guidelines for the future." Professional report sponsored by Fundación AVINA. In Spanish.

Berardo, Ramiro. 2011. "Executive Summary: Natural resources management in the San Roque lake basin."

Report available at http://www.watergovernance.net/publications_wg.htm. In Spanish.

Berardo, Ramiro, Micaela Cerezoli, and Tomás Olivier. 2011. "Results of the Water Resources Management survey in the Paraná river delta (Oct.-Dic. 2010)." Report available at http://www.watergovernance.net/publications_wg.htm. In Spanish.

Manuscripts Under Review & Working Papers

Berardo, Ramiro. "The Shape of Collaboration: Two-mode Networks and Provision of Resources for Projects in a Government-sponsored Program." Revise and resubmit at the *Policy Studies Journal*.

Berardo, Ramiro. "The Evolution of a Collaboration Network in a High Risk Social-Ecological System." Revise and resubmit at the *International Journal of the Commons*.

Berardo, Ramiro, Tanya Heikkila, and Andrea Gerlak. "Inter-organizational Engagement in Collaborative Environmental Management: Evidence from the South Florida Ecosystem Restoration Task Force." Revise and resubmit at the *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*.

Berardo, Ramiro, Mark Lubell, and John T. Scholz. "The Ecology of Policy Games for Water Resources in Stable and Unstable Policy-Making Systems." Working paper.

Scholz, John T., Meredith Whiteman, and Ramiro Berardo. "Network Capital and Project Performance in Self-Organizing Policy Arenas." Working paper.

Mewhirter, Jack, John T. Scholz, Ramiro Berardo, and Mark Lubell. "The Role of Uncertainty and Institutionalization in the Ecology of Games Framework." Working paper.

Berardo, Ramiro, Anthony Lavers, and Tomas Olivier. 2013. "Environmental Crises as shocks to an Ecology of Policy Games: Evidence from the Parana River Delta." Working paper.

Lavers, Anthony, and Ramiro Berardo. 2013. "Failure in resource management institutions: unbundling contributory factors in the Parana River Delta." Working paper.

Honors & Awards 2010-2012. National Science Foundation research grant for the project "Governing Complex Commons: Policy Networks and the Local Ecology of Games." U\$ 183,629.

2010-2012. National Council of Scientific and Technical Research (CONICET-Argentina) grant for the project "Policy Networks and Solutions of Collective Action Dilemmas: A study of the management of water resources in the San Roque lake basin (Córdoba)".U\$ 34,500.

2009. Travel grant to participate in Networks in Political Science (NIPS) at Harvard.

April. U\$ 500.

2008. University of Arizona Foundation and the Office of the Vice President for Research, Graduate Studies, and Economic Development of the University of Arizona. Research Grant to study management efforts in the Salí-Dulce river basin in Argentina. April. U\$ 4300.

2008. Travel grant to participate in Networks in Political Science (NIPS) at Harvard. April. U\$ 500.

2006. Florida State Travel Grant to participate in the SIENA (Simulation Investigation for Empirical Network Analysis) workshop. Groningen, Netherlands. January 15-20. U\$ 2500.

2005. DeVoe L. Moore Center Dissertation Fellowship to complete dissertation work. August 2005-July 2006. U\$ 16500.

2003. Inter University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) grant to participate in its summer program on Quantitative Methods. University of Michigan. June-July 2003. U\$ 1000.

2000. Fulbright Scholarship, granted by the Fulbright Commission to pursue graduate studies in the U.S. August 2001-July 2003. U\$ 34000.

1998. National Council of Scientific and Technical Research fellowship, granted by the Argentine Federal Government to develop a research project on the role of city councils in local government and to pursue graduate studies. August 1998-July 2002. U\$ 43200.

1998. Council of Scientific and Technological Research of Cordoba fellowship, granted by the provincial government of Córdoba to pursue graduate studies. May 1998-June 2000. U\$ 1800.

1994. Catholic University of Cordoba grant to participate in the International Political Science Association's World Congress. Berlin, Germany. September 1994.

Participation in Academic Meetings

2013. Chair for the panel "Public Policy Networks." American Political Science Association annual meeting. Chicago. August 29-September 1.

2013. "Policy Learning and Interorganizational Engagement in Collaborative Environmental Management." Ramiro Berardo, Andrea Gerlak, and Tanya Heikkila. Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Chicago. April 10-14.

2013. "Who Participates in an Ecology of Games and Why? A Comparison Across Stable and Unstable Policy-Making Systems." Ramiro Berardo, John Scholz, and Mark Lubell. Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Chicago. April 10-14.

2013. "Uncertainty and Collaboration in the Ecology of Games." Jack Mewhirter, John Scholz, Ramiro Berardo, and Mark Lubell. Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Chicago. April 10-14.

2013. Discussant for the panel "Public Management Policy Networks." Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Chicago. April 10-14.

2013. Discussant for the panel "Frames and Discourse in Water Governance." Interna-

- tional Studies Association annual meeting, San Francisco. April 3-6.
- 2013. "Redes y Riesgo en Sistemas Socio-Ecologicos." Paper presented at the Seminar on Policy Networks organized by the Center of Research and Teaching in Economics (CIDE). Mexico City. March 11-12.
- 2011. Chair and discussant for the panel "Science, Technology, and Environmental Policy Networks." American Political Science Association annual meeting. Seattle. September 1-4.
- 2011. "The Ecology of Water Management Games: A Comparative Analysis of Uncertainty and Participation in Policy Venues." Ramiro Berardo, John T. Scholz, Mark Lubell, Sabrina Cotta, and Jacob Schumaker. Paper presented at the American Political Science Association annual meeting. Seattle. September 1-4
- 2011. "Systemic Risk and Network Formation in Social-Ecological Systems." Paper presented at the 2011 American Political Science Association Meeting. Seattle. September 1-4.
- 2011. "Riesgo y Redes de Comunicación en Sistemas Socio-Ecológicos. Paper presented at the biannual Argentine National Conference of Political Science. Córdoba, Argentina. July 27-30.
- 2011. "Networks and Risk". Presentation delivered at the IV APSA's Political Network Conference. University of Michigan, June 14-19.
- 2011. Chair for the panel "Legislative Organization & Policy Outcomes." IV APSA's Political Network Conference. University of Michigan, June 14-19.
- 2011. "Testing Policy Theory with Statistical Models of Networks." Mark Lubell, John Scholz, Ramiro Berardo, and Garry Robbins. Paper presented at the IV APSA's Political Network Conference. University of Michigan, June 14-19.
- 2010. "Applications of Three-mode Networks to the Study of Cooperative Interactions in Regional Policy Venues." Ramiro Berardo and Sabrina Cotta. Poster presented at the 2010 American Political Science Association Meeting. Washington, D.C. September 2-5.
- 2010. "Networking Networkers II: Revenge of the Comparativists." Presented as section address of APSA's Political Networks Section at the II Political Network Conference. Duke University, May 20.
- 2009. "Governance and Institutional Legitimacy in Transboundary Resource Management." Andrea Gerlak, Ramiro Berardo, and Ruth Alminas. Presented at the ISA-ABRI Joint International Meeting. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. July 22-24.
- 2009. "Networking Networkers: An Exploration of the Patterns of Collaboration among Attendees to the First Harvard Political Networks Conference." Ramiro Berardo and Ruth Alminas. A special presentation delivered in the opening ceremony of the II Harvard Political Network Conference. Cambridge, Massachusetts. June 11-13.
- 2009. "Bonding and Bridging Social Capital in 2-Mode Networks: some research notes on organizational participation in water-related projects in Southwest Florida." Ramiro Berardo, John T. Scholz, and Meredith Whiteman. Presented at the Political Networks

Workshop. Davis, California. May 19-20.

2008. "Networking Organizations in a Fragmented Policy System: How Do Collaborative Proposals Succeed in Obtaining Governmental Support?" Presented at the 2008 American Political Science Association annual meeting. Cambridge, Massachusetts. August 28-31.

2008. "Self-Organizing Policy Networks: Risk, Partner Selection and Cooperation in Estuaries." Paper presented at the Networks in Political Science (NIPS) conference. Harvard, Massachusetts. June 12-14.

2008. "Networking Organizations into Public Collaboration: Explaining Organizational Success in Southwest Florida." Paper presented at the 2008 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 3-6.

2008. Chair of the Panel "Social Ideologies and Environmental Policies." Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 3-6.

2008. Chair of the Methodology section. Western Political Science Association annual meeting, San Diego, California, March 20-22.

2008. Chair and discussant for the panel "The Politics of Water Supply." Western Political Science Association annual meeting, San Diego, California, March 21.

2008. "Networks, Neighbors, and Land Use: How Intergovernmental Networks Influence the Permeability of Local Governments to Development Pressures." Richard Feiock and Ramiro Berardo. Paper presented at the 2008 Southern Political Science Association annual meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 1012.

2007. Discussant for the panel "Process and Representation in Environmental Politics." Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 14.

2007. Discussant for the panel "Environmental Policy Implementation Issues." Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 13.

2007. "Collective Action and the Dynamics of Policy Networks." Ramiro Berardo and John T. Scholz. Paper presented at the International Conference on Advanced Political Network Modeling, Mannheim, Germany, June 28-29.

2007. "Resource Exchange, Strong Relationships, and the Continuation of Collaborative Practices." Presented at the 2007 Western Political Science Association annual meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 8-10.

2007. "Sustained Collaboration in Southwest Florida: A Study of Resource Dependency in 41 Water-Related Projects." Presented at the workshop "Networks and Coordination of Fragmented Authority: The Challenge of Institutional Collective Action in Metropolitan Areas." Wakulla Springs, Florida, February 15-18.

2006. "Collective Action and the Dynamics of Policy Networks." Ramiro Berardo and John T. Scholz. Paper presented at the 2006 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 20-23.

2005. "Micro-Incentives and the Dynamics of Policy Networks." Ramiro Berardo and John T. Scholz. Paper presented at the American Political Science annual meeting,

Washington, D.C., September 1-4.

2005. "Do Networks Enhance Cooperation? Policy Communities, Issue Networks, and Joint Environmental Projects." John T. Scholz, Ramiro Berardo, and Brad Kile. Paper presented at the Florida Political Science annual meeting, Tallahassee, Florida, March 11.

2005. "Micro-incentives and the Dynamics of Policy Networks." Poster prepared for the Political Methodological Conference of the American Political Science Association, Tallahassee, July 21-23.

2004. "Policy Networks in Common-Pool Resources: Explaining the Emergence of Trust." Ramiro Berardo and John T. Scholz. Paper presented at the 2004 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 14-17.

2003. "Seeking Water Peace: The East Central Florida Regional Water Supply Planning Initiative." Paper presented at the symposium "Adaptive Governance of Floridas Water Conflicts", Tallahassee, Florida, November 21.

2003. "Policy Network Dynamics: Resolving Collective Environmental Problems in Estuaries." John T. Scholz, Brad Kile, and Ramiro Berardo. Paper presented at the 2003 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 6-9.

2000. "Fiscally Stressed Cities: A New Role for City Councils? The case of 50 Argentine cities." Paper presented at the XVIII World Congress of Political Science (organized by the International Political Science Association), Quebec, August 1-5.

Teaching

Graduate Level

- POL 596. Institutions, Choice, and Governance. Ph.D. Program. School of Government and Public Policy, University of Arizona. Spring 2013.
- Thesis Seminar I- Master Program in Political Management. Catholic University of Córdoba, Argentina. Spring 2011.
- POL 596. Research Seminar on American Federalism. Ph.D. Program. School of Government and Public Policy, University of Arizona. Spring 2009.
- POL 682. Advanced Research Methods: Applications of Network Analysis to Political Science. Ph.D. Program. School of Government and Public Policy, University of Arizona. Spring 2008, Spring 2013.

Undergraduate Level

- PA481. Environmental Policy. School of Government and Public Policy, University of Arizona. Fall 2012.
- New Solutions to Collective Action Dilemmas in Complex Decision-making Arenas. School of Political Science and International Relations, Catholic University of Córdoba, Argentina. Spring 2010.
- POL 401. The Politics and Governance of Water. Department of Political Science, University of Arizona. Fall 2007, Spring 2008, Fall 2008, Spring 2009, Fall 2009, Spring 2010 (delivered online), Winter 2010 (delivered online), Spring 2012 (delivered online).
- POL 287. Introduction to Latin American Politics. Department of Political Science, University of Arizona. Spring 2007, Fall 2008, Spring 2009.
- POL 434. Quantitative Analysis of Political Problems. Department of Political Science, University of Arizona. Spring 2007, Spring 2011 (delivered online), Fall 2012.

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- PUP 4032. Environmental Policy and Politics. Department of Political Science, Florida State University. Summer 2005.
- PUP 3002. Introduction to Public Policy. Department of Political Science, Florida State University. Summer 2004.

Invited Presentations

"Risk and Network Capital in the Ecology of Policy Games." Bren School of Environmental Science and Management. University of California-Santa Barbara. February 11, 2013.

"Social Capital, Critical Mass, and Water Management." Organized by the city of Capilla del Monte (Argentina). October 21, 2011.

"Social Capital and Social Critical Mass in the Management of Natural Resources." Organized by the Foro Urbano Ambiental Permanente (FUAP) of the City of Villa Carlos Paz (Argentina). August 18, 2011.

"Collective Action Dilemmas and Socio-Ecological Systemic Risk in the Punilla Valley." School of Political Science and International Relations. Catholic University of Córdoba Argentina). June 30, 2011.

"Environmental Problems in the Upper Region of the Suquía River and how to Solve Them: An Assessment Based on a Region-wide Survey." Organized by the Federal Administration of National Parks. Icho Cruz (Argentina). June 25, 2011.

"Social Capital and Water Management." Co-organized by the town of Cuesta Blanca and Ecosistemas Argentinos (environmental NGO). Cuesta Blanca (Argentina). May 7, 2011.

"New Research Agendas in Political Science." Closing address of the IV Research Annual Meeting organized by the School of Political Science and International Relations. Catholic University of Córdoba (Argentina). August 13-14, 2010.

"Theory, methods, and applications of social network analysis in the study of public policy." Sixteen-hour seminar taught jointly with Edgar Ramírez de la Cruz at the Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE). México DF. July 7-9, 2010.

"Political Autonomy and Social Tension in Evo Morales' Bolivia." Presented to the Latin America Seminar of the International Studies Colloquium. University of Arizona. Tucson. October 30, 2008.

"The Enhanced (and Underdeveloped) Democracies of Latin America." Symposium organized by the Center for Middle Eastern Studies and the Center for Latin American Studies. University of Arizona. Tucson. October 18, 2008.

"Self-Organizing Policy Networks: Partner Selection, Coordination and Cooperation in U.S. Estuaries." Center for the Study of Institutional Diversity. Arizona State University. Phoenix. April 23, 2008.

"The Conflict between Argentina and Uruguay over the Location of Pulp Mills Factories on the Eastern Bank of the Uruguay River." Presented to the Latin America Seminar of the International Studies Colloquium. University of Arizona. Tucson. April 17, 2008.

"Redes políticas y solución de dilemas de acción colectiva." School of Political Science and International Relations. Catholic University of Córdoba (Argentina). August 12,

2004

Service to the Profession

2013-date. Member of the Editorial Board of the journal Complexity, Governance & Networks.

2013. Member of the Lynton K. Cadwell Prize committee for best book in environmental politics. Science, Technology, and Environmental Politics section of the American Political Science Association.

2012. Chair of the Political Networks section. American Political Science Association annual meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, August 29-September 2.

2008. Chair of the Methodology section. Western Political Science Association annual meeting, San Diego, California, March 20-22.

Reviewer for:

- American Journal of Political Science (2010, 2011, 2013),
- American Political Science Review (2011),
- Austrian Science Fund (2010, 2011),
- Conservation Letters (2013),
- CQ Press (2007),
- Global Environmental Politics (2009, 2010, 2011),
- International Journal of the Commons (2013),
- Journal of Policy Analysis and Management (2013),
- Journal of Politics (2009, 2010, 2012),
- Journal of Public Administration, Research, and Theory (2010, 2011, 2012),
- National Science Foundation (2010, 2012, 2013),
- Political Research Quarterly (2008, 2009, 2010),
- Policy Studies Journal (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013),
- Public Administration (2009, 2010)
- Public Administration, Public Performance and Management Review (2009, 2011, 2012).
- Publius (2010, 2012)
- Social Networks (2011, 2012)
- Water Resources Research (2011)

University Service Member of the Academic Policies and Curriculum Committee. School of Freshwater Sciences. 2013-2014. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Member of the Undergraduate Studies Committee. School of Government and Public Policy. 2012-2013. University of Arizona.

Environmental Policy Search Committee. Fall 2011. School of Government and Public Policy. University of Arizona.

International Environmental Politics Search Committee. Fall 2010. School of Government and Public Policy. University of Arizona.

Member of the Graduate Studies Committee. Department of Political Science. 2009-2010. School of Government and Public Policy. University of Arizona.

Reviewer for the University of Arizonas Vice-President of Research Small Faculty Grants Program (2009).

Advising of Graduate Students & Service in Dissertation Committees

Emily Monken. Master of Arts in Latin American Studies. University of Arizona. Chair of her Thesis committee (expected defense February 2013).

Desiree D'Amico. 2012. La construcción socio-política de un territorio segregado con composición migratoria: el caso de Barrio Villa El Libertador en la ciudad de Córdoba, Argentina. Ph.D. in Politics and Government. Catholic University of Córdoba. Member of dissertation committee.

Nancy Khan. 2010-2012. Masters Program in Science, Technology, and Innovation Management. Universidad Nacional de General Sarmiento. Argentina. Member of thesis committee (defense expected March 2013).

Natalia Bermúdez. 2010. Gobernabilidad y Subjetividad en la Implementación de los Programas Primer Paso (PPP) y Primer Paso Profesionales (PPPP) en Córdoba. Masters in Sociology. Center of Advanced Studies. National University of Córdoba. Member of thesis committee.

2010-2011. Tutor for 9 students in the Masters Program in Political Management. School of Political Science and International Relations. Catholic University of Córdoba. As a Tutor in this program, I supervised the students through the process of developing their research projects.

Direction and Advising of Undergraduate Students

Lucas Holt. Director of his Research Fellowship at the School of Government and Public Policy. Spring 2013.

Tomás Olivier. Research Assistant with the Water Governance Project. September 2010-May 2012.

Marcos Meyer. Research Assistant with the Water Governance Project. October 2011-May 2012.

Micaela Cerezoli. Research Assistant with the Water Governance Project. January 2011-June 2011.

Maribel Dalio. Research Assistant with the Water Governance Project. September 2010-March 2011.

Alvaro Martos. Research Assistant with the Water Governance Project. September 2010-December 2010.

Jessica Flores-Montenegro. Research Assistant with the Water Governance Project. September 2010-December 2010.

Sara Daw. "Adaptive Governance and the Politics of Reclaimed Water." Director of her Research Project financed by the U. of Arizona's Water Sustainability Program. August 2008-May 2009.

Rachel Ronald. "Immigration Patterns in Guatemala." Direction of her thesis in the Honors College at the University of Arizona. August 2008-May 2009.

Mark De Barros. "A study of the Networks and Socio-Economic Structures of Narco-Trafficking in Rio de Janeiro." Direction of his thesis in the Honors College at the Univerity of Arizona. August 2007- May 2008.

Professional Affiliation

American Political Science Association.

• Public Policy Section

• Political Networks Section

• Science, Technology and Environmental Politics Section

Midwest Political Science Association.

International Network for Social Network Analysis

Western Political Science Association.

Languages

Spanish: Native speaker

English: Excellent speaking, writing, and reading skills

Portuguese: Good reading skills