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Positions Held

Assistant (2006–2012), Associate (2012–2019), and Full (2019–) Professor, Department of Political Science, Iowa State University

Book

Families' Values: How Parents, Siblings, and Children Shape Political Attitudes, Oxford University Press (2014)

Refereed Journal Articles

''Is Populism Popular Abroad?" *Party Politics*, forthcoming (with Anca Turcu)

"Humor in Supreme Court Oral Arguments," *Humor* 35:2, 169–187 (2022)

"Are Religious Individuals against Renewables?" *Energy Research & Social Science* 81, 102283 (2021; with Yu Wang)

"Physical Formidability and Acceptance of Police Violence," *Evolution and Human Behavior* 42:5, 431–440 (2021)

"Rightward Leanings and Nonstandard Party-Position Perceptions," *Political Research Quarterly* 74:1, 166–181 (2021)

"Bean Counters: The Effect of Soy Tariffs on Change in Republican Vote Share between the 2016 and 2018 Elections," *Journal of Politics* 83:1, 415–419 (2021; with Olga V. Chyzh)

"Aversion to Far-Left Parties among Europeans Voting Abroad," *Comparative European Politics* 19:1, 117–138 (2021; with Anca Turcu)

"The Social Desirability of Rallying 'Round the Flag," *Political Behavior* 42:4, 1223–1243 (2020)

"Do Expert Surveys Underrate Lower-Income Countries?" *Research Policy* 49:8, 104058 (2020)

"Emigrants vs. Rural Politics: Cosmopolitan Outlooks and Electoral Opposition to Agrarian Parties," *Journal of Rural Studies* 77, 138–147 (2020; with Anca Turcu)

"Revisiting 'The First-Daughter Effect,'" *Public Opinion Quarterly* 84:2, 523–537 (2020)

"European Ruling Parties' Electoral Strategies and Diaspora Enfranchisement Policies," *European Journal of Political Research* 59:2, 269–289 (2020; with Anca Turcu)

"Trade Connections' Effect on European Regions' Interest in Brexit," *European Union Politics* 21:1, 173–179 (2020)

"Go Means Green: Diasporas' Ideological Preferences and Electoral Choices," *Global Environmental Politics* 20:1, 82–102 (2020; with Anca Turcu)

"Gun-Shy: Refusal to Answer Survey Questions about Firearm Ownership," *Social Science Journal* 56:2, 189–195 (2019)

"Good Looks as a Source of Moral Permissiveness," *Social Science Quarterly* 100:1, 328–341 (2019)

"Immigrant Out-Groups and Voting against Free Trade," *International Interactions* 44:6, 1065–1088 (2018)

"Female-Sounding Names and Electoral Performance," *Electoral Studies* 55, 54–61 (2018)

"Things Are Looking Up: Physical Beauty, Social Mobility, and Optimistic Dispositions," *Social Science Research* 71, 19–36 (2018)

"Endogenous Borders and Access to the Sea," *Political Geography* 63, 43–53 (2018; with Brad Sievers)

"Youthful Hours: Polling Opening Times Manipulate Turnout Demographics," *Research & Politics* 4:3, 1–7 (2017)

"Long-Term Consequences of Ethnic Cleansing in the Former Polish-German Borderlands," *Political Geography* 58, 56–66 (2017)

"Entertainment and the Opportunity Cost of Civic Participation: Monday Night Football Game Quality Suppresses Turnout in US Elections," *Journal of Politics* 79:2, 424–438 (2017; with Matthew Potoski)

"Influenza and Voter Turnout," *Scandinavian Political Studies* 40:1, 107–119 (2017)

"Gender, Partisanship, and Candidate Selection Mechanisms," *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 16:3, 290–312 (2016; with Valerie M. Hennings)

"Protectionist Executives," *International Interactions* 42:5, 729–749 (2016)

"Gendered Electoral Systems in the French *Sénat*," *West European Politics* 39:4, 859–869 (2016)

"Judgement Days: Social Attitudes after Natural Disasters," *Disasters* 40:1, 26–44 (2016)

"There Can Be Only One (Woman on the Ticket)," *Political Behavior* 37:3, 749–766 (2015; with Valerie M. Hennings)

"Movers as Early Adopters of Linguistic Innovation," *Journal of Sociolinguistics* 19:3, 372–390 (2015)

"The American Public's Attention to Politics in Crisis and Conflict, 1880–1963," *Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 46:2, 225–244 (2015)

"Weather Biases in Public Opinion Surveys," *Weather, Climate, and Society* 7:2, 192–196 (2015; with Matthew Potoski and Cindy Yu)

"The Diffusion of Diaspora Enfranchisement Norms: A Multinational Study," *Comparative Political Studies* 48:4, 407–437 (2015; with Anca Turcu)

"Alphabetical Effects on Political Careers," *Names* 62:4, 229–238 (2014)
Award: Best article in *Names*, 2014

"Time Regulation as Electoral Policy," *American Politics Research* 42:5, 841–855 (2014)

"Historical Regional Variation in Census Occupation Terms," *American Speech* 89:1, 74–88 (2014)

"Nominal Partisanship: Names as Political Identity Signals," *PS: Political Science & Politics* 47:2, 463–467 (2014)

"Industries, Occupations, and Trade Policy Preferences," *Political Behavior* 35:3, 605–620 (2013)

"Employment Effects of Thanksgiving Timing," *Economics Letters* 119:1, 42–44 (2013)

"A Referendum on Trade Theory: Voting on Free Trade in Costa Rica," *International Organization* 67:1, 197–214 (2013)

"The Paradox of Voting Intelligently," *Public Choice* 150:3–4, 511–524 (2012)

"Sibling Ideological Influence: A Natural Experiment," *British Journal of Political Science* 41:4, 693–712 (2011)

"Isolationism and Domestic Politics," *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 54:3, 471–492 (2010)

"Interdependent Preferences, Militarism, and Child Gender," *International Studies Quarterly* 53:1, 1–21 (2009)

"Location and Policy Preferences," *Quarterly Journal of Political Science* 3:2, 141–164 (2008)

Other Publication

Review of Patrick J. McDonald, *The Invisible Hand of Peace: Capitalism, The War Machine, and International Relations Theory. Perspectives on Politics* 9:1, 229–231 (2011)

Work in Progress

Living on the Edges: Borderland Political Economy (book manuscript)

The Name Event: United States Political History through Baby Names (book manuscript)

"Partisan Biases among the Unemployed" (invited to resubmit)

"Occupations and Ideological Sorting" (invited to resubmit)

"Geography, Diversity, and the Origins of Domestic Institutions"

"Moral Duties: Norms and Attitudes towards Globalization" (with Pam Manhart)

"The Right to Die? Individual-Level Partisanship and COVID-19 Mortality"

"Out-Party Isolationism in the United States Congress"

"Multidimensional Treatments in Hypothesis Testing"

"Who Cares about Trade Wars?: Unobtrusively Measuring Interest in Trade"

"Greenfields of the Mind: Public Attitudes to Work and Mode of Foreign Direct Investment"

"Rationalist Enjoyment of War" (with Adrian Florea)

Teaching Experience

Undergraduate

- International Political Economy
- Introduction to Empirical Research
- Introduction to International Relations
- Public Choice/Political Game Theory
- Introduction to Political Science
- Capstone Seminar: International Studies
- Candidate Selection Mechanisms
- Political Behavior
- Immigration Policy
- Politics and Geography
- Strategy and Terrorism
- Shakespeare and Politics
- World Politics Today

Graduate

- Proseminar: International Relations
- Proseminar: Comparative Politics
- Political Research and Analysis
- International Political Economy
- Politics and Geography

Supervisor

- Twenty-two completed Master's theses
- Two completed undergraduate theses

University Service

Extradepartmental

- College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Representative Assembly (2007–2013)
  - Representative Assembly Executive Committee (2007–2008)
- Selection Committee, Carrie Chapman Catt Prize (2008–2019; 2021)
- International Studies Program Leadership Committee (2009–2016)
- College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Computing Advisory Committee (2012–2015)
- Search Committees, Information Technology Personnel (2011; 2012; 2015)
- Stanton Memorial Carillon Foundation Advisory Board (2006–)
- Faculty Associate, Graduate Program in Sustainable Agriculture (2006–2017)
- External Member, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Economics (2018–2019)

Departmental

- Director of Undergraduate Education (2016–)
- Graduate Program Committee (2006–2014)
- Graduate Admissions Committee (2006–2016)
- Faculty Awards Committee (2012–2013: Chair; 2013–2016)
- Faculty Search Committees (2006; 2007; 2008; 2013: Chair)
- ΠΣΑ Best-Paper Award Committee (2010)
- *Ad Hoc* Committees on Departmental Methods Curriculum (2008; 2012; 2013)

Professional Service

Reviewer: *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative Political Studies*, Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada, *R Journal*, *Political Behavior*, *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Democratization*, *Review of International Studies*, *Review of Law & Economics*, *Social Science Journal*, *Political Geography*, *Geopolitics*, *Journal of Law and Courts*, *Personality and Individual Differences*, *Political Research*

Quarterly, *American Politics Research*, *Scientometrics*, *Evolution and Human Behavior*, *International Interactions*, *Electoral Studies*, *Social Science Research*, *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *International Organization*

Education

Ph.D., Harvard University (2006)

Major field: International relations; Focus field: International political economy
Dissertation committee: Jeffry Frieden (chair), Beth Simmons, Michael Hiscox