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Academic Appointments

Visiting Assistant Professor Department of Political Science and International Affairs, University of Mary Washington	<i>Aug. 2019- July 2020</i>
Adjunct Instructor Department of Political Science and International Affairs, University of Mary Washington	<i>June 2019- July 2019</i>
Adjunct Instructor Department of Politics, Drexel University	<i>June 2019- Sept. 2018</i>
Assistant Teaching Professor Department of Politics, Drexel University	<i>Sept. 2017- Aug. 2018</i>
Visiting Scholar Department of Government & Politics, University of Maryland, College Park	<i>Sept. 2016- Aug. 2017</i>

Education

Ph.D. Political Science, University of California, Davis	<i>June 2017</i>
M.A. Political Science, University of California, Davis	<i>March 2015</i>
B.A. Political Science, Vanderbilt University	<i>May 2008</i>

Peer-Reviewed Publications

“Yea or Nay: Do Legislators Benefit by Voting Against their Party?” Forthcoming. *Legislative Studies Quarterly*.

“Balancing Act? Testing a Theory of Split-Party U.S. Senate Delegations.” 2015. *Electoral Studies* 38(1): 19-27.

- Featured on London School of Economics American Politics and Policy Blog, August 2015, <http://bit.ly/1KnVvt3>

Current Research

Working Papers

- “Does Candidate Gender Affect Vote Choice? Evidence from U.S. Senate Election Exit Polls, 1990-2012”
- “Female Employment and the Gender Voting Gap,” with Chitrlekha Basu
- “Working Both Sides of the Aisle? Senate Delegations and the Distribution of Federal Funds,” with James M. Curry

Research in Progress

- “Determinants of the Personal Vote in US House Elections, 1980-2016” with Adam F. Cayton
- “Does Marital Status Condition the Size of the Gender Gap? Evidence from Congressional Elections”
- “Does Party Meeting Attendance Increase Party Loyalty? Evidence from the U.S. House Republican Conference,” with Adam M. Dynes
- “The Role of Candidate Gender in State Legislative Elections,” with Lynda W. Powell, Jacque Gao, and Maria Silfa
- “We Changed our Minds: How Donald Trump Changed Preferences on Free Trade Among Mass Partisans,” with Kristin N. Garrett and Timothy W. Taylor

Awards & Fellowships

Merk Family Distinguished Prospectus Award, UC-Davis Department of Political Science (\$4,000)	<i>Summer 2015</i>
Faculty-Student Research Fellowship with Erik J. Engstrom and Robert Huckfeldt, UC-Davis Department of Political Science (\$4,000)	<i>Summer 2012</i>
Political Science Department Fellowship, UC-Davis (\$4,000)	<i>Fall 2011</i>

Conference Participation

- **Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association**
 - Presented: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019 (scheduled)
 - Panel Chair: 2016 and 2017
 - Panel Discussant: 2016 and 2017
 - Organizer of Accepted Full Panel Proposal: 2016 (x2), 2017, and 2018 (x2)
 - Non-Participating Organizer of Accepted Author Meets Critics Roundtable: 2017 (*Insecure Majorities: Congress and the Perpetual Campaign*, by Frances E. Lee)

- **Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association**
 - Presented: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019
 - Panel Chair: 2015, 2016, and 2017
 - Panel Discussant: 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019
 - Non-Participating Organizer of Accepted Author Meets Critics Roundtable: 2019 (*Electoral Incentives in Congress*, by Jamie L. Carson and Joel Sievert)
- **Annual Meetings of the Southern Political Science Association**
 - Presented: 2014
 - Panel Discussant: 2018
- **Annual Meetings of the Western Political Science Association**
 - Presented: 2016

Research Experience

Research Assistant, Erik J. Engstrom, Summer 2013 & Summer 2014

Teaching Experience

Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Mary Washington, 2019-20

- Introduction to American Politics (Fall 2019)
- Recent Research in Political Science (Fall 2019)
- Research and Writing in Political Science (Fall 2019)
- Spring 2020 Courses TBD

Adjunct Instructor, University of Mary Washington, 2019

- Contemporary Problems in American Politics (Summer 2019)

Adjunct Instructor, Drexel University, 2019

- Introduction to American Politics (Summer 2019)

Assistant Teaching Professor, Drexel University, 2017-18

- Introduction to American Politics (Fall 2017, Winter 2018, Spring 2018, and Summer 2018)
- Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior (Spring 2018)
- The U.S. Presidency (Winter 2018)
- United States Congress (Fall 2017)

Instructor, University of California, Davis, 2016

- Introduction to American Politics (Summer 2016)

Professional Service & Memberships

Reviewer: *American Politics Research*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*,
Political Science Research & Methods, *SAGE Open*
Graduate Student Peer Mentor, Department of Political Science, UC-Davis 2012-17
Member, American Political Science Association 2011-Present
Member, American Political Science Association LGBT Caucus 2011-Present
Member, Midwest Political Science Association 2013-Present
Member, Southern Political Science Association 2014-Present
Member, Western Political Science Association 2015-Present

Computing Skills

R, Stata, L^AT_EX, Qualtrics, MTurk

References

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