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Formal Education

University of Arizona - 2007

Ph.D. in Political Science

Dissertation: The Economics of News Content

Committee: Bradford Jones (Chair), Jan Leighley, Chad Westerland (Co-Chair)

University of New Hampshire - 2003

Master of Arts in Political Science

Plymouth State College - 2000

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science

Publications

“Prior Experience Predicts Presidential Performance” with Arthur Simon, forthcoming at *Presidential Studies Quarterly*.

“Smith (and Jones) Go to Washington: Democracy and Vice-Presidential Selection” forthcoming at *PS: Political Science and Politics*.

“What’s in a Name? Gender Bias in the Media during the 2008 Primary Campaign” with Lilly Goren forthcoming 2011 (4) at *Political Research Quarterly*.

“Partisanship as a Source of Presidential Rankings” with Arthur Simon, 2011 (1) *White House Studies*.

“Presidential Cinema: Which Presidents make it to the Silver Screen?” 2010 (4) in Special Issue of *White House Studies*.

“Who Like Political Science? Examining the Vote on the Coburn Amendment.” with Casey Klofstad 2010 (4) at *PS: Political Science and Politics*.

“When Does the Public’s Issue Agenda Affect the Media’s Issue Agenda (and Vice-Versa)?” 2009 *Social Science Quarterly* Volume 90 (4): 798-815.

“The Timing of Presidential Cinema” 2009 *Social Science Quarterly*, 90 (3): 687-702.

“Congressional Action on the Darfur Genocide” with Gabe Sanchez, Mike Rocca, and Marina Brenden, 2009 (July) *PS: Political Science and Politics*.

“Descriptive Attributes and Latino Voting Behavior in Congress.” 2008 *Social Science Quarterly*, 89 (2) with Michael S. Rocca and Gabriel R. Sanchez.

“Too Close Too Call? Uncertainty and Bias in Election Night Reporting.” 2007 *Social Science Quarterly*, 88 (1): 51-67.

Works in Progress

“Mass Partisanship Predicts News Coverage” currently posted at SSRN.

“Conspiracy Theories are for Losers” with Joseph Parent and Bethany Torres, under review. Currently posted at SSRN.

“Culture Wars, Gender Equality, and Movies” submitted as a chapter in an edited volume on University of Kentucky Press under review since 9/20/2010.

Book in Progress

“Whose News? Public Influence on News Content” manuscript currently in preparation

Competitive Awards and Grants

Provost Summer Research Award, 2011; University of Miami (\$10,500)

Course Development Grant; University of Miami (\$2,000)

University Writing Fellow, 2011; University of Miami (\$3,000)

Dissertation Improvement Grant, 2006; Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute; University of Arizona (\$300)

Summer Development Grant, 2006; Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute; University of Arizona (\$1000)

Travel Grant, 2006; Graduate and Professional Student Council; University of Arizona (\$163)

Scholarship to ICSPR Summer course, “Designing and Conducting Field Experiments,” 2006 (\$850)

Additional Education

NSF

Workshop – *Experiments in the Social Sciences*. University of Virginia, Summer 2010.

NSF

Short Course - *Tools for Text*. University of Washington, Summer 2010.

APSA

Short Course – *Automated Text Analysis*. 2006

ICSPR

Short Course - *Designing, Conducting, and Analyzing Field Experiments*. Yale University, Summer 2006.

Conference Appearances

“Gender Bias in the 2008 Democratic Primary” paper presented at annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April, 2009.

Discussant at annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April, 2009.

“The Dynamics of News Content: Testing the Effects of Market Forces upon Television News Issue Coverage” paper presented at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Aug. 31, 2008.

“Cross National Agenda Setting Panel” Panel Chair at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Aug. 31, 2008.

“Partisan Cues, Real-World News” paper presented at annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April, 2008.

Discussant at annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April, 2008.

“Partisan Cues, Real-World News” paper presented at annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, March, 2008.

Discussant and Chair of Public Opinion and Media panel at annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, March, 2008.

Chair of Media and Politics panel at annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Jan. 2008.

“The President, The Media, The Message” paper presented at annual meeting of the Northeastern Political Science Association, Nov. 14-17, 2007.

Discussant on Popular Culture and Politics at annual meeting of the Northeastern Political Science Association, Nov. 14-17, 2007.

“The Dynamics of News Content: Testing the Effects of Market Forces upon Television News Issue Coverage” paper presented at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2006.

“The Dynamics of News Content” paper presented at annual meeting of the Mid-West Political Science Association, April 2006.

“The Election Night Calls: Statistics or Biased Projections?” presented at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Sept. 1-4, 2005.

“Political Cinema: A Case Study” Poster Presented at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Sept. 1-4, 2005.

Discipline Service

Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Politics*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *American Politics Research*, *Social Science Quarterly*, *Public Integrity*, *African Journal of Political Science and International Relations*, *Field Methods*

Departmental Service

American Politics Hiring Committee Fall 2008
Supervised undergraduate internship Spring 2009
Supervised undergraduate Honors Student Spring 2009
Supervised undergraduate Honors Student Summer 2009
Coordinated Panel on Obama's First 100 Days with Casey Klofstad
Coordinated Panel on Health Care Reform with Casey Klofstad

Teaching Experience

University of Miami

POL 332 Media and Politics
POL 351 Public Opinion
POL 515 Media Content Analysis
POL 313 The Constitution

University of Arizona

POL 407 Congress and American Politics
POL 432 Pressure Groups
POL 210 US and Arizona Constitution
POL 323 Modern Political Theory
POL 435 Public Opinion and Voting Behavior