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Academic Positions

- Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, February 2019 - present
- Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, September 2008 - January 2019
- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, August 2002 - August 2008

Administrative Positions

- Interim Chair, Department of Hispanic Languages and Literatures, July 2023 - present
- Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, 2022 - 2023
- Co-Chair, Institutional Conflict of Interest Committee, 2022 - 2023
- Co-Director, Center for American Politics and Society (CAPS), 2013 - 2014
- Interim Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Political Science, 2008 - 2009

Education

- Ph.D., Political Science (American Politics, Research Methods, Positive Political Theory), Michigan State University, 2002.
- M.A., Political Science, Michigan State University, 1999.
- ICPSR Summer Program, University of Michigan. 1999.
- M.A., Political Science, Ball State University. 1998.
- B.A., Political Science, Theology, and Humanities, Valparaiso University, 1997.

Other Training

- 2012. Provost’s Diversity Seminar.
- 2016. Inside-Out Instructor Training.
- 2022. Faculty Development Certificate Program: Inclusive Leadership.
- 2023. Cutting-Edge Leadership Development.

Grants

- \$47,872. University of Pittsburgh Chancellor’s Seed Grant, “Pitt Prison Education Project” (Chris W. Bonneau, Nancy Glazener, Cory Holding, and Shalini Puri, co-Principal Investigators). September 1, 2018-August 31, 2020.
- \$26,578. National Science Foundation, “Collaborative Research: A Workshop on the Normative Implications of Empirical Research in Law and Courts” (SES 1228172, SES 1228306; Brandon L. Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau, co-Principal Investigators). September 1, 2012-August 31, 2013.
- \$990. University of Pittsburgh School of Arts and Sciences, Type II Research Expenses Grant. Summer, 2010.
- \$80,000. National Science Foundation, “Collaborative Research: An Individual-Level State Supreme Court Database” (SES 0518491, SES 0516409, SES 0516600; Chris W. Bonneau, Paul Brace, and Kevin Arceneaux, co-Principal Investigators). September 1, 2005-August 31, 2006.
- \$4,000. University of Pittsburgh School of Arts and Sciences, Type I Third Term Research Stipend. Summer 2005.
- \$7,950. National Science Foundation, “Doctoral Dissertation Research: Money and State Supreme Court Elections” (SES 0108906; Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall, co-Principal Investigators). July 1, 2001-June 30-2002.

Awards

- 2021 Chancellor’s Distinguished Teaching Award.
- 2017 Pi Sigma Alpha Award for the Best Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association for “‘Stronger Together’: Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office” (with Kristin Kanthak).
- 2016 Virginia Gray Best Book Award given by the State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association for the best political science book published on the subject of U.S. state politics or policy in the preceding three calendar years for *Voters’ Verdicts: Citizens, Campaigns, and Institutions in State Supreme Court Elections* (with Damon M. Cann).

Publications

Books:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Damon M. Cann. 2015. *Voters' Verdicts: Citizens, Campaigns, and Institutions in State Supreme Court Elections*. Charlottesville, VA: University of Virginia Press. *Winner of the 2016 Virginia Gray Best Book Award given by the State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association for the best political science book published on the subject of U.S. state politics or policy in the preceding three calendar years.*
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2009. *In Defense of Judicial Elections*. New York: Routledge.
- Hammond, Thomas H., Chris W. Bonneau, and Reginald S. Sheehan. 2005. *Strategic Behavior and Policy Choice on the U.S. Supreme Court*. Stanford: Stanford University Press.

Edited Books:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2016. *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*. New York: Routledge.
- Bartels, Brandon L. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2015. *Making Law and Courts Research Relevant: The Normative Implications of Empirical Research*. New York: Routledge.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2021. "Desk Rejecting 'Against Desk Rejects!'" *PS: Political Science and Politics* 54: 690-693.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Kristin Kanthak, Amanda Leifson, and Shane M. Redman. 2021. "The Review Process and the Citation Gap: The Role of the Editor's Nudge." *Journal of Politics* 83: 772-776.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2020. "'Stronger Together': Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office." *Politics, Groups, and Identities* 8: 576-594.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Jarrod Kelly, Kira Pronin, Shane Redman, and Matthew Zarit. 2017. "Evaluating the Effects of Multiple Opinion Rationales on Supreme Court Legitimacy." *American Politics Research* 45: 335-365.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Damon Cann. 2015. "Party Identification and Vote Choice in Partisan and Nonpartisan Judicial Elections." *Political Behavior* 37: 43-66.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Eric Loepf. 2014. "Getting Things Straight: The Effects of Ballot Design and Electoral Structure on Voter Participation." *Electoral Studies* 34: 119-130.

- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2013. "Attack Advertising, the *White* Decision, and Voter Participation in State Supreme Court Elections." *Political Research Quarterly* 66: 115-126.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Damon M. Cann. 2011. "Campaign Spending, Diminishing Marginal Returns, and Campaign Finance Restrictions in Judicial Elections." *Journal of Politics* 73: 1267-1280.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Melinda Gann Hall, and Matthew J. Streb. 2011. "*White* Noise: The Unrealized Effects of *Republican Party of Minnesota vs. White* on Judicial Elections." *Justice System Journal* 32: 247-268.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2009. "Impartial Judges? Race, Institutional Context, and U.S. State Supreme Courts." *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 9: 381-403.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2008. "Mobilizing Interest: The Effects of Money on Citizen Participation in State Supreme Court Elections." *American Journal of Political Science* 52: 457-470.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Thomas H. Hammond, Forrest Maltzman, and Paul J. Wahlbeck 2007. "Agenda Control, the Median Justice, and the Majority Opinion on the U.S. Supreme Court." *American Journal of Political Science* 51: 890-905.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. "The Effects of Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections." *Political Research Quarterly* 60: 489-499.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. "Campaign Fundraising in State Supreme Court Elections." *Social Science Quarterly* 88: 68-85.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2006. "Vacancies on the Bench: Open Seat Elections for State Supreme Courts." *Justice System Journal* 27: 143-159.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2006. "Does Quality Matter? Challengers in State Supreme Court Elections." *American Journal of Political Science* 50: 20-33.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2005. "Electoral Verdicts: Incumbent Defeats in State Supreme Court Elections." *American Politics Research* 33: 818-841.
- Ames, Barry, David C. Barker, Chris W. Bonneau, and Christopher J. Carman. 2005. "Hide the Republicans, the Christians, and the Women: A Response to 'Politics and Professional Advancement Among College Faculty.'" *The Forum* 3: Article 7.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2005. "What Price Justice(s)? Understanding Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections." *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 5: 107-125.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2004. "Patterns of Campaign Spending and Electoral Competition in State Supreme Court Elections." *Justice System Journal* 25: 21-38.

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2003. "Predicting Challengers in State Supreme Court Elections: Context and the Politics of Institutional Design." *Political Research Quarterly* 56: 337-349.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2001. "The Composition of State Supreme Courts, 2000." *Judicature* 85: 26-33.

Book Chapters:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Jordan M. Fields. 2024. "Tearing Down Walls: Teaching Political Science in Prison." In *Civic Pedagogies: Teaching Civic Engagement in an Era of Divisive Politics*. edited by Lauren Bell, Allison Rank, and Carah Ong Whaley. New York: Palgrave.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2020. "Women's Political Ambition and the 2016 Election." In *Good Reasons to Run: Women and Political Candidacy*, edited by Shauna L. Shames, Rachel I. Bernhard, Mirya R. Holman, and Dawn Langan Teele. Philadelphia: Temple. Pages 167-174.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2017. "Judicial Selection in the States: A Look Back, A Look Ahead." In *Routledge Handbook of Judicial Politics*, edited by Robert M. Howard and Kirk A. Randazzo. New York: Routledge. Pages 340-351.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2016. "Fundraising and Spending in State Supreme Court Elections." In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 79-92.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2016. "Judicial Elections in the 21st Century." In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 3-14.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2016. "Toward a More Sophisticated Understanding of Contemporary Judicial Elections." In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 262-272.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Jenna Becker Kane. 2016. "Proposals for Reforms: Successes and Failures." In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 249-261.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Brandon L. Bartels. 2014. "The Normative Implications of Empirical Research: A Research Agenda." In *Making Law and Courts Research Relevant: The Normative Implications of Empirical Research*, edited by Brandon L. Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau. New York: Routledge. Pages 3-13.
- Bartels, Brandon L. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2014. "Can Empirical Research Be Relevant to the Policy Process? Understanding the Obstacles and Exploiting the Opportunities." In *Making Law and Courts Research Relevant: The Normative Implications of Empirical Research*, edited by Brandon L. Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau. New York: Routledge. Pages 221-228.

- Cann, Damon M., Chris W. Bonneau, and Brent D. Boyea. 2012. "Campaign Contributions and Judicial Decisions in Partisan and Nonpartisan Elections." In *New Directions in Judicial Politics*, edited by Kevin T. McGuire. New York: Routledge. Pages 38-52.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2009. "Judicial Elections: Facts vs. Myths." In *The Rule of Law: Perspectives on Legal and Judicial Reform in West Virginia*, edited by Russell S. Sobel. Morgantown, WV: West Virginia University. Pages 63-69.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. "The Dynamics of Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections, 1990-2004." In *Running for Judge: The Rising Political, Financial, and Legal Stakes of Judicial Elections*, edited by Matthew J. Streb. New York: New York University Press. Pages 59-72.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Tara W. Stricko-Neubauer. 2006. "The United States Supreme Court: Continuity and Change." In *Developments in American Politics 5*, edited by Gillian Peele, Christopher J. Bailey, Bruce Cain, and B. Guy Peters. New York: Palgrave. Pages 107-123.
- Hammond, Thomas H., Chris W. Bonneau, and Reginald S. Sheehan. 2006. "A Court of Appeals in a Rational Choice Model of Supreme Court Decision-Making." In *Institutional Games and the U.S. Supreme Court*, edited by James R. Rogers, Roy B. Flemming, and Jon R. Bond. Charlottesville, VA: University of Virginia Press. Pages 127-172.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2004. "The Wisconsin Judiciary." In *Wisconsin Government and Politics*, 8th edition, edited by Ronald E. Weber. New York: McGraw-Hill. Pages 171-196.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2000. "The Wisconsin Judiciary." In *Wisconsin Government and Politics*, 7th edition, edited by Ronald E. Weber. New York: McGraw-Hill. Pages 174-202.

Law Reviews:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Shane M. Redman. 2015. "Much Ado About Nothing: The Irrelevance of *Williams-Yulee v. The Florida Bar* on the Conduct of Judicial Elections." *Vanderbilt Law Review En Banc* 68: 31-41.

Book Reviews:

- Bonneau, Chris W. 2019. Review of *Judicial Merit Selection: Institutional Design and Performance for State Courts*, by Greg Goelzhauser. *Law and Politics Book Review* 29: 134-135.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2017. Review of *Supreme Democracy: The End of Elitism in Supreme Court Nominations*, by Richard Davis. *Congress and the Presidency* 45: 112-114.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2016. Review of *Justices on the Ballot: Continuity and Change in State Supreme Court Elections*, by Herbert M. Kritzer. *Perspectives on Politics* 14: 235-236.

- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. Review of *Electing Judges: The Surprising Effects of Campaigning on Judicial Legitimacy*, by James L. Gibson. *Law and Politics Book Review* 22: 469-472.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. Review of *Supreme Conflict: The Inside Story of the Struggle for Control of the United States Supreme Court*, by Jan Crawford Greenburg. *Law and Politics Book Review* 17: 499-501.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2006. Review of *The Politics of Precedent on the U.S. Supreme Court*, by Thomas G. Hansford and James F. Spriggs, II, and *Judging on a Collegial Court: Influences on Federal Appellate Decision Making*, by Virginia A. Hettinger, Stefanie A. Lindquist, and Wendy L. Martinek. *Perspectives on Politics* 4: 776-777.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2006. Review of *Reforming the Court: Term Limits for Supreme Court Justices*, edited by Roger C. Cramton and Paul D. Carrington. *Law and Politics Book Review* 16: 361-363.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2003. Review of *Judicial Review in State Supreme Courts: A Comparative Study*, by Laura Langer. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 33: 166-168.

Encyclopedia Entries:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2020. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2020* 22nd edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2019. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2019* 21st edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2018. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2018* 20th edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Shane M. Redman. 2017. "*Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission* (2010)." In *Encyclopedia of American Civil Rights and Liberties: Revised and Expanded Edition*, 2nd edition, edited by Kara E. Stooksbury, John M. Scheb II, and Otis H. Stephens, Jr. Santa Barbara: ABC-CLIO. Pages 145-146.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Sean Craig. 2017. "*Caperton v. A.T. Massey Coal Co.* (2009)." In *Encyclopedia of American Civil Rights and Liberties: Revised and Expanded Edition*, 2nd edition, edited by Kara E. Stooksbury, John M. Scheb II, and Otis H. Stephens, Jr. Santa Barbara: ABC-CLIO. Pages 127-129.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2017. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2017* 19th edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge. Pages 110-115.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2015. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2016* 18th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 117-125.

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2014. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2015* 17th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 111-118.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2013. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2014* 16th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 104-110.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Brent D. Boyea. 2013. "State Courts: Past, Present, and Future." In *Oxford Handbook of State and Local Government*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Mark S. Hurwitz. 2012. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2013* 15th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 102-108.
- Stricko, Tara W. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2011. "Judicial Decision Making." In *International Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by Bertrand Badie, Dirk Berg-Schlosser, and Leonardo Morlino. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage. Pages 1367-1370.
- Rice, Heather Marie and Chris W. Bonneau. 2009. "Judicial Branch." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Washington, DC: CQ Press. Pages 817-819.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2009. "Judicial Selection." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Washington, DC: CQ Press. Pages 824-825.
- Rice, Heather Marie, Chris W. Bonneau, and Mark S. Hurwitz. 2009. "Judges." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Washington, DC: CQ Press. Pages 815-817.

Opinion:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2021. "Democracy Demands High Levels of Participation." *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, October 31, 2021.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2019. "The Thriving Field of State Politics." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, August 13, 2019.
- McCoy, Chris and Chris W. Bonneau. 2018. "Convuluted Judicial Amendment Subverts Voters." *The Daily Reflector*, November 5, 2018.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2018. "NC Needs to Stop Messing with Its Judiciary." *Raleigh News and Observer*, May 18, 2018.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2016. "2016: The Year We Knew Nothing." *The Cresset*. 80 (Advent): 10-11.

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Sean Craig. 2015. “*King v. Burwell* and the Future of the PPACA.” *Retina Today* 10 (May/June): 16-21.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2013. “Political Science Professor: Many Good Reasons for Idea of Electing Judges.” *The Oklahoman*, September 8, 2013.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2013. “PA System of Electing Judges Works.” *Philadelphia Inquirer*, February 15, 2013.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. “Are Judicial Elections A Real Problem In Michigan?” *Detroit News*, June 19, 2012.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. “True ‘Merit’ in Judicial Selection.” *Philadelphia Inquirer*, April 8, 2012.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2011. “A Bum Rap on Elected Judges.” *Washington Post*, May 26, 2011.
- Lazos, Sylvia R. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2010. “Appoint Judges? No Thanks. Elections Ensure Certain Safeguards.” *Las Vegas Review Journal*, October 31, 2010.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2010. “Should Judges Be Elected? Yes.” *The Costco Connection* 25 (May): 17.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2008. “2008: A Transformative Election.” *The Cresset* 73 (Advent/Christmas): 24-25.

Other:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2018. “In Memoriam: Tom Carsey.” *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 18: 119-121.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2018. “The Case for Partisan Judicial Elections.” Federalist Society White Paper.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2017. “NSF Dissertation Improvement Grants.” *The Legislative Scholar* 2: 18-19.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. “A Survey of Empirical Evidence Concerning Judicial Elections.” Federalist Society White Paper.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2010. “‘The Battle Over Judicial Elections: Right Argument, Missed Audience’: A Response to Stephen Wasby.” *Justice System Journal* 31: 117-120.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2008. “Formal Theory and Judicial Politics: Contributions and Cautions.” *Law and Courts Newsletter* 18: 4-6.

Current Projects

- Transparency from Start to Finish: A How-to Guide for the Social Sciences with Kristin Kanthak and Lee D. Walker.
- “Measuring State Campaign Contribution Limit Stringency,” with Damon Cann.

Conference/Workshop Participation

2023

- “Measuring State Campaign Contribution Limit Stringency” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Los Angeles, CA, August 31-September 3, 2023.
- “Measuring State Campaign Contribution Limit Stringency” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, May 18-20, 2023.

2022

- Participant in “Desk Rejections in Political Science Journals.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 7-10, 2022.

2020

- Participant in “State of the Field: Judicial Politics Research in 2020.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, San Juan, PR, January 9-11, 2020.
- “Candidate Over Party: Split Ticket Voting in Judicial Elections” (with Damon M. Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, San Juan, PR, January 9-11, 2020.

2019

- “Candidate Over Party: Split Ticket Voting in Judicial Elections” (with Damon M. Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, August 29-September 1, 2019.
- “How You Like Me Now? Evolving Perceptions in the 2016 Presidential Election” (with Kristin Kanthak). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Austin, TX, January 17-19, 2019.

2018

- “The Review Process and the Citation Gap: The Role of an Editor’s Nudge” (with Kristin Kanthak, Amanda Leifson, and Shane Redman.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, August 30-September 2, 2018.
- Participant on “The Impact of Human Subjects Guidelines and Informed Consent Scripts on Data Access and Research Transparency.” New York City, May 21, 2018.

- Participant on “Teaching Introductory Courses in Political Science: Big Ideas.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 4-6, 2018.
- “Women’s Political Ambition and the 2016 Presidential Election” (with Kristin Kanthak). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 4-6, 2018.

2017

- “Women’s Political Ambition and the 2016 Election” (with Kristin Kanthak). Paper Presented at the Good Reasons to Run Conference, University of Pennsylvania, November 11, 2017.
- “Women’s Political Ambition and the 2016 Election” (with Kristin Kanthak). Paper Presented at the 2017 Conference on New Research on Gender and Political Psychology, Tulane University, October 22-24, 2017.
- “‘Stronger Together’: Political Ambition and Women Running for Office” (with Kristin Kanthak). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, August 31-September 3, 2017.
- Participant in “Evolving Practices for Data Management and Sharing: A Data-PASS Workshop.” Harvard University, June 14, 2017.
- “Criminal Sentencing and the Cost of Appeal” (with Sean Craig and Kira Pronin). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 6-9, 2017.
- “Judicial Selection in a Time of Uncertainty: Irrelevant or More Relevant Than Ever.” Conference on The U.S. Judicial System in a Trump Presidency. Center for American Political Responsiveness. Penn State University. March 17-18, 2017.
- “‘Stronger Together’: Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office” (with Kristin Kanthak). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 12-14, 2017. *Winner of the 2017 Pi Sigma Alpha Award for the Best Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.*

2016

- Participant on “Meet the Editors: Publishing in Political Science.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Las Vegas, NV, March 23-26, 2016.
- “Judicial Selection in the States: A Look Back, A Look Ahead” (with Heather Marie Rice). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, San Juan, PR, January 7-9, 2016.

2015

- “Evaluating the Effects of Multiple Opinion Rationales on Supreme Court Legitimacy” (with Jarrod Kelly, Kira Pronin, Shane Redman, and Matthew Zarit). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, September 3-6, 2015.
- Participant on “Evaluating the Latest Wave of State Judicial Elections Scholarship.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 16-19, 2015.
- “Evaluating the Effects of Multiple Opinion Rationales on Supreme Court Legitimacy” (with Jarrod Kelly, Kira Pronin, Shane Redman, and Matthew Zarit). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 15-17, 2015.

2014

- Participant on “The Politics of Electing Judges: Bonneau and Cann’s *Voters’ Verdicts*, Gann Hall’s *Attacking Judges*, and Kritzer’s *Justices on the Ballot*.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, August 28-31, 2014.
- “Judicial Elections and the Illusion of Pandering” (with Kira Pronin). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, August 28-31, 2014.
- “Institutions, War Chests, and Candidate Deterrence” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Fourteenth Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, Bloomington, IN, May 15-17, 2014.
- “Judicial Elections and the Illusion of Pandering” (with Kira Pronin). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2014.
- Participant in “Justice At Risk: Research Opportunities and Policy Alternatives Regarding Judicial Selection.” Invited Conference Sponsored by the American Judicature Society, American Constitution Society, and Vanderbilt University School of Law. Nashville, TN, March 20-21, 2014.

2013

- “Incumbency, Ballot Cues, and State Supreme Court Elections” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 29-September 1, 2013.
- “Individual-Level Factors and Voter Participation in Judicial Elections” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 11-14, 2013.

- “Getting Things Straight: How Ballot Design Affects Participation in Judicial Elections” (with Eric Loepp). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 11-14, 2013.
- Participant in “An Uncommon Dialogue: What Do We Want In Our Judges and How Do We Get There?” Invited Conference Sponsored by The Federalist Society, The Aspen Institute, and the Institute for the Advancement of Legal Studies, Colorado Springs, CO, March 28-29, 2013.

2012

- Participant on “Roundtable on the 2012 U.S. Elections: Expectations, Forecasts, and Divination.” Roundtable at the Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties Conference, Oxford, UK, September 7-9, 2012.
- “Individual-Level Factors and Voter Participation in Judicial Elections” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties Conference, Oxford, UK, September 7-9, 2012.
- “State Courts in the U.S: Past, Present, and Future” (with Brent D. Boyea). Paper Presented at the XXX International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, May 23-26, 2012.
- “Party Identification and Vote Choice in Partisan and Nonpartisan Judicial Elections” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 12-14, 2012.

2011

- “Party Identification and Vote Choice in Partisan and Nonpartisan Judicial Elections” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, March 31-April 3, 2011.
- Participant on “Evaluating How Judges Are Selected in the U.S.: Exploring the Normative Implications of Empirical Research.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, March 31-April 3, 2011.

2010

- Participant on “Authors Meet Critics: *In Defense of Judicial Elections.*” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 2-5, 2010.
- “Campaign Contributions in Judicial Elections” (with Brent Boyea, Damon Cann, and Victoria Farrar-Myers). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 22-25, 2010.

2009

- Participant in “Workshop on the Identification and Integration of Law and Courts Data.” University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, November 7, 2009.
- “Negativity and Television Advertising in State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, ON, September 3-6, 2009.
- “Contributions to Judicial Campaigns: Assessing Comprehension in an Environment without Partisan Signals” (with Brent Boyea, Damon Cann, and Victoria Farrar-Myers). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, ON, September 3-6, 2009.
- “Going Negative: Attack Advertising in State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Ninth Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, Chapel Hill, NC, May 22-23, 2009.
- “Contributor Decisions in Judicial Elections: Explaining the Impact of Partisan and Nonpartisan Election Formats” (with Brent Boyea, Damon Cann, and Victoria Farrar-Myers). Paper Presented at the Ninth Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, Chapel Hill, NC, May 22-23, 2009.
- “The Effect of Campaign Contributions on Judicial Decisionmaking” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 8-10, 2009.
- Participant on “Conducting Judicial Research.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 8-10, 2009.

2008

- “Campaign Contributions, Judicial Decisionmaking, and Institutional Context” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, August 28-31, 2008.
- Participant on “The State of Judicial Elections Research.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2008.
- “Campaign Contributions, Judicial Decisionmaking, and Institutional Context” (with Damon Cann). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2008.
- “Judging Under Constraint: Institutions and State Supreme Court Decisionmaking” (with Kevin T. Arceneaux and Paul Brace). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2008.

2007

- “On Consensus in State Supreme Courts” (with Kevin T. Arceneaux and Paul Brace). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2007.
- “Does Money Buy Voters? Campaign Spending and Citizen Participation in State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Seventh Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, Austin, TX, February 23-24, 2007.
- Participant on “Authors Meet Critics: *Strategic Behavior and Policy Choice on the U.S. Supreme Court* and *The Politics of Precedent on the U.S. Supreme Court.*” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 4-6, 2007.
- “Race and the Politics of Criminal Cases on State Supreme Courts” (with Heather Marie Rice). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 4-6, 2007.

2006

- “Judicial Independence and Minority Interests” (with Daniel Berkowitz and Karen Clay). Paper Presented at the Conference on Empirical Studies of Courts and Judges, Harvard Law School, November 10, 2006.
- “Educating the Public: The Effects of Judicial Independence on Minority Interests” (with Daniel Berkowitz and Karen Clay). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Society for New Institutional Economics, Boulder, CO, September 21-24, 2006.
- “Judicial Independence, Elections, and Minority Interests” (with Daniel Berkowitz and Karen Clay). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Law and Economics Association, Berkeley, CA, May 5-6, 2006.
- “Mobilizing Interest: The Effects of Money on Ballot Rolloff in State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 20-23, 2006.

2005

- “On the Nature of Ballot Rolloff in Contemporary State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 1-4, 2005.
- “Do We Really Know It Because We See It? Reconceptualizing Strategic Behavior on the United States Supreme Court” (with Thomas H. Hammond). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, September 1-4, 2005.
- “Voter Participation in State Supreme Court Elections: Can the Electorate Judge Quality?” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Fifth Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, East Lansing, MI, May 13-14, 2005.

- “Conceptualizing ‘Sincere’ and ‘Strategic’ Behavior on the U.S. Supreme Court: How Can We Empirically Tell the Difference?” (with Thomas H. Hammond). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 7-10, 2005.

2004

- “Vacancies on the Bench: Open Seat Elections for State Supreme Courts.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, September 2-5, 2004.
- “Selecting the Majority Opinion on the Supreme Court” (with Forrest Maltzman, Paul J. Wahlbeck, Thomas H. Hammond, and Saul Brenner). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 15-18, 2004.
- “Dollars and Sense: Campaign Contributions and State Supreme Court Elections.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 15-18, 2004.

2003

- “Challengers, Margins, and State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 28-31, 2003.
- Participant on “Teaching Methods to Undergraduates.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, San Antonio, TX, April 16-19, 2003.
- “Understanding the Dynamics of Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2003.
- “Predicting Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections.” Paper Presented at the Third Annual State Politics and Policy Conference, Tucson, AZ, March 14-15, 2003.

2002

- “Money, Judges, and Votes: The Effects of Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, August 29-September 1, 2002.
- “Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 25-28, 2002.
- Participant on “State of the Discipline: State Courts.” Roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, March 27-30, 2002.

2001

- “A Court of Appeals in a Rational-Choice Model of Supreme Court Decision-Making” (with Thomas H. Hammond and Reginald S. Sheehan). Paper Presented at the Conference on Institutional Games and the U.S. Supreme Court, College Station, TX, November 2-3, 2001.
- “Money and Votes in State Supreme Court Elections.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA, August 30-September 2, 2001.
- “Incumbents, Challengers, and the Politics of Judicial Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 19-22, 2001.
- “Procedural Justice, Fairness, and Local Courts in the United States.” Paper Presented at the Interim Meeting of the Research Committee on Comparative Judicial Studies, International Political Science Association, Cape Town, South Africa, January 7-9, 2001.

2000

- “Fairness, Institutional Legitimacy, and the Courts.” Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC, August 31-September 3, 2000.
- “Challengers in State Supreme Court Elections” (with Melinda Gann Hall). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 27-30, 2000.

1999

- “Toward a Rational Choice Spatial Model of Supreme Court Decision-Making: Making Sense of Certiorari, the Original Vote on the Merits, Opinion Assignment, Coalition Formation and Maintenance, and the Final Vote on the Choice of Legal Doctrine” (with Thomas H. Hammond and Reginald S. Sheehan). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, GA, September 2-5, 1999.
- “Perspectives on the Feminist Critique of the Judiciary: A Q-Methodological Approach” (with Ralph E. Baker). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 15-17, 1999.
- “Public Perceptions of the Judiciary: Legitimacy and the Feminist Critique” (with Ralph E. Baker). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, March 25-27, 1999.

1998

- “Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg and the ‘Feminine Voice’” (with Ralph E. Baker). Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 23-25, 1998.

Invited Talks

- Buckeye Justice Forum. “Judicial Elections in Ohio.” October 19, 2022.
- Ohio Association for Justice’s Advocates Circle. “Partisan Judicial Elections: Lessons for Ohio.” August 31, 2022.
- PaperClip Communications. “Strategies on Governing in Uncertain Times.” April 25, 2022.
- Allegheny College, Law and Policy Program. “Nonpartisan(?) Judicial Elections.” September 17, 2021.
- Pennsylvania Leadership Conference October Briefing. “Judicial Selection.” October 19, 2019.
- Federalist Society Texas Statewide Conference. “Proposed Reforms to Texas Judicial Selection.” September 14, 2019.
- University of South Alabama. Department of Political Science. “Nonpartisan (?) Judicial Elections.” March 13, 2019.
- University of Oklahoma. Department of Political Science. “Nonpartisan (?) Judicial Elections.” February 11, 2019.
- Federalist Society Counsels Summit. “Judicial Elections.” August 17, 2018.
- Federalist Society Justices Summit. “Judicial Elections.” August 16, 2018.
- American Legislative Exchange Council. “State Judicial Selection.” August 10, 2018.
- Institute for Humane Studies Policy Research Seminar. “Reforming Our Institutions: Judicial Reform.” July 21, 2018.
- John Locke Foundation. “Selecting Judges in North Carolina: Time For a Change?” May 7, 2018.
- St. Louis University Chapter of the Federalist Society. “The Case for Partisan Judicial Elections.” March 29, 2018.
- Triangle Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society. “Judicial Selection.” February 15, 2018.
- Federalist Society Pennsylvania Statewide Conference. “What Is the Right Method for Choosing Judges?” October 19, 2017.
- Florida Bar Convention. “The Constitution Revision Commission and Florida’s Judiciary.” June 22, 2017.
- Clemson University. Department of Political Science. “‘Stronger Together’: Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office.” November 11, 2016.

- U.S. Government and Politics Advanced Placement Reading Professional Night. “The Supreme Court and the 2016 Presidential Election.” June 5, 2016.
- Princeton University. Department of Politics Public Law Colloquium. “Institutions, War Chests, and Candidate Deterrence.” November 12, 2015.
- Slippery Rock University. Department of Political Science. “Electing Judges: Partisan Influences in Judicial Elections.” October 26, 2015.
- Little Rock Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society. “Discussion on Judicial Selection.” June 23, 2015.
- Valparaiso University. Department of Political Science. “Electing Judges: Partisan Influences in Judicial Elections.” May 1, 2015.
- Grove City College. Department of Political Science. “Electing Judges: Partisan Influences in Judicial Elections.” April 9, 2015.
- Temple University. Department of Political Science. “War Chests as Entry Deterrence with Strategic Delay.” March 27, 2015.
- Tulsa Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society. “Oklahoma Supreme Court Judicial Selection Reform: Elections vs. Appointment vs. Nominating Committee.” November 21, 2013.
- The Ohio State University. Department of Political Science. “Getting Things Straight: The Effects of Ballot Design and Electoral Structure on Voter Participation.” October 16, 2013.
- Utah State University. Department of Political Science. “Negativity and Television Advertising in State Supreme Court Elections.” March 5, 2013.
- University of Texas-Arlington. Department of History. “What We Know (and Don’t Know) About Judicial Elections.” February 22, 2013.
- University of North Carolina. Department of Political Science. “Party Identification and Vote Choice in Partisan and Nonpartisan Judicial Elections.” January 11, 2013.
- Federalist Society National Lawyers Convention, State Courts Leadership Luncheon. “State Judicial Elections.” November 15, 2012.
- Tallahassee Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society. “Judicial Merit Retention in Florida.” October 15, 2012.
- University of California, Davis. Department of Political Science. “Party Identification and Vote Choice in Partisan and Nonpartisan Judicial Elections.” May 22, 2012.
- Indiana University. Maurer School of Law. University Center of Law, Society, and Culture Symposium on Judicial Selection. April 21, 2011.

- State Bar of Minnesota Appellate Practice Institute, Minneapolis, MN. “Law, Politics, and the Election of Judges.” March 4, 2011.
- Rutgers University. Department of Political Science. “Negativity and Television Advertising in State Supreme Court Elections.” February 25, 2011.
- Boise State University. Canadian Studies Program. “Why We Should Elect Judges.” February 15, 2011.
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Boyd School of Law, American Constitution Society. “Destroying the Myths of Judicial Reformers.” October 21, 2010.
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas. College of Liberal Arts, University Forum Lecture Series. “Judicial Selection in Nevada: The Consequences of Change.” October 20, 2010.
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Boyd School of Law. “Why We Should Elect Judges.” October, 20, 2010.
- Grove City College. “Why We Should Elect Judges.” February 19, 2009.
- Louisiana State University. Department of Political Science. “Mobilizing Interest: The Effects of Money on Citizen Participation in State Supreme Court Elections.” October 29, 2007.
- University of South Carolina. Department of Political Science. “Mobilizing Interest: The Effects of Money on Citizen Participation in State Supreme Court Elections.” October 22, 2007.
- Penn State University–Fayette. “Trends and Issues in Electing Judges.” December 1, 2005.
- Georgia State University. Department of Political Science. “Mobilizing Interest: Money, Quality, and Ballot Rolloff in State Supreme Court Elections.” October 27, 2005.
- University of Georgia. Department of Political Science. “Mobilizing Interest: Money, Quality, and Ballot Rolloff in State Supreme Court Elections.” October 24, 2005.
- West Virginia University. Department of Political Science. “Electoral Verdicts: Incumbent Defeats in State Supreme Court Elections.” April 30, 2004.

Expert Witness

For Plaintiffs

- *Greg Lopez, Rodney Pelton, and Steven House v. Jena Griswold, Colorado Secretary of State, and Judd Choate, Director of Elections.* Civil Case No: 1:22:CV-00247-PAB). 2023.

For Defendants

- *Dyamone White, et al. v. State Board of Elections Commissioners, et al.* Civil Case No: 4:22-CV-62-MPM-JMV. 2023.

- *Alabama State Conference of the NAACP, et al. v. State of Alabama, et al.* Civil Case No: 2:16:CV-731-WKW). 2020.

Courses Taught

Undergraduate

- American Political Process
- Research Methods in Political Science
- Constitutional Law: Governmental Powers
- Constitutional Law: Civil Rights and Civil Liberties
- Judicial Process
- Seminar in American Politics: The Supreme Court
- Seminar in American Politics: Judicial Selection
- Seminar in American Politics: Politics, Science, and Sports
- Inside-Out: Race and the Criminal Justice System
- Inside-Out: Mass Incarceration
- Inside-Out: The Supreme Court
- Sports and American Politics
- American Politics Through Film

Graduate

- Empirical Methods of Research (Research Design)
- Advanced Research Methods (Maximum Likelihood)
- Judicial Politics
- Dissertation Overview Seminar

Professional, University, and Department Service

Profession

- Co-Host, State Politics and Policy Conference, May 2023.
- Co-Editor, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, June 2014-May 2020.

- Panelist, Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant Panel, Political Science Program, National Science Foundation, 2015-2017.
- Panelist, Law and Social Science Program, National Science Foundation, 2009-2011.
- Review Editor, *Justice System Journal*, 2010-2013.
- Editorial Board Member, *American Politics Research*, 2016-present.
- Editorial Board Member, *Social Science Quarterly*, 2012-present.
- Editorial Board Member, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 2008-2011, 2020-2022.
- Editorial Board Member, *Justice System Journal*, 2006-2010, 2014-2015.
- Editorial Board Member, Routledge Law and Courts Series, 2012-present.
- Treasurer, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association, 2012-2014.
- Member, Executive Committee, State Politics Section of the American Political Science Association, 2011-2013.
- Section Chair, Judicial Politics Section, 2024 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, Judicial Politics Section, 2012 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, State Politics Section, 2008 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, Positive Political Theory Section, 2008 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, Political Methodology Section, 2003 Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Chair, 2021 E. E. Schattschneider Award Committee, American Political Science Association.
- Chair, 2020 C. Neal Tate Award Committee, Southern Political Science Association.
- Member, Committee to Select New Publisher for *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 2019.
- Member, Committee to Select New Editor for the *Journal of Law and Courts*, 2020.
- Member, 2018 Nominations Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2016 C. Neal Tate Award Committee, Southern Political Science Association.

- Member, 2016 Lasting Contribution Award Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2015 Service Award Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Chair, 2011 Nominations Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2009 Nominations Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2005 Teaching and Mentoring Award Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2004 Pi Sigma Alpha Award Committee, Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Reviewer for *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Political Science Review*; *American Politics Research*; Atomic Dog Publishing; CQ Press; *Election Law Journal*; *Electoral Studies*; *Journal of Comparative Economics*; *Journal of Empirical Legal Studies*; *Journal of Law and Courts*; *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*; *Journal of Legal Studies*; *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*; *Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Theoretical Politics*; *Judicature*; *Justice System Journal*; *Law and Society Review*; Longman Publishing; McGraw-Hill Publishers; National Science Foundation; NYU Press; Oxford University Press; *Party Politics*; *Pearson Publishing*; *Political Analysis*; *Political Behavior*; *Political Science Research and Methods*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Politics, Groups, and Identities*; *Public Administration Review*; Routledge; Roxbury Publishing; *Social Science Quarterly*; Stanford University Press; *State and Local Government Review*; *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*; Temple University Press; Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS); University of Chicago Press; University of Michigan Press; University of Virginia Press.
- Member, Executive Committee of the Indiana Political Science Association, 1999-2000.
- Reader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2004-2006, 2008-2010.
- Table Leader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2011-2012, 2014-2016.
- Question Leader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2017-2018, 2023.
- Exam Leader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2019-2021, 2023.
- Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association: Discussant 2004, 2006, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2017; Chair 2005, 2010, 2011, 2016, 2017.
- Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association: Discussant 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2013; Chair 2005, 2010, 2011, 2013.

- Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association: Discussant 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2016, 2017; Chair 2006, 2008, 2009, 2012.
- Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association: Discussant 2003; Chair 2003.
- Annual State Politics and Policy Conference: Discussant 2015, 2016; Chair 2014, 2015, 2016.
- Conference on Empirical Studies of Courts and Judges: Discussant 2006.

University

- President, University Senate: 2018-2021.
- Immediate Past President, University Senate: 2021-present.
- Member, Board of Trustees Athletics Committee: 2022-2023.
- Member, Board of Trustees Budget Committee: 2018-2022, 2023-present.
- Member, Provost's Advisory Committee on Instructional Excellence, 2022-present.
- Member, Planning Committee for Pitt Diversity Forum 2020: Advancing Social Justice: A Call to Action.
- Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs: 2020.
- Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Faculty Development and Diversity: 2020.
- Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Graduate Studies: 2020.
- Member, Executive Committee of Task Force for Reimagining Pitt Education: 2020.
- Member, Plan for Pitt 2025 Steering Committee: 2020-2021.
- Member, Arts and Sciences Tenure Council: 2015-2017, 2022-2023.
- Alternate member, Arts and Sciences Tenure Council: 2012-2013, 2021-2022.
- Co-Chair, Faculty Affairs Committee: 2017-2018.
- Member, Senate Tenure and Academic Freedom Committee: 2011-2018
- Member, Faculty Senate: 2011-2013, 2017-2018.
- Member, Faculty Assembly: 2010-2013, 2016-2018.
- Member, Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences Graduate Council: 2010-2012, 2020-2022, 2023-present.
- Member, Mellon Fellowship Selection Committee: 2008.

- Member, College of Social Science Screening Committee, Michigan State University: 2001.

Department

- Member, Chair's Advisory, Planning, and Budgeting Committee: 2009-2011, 2020-2023.
- Member, Formal Theory Search Committee: 2006-2007.
- Member, American Politics Search Committee: 2005-2006, 2012-2013, 2017-2018 (Chair).
- Member, Political Behavior Search Committee: 2016-2017.
- Member, Computational Social Science Search Committee: 2019-2020.
- Chair, Structural Racism Search Committee: 2021-2022, 2022-2023.
- Member, Graduate Awards Committee: 2002-2007, 2011-2013; Chair 2022-2023.
- Member, Graduate Admissions Committee: 2005-2011 (Chair, 2007-2011), 2013-2014, 2016-2017, 2021-2022.
- Member, Graduate Education Committee: 2011-2014, 2016-2017, 2018-2021; Chair 2022-2023.
- Member, Undergraduate Education Committee: 2015-2018.
- Coordinator, Political Methodology Speaker Series: 2004-2008.
- American Politics Exam/Paper Committee (19): Zachary Auter, Ian Cook, Sean Craig, Derek Culp, Brent Dupay, Amanda Leifson, Eric Loepp, Nicole Loncaric, Morgan Marietta, Stephanie McLean, Brandon Myers, Traci Nelson, Heather Rice, Nathaniel Ropski, Tara Stricko, Matt Tarpey, James Tinnick, Eric Wagner, Matthew Weinstein, Michelle Wier.
- Methodology Exam Committee (17): Zachary Auter, Andrea Castagnola, Katharine Floros, Hakan Gunaydin, Jennifer Laks Hutnick, Leslie Marshall, Shawna Metzger, Marilia Mochel, Juan Negri, Lauren Perez, Dana Puia, Juan Carlos Rodriguez-Raga, Daniel Tirone, Sofia Vera, Yu Xiao, Qing Yang, Juan Antonio Rodriguez-Zepeda.
- Comparative Politics Exam/Paper Committee (3): Agustin Grijalva, Dan London, Dana Puia.
- Dissertation Committees Chaired (4):
 - Maria Andrea Castagnola (University of Pittsburgh; Visiting Professor, University of Torcuato Di Tella, Argentina)
 - Shane Redman (University of Pittsburgh; Executive Director of Analytics and Institutional Research, Washtenaw Community College)
 - Tara Stricko (University of Pittsburgh; Associate Professor of Political Science, Kennesaw State University)

- Lawrence (LJ) Zigerell (University of Pittsburgh; Associate Professor of Political Science, Illinois State University)
- Dissertation Committees Served (10):
 - Matthias Avina (University of Pittsburgh; postdoctoral researcher, University of Copenhagen)
 - Oliver Bateman (University of Pittsburgh; writer)
 - Todd Curry (Western Michigan University; Associate Professor of Political Science, University of Texas–El Paso)
 - Agustin Grijalva (University of Pittsburgh; Professor of Law, Universidad Andina, Ecuador)
 - Jonathan Hack (George Washington University; Director of Content and Strategy, Justice, Health, and Democracy Impact Initiative, Harvard University)
 - Jenna Becker Kane (Temple University; Associate Professor of Political Science, West Chester University)
 - Brandon Lenoir (University of Pittsburgh; Assistant Professor, College of Strategic Communication, High Point University)
 - Stephanie McLean (University of Pittsburgh; Senior Research Analyst, Royal Canadian Mounted Police)
 - Juan Carlos Rodriguez-Raga (University of Pittsburgh; Associate Professor of Political Science, Universidad de los Andes, Colombia)
 - Matt Tarpey (University of Pittsburgh; Assistant Professor, Pittsburg State University)

References

Available Upon Request