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Curriculum Vitae
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Employment

John Carroll University, University Heights OH

Director, Nonprofit Administration Program, December 2007-2015

- Directed all aspects of the fifty student program, including strategic planning, recruiting, course and program evaluation, and budget.
- Chaired several committees, including; Faculty and Community Advisory Committees.
- Reviewed and developed curriculum, conducting assessment and program evaluation.
- Supervised all program activities for secretary and graduate assistant.

Associate Professor of Political Science, August 2007-present

Assistant Professor of Political Science, August 2001-August 2007

Consulting Services for nonprofit organizations June 2009 to present.

- Provide evaluation services (e.g. single program evaluations and comparative evaluations of programs sector-wide or organization-wide).
- Execute and create plans for financial development (e.g. fundraising plans, grant-writing both to foundations and government (especially NIH and NSF).
- Design and execute professional development (e.g. training workshops, crisis management, Board Training) to nonprofit organizations.
- Wrote the research design on a grant-writing team that obtained a \$485,000 grant from the National Institute of Health (NIH).

Education

Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia. Ph.D. in Political Science. 2002

Dissertation: Explaining Outcomes of Social Movement-Legislative Interaction

Dissertation Director: Professor Beth Reingold

Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis and Collection at the University of Essex, U.K., Summer 1997

Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) at the University of Michigan. Statistics for the Social Sciences, Summer 1996.

North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC. Masters of Public Administration, 1994.

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. B.A. with distinction, Political Science, 1989.

Regularly Taught Courses

Undergraduate: Logic of Inquiry, Political Science Research Methods, United States Politics, Interest Groups and Political Parties, Social Movements.

Graduate: Nonprofit Capstone course, Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation.

Professional Service (Selected)

Chair, Digital Democracy Panel, Midwest Political Science Association, April 2015.

Editor, Journal of Economics and Politics, October 2011 to August 2016. Conduct all functions of editing for this research arm of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists (OAEPS), including soliciting submissions, supervising assistant editors and making final decisions on papers submitted for publication.

Associate Editor, Journal of Economics and Politics, October 2007 to 2011. Solicited reviewers, encouraged timely reviews, reviewed articles when appropriate, made recommendation to editor.

Member, Faculty Council 2013 to 2016.

President, Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists, October 2006 to October 2007. Presided over the annual meeting and conference (October 2007), chaired meetings of the Executive Board and Association, developed a database of political scientists and economists in Ohio to solicit association membership.

Vice-President, Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists, October 2005 to October, 2006. Planned, organized, and hosted the 2006 meeting of the Association. Attended Executive Committee meetings, offered input and advice as to the direction of the Association.

Departmental/University Service (Selected)

Co-Chair, Data Analytics Minor Steering Committee. October 2015 to present. Convened interdisciplinary team that planned creation and implementation of a data analytics minor. We expect the minor to be implemented Fall 2017.

Member, IRB Committee. September 2016 to present. Ensure that research projects at the University are consistent with IRB guidelines

Member, Higher Learning Commission Self-Study team June 2015 to present.

Chair, Enrollment, Student Affairs and Advancement Committee, JCU Faculty Council May 2015 to May 2016.

Member, Provost Council, May 2015 to May 2016.

Member, Faculty Council 2013-2016.

Department Assessment Coordinator, 2014-2015. Lead development of department assessment plan including goals, metrics and continuous improvement.

Chair, Department Tenure Committee, 2010-2014. Oversee department-level review of tenure candidates, communicate Department decisions to the Dean regarding tenure progress and votes.

Official Representative (OR), International Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR). Summer 2009 to present. Initiated JCU membership in ICPSR, work with library to maintain membership and increase awareness of ICPSR data services.

Internship Advisor, Department of Political Science, John Carroll University, Fall 2005 to present. Connect political science majors and students with internships locally, state-wide and nationally, negotiate the creation of internships with potential employers, and assess and grade student internship experiences.

Advisory Committee Member, JCU Center for Service and Social Action, 2009-2015

Member, University Committee on Research and Service (elected by faculty), John Carroll University, 2007-09. Made recommendations to the JCU Faculty Council and the Associate Academic Vice President for Development and Diversity regarding faculty research and service development opportunities. Read, evaluated and recommended proposals for summer fellowships and Grauel Fellowships (competitive paid semester long leaves to conduct research).

Chair, Hiring Committee, Department of Political Science, John Carroll University, 2007-11. Conducted interviews at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), evaluated applications from candidates, contacted candidates for interviews, facilitated departmental deliberations and organized campus interviews for the finalists.

Departmental Representative, Professional Master's Program in Policy Analysis, Research and Assessment, John Carroll University, Spring 2004-2006. Conducted a feasibility study for a proposed interdisciplinary Master's program in the Social Sciences, conducted focus groups with alumni to assess feasibility of the program, helped to determine the requirements of the Program.

Faculty Advisor, Allies, John Carroll University, Fall 2005 to present.

Publications

"The Effect of Distance from Central Cities on Partisan Outcomes in Elections," Co-authored with Dr. Larry Schwab. *Journal of Economics and Politics*, Vol 19(1), 2011, pp. 35-48.

“From the Suburbs to the House: The Metropolitan-Rural Population Shift and the Success of Women Candidates”, Co-authored with Larry Schwab. *Social Science Journal*, Volume 46(2), June 2009. pp. 335-346.

“Entrepreneurs, Organizational Strength and the Pursuit of Public Goods by Voluntary Organizations.” *Politics and Policy* vol 36(2), April 2008, pp. 232-248.

“Legislative/Judicial Interaction: Do Court Ideologies Constrain Legislative Action?” *State and Local Government Review*, vol 39, No. 2, 2007, pp. 96-106. Co-authored with Lauren Bowen, John Carroll University.

“Cultural Politics: Legislating Morality in the States.” *The American Review of Politics*. Volume 25, Summer 2004. pp. 157-174. Co-Authored with Jolly A. Emrey, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater.

Presentations/Works in Progress (selected)

Here’s Looking at You: The Impact of Public Attention on Presidential Primaries. Co-authored with Colin Swearingen and Kate Finneran. Paper accepted August 2016 with revise and resubmit to *Social Science Quarterly*.

Here’s Looking at You: The Impact of Public Attention on Presidential Primaries. Co-authored with Colin Swearingen and Kate Finneran. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April 7-10, 2016, Chicago IL.

How Do We Know We're Paying Attention? Co-authored with Patrick Grogan. Paper under review at *Big Data & Society* since June 2016.

How Do We Know We're Paying Attention? Co-authored with Patrick Grogan. Accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists. September 24, 2016.

Assessing Criterion Validity of Internet Searches as Measures of Public Attention. Co-authored with Patrick Grogan. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2015.

The Dynamics of Public Attention to Policy Decisions: Same-Sex Marriage and the Courts, the Legislatures, and Initiatives (2004-2014). Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists. September 2014.

Goal Trifecta: The LGBT Movement, Goal Evolution and State Legislatures 1996-2012. co-authored with Patrick Grogan. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists. October 2013.

“Social Movement Goal Pursuit in Interaction with State Legislatures,” co-authored with Patrick Grogan and Jamie Nolan. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists. October 15, 2012.

“The Ways in Which Courts Influence Legislative Action,” co-authored with Dr. Lauren Bowen, accepted for presentation at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, March 31-April 3 2011.

“The Ways in Which Courts Influence Legislative Action,” co-authored with Dr. Lauren Bowen, presented at the annual meeting of the New England Political Science Association, Portland ME, May 2009.

“The Effect of Distance from Central Cities on Partisan Outcomes in Elections,” Co-authored with Dr. Larry Schwab, presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 2008

“From the Suburbs to the House: The Metropolitan-Rural Population Shift and the Success of Women Candidates”, co-authored with Larry Schwab, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists, John Carroll University, October 2006.

“Entrepreneurs, Organizational Strength and the Pursuit of Public Goods by Voluntary Organizations.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists, Columbus OH, October 2005.

“Cultural Politics: Legislating Morality in the States.” Co-Authored with Jolly A. Emrey. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists, October 2004, Columbus OH.

“Legislative/Judicial Interaction: Do Court Ideologies Constrain Legislative Action?” Paper presented at the 2003 State Politics and Policy Conference, Tucson AZ, March 13-15. Lauren Bowen, Co-author.

Fellowships and Internships

Online teaching course development grant. Summer 2015.

Online teaching course development grant. Summer 2014.

Burton D. Morgan Fellow Fellow, John Carroll University, Summer 2009 and 2012. Developed expertise on social entrepreneurialism, prepared an academic minor on entrepreneurialism, currently integrating entrepreneurship principles into the classroom.

Poverty and Solidarity Faculty Fellowship, John Carroll University, August 2006 to May 2007. Engaged in focused study of local, national and global poverty.

Summer Research Fellowship, John Carroll University, 2003.

University-Community Partnership Graduate Fellow, Emory University, August 2000 - May 2001. Assisted the director and staff of the Office of University-Community Partnerships in carrying out its mission to facilitate the integration of teaching, research, and service activities directed toward the Greater Atlanta community. Conducted a program assessment for the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) on the Atlanta Enterprise Zone.

Dean's Teaching Fellowship, Emory University, 1999-2000.

Graduate Fellowship in Political Science, Emory University. 1995-1999.

Patricia Roberts Harris Fellowship, North Carolina State University. 1992-1994.

Intern, International City Management Association, June-August 1993.

North Carolina State University Alumni Association Scholarship. 1992-1993.

Professional Affiliations

American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, New England Political Science Association, American Evaluation Association
Board Member, Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists

References Provided Upon Request