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## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Professor, Department of Political Science. Western Michigan University. From 2004  
Special Assistant to the Provost – Cooley Law School affiliation (2016-7)  
Department Chair (2004-10)

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science. Western Michigan University. 2000-4

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Western Michigan University. 1995-2000

## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Political Science. Washington University - Saint Louis. 1993

M.A. Political Science. Washington University - Saint Louis. 1990

B.A. Political Science. University of Chicago. 1986

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Politics and the economy (monetary policy, bank regulation, financial crisis, and forecasting)

American political development (women's suffrage and American electoral politics)

Bayesian data analysis

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

Counting Women's Ballots: Female Voters from Suffrage Through the New Deal. With Christina Wolbrecht. New York: Cambridge University Press. (2016).

The Fed and the Credit Crisis. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner Publishers. (2012)

Central Bank Autonomy: The Federal Reserve System in American Politics. New York: Routledge. (1998)

### **Articles**

“The Federal Reserve System and the Credit Crisis” *Public Administration Review*. (July, 2009)

“Explaining Bureaucratic Optimism: Theory and Evidence from U.S. Federal Executive Agency Macroeconomic Forecasts” With George Krause. *American Political Science Review* (February, 2007)

“Women's Turnout After Suffrage: New Answers to Old Questions”. With Christina Wolbrecht. *Journal of Politics*. (February, 2006)

"Managing Uncertainty: The Bias and Efficiency of Federal Macroeconomic Forecasts" *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*. (January, 2005)

"Privatizing Federal Credit Programs: Why Sallie Mae?" With Susan Hoffmann. *Public Administration Review*. (March/April, 2004)

"Are federal programs immortal? Reconciling competing perspectives on program longevity" *American Politics Research*. (January, 2004)

"Acquiring New Technology: Comparing Nonprofit and Public Sector Agencies." *Administration and Society*. (May, 2001)

"Political Control of Federal Credit Subsidy: Small Business Administration 7(a) Loan Guarantees." *American Review of Public Administration*. (June, 1998)

### **Book chapters**

"Using Prior Information to Aid Ecological Inference: A Bayesian Approach" With Christina Wolbrecht. In New Advances in Ecological Inference. King, Gary, Ari Rosen, and Martin Tanner, eds. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press. (2004)

"Structural Choice and Political Control of Bureaucracy: Updating Federal Credit Programs." In Politics, Policy, and Organizations: Frontiers in the Scientific Study of Bureaucracy. Krause, George A., and Kenneth J. Meier, eds. Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press. (2003)

### **Work in progress**

“Disappointed Hopes? Female Voters and the 1924 Progressive Surge” (with Christina Wolbrecht). In Lee Ann Banaszak and Holly McCammon (editors) volume on the 100-year anniversary of women’s suffrage in the United States (Under Review)

A Century of Votes for Women: Female Voters in American politics. With Christina Wolbrecht [Book manuscript]

Regulating Banks in a Global Economy. [Book manuscript]

## EXTERNAL FUNDING AND AWARDS

Fulbright Research Scholar. Fulbright-Schuman Program. *Commission for Educational Exchange between the USA, Belgium and Luxembourg*. To conduct research on the financial crisis in Malta and the United Kingdom. April, 2013

Research Grant. *Association for Institutional Research / National Center for Education Statistics / National Science Foundation*. "College Financing and College Completion: Using Ecological Inference to Investigate How Types of Aid Received Affects Retention and Graduation Outcomes" April, 2004. (\$20,606 to WMU) With Kathryn Corder and Tracy Pattok

Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics. *Carrie Chapman Catt Center for Women and Politics*. Iowa State University. September, 1999. With Christina Wolbrecht

Research Grant. *National Science Foundation*. Political Science Program. "Collaborative Research on Women's Vote Choice and Turnout in the 1920s and early 1930s." June, 1999. (\$34,622 to WMU) (Total: \$108,435) With Christina Wolbrecht

Dwight Eisenhower/Clifford Roberts Graduate Fellowship. *Eisenhower Institute for World Affairs*. Washington DC. 1992 (\$10,000)

## INSTRUCTION

### *Graduate seminars*

- Political Analysis I & II
- Foundations of American Politics
- Ecological Inference
- American Political Development
- The Bureaucracy
- Quantitative Data Analysis [School of Public Affairs and Administration]

### *Undergraduate courses*

- National Government
- Law and Literature
- Introduction to Public Policy
- Quantitative Methods
- National Public Policy (writing seminar)
- Critical Thinking about Politics

### *Dissertation committees*

Perez, Sarah. *A House Divided Cannot Stand: The Case for Latino-Black Coalitions* (Political Science, 2017)

Beougher, Mark. *Who Controls Immigration Judges? Towards a Multi-Institutional Model of Administrative Judge Behavior* (Political Science, 2016)

- Squires, James. Three Essays on Finance, Agricultural Aid, and Development (Economics, 2016)
- Wei, Wan. Three Essays on Monetary Policy and Exchange Rate Behavior (Economics, 2016)
- Ulsonoy, Hulya. Do Parties Matter? A Political Model of Monetary Policy in Open Economies (Political Science, 2016)
- Berkenpas, Joshua. The Behavioral Revolution Mythology in Contemporary Political Science (Political Science, 2016)
- Sung, Pei-Ju. The Impact of Uncertainty on Data Revision (Economics, 2015)
- Romano, Michael. Mediated Homestyle: Congressional Strategy and Local Press Relations in the 111th House of Representatives. (Political Science, 2014)
- Curry, Todd. The Contours of Judicial Tenure in State Courts of Last Resort: Accountability vs. Independence. (Political Science, 2013)
- Chaffin, LaTasha (Chair). The War on Joblessness. (Political Science, 2013)
- Arsenault, Matthew. Varieties of Politics, Varieties of Capitalism: The Effects of Political Institutions on Capitalist Diversity (Political Science, 2012)
- Gashaw, Tamrat. Three Essays on Banking Foreign Direct Investment. (Economics, 2012)
- Myers, Marcella. Important or Impotent: Radical Right Political Parties and Social Policymaking in Germany and Austria. (Political Science, 2011)
- Raveloharimisy, Joel. Becoming Formal or Informal Entrepreneurs: What Explains the African Case? (Political Science, 2011)
- Mussa, Abeba. Three Essays on Financial Markets and Monetary Policy. (Economics, 2010)
- Andrews, Gordon. Undoing Plessy: Charles Hamilton Houston, Race and the Labor of the Law. (History, 2010)
- Watts, Yazminne (Chair). Degrees of Institutionalization. Family Planning Policies and Programs in Senegal, 1980-2005. (Political Science, 2009)
- Harutyunyan, Arus. Contesting National Identities in an Ethnically Homogeneous State: The Case of Armenian Democratization (Political Science, 2008)
- Dede, Alper (Chair) Islamism, State Control over Religion and Social Identity: Turkey and Egypt (Political Science, 2008)
- Mishra, Sagikra. Essays on Asymmetric Loss and Learning in Macroeconomic Forecasting (Economics, 2008)
- Guetschow, Gregg. Coordination, Collaboration and Culture: Local Economic Development in a Time of Networks (Public Administration, 2007)
- Senbet, Dawit. Estimating the Impact, Transmission Mechanism and Reaction Function of Monetary Policy: A Factor- Augmented Vector Autoregressive (FAVAR) Approach (Economics, 2007)
- Kwon, Uisoon (Chair) Who Voted? Social Class and Participation in United States Presidential Elections (Political Science, 2005)

Abdel Fattah, Moataz. Islam and Democracy: An Empirical Examination of Muslims' Political Culture (Political Science, 2004)

Eid, Ashraf. Determinants of Aggregate R&D, Role of Fiscal Policy, and the Effects of Government R&D on Economic Growth (Economics, 2004)

Younus, Sayera. Essays on Monetary Policy in Bangladesh (Economics, 2003)

Hokenmaier, Karl. Education, Social Security, and the Welfare State: Alternative Policy Choices in the United States and Germany (Political Science, 2002)

Lee, Stanley. International Cooperation in the World of Sovereign but Interdependent Nation States: Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation as an International Regime (Political Science, 2001)

## **REFEREE**

National Science Foundation, American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Theoretical Politics, Journal of Politics, Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory, American Politics Research, Public Administration Review, Administration and Society, Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly, Rationality and Society, Research and Politics, American Council of Learned Societies, Contemporary Economic Policy, Justice System Journal, Legislative Studies Quarterly, Journal of Public Policy, International Review of Economics and Finance.

## **PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCE ACTIVITY SINCE 2009**

“Governing banks in a global economy: capital requirements after the financial crisis.” Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2016. (Chicago)

“Governing banks in a global economy: how financial crisis impacts efforts to harmonize recovery and resolution planning” Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2015. (Chicago)

“Regulating Foreign Banks.” Presented at the 2014 Policy History Conference. June, 2014 (Columbus, Ohio)

“Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac: Where Are They? How Did They Get There?” (with Susan Hoffmann). Presented at the 2012 Policy History Conference. June, 2012. (Richmond, Virginia)

“Innovations in Information Sharing and Collaboration: Building the Financial Stability Oversight Council” (with Susan Hoffmann). Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2012. (Chicago, IL)

“The Impact of Women’s Suffrage: Female Voters and the Election of 1920” (with Christina Wolbrecht). Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association. September, 2011. (Seattle, WA)

Roundtable on housing finance. Presented at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2011. (Chicago, IL)

Roundtable on federal response to the credit crisis. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Society for Public Administration. April, 2010. (San Jose, CA)