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CURRENT

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS Yale University

Resident Fellow, Institution for Social and Policy Studies (ISPS)

Resident Fellow, Center for the Study of American Politics (CSAP)

Faculty Affiliate, Leitner Program in Political Economy

Previous

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS Texas A&M University

Assistant Professor of Political Science, 2015-2017

Director, Political Behavior & Political Institutions Research Program

Faculty Associate, Project for Equity, Representation, and Governance (PERG)

EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis

Assistant Professor of Political Science

Ph.D., Political Science, 2015

Fields: American Politics & Formal Theory

Dissertation: "The Politics of the American Policymaking System" Committee: John Patty (chair), Randy Calvert, Justin Fox, Gary Miller,

Maggie Penn

A.M., Political Science, 2012

University of Pittsburgh

B.A., Political Science and Philosophy, 2010

magna cum laude

Honors: Political Science Honors: Philosophy

PEER-REVIEWED
PUBLICATIONS

"Legislative Capacity and Credit Risk" (with David Fortunato). 2018. American Journal of Political Science 62(3): 623–636.

"Allies or Commitment Devices? A Model of Appointments to the Federal

Reserve" (with Keith Schnakenberg and Alicia Uribe). 2017. Economics & Politics 29(2): 118–132.

"Working Smart and Hard? Agency Effort, Judicial Review, and Policy Precision." 2017. Journal of Theoretical Politics 29(1): 69–96.

WORKING PAPERS

"Political Agency, Oversight, and Bias: The Instrumental Value of Politicized Policymaking" R&R, Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization.

"Ex Post Review and Expert Policymaking: When Does Oversight Reduce Accountability?" (with John W. Patty) R&R, Journal of Politics.

"Helping Friends or Influencing Foes: Electoral and Policy Effects of Campaign Finance Contributions" (with Keith Schnakenberg) R&R, American Political Science Review.

"Signaling with Reform: How the Threat of Corruption Prevents Informed Policymaking" (with Keith Schnakenberg) R&R, American Political Science Review.

"Reviewing Procedure vs. Judging Substance: The Scope of Review and Bureaucratic Policymaking." R&R, Journal of Politics.

BOOK CHAPTERS

"The Role of Courts in the Policymaking Process." Forthcoming in *Making Law* and Courts Research Relevant: Normative Implications of Empirical Research.
Brandon Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau (eds) Routledge Press (2014).

"Does the "One Person One Vote" Principle Apply in the U.S. Electoral College Vote?" with Norman Schofield and Maria Gallego. In *Emerging Trends in the Social and Behavioral Sciences*. Robert A. Scott and Stephen M. Kosslyn (eds) Wiley (2014).

Fellowships & Awards

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship

Graduate Student Associate

Center for Empirical Research in the Law, Washington University in St. Louis

Dean's Dissertation Fellowship

Washington University in St. Louis

University Graduate Fellowship

Washington University in St. Louis, Department of Political Science

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION & INVITED PRESENTATIONS

2018–2019 (scheduled): Workshop on Organization Theory in Public Management and Public Administration (Arizona); University of California, Berkeley; London School of Economics

2017–2018: APSA; MPSA; Columbia Political Economy Conference; Comparative Politics & Formal Theory Conference (Emory); Conference on Institutions & Law-making (Emory); WashU Theoretical Political Economy Conference; Vanderbilt New Developments in the Study of Executive Politics Conference; Yale CSAP; Harvard University; University of Wisconsin, Madison; University of Rochester; Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM); University of Pittsburgh; University of California, San Diego

2016–2017: APSA; MPSA; Yale University; Yale CSAP; Political Economy and Public Law Conference (PEPL), USC

2015–2016: APSA; MPSA; Washington DC Political Economy Conference (PECO)

2014–2015: APSA; MPSA; SPSA; EPSA; Comparative Politics & Formal Theory Conference (WashU); Conference on Institutions & Lawmaking (Emory); Washington DC Political Economy Conference (PECO); Texas A&M University

2013–2014: APSA; MPSA; SPSA; Behavioral Models of Politics; Normative Implications for Empirical Research on Law and Courts; Conference in Honor of Norman Schofield; Princeton University; University of Illinois

TEACHING Yale University

Political Economy & Public Policy (ug/g)	2019
Formal Models of American Politics (g)	2020
Democracy & Bureaucracy (ug)	2017, 2019
Interest Groups, Money, & Influence in American Politics (ug/g)	2017
Formal Models of Accountability and Representation (g)	2018
Texas A&M University	
Game Theoretic Methods in Political Science (ug)	2015, 2016
Formal Models of Bureaucracy (g)	2016
Political Institutions (g)	2016
Washington University in St. Louis	
Instructor (ug)	2014
American Politics	
Teaching Assistant (g)	2013
Social Choice Theory (Instructor: Maggie Penn)	
Teaching Assistant (ug)	2012

The Politics of the Civil Rights Movement (*Instructor:* Gary Miller)

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE & TRAINING

Mentoring Faculty in Residence (MFR), Empirical Implications of Theoretical

Models 2017, University of California, Berkeley

Student, Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models 2013, University of California, Berkeley.

Professional Service American Political Science Association, 2018: Formal Theory Division Chair

Referee: American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; Journal of Politics; Journal of Economic Theory; Quarterly Journal of Political Science; British Journal of Political Science; Journal of Theoretical Politics; Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization; Political Science Research and Methods; Social Choice & Welfare; Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory; Public Administration Review; Journal of Public Policy; Perspectives on Public Management and Governance; Political Research Quarterly; American Politics Research; Research & Politics; World Politics; International Interactions; European Journal of Political Research

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE Yale University: Graduate Admissions Committee (2018); Undergraduate Thesis Advisor; Undergraduate Academic Advisor; Percival Wood Clement Prize Committee for the best senior essay in support of the Constitution and the First Ten Amendments (2018); Frank M. Patterson Prize Committee for the best senior essay in American Politics (2018)

Texas A&M University: Director of Political Behavior & Political Institutions Research Program (2015–2017); Formal Theory search committee member (2015); Member of the American Politics, Public Administration, and Methods Field Committees; Methods Field Examination Committee (Spring 2017)

STUDENT ADVISING

Yale University

Nicholas Hardy, Undergraduate thesis advisor

Carlos Rodriguez Cortez, Undergraduate academic advisor

Texas A&M University

Miyeon Song, Dissertation committee member

Garrett Vande Kamp, Dissertation committee member

References Available upon request.

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