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Academic Appointments

Pennsylvania State University

Professor, Department of Political Science (2017–).

Director of the Honors Program (2022–).

Director of Undergraduate Studies (2017-2021).

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science (2010–2017).

New York University Abu Dhabi

Visiting Scholars Program, Department of Political Science (Spring 2024).

University of Mannheim, Germany

Visiting Researcher, Collaborative Research Center (Fall 2012).

Florida State University

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science (2005–2010).

University of Iowa

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science (2004–2005).

Education

New York University

Ph.D. Politics (2004), M.A. French Studies (1999).

Oxford University

M.Phil. European Politics and Society (1997), B.A. Hons. Politics, Philosophy and Economics (1995).

Publications

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Books

3. William Clark & Matt Golder. 2023. *Interaction Models: Specification and Interpretation*. New York: Cambridge University Press.
2. William Clark, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. 2nd Edition in preparation. 1st Edition 2018. *Foundations of Comparative Politics*. Washington D.C.: Sage/CQ Press.
1. William Clark, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. 4th Edition in preparation; 3rd Edition 2017; 2nd Edition 2012; 1st Edition 2009. *Principles of Comparative Politics*. Washington D.C.: Sage/CQ Press.

Translated into Italian (2011) and Burmese (2023).

Articles

27. Ray Block, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. 2023. “Evaluating Claims of Intersectionality.” *Journal of Politics* 85(3): 795-811.
26. Bormann, Nils-Christian & Matt Golder. 2022. “Democratic Electoral Systems around the World, 1946-2020.” *Electoral Studies* 78.
25. Kostanca Dhima & Matt Golder. 2021. “Secularization Theory and Religion.” *Politics & Religion* 14(1): 37-53.
24. Charles Crabtree, Matt Golder, Thomas Gschwend, & Indriði Indriðason. 2020. “It’s Not Only What You Say, It’s Also How You Say It: The Strategic Use of Campaign Sentiment.” *Journal of Politics* 82(3): 1044-1060.
23. William Clark, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. 2017. “An Exit, Voice, and Loyalty Model of Politics.” *British Journal of Political Science*. 47: 719-748.
 - Winner of the 2016 Brian Barry Prize from the British Academy (GB £2,500).
22. Charles Crabtree & Matt Golder. 2017. “Party System Volatility in Post-Communist Europe.” *British Journal of Political Science* 47: 229-234. [responses]
21. Matt Golder. 2016. “Far Right Parties in Europe.” *Annual Review of Political Science* 19: 477-497.
20. William Clark & Matt Golder. 2015. “Big Data, Causal Inference, and Formal Theory: Contradictory Trends in Political Science?” *PS: Political Science and Politics* 48: 65-70.
19. Matt Golder, Sona Golder, & David Siegel. 2014. “Evaluating a Stochastic Model of Government Formation.” *Journal of Politics* 76: 880-886.
18. Matt Golder & Gabriella Lloyd. 2014. “Re-Evaluating the Relationship between Electoral Rules and Ideological Congruence.” *European Journal of Political Research* 53: 200-212.

17. Ben Gaskins, Matt Golder, & David Siegel. 2013. "Religious Participation, Social Conservatism, and Human Development." *Journal of Politics* 75: 1125-1141.
16. Bormann, Nils-Christian & Matt Golder. 2013. "Democratic Electoral Systems around the World, 1946-2011." *Electoral Studies* 32: 360-369. [webpage]
15. Ben Gaskins, Matt Golder, & David Siegel. 2013. "Religious Participation and Economic Conservatism." *American Journal of Political Science* 57: 823-840.
14. William Berry, Matt Golder, & Daniel Milton. 2012. "Improving Tests of Theories Positing Interaction." *Journal of Politics* 74: 653-671. [webpage]
13. Garrett Glasgow, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. 2012. "New Empirical Strategies for the Study of Parliamentary Government Formation." *Political Analysis* 20: 248-270.
12. Matt Golder, Sona Golder, & David Siegel. 2012. "Modeling the Institutional Foundation of Parliamentary Government Formation." *Journal of Politics* 74: 427-445.
11. Garrett Glasgow, Matt Golder & Sona Golder. 2011. "Who Wins? Determining the Party of the Prime Minister." *American Journal of Political Science* 55: 937-954.
10. Matt Golder & Jacek Stramski. 2010. "Ideological Congruence and Electoral Institutions." *American Journal of Political Science* 54: 90-106.
 - Winner of the 2011 GESIS Klingemann Prize for the Best CSES Scholarship (€1,000).
9. William Clark, Michael Gilligan, & Matt Golder. 2006. "A Simple Multivariate Test for Asymmetric Hypotheses." *Political Analysis* 14: 311-331. [webpage]
8. Thomas Brambor, William Clark, & Matt Golder. 2007. "Are African Party Systems Different?" *Electoral Studies* 26: 315-323.
7. Matt Golder. 2006. "Presidential Coattails and Legislative Fragmentation." *American Journal of Political Science* 50: 34-48.
6. Thomas Brambor, William Clark, & Matt Golder. 2006. "Understanding Interaction Models: Improving Empirical Analyses." *Political Analysis* 14: 63-82. [webpage]
 - Reprinted in Salvatore Babones. 2014. *Fundamentals of Regression Modeling*. London: Sage Publications.
 - Reprinted in Salvatore Babones. 2013. *Applied Statistical Modeling*. London: Sage Publications.
 - Reprinted in W. Paul Vogt. 2008. *Selecting Research Methods*. London: Sage Publications.
5. William Clark & Matt Golder. 2006. "Rehabilitating Duverger's Theory: Testing the Mechanical and Strategic Modifying Effects of Electoral Laws." *Comparative Political Studies* 39: 679-708.
4. Matt Golder. 2005. "Democratic Electoral Systems around the World, 1946-2000." *Electoral Studies* 24: 103-121. [webpage]

- Reprinted in Matt Golder. 2015 “Sistemas electorales democráticos alrededor del mundo, 1946-2000.” *Revista Mexicana de Cultura Política* 2: 11-42.
3. Matt Golder. 2003. “Explaining Variation in the Electoral Success of Extreme Right Parties in Western Europe.” *Comparative Political Studies* 36: 432–466.
 2. Matt Golder. 2003. “Electoral Institutions, Unemployment, and Extreme Right Parties.” *British Journal of Political Science* 33: 525–534.
 1. William Clark, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. 2002. “Fiscal Policy and the Democratic Process in the European Union.” *European Union Politics* 3: 205–230.

Edited Symposia

9. Matt Golder & Sona Golder. 2018. “Fake News and the Politics of Misinformation.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 28(2): 1-89.
8. Matt Golder & Sona Golder, with Charles Crabtree (guest editor). 2018. “Comparative Politics of Policing.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 28(1): 1-92.
7. Matt Golder & Sona Golder (eds). 2017. “Race and Ethnic Politics in Comparative Perspective.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 27(2): 1-112.
6. Matt Golder & Sona Golder (eds). 2017. “Women/Gender and Comparative Politics.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 27(1): 1-109.
5. Matt Golder & Sona Golder (eds). 2016. “Populism in Comparative Perspective.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 26(2): 1-131.
4. Matt Golder & Sona Golder (eds). 2016. “Data Access and Research Transparency (DA-RT) / The Politics of Space.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 26(1): 1-108.
3. Matt Golder & Sona Golder (eds). 2015. “Training the Next Generation of Comparative Politics Scholars.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 25(2): 1-49.
2. William Clark & Matt Golder (eds.) 2015. “Big Data, Causal Inference, and Formal Theory: Contradictory Trends in Political Science?” *PS: Political Science and Politics* 48: 65-106.
1. Matt Golder & Sona Golder (eds). 2015. “Studying Sensitive Political Phenomena.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association* 25(1): 1-50.

Book Chapters

4. Ben Ferland & Matt Golder. 2021. “Citizen Representation and Electoral Systems.” In *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*. Oxford University Press.
3. Matt Golder & Ben Ferland. 2018. “Electoral Systems and Citizen-Elite Ideological Congruence.” In Erik Herron, Robert Pekkanen & Matthew Shugart (eds). *The Oxford Handbook of Electoral Systems*. New York: Oxford University Press. pp. 213-245.
2. Matt Golder & Jacek Stramski. 2009. “Congruência Ideológica e Instituições Eleitorais: Conceitualização e Medida.” In Andre Freire & Jose Viegas (eds.) *Representação Política: O caso Português em Perspectiva Comparada*. Sextante: Lisboa.
1. Matt Golder & Leonard Wantchekon. 2003. “Africa Dictatorial and Democratic Electoral Systems since 1946.” In Josep Colomer (ed.) *Handbook of Electoral System Choice*. London: Palgrave.

Other Publications

3. Charles Crabtree, Matt Golder, Thomas Gschwend, & Indriði Indriðason. 2018. “Strategic Campaign Sentiment.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association*.
2. Nils-Christian Bormmann & Matt Golder. 2013. “Democratic Electoral Systems around the World, 1946-2011.” *Newsletter of the Representation and Electoral Systems Section of the American Political Science Association*.
1. Matt Golder. 2009. “Ideological Congruence.” *CP: Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Organized Section of the American Political Science Association*.

Unpublished Manuscripts

Under Review

3. Andreas Wimmer, Bart Bonikowski, Charles Crabtree, Zheng Fu, Matt Golder, & Kiyoteru Tsutsui. “Geo-Political Rivalry and Anti-Immigrant Sentiment: A Conjoint Experiment in 22 Countries.” Revised and resubmitted to the *American Political Science Review*.
2. Ray Block & Matt Golder. “Is There a Substantive-Descriptive Representation Trade-off?” Revise and resubmit at *Political Science Research & Methods*.
1. Ray Block, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. *Evaluating Claims of Intersectionality*. Book proposal.

Working Papers

6. Garrett Glasgow, Matt Golder, & Sona N. Golder. “Empirical Models of the Government Formation Process.” To be published in Marc Debus & Thomas Bräuninger. (eds.) *Handbook of Coalition Politics*. Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing Limited.
5. Bormann, Nils-Christian & Matt Golder. “Electoral Systems.” To be published in Holly Ann Garnett & Toby S. James. (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Electoral Integrity*. New York: Oxford University Press.

4. Garrett Glasgow, Matt Golder, & Sona N. Golder. “Jointly Modeling the Choice of Prime Minister and Government in Parliamentary Democracies.”
3. Yaoyao Dai, Matt Golder, & Benjamin J. Radford. “Attributing Policy Influence in Multilingual Settings using Semantic Textual Similarity.”
2. Ray Block, Charles Crabtree, Kostanca Dhima, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. “Gender and Race Consciousness: Conceptualization and Measurement.”
1. Charles Crabtree, Matt Golder, Thomas Gschwend, & Indriði Indriðason. “Negative Campaigning in Multi-Candidate Contests.”

Work in Progress

3. Bart Bonikowski, Charles Crabtree, Matt Golder, Helen Milner, Kiyoteru Tsutsui, & Andreas Wimmer. “Populism: Experimental Evidence from 22 Countries.”
2. Ray Block, Charles Crabtree, Kostanca Dhima, Matt Golder, & Sona Golder. “Linked Fate, Political Attitudes, and Political Behavior.”
1. Charles Crabtree, Matt Golder, Thomas Gschwend, & Indriði Indriðason. “The Strategic Use of Campaign Sentiment in German Elections.”

Grants

External Grants

3. 2017. “Minding the Measurement Gap: Group Consciousness and Political Behavior.” APSA Centennial Grant for Supplemental Research Support (with Charles Crabtree, Kostanca Dhima, & Sona N. Golder, (U.S. \$2,500).
2. 2009-2017 “Making Electoral Democracy Work: Voters, Parties, and the Rules of the Game.” Co-PI on an eight year grant with André Blais et al. from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada. (Canadian \$2.5 million). Awarded 2008.
1. 2007. “Making Electoral Democracy Work: Voters, Parties, and the Rules of the Game.” Preliminary grant from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada. (Canadian \$20,000).

Internal Grants

4. 2014-2018. “*Comparative Politics Newsletter – APSA*.” Pennsylvania State University (U.S. \$121,200).
3. 2007. “Research Improvement Grant.” Florida State University (U.S. \$5,000).
2. 2006. “Evaluating Democratic Performance.” Co-PI on a grant from the Council on Research and Creativity at Florida State University (U.S. \$125,000).
1. 2006. “Research Improvement Grant.” Florida State University (U.S. \$15,000).

Under Review

2. [Ruth Dassonneville](#) (University of Montreal), [Matt Golder](#), [Sona Golder](#), [Chris Hanretty](#) (Royal Holloway, University of London), [Ben Stanley](#) (SWPS University, Warsaw), & [Natasha Wunsch](#) (University of Fribourg). “Migrants and Just-Noticeable Differences in Meso-Level Democratic Values.” Grant proposal for the Trans-Atlantic Partnership (T-AP) call on Democracy, Governance, and Trust.
1. [Yaoyao Dai](#) (UNCC), [Matt Golder](#), [Sona Golder](#), & [Benjamin J. Radford](#) (UNCC). “Leveraging Computational Linguistics to Examine Policy Influence Attribution.” NSF grant proposal.

Professional Activity and Presentations

International Research Projects

Populism and the Future of Democracy. Funded by the Tokyo Foundation for Policy Research 2021-2022.

- Project with [Kiyoteru Tsutsui](#) (PI, Stanford), [Bart Bonikowski](#) (NYU), [Charles Crabtree](#) (Dartmouth), [Helen Milner](#) (Princeton), and [Andreas Wimmer](#) (Columbia).

[The Electoral Integrity Project](#) (PI: [Pippa Norris](#)). Harvard University (2013-).

- Advisory Board Member.

Making Electoral Democracy Work (PI: [Andre Blais](#)). Funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada 2008-2017.

- Executive Board Member and Party Strategy Team leader with [Thomas Gschwend](#) and [Indriði Indriðason](#).

Editorial Positions

Co-Editor, *Comparative Politics Newsletter – APSA* (2014-2018).

Editorial Board, *Comparative Political Studies* (2013-).

Editorial Board, *Journal of Politics* (2011-2015).

Editorial Board, *American Journal of Political Science* (2012-2014).

Executive Positions

Section President, APSA Section on Representation and Electoral Systems (2011-2013).

Executive Committee Member, APSA Section on Representation and Electoral Systems (2008-2011).

Macro Variables Committee, Comparative Study of Electoral Systems (2005-2007).

Book Conference

2021. “An Introduction to Interaction Models.” Texas A&M University.

Invited Presentations

2023. ICPSR, Race, Ethnicity, and Quantitative Methodology I; RAND Corporation; University of Calgary, Canada; Waseda University, Japan.
2019. New York University, Abu Dhabi.
2018. Rice University; Texas A&M University.
2017. Carlos III-Juan March Institute of Social Sciences, Spain.
2016. University of Pittsburgh.
2015. Rice University; Stanford University.
2012. University of Mannheim, Germany; University of Konstanz, Germany; Hertie School of Governance, Germany; Duke University.
2011. European Consortium for Political Research, Iceland.
2010. Purdue University.
2009. Pennsylvania State University; Texas A&M University.
2008. University of Florida; University of Essex, England.
2005. University of South Carolina.
2004. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; Florida State University; University of Iowa.
2003. Emory University; University of Montreal, Canada.

Invited Workshop/Symposium Participation

2023. Waseda University, Japan; Tohoku University, Japan.
2016. Duke University; University of Montreal, Canada.
2015. Sciences Po, France.
2014. McGill University, Canada; Washington University in St. Louis.
2013. John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University.
2012. Social Science Research Center, Germany.
2009. Portuguese Parliament, Portugal; Duke University.
2002. Santa Fe Institute.

Conference Organizer

- Citizen Preferences, Political Institutions, and Democratic Performance, Florida State University (2009).

Conference Program Chair

Midwest Political Science Association, Political Science in Review Section (2014).

American Political Science Association, Representation and Electoral Systems Section (2008).

Conference Presentations

American Political Science Association (2001-2003, 2006-2010, 2013-2014, 2016, 2021, 2023).

Midwest Political Science Association (2002-2004, 2007-2011, 2015-2018).

European Political Science Association (2011-2014, 2022-2023).

Prarie Political Science Association (2023).

Southern Political Science Association (2010-2011).

Southwest Political Science Association (2002-2003).

Society for Political Methodology (2002, 2004, 2008, 2010).

Society for the Scientific Study of Religion (2007).

European Consortium for Political Research (2011).

European Community Studies Association (2001).

Conference Roundtable Chair

Midwest Political Science Association (2014).

American Political Science Association (2014).

Conference Panel Chair

Electoral Integrity Project Fellows Workshop (2022).

New Zealand Political Studies Association (2018).

American Political Science Association (2008, 2014, 2016).

Midwest Political Science Association (2003, 2007, 2009, 2017, 2018).

Southwest Political Science Association (2002).

International Symposium on the Fifth Republic at Fifty, Florida State University (2008).

Conference Panel Discussant

Asian Online Political Science Seminar Series (2020).

American Political Science Association (2009, 2014, 2016, 2019, 2023).

Midwest Political Science Association (2003, 2005, 2017, 2018).

European Political Science Association (2011-2013).

Florida State University Constitution Day (2005).

Award Committee Chair

Best Paper published on Representation and Electoral Systems, APSA Section on Representation and Electoral Systems (2011).

Award Committee

Best Paper published in the *American Journal of Political Science*, Midwest Political Science Association (2015).

Pruet Committee for Best Graduate Student Paper in Political Science, Florida State University (2005-2006).

Tenure and Promotion Reviewer

CUNY Baruch College, Florida State University, Tsinghua University, University of Essex, University of Missouri.

External Search Reviewer

Methodology Search, University of Essex, England (2014).

Reviewer

American Journal of Political Science, *American Political Science Review*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative European Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, *Dutch Organization for Scientific Research* (Netherlands), *Economic and Social Research Council* (United Kingdom), *Electoral Studies*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *European Union Politics*, *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *Journal of Elections*, *Public Opinion*, and *Parties*, *Journal of Peace Research*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Theoretical Politics*, *L'Actualité économique*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *National Science Foundation*, *Party Politics*, *Political Analysis*, *Political Behavior*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Political Science Research and Methods*, *Public Choice*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, *Quarterly Journal of Political Science*, *Social Science Quarterly*, *Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada* (Canada), *West European Politics*, *World Politics*.

Mentoring

Information about the CP Group can be found at <http://comparativepoliticsgroup.org/>.

Post-Doctoral Student Advisor

Ben Ferland. 2015-2016. University of McGill, Canada.

- Associate Professor, University of Ottawa, Canada.

Dissertation Chair

Booyoon Lee. 2022. *Anti-immigrant Attitudes in Asia*.

- Post-doctoral Fellow, Vanderbilt University.

Kostanca Dhima. 2022. *Women's Political Representation*. Texas A&M University.

- Assistant Professor, Georgia State University.

Charles Crabtree. 2019. *Measuring and Explaining Discrimination*. University of Michigan.

- Assistant Professor, Dartmouth College. Senior Fellow at the Tokyo Foundation for Policy Research.

Yaoyao Dai, Political Science/Asian Studies. 2019. *Beloved Governments: Authoritarian Regimes' Toolkit for Building Popular Support*.

- Assistant Professor, University of North Carolina at Charlotte. Post-doctoral Fellow, New York University - Abu Dhabi.

Marius Radean. 2013. *Party Politics and Legislative Party Switching*. Florida State University.

- Associate Professor (Permanent Lecturer), University of Essex, UK.

Dissertation Committee Member

Faith Khumalo. Expected 2024. *Anti-Immigrant Attitudes in South Africa*.

Jinhyuk Jang. 2021. *Government Formation in Asia*.

- Post-doctoral Fellow, Kochi University, Japan.

Qing Deng. 2021. *Institutions and Environmental Degradation*

- Visiting Assistant Professor, George Washington University.

Xu Xu. 2019. *Authoritarian Control in the Digital Age*.

- Assistant Professor, Princeton University. Post-doctoral Fellow, Stanford University.

Mitchell Goist. 2019. *The Radical Right in Parliament: A New Method and Application For Studying Political Text in Multiple Languages*.

- Senior Data Scientist, Benson Hill.

Volha Chykina, Education. 2018. *Anti-Immigrant Sentiment and the Educational Experiences of Immigrant Students: Evidence from Europe and the United States*.

- Assistant Professor, Jepson School of Leadership Studies, University of Richmond. Post-doctoral Fellow, Donia Human Rights Center, University of Michigan.

Molly Ariotti. 2018. *Parties and Coalitions: Executive-Legislative Relations in African Democracies*.

- Assistant Professor, University of Georgia.

[Fridolin Linder](#). 2018. *Diffusion of Anti-Immigrant Ideas from Social Media into the Political Realm*.

- Data Scientist, Yunex Traffic. Post-doctoral Fellow, SMaPP Lab, New York University.

[Christopher Boylan](#). 2017. *Speaking on our Behalf: Essays on Political Representation*.

- Head of Data Science, [Verisk Maplecroft](#).

Graduate Student External Examiner

[Roni Lehrer](#). 2014. *The Effects of Intra-Party Competition on Party Competition*. University of Essex, UK.

- Post-Doc, University of Mannheim, Germany, 2015-2020.

M.A. Chair

[Anil Kuleli](#). 2023. “Affective Polarization and Retrospective Voting”.

[Caner Şimşek](#). 2020. “On Having a Voice: How Feelings of Inefficacy Breed Populism.”

[Hamsa Fayed](#). 2018. “Twin Tolerations and Democracy.”

[Yaoyao Dai](#). 2016. “Anti-Corruption Campaigns and Regime Support in China.” Under review.

[Charles Crabtree](#). 2015. “Campaign Sentiment in European Party Manifestos.” Winner of the Best M.A. Paper Award, Department of Political Science, Pennsylvania State University. Published in the *Journal of Politics* (with Matt Golder, Thomas Gschwend, and Indriði Indriðason, 2020).

[Kostanca Dhima](#). 2015. “Religious Attendance, Religious Belief, and Human Development.” Published in *Politics & Religion* (with Matt Golder, 2020).

M.A. Committee Member

[Faith Khumalo](#). 2021. “Examining the Triggers of Xenophobic Violence in South Africa.”

[Boyoon Lee](#). 2018. “Immobile Capital: The Impact of High Skill Intensive Firms on Immigration Policy.”

[Jinhyuk Jang](#). 2018. “Portfolio Allocation in Asian-Pacific Democracies.” Revise and resubmit at *Party Politics*.

[Qing Deng](#). 2017. “Institutions and Environmental Degradation: Does State Ownership Matter?”

[Xu Xu](#). 2016. “Corruption and Career Advancement: Do Promotions Reduce Corruption in China?”

Andrew Martinez. 2016. “Stationary Bandits, Caudillos, and Bureaucrats: Political Survival of Autonomous Subnational Leaders in the Rio de la Plata, 1820-1880.”

Fridolin Linder. 2015. “Misreporting of Ideological Placement through Consistency Bias.”

Christopher Boylan. 2014. “Reliable Service: The Legislative Behavior of Dynastic Politicians.”

Molly Ariotti. 2013. “Partisan Portfolio Allocation in African Democracies.” Published in *Comparative Political Studies* (with Sona N. Golder, 2017).

Hyungsang Ha. 2010. “Bargaining, Networks, and Management of Municipal Development Subsidies.” Published in the *American Review of Public Administration* (with Richard Feiock, 2012).

Jun Koga. 2009. “Where Do Third Parties Intervene? Third Parties’ Domestic Institutions and Military Intervention in Civil Conflicts.” Published in *International Studies Quarterly* (2011).

First Year Graduate Student Candidacy Advisor

Charles Crabtree, Caner Şimşek.

First Year Graduate Student Candidacy Committee Member

Jinhyuk Jang, Boyoon Lee, Christopher Boylan, Brian Childers, Qing Deng, Molly Ariotti, Xu Xu, Fridolin Linder, Muhammed Idriss.

Graduate Research Collaborators

Charles Crabtree, Daniel Milton, Ben Gaskins, Jacek Stramski, Nils-Christian Bormann, Kostanca Dhima, Yaoyao Dai.

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Advisor

Lauren Brooks. 2023. “Individual-Level Determinants of Political Ideology.”

Emma Cohen. 2022. “Seat Security and Tweet Extremism: An Analysis of Congress Members’ Tweets.”

Katerina Yankanich. 2022. “Mitigating Climate Change: Determinants of Willingness to Pay.”

Kaylyn Macaluso. 2019. “Age, Gender, and the Brexit Vote.”

Hamsa Fayed. 2018. “Twin Tolerations and Democracy.”

Jennifer Heckman. 2018. “Women’s Legislative Representation in Africa.”

Max Albone. 2018. “Voter Turnout in New Democracies.”

Samuel Settle. 2012. “Electoral Rules and Party System Dispersion.”

Gabriella Lloyd. 2011. “Re-Evaluating the Relationship between Electoral Rules and Ideological Congruence.” Published in the *European Journal of Political Research* (with Matt Golder, 2014).

Jacquelyn Thomas. 2010. “Portfolio Allocation and the Vote of No Confidence.” Published in the *British Journal of Political Science* (with Sona Golder, 2014).

Undergraduate Honors Advisor

170 students (2014-).

Undergraduate Research Collaborators

Thomas Brambor, Dina Castillo, Emma Cohen, Jennifer Heckman, Luisina Kemanian-Leites, Gabriella Lloyd, Julia Welp, Katerina Yankanich, Steven Zhang.

Teaching

Awards

Nominated for the Penn State Malvin E. and Lea P. Bank Outstanding Teaching Award (2015, 2016).

Recognized as a faculty member whose teaching has influenced first year students (2012).

Pennsylvania State University

Graduate Seminar on Comparative Politics (Fall 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2021).

Graduate Seminar on Duration Models and Research Writing (Fall 2013).

Graduate Seminar on Statistical Methods for Political Research (Fall 2011).

Government and Politics of Europe (Fall 2010; Spring 2012, 2014).

Comparative Political Science (Spring 2012, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2022, 2023; Fall 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2022).

Honors Comparative Political Science (Spring 2011, 2013).

Strategy and Politics (Fall 2011, 2021, 2022; Spring 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023).

Independent Study on Women’s Legislative Representation (Spring 2016).

Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models Summer Institute

Lead lecturer, *Comparative Politics*, University of Michigan (Summer 2015).

Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis

Introduction to Duration Models (Summer 2008-2013).

Florida State University

Graduate Seminar on Advanced Quantitative Analysis (Fall 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009).

Graduate Seminar on Comparative Politics (Spring 2007, 2008).

Introduction to Comparative Political Science (Spring 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010).

Government and Politics of Europe (Fall 2005, 2007, 2008, 2010).

University of Iowa

Government and Politics of Europe (Fall 2004, Spring 2005).

Institutional Approaches to Democracy and Dictatorship (Fall 2004).

Politics of the Industrialized Democracies (Spring 2005).

University of Essex, England

Short Course on the *Challenges and Opportunities in Cross-National Electoral Research* sponsored by [ELECDEM](#), [PIREDEU](#), and [CSES](#) (2010).

American Political Science Association

Short Course on the *Comparative Study of Electoral Systems* (2008).

Service

Pennsylvania State University

Director of the Political Science Honors Program, Department of Political Science (2022-).

Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Political Science (2017-2021).

Advisory Committee, Department of Political Science (2017-2021, 2022-).

Promotion and Tenure Committee, Department of Political Science (2013-2018, 2022-2024).

Promotion and Tenure Committee for Teaching Faculty, Department of Political Science (2021-2022).

Undergraduate Studies Committee, Department of Political Science (2015-2016, 2017-).

Speaker Series Coordinator, Department of Political Science (2013-2016).

Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Political Science (2011-2012).

Graduate Recruitment Committee, Department of Political Science (2011-2012).

Comparative Politics Search Committee, Department of Political Science (2021).

American Politics Search Committee, Department of Political Science (2010-2011, 2019).

Methodology Field Examiner, Department of Political Science (2011-2012, 2013-2015, 2017-2019).

Comparative Politics Field Examiner, Department of Political Science (2021-).

Methodology Strategic Planning Committee, Department of Political Science (2013-2014).

Teaching Improvement Committee, Department of Political Science (2012-2015, 2017-2018).

Florida State University

Executive Committee, Department of Political Science (2008-2009).

Graduate Committee, Department of Political Science (2009, 2010).

Methodology Field Representative, Department of Political Science (2009-2010).

Open Search Committee, Department of Political Science (2008).

New York University

Open Search Committee, Department of Politics (2000).

Data Lab Assistant, Department of Politics (2002).

President of the Political Science Graduate Student Association (1998-1999).

Student Representative at Institute of French Studies Faculty Meetings (1998).

Community Outreach

Ultimatum and Dictatorship Games with Kids, State College Friends School (2014).

Group Decision Making with Kids, State College Friends School (2014).

Awards

2016 [Brian Barry Prize](#) from the [British Academy](#) (GB £2,500).

2011 GESIS Klingemann Prize for the Best CSES Scholarship (€1,000).

NSF Grant to attend Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models workshop (2003).

Grant to attend Computational Modeling and Complexity workshop, Santa Fe (2003).

Research Grant, Center for Conflict Resolution and Cooperation, New York University (2002, 2003).

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