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APPOINTMENTS

University of Michigan	2018-present
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science	
Assistant Professor (by Courtesy), Ford School of Public Policy	
Faculty Associate, Center for Political Studies, Institute for Social Research	
Princeton University	2017-2018
Postdoctoral Research Associate, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics	
Washington University in St. Louis	2016-2017
Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Political Science	

EDUCATION

University of Virginia	2012-2016
Ph.D., Government	
M.A., Government	
Baylor University	2008-2011
B.A., Political Science	

RESEARCH

Journal Articles

- Forthcoming. "Descriptive and Substantive Representation in Congress: Evidence from 80,000 Congressional Inquiries," *American Journal of Political Science*. (with Melinda Ritchie and Erinn Lauterbach)
2019. "Politicization and Responsiveness in Executive Agencies," *The Journal of Politics* 81 (1): 33-48.
2018. "Who Polices the Administrative State?" *American Political Science Review* 112 (4): 874-890.
2018. "Presidential Particularism and U.S. Trade Politics," *Political Science Research & Methods* 6 (2): 265-281. (with Jeff Jenkins and Andrew Clarke)
2018. "Delegation or Unilateral Action?" *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization* 34 (1): 54-78.
Winner, Stephen Wayne Founders Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, Presidency and Executive Politics Section, *American Political Science Association*, 2016
Winner, Malcolm Jewell Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, *Southern Political Science Association*, 2017
2017. "Tariff Politics and Congressional Elections: Exploring the Cannon Thesis," *Journal of Theoretical Politics* 29 (3): 382-414. (with Jeff Jenkins and Andrew Clarke)
2017. "Congressional Investigations and the Electoral Connection," *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization* 33 (1): 1-27. (with Justin Peck)

2016. "Informal Consequences of Budget Institutions in the U.S. Congress," *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 41 (4): 965-996. (with Andrew Clarke)

2014. "After the Orders: Presidential Memoranda and Unilateral Action," *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 44 (4): 724-741.

Editor Reviewed

2018. "Causal Inference from Pivotal Politics Theories," Symposium on Pivotal Politics, *The Journal of Politics* 80 (3): 1082-1087. (with Andrew Clarke and Thomas Gray)

2017. "Public Perception of the Presidential Toolkit," Symposium on Experiments and the Study of the Presidency, *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 47 (3): 432-447. (with Thomas Gray)

2014. "'We Can't Wait': Barack Obama, Partisan Polarization and the Administrative Presidency," *The Forum* 12 (1): 3-27. (with Sidney M. Milkis)

Under Review

"Politics and Policy Take-Up: Evidence from DACA" (with Michael Fogarty and August Mense)

"Congressional Oversight Revisited: Procedural Responsiveness in Agency Rulemaking" (with Rachel Potter)

"Inter-branch Communication and Executive Policymaking" (with Russell Mills, Nicole Kalaf-Hughes, Melinda Ritchie, and Andrew Clarke)

Working Papers

"Presidents and the Status Quo"

"Bureaucratic Responsiveness to LGBT Americans" (with Andrew Proctor)

"The Vote-Buying President" (with Andrew Clarke)

Selected Work in Progress

The Delegating Executive: How Bureaucrats Limit Presidential Power (book project)

"Immigration Policy through Constituent Service"

"Measuring Executive Discretion with Experts and Laypersons" (with Charles Shipan)

"Non-compliance in the Unilateral Presidency"

Commentary

"Having the most diverse Congress ever will affect more than just legislation," *Monkey Cage, The Washington Post*, January 9, 2019. (with Melinda Ritchie and Erinn Lauterbach)

"Who polices the administrative state?" Legislative Branch Working Group, October 30, 2018.

"Will Trump's tariffs help him with his voters?" *Monkey Cage, The Washington Post*, January 30, 2018. (with Jeff Jenkins and Andrew Clarke)

PRESENTATIONS

Small Conferences and Workshops

- Conference on Effective Lawmaking (participant): Vanderbilt University, June 2018.
- New Developments in the Study of Executive Politics: Vanderbilt University, June 2018.
- Presidents and the Administrative State (organizer): Princeton University, May 2018.
- U.S. Presidency in Crisis? (moderator): Princeton University, May 2018.
- Symposium on *Pivotal Politics*: University of Southern California, November 2017.
- Political Economy & Public Law Conference: University of Southern California, June 2017.
- CSAP Annual American Politics Conference (poster): Yale University, June 2017.
- Conference on Legislative Oversight: Wayne State Law School, June 2017.
- Congress & History Conference: University of Maryland, May 2014; Vanderbilt University, May 2015.
- Southern California Law & Social Science Forum: University of Southern California, March 2015.
- Conference on Executive Politics: Washington University in St. Louis, May 2014.

Association Meetings

- American Political Science Association: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018.
- Midwest Political Science Association: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019 (planned).
- Southern Political Science Association: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019.

COURSES

University of Michigan

- Executive Politics (G, Fall 2018)
- American Presidency (UG, Fall 2018, Winter 2019)

Washington University in St. Louis

- Politics in Bureaucracies (UG, Spring 2017)
- American Presidency (UG, Spring 2017)

University of Virginia

- American Presidency (UG, Summer 2016)

SERVICE

- Best Poster Award Committee, Public Policy Section, *APSA*, 2019
- Best Paper Award Committee, Presidency and Executive Politics Section, *APSA*, 2017

Reviewer: *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*; *The Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*; *Journal of Theoretical Politics*; *Legislative Studies Quarterly*; *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Studies in American Political Development*; *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*; *PS: Political Science and Politics*; *Research and Politics*; *Presidential Studies Quarterly*; *American Politics Research*; *Regulation and Governance*; *Congress and the Presidency*

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