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Academic Positions

- Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, February 2019 - present
- Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, September 2008 - January 2019
- Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, August 2002 - August 2008

Administrative Positions

- Co-Director, Center for American Politics and Society (CAPS), 2013-2014
- Interim Director of Undergraduate Studies, 2008-2009

Education

- Ph.D., Political Science (American Politics, Research Methods, Positive Political Theory), Michigan State University, 2002.
- M.A., Political Science, Michigan State University, 1999.
- ICPSR Summer Program, University of Michigan. 1999.
- M.A., Political Science, Ball State University. 1998.
- B.A., Political Science, Theology, and Humanities, Valparaiso University, 1997.

Grants

- \$47,872. University of Pittsburgh Chancellor's Seed Grant, "Pitt Prison Education Project" (Chris W. Bonneau, Nancy Glazener, Cory Holding, and Shalini Puri, co-Principal Investigators). September 1, 2018-August 31, 2020.

- \$26,578. National Science Foundation, “Collaborative Research: A Workshop on the Normative Implications of Empirical Research in Law and Courts” (SES 1228172, SES 1228306; Brandon L. Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau, co-Principal Investigators). September 1, 2012-August 31, 2013.
- \$990. University of Pittsburgh School of Arts and Sciences, Type II Research Expenses Grant. Summer, 2010.
- \$80,000. National Science Foundation, “Collaborative Research: An Individual-Level State Supreme Court Database” (SES 0518491, SES 0516409, SES 0516600; Chris W. Bonneau, Paul Brace, and Kevin Arceneaux, co-Principal Investigators). September 1, 2005-August 31, 2006.
- \$4,000. University of Pittsburgh School of Arts and Sciences, Type I Third Term Research Stipend. Summer 2005.
- \$7,950. National Science Foundation, “Doctoral Dissertation Research: Money and State Supreme Court Elections” (SES 0108906; Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall, co-Principal Investigators). July 1, 2001-June 30-2002.

Awards

- 2021 Chancellor’s Distinguished Teaching Award.
- 2016 Virginia Gray Best Book Award given by the State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association for the best political science book published on the subject of U.S. state politics or policy in the preceding three calendar years for *Voters’ Verdicts: Citizens, Campaigns, and Institutions in State Supreme Court Elections* (with Damon M. Cann).
- 2017 Pi Sigma Alpha Award for the Best Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association for “Stronger Together’: Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office” (with Kristin Kanthak).

Publications

Books:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Damon M. Cann. 2015. *Voters’ Verdicts: Citizens, Campaigns, and Institutions in State Supreme Court Elections*. Charlottesville, VA: University of Virginia Press. *Winner of the 2016 Virginia Gray Best Book Award given by the State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association for the best political science book published on the subject of U.S. state politics or policy in the preceding three calendar years.*
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2009. *In Defense of Judicial Elections*. New York: Routledge.

- Hammond, Thomas H., Chris W. Bonneau, and Reginald S. Sheehan. 2005. *Strategic Behavior and Policy Choice on the U.S. Supreme Court*. Stanford: Stanford University Press.

Edited Books:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2016. *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*. New York: Routledge.
- Bartels, Brandon L. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2015. *Making Law and Courts Research Relevant: The Normative Implications of Empirical Research*. New York: Routledge.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2021. “Desk Rejecting ‘Against Desk Rejects!’” *PS: Political Science and Politics* 54: 690-693.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Kristin Kanthak, Amanda Leifson, and Shane M. Redman. 2021. “The Review Process and the Citation Gap: The Role of the Editor’s Nudge.” *Journal of Politics* 83: 772-776.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2020. “‘Stronger Together’: Political Ambition and the Presentation of Women Running for Office.” *Politics, Groups, and Identities* 8 (3): 576-594.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Jarrod Kelly, Kira Pronin, Shane Redman, and Matthew Zarit. 2017. “Evaluating the Effects of Multiple Opinion Rationales on Supreme Court Legitimacy.” *American Politics Research* 45 (May): 335-365.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Damon Cann. 2015. “Party Identification and Vote Choice in Partisan and Nonpartisan Judicial Elections.” *Political Behavior* 37 (March): 43-66.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Eric Loepp. 2014. “Getting Things Straight: The Effects of Ballot Design and Electoral Structure on Voter Participation.” *Electoral Studies* 34 (June): 119-130.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2013. “Attack Advertising, the *White* Decision, and Voter Participation in State Supreme Court Elections.” *Political Research Quarterly* 66 (March): 115-126.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Damon M. Cann. 2011. “Campaign Spending, Diminishing Marginal Returns, and Campaign Finance Restrictions in Judicial Elections.” *Journal of Politics* 73 (October): 1267-1280.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Melinda Gann Hall, and Matthew J. Streb. 2011. “*White* Noise: The Unrealized Effects of *Republican Party of Minnesota vs. White* on Judicial Elections.” *Justice System Journal* 32 (3): 247-268.

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2009. "Impartial Judges? Race, Institutional Context, and U.S. State Supreme Courts." *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 9 (Winter): 381-403.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2008. "Mobilizing Interest: The Effects of Money on Citizen Participation in State Supreme Court Elections." *American Journal of Political Science* 52 (July): 457-470.
- Bonneau, Chris W., Thomas H. Hammond, Forrest Maltzman, and Paul J. Wahlbeck 2007. "Agenda Control, the Median Justice, and the Majority Opinion on the U.S. Supreme Court." *American Journal of Political Science* 51 (October): 890-905.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. "The Effects of Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections." *Political Research Quarterly* 60 (September): 489-499.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. "Campaign Fundraising in State Supreme Court Elections." *Social Science Quarterly* 88 (March): 68-85.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2006. "Vacancies on the Bench: Open Seat Elections for State Supreme Courts." *Justice System Journal* 27 (2): 143-159.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2006. "Does Quality Matter? Challengers in State Supreme Court Elections." *American Journal of Political Science* 50 (January): 20-33.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2005. "Electoral Verdicts: Incumbent Defeats in State Supreme Court Elections." *American Politics Research* 33 (November): 818-841.
- Ames, Barry, David C. Barker, Chris W. Bonneau, and Christopher J. Carman. 2005. "Hide the Republicans, the Christians, and the Women: A Response to 'Politics and Professional Advancement Among College Faculty.'" *The Forum* 3 (2): Article 7.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2005. "What Price Justice(s)? Understanding Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections." *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 5 (Summer): 107-125.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2004. "Patterns of Campaign Spending and Electoral Competition in State Supreme Court Elections." *Justice System Journal* 25 (1): 21-38.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2003. "Predicting Challengers in State Supreme Court Elections: Context and the Politics of Institutional Design." *Political Research Quarterly* 56 (September): 337-349.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2001. "The Composition of State Supreme Courts, 2000." *Judicature* 85 (July-August): 26-33.

Book Chapters:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2020. “Women’s Political Ambition and the 2016 Election.” In *Good Reasons to Run: Women and Political Candidacy*, edited by Shauna L. Shames, Rachel I. Bernhard, Mirya R. Holman, and Dawn Langan Teele. Philadelphia: Temple. Pages 167-174.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2017. “Judicial Selection in the States: A Look Back, A Look Ahead.” In *Routledge Handbook of Judicial Politics*, edited by Robert M. Howard and Kirk A. Randazzo. New York: Routledge. Pages 340-351.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2016. “Fundraising and Spending in State Supreme Court Elections.” In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 79-92.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2016. “Judicial Elections in the 21st Century.” In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 3-14.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2016. “Toward a More Sophisticated Understanding of Contemporary Judicial Elections.” In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 262-272.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Jenna Becker Kane. 2016. “Proposals for Reforms: Successes and Failures.” In *Judicial Elections in the 21st Century*, edited by Chris W. Bonneau and Melinda Gann Hall. New York: Routledge. Pages 249-261.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Brandon L. Bartels. 2014. “The Normative Implications of Empirical Research: A Research Agenda.” In *Making Law and Courts Research Relevant: The Normative Implications of Empirical Research*, edited by Brandon L. Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau. New York: Routledge. Pages 3-13.
- Bartels, Brandon L. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2014. “Can Empirical Research Be Relevant to the Policy Process? Understanding the Obstacles and Exploiting the Opportunities.” In *Making Law and Courts Research Relevant: The Normative Implications of Empirical Research*, edited by Brandon L. Bartels and Chris W. Bonneau. New York: Routledge. Pages 221-228.
- Cann, Damon M., Chris W. Bonneau, and Brent D. Boyea. 2012. “Campaign Contributions and Judicial Decisions in Partisan and Nonpartisan Elections.” In *New Directions in Judicial Politics*, edited by Kevin T. McGuire. New York: Routledge. Pages 38-52.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2009. “Judicial Elections: Facts vs. Myths.” In *The Rule of Law: Perspectives on Legal and Judicial Reform in West Virginia*, edited by Russell S. Sobel. Morgantown, WV: West Virginia University. Pages 63-69.

- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. “The Dynamics of Campaign Spending in State Supreme Court Elections, 1990-2004.” In *Running for Judge: The Rising Political, Financial, and Legal Stakes of Judicial Elections*, edited by Matthew J. Streb. New York: New York University Press. Pages 59-72.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Tara W. Stricko-Neubauer. 2006. “The United States Supreme Court: Continuity and Change.” In *Developments in American Politics 5*, edited by Gillian Peele, Christopher J. Bailey, Bruce Cain, and B. Guy Peters. New York: Palgrave. Pages 107-123.
- Hammond, Thomas H., Chris W. Bonneau, and Reginald S. Sheehan. 2006. “A Court of Appeals in a Rational Choice Model of Supreme Court Decision-Making.” In *Institutional Games and the U.S. Supreme Court*, edited by James R. Rogers, Roy B. Flemming, and Jon R. Bond. Charlottesville, VA: University of Virginia Press. Pages 127-172.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2004. “The Wisconsin Judiciary.” In *Wisconsin Government and Politics*, 8th edition, edited by Ronald E. Weber. New York: McGraw-Hill. Pages 171-196.
- Hall, Melinda Gann and Chris W. Bonneau. 2000. “The Wisconsin Judiciary.” In *Wisconsin Government and Politics*, 7th edition, edited by Ronald E. Weber. New York: McGraw-Hill. Pages 174-202.

Law Reviews:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Shane M. Redman. 2015. “Much Ado About Nothing: The Irrelevance of *Williams-Yulee v. The Florida Bar* on the Conduct of Judicial Elections.” *Vanderbilt Law Review En Banc* 68: 31-41.

Book Reviews:

- Bonneau, Chris W. 2019. Review of *Judicial Merit Selection: Institutional Design and Performance for State Courts*, by Greg Goelzhauser. *Law and Politics Book Review* 29: 134-135.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2017. Review of *Supreme Democracy: The End of Elitism in Supreme Court Nominations*, by Richard Davis. *Congress and the Presidency* 45 (March): 112-114.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2016. Review of *Justices on the Ballot: Continuity and Change in State Supreme Court Elections*, by Herbert M. Kritzer. *Perspectives on Politics* 14 (March): 235-236.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. Review of *Electing Judges: The Surprising Effects of Campaigning on Judicial Legitimacy*, by James L. Gibson. *Law and Politics Book Review* 22 (October): 469-472.

- Bonneau, Chris W. 2007. Review of *Supreme Conflict: The Inside Story of the Struggle for Control of the United States Supreme Court*, by Jan Crawford Greenburg. *Law and Politics Book Review* 17 (June): 499-501.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2006. Review of *The Politics of Precedent on the U.S. Supreme Court*, by Thomas G. Hansford and James F. Spriggs, II, and *Judging on a Collegial Court: Influences on Federal Appellate Decision Making*, by Virginia A. Hettinger, Stefanie A. Lindquist, and Wendy L. Martinek. *Perspectives on Politics* 4 (December): 776-777.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2006. Review of *Reforming the Court: Term Limits for Supreme Court Justices*, edited by Roger C. Cramton and Paul D. Carrington. *Law and Politics Book Review* 16 (May): 361-363.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2003. Review of *Judicial Review in State Supreme Courts: A Comparative Study*, by Laura Langer. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 33 (Summer): 166-168.

Encyclopedia Entries:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2020. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2020* 22nd edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2019. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2019* 21st edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2018. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2018* 20th edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge.
- Bonneau Chris W. and Shane M. Redman. 2017. "*Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission* (2010)." In *Encyclopedia of American Civil Rights and Liberties: Revised and Expanded Edition*, 2nd edition, edited by Kara E. Stooksbury, John M. Scheb II, and Otis H. Stephens, Jr. Santa Barbara: ABC-CLIO. Pages 145-146.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Sean Craig. 2017. "*Caperton v. A.T. Massey Coal Co.* (2009)." In *Encyclopedia of American Civil Rights and Liberties: Revised and Expanded Edition*, 2nd edition, edited by Kara E. Stooksbury, John M. Scheb II, and Otis H. Stephens, Jr. Santa Barbara: ABC-CLIO. Pages 127-129.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2017. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2017* 19th edition, edited by Dominic Heaney. London: Routledge. Pages 110-115.

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2015. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2016* 18th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 117-125.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2014. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2015* 17th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 111-118.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2013. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2014* 16th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 104-110.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Brent D. Boyea. 2013. "State Courts: Past, Present, and Future." In *Oxford Handbook of State and Local Government*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Mark S. Hurwitz. 2012. "The Judicial System of the USA." In *The USA and Canada 2013* 15th edition, edited by Neil Higgins. London: Routledge. Pages 102-108.
- Stricko, Tara W. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2011. "Judicial Decision Making." In *International Encyclopedia of Political Science*, edited by Bertrand Badie, Dirk Berg-Schlosser, and Leonardo Morlino. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage. Pages 1367-1370.
- Rice, Heather Marie and Chris W. Bonneau. 2009. "Judicial Branch." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Washington, DC: CQ Press. Pages 817-819.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Heather Marie Rice. 2009. "Judicial Selection." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Washington, DC: CQ Press. Pages 824-825.
- Rice, Heather Marie, Chris W. Bonneau, and Mark S. Hurwitz. 2009. "Judges." In *Political Encyclopedia of U.S. States and Regions*, edited by Donald P. Haider-Markel. Washington, DC: CQ Press. Pages 815-817.

Opinion:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2021. "Democracy Demands High Levels of Participation." *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, October 31, 2021.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2019. "The Thriving Field of State Politics." *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, August 13, 2019.
- McCoy, Chris and Chris W. Bonneau. 2018. "Convoluting Judicial Amendment Subverts Voters." *The Daily Reflector*, November 5, 2018.

- Bonneau, Chris W. 2018. "NC Needs to Stop Messing with Its Judiciary." *Raleigh News and Observer*, May 18, 2018.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2016. "2016: The Year We Knew Nothing." *The Cresset*. 80 (Advent): 10-11.
- Bonneau, Chris W. and Sean Craig. 2015. "*King v. Burwell* and the Future of the PPACA." *Retina Today* 10 (May/June): 16-21.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2013. "Political Science Professor: Many Good Reasons for Idea of Electing Judges." *The Oklahoman*, September 8, 2013.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2013. "PA System of Electing Judges Works." *Philadelphia Inquirer*, February 15, 2013.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. "Are Judicial Elections A Real Problem In Michigan?" *Detroit News*, June 19, 2012.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. "True 'Merit' in Judicial Selection." *Philadelphia Inquirer*, April 8, 2012.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2011. "A Bum Rap on Elected Judges." *Washington Post*, May 26, 2011.
- Lazos, Sylvia R. and Chris W. Bonneau. 2010. "Appoint Judges? No Thanks. Elections Ensure Certain Safeguards." *Las Vegas Review Journal*, October 31, 2010.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2010. "Should Judges Be Elected? Yes." *The Costco Connection* 25 (May): 17.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2008. "2008: A Transformative Election." *The Cresset* 73 (Advent/Christmas): 24-25.

Other:

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Kristin Kanthak. 2018. "In Memoriam: Tom Carsey." *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 18 (June): 119-121.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2018. "The Case for Partisan Judicial Elections." Federalist Society White Paper.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2017. "NSF Dissertation Improvement Grants." *The Legislative Scholar* 2 (Spring): 18-19.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2012. "A Survey of Empirical Evidence Concerning Judicial Elections." Federalist Society White Paper.

- Bonneau, Chris W. and Melinda Gann Hall. 2010. “The Battle Over Judicial Elections: Right Argument, Missed Audience’: A Response to Stephen Wasby.” *Justice System Journal* 31 (1): 117-120.
- Bonneau, Chris W. 2008. “Formal Theory and Judicial Politics: Contributions and Cautions.” *Law and Courts Newsletter* 18 (Summer): 4-6.

Current Projects

- “Criminal Sentencing and the Cost of Appeal” (with Sean Craig and Kira Pronin). Under preparation.
- “Institutions, War Chests, and Candidate Deterrence” (with Damon Cann and Kira Pronin). Under preparation.
- “Judicial Elections and the Illusion of Pandering” (with Kira Pronin). Under preparation.

Conference/Workshop Participation

- 2022: Midwest Political Science Association
- 2020: Southern Political Science Association
- 2019: American Political Science Association; Southern Political Science Association
- 2018: American Political Science Association; The Impact of Human Subjects Guidelines and Informed Consent Scripts on Data Access and Research Transparency; Southern Political Science Association
- 2017: Good Reasons to Run; Conference on New Research on Gender and Political Psychology; American Political Science Association; Evolving Practices for Data Management and Sharing: A Data-PASS Workshop; Midwest Political Science Association; Conference on the U.S. Judicial System in a Trump Presidency; Southern Political Science Association
- 2016: Southwestern Political Science Association; Southern Political Science Association
- 2015: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association; Southern Political Science Association
- 2014: American Political Science Association; State Politics and Policy Conference; Midwest Political Science Association; Justice at Risk Conference
- 2013: American Political Science Association; Normative Implications of Empirical Research Conference; Midwest Political Science Association; An Uncommon Dialogue Conference

- 2012: Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties Conference; Latin American Studies Conference; Southern Political Science Association
- 2011: Midwest Political Science Association
- 2010: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association
- 2009: Workshop on the Identification and Integration of Law and Courts Data; American Political Science Association; State Politics and Policy Conference; Southern Political Science Association
- 2008: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association
- 2007: Midwest Political Science Association; State Politics and Policy Conference; Southern Political Science Association
- 2006: Conference on Empirical Studies of Courts and Judges; International Society for New Economics; American Law and Economics Association; Midwest Political Science Association
- 2005: American Political Science Association; State Politics and Policy Conference; Midwest Political Science Association
- 2004: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association
- 2003: American Political Science Association; Southwestern Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association; State Politics and Policy Conference
- 2002: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association; Southwestern Political Science Association
- 2001: Conference on Institutional Games and the U.S. Supreme Court; American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association; Research Committee on Comparative Judicial Studies, International Political Science Association
- 2000: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association
- 1999: American Political Science Association; Midwest Political Science Association; Western Political Science Association
- 1998: Midwest Political Science Association

Invited Talks

- 2022: PaperClip Communications.

- 2021: Allegheny College, Law Policy Program.
- 2019: Pennsylvania Leadership Conference October Briefing; Federalist Society Texas Statewide Conference; University of South Alabama, Department of Political Science; University of Oklahoma, Department of Political Science
- 2018: Federalist Society Counsels Summit; Federalist Society Justices Summit; American Legislative Exchange Council; Institute for Humane Studies Policy Research Seminar; John Locke Foundation; St. Louis University Chapter of the Federalist Society; Triangle Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society.
- 2017: Federalist Society Pennsylvania Statewide Conference; Florida Bar Convention.
- 2016: Clemson University, Department of Political Science; U.S. Government and Politics Advanced Placement Reading Professional Night.
- 2015: Princeton University, Department of Politics Public Law Colloquium; Slippery Rock University, Department of Political Science; Little Rock Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society; Valparaiso University, Department of Political Science; Grove City College, Department of Political Science; Temple University, Department of Political Science.
- 2013: Tulsa Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society; The Ohio State University, Department of Political Science; Utah State University, Department of Political Science; University of Texas-Arlington, Department of History; University of North Carolina, Department of Political Science.
- 2012: Federalist Society National Lawyers Convention, State Courts Leadership Luncheon; Tallahassee Lawyers Chapter of the Federalist Society; University of California, Davis, Department of Political Science.
- 2011: Indiana University, Maurer School of Law, University Center of Law, Society, and Culture Symposium on Judicial Selection; State Bar of Minnesota Appellate Practice Institute; Rutgers University, Department of Political Science; Boise State University, Canadian Studies Program.
- 2010: University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Boyd School of Law, American Constitution Society; University of Nevada, Las Vegas, College of Liberal Arts, University Forum Lecture Series; University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Boyd School of Law.
- 2009: Grove City College.
- 2007: Louisiana State University, Department of Political Science; University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science.
- 2005: Penn State University–Fayette; Georgia State University, Department of Political Science; University of Georgia, Department of Political Science.

- 2004: West Virginia University, Department of Political Science.

Courses Taught

Undergraduate

- American Political Process
- Research Methods in Political Science
- Constitutional Law: Governmental Powers
- Constitutional Law: Civil Rights and Civil Liberties
- Judicial Process
- Seminar in American Politics: The Supreme Court
- Seminar in American Politics: Judicial Selection
- Seminar in American Politics: Politics, Science, and Sports
- Inside-Out: Race and the Criminal Justice System
- Inside-Out: Mass Incarceration
- Sports and American Politics
- American Politics Through Film

Graduate

- Empirical Methods of Research (Research Design)
- Advanced Research Methods (Maximum Likelihood)
- Judicial Politics
- Dissertation Overview Seminar

Professional, University, and Department Service

Profession

- Co-Editor, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, June 2014-May 2020.
- Panelist, Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant Panel, Political Science Program, National Science Foundation, 2015-2017.
- Panelist, Law and Social Science Program, National Science Foundation, 2009-2011.

- Review Editor, *Justice System Journal*, 2010-2013.
- Editorial Board Member, *American Politics Research*, 2016-present.
- Editorial Board Member, *Social Science Quarterly*, 2012-present.
- Editorial Board Member, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 2008-2011, 2020-present.
- Editorial Board Member, *Justice System Journal*, 2006-2010, 2014-2015.
- Editorial Board Member, Routledge Law and Courts Series, 2012-present.
- Treasurer, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association, 2012-2014.
- Member, Executive Committee, State Politics Section of the American Political Science Association, 2011-2013.
- Section Chair, Judicial Politics Section, 2012 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, State Politics Section, 2008 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, Positive Political Theory Section, 2008 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.
- Section Chair, Political Methodology Section, 2003 Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Chair, 2021 E. E. Schattschneider Award Committee, American Political Science Association.
- Chair, 2020 C. Neal Tate Award Committee, Southern Political Science Association.
- Member, Committee to Select New Publisher for *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 2019.
- Member, Committee to Select New Editor for the *Journal of Law and Courts*, 2020.
- Member, 2018 Nominations Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2016 C. Neal Tate Award Committee, Southern Political Science Association.
- Member, 2016 Lasting Contribution Award Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.

- Member, 2015 Service Award Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Chair, 2011 Nominations Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2009 Nominations Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2005 Teaching and Mentoring Award Committee, Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Association.
- Member, 2004 Pi Sigma Alpha Award Committee, Southwestern Political Science Association.
- Reviewer for *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Political Science Review*; *American Politics Research*; Atomic Dog Publishing; CQ Press; *Election Law Journal*; *Electoral Studies*; *Journal of Comparative Economics*; *Journal of Empirical Legal Studies*; *Journal of Law and Courts*; *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*; *Journal of Legal Studies*; *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*; *Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Theoretical Politics*; *Judicature*; *Justice System Journal*; *Law and Society Review*; Longman Publishing; McGraw-Hill Publishers; National Science Foundation; NYU Press; Oxford University Press; *Party Politics*; Pearson Publishing; *Political Analysis*; *Political Behavior*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Politics, Groups, and Identities*; *Public Administration Review*; Routledge; Roxbury Publishing; Stanford University Press; *Political Science Research and Methods*; *State and Local Government Review*; *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*; *Social Science Quarterly*; Temple University Press; Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS); University of Chicago Press; University of Michigan Press; University of Virginia Press.
- Member, Executive Committee of the Indiana Political Science Association, 1999-2000.
- Reader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2004-2006, 2008-2010.
- Table Leader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2011-2012, 2014-2016.
- Question Leader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2017-2018.
- Exam Leader, AP Government and Politics Exam, 2019-2021.
- Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association: Discussant 2004, 2006, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2017; Chair 2005, 2010, 2011, 2016, 2017.
- Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association: Discussant 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2013; Chair 2005, 2010, 2011, 2013.

- Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association: Discussant 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2016, 2017; Chair 2006, 2008, 2009, 2012.
- Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association: Discussant 2003; Chair 2003.
- Annual State Politics and Policy Conference: Discussant 2015, 2016; Chair 2014, 2015, 2016.
- Conference on Empirical Studies of Courts and Judges: Discussant 2006.

University

- President, University Senate: 2018-2021.
- Member, Board of Trustees Budget Committee: 2018-present.
- Member, Planning Committee for Pitt Diversity Forum 2020: Advancing Social Justice: A Call to Action.
- Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs: 2020.
- Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Faculty Development and Diversity: 2020.
- Member, Search Committee for Vice Provost for Graduate Studies: 2020.
- Member, Executive Committee of Task Force for Reimagining Pitt Education: 2020.
- Member, Plan for Pitt 2025 Steering Committee: 2020-2021.
- Member, Arts and Sciences Tenure Council: 2015-2017.
- Alternate member, Arts and Sciences Tenure Council: 2012-2013, 2021-present.
- Co-Chair, Faculty Affairs Committee: 2017-2018.
- Member, Senate Tenure and Academic Freedom Committee: 2011-2018
- Member, Faculty Senate: 2011-2013, 2017-2018.
- Member, Faculty Assembly: 2010-2013, 2016-2018.
- Member, Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences Graduate Council: 2010-2012, 2020-present.
- Member, Mellon Fellowship Selection Committee: 2008.
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- Member, Chair's Advisory, Planning, and Budgeting Committee: 2009-2011, 2020-present.
- Member, Formal Theory Search Committee: 2006-2007.
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- Member, Graduate Awards Committee: 2002-2007, 2011-2013.
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 - Amanda Leifson (in progress)
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 - Stephanie McLean (Senior Research Analyst, Royal Canadian Mounted Police)
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