

Curriculum Vitae

Johanna Dunaway

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Education

May 2006 Ph.D., Political Science, Rice University
Spring 2004 M.A., Political Science, Rice University
Summer 2002 M.A., Political Science, University of North Texas
Spring 1999 B.A., Political Science, University of North Texas

Dissertation: "What Makes the News? The Institutional Determinants of the Political News Agenda" Committee: Robert M. Stein (chair), John R. Alford, Rick K. Wilson.

Appointments

Joan Shorenstein Fellow, Shorenstein Center for the People and the Press, Harvard University, February 2016-May 2016.

Associate Professor, Department of Communication, Texas A&M University, January 2016-present.

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science and Manship School of Mass Communication, Louisiana State University, August 2013 – December 2015.

Assistant Professor, Jointly Appointed, Department of Political Science and Manship School of Mass Communication, Louisiana State University, Fall 2008 – Summer 2013.

Area Head, Political Communication, Manship School of Mass Communication, 2011-2013.

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Sam Houston State University, 2006-2008.

Peer Reviewed Journal Publications¹

Davis, Nicholas T.* and Johanna L. Dunaway. 2016. "Party Polarization, Media Choice, and Mass Partisan-Ideological Sorting." *Public Opinion Quarterly* DOI:10.1093/poq/nfw002.

Turcotte, Jason,* Kirzinger, Ashley,* Dunaway, Johanna, and Robert K. Goidel. "Influences on News Coverage of the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill." In-press, *Social Science Quarterly*.

Potter, Joshua, and Johanna Dunaway. 2015. "Reinforcing or Breaking Party Systems? Internet Communication Technologies and Party Competition in Comparative Context." *Political Communication*. DOI: 10.1080/10584609.2015.1069767

Dunaway, J. L., Davis, N. T.*, Padgett, J.* and Scholl, R. M. 2015. "Objectivity and Information Bias in Campaign News." *Journal of Communication*." DOI: 10.1111/jcom.12172

¹ Asterisk denotes student or former student co-author.

- Dunaway, Johanna, and Regina G. Lawrence. 2015. "What Predicts the Game Frame? Media Ownership, Electoral Context, and Campaign News." *Political Communication*, 32:1, 43-60, DOI: 10.1080/10584609.2014.880975
- Wilkinson, Betina,* James Garand, and Johanna Dunaway. 2015. "Skin Tone and Individuals' Perceptions of Commonality and Competition with Other Racial and Ethnic Groups." *Race and Social Problems*, DOI: 10.1007/s12552-015-9151-8
- Dunaway, Johanna, Regina G. Lawrence, Melody Rose, and Chris Weber. 2013. "Traits versus Issues: News Coverage of Female Candidates for Senatorial and Gubernatorial Office." *Political Research Quarterly* 66: 715-726.
- Dunaway, Johanna and Robert M. Stein. 2013. "Early Voting and Campaign News Coverage." *Political Communication*, 30:2, 278-296.
- Dunaway, Johanna. 2013. "Media Ownership and Story Tone in Campaign News Coverage." *American Politics Research* 41: 24-53. DOI: 10.1177/1532673X12454564.
- Weber, Christopher R., Johanna Dunaway, and Tyler Johnson. 2012. "It's all in the Name: Source Cue Ambiguity and the Persuasive Appeal of Campaign Ads." *Political Behavior* 34(3):561-584. DOI 10.1007/s11109-011-9172-y.
- Dunaway, Johanna, Kirby Goidel, Ashley Kirzinger,* and Betina Wilkinson.* 2011. "Rebuilding or Intruding? News Media Coverage and Public Opinion on Immigration in Louisiana." *Social Science Quarterly* 92(4): 917-937. DOI: 10.1111/j.1540-6237.2011.00797.x.
- Dunaway, Johanna. 2011. "Institutional Influences on the Quality of Campaign News Coverage." *Journalism Studies* 12(1):27-44.
- Johnson, Tyler, Johanna Dunaway, and Christopher Weber. 2011. "Consider the Source: Variations in the Effects of Negative Campaign Information." *Journal of Integrated Social Sciences*, 2(1): 98-127.
- Dunaway, Johanna, Regina Branton, and Marisa Abrajano. 2010. "Agenda Setting, Public Opinion and the Issue of Immigration Reform." *Social Science Quarterly* 91(2):359-378.
- Branton, Regina P., and Johanna Dunaway. 2009. "Spatial Proximity to the US-Mexico Border and Local News Coverage of Immigration Issues." *Political Research Quarterly* 62(2):289-302.
- Branton, Regina P., and Johanna Dunaway. 2009. "Slanted Newspaper Coverage of Immigration: The Importance of Economics and Geography." *Policy Studies Journal* 37(2): 257-27.
- Dunaway, Johanna. 2008. "Markets, Ownership, and the Quality of Campaign News Coverage." *Journal of Politics* 70(4):1193-1202.
- Branton, Regina P., and Johanna Dunaway. 2008. "English and Spanish Language Newspaper Coverage of Immigration: A Comparative Analysis." *Social Science Quarterly* 89(4): 1006-1022.

Branton, Regina P., Gavin Dillingham, Johanna Dunaway, and Beth Miller. 2007. "Anglo Voting on Nativist Ballot Initiatives: the Partisan Impact of Spatial Proximity to the Border of Mexico." *Social Science Quarterly* 88(3):882-897.

Book Chapters

Dunaway, Johanna. 2011. "Causes and Consequences of Poll-Centered News Coverage in the Digital Age: An Exploratory Analysis." In *By the People, For the People: The Meaning and Measurement of Public Opinion in a Digital Age*, Robert K. Goidel, ed. Baton Rouge, LA: LSU Press.

Branton, Regina P., Gavin Dillingham, Johanna Dunaway, and Beth Miller. 2010. "Anglo Voting on Bilingual Education: the Partisan Nature of the Impact of Spatial Proximity to the Border of Mexico." In *The Politics of Latino Education*, David Leal and Ken Meier, eds. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press.

Textbooks

Graber, Doris A. and Johanna Dunaway. 2014. *Mass Media and American Politics*, 9th edition. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press.

Book Reviews

Influence from Abroad, by Danny Hayes and Matt Guardino, Cambridge University Press, 2014, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, doi: 10.1093/poq/nft076.

Conditional Press Influence in Politics, by Adam J. Schiffer. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield. 2008. *Political Communication* 27(1):111-113, January-March 2010.

Other Publications

Dunaway, Johanna. 2015. "Why Hillary Clinton is Smart to Play Up her Gender." *Observer.com* <http://observer.com/2015/07/why-hillary-clinton-is-smart-to-play-up-her-gender/>

Completed Drafts Being Revised for Journal Submission

"Does (Screen) Size Matter? News Engagement on Computers, Tablets, and Smartphones" (With Mingxiao Sui,* Newly Paul,* and Kathleen Searles)

"Moving Beyond Fox: Exploring the Impact of Media Fragmentation on Elite Polarization" (With Chris Weber).

"Sex and Gender in Statehouse Elections: Campaign Coverage of Women and Minority Candidates at the Entry Level." (With Paru Shah, Newly Paul,* Christina Cota-Robles,* Liz Lebron,* Sonny Marchbanks,* and Brook Spurlock.*)

"We will not air it: News decisions about covering terrorist incidents" (With David Sobek, Mingxiao Sui,* Paromita Saha,* Lauren Goodman,* and Andrew Abad*)

"Political Ad Context and Campaign News" (With Jason Turcotte*)

"Media Market and Ownership Influences on Partisan Slant in Campaign News." (With Brian Watson,* John Kitch* and Stephen Savage*)

“News Media Attention and the Effects of Spanish Language Political Advertising.” (With Marisa Abrajano, Newly Paul,* and Mingxiao Sui*)

“Political Ad Context and Story Focus in Campaign News.” (With Nick Davis,* Jason Turcotte,* and Colin Ward*)

“The Effects of Early Voting on Political Advertising” (With Robert M. Stein)

Research in Progress

“Changing Media for a Changing America? Latino Voters and the Information Environment” (Book Project)

“Local Newspapers and Polarization” (With Josh Darr and Matt Hitt)

“Is there a Fox penalty? Partisan News Media and Moderates in Congress” (With Kevin Arceneaux, Martin Johnson, and Ryan Vander Wielen)

“Resurgent Mass Partisanship Revisited: The Role of Media Choice and Elite Polarization” (With Josh Darr)

“Measuring Attitudes and Psychology of Party Elites” (With Vin Arceneaux and Stuart Soroka)

“Direct Lines of Communication: How Internet Usage Affects Voters’ Ability to Correctly Perceive Party Positions.” (With Josh Potter)

“Gender Gaps in Response to Natural Disaster.” (With Christopher Kenney and Christopher Weber)

“Early Voting News Cycles and Voter Competence” (With Bob Stein)

Research and Teaching Interests

Media and Politics

Political Communication

Politics and Information Technology

Comparative Analyses of Media Institutions and Content

Multiculturalism and Media

Political Polarization

Political Institutions

Public Opinion and Political Behavior

Race, Gender, and Media

Race, Ethnicity, and Politics

State and Local Government

Legislative Politics

American Politics and Government

Research Design, Scope and Methods

Teaching Experience

Political Science 7935, Legislative Politics: Institutions (graduate), LSU Fall 2015.

Mass Communication 7000, Content Analysis (graduate) LSU Fall 2015.

Political Science 7935, Legislative Politics: Elections and Representation (graduate), LSU Spring 2015.
 Mass Communication 7004, News Media and Governance (graduate), LSU Spring 2015.
 Mass Communication 3333, Multiculturalism and Media, LSU Fall 2014.
 Political Science 7900, Proseminar in American Politics (graduate), LSU Fall 2014.
 Political Science 7903 Political Communication Seminar (graduate), LSU Spring 2014.
 Mass Communication 7033 Race, Gender, and Media (graduate), LSU, Spring 2014.
 Mass Communication 7001, Introduction to Research Methods (Graduate) LSU Fall 2013.
 Political Science 3998, Mass Media and American Politics, LSU Spring 2013.
 Mass Communication 7004, News Media and Governance (graduate), LSU Fall 2010/11/12.
 Political Science 7961, Approaches to Studying Social Science (graduate), LSU Fall 2010/11/12/13.
 Mass Communication 3405, Introduction to Political Communication, LSU, Spring 2009,2010.
 Mass Communication 3505, Media and the Policy Process, LSU, Fall 2008, Spring 2011/2013.
 Political Science 4030, Political Attitudes and Public Opinion, LSU, Fall 2008.
 Political Science 364, Media and Politics, Department of Political Science, SHSU, Spring 2007.
 Political Science 472, Public Opinion and Political Behavior, Department of Political Science, SHSU, Fall 2006, Spring 2007, Fall 2007, Spring 2008.
 Political Science 261, Intro to American Government, SHSU, Fall 2007, Spring 2008.
 Political Science 285, Intro to Public Policy, Department of Political Science, SHSU, Fall 2006.
 American Government 2302, Department of Government and Economics, HCC, 2004.

Former Students Advised on Theses and Dissertations

Alvarez, German, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis (Co-Chair, M.A. 12/10)
Kirzinger, Ashley, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Ph.D. Awarded 5/12)
LaPoe, Victoria, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Ph.D. Awarded 8/13)
Thornton, Matthew, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Ph.D. Awarded 8/12)
Vizcarrondo, Tom, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Chair, Ph.D. Awarded 8/13)
Wilkinson, Betina, LSU Department of Political Science, Dissertation (Ph.D. Awarded 5/10)
Padgett, Jeremy, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Chair) (Ph.D. Awarded 5/14)
Pfetzer, Emily, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Ph.D. Awarded 5/14)
Turcotte, Jason, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Ph.D. Awarded 5/14)
Briscoe, Andrea, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis (Chair) (Degree Awarded May 2015)
Christensen, Britt, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis (M.A. 05/11), Ph.D. Dissertation (2015)
Schmidt, Elle, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis (Degree Awarded May 2015)
Watson, Brian, LSU Department of Political Science, M.A. Thesis (Degree Awarded May 2015)
Leist, Lauren, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis (Degree Awarded May 2015)
Paul, Newly, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Chair) (Degree Awarded August 2015)
Mernard, Meghan, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis
Abad, Andrew, LSU Manship School, M.A. Thesis
Garcia, Carlos, LSU Political Science M.A.

Current Students Advising on Theses and Dissertations

Davis, Nick, LSU Department of Political Science, Ph.D. Dissertation
McCluskey, Lindsay, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation
Sui, Mingxiao, LSU Manship School, Ph.D. Dissertation (Co-Chair)

Grants and Funding Proposals

\$501,570 National Science Foundation CAREER Grant, "CAREER: Political News Content and Complex Information Environments." [SES [1255166](#) proposal not funded]

\$ 6,000 LSU College of Humanities and Social Sciences Summer Grant 2011
\$308,974 National Science Foundation [SES 1060449, proposal not funded]. (With Regina Lawrence, Melody Rose, and Christopher Weber) August 2010
\$17,000 Manship School Professorship (With Regina Lawrence and Christopher Weber) 2010-11
\$132,218 National Science Foundation [SES 0957934, proposal not funded]. (With Regina Lawrence and Melody Rose), August 2009
\$ 48,900 Louisiana Board of Regents ATLAS Grant [LEQSF(2009-2010)-RD-ATL-14]
\$ 5,000 LSU Summer Stipend Grant, Spring 2009
\$ 750 LSU Faculty Travel Grant, Spring 2009, 2012
\$ 500 LSU Junior Faculty Travel Grant, Fall 2008
\$ 4,960 Sam Houston State University Faculty Research Grant, 2006-2007
\$ 250 Southern Political Science Association Artinian Award Travel Grant, SPSA 2007
\$ 200 Graduate Travel Grant, Department of Political Science, Rice University, 2006
\$ 250 Southern Political Science Association Prestage-Cook Travel Award, SPSA 2006
\$ 250 Graduate Travel Grant, Department of Political Science, Rice University, 2006
\$ 350 Graduate Travel Grant, Department of Political Science, Rice University, 2005
\$ 200 Graduate Travel Grant, Department of Political Science, Rice University, 2005

Honors and Awards

\$8,000 Howard and Nantelle Mitchiner Gittinger Professorship, (LSU Manship School) 2015-16
\$8,500 William K. "Bill" Carville Professorship of Communication and Political Empowerment, (LSU Manship School) 2014-2015
\$7,000 William K. "Bill" Carville Professorship of Communication and Political Empowerment, (LSU Manship School) 2013-2014
\$ 7,000 Doris Westmoreland Darden Professorship (LSU Manship School) 2012-2013
\$ 5,750 Doris Westmoreland Darden Professorship (LSU Manship School) 2011-2012
\$17,000 Manship School Professorship (With Regina Lawrence and Christopher Weber) 2010-11

Professional Activities and Service to the Discipline

Reviewer, National Science Foundation
Reviewer, *Journal of Politics*
Reviewer, *American Journal of Political Science*
Reviewer, *American Political Science Review*
Reviewer, *Journal of Communication*
Reviewer, *Political Research Quarterly*
Reviewer, *Public Opinion Quarterly*
Reviewer, *Social Science Quarterly*
Reviewer, *American Politics Research*
Reviewer, International Communication Association
Reviewer, National Communication Association
Reviewer, NYU Press
Reviewer, *Harvard International Journal of Press/Politics*
Reviewer, *International Migration*
Reviewer, *Electoral Studies*
Reviewer, *Journal of Integrated Social Sciences*
Reviewer, *International Studies Quarterly*
Reviewer, *Politics & Policy*
Reviewer, Oxford University Press
Reviewer, Westview Press

2014-2016 Vice Chair, Political Communication Section, American Political Science Association.

2015 Program Committee Member, Southern Political Science Association. Section Head and Organizer for Section on Media and Politics, 2015 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA.

2013 Member: APSA-ICA Joint Publications Committee.

2013-2014 Executive Council Member – Southwestern Political Science Association.

2012 Political Communication Pre-Conference Program Chair – Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, September 2012.

2011 Program Committee Member, Western Political Science Association. Section Head and Organizer for Section on Media and Politics, 2011 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Antonio, TX.

2011 Invited Roundtable Panelist, Southern Political Science Association, “Notes from the Cracked Ceiling: Is White House Correspondent Anne E. Kornblut on Target?”

Panel Chair: “Stereotyping and Polarization: Media Coverage and Media Effects,” at the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 6-8, 2011.

Panel Discussant: “Audience Exposure to Media: Important Research Considerations,” at the APSA Political Communication Division Pre-Conference, “Power and Strategy in a New Communication Environment.” September 1, 2010, George Washington University.

Panel Discussant: “International News Content,” at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 22-25, 2010.

Panel Chair: “Psychology of Candidate Evaluation,” at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 22-25, 2010.

Panel Chair: at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Houston, TX March 31- April 3, 2010.

Invited Participant: NSF Workshop, Local Elections in America Project (LEAP) Workshop Macalester College, Saint Paul, MN, July 12-14, 2009.

2009 MPSA Program Committee Member, Section Head for Mass Media and Political Communication, 2009 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2-5, 2009.

Panel Chair: Political Communication Section, 2009 Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2-5, 2009.

Panel Discussant: Political Communication Section, 2009 Annual Meetings of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA January 10-12, 2009.

Panel Chair/Discussant: Experimental Research on Public Opinion, 2008 Annual Meetings of the Western Political Science Association, San Diego, CA March 20-22, 2008.

Panel Discussant: Public Opinion Section, 2008 Annual Meetings of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA January 10-12, 2008.

Panel Discussant: Race and Politics Section, 2008 Annual Meetings of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA January 10-12, 2008.

Manuscript Reviewer: International Communication Association Conference, 2007.

Immigration Working Group Participant: 2007 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 29-September 2, 2007.

Panel Discussant: Media Bias, Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 12-15, 2007.

Panel Chair: Agenda Setting and the Media, Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 20-23, 2006.

Workshop Attendee: New Methods for Studying Social Behavior in Political Science, Rice University, October 7-9, 2005

Conference Paper Presentations

“Partisan News Media and Congressional Elections: Beliefs about the Electorate and their Voting Behavior in the Era of Fox News.” (with Vin Arceneaux, Martin Johnson, and Ryan Vander Wielen) Presented at the 2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

Left to our Own Devices: News Engagement on Computers, Tablets, and Smartphones. (With Mingxiao Sui, Newly Paul, and Kathleen Searles) Presented at the 2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

“Partisan News Media and Congressional Elections: Beliefs about the Electorate and their Voting Behavior in the Era of Fox News.” (with Vin Arceneaux, Martin Johnson, and Ryan Vander Wielen) Presented at the 2016 Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Las Vegas, NV.

“Resurgent Mass Partisanship Revisited: The Role of Media Choice and Elite Polarization” (With Josh Darr and Nick Davis) Presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, January 7-9, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

“Gender Gaps in Response to Natural Disaster.” (With Christopher Kenney and Christopher Weber) Presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, January 7-9, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

“Sex and Sentiment in Statehouse Elections: Trait Coverage of Women Candidates at the Entry Level.” (With Paru Shah and Newly Paul.*) Presented at the 2016 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, January 7-9, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Does (Screen) Size Matter? News Engagement on Computers, Tablets, and Smartphones. (With Mingxiao Sui, Newly Paul, and Kathleen Searles) Presented at TPRC 43: The 43rd Research Conference on Communication, Information, and Internet Policy, Arlington VA, September 29-31, 2015.

“We will not air it: Journalists’ Decisions about Covering Terrorist Events.” (With David Sobek, Mingxiao Sui, Paromita Saha, Lauren Goodman, and Andrew Abad.) To be presented at the 13th annual APSA Pre-Conference on Political Communication, “#Disruption: Political Communication in a Digital Age,” Wednesday, September 2, 2015, at the University of San Francisco in San Francisco, CA.

"Political Leveler or Force for Normalization? The Effects of Internet Proliferation on Small and Niche Party Electoral Support" (with Joshua Potter) To be delivered at the Digital Media, Power, and Democracy in Election Campaigns Workshop, July 2-3, Washington, D.C. 2015.

“Making or Breaking Party Systems?” (With Josh Potter) Presented at the 2015 Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association. Chicago, IL, April 2015.

“Does Media Fragmentation Drive Elite Polarization? A State Level Analysis.” (With Nick Davis, Chris Weber, and Laura Kaehler) Presented at the 2015 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA January, 2015.

“Divided by Media? Examining Links between Media Choice, Elite Polarization, and Sorting” (with Nick Davis). Delivered at the 2014 Political Communication Pre-Conference, August 27, 2014, Washington, D.C .

“Political Advertising Content and the Content of Campaign News.” (With Jason Turcotte, Nick Davis, and Colin Ward). Presented at the 2014 Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association. Chicago, IL, April 2014.

“Manifest vs. Latent Gender Cues in Political Advertising.” (With Newly Paul) Presented at the 2014 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA.

“Political Advertising Context and Campaign News Coverage.” Presented at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August/September, 2013.

“Media Markets and Campaign News Slant.” Presented at the 2013 Annual Political Communication APSA Pre-Conference, Chicago, IL, August 28, 2013.

“Substance vs. Bias: Are Neutral Campaign News Stories Less Informative?” (With Jeremy Padgett and Rosanne Scholl) Presented at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 11-14, 2013.

“Predicting Favorable, Neutral, or Unfavorable News Coverage of Candidates.” Presented at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, March 27-30, 2013.

“Examining News Quality on Twitter.” (With Ashley Kirzinger and Kirby Goidel) Presented at the 2012 Annual Meeting of the AEJMC Conference, Chicago, IL.

“Candidate Agendas and News Agendas: Convergence or Divergence?” (With Amy Bradley) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 11-14, 2012.

“The Effects of Early Voting on Political Advertising.” (With Robert M. Stein) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the State Politics and Policy Association, Houston, TX, February 17, 2012.

“Gulf State Local News Coverage of the 2010 Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill.” (With Ashley Kirzinger, Robert K. Goidel, and Thomas Madison) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the State Politics and Policy Association, Houston, TX, February 18, 2012.

“Game Frame News Coverage, Electoral Context, and the Economic and Institutional Characteristics of Local News Media.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA, January 12, 2012.

“Corporate Media Ownership and Negativity in Campaign News Coverage.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA, November 18, 2011.

“The 2010 Gulf Oil Spill: A Very Local Story.” (With Ashley Kirzinger, Robert K. Goidel, and Thomas Madison) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA, November 18, 2011.

“The Effects of Early Voting on Political Advertising.” (With Robert M. Stein) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, September 1-4, 2011.

“Female Candidacy and Patterns in Local Campaign News Coverage.” (With Regina Lawrence, Melody Rose, and Chris Weber). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Antonio, TX, April 21-23, 2011.

“Early Voting News Cycles and Voter Competence.” (With Robert M. Stein) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL March 2011.

“Does Skin Color Shape Individuals’ Perceptions of Commonality and Competition with other Racial and Ethnic Groups?” (With Betina Wilkinson and James Garand) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL March 2011.

“Local News Framing the Gulf Oil Spill.” (With Ashley Kirzinger and Robert K. Goidel) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Las Vegas, NV, March 2011.

“Early Voting News Cycles and Voter Competence.” (With Robert M. Stein) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 2011.

“It’s all in the Name: Source Cue Ambiguity and the Persuasive Appeal of Campaign Ads.” (With Chris Weber and Tyler Johnson) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 2011.

“Early Voting and Campaign News Coverage.” (With Robert M. Stein) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 2-5, 2010.

“Examining Game Frame News Coverage as a Function of Electoral Context and the Economic and Institutional Characteristics of Local News Media.” (With Regina Lawrence) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 22-25, 2010.

“The Dynamics of Emotional Reactions to Political Campaign Ads.” (With Chris Weber) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 22-25, 2010.

“News Coverage of Women Candidates Across Political and Institutional Contexts.” (With Regina Lawrence and Melody Rose) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA April 1-3, 2010.

“Institutional Effects on the Information Quality of Campaign News.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association, Houston, TX March 31- April 3, 2010.

“What’s Fair? Exploring the Role of Theory of Mind in Economic Decision Making.” (With Chris Weber) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2-5, 2009.

“Corporate Media Ownership and Negativity in Political News Coverage.” Presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 10-12, 2009.

“Rebuilding or Intruding? Media Coverage and Public Opinion on Immigration in Louisiana.” (With Betina Wilkinson and Kirby Goidel) Presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 10-12, 2009.

“What’s in a Name? Political Action Committees as Source Cues in Negative Political Advertising.” (With Tyler Johnson) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, August 28-31, 2008.

“Good News and Bad News: The Differential Effects of Media Consumption on National and State-level Trust in Government.” (With Stacy G. Ulbig) Presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2008

“Media Coverage and Public Opinion on Immigration.” (With Marisa Abrajano and Regina Branton) Presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Diego, CA, March 20-22, 2008.

“English and Spanish Language Newspaper Coverage of Immigration: A Comparative Analysis.” (With Regina Branton) Presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 10-12, 2008.

“Examining Institutional and Political Influences on Slanted Campaign News Coverage.” Presented at the 2007 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 29-September 2, 2007.

“Different Agendas and Different Opinions? Local versus National News Coverage of Immigration.” (With Marisa Abrajano and Regina Branton) Presented at the 2007 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, August 29-September 2.

“Examining Institutional and Political Influences on Editorially-Driven Campaign Coverage.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2007.

“Consider the Source: Variations in the Effects of Attack Advertising.” (With Tyler Johnson) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2007.

“Targeting Audiences: Media Attributes and Biased News Coverage of Immigration.” (With Regina Branton) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 3-7, 2007.

“Agenda Setting in Action: Public Opinion and Immigration’s Move from Border Problem to National Problem.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 3-7, 2007.

“Geographic Media Agenda Setting: Spatial Proximity to the US-Mexico Border and Local News Coverage of Immigration Issues.” (With Regina Branton) Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 20-23, 2006.

“What Makes the News? Exploring the Determinants of Election Coverage in Local Television News.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Albuquerque, NM, March 16-18, 2006.

“What Makes the News? Exploring the Determinants of Newspaper Coverage in Local Political Elections.” Presented at the 2006 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Atlanta, GA, January 5-7 2006.

“The Disenfranchisement of the No-Motor Voter.” (With Gavin Dillingham) Presented at the April 2005 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

“Anglo Voting on Bilingual Education: the Partisan Nature of the Impact of Spatial Proximity to the Border of Mexico.” (With Regina Branton, Gavin Dillingham, and Beth Miller) Presented to the 2004 Politics of Latino Education Conference, University of Texas Austin, December 10-11.

“Changing Ideological Boots: Adaptive Legislative Behavior in Changing Districts.” (With Marvin King) Presented to the April 2001 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

“Illustrating the Impact of Redistricting with Congressional Voting Patterns” (With Marvin King) Presented to the March 2001 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Long Beach, CA.

Professional Associations

Member, American Political Science Association, 2004 to present.

Member, Midwest Political Science Association, 2001 to present.
Member, Southern Political Science Association, 2005 to present.
Member, Western Political Science Association, 2001 to present.
Member, Southwest Political Science Association, 2005 to present.
Member, International Communication Association, 2012 to present.
Member, National Communication Association, 2012 to present.

Research and Other Appointments

- Lead Research Assistant on the NSF funded project, “Collaborative Research: Decision-Making on Behalf of Others.” (SES #0350467) supervised by John R. Alford of Rice University and John R. Hibbing of the University of Nebraska, June 2004 – May 2006.
- Research Assistant, Department of Political Science, Rice University, 2002 – 2006.
- Undergraduate Advising Assistant, Department of Political Science, University of North Texas, August 2000-August 2002.

Departmental/College Service

Manship Graduate Committee
Manship Political Communication Search Committee (Chair)
Manship Ad-Hoc Committee on P&T Process Revisions
Political Science Research Committee (Chair)

University Service

LSU Special Committee on P&T Procedures for Joint Appointments
Inaugural LSU Faculty-in-Residence, West Campus, 2013-2014
LSU Beacon Mentor
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LSU CXC Mentor

Miscellaneous Invited Lectures and Talks

“Does (Screen) Size Matter? News Engagement on Computers, Tablets, and Smartphones.”
Keynote Address Pi Sigma Alpha Induction Ceremony, University of Massachusetts, Lowell,
March 29, 2016.

“Does (Screen) Size Matter? News Engagement on Computers, Tablets, and Smartphones.”
Delivered at University of Alabama, Department of Political Science, January 20, 2016.

“Divided by Media? Examining the Links between Media Choice, Elite Polarization, and
Sorting.” Delivered at the Texas A&M University, Department of Communication, April 30,
2015.

“Institutional Explanations for Partisan-Ideological Sorting,” Delivered at the University of
Houston, Department of Political Science, April 25, 2014.

“Essential Social Media Tips for College Students,” Delivered to residents of Kirby Smith
Residential Hall, LSU, January 29, 2014.

“Who Owns the News? Does Foreign Ownership Of U.S. Media Matter?” Delivered to Mass
Communication and Global Connections Residential College Students, LSU, February 6, 2014.

“The Issues of Immigration,” Part of IMMIGRATION: Issues and Experiences, An LSU Discussion, Hill Memorial Library, February 18, 2014.

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