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Education:

Carleton College, B.A., Government and International Relations, 1967.

University of Wisconsin-Madison, M.A., 1970; Ph.D., 1974.

Thesis: "Resources into Results? Congressional Campaigns in Marginal Seats" (Austin Ranney, advisor)

Professional Employment:

Professor, University of Kansas, 1989 -

Associate Professor, University of Kansas, 1982-1989

Assistant Professor, University of Kansas, 1979-1982

Assistant Professor, Knox College, 1975-1979

Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Summer, 1977

Visiting Assistant Professor, Indiana University, 1974-75

Lecturer, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1973-74

Administrative Experience/Professional Positions:

Member, Public Employees Review Board, State of Kansas, 2006-2010

Director of Administrative Communication, Office of Kansas Governor Kathleen Sebelius, 2005

Interim Director, Robert J. Dole Institute for Public Service and Public Policy, 1997-2000; Program Coordinator, 2000-1

Chair, Department of Political Science, University of Kansas, 1986-1990; 2003-4.

Director, Congressional Management Project, The American University, 1984-85. Administered \$150,000 project and produced 280-page book for newly-elected U.S. Representatives.

Director: KU Washington Semester Program, 1984-1991; KU Intern Programs, 1992-

Guest Scholar, Brookings Institution, 1984-85; 1996; 2000-1.

Awards/Honors:

Hall Center for the Humanities (KU) Fellow, 2008-9
Fulbright Senior Specialist, 2006
Kemper Foundation Teaching Award, 1996.
Pi Sigma Alpha Best Paper Award, Southwest Political Science Meetings, 1991.
American Political Science Association Congressional Fellow, 1975-76.

Funding

"The Fight of his Life: Bob Dole and the 1974 Senate Campaign," Dirksen Center, 2007 (\$3500)
"Civility, Discourse, and Deliberation in the U.S. Senate," Pew Trusts and Aspen Institute, 1998-9 (\$100,000)
Federal Appropriation for Dole Institute of Politics endowment/program fund, 1997, \$6,000,000
"The Republicans of the 104th Congress," Dirksen Center, 1996. (\$3000) [Ph.D. student funding]
"Rethinking the 'Citizen Legislature,'" University of Kansas 1992-93. (\$5000)
"Career Development in the Post-Reform House of Representatives," Dirksen Center, 1983. (\$3000)
"Congressional Careers and Party Leadership," The Dirksen Center, 1981. (\$3000)

Selected Courses Taught:

U.S. Congress	Formulation of Public Policy
Scope of Public Policy	Elections and Voting Behavior
Political Parties	Legislatures in the U.S.
Introduction to U.S. Politics	Seminar on Institutions and Public Policy
Interest Group Politics	Public Opinion
Intern Seminars (Washington and Topeka)	Politics of Kansas
Politics and Literature	

Publications:

Books:

The First Shots of the Culture Wars: Politics, Institution, and Change (University of Kansas Press), forthcoming

Guide to Interest Groups and Lobbying, editor (CQ Press), forthcoming

Choosing a President, co-editor (Chatham House), 2002

Republic on Trial, co-author (CQ Press), 2002

Esteemed Colleagues: Civility and Deliberation in the United States Senate, editor (Brookings Institution Press), 2001

A New Public Perspective on Representative Democracy: A Guide for Legislative Interns (Denver: National Conference of State Legislatures), co-author, 2000; revised as The Case for Representative Democracy, 2001

The Sound of Money (New York: W. W. Norton), 1999 (with Darrell West).

The Contemporary Congress (New York: St. Martin's), 1996; second ed., 1998; 3rd ed., 2000; 4th ed., 2003; 5th ed., 2005.

Time, Politics and Policies: A Legislative Year (Lawrence: University of Kansas Press), 1994; reprinted with new preface, 2001.

The New American Politician: Ambition, Entrepreneurship and the Changing Face of Political Life (New York: Basic Books), 1988. (Paperback edition, with new introduction, 1990).

Interest Group Politics, (Washington: CQ Press), 1983, co-editor; 2nd ed., 1986; 3rd ed., 1991; 4th ed., 1995; 5th ed., 1999; 6th ed., 2002; 7th ed., 2007

American Politics: Classic and Contemporary Readings [annotated reader in American politics], (Boston: Houghton-Mifflin), 1989, co-editor; 2nd ed., 1992; 3rd ed., 1995; 4th ed., 1998; 5th ed., 2001; 6th ed., 2004; 7th ed., 2008

Setting Course: A Congressional Management Guide (Washington, D.C.: American Univ. Press), 1984; 2nd ed., 1986; 3rd ed., 1988, co-author.

American Politics: The People and the Polity (Boston: Little, Brown), co-author, 1978; 2nd ed., 1982.

Articles:

“Resolved, the No Cup of Coffee rule should be adopted in the nation's capital,” in Debating Reform (forthcoming)

“Resolved, The president should be elected directly by the people,” in Richard J. Ellis and Michael Nelson, eds., Debating the Presidency: Conflicting Perspectives on the American Executive, Washington: CQ Press, 2nd ed. 2009.

“Blue Dog Democrats: Lead dogs or Mythical Beasts?” *Extensions*, Carl Albert Center, Spring 2009

“Growing Larger, Going Abroad, Getting Acquired: D.C. Lobbying as an Industry and a Cash-Flow Source,” (co-author) in Interest Groups & Lobbying: Volume One - The United States, and Comparative Studies, Conor McGrath, ed., Edwin Mellin Press (2009)

“Modificando el mapa político en 2008: Obama, McCain, y el College Electoral,” in Las Elecciones Presidenciales de los Estados Unidos, Luis Savino, editor, Fundacion Centro de Estudios Americanos” (2008)

“The American Presidential Election: Lessons from a Historic Campaign,” Malaysian Association for American Studies journal, April, 2008

“Interest Groups and the Presidency [9000 word essay],” Oxford Encyclopedia of the Presidency, George Edwards, ed. (2008)

“Does K Street Run Through Capitol Hill? Lobbying Congress in the Republican Era,” in Interest Group Politics, 7th ed., Allan Cigler and Burdett Loomis, eds., Washington: CQ Press, 2007

“Organized Interests, Political Parties, and Representation: James Madison, Tom DeLay, and the Soul of American Politics,” in Interest Group Politics, 7th ed., Allan J. Cigler and Burdett Loomis, eds., Washington: CQ Press, 2007

“From the Framing to the Fifties: Lobbying in Constitutional and Historical Contexts,” in Extensions (Journal of Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center), Fall, 2006

“Qualified Exceptionalism: The US Congress in Comparative Perspective,” (co-author), Journal of Legislative Studies Volume 12, Number 3-4 / September-December 2006, pp. 258 – 290.

“Resolved, The president should be elected directly by the people,” in Richard J. Ellis and Michael Nelson, eds., Debating the Presidency: Conflicting Perspectives on the American Executive, Washington: CQ Press, 2006.

“Bob Dole: Driven to Perform, Destined to Motivate,” in Virgil Dean, ed., Kansans Who Made a Difference: Agitators, Motivators, and Innovators (Lawrence: University Press of Kansas), 2005

“Lobbying in the United States: Growth of an Industry,” in Phil Harris, ed., The Handbook of Public Affairs, Sage, 2005

“‘Accentuating the Positive’:” Personality, Polling, and Party in Kansas 3,” in *Running on Empty? Campaign Discourse in Congressional Elections*, L. Sandy Maisel and Darrell West, eds. (Rowman and Littlefield, 2004)

“A Tax Is a Tax, No Matter How It’s Paid,” Kansas Government Journal, September 2003

“From Hootie to Harry (and Louise): Interest Groups and Polling,” Brookings Review, Summer 2003

“Interest Groups,” in Robert Singh, Governing America (Oxford, 2003)

“Members of Congress and the Two Permanent Campaigns,” Extensions (Journal of Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center), Spring 2002

“The Kansas Christian Right and the Evolution of Republican Politics,” in John Green, James Guth, Clyde Wilcox, The Christian Right in American Politics (Georgetown University Press, 2003), co-author.

“Interests, Lobbying, and the U.S. Congress: Past as Prologue,” in Interest Group Politics, 6th ed., edited by Allan J. Cigler and Burdett A. Loomis, 6th ed (CQ Press)

“Always Involved, Rarely Central: Organized Interests in American Politics,” in Interest Group Politics, 6th ed., ed. by Allan J. Cigler and Burdett A. Loomis (CQ Press), 381-392 (co-author)

“Governmental Institutions and the Electoral College” and “The Electoral College as Reigning Champion,” in Choosing a President (co-author)

“Congress and Interest Groups in the 20th Century,” “in Congress in the 20th Century, Sunil Ahuja and Robert Dewhirst (Ohio State University Press), 2003.

“Wading Knee Deep in Words, Words, Words’: Senatorial Rhetoric in the Johnson and Clinton Impeachment Trials,” Congress and the Presidency, Winter 2001-2.

“The Changing Interest Group Universe in Midwestern Politics,” and “The Midwest in American in American Politics,” “ in Encyclopedia of the Midwest (Indiana University Press, 2002)

“Obstacle Course on Capitol Hill: The Senate’s Role in Confirmations,” in G. Calvin McKenzie, ed., Reforming the Presidential Appointments Process (Brookings, 2001)

“The Senate and Executive Branch Appointments: An Obstacle Course on Capitol Hill?” in Brookings Review (Spring, 2001)

“Senate Leaders, Minority Voices: From Dirksen to Daschle,” in Colton Campbell and Nicol Rae, eds., The Contentious Senate (Rowman and Littlefield, 2001)

“Explaining Impeachment: The Exceptional Institution Confronts the Unique Experience,” in Bruce I. Oppenheimer, ed., The Senate as Exceptional Institution (Ohio State U. Press, 2002)

“The Kansas 3rd District: The ‘Pros from Dover’ Set Up Shop,” in James Thurber, ed. The Battle for Congress (Brookings Institution Press, 2001)

“Lawrence Politics: Three Themes, Four Notions, and a Handful of Stories” in Dennis Domer, Lawrence: Biography of a City (University of Kansas Continuing Education, 2001)

"Civility and Deliberation in the Senate: A Linked Pair?" in Esteemed Colleagues: Civility and Deliberation in the United States Senate (Brookings Institution Press, 2000)

"The Never-Ending Story: Campaigns without Elections," in The Permanent Campaign, Thomas Mann and Norman Ornstein, eds. (American Enterprise Institute Press, 2000)

"The Politics of Vouchers," in C. Eugene Steuerle, et. al, eds., Vouchers and Related Delivery Mechanisms (Urban Institute Press and Brookings Institution Press, 2000)

"Bob Dole" and "Alfred Landon" entries in The Encyclopedia of the Great Plains, David Wishart, editor (University of Nebraska Press)

"After the Flood: The Kansas Christian Right in Retreat," in Mark Rozell and Clyde Wilcox, eds., Prayers in the Precincts, (Georgetown University Press, 2000), with Allan Cigler

"The Continuing Importance of Member Enterprises in the U.S. House of Representatives," and "Large Classes, New Members and Party Leaders in the U.S. House of Representatives," (with Tim Barnett) in Parliamentary Leaders and Members: The Delicate Balance, Working Papers vol. IV, Research Committee of Legislative Specialists (Appleton, Wis.: Lawrence University, 1999)

"Parties, Interests, and Narratives: The Decline of Deliberation," in On Parties: Essays Honoring Austin Ranney, Nelson Polsby and Raymond Wolfinger, eds.(Berkeley: Institute for Governmental Studies), 2000.

"From Big Bird to Bill Gates: Organized Interests and the Emergence of Hyperpolitics," in Interest Group Politics, 5th ed., 389-404. (with Allan Cigler)

"Taking Organization Seriously: The Structure of Interest Group Influence, in Interest Group Politics, 5th ed. (with Brian Anderson), 83-96

"Congress: A Semester-long Simulation," The Political Science Educator, Winter, 1998.

"The Christian Right in Kansas" in Mark Rozell and Clyde Wilcox, eds., God at the Grass Roots: The Christian Right and the 1996 Elections (Rowan and Littlefield, 1998).

"The 104th Republicans: Of Classes and Cannon Fodder: in Legislative Studies Section, Extension of Remarks(with Tim Barnett), January, 1997.

"Grassroots Lobbying" and "Public Relations and Advertising" entries in Handbook on Literature and Research on Interest Groups

"Choosing to Advertise: How Interests Decide," with Eric Sexton, in Interest Group Politics, 4th ed. (Washington: CQ Press, 1995), 193-194.

"Contemporary Interest Group Politics: More Than 'More of the Same,'" Interest Group Politics, 4th ed. (Washington: CQ Press, 1995), 393-407.

"Everett M. Dirksen" and "Qualifications of Members of Congress" in Encyclopedia of the U.S. Congress (New York: Simon and Schuster, 1994).

"Organizational Change and the Centrifugal Congress," The American Review of Politics 14 (Fall, 1993).

"Agendas and Entrepreneurs: What You See and What You Get," in State Policy Problems, Fred A. Meyer, Jr., and Ralph Baker, eds. (Chicago: Nelson-Hall), pp. 3-23 (With Anthony Nownes), 1993.

"The Motivational Basis of Legislative Service," in The Encyclopedia of the American Legislative System, Joel Sibley, ed., (New York: Scribner's, 1993).

"Being There: Research in a State Legislature," in Extension of Remarks, Legislative Studies Newsletter (May, 1992).

"Business-Industry Political Action Committee" and "Democratic Advisory Committee" in Encyclopedia of American Political Parties and Elections, Charles Bassett and L. Sandy Maisel, eds. (Garland, 1992).

"Kansas: Two-Party Competition in a One-Party State," in Maureen Moakley, Party Realignment in The States (Columbus: Ohio State U. Press), 1992, co-author, pp. 163-178.

"Everett Dirksen," in First Among Equals: Senate Leadership in the 20th Century, Richard Baker and Roger Davidson, eds. (Washington: CQ Press, 1991).

"Organized Interests and the Search for Certainty," Interest Group Politics, 3rd ed., 1991, with Allan Cigler

"Taking the Queue: Careers and Policy in the U.S. House of Representatives," in Moshe Czudnowski and Harold Clarke, eds., Political Elites in Anglo-American Democracies (Northern Illinois Press, 1987).

"Legislative Management: Emerging Reality or a Contradiction in Terms?" State and Local Government Review (Winter, 1985-86).

"Coalitions of Interests: Building Bridges in the Balkanized State", in Interest Group Politics,

2nd ed., Allan Cigler and Burdett Loomis, eds. (Washington: CQ Press, 1986).

"Moving On: Interests, Power, and Politics in the 1980s", in Interest Group Politics, 2nd ed., with Allan Cigler.

"The Changing Congressional Career," in Lawrence Dodd and Bruce Oppenheimer, Congress Reconsidered, 3rd ed.(Washington: CQ Press, 1985) with Charles Bullock, III.

"Interest Groups in American Politics," in Neal Tannanil, American Politics (Glenview, Illinois: Scott Foresman, 1985)

"On Knife's Edge: Public Officials and the Life Cycle," PS (Summer, 1984), pp. 536-543

"Congressional Careers and Party Leadership in the Contemporary House of Representatives," American Journal of Political Science February, 1984, pp. 180-201. [Reprinted in The Congress of the United States, 1789-1989 (New York: Carlson, 1991.)]

"Introduction: The Changing Nature of Interest Group Politics", in Interest Group Politics, pp.1-30.(Reprinted, David Kozak and John Macartney, eds., Congress and Public Policy, 2nd ed.; in Robert Harmel, ed., Readings in American Politics; Allan Cigler and Burdett Loomis, eds., American Politics.) [updated in five editions of Interest Group Politics]

"A New Era: Groups and The Grassroots", in Interest Group Politics, pp. 169-190.

"The 'Me' Decade and the Changing Context of House Leadership," in Understanding Congressional Leadership (Washington: CQ Press, 1982), pp. 157-179.

"New Members in a Changing Congress: Norms, Actions, and Satisfactions," Congressional Studies, (1981, co-author), pp. 81-94.

"Congressional Caucuses and the Politics of Representation," in Congress Reconsidered (2nd edition), Lawrence Dodd and Bruce Oppenheimer, eds. (Washington: CQ Press, 1981).

"The Congressional Office as a Small(?) Business," Publius: The Journal of Federalism, Summer, 1979, pp. 35-55.

"Responsiveness to Citizen Preferences and Societal Problems in American Communities," (co-author) South Atlantic Urban Studies Annual, 1978.

Op-Eds/Columns/Commentary

How Kathleen Sebelius Got Lucky," *The Daily Beast*, March 4, 2009

"The Greening of Kansas," Politico, February 13, 2007

Biweekly Columnist, *Topeka Capital-Journal*, 2000-2; Harris Newspaper Chain, 2002-4

Commentator, KANU-FM, 1986-1995

"For Argument's Sake," *Kansas Alumni*, Summer, 2001.

"Clinton Legacy – It's Up to the Historians," *Newsday*, March 6, 2001.

"Gephardt Is Both Winner and Loser in the House," *Newsday*, November 15, 2000

"Hill still divided along deeply partisan lines," *The Hill*, January 3, 2001

"Legislature Needs to Go a Step Further on Lobbying," *The Topeka Capital-Journal*, May 7, 2000.

"Impeachment: Gone, and Mostly Forgotten," *The Hill*, January 12, 2000.

"Guest Observer," *Roll Call*, October 10, 1988.

Book Review Essays:

"Outside The Beltway, Inside the Classroom," *Roll Call*, August 4, 1997. (seven books)

Barbara Sinclair, The Transformation of The U.S. Senate, and Steven Smith, Call to Order: Floor Politics in The House and Senate, in Congress and The Presidency, Winter, 1990.

"Expressions of 'Interest': A Review Essay." Jeffery Berry, The Interest Group Society; Andrew McFarland, Common Cause; and Graham Wooten, Interest Groups: Policy and Politics in America, in Western Political Quarterly (December, 1986).

Gerald M. Pomper, et al. The Election of 1980, and Austin Ranney, ed., The American Elections of 1980, and Paul Abramson, John Aldrich, David Rohde, Change and Continuity in the 1980 Elections, in Policy Studies Review (August, 1982).

Theodore White, Making of the President 1972 and Hunter S. Thompson, Fear and Loathing: On the Campaign Trail '72, in Wisconsin Magazine of History, (Summer 1974).

Book Reviews:

Richard Skinner, More than Money: Interest Group Action in Congressional Elections (The Forum, on-line)

Sally Friedman, Dilemmas of Representation: Local Politics, National Factors, and the Home Styles of Modern U.S. Congress Members in Political Science Quarterly (2008)

Gary Mucciaroni and Paul Quirk, Deliberative Choices in Political Communication, 2008

Mark Crispin Miller, Fooled Again: How the Right Stole the 2004 Election and Why They'll Steal the Next One Too in Perspectives on Political Science, 2006

Bob Dole, One Soldier's Story in Great Plains Review, Summer 2006

Kevin M. Esterling, The Political Economy of Expertise: Information and Efficiency in American National Politics in Perspectives on Political Science, Spring 2006

Peter L. Francia, Paul S. Herrnson, John C. Green, Lynda W. Powell and Clyde Wilcox, The Financiers of Congressional Elections: Investors, Ideologues, and Intimates in Political Science Quarterly (Winter 2004-5)

Diana Dwyre and Victoria Farrar-Myers, Legislative Labyrinth in Perspectives on Political Science, 2001

Richard F. Fenno, Jr. Congress at the Grassroots in American Political Science Review (June, 2000)

William Mayer and David Canon, The Dysfunctional Congress, in Perspectives on Political Science (Winter,2000)

Nicol Rae, Conservative Reformers: The Republican Freshmen and the Lessons of the 104th Congress, in Congress and the Presidency (Summer, 1999)

Susan Webb Hammond, Congressional Caucuses in National Policy Making, in American Political Science Review, Winter, 1998

Barbara Sinclair, Unorthodox Lawmaking (Washington: CQ Press), in Perspectives on Political Science, Summer, 1998.

Karen Kedrowski, Media Entrepreneurs and the Media Enterprise in the U.S. Congress, in American Political Science Review, December, 1997.

Warren Rudman, Combat, Presidential Studies Quarterly, Summer, 1998

Alan Ehrenhalt, The Lost City, Kansas City Star (January, 1996).

Charles Wesley Harris, Congress and the Governing of the Nation's Capital, in Perspectives on Political Science (Spring, 1996).

John Berg, Unequal Struggle: Class, Gender, Race and Power in the U.S. Congress, in

Perspectives on Political Science (Winter, 1995-6).

Barbara Sinclair, Leaders, Legislators, and Lawmaking, in Congress and the Presidency, (Fall, 1995).

Paul Sabatier, Advocacy Coalitions in American Politics, in Perspectives on Political Science (Spring, 1995).

Jake Thompson, Bob Dole: The Republicans' Man For All Seasons in Kansas City Star (October 2, 1994).

Forrest McDonald, The American Presidency in Kansas City Star (February 27, 1994).

Mark Petracca, ed., The Politics of Interests in American Political Science Review (Spring, 1993).

John Hibbing, Congressional Careers in Journal of Interdisciplinary History (Spring, 1993).

Steven Hess, Live From Capitol Hill in Perspectives on Political Science (Spring, 1994).

David Canon, Athletes, Actors, and Astronauts in Journal of Politics, (November, 1991).

Randall Strahan, New Ways and Means, in Perspectives on Political Science (Spring, 1991) and Political Science Quarterly (Summer, 1991).

Christopher Foreman, Signals From The Hill, in Journal of Politics, (February, 1990).

Christopher Deering, ed. Congressional Politics, in Perspective, (Spring, 1989).

Kay Lawson and Peter H. Merkl, eds., When Parties Fail, in Perspective (Summer, 1988).

James W. Doig and Erwin C. Hargrove, eds., Leadership and Innovation, Entrepreneurs in Government, in Policy Studies Journal (Spring, 1988).

Marshall Kaplan and Peggy Cuciti, eds., The Great Society and Its Legacy, in Perspective (March/April, 1987).

John Johannes, To Serve the People, in American Political Science Review (September, 1986).

Frank P. Mintz, The Liberty Lobby and the American Right, in Perspective (September, 1985).

Terry Sullivan, Procedural Structure, in American Political Science Review (September, 1985).

Edward Pressen, The Log Cabin Myth, in Review of Politics (April, 1985).

James Deakin, Straight Stuff: The Reporters, the White House, and The Truth, in Perspectives

(May/June, 1984).

Seymour Martin Lipset, Political Man, rev. ed., in American Political Science Review (June, 1983).

Gary Jacobson and Sam Kernell, Strategy and Choice in Congressional Elections, in American Political Science Review (September, 1983).

Convention Papers/Manuscripts

“Culture Wars and the Death of Traditional State Legislative Politics,” Midwest Political Science Association paper, 2008, with Dennis Chanay

“ ‘Tom DeLay, E.E. Schattschneider, and James Madison Walk into a Bar’: Parties and Interests in a Republican Era,” APSA paper, 2006

“Does K Street Run Through Capitol Hill? Lobbying in a Republican Era,” 2006 Midwest Political Science Association paper

“Collecting Women: Art, Gender, Politics, and Narratives,” paper prepared for Fall 2003 Hall Center for the Humanities Colloquium on Collections and Collecting

“Doing Good, Doing Well, and (Shhhhh!) Having Fun: A Supply-Side Approach to Lobbying,” American Political Science Association paper, 2003

“Organized Interests, Lobbying, and the Industry of Politics: A Preliminary Report,” Midwest Political Science Association paper, 2003 (co-author)

“Placing Organized Interests: The Popular Orphan of Political Science,” paper presented at European Consortium for Political Science, Canterbury, England, September, 2001 (w/ Allan Cigler)

“The Politics of Opposition: Party Leadership in an Electoral Age,” paper presented at 2001 Midwest Political Science Association meetings

“The Politics Industry as an Organized Interest,” paper presented at Penn State working group on interest groups, March 31, 2001.

“Coming Into the Country: Entering the U.S. House, 1974-2000”, paper presented at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, November 17, 2000.

“ ‘Wading Knee Deep in Words, Words, Words’: Senatorial Rhetoric in the Johnson and Clinton Impeachment Trials,” Midwest paper, with Lee Sigelman and Chris Deering

“Senate Leaders, Minority Voices: From Dirksen to Daschle,” paper presented conference on “The

- Myth of 'Cool' Judgment? Partisanship and Ideology in the Contemporary Senate," Florida International University, North Miami, Florida, January 22, 2000.
- "Explaining Impeachment: The Senators Speak," paper presented at 1999 Southern Political Science Association meeting, Savannah, Georgia, November 4-7.(with Chad Kniss)
- "The Senate and Impeachment: Explaining the Unique Responsibility of the Exceptional Institution," paper presented at the Norman Thomas conference on the Senate, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, October 21-23, 1999
- "After the Flood: The Kansas Christian Right in Retreat," paper presented at 1999 Midwest Political Science Association meetings, Chicago, Illinois, April 15-7, 1999.
- "The Kansas 3rd District: The Pros from Dover Set Up Shop," paper prepared for Center for Congressional and Presidential Studies conference (Washington, D.C.) on campaign managers and consultants, December, 1998
- "The Politics of Vouchers," Brookings/CED/Urban Institute conference Washington, October, 1998
- "Class and Community in the U.S. House: The Watergate Babies and the Republican Revolutionaries," paper presented at the 1998 American Political Science Association meetings, Boston
- "Be Careful of What You Wish For: New Members and Party Leaders in the U.S. House of Representatives," Research Committee of Legislative Specialists Conference, Slovenia, July 1998.
- "The Congressional Enterprise: The Continuing Strength of the Individual Member of the U.S. House," Research Committee of Legislative Specialists, Budapest, July 1998.
- "The Christian Right in Kansas:1996," Midwest Political Science Association, 1997.
- "Interests Narratives and Deliberation: 'Saving Medicare' and Passing Kennedy and Kassebaum," American Political Science Association paper, 1996.
- "Narratives and Networks: Telecommunications Lobbying, 1992-1996," Midwest Political Science Association paper, 1996.
- "Interested Advertising: Paid Advocacy and the Scope of Conflict," Midwest Political Science Association paper, 1995.
- "Marketing as Advocacy: Advertising by Elites for Elites," Midwest Political Science Association paper with Eric Sexton, 1994.
- "How Interests Decide: The Modest (But Interesting) case of Advertising," American Political Science

- Association paper, 1993.
- "Narratives and Nuances: Understanding the U.S. Senate," American Political Science Association paper, 1992.
- "Political Lives, Political Institutions, and Narrative, Hall Center Seminar, 1991.
- "Of Time and the Legislative River," Southwest Political Science Association paper, 1991.
- "Trends, Cycles, and Endgames: Legislative Implications of Political Time," Midwest Political Science Association, 1991.
- "'Hidden Hand' or 'No Hand?' Eisenhower, Domestic Policy, and Senate Republicans," American Political Science Association paper, 1991.
- "Everett Dirksen," American Political Science Association paper, 1990.
- "Eisenhower and The Fashioning of Senate Republican Leadership," presented at "Ike's America" Conference, Univ. of Kansas, 1990.
- "Minority Party Leadership in The Dirksen and Dole Eras," Carl Albert Center, Norman, OK, 1990.
- "Everett Dirksen and The Evolution of The Senate Minority Leadership," Symposium on Senate Party Leadership, Washington, D.C., 1990.
- "The Political Careers of American State Legislators," Midwest Political Science Association, 1990.
- "Agendas and Entrepreneurs: What You See and What You Get", American Political Science Association, 1989.
- "Political Skills and Proximate Goals: Career Development in The House of Representatives," American Political Science Association, 1988.
- "The Congressional Office as Enterprise," Midwest Political Science Association paper, 1987 (co-author).
- "The 'New Style' House Member and Legislative Policymaking," American Political Science Association paper, 1985.
- "Business Groups in the Public Sector: The U.S. in Comparative Perspective," Southern Political Science Association paper, 1983.
- "Congressmen and their Careers: Muddling toward a Theory," American Political Science Association paper, 1982.

"Congressional Careers, Legislative Behavior, and Policy Outcomes," Midwest Political Science Association paper, 1982.

"Group Representation in Congress: New variations on an Honored Theme" paper, Social Science History Convention, 1981.

"Policy Speculation and the Congress: An Issues-based Approach," 1980 American Political Science Association paper, 1980.

"The 'Me' Decade and the Changing Context of House Leadership," Dirksen Center conference on "Understanding Congressional Leadership," June, 1980.

"Constituents as Citizens, and Vice-Versa," NEH seminar on "The Status of a Citizen," 1980.

"How Like a Senator: The House Member Today"

"Class, Career, and Change: 'New' Members Enter the 'New' House," American Political Science Association, 1979.

"Informal Groups in the House: The Case of the New Members Caucus," Midwest Political Science Association paper, 1978.

"Change in the House of Representatives: Actions and Reactions of Freshman Democrats in the 94th Congress," Midwest Political Science Association, 1977.

"The Congressional Office as a Small (?) Business," American Political Science Association, 1976.

"Mass Participation, Political Structure, and Policy Responsiveness in American Communities: The Case of Spending Levels and Priorities," American Political Science Association paper, 1975.

"Policy Responsiveness: A Reconceptualization and an Empirical Test." Southern Political Science Association, 1975.

Research Grants

"The Fight of his Life: Bob Dole and the 1974 Senate Campaign," Dirksen Center, 2007

"The Rise of the Culture Wars and Congressional Redistricting," KU Undergraduate Research Award

"Civility, Discourse, and Deliberation in the U.S. Senate," Pew Charitable Trusts and Aspen Institute,

1998-9 (\$100,000)

Federal Appropriation for Dole Institute of Politics endowment/program fund, 1997, \$6,000,000

"The Republicans of the 104th Congress," Dirksen Center, 1996. (\$3000)

"Rethinking the 'Citizen Legislature,'" University of Kansas 1992-93. (\$5000)

"Strategic Politicians and Agenda Setting: A Year in Political Time," University of Kansas, 1988-9.

"Contemporary National Politicians: Policy Entrepreneurs and Political Enterprises," U of Kansas, 1986-87.

"Political Careers: A Contemporary Re-evaluation," University of Kansas, 1984-85.

"Career Development in the Post-Reform House of Representatives," Dirksen Center, 1983.(\$3000)

"Toward Understanding Political Careers: A 'Calculus' of Decision," University of Kansas, 1982-3.

"Congressional Careers and Party Leadership," The Dirksen Center, 1981.(\$3000)

"Who Wins? Four Models of Explaining Political Campaign Success." University of Kansas, 1980-1.

"The Changing Nature of Representation in American Legislative Politics." U of Kansas, 1979-80.

Selected Invited Presentations

"Kathleen Sebelius and HHS," Lehrer News Hour, March 2, 2009

"American Politics and the Obama Administration," State Department Lectures in Iraq (Kurdistan),
February 2009

"National Politics and the Obama Administration," Kansas Health Foundation, January, 2009

"The 2008 Elections in the United States," State Department lectures in China, September, 2008

"Debating the Electoral College," Haunenstein Center for Presidential Studies, Grand Valley State
University, April 24, 2008

"Politics in the United States: The 2008 Elections and Beyond," State Department lectures in Malaysia
and Singapore, February, 2008

"Politics in the United States: 1960s-2006," Fulbright Seminar for Young Leaders, Rio Cuarto,
Argentina, August 18-25, 2006

- “Cooperation, Not Confrontation: The State as Facilitator,” Keynote Address, KUCIMAT conference, April 27, 2006
- “Are Issue Ads Effective?” Annenberg Center conference, “Issue Advertising in the 108th Congress,” National Press Club in Washington, DC, March 16, 2005
- “The Media, Politics, and the Public,” lecture at Bethany College, Lindsborg, Kansas, January 25, 2005
- “The American Elections of 2004: A Series of Lectures and Talks,” State Department Program, Mexico City, Mexico, September 26 – October 2, 2004.
- “Politics in the United States, 1960s-1990s,” State Department American Studies Seminar for University Professors, Brasilia, Brazil, July 23- August 2, 2004
- “Congress, Civility and Polarization,” The Stennis Center Seminar for Senior Congressional Staff, Washington, DC, February 4, 2004
- “The Challenge of Representative Democracy,” The Dirksen Center for Congressional Leadership, Pekin, Illinois, July 28-29, 2003
- “The Industry of Politics and the Decline of Deliberation,” Department of Political Science, University of Missouri, December 3-4, 2002
- “Coming Into the Country: Entering the U.S. House, 1974-2000”, paper presented at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, November 17, 2000
- “The 2000 Elections,” KCPT/Johnson County Community College forum, November 8, 2000
- “What Happened in the 2000 Elections? And Why Should We Care?” Speech for Kansas Bankers Association, Wichita, KS, November 9, 2000
- “Multiple office-holding and the Separation of Powers,” Testimony before the Kansas 2000 Select Committee, March 7, 2000
- “Organized Interests and the Permanent Campaign,” AEI conference on “Transition to Government,” April 30, 1999, Washington, D.C.
- Kansas Interim Committee on Campaign Finance, testimony on campaign finance and contemporary politics, October 14, 1998
- “Is Kansas a Two-Party State? (And if so, what are the two parties?),” Wichita Democratic Party, November, 1997.

"Kansas Politics in State and Nation," Kansas House Democratic Caucus dinner, January, 1997.

"The Aftermath of the Election," Kansas Society of Association Executives, 1996.

"The Kansas Political Scene," Washburn University, 1996.

"A Political Revolution," speech to 1995 convention of Kansas Motor Carriers Association (Sept., 1995).

"The American Political Tradition: History, Politics, and the '92 Election" seminar and assorted lectures, University of West Indies (Barbados), St. Vincent, St. Lucia (March, 1992).

"The Virtues of State Legislative Research," Wichita State University Pi Sigma Alpha Awards Banquet, (May, 1991).

"Personal Staff and the State Legislator," Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, Senior State Legislative Staff Institute (July, 1990).

"The Political Careers of American State Legislators," Eagleton Institute of Politics Conference at State Legislatures, Williamsburg, Virginia (April, 1990).

University of Missouri, Political Science Colloquium: "New Breed Legislators in an Oligarchic House: Doing What's Wright" (March, 1989).

Universities of Rio Grande do Sul and Pontificia Catholic, Porto Alegre, Brazil, lectures on American politics (August, 1989).

Kansas State Legislature, interim committee, testimony on the "citizen legislature" (September, 1989).

Editor: Extension of Remarks, Legislative Studies Newsletter, 1996-2003

Editorial Boards:

Legislative Studies Quarterly, 1992-1994

Congress and the Presidency, 1984-

American Politics Quarterly, 1984-7.

American Journal of Political Science, 1983-8.

Reviewer:

A. Publishers

Princeton

Chicago

Allyn and Bacon

B. Scholarly

Journal of Politics

Legislative Studies Quarterly

American Political Science Review

Random House
CQ Press
Longman
Brooks/Cole
Oxford
Norton
Univ. Press of Kansas
Arizona
Pittsburgh
Greenwood
Hill and Wang
Prentice-Hall
State University of New York
Vanderbilt
Cambridge
St. Martin's
University of Oklahoma
Ohio State University
Brookings
John Wiley
Columbia
University of Rochester

Western Political Quarterly
National Science Foundation
Social Science Quarterly
State and Local Government Review
Advisory Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs
Polity
American Politics Quarterly
American Journal of Political Science
National Endowment for the Humanities
Social Science Journal
Policy Studies Review
Policy Studies Quarterly
Public Administration Review
Administration and Society
Journal of American History
Kansas History Journal
Political Communication
Political Studies
Henry Holt
Scott Foresman/Little Brown
NYU
Nebraska

Chair, Ph.D. Committees

Jeremy Walling, 2005
Eric Sexton, 2002

Tim Barnett, 1998

Scott Dering, 1996 Yoojong Jeon, 2001

Professional Affiliations and Offices:

Member: American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association
Southern Political Science Association
Congressional Fellowship Alumni Association
APSA Subfields: Legislative Studies, Parties and Organized Interests; Politics&Literature

Offices: Chair, Southern Political Science Association Interest Group program section, 2005
Chair, Rosenthal Prize Committee, APSA Legislative Studies Section, 2003-4
Political Organizations and Parties Executive Committee, 2000-2002.
Political Organizations and Parties Eldersveld Prize Committee, 2000, 2001 (chair)
Section Chair, American Political Science Association program committee, 1997
(Political Organizations and Parties).

Chair, Nominating Committee, Legislative Studies Section, 1995.
 Section Chair, Midwest Political Science Association (Political Parties and Interest Groups), 1993
 Fenno Award Committee (best book), Legislative Studies Section, 1993 and 2007
 Organized Section Chair, American Political Science Association (Legislative Studies), 1990.
 Executive Committee, Legislative Studies Section (APSA), 1989-1991.
 Section Chair, American Political Science Association, (Groups & Movements), 1986
 Section Chair, Midwest Political Science Association, (Legislative Politics), 1985
 Executive Council, Midwest Political Science Association, 1980-83.
 Nominating Committee, Midwest Political Science Association, 1979.
 Organizer, Kansas Political Science Meetings, 1986-1989.

<u>Consultant:</u>	James Madison Foundation	KAKE-TV, Wichita
	Idaho State Board of Education	KSNT-TV, Topeka
	Pew Charitable Trusts	KTWU-TV, Topeka
	Department of Education	British Broadcasting Co.
	Kansas Humanities Council	Educational Testing Service
	KANU-FM, Lawrence	PBS
	National Endow't for Humanities	University of Central Florida
	Mainstream Coalition	"We, The People" Program
	Ad Astra Institute	Southern Illinois University
	Carleton College	Longman/Pearson
		Canadian Broadcast Corporation

Selected Other Professional and Service Activities:

Board Member, Friends of Spencer Art Museum, 2008-2011
 Century Committee (fund-raising), American Political Science Association, 1998-
 University Task Force on Public Service, 1998-2000
 University Negotiating Team for GTA contract, 1995-6.
 Chair, College Promotion and Tenure Committee, 1990-92. (Member 1989-1992)
 Chair, Douglas County (KS) Chapter of American Civil Liberties Union, 1990-93.
 State Board Member, American Civil Liberties Union, 1993-1997
 Kansas Advisory Committee to the U.S. Civil Rights Commission, 1985-91; Chair, 1985-9
 Board Member, Union Pacific Depot Management Board, 1991-8.
 Political Columnist, Ingram's, 1992-94.
 Treasurer, Old West Lawrence Association, 1985- .
 Chair, Downtown (Lawrence, Kansas) Improvement Committee, 1987-88.
 Chair, University Honors Advisory Committee, University of Kansas, 1985-86.
 Board Member, Friends of Spencer Art Museum, 1987-90.
 Board Member, Douglas County Citizens' Committee on Alcoholism, 1981-86.
 Outside Evaluator, Sterling College Department of History and Government, 1981.
 Participant, NEH seminar, "The Status of a Citizen," 1980

External Reviewer, Promotion and Tenure, 3-5 reviews per year
Organizer, Chair, Discussant, numerous panels at American, Midwest, Southwest, Southern
political science meetings, 1975- .

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