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## PROFESSIONAL ADDRESS

Department of Political Science  
Lehigh University  
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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. State University of New York at Binghamton, Political Science, 1990  
Dissertation Title: *Comparative Intervention Strategies: Desegregation in American Schools*
- M.A. State University of New York at Binghamton, Political Science, 1986
- B.A. University of Maine, Political Science, 1985

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Chair and Professor of Political Science (2018-present) Lehigh University

- Number of declared majors at census increased from 85 (Fall 2018) to 155 (Spring 2024).
- Endowed gift made in 2021 for \$120,000 to date (Howard D. Polsky '73 Endowment for the Advancement of American Democracy and Law).
- Created new degree program in 2021 (Master of Public Policy).

Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science (2020-present) Lehigh University

Chair, Department of Public Policy (2014-2018) Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW)—now Purdue University Fort Wayne (PFW)

Professor, Department of Public Policy (2003-2018) IPFW

Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Public Policy (2007-2018) IPFW

Faculty Advisor, Legal Studies Program (2000-2016) IPFW

Director of Graduate Studies, Division of Public and Environmental Affairs (2000-2001) IPFW

Associate Professor with Tenure, Division of Public and Environmental Affairs (1997-2003)

IPFW

Adjunct Professor, Division of Public and Environmental Affairs (1996-1997) IPFW

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science (1994-1997) Ball State University

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science (1990-1994) Ball State University

## PEER REVIEWED BOOKS

*Reforming the Major Political Parties: Towards a Responsible, Responsive, and Engaged American Democracy* (Book contract with Walter De Gruyter).

*Citizenship in the American Republic* (Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press, 2021, [https://www.press.umich.edu/11606310/citizenship\\_in\\_the\\_american\\_republic](https://www.press.umich.edu/11606310/citizenship_in_the_american_republic)). Book review available in *Political Science Quarterly* (Volume 137:4, Winter 2022-23, pp.792-793).

Series editor, *Student Guides to Government and Politics* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood). Titles were published in 2021 on the presidency (Lori Cox Han, Professor of Political Science, Chapman University); the Supreme Court (Helena Silverstein, Professor of Government and Law, Lafayette College); and Congress (Dan Reagan, Professor of Political Science, Ball State University and Gary Malecha, Tyson Distinguished Professor of Political Science, University of Portland). See <https://products.abc-clio.com/ABC-CLIOCorporate/product.aspx?pc=A6211C>; <https://products.abc-clio.com/ABC-CLIOCorporate/product.aspx?pc=A6220C>; and <https://products.abc-clio.com/ABC-CLIOCorporate/product.aspx?pc=A6178C>.

*Winning the War on Poverty: Applying the Lessons of History to the Present* (Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger, 2018, <https://products.abc-clio.com/ABC-CLIOCorporate/product.aspx?pc=A4445C>).

*Old School Still Matters: Lessons from History to Reform Public Education in America* (Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger, 2013, <https://products.abc-clio.com/abc-cliocorporate/product.aspx?pc=A3609C>).

*Reforming the Electoral Process in America: Toward More Democracy in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* (Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger, 2010, <https://products.abc-clio.com/abc-cliocorporate/product.aspx?pc=D6974C>).

*Political Culture and Voting Systems in the United States: An Examination of the 2000 Presidential Election* (Westport, CT: Praeger, 2002, <https://www.amazon.com/Political-Culture-Voting-Systems-United/dp/0275975800>). (With G.M. Miller).

*Higher Education in Transition: The Challenges of the New Millennium* (Westport, CT: Bergin & Garvey, 2000, <https://products.abc-clio.com/abc-cliocorporate/product.aspx?pc=C8850C>). (Co-editor with Joseph Losco).

*Documents and Readings for American Government* (New York: Worth Publishers, 1998, <https://www.amazon.com/Documents-Readings-American-Government-Brian/dp/B000MPQ6WY>). (Editor—teaching publication).

*School Desegregation in the Twenty-First Century: The Focus Must Change* (Lewiston, NY: The Edwin Mellen Press, 1997, <https://mellenpress.com/author/brian-l-fife/3166/>).

*Desegregation in American Schools: Comparative Intervention Strategies* (New York: Praeger, 1992, <https://products.abc-clio.com/abc-cliocorporate/product.aspx?pc=C5553C>).

## **BOOK CHAPTERS**

“Congress and Electoral Reform in the Early Twenty-First Century.” In Robert Mann (ed.), *Working Congress: A Guide for Senators, Representatives, and Citizens* (Baton Rouge, LA: Louisiana State University Press, 2014, 62-78).

“Federalism, Education, and Citizenship in an Era of Democratic Deliberation.” In Stella C. Batagiannis, Anna V. Wilson, and Barry Kanpol (eds.), *The Hope for Audacity: from Cynicism to Hope in Educational Leadership and Policy* (New York: Peter Lang Publishers, 2012, 115-139).

“Higher Education Spending: Assessing Policy Priorities.” In Joseph Losco and Brian L. Fife (eds.), *Higher Education in Transition: The Challenges of the New Millennium* (Westport, CT: Bergin & Garvey, 2000, 51-81). (With Joseph Losco).

## **REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES**

“President Barack Obama and the School Choice Divide in Education.” *eJournal of Education Policy* (forthcoming).

“Civic Education in the Academy.” *Education Reform Journal*, 8:1 (2023), 1-12.  
<http://dx.doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.8093191>.

“Asa Packer: A Glimpse of the Man Who Founded Lehigh University.” *American Educational History Journal* 49:1 (2022), 11-33.

“Vice Presidency Selection.” In Larry Sabato and Howard Ernst (eds.), *Encyclopedia of American Political Parties and Elections* (New York: Facts on File, forthcoming). (With William D. Adler).

“Democratic Party.” In Larry Sabato and Howard Ernst (eds.), *Encyclopedia of American Political Parties and Elections* (New York: Facts on File, forthcoming). (With Alex Theodoridis).

“Choosing Wisely: The Case of Maine’s Hannibal Hamlin.” *The New England Journal of History* 75:2/76:1 (2019), 10-31.

“Renewing the American Commitment to the Common School Philosophy: School Choice in the Early Twenty-First Century.” *Global Education Review* 3:2 (2016), 4-22.

“Reexamining Carnegie Research Institutions: Evidence from IPEDS Data.” *Journal of Scholarship of Teaching and Learning* 4:1 (2004), 1-13 (With Joseph Losco).

“The U.S. Supreme Court and the Politics of Vouchers.” *International Journal of Educational Reform* 13:1 (2004), 74-83.

“American Political Parties, Political Culture, and Presidential Elections, 1972-2000.” *Midsouth Political Science Review* 7 (2003), 55-84.

“Communicating the Importance of Research Investment in the Academy.” *International Journal of Educational Reform* 11:1 (2002), 2-17.

“Toward Integrated Public Schools in Middletown and Beyond.” *International Journal of Educational Reform* 10:1 (2001), 77-86.

“Effective School Desegregation in a Changing World.” *International Journal of Educational Reform* 6:4 (1997), 455-463.

“*Swann v. Charlotte-Mecklenberg Board of Education*.” In *Great Events from History: North American Series* (Salem Press, 1997, 1134-1136).

“*Plessy v. Ferguson*.” In *Great Events from History: North American Series* (Salem Press, 1997, 683-685). Updated version of an article that originally appeared in *Great Events from History: American Series* (1975).

“Gender gap.” In Margaret McFadden (ed.), *Ready Reference: Women’s Issues* (Salem Press, 1997, 373-375). Reprinted in Brian L. Fife (ed.), *Documents and Readings for American Government* (1998, Worth Publishers, 73-74).

“The Supreme Court and School Desegregation Since 1896.” *Equity and Excellence in Education* 29 (1996), 46-55.

“Comparing Desegregation Intervention Strategies.” *Urban Education* 29 (1994), 320-340.

“Communicating the Results of Evaluation Studies.” *Knowledge: Creation, Diffusion, Utilization* 14 (1992), 234-256.

“In Defense of Mandated School Desegregation Plans: An Analysis of Kentucky’s Jefferson County Experience.” *Equity and Excellence* 25 (1992), 100-105.

## **TECHNICAL REPORT**

*Handbook of Higher Education Expenditures in Indiana* (Indiana Commission for Higher Education, 2001).

## **ERIC PUBLICATIONS**

“The Anatomy and Ideology of a Charter.” ERIC Document ED501289 (2008). Online publication, Education Resources Information Center.

“Stressing the Importance of Public Affairs Knowledge in an Era of Declining Political Interest.” ERIC Document ED434 069 (1999). ERIC Clearinghouse for Social Studies/Social Science Education, Indiana University, Social Studies Development Center.

“Exploring the Costs of Higher Education: Priorities and Policies.” ERIC Document ED 418 663 (1998). ERIC Clearinghouse on Higher Education, The George Washington University, Graduate School of Education and Human Development. (With Joseph Losco).

“An Assessment of the Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) Program in Fort Wayne, Indiana.” ERIC Document ED 383 953 (1995). ERIC Clearinghouse on Counseling and Student Services, University of North Carolina—Greensboro, School of Education.

## **TEACHING RESOURCE MATERIALS**

Test Bank to accompany William T. Bianco and David T. Canon’s *American Politics Today* 6<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2019).

Instructor’s Manual to accompany Benjamin Ginsberg; Theodore Lowi; Margaret Weir; and Caroline J. Tolbert’s *We the People: An Introduction to American Politics* 11<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2017).

Instructor’s Manual to accompany William T. Bianco and David T. Canon’s *American Politics Today* 5<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2017).

Test Bank and Cross Chapter Questions to accompany William T. Bianco and David T. Canon’s *American Politics Today* 5<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2016).

Test Bank and Cross Chapter Questions to accompany Part III of Benjamin Ginsberg; Theodore Lowi; Margaret Weir; Caroline J. Tolbert; and Robert J. Spitzer’s *We The People: An Introduction to American Politics* 11<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2016).

Test Bank to accompany Benjamin Ginsberg; Theodore Lowi; Margaret Weir; Caroline J. Tolbert; Edward J. Harpham; and Anthony Champagne's *We the People: An Introduction to American Politics* 10<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2015).

Instructor's Manual to accompany Benjamin Ginsberg; Theodore Lowi; Margaret Weir; Caroline J. Tolbert; Edward J. Harpham; and Anthony Champagne's *We the People: An Introduction to American Politics* 10<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2015).

Instructor's Manual to accompany William T. Bianco and David T. Canon's *American Politics Today* 4<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2015).

Instructor's Manual to accompany Theodore Lowi; Benjamin Ginsberg; Kenneth Shepsle; and Stephen Ansolabehere's *American Government: Power and Purpose* 13<sup>th</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2014).

Instructor's Manual to accompany Ken Kollman's *The American Political System* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. (W.W. Norton, 2014).

Test Bank and Media Grid to accompany Kenneth Dautrich and David Yalof's *American Government: Historical, Popular, and Global Perspectives* (Cengage NOW Online Learning Product) (Cengage, 2007).

Student Study Guide to accompany Thomas Patterson's *The American Democracy* 7<sup>th</sup> ed. (McGraw-Hill, 2005).

End of Chapter Questions and Rationales to accompany Peverill Squire et al.'s *Dynamics of Democracy* 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. (Atomic Dog Publishing, 2001).

Instructor's Resource Manual and Test Bank to accompany Thomas Patterson's *The American Democracy* 7<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> eds. (McGraw-Hill, 2005; 2003; and 2001). Seventh edition also in CD-ROM format.

Instructor's Resource Manual and Test Bank to accompany David Lawrence's *California Politics* (Wadsworth Publishing, 2000).

Student Study Guide to accompany David Lawrence's *America: The Politics of Diversity* (Wadsworth Publishing, 1999).

Instructor's Resource Manual to accompany David Edwards and Allesandra Lippucci's *Practicing American Politics: An Introduction to Government* (Worth Publishers, 1998).

Student Study Guide to accompany Gary Halter's *Government and Politics of Texas* (Brown and Benchmark Publishers, 1997).

CD-ROM of American Government (Harcourt Brace & Company, 1997). With Ralph Baker and Joseph Losco. I created the sections on Diversity and Global Perspectives for each chapter.

Student Study Guide to accompany Peverill Squire et al.'s *Dynamics of Democracy* 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> eds. (Brown and Benchmark Publishers, 1997 and 1995).

Test-Item File to accompany William Lasser's *American Politics: Institutions and Interconnections* (DC Heath, 1996).

Student Study Guide to accompany Steven Kelman's *American Democracy and the Public Good* (Harcourt Brace & Company, 1996).

## **BOOK REVIEWS**

*Political Science Quarterly*, 115:2 (2000), 314-315. Review of *The Activist Advocate: Policy Making in State Supreme Courts*, by Charles S. Lopeman (1999, Praeger Publishers).

*American Political Science Review*, 93:2 (1999), 460-461. Review of *Changing Urban Education*, by Clarence N. Stone (ed.) (1998, University Press of Kansas).

*Choice* (1998, December). Review of *Brown v. Board of Education: A Brief History with Documents*, by Waldo E. Martin Jr. (ed.) (1998, Bedford/St. Martin's).

*Choice* (1997, September). Review of *Politics, Race, and Schools: Racial Integration, 1954-1994*, by Joseph Watras (1997, Garland Publishing).

*Choice* (1996, September). Review of *Brown v. Board of Education: The Challenge for Today's Schools*, by Ellen Condliffe Lagemann and Lamar P. Miller (eds.) (1996, Teachers College Press).

*Choice* (1996, September). Review of *Climbing the Hill: Gender Conflict in Congress*, by Karen Foerstel and Herbert N. Foerstel (1996, Praeger).

*The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 534 (1994), 200-201. Review of *Enlightened Racism: The Cosby Show, Audiences, and the Myth of the American Dream*, by Sut Jhally and Justin Lewis (1992, Westview Press).

## **TEACHING ASSIGNMENTS**

### **Lehigh University (2018-present)**

POLS 001 (American Political System)  
POLS 109 (Introduction to Public Policy)  
POLS 274 (Political Parties and Elections)

POLS 306 (Public Policy Process)  
POLS 400 (Research in Politics and Public Policy)  
POLS 406 (Public Policy Process)

**Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW) (1997-2018)**

PPOL E162 (Environment and People)  
PPOL K300 (Statistical Techniques)  
PPOL V170 (Introduction to Public Affairs)  
PPOL V263 (Public Management)  
PPOL V372 (Government Finance and Budgets)  
PPOL V376 (Law and Public Policy)  
PPOL V405 (Public Law and the Legislative Process)  
PPOL V406 (Public Law and the Electoral Process)  
PPOL V450 (Contemporary Issues in Public Affairs: Politics and Education)  
PPOL V456 (Topics in Public Law: Philadelphia Convention)  
PPOL V502 (Public Management)  
PPOL V512 (Public Policy Process)  
PPOL V517 (Public Management Economics)  
PPOL V540 (Law and Public Affairs)  
PPOL V550 (Contemporary Issues in Public Affairs: Politics and Education)  
PPOL V550 (Contemporary Issues in Public Affairs: Government Finance and Budgets)  
PPOL V550 (Contemporary Issues in Public Affairs: Public Law and the Legislative Process)  
PPOL V550 (Contemporary Issues in Public Affairs: Public Law and the Electoral Process)  
PPOL V560 (Public Finance and Budgeting)  
PPOL V566 (Executive Leadership)  
EDUC A560 (Political Perspectives of Education)  
EDUC H504 (History of American Education)  
POLS Y103 (Introduction to American Politics)  
POLS Y200 (Contemporary Political Topics)  
POLS Y401 (Studies in Political Science)

**Ball State University (1990-1997)**

POLS 130 (American National Government)  
POLS 210 (Introduction to Political Science)  
POLS 237 (State and Local Politics)  
POLS 390H (Politics and Education)  
POLS 432/532 (The American Chief Executive)  
POLS 474/574 (Women and Politics)  
POLS 475/575 (Minority Group Politics)  
POLS 626 (Research Seminar)



## **Junior Statesmen Foundation (2000)**

Advanced Placement American National Government at Yale University

### **THESIS COMMITTEES**

Senior Honors Thesis Advisor, Spyritoula Xenophontos (2024-25).  
Senior Honors Thesis Advisor, Maya Goodman (2024-25).  
Senior Honors Thesis Advisor, Brendan Rego (2023-24).  
Senior Honors Thesis, Kate Lyden (2024).  
Senior Honors Thesis Advisor, Morgan Brettschneider (2022-23).  
Senior Honors Thesis, Anderson Bento (2022).  
Senior Honors Thesis advisor, Julia Menziuso (2021-22).  
Senior Honors Thesis advisor, Olivia Abrams (2020-21).  
M.A. Thesis advisor, Patricia Cunningham (2019-20).  
M.A. Thesis, Michael McLaughlin (2019).  
M.A. Thesis advisor, Cathryn Peterson (2018-19).  
Senior Honors Thesis, Holly Gwydir (2019).  
Senior Honors Thesis, Olivia Sowa (2019).

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Chair, Dean Review Committee, College of Education (2021-22).  
Chair, Political Theory Search Committee (2023-2024).  
Chair, Public Policy/Research Methods/American Politics Search Committee (2021-22).  
Member, Constitutional Law/Public Law Search Committee (2021).  
Director, Washington Semester Program (2020-present).  
Member, Chairs Executive Committee (2020-23).  
Member, Department of Political Science Graduate Committee (2023-24; 2022-23; 2021-22; 2020-21; 2018-19).  
Member, Department of Political Science Assessment Committee (2023-24; 2022-23; 2021-22; 2018-19).  
Member, Department of Political Science Neidell Fund Committee (2019-20; 2018-19).  
Member, Strategic Vision Task Force of the College of Education and Public Policy (2017-18).

Member, Director, Community Research Institute Search Committee (2016-17).

Member, Department of Political Science Promotion and Tenure Committee (2015).

Member, Department of Public Policy Assessment Committee (2017-2018; 2015-16).

Member, IPFW Budget Committee (2013-2015).

Chair, Public Administration Search Committee (2013-2014).

Member, Department of Public Policy Scholarship Committee (2013-2014).

Chair, Visiting Professor Public Administration Search Committee (2013).

Chair, Public Administration Search Committee (2011-2012).

Member, IPFW Chancellor Search Committee (2011-2012).

Member, College of Education and Public Policy Promotion and Tenure Committee (2014; 2013; co-chair, 2012; chair, 2011).

Member, College of Education and Public Policy Leadership Committee (2017-2018; 2016-2017; 2015-2016; 2014-2015; chair, 2012-2013; 2011-2012).

Member, Department of Educational Studies Promotion and Tenure Committee (2010).

Member, Task Force on Merger of Division of Public and Environmental Affairs and the School of Education (2009-2010).

Member, Tenure-Track Professor Search Committee in Criminal Justice and Research Methods (2010-2011).

Chair, Tenure-Track Professor Search Committee in Public Administration (2009).

Member, Tenure-Track Professor Search Committee in Public Health (2009-2010).

Member, Department of Professional Studies Promotion and Tenure Committee (2009).

Member, Visiting Professor Search Committee in Public Health (2009).

Chair, Visiting Professor Search Committee in Public Administration (2008).

Member, Tenure-Track Professor Search Committee in Public Administration (2008).

Graduate Subcommittee (2010-2011; 2009-2010; 2008-2009; 2007-2008).

Member, School of Education Promotion and Tenure Committee (2006).

DPEA Director Search Committee (2007-2008; 2006-2007; 2005-2006).

Chair, IPFW Study Group to Assess the Costs and Benefits of Independence for IPFW (2005-2008).

SPEA Promotion and Tenure Committee (2007-2008; 2006-2007; 2003-2005).

IPFW Budgetary Affairs Subcommittee (2002-2011; chair, 2005-2011; co-chair, 2004-2005).

Research Fellows Review Committee (2003).

IPFW Executive Committee (2004-2006; 2001-2002).

IPFW University Resources Policy Committee (2001-2002).

Outstanding Research Award Committee (2006; 2002; 2001).

IPFW Strategic Planning Task Force (2005-2006; 2004-2005; 2001).

Speaker, Indiana University Faculty at IPFW (2004-2006; 2000-2002).

Indiana University Committee on Institutional Affairs (chair, 2004-2006; 2000-2002).

University Faculty Council (2004-2006; 2000-2002).

SPEA Policy Committee (2002-2004).

Department of Public Policy Director of Graduate Studies (2007-2018; 2000-2001).

SPEA Graduate Policy Committee (2000-2001).

Chair, Criminal Justice/Legal Position Search Committee (2002-2003; 2000-2001).

IU Faculty Board of Review (2014-2016; 2000-2006); chair (2015-2016; 2005-2006; 2001-2002).

Chair, Public Management Position Search Committee (1999-2000).

Task Force on Tenure & Promotion Implementation Committee (1999-2000).

IPFW Promotion and Tenure Committee (1999-2002).

IPFW Agenda Committee (1999-2001); chair (Spring 2001).

IPFW Faculty Affairs Committee (1999-2001).

IPFW Faculty Senate (2016-2018; 2004-2006; 1998-2002).

Department of Public Policy Promotion and Tenure Committee (Spring 2003-2013; 1998-2002);  
chair (Spring 2003-2013; 1998-2002).

MPA Admissions, Undergraduate Admissions, and Petitions Committee (1997-2008);  
chair (2006-2008; 1997-2001).

NASPAA Self-Study Committee (1997-1998).

Chair, Associate Faculty Advisory Committee (2001-present).

Curriculum Review Committee (2006-2007; 2002-2003; 1998-1999; 1997-1998); chair (2006-  
2007).

Teaching Resource Committee (2002-2003; 2001-2002; 1998-1999; 1997-1998).

Undergraduate Policy Committee (1998-1999).

Task Force on the Assessment of Instruction (1998-1999; 1997-1998).

Curriculum and Scheduling Committee (1996-1997; 1995-1996; 1992-1993; 1991-1992).

Recruitment Committee (1994-1995; 1993-1994).

Student Affairs Committee (1991-1992; 1990-1991).

## **PUBLIC SERVICE**

Assessment of Department of Political Science merit evaluation rubric, The University of Tulsa  
(2023).

Invited speaker on 2020 national elections, D.C. Alumni Group, Lehigh University (October 20,  
2020).

Invited speaker on federal elections, Aesculap Implant Systems, Center Valley, PA (February 27,  
2019).

Consulted by Rev. Roger Roberts of the House of Lords on a sponsored bill dealing with reforming the electoral process in Great Britain (2014).

First grade tutor, Arlington Elementary School, Fort Wayne Community Schools (2015-2016; 2012-2013).

Volunteer for Real Men Read program, Shambaugh Elementary School, Fort Wayne Community Schools (2017-2018; 2016-2017; 2013-2014; 2011-2012; 2010-2011).

Mayor's Task Force on Workforce Development (2000).

Faculty member of the Indiana Commission for Higher Education Advisory Group on Institutional Missions (1999-present).

Political analyst, NBC, ABC, and CBS News affiliates in Fort Wayne (1998-2018).

Board of Directors, Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA), Allen County Superior Court, Family Relations Division (1997-2004); Secretary (1998-2002); Chair, Fund-raising Committee (1999-2004).

Community Monitoring and Compliance Committee for the Fort Wayne Community Schools (FWCS) Desegregation Order (1997-present).

“An Assessment of the Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) Program in Fort Wayne, Indiana.” Report provided for the Fort Wayne Community Schools (1994).

## **EDITORSHIPS**

Manuscript Reviewer, *The Urban Review* (2023).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in Education* (2021).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Democracy's Meanings: How the Public Understands Democracy and Why It Matters*, by Nicholas T. Davis, Keith Gaddie, and Kirby Goidel (University of Michigan Press, 2021).

Manuscript Reviewer, *American Politics Today*, by William Bianco and David Canon (W.W. Norton, 2021).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Parting the Curtains: A Practical Framework for Understanding Policy Making in the Nation's Capital*, by Jane West (Rowman & Littlefield, 2020).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Democracy and Education* (2018).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Educational Policy Analysis Archives* (2018; 2008).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Equity and Excellence in Education* (2016).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Inside Campaigns and Elections: From Running for Office to Governing*, by David Dulio, Randall E. Adkins, and Victoria A. Farrar-Myers (Congressional Quarterly Press, 2016).

Manuscript Reviewer, *Pursuance of Justice: The Social Contract from FDR to Barack Obama*, by Brian G. Gilmore (Michigan State University Press, 2016).

Manuscript Proposal Reviewer, *Campaigns and Elections: Players and Processes*, by Stephen Medvic (Routledge/Taylor and Francis Group, 2016).

Manuscript Proposal Reviewer, *The Legislative Intent: The Balance Between Fair and Flawed*, by Miranda Hoit (Carolina Academic Press, 2015).

Manuscript Reviewer, *American Political System* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed., by Ken Kollman (W.W. Norton, 2015).

Manuscript Reviewer, *American Government*, by Alan Gitelson, Robert Dudley, and Melvin Dubnick (Oxford University Press, 2013).

Manuscript Reviewer, *American Politics: A Diverse Country in a Globalizing World*, by John Rourke (Oxford University Press, 2012).

Manuscript Reviewer, *American Democracy in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, by Richard Davis (Oxford University Press, 2012).

Manuscript Reviewer, *American Journal of Political Science* (2010).

Manuscript Reviewer, *International Journal of Education Policy and Leadership* (2009-2012).

Manuscript Reviewer, *AM GOV*, by Joseph Losco and Ralph Baker, (McGraw Hill, 2008).

Manuscript Reviewer, *The Libertarian Illusion*, by William Hudson, (CQ Press, 2008).

Editorial Reviewer, *scholarlypartnershipsedu* (2006-2016).

Manuscript reviewer, revised manuscript of *Public Policy: Continuity and Change*, by Carter Wilson, (McGraw Hill, 2004).

Manuscript reviewer, revised manuscript of *Public Policy: Continuity and Change*, by Carter Wilson, (McGraw Hill, 2003).

Manuscript proposal reviewer, *American National Government: Political Institutions and Civic Engagement in a Changing World* (McGraw Hill, 2002).

Manuscript reviewer, *Perspectives on Politics* (2002-2003).

Manuscript reviewer, revised manuscript of *Public Policy: Continuity and Change*, by Carter Wilson, (McGraw Hill, 2002).

Manuscript reviewer, *Public Policy: Continuity and Change*, by Carter Wilson, (McGraw Hill, 2002).

Manuscript reviewer, *Does Representative Democracy Work?*, by Alan Rosenthal, John Hibbing, Karl Kurtz, and Burdett Loomis, (Congressional Quarterly Press, 2002).

Manuscript proposal reviewer, *Legacy of Liberty: Civil and Political Rights in the American Constitution* (McGraw Hill, 2000).

Manuscript reviewer, *Deficit Politics: Public Budgeting in Its Institutional and Historical Context* 1<sup>st</sup> ed., by Donald Kettl, (Macmillan Publishing, 1992).

Manuscript reviewer, *Teaching Tips: Strategies, Research, and Theory for College and University Teachers* 10<sup>th</sup> ed., by Wilbert McKeachie, (Houghton Mifflin, 1999).

Manuscript reviewer, *The Supreme Court* 6<sup>th</sup> ed., by Lawrence Baum, (Congressional Quarterly, 1999).

Manuscript reviewer, *Democracy Under Pressure* 8<sup>th</sup> ed., by Milton Cummings, Jr. and David Wise (Harcourt Brace, 1998).

Editorial board member (CourseWise Publishers, 1997). Reviewed *Perspectives: American Government*.

Classroom video reviewer (Worth Publishers, 1997). Reviewed two videos on political participation.

Manuscript reviewer, *Southeastern Political Review* (1996-97).

Manuscript reviewer, *The Politics of American Government* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed., by Stephen Wayne; G. Calvin Mackenzie; David O'Brien; and Richard Cole (St. Martin's Press, 1996).

Manuscript reviewer, *Urban Education* (1994-95).

Manuscript reviewer, *American Democracy and the Public Good*, by Steven Kelman (Harcourt

Brace & Company, 1993-94).

Manuscript reviewer, *The Dynamics of Democracy*, by Peverill Squire; James Lindsay; Cary Covington; and Eric Smith (Brown and Benchmark Publishers, 1993-94).

Manuscript reviewer, *Texas Journal of Political Studies* (1992-93).

## **PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES**

“President Barack Obama and the School Choice Divide in Education.” Presented at Hofstra University’s Thirteenth Presidential Conference: The Barack Obama Presidency, April 19-21, 2023.

Panel chair and discussant, “Teaching and Learning in Theory and Practice.” Annual meeting of the Michigan Political Science Association, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan, October 24-25, 2019.

Liberty Fund Conference, “The Electoral College, the Constitution, and Liberty.” Deerfield Beach, Florida, August 8-11, 2019.

Panel chair and discussant, “American Government and Public Policy.” Annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Political Science Association, Muhlenberg College, Allentown, Pennsylvania, April 12, 2019.

Panel participant, “Roundtable on the American Presidency.” Annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, Indiana, March 16, 2018.

Attended Accreditation Institute, annual meeting of the Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs, and Administration, October 14, 2015, Brooklyn, New York.

Panel Chair, “Leadership in the Public Sector.” Inaugural meeting of the Midwest Public Affairs Conference, IPFW, March 27-29, 2014.

“2013 John Breau Symposium to focus on Making Congress Work.” George Washington University, May 15, 2013.

“Toward Integrated Public Schools in Middletown and Beyond.” Presented at the Conference on Small Cities, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana, September 14-15, 2001.

Panel Discussant, “Impacts of Affirmative Action Policy.” Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 30-September 2, 2001, San Francisco, California.

“Political Culture and Voting Systems in the United States: A Preliminary Assessment.”



Presented at the annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, March 23, 2001, Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Indiana (with GERALYN MILLER).

“Research Expenditures in Hoosier Public Institutions of Higher Education: A Comparative Analysis.” Presented at *Central Indiana’s Future: Understanding the Region and Identifying Choices*, November 10, 2000, Capitol Conference Center, Indianapolis, Indiana (with Joseph Losco).

Attended Symposium on Chief Justice John Marshall and the United States Supreme Court, 1801-1835. April 4-5, 2000, John Marshall Law School, Chicago, Illinois.

Proposal Reviewer, Section on Education Policy and Equity, annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association, April 19-23, 1999, Montreal.

Panel Chair, “American Politics.” Annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, April 3, 1998, Purdue University Calumet, Hammond, Indiana.

“Exploring the Costs of Higher Education Spending: Priorities and Policies.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Northeast Political Science Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 11-13, 1997 (with Joseph Losco).

Panel Discussant, “The 1996 National Elections.” Annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, March 28, 1997, Butler University, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Panel Discussant, “Public Policy and Education.” Korean-American Conference on Public Policy and Administration, October 17, 1996, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana.

Panel Chair, “Public Administration Issues.” Annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, April 28, 1995, Indiana University, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Panel Moderator, “Distance Education in Political Science.” Annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, April 29, 1994, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana.

“Racial Balance in the Muncie Community Schools, 1978-1991.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 15-17, 1993.

Roundtable Participant, “The 1992 American Elections.” Annual meeting of the Indiana Political Science Association, April 24, 1992, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana.

“The White Flight Hypothesis Revisited.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 18-20, 1991.

“Coercion or choice in School Desegregation Policy?” Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Atlanta, Georgia, November 8-10, 1990.

“Communicating Implementation in Evaluation Research: School Desegregation as an Illustration.” Presented at the annual meeting of the New York State Political Science Association, Albany, New York, April 20-21, 1990.

“Choice Versus Coercion in School Desegregation Implementation.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Northeastern Political Science Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 9-11, 1989.

“Comparative Intervention Strategies: Desegregation of American Schools, 1964-1988.” Presented at the annual meeting of the New York State Political Science Association, New York, New York, March 31-April 1, 1989.

### **PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

Academy of Political Science

American Political Science Association

History of Education Society

Indiana Political Science Association (President and Program Chair, 1999-2000 and 1993-94; Vice President, 1992-93)

Michigan Political Science Association

Pennsylvania Political Science Association

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Neamand Speaker, Quakertown (PA) School District (March 27, 2019).

Fort Wayne Parks and Recreation Bill Close Volunteer of the Year Award (2015).

Nominated for Students’ Choice for Teaching Excellence Award (2015).

Outstanding Faculty Award, Department of Public Policy (2014 and 2010).

Outstanding Teaching Award, Division of Public and Environmental Affairs (2009; 2003; and 2002).

Center for Urban Policy and the Environment, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis Central Indiana Research Grant, “Research Expenditures in Hoosier Public Institutions of Higher Education: A Comparative Analysis.” (2000). Amount: \$3,500 (co-investigator with Joseph Losco).

GTE-Fort Wayne Community Schools Summer Research Grant, “Facilitating Integration in a Desegregated School System” (1999). Amount: \$2,700.

IPFW Summer Instructional Initiative Grant (1999). Grant supported the creation of a new course (SPEA V450/V550—Politics and Education). Amount: \$4,870.

John W. Fisher Faculty Research Fellowship in American Politics, Ball State University (1995-96; 1992-93). Amount: \$2700; \$3000.

Nominated for Outstanding Junior Faculty Award (1993).

Honorable mention, University Teaching Professorship Competition (1992-93).