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EDUCATION

Indiana University: Bloomington, Indiana

Ph.D., Political Science, Summer 2012
Fields: Comparative Politics, Methodology
Minor: East Asian Studies

Ohio University: Athens, Ohio

M.A., Political Science, Spring 2005
Certificate in Contemporary History

University of Central Missouri: Warrensburg, Missouri

B.A., Political Science and International Studies (double major), Summer 2002

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

Assistant Professor, Political Science. Western Kentucky University. Fall 2012 - present

Associate Member, East Asian Studies Center, Indiana University. Fall 2012 - present

Postdoctoral Fellow, Taiwan Foundation for Democracy. Summer 2014.

Visiting Researcher, Waseda University, Organization for Japan-US Studies. July 2011.

Visiting Researcher, Korea University Asiatic Research Institute (ARI). Summer 2010.

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS (44)

"Losers and Nonvoters Consent: Democratic Satisfaction in Germany's 2009 and 2013 Elections." with Mallory L. Treece). *Government & Opposition* (forthcoming).

"District Level Competition in Mexico's Chamber of Deputies: An Embedded Analysis." (with Vasabjit Banerjee). *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties* (forthcoming).

"Religion and Public Perceptions of Gays and Lesbians in South Korea." *Journal of Homosexuality* (forthcoming).

"Reinterpreting Split-Ticket Voting in South Korea's 2004 Legislative Election: Party Identification and Impeachment Perceptions." *Asian Journal of Social Science* (forthcoming).

"District Competition in Japan's 2014 Election: The Roles of Nominations, Incumbency, and Dual-Listing." (with Vasabjit Banerjee). *Representation* (forthcoming).

"Winning Is Not Everything: Public Perceptions of Losers and Non-Voters in South Africa." (with Carolyn Holmes). *Acta Politica* (forthcoming).

"Lesotho's 2015 Legislative Election: Providing or Undermining Stability?" (with Vasabjit Banerjee). *Journal of Asian and African Studies* (forthcoming).

"Electoral Paths and Support for Same-Sex Marriage Legislation: Evidence From Taiwan's Mixed Member System." *International Political Science Review*. 2016. 51(3): 328-345.

- "Predatory Publishing, Open Access and the Costs to Academia." *PS: Political Science & Politics*. 2016. 49(2): 265-267.
- "Losers Consent or Non-Voter Consent? Satisfaction with Democracy in East Asia." *Asian Journal of Political Science*. 2015. 23(3): 243-259.
- "Assessing Losers Consent in Mixed Systems: Public Perceptions of Taiwan's 2008 Legislative Yuan Election." *Journal of Contemporary Eastern Asia*. 2016. 15(1): 4-16
- "The Rationales for Chinese Investment in North Korea Under Kim Jong Un." (with Heon Joo Jung). 全球政治評論 [Review of Global Politics]. 2016. 1: 67-80.
- "Why Invest in North Korea? Chinese Foreign Direct Investment in North Korea and Its Implications." (with Heon Joo Jung). *Pacific Review*. 2015. 29(3): 307-330
- "Strategic Voting and the Role of Polls: Evidence From an Embedded Web Survey." *PS: Political Science & Politics*. 2015. 48(2): 301-305.
- "Running Out of Time? The Evolution of Taiwan's Relations in Africa." (with Vasabjit Banerjee). *Journal of Current Chinese Affairs*. 2015. 44(1): 141-161.
- "Duverger's Law in Mixed Legislative Systems: The Impact of National Electoral Rules on District Competition." *European Journal of Political Research*. 2015. 54(1): 182-196.
- "Introducing the Great Successor: North Korean English Language News Coverage of Kim Jong Un 2010-2011." *Communist and Post-Communist Studies*. 2014. 47(2):127-136.
- "Is Duverger's Law Working in South Korea? An Analysis of District Level Elections 1988-2012." *Asian Journal of Political Science*. 2014. 22(2): 164-180.
- "Institutional Influences on Turnout in Mixed Member Electoral Systems: An Exploratory Analysis." *Representation*. 2014. 50(2): 161-175.
- "Identifying the Institutional Effects of Mixed Systems in New Democracies: The Case of Lesotho." (with Sterling Recker and Vasabjit Banerjee). *Journal of Asian and African Studies*. 2014. 49(6): 637-653.
- "When Compulsory Voting Isn't: Evidence From Mixed Electoral Systems." *Midsouth Political Science Review*. 2014. 15(2): 1-18.
- "Propaganda With Purpose: Uncovering Patterns in North Korean Nuclear Coverage, 1997-2012." *International Relations of the Asia-Pacific*. 2014. 14(3): 427-453.
- "Integrating Microstates into Cross-National Research: An Exploratory Analysis." *Journal of International and Global Studies*. 2014. 6(1): 1-13.
- "Split-Ticket Voting in South Korea's 2012 National Assembly Election." *Asian Politics & Policy*. 2014. 6(3): 455-469.
- "From Dictator's Daughter to Madame President: An Analysis of South Korea's 2012 Presidential Election." *Asian Profile*. 2014. 42(2): 159-169.
- "Understanding the Rules of the Game: Evidence From Taiwan's Mixed Legislative System." *Asian Politics & Policy*. 2014. 6(1): 45-58.
- "Party Voting Cohesion in Mixed Member Legislative Systems: Evidence from Korea and Taiwan." *Legislative Studies Quarterly*. 2014. 39(1): 113-135.
- "Evaluating Taiwan's Mixed Legislative System: A Comparative Analysis." *Journal of Asian Politics & History*. 2013. 3: 59-72.
- "Evaluating South Korea's Mixed Legislative System: A Cross-National Analysis." *Korea Observer*. 2013. 44(3): 365-387.

- “小不是問題：對「微國家」之檢視” [“Small But Significant: Making the Case for Microstates.”] 全球政治評論 [Review of Global Politics]. 2013. 43: 71-81.
- “Understanding Sino-African Relations: Neocolonialism or a New Era?” (with Sterling Recker). *Journal of International and Area Studies*. 2013. 20(1): 1-16.
- “Publishing as a Graduate Student: A Quick and (Hopefully) Painless Guide to Establishing Yourself as a Scholar.” *PS: Political Science & Politics*. 2013. 46(2): 376-379.
- “The Electoral Incentives for Legislator Perceptions in Mixed Systems: Integrating Evidence From East Asia.” *Representation*. 2013. 49(1): 17-31.
- “Voter Perceptions and Behavior in East Asian Mixed Systems.” *Journal of Contemporary Eastern Asia*. 2013. 12(1): 21-34.
- “Like Father Like Son? Correlates of Leadership in North Korea’s English Language News.” *Korea Observer*. 2012. 43(4): 649-674.
- “The Timing of Split-Ticket Voting Decisions in Mixed Systems: Evidence From South Korea.” *Asian Journal of Political Science*. 2012. 20(2): 203-220.
- “The Effects of Election Reform on Legislator Perceptions: The Case of Taiwan.” *Japanese Journal of Political Science*. 2012. 13(3): 317-336.
- “Deciphering North Korea’s Nuclear Rhetoric: An Automated Content Analysis of KCNA News.” *Asian Affairs: An American Review*. 2012. 39(2): 73-89.
- “話中有話：以「自動化內容分析」解讀北韓的核子語言” [“Reading Between the Lines: Automated Content Analysis of North Korean Nuclear Rhetoric”] (with Tony Tai-Ting Liu). 全球政治評論 [Review of Global Politics]. 2012. 38: 157-176.
- “Institutional Variation and the Effects on District Competition: The Case of South Korea.” *Representation*. 2011. 47(4) 457-470.
- “Chinese Nationalism and Cross-Strait Relations in the Post-War Era.” *International Journal of Asia Pacific Studies*. 2011. 7 (2): 1-15.
- “Status for Sale: Taiwan and the Competition for Diplomatic Recognition.” *Issues & Studies*. 2009. 45 (4): 159-188.
- “Can Democratic Consolidation Make a Country Less Secure? The Case of Taiwan.” *Journal of Contemporary Eastern Asia*. 2009. 8 (1): 1-14.
- “Island Microstates and Political Contention: An Exploratory Analysis of Cape Verde and Comoros.” *African and Asian Studies*. 2008. 7 (2-3): 217-233.

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- “Elections” (with Jon Sullivan). In *Handbook of Modern Taiwan Politics and Society*. Gunter Schubert (ed.). Routledge. 2016.
- “Renting Allies and Selling Sovereignty: Taiwan’s Struggle for Diplomatic Recognition.” In *The Changing Dynamics of the Relations among China, Taiwan, and the United States*. Cal Clark (ed.) Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2011.

- "North Korea's Brinkmanship Isn't Irrational." *The News Lens*. 2016. June 2. <http://international.thenewslens.com/article/41077>
- "For Ban Ki-moon, Is There Life After the U.N.?" *The News Lens*. 2016. May 30. <http://international.thenewslens.com/article/40796>
- Trans-Pacific Partnership: A Deal Breaker?" (with Lucas Knight). *Asia Pacific Memo*. 2016. April 26. No. 377. <http://www.asiapacificmemo.ca/taiwan-tp>
- "Lesotho and the Limits of Electoral Reform" (with Vasabjit Banerjee). *Africa Research Institute*. 2016. April 26. <http://www.africaresearchinstitute.org/blog/lesotho-and-the-limits-of-electoral-reform/>
- "台灣民眾對TPP的支持——端看你如何解讀" (with Lucas Knight). 2016. *Thinking Taiwan* (Chinese version). April 19. <http://www.thinkingtaiwan.com/content/5386>
- "Split-Ticket Voting: Art or Science?" *Thinking Taiwan*. 2016. April 2. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/split-ticket-voting-art-or-science/>
- "Support for Taiwan's TPP Bid: It's All in the Framing" (with Lucas Knight) *Thinking Taiwan*. 2016. March 22. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/support-for-taiwans-tpp-bid-its-all-in-the-framing/>
- "Is the Truce Over?" *Thinking Taiwan*. 2016. March 18. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/is-the-truce-over/>
- "Vote 2016: Foreign Students Get a Taste of Taiwan's Democracy." *Thinking Taiwan*. 2016. January 25. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/foreign-students-taiwans-democracy/>
- "Three Questions about Taiwan's Legislative Election." *University of Nottingham China Policy Institute Blog*. 2016. January 14. <http://blogs.nottingham.ac.uk/chinapolicyinstitute/2016/01/14/86061/>
- "Taiwan's First Female President?" *The Cipher Brief*. 2016. January 12. <http://thecipherbrief.com/article/taiwan%E2%80%99s-first-female-president>
- "The Impact of Replacing Hung Hsiu-Chu." (with Hannah Neeper). *University of Nottingham China Policy Institute Blog*. 2015. November 17. <https://blogs.nottingham.ac.uk/chinapolicyinstitute/2015/11/17/the-impact-of-replacing-hung-hsiu-chu/>
- "Perceptions of Gender in Taiwan's Elections: Results from an Experimental Survey." (with Hannah Neeper). *Thinking Taiwan*. 2015. November 16. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/perceptions-gender-taiwan-elections/>
- "Ma-Xi Meeting: It Cuts Both Ways." *Thinking Taiwan*. 2015. November 10. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/ma-xi-meeting-it-cuts-both-ways/>
- "5 Things You Should Know About Taiwan's Upcoming Election." *Washington Post. Monkey Cage*. 2015. 25. <http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/monkey-cage/wp/2015/09/25/5-things-you-should-know-about-taiwans-upcoming-election/>
- "Will the Diplomatic Truce Endure Beyond 2016?" *Thinking Taiwan*. 2015. November 20. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/diplomatic-truce-beyond-2016-rich/>
- "Wow! This Nigerian prince would like to wire you 75 million dollars!!" *Washington Post. Monkey Cage*. August 25. <http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/monkey-cage/wp/2015/08/25/this-nigerian-prince-would-like-to-wire-you-75-million-dollars/>
- "Vote 2016: What Impact Will Soong Have on the Election?" *Thinking Taiwan*. 2015. August 10. <http://thinkingtaiwan.com/vote-2016-what-impact-soong-rich/>

- "Can the DPP Win a Majority in the Legislature?" *Thinking Taiwan*. 2015. June 29. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/can-the-dpp-win-a-majority-in-the-legislature/>
- "Women in Politics: The Patterns in Asia." *Thinking Taiwan*. 2015. June 22. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/women-in-politics-the-patterns-in-asia>
- "Evidence From Abroad Suggests That Mixed Legislative Systems Have Much to Commend Them, But Close Attention Must Be Paid to National Contexts." Democratic Audit UK. 2015. March 10. <http://www.democraticaudit.com/?p=11513>
- "KMT Looking Wrong Way." *Taipei Times*. 2015. February 24. <http://www.taipeitimes.com/News/editorials/archives/2015/02/24/2003612105>
- "The Challenges to Female Representation in Asian Democracies." (with Elizabeth Gribbins). *The Newsletter*. International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS). Summer 2014. 68: 10.
- "Taiwan Needs to Avoid Checkbook Diplomacy, Its Not in Its Interests." *China Post*. 2014. July 11.
- "Does the Legislative Yuan Need More Legislators?" *Thinking Taiwan*. 2013. May 29. <http://thinking-taiwan.com/does-legislative-more-legislators/>
- "The Paradox of Women Leaders in Asian Democracies." *Asia Pacific Memo*. 2013. No. 277.
- "Evaluating Sino-African Relations: New Wine in Old Bottles." (with Sterling Recker) *The Newsletter*. International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS). Spring 2012. 59: 9.
- "The East Asian Divergence: National and District Level Competition in Mixed Systems." *Election Studies* (Korea). 2011. 1(2): 193-218.
- Guest Contributor. *Ballots & Bullets: Taiwan 2012* blog, University of Nottingham School of Politics and International Relations (November 2011). Entries: "The Soong Factor", "Breaking the Glass Ceiling: Female Presidential Hopefuls in East Asia", and "What to Expect in the 2012 Legislative Yuan Election"
- "Missionaries Infiltrating North Korea: How Long Can the Hermit Kingdom Avoid Reform?" *Asia Pacific Memo*. 2011. No. 77.
- "Engaging North Korea: Is 2010 a Watershed Year for US-DPRK-ROK Relations?" *Journal of Asia Pacific Studies*. 2010. 1(3): 647-656.
- "Engaging North Korea After the Cheonan Sinking." *The Newsletter*. International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS). Winter 2010. 55: 4.
- "Bringing North Korea into the Classroom." *Asian Studies Newsletter*. Association of Asian Studies (AAS). 2010. 55 (2): 20.
- "Haitian Disaster Relief: Implications of Chinese and Taiwanese Assistance." *The Newsletter* International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS). Spring 2010. 53: 9.
- "Grad Students: Make the Most of Your Conference Presentation." *The Arch* (Newsletter of ISA-Midwest). 2007. 1 (1): 1-3.
- "Taiwan in Crisis: The Politicization of SARS and Chen Shui-bian's Re-election." *Graduate Journal of Asia-Pacific Studies*. 2005. 3 (1): 67-75.
- "Don't Forget Taiwan." *Asian Studies Newsletter*. Association of Asian Studies (AAS). Winter Issue, 2003. 48 (4).

INVITED TALKS (14)

- “Electoral Paths and Support For Same-Sex Marriage Legislation: Evidence from Taiwan”. University of London School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS). March 13, 2016
- “Partisanship, Polling and Strategic Voting in East Asia: Evidence From an Experimental Web Survey”. University of London School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS). March 12, 2016.
- Participant on “The 2016 Elections” panel. Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS). Washington, DC. September 14, 2015.
- “Strategic Voting in Taiwan: An Experimental Design.” Korea University. Seoul, South Korea. June 12, 2015.
- “Characterization in Pro Wrestling.” Guest lecture in POP201 (Intro to Pop Culture Studies) Western Kentucky University). April 7, 2015.
- “North Korea: Fact, Fiction, or Propaganda?” University of Central Missouri. Warrensburg, MO. March 31, 2015.
- “Propaganda with Purpose? Uncovering Patterns in North Korean Nuclear Rhetoric, 1997-2012.” University of Louisville. Center for Asian Democracy. April 2, 2014.
- “Political Punching Bags: Pro Wrestling in the Real World.” Western Kentucky University. April 25, 2013.
- “Thriving as a Newly Minted Junior Faculty Member.” Indiana University Political Science Department. February 22, 2013.
- “North Korea: Fact, Fiction, and Propaganda.” Kentucky Wesleyan College. Owensboro, Kentucky. February 11, 2013.
- “Human Rights in North Korea.” Geography and History of the World Workshops. Coordinated by the Center for Social Studies and International Education (CSSIE) at Indiana University. Greencastle and Charlestown, IN. December 13 and 16, 2011.
- “The East Asian Divergence: National and District Level Competition in Mixed Systems.” Waseda University. Tokyo, Japan. July 11, 2011.
- “Making the Most of Your Time in Korea.” National Research Foundation headquarters. Seoul, South Korea. June 13, 2011.
- “Sino-US Relations and Responding to North Korea.” Catholic University. Bucheon, South Korea. May 6, 2011.

OTHER MEDIA OUTREACH (15)

- Quoted in Peter Harmsen. 2015. “2016: Et skæbner for Taiwan?” Udenrigs. 2015: 1015-111. http://udenrigs.dk/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/Udenrigs_3_2015_webPDF.pdf
- Korean Propaganda Shows Imagery of the South’s Leader Being Blown Up”. LA Times. March 30, 2016. <http://www.latimes.com/world/asia/la-fg-north-korea-threat-20160330-story.html>
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- Cipher Brief. “Taiwan’s First Female President?” January 12, 2016. <https://www.thecipherbrief.com/article/taiwan%E2%80%99s-first-female-president>
- Quoted in Christopher Bodeen. “Taiwan Presidential Race Showcases Women’s Increasing Role.” Associated Press. January 15, 2016.
- Interview with TVBS. Taipei, Taiwan. January 12, 2016. <http://mnews.tvbs.com.tw/politics/detail.html?s=news-634672>

- Interview with Voice of America (Chinese language edition). October 21, 2015. <http://www.voachinese.com/content/taiwan-politics-youth/3015875.html>
- Opinion piece. "Why Does South Korea Lag on LGBT Rights?" *Hankyoreh*. June 11, 2015. http://english.hani.co.kr/arti/english_edition/e_editorial/695512.html
- Quoted in Jung Min-ho. "Pastor Caught Up in Plagiarism Allegations." *Korea Times*. August 19, 2013. http://www.koreatimes.co.kr/www/news/culture/2013/08/316_141332.html
- Quoted in Steven Boroweic. "North, South Korean Officials Meet for First Time in Two Years." *Christian Science Monitor*. June 9, 2013. <http://www.csmonitor.com/World/Asia-Pacific/2013/0609/North-South-Korean-officials-meet-for-first-time-in-two-years>
- Invited opinion piece. "Park's challenges bigger than other female Asian leaders." *Korea Times*. March 7, 2013. http://www.koreatimes.co.kr/www/news/nation/2013/03/116_131719.html
- Cited in Fung Chi-Ching. "【筆陣】「挑戰式穩定」：金正恩的「外交新思維」與東北亞局勢." *The Glocal*. February 22, 2013. <http://www.glocal.org.hk/articles/11028>
- Quoted in Jung Min-ho. "East Asia Ties Hinge on Economy." *Korea Times*. December 31, 2012. http://koreatimes.co.kr/www/news/nation/2012/12/113_128056.html
- Quoted in Jung Min-ho. "Be Wise, Voters!" *Korea Times*. December 12, 2012. http://koreatimes.co.kr/www/news/nation/2012/12/113_126558.html
- Invited Opinion Piece. "Experts Corner: China Relations Have Room For Improvement." *College Heights Herald*. October 12, 2012. http://wkuherald.com/opinion/article_821ae9ce-1430-11e2-ad1b-0019bb30f31a.html
- Letter to the Editor. "Side-Effects of 'Truce'." *Taipei Times*. September 14, 2011. <http://www.taipetimes.com/News/editorials/archives/2011/09/14/2003513217>
- Interview with Citizen Congress Watch. Taipei, Taiwan. July 28, 2009.

CONFERENCE PAPERS (32)

- 2015: MPSA; SPSA; ISA-Midwest (2)
2014: MPSA; SPSA; ISA-Midwest; Kentucky Political Science Association (KPSA)
2013: MPSA; ISA-Midwest; Korean Studies Institute (USC)
2012: MPSA; ISA-Midwest (3)
2011: ISA-Midwest (2); Asian Election Studies (Korea); Taiwan Political Science Association (TPSA)
2010: ISA-Midwest; Asia Pacific Week (ANU)
2009: ISA-Midwest; American Association for Chinese Studies (AACS)
2007: APSA, ISA-Midwest; Taiwan, China and Democratization in East Asia (Missouri State)
2006: ISA-Midwest
2005: ISA-Midwest
2004: SPSA, American Association for Chinese Studies (AACS)
2003: MPSA, ISA-Midwest

PAPER AWARDS (2)

Southeast Conference Association for Asian Studies (SCAAS)

Article Prize. 2014. For "Like Father Like Son? Correlates of Leadership in North Korea's English Language News." Korea Observer. 2012. 43(4): 649-674.

International Studies Association-Midwest

Margaret G. Hermann Award for Best Paper Utilizing Text Analysis in Leadership Studies 2013. For "Introducing the Great Successor: North Korean English Language News Coverage of Kim Jong Un 2010-2011."

TEACHING AND ADVISING

Classes Taught (10)

International Affairs Senior Seminar
Faculty Led Study Abroad: Taiwan
Government and Politics of East Asia
Comparative Elections and Voting
Chinese Politics
Politics of North Korea
Introduction to Comparative Politics
Introduction to International Relations
American Government
American Political Controversies

Advising

Master's Thesis Committee Member: 1 student
Honors Thesis Advisor, 7 students
WKU Faculty-Undergraduate Student Engagement (FUSE) grant recipients, 15 students

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (11)

Faculty Leader. Zuheir Sofia Endowed International Faculty Seminar. 2015-2016
International Year of South Korea Planning Committee. 2016-2017.
Boyd-Lubker Visiting Scholar Program Committee. 2015-
Boren Scholarship Committee. 2014, 2016
Potter College Advisory Committee on Research and Creative Activity. Spring 2015
Liaison with exchange programs in Taiwan 2014-
(includes assisting in the establishing of an exchange program with National Chengchi University)
Potter College Arts & Letters Magazine Committee. 2013-2015.
Chinese Flagship Search Committee. 2013-2014, 2014-2015.
Truman Scholarship Committee. 2013, 2014.
REACH Student Research Conference Judge. March 23, 2013.
Program Organizer. Graduate School Talk. April 24, 2013.

UNIVERSITY AWARDS (3)

University Faculty Award for Research/Creativity (2016)
Potter College Faculty Award for Research/Creativity (2016)
Office of Scholar Development's Mentor Award (2016)

RESEARCH GRANTS FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS (11)

Academy of Korean Studies. Research Grant. 2015.
Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation. Research Grant. 2015.
Western Kentucky University. Research and Creative Activities Program (RCAP) Grant. 2015.
Taiwan Foundation for Democracy (TFD). Postdoctoral Fellowship. Summer 2014.
Association For Asian Studies (AAS). North East Asia Council (NEAC) Korean Studies Grant. 2012.
Academy of Korean Studies. Research Grant. 2011.
Korea Foundation. Field Research Grant. 2011.
Matsuhita Foundation. Research Grant. 2010.
Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation. Dissertation Fellowship. 2010-2011.
National Science Foundation. East Asia and Pacific Summer Institutes for U.S. Graduate Students (EAPSI) Korea.
Summer 2010.
National Science Foundation. East Asia and Pacific Summer Institutes for U.S. Graduate Students (EAPSI). Taiwan.
Summer 2009.

OTHER FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS (7)

Foreign Language and Areas Studies (FLAS) Fellowship. Chinese. 2008-2009.
Foreign Language and Areas Studies (FLAS) Fellowship. Indiana University. Chinese (Summer) 2008.
Indiana University. International Enhancement Grant. Chinese (Summer). 2008.
Foreign Language and Areas Studies (FLAS) Fellowship. Indiana University. Uyghur (Summer). 2006.
Indiana University. Graduate Academic Fellowship. 2005-2006.
Outstanding Master of Arts Scholar in Political Science. Ohio University. 2005.
Daniel Shao Scholarship. (for studying in China). 2004.

NON-UNIVERSITY TRAVEL GRANTS (2)

Southern Political Science Association. Travel Grant. 2014.
American Political Science Association. Graduate Student Travel Grant. 2007.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS DECLINED (3)

Taiwan Foundation for Democracy. 2010.
Center for Chinese Studies (Taiwan). 2010.
Huayu Enrichment Scholarship (Ministry of Education, Taiwan). 2008.

EXPERIENCE ABROAD

Australia

February 8-11 2010, Conference Presentation

China

Summer 2004, Study Abroad

Japan

Summer 2011, Dissertation Research

Korea

May-June 2016, Leading a Faculty Trip
Summer 2010, Dissertation Research
Summer 2011 Dissertation Research
May-June 2013, Election Research
June 2015, Service to WKU and Research

Taiwan

December 3-11 2006, Election Observation Tour
Summer 2008, Language Study
Summer 2009, Pre-Dissertation Research
November - December 2010, Dissertation Research
Summer 2014, Election Research
June 2015, Election Research
January 2016, Study Abroad Leader

United Kingdom

March 9-13 2016, Invited Lectures

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Reviewer (28)

Acta Politica, Asian Journal of Political Science, Asian Politics & Policy, British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Politics, Electoral Studies, Government & Opposition, International Journal of Asia Pacific Studies, International Relations of the Asia Pacific, International Political Science Review, International Studies Quarterly, Issues & Studies, Journal of Asian and African Studies, Journal of Asian Politics and History, Journal of Contemporary Eastern Asia, Journal of East Asian Studies, Journal of Politics, Journal of Public Opinion Elections and Parties, Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics, Legislative Studies Quarterly, Midsouth Political Science Review, Pacific Review, Political Behavior, Political Research Quarterly, Political Science Quarterly, PS: Political Science & Politics, Representation, Social Science Quarterly

Panel Discussant (9)

Indiana University Political Science Students Association: 2009, 2011

International Studies Association-Midwest: 2006, 2012, 2014

Midwest Political Science Association: 2012, 2014, 2015

Southern Political Science Association: 2014

Member (6)

American Political Science Association

Association for Asian Studies

International Studies Association

International Studies Association-Midwest

Midwest Political Science Association

Southern Political Science Association

DATA RELEASED

“Institutional Influence on Turnout in Mixed Member Electoral Systems 1990-2010.” ICPSR ID: 34687

“Diplomatic Recognition of Taiwan (The Republic of China) From 1950-2007”. ICPSR ID: 30802.

RESEARCH SKILLS

Language: Mandarin Chinese (intermediate)

Statistical Packages: STATA and WordStat