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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2019-present	Associate Professor of Political Science, University of Tulsa
2013-2019	Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of Tulsa
2012-2013	Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science, Linfield College

EDUCATION

Ph.D.	University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, Political Science (2013)
M.A.	Illinois State University, Politics and Government (2006)
B.A.	Illinois State University, Politics and Government (Magna Cum Laude, 2004)

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Pluralism and Its Critics: How Interest Groups Contribute to—and Undermine—American Democracy,
Routledge, forthcoming.

Political Advocacy and Its Interested Citizens: Neoliberalism, Postpluralism, and LGBT Organizations,
University of Pennsylvania Press, 2019.

Journal Articles

“Promiscuity of the Past: Neoliberalism and Gay Sexuality Pre- and Post-AIDS,” *Politics, Groups, & Identities* 7:1 (March 2019), pp. 52-70.

“Reinventing Pluralism: Consensus, Hegemony, and the Politics of Affirmation,” *New Political Science* 39:1 (March 2017), pp. 17-35.

With Bernard Tamas. “Ballot Access Laws and the Decline of American Third-Parties,” *Election Law Journal* 13:2 (June 2014), pp. 260-276.

“Rethinking Intersectionality: Towards an Understanding of Discursive Marginalization,” *New Political Science* 33:2 (June 2011), pp. 189-210.

Book Chapters

“Populism and Citizenship: Toward a ‘Thickening’ of American Populism,” in *Mapping Populism: Approaches and Methods*, Majia Nadesan and Amit Ron, eds. New York: Routledge, 2020, pp. 22-31.

Reference

With Andrew Noland. “Neoliberalism in U.S. Politics,” *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science*, Sandy Maisel, ed. New York: Oxford University Press, 2019.

“Endean, Steve,” *American National Biography*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2018.

“Interest Groups and Inequality in the United States,” in *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science*, Sandy Maisel, ed. New York: Oxford University Press, 2017.

Book Reviews

Review of *Disrupting Dignity: Rethinking Power and Progress in LGBTQ Lives*, by Stephen M. Engel and Timothy S. Lyle, *American Political Thought* 11:2 (2022), pp. 286-289.

Review of *Punishment, Participatory Democracy, and the Jury*, by Albert Dzur, *Law and Politics Book Review* 23:8 (2013), pp. 393-396.

Review of *Queer Mobilizations: LGBT Activists Confront the Law*, by Mary Bernstein, et. al., eds., *Law and Politics Book Review*, 21:1 (2011), pp. 22-25.

WORKS IN PROGRESS & UNDER REVIEW

With M. David Forrest. “Looking Beyond the Pluralist Heaven: Voice and Conflict in the Interest Group System,” in preparation.

JOURNALISM & POPULAR PRESS

With Zein Murib. “The Olympic Boxing Controversy Wasn’t About Protecting Athletes,” *Good Authority* (Aug. 7, 2024).

“Interdisciplinarity’s Shared Governance Problem: What ‘Division’ Means Subtraction,” *Academe* (Fall 2021), pp. 26-32.

With Ryan Saylor. “A Crisis of Shared Governance at the University of Tulsa.” *AcademeBlog* (May 3, 2019).

With Bernard Tamas. “The U.S has more third-party candidates than it’s seen in a decade. Why?” *The Monkey Cage* (Aug. 31, 2016).

“Here’s one simple way to minimize the chaos at the Republican National Convention,” *The Monkey Cage* (Apr. 14, 2016).

“Yuge Differences: Why Sanders and Trump are Not Alike,” *CounterPunch* (Feb. 19, 2016).

“How Citizens United Has Changed the Political Landscape,” *Tulsa World* (Jan. 21, 2015).

COURSES TAUGHT

At University of Tulsa (2013-present)

FS 1973: Higher Education & Its Critics (5 times)

“First Seminar” course exploring the mission(s) of higher education and the challenges facing today’s college students, professors, and administrators.

POL 2363: Understanding American Politics (15 times)

Overview of the American political system, including an exploration of the Constitution, the three branches of government, civil liberties, and civil rights.

POL 2863: Representation & Reform in U.S. Politics

Explains key reform efforts designed to improve representative institutions such as the U.S. House, Senate, Electoral College, and political parties.

POL 3213: American Political Parties & Ideologies (7 times)

Explores the functions of political parties in the United States and the development of American conceptions of freedom.

POL 3293: Inequalities in American Democracy (7 times)

Investigates how inequalities associated with class and race impact the functioning of American politics and American society.

POL 3373: Interest Groups & Money in U.S. Politics (5 times)

Overviews the “pluralist” approach to politics and the ways that money impacts contemporary American politics.

POL 3523: Gender & Sexuality in U.S. Politics (5 times)

Overviews key concepts and controversies regarding issues of gender and sexuality as they relate to American politics.

POL 4073: The American Presidency (7 times)

Explores the historical development of presidential power in the United States, including contemporary controversies over the uses (and abuses) of these powers.

POL 4513: Topics in Public Affairs—Campaign 2020/2024 (2 times)

Examines the rules governing the nomination and selection of the American president, focusing on the 2020 and 2024 campaigns as they unfolded.

At Linfield College (2012-2013)

POLS 201: American Politics

(2 times)

Introductory course exploring the institutions and ideas central to the functioning of American democracy.

POLS 230: Research Methods

Introduction to methodological approaches to political research, emphasizing the basics of statistical analysis.

POLS 330: Politics & the Arts—The Wire

Course exploring themes of race, poverty governance, inequality, and incarceration using HBO's *The Wire* as one of the course's primary texts.

POLS 365: Topics in American Politics—Parties & Interest Groups

Course exploring the power and influence wielded by organized groups active within the American political system.

At University of MN-Twin Cities (2010)

POL 3235W: Democracy and Citizenship

Survey of the history of democratic thought and introduction to contemporary challenges to democratic theory, including issues of race, gender, sexuality, and inequality.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

“Discipline-Based Departments and Shared Governance,” presented virtually at the AAUP Shared Governance Conference, June 2021

“From Departments to Divisions: Neoliberalism and Administrative Restructuring in U.S. Colleges and Universities,” to have been presented at the Future of the University Conference at the University of Tulsa, April 2020 (cancelled: coronavirus).

“From Departments to Divisions: Neoliberalism and Administrative Restructuring in U.S. Colleges and Universities,” to have been presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, April 2020 (cancelled: coronavirus).

“Populist Citizenship: Toward a ‘Thicker’ American Populism,” presented at the New Directions on American Populism workshop at Arizona State University-West, March 2018.

“Acting Up in a Time of Crisis: ACT UP and the Limits of an Interested Citizenry,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, March 2016.

M. David Forrest and Matthew D. Hindman, “It’s Time to Get Over the Pluralist Heaven: Voice and Conflict in the Interest Group System,” presented at the Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association, Sept. 2015.

- “‘Promiscuity of the Past’: Gay Advocacy Pre- and Post-AIDS,” presented at the Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association, August 2014.
- “Exploring the Constitutive Impact of Political Advocacy Upon Democratic Citizenship,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, April 2014.
- “‘Promiscuity of the Past’: AIDS Advocacy and the Making of ‘Deserving’ Subjects,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, March 2013.
- “From Christopher Street to K Street: LGBT Advocacy During the Long 1970s,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, March 2012.
- “LGBT’s Pre-History: Democratic Inclusion and Homophile Citizenship Before Stonewall,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, April 2011.
- “A Liberal Consensus or Hegemonic Politics? Assessing Pluralist Theory in a Post-Schattschneiderian Age,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, April 2010.
- “Locating the Intersection or Representing the Margins? Assessing Intersectionality’s Emergence in the Social Sciences,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Western Political Science Association, March 2009.
- Bernard Tamas and Matthew D. Hindman, “Has the Prohibition of Fusion *Really* Hurt Third Parties?” presented at the Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2008.
- Bernard Tamas and Matthew D. Hindman, “Have State Election Laws *Really* Hurt Third Parties?” presented at the Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2007.
- Bernard Tamas, Matthew D. Hindman, and Amalia Monroe, “Ballot Access Laws and the Two-Phase Decline of American Third Parties,” presented at the Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2006.

ACADEMIC AWARDS, GRANTS, & DISTINCTIONS

2026	University of Tulsa Outstanding Teacher Award
2025	Arts & Sciences Excellence in Teaching & Mentoring Award
2025	Arts & Sciences Nominee – University of Tulsa Outstanding Teacher
2024	Arts & Sciences Nominee – University of Tulsa Outstanding Teacher
2023	Faculty Development Summer Research Fellowship (University of Tulsa)
2022	Arts & Sciences Nominee – University of Tulsa Outstanding Teacher
2021	Arts & Sciences Nominee – University of Tulsa Outstanding Teacher
2021	NOVA Faculty Fellow

2019	“Author Meets Critics” panel on <i>Political Advocacy and Its Interested Citizens</i> at the Western Political Science Association annual meeting
2018	Thomas H. Buckley Award for Teaching Excellence (University of Tulsa)
2015	Faculty Development Summer Research Fellowship (University of Tulsa)
2014	Faculty Development Summer Research Fellowship (University of Tulsa)
2011-2012	Political Science Departmental Dissertation Fellowship
2011	University of Minnesota Graduate Research Partnership Program (GRPP) Summer Fellowship
2006-2010	University of Minnesota Dept. of Political Science Summer Fellowship
2006	Illinois State University Charter Department Outstanding Graduate Student Award
2004	Thomas More Scholarship in Political Theory
2000-2004	Illinois State University Presidential Scholarship with Full Tuition Waiver

INVITED TALKS & APPEARANCES

“Overview of U.S. Government,” presentation to Mandela Washington Fellows at the University of Tulsa (June 2025)

Discussant for OSU-Cineculture and Center for Public Secrets screening of the film *Dark Money* (January 2022)

Fox23 Political Analyst for 2020 elections

Speaker for *Israel and the Diaspora* program titled “Elections and Government,” hosted by the Jewish Federation of Tulsa (November 2019)

Panelist for “The University and Free Speech,” hosted by U-Tulsa’s Women’s and Gender Studies Program and Public Radio Tulsa (March 2018)

Panelist for “Forbidden: Undocumented and Queer in Rural America,” hosted by U-Tulsa Law’s ImmLaw (Immigration Law Society) and OutLaws (LGBTQ) student groups (Oct. 2017)

Panelist and organizer of Presidential Debate Recap at U-Tulsa (Sept. 2016)

Speaker at TU Kappa Delta workshop on the 2016 election (Sept. 2016)

In-studio analyst for KJRH primary election coverage (Feb. 2016)

Speaker at TU Common Sense Action inaugural event (Fall 2015)

Panelist for “Marriage Equality: What It Means for Oklahoma,” panel by TU Pride (2014)

“Organizing for LGBT Rights in the United States,” presentation to Willamette University political science students (2013)

“Interest Group Citizenship,” presentation to Linfield College Sociology & Anthropology “Voices” Seminar (2012)

Panelist for Presidential Debate Recap at Linfield College (2012)

Panelist for Linfield College *Pizza & Politics* Event (2012)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & SERVICE

Member of the American Association of University Professors (AAUP): 2019-present

Member of the American Political Science Association (APSA): 2011-present

Section Memberships: New Political Science; Sexuality & Politics

Member of the Western Political Science Association (WPSA): 2009-present

Manuscript Reviewer for the following journals:

Election Law Journal; *Journal of Homosexuality*; *Mobilization*; *New Political Science* (4x); *Oxford Encyclopedia of LGBT Politics and Policy*; *Perspectives on Politics*; *Politics, Groups & Identities*; *Political Research Quarterly* (3x); *Polity* (2x); *PS: Political Science & Politics*; *Social Sciences*

Chair/Discussant for the Western Political Science Association annual meeting (7 times)

Panels: “Political Party Influence” (2024); “Is Higher Education at a Crossroads? Corporatism and an Analysis of the Cost of Higher Education” (2022); “Interest Group Participation and Formation in the U.S.” (2019); “Queer Approaches to the Study of Politics” (2018); “Political Theory in Trans Perspective” & “Legal & Qualitative” (2017); “Morality Criminality and Violence in Sexuality Discourse” (2016); “Group Mobilization in US Policy Making” (2015); “LGBTQ Politics and Activism” (2014)

Section Chair of Midwest Political Science Association’s Political Parties & Interest Groups section (2022)

Section Chair of Southern Political Science Association’s LGBT Politics section (2019)

Chair/Discussant for the Southern Political Science Association annual meeting (2019)

Panel: “LGBT Activism, Assimilation, and Citizenship”

Visiting Fellow in Assessment for AP United States Government & Politics Exam (2025)

DEPARTMENTAL & UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Chair, Dept. of Political Science (2022-2026)

College of Arts & Sciences Chairs Council “Chair of Chairs” (2025-2026)

Faculty Senator (2020-2026)

Faculty Appeals Board (2025-2026)

President, TU-American Association of University Professors (TU-AAUP): 2020-2023

Vice President, TU-American Association of University Professors (TU-AAUP): 2019-2020

Faculty Senate Steering Committee (2023)

Shared Governance Task Force (2020-2021)

Faculty Senate Bylaws Committee (2020-2021)

Teacher Education Council (2024-present)

Peer Reviewer for Women and Gender Studies Program Assessment (2024)

Member of the University of Tulsa Women and Gender Studies Governing Board (2016-2020)

Organizer of University of Tulsa “Pizza & Politics” Film Series (2015-2020)

Pre-Law Advisor (2018-2019; 2022-2023)

Hiring Committee, 20th Century US and World History, TU Dept. of History (2018-2019)

Political Theory Faculty Recruitment Committee (2014-2015)

Classroom Technology Sustainability Committee (2020-2021)

Learning Assessment Project (TULAP) participant (2014-2018)

College of Arts & Sciences Task Force on Administrative Reorganization (2019-2020)

College of Arts & Sciences Executive Committee (2020-2022)

College of Arts & Sciences Curriculum Committee (2017-2019)

College of Arts & Sciences Traffic and Parking Committee (2016-2018)

College of Arts & Sciences Student Course Evaluations Committee (2015-2017)

Supervised > 35 University of Tulsa Senior Projects (2014-present)

Supervised 1 TU Research Challenge (TURC) project (2025)

Supervised 1 Honor's Plan (2022)

Supervised 1 University of Tulsa Internship project (2017)

Faculty Advisor for:

Pi Sigma Alpha (2014-2018; 2022-2026); College Republicans (2017-2021); Women's Work (2018-2019); Common Sense Action (2014-2015); Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature (2023-2026)

METHODOLOGICAL & PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

University of Tulsa Faculty Leadership Development Program (2019-2020)

University of Minnesota Political Science Teaching Conference (2014)

Methodological Coursework at the University of Minnesota:

GRAD 8101: Preparing Future Faculty (2010)

SOC 8890: Historical Sociology (2010)

UMN Qualitative Methodologies workshop (2010)

POL 8126: Qualitative Methods (2008)

POL 8125: Dynamic Analysis (2008)

POL 8160: Maximum Likelihood Estimation (2007)

POL 8123: Intro to Quantitative Political Research (2007)