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Positions

Michelle and Kevin Douglas Professor of International Studies, Department of Political Science, and Senior Fellow, Freeman Spogli Institute, Stanford University, 2016-

Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution, 2020

Director, The Europe Center, Stanford University, 2018-

Senior Fellow, Center for European Studies, Harvard University, 2015-

Ronald and Eileen Weiser Professor of European and Eurasian Studies, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, 2010-2016.

Director, Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies (WCED) and Weiser Center for Europe and Eurasia (WCEE), University of Michigan, 2010-2016.

•Secured a gift of \$25 million from Amb. and Mrs. Weiser in 2014, expanding endowment to \$35 million.

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, 2005-2010.

Associate Professor with Tenure, Department of Political Science, Yale University, 2004.

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Yale University, 2000-2004.

Education

Harvard University, PhD with Distinction, Government Department, June 2000.

Cambridge University, MPhil, Faculty of Social and Political Studies, July 1993.

Princeton University, AB with Honors, Public and International Affairs, June 1992.

Publications

Books

Nations Under God: How Churches Use Moral Authority to Influence Policy Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2015.

- 2017 APSA Gregory Luebbert Prize for Best Book in Comparative Politics
- 2016 Laura Shannon Prize in Contemporary European Studies for Best Book in Politics and History
- 2016 APSA European Politics Section Prize for Best Book.

●2016 APSA Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section, Giovanni Sartori Award, Honorable Mention

Rebuilding Leviathan: Party Competition and State Exploitation. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2007

●2008 Ed A. Hewett Prize for Best Publication on the Political Economy of the Former Soviet Union and East Central Europe

Redeeming the Communist Past: The Regeneration of Communist Successor Parties. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2002.

Peer-reviewed Articles

"Beyond War and Contracts: The Medieval and Religious Roots of the European State," *Annual Review of Political Science*, 2020.

"The consequences of authoritarian party exit and reinvention for democratic competition," *Comparative Political Studies*, September 2020.

"Populism," for the "Weasel Words" edited Symposium, *East European Politics and Societies*, Spring 2020.

"How Populists Rule: The Consequences for Democratic Governance," "Introduction," and "Conclusion" for the "European Populism in Global Perspective" edited Symposium, *Polity*, October 2019.

"Hoist on their own petards? The reinvention and collapse of authoritarian successor parties" *Party Politics*, July 2019.

"Making Godly Nations: Church-State Pathways in Poland and the Philippines" (with Dan Slater) *Comparative Politics*, July 2018.

"The Difficulty with Doctrine," *Government and Opposition*, April 2016.

"Weapons of the Meek: How Churches Influence Public Policy," *World Politics*, January 2016.

●2017 Mary Parker Follett Prize, *Politics and History Section, APSA*

"Thy Will Be Done? Religious Nationalism and Its Policy Effects in East Central Europe," *East European Politics and Societies*, May 2015.

"Good Clubs and Community Support: Explaining the Growth of Strict Religions" *Journal of Church and State*, 56, 2: 2014.

"Why are there are (Almost) No Post-Communist Christian Democratic Parties?" *Party Politics*, 19, 2: 2013.

"Why Comparative Politics Needs to take Religion More Seriously," *Annual Review of Political Science*, 2012.

"Time will Tell? Temporality and the Analysis of Causal Mechanisms," *Comparative Political Studies*, 44, 9, 2011.

●2012 Alexander George Award for Best Article, *Qualitative Methods Section, APSA*

"The Best-Laid Plans: The Impact of Informal Rules on Formal Institutions," *Studies in Comparative International Development*, September 2010.

"Beyond Clientelism: Incumbent Capture and State Building," *Comparative Political Studies* April/ May 2008.

"Encouraging Effective Democratic Competition" *East European Politics and Societies*, Winter 2007.

"The Great Divide: Precommunist Schooling and Postcommunist Trajectories" (with Keith Darden) *World Politics*, October 2006.

•2008 Gregory Luebbert Award for Best Article, Comparative Politics Section, APSA

"Authoritarian Determinants of Democratic Party Competition," *Party Politics*, April/ May 2006.

"Political Competition and the Politicization of the State," *Comparative Political Studies*, December 2003.

•2004 Best Paper Award, European Politics Section, APSA

"Great Expectations: the EU and domestic political competition in East Central Europe," (with Abby Innes), *East European Politics and Societies*, Special Issue on EU Enlargement, Winter 2003.

"Re-conceptualizing the State: Lessons from Post-Communism," with Pauline Jones Luong, *Politics and Society*, Special Issue on Re-conceptualizing the State (co-edited with Pauline Jones Luong), December 2002.

"The Programmatic Turnaround of Communist Successor Parties in East Central Europe," *Communist and Post-Communist Studies*, March 2002.

"Coalition Formation and the Regime Divide in East Central Europe," *Comparative Politics*, October 2001.

"The Organizational Strategies of Communist Parties in East Central Europe, 1945- 1989," *East European Politics and Societies*, Fall 2001.

"Reform Efforts in the Czech and Slovak Communist Parties and their Successors, 1988- 1993," *East European Politics and Societies*, Fall 1998.

Other Articles

"Global Populisms White Paper," The Europe Center and Freeman Spogli Institute, May 2020

"Paths to Power," *Foreign Affairs*, January/ February 2020

"The Failure of European Mainstream Parties," *Journal of Democracy*, October 2019.

"Poland's Illiberal Turn," *Current History*, March 2018.

"Introduction," and "Global Populisms" *Slavic Review*, Critical Discussion editor, Summer 2017.

"An East-West Split in the EU?," *Current History*, March 2016.

"Re-stating Party Development in Central and Eastern Europe?" Special Review Section, *Czech Sociological Review*, 44, 6, 2008

"New Dysfunctionalism? Paradoxes of EU Accession and the Postcommunist Candidate Countries," APSA *European Politics Section Newsletter*, Spring/ Summer 2004

Chapters in Edited Volumes

"Victims of their own success? The paradoxical fate of the communist successor parties," in *Authoritarian Successor Parties*, ed James Loxton and Scott Mainwaring, Cambridge University Press, 2018.

"Religion and Historical Institutionalism," in *The Oxford Handbook of Historical Institutionalism*, ed. Tulia Falletti and Orfeo Fioretos, Oxford University Press, 2016.

"The Peculiarities of Post-communist State Outcomes: Institutional Consolidation and Elite Competition" (with Pauline Jones Luong) in *The Oxford Handbook of the State*, ed. Evelyne Huber, Stephan Leibfried, John Stephens, Oxford University Press, 2015.

"Historical Roots of Religious Influence on Post-Communist Democratic Politics," in *Historical Legacies of Communism in Russia and East Europe*, ed. Mark Beissinger and Stephen Kotkin, Cambridge University Press, 2014.

"The Communist Exit in East Central Europe and Its Consequences," in *Political Transitions in Dominant Party Systems: Learning to Lose*, ed. Joseph Wong and Edward Friedman, Routledge, 2008.

"Democratization: Post-Communist Implications," (with Pauline Jones Luong) in *The Oxford Handbook of Political Economy*, ed. Barry Weingast and Donald Wittman, Oxford University Press, 2006.

"Redeeming the Past: Communist Successor Parties after 1989," in *Capitalism and Democracy in Central and Eastern Europe: Assessing the Legacy of Communist Rule*, ed. Grzegorz Ekiert and Stephen Hanson, Cambridge University Press, 2003.

"The Effects of Communist Party Transformation on the Institutionalization of Party Systems," in *Communist Successor Parties a Decade After: Reform or Transmutation?* ed. Andras Bozoki and John Ishiyama, M.E. Sharpe, 2002.

"Organizational resources, elite capacities, and public commitments: the Czech and Slovak cases," in *Communist Successor Parties in Post-Communist Politics*, ed. John Ishiyama, Nova Science Publishers, 1998.

Reviews

Religion, Politics, and Values in Poland: Continuity and Change since 1989, edited by Sabrina Ramet and Irena Borowik, *Journal of Religion in Europe*, Issue 2-3, 2018.

The 1989 Revolutions in Central and Eastern Europe, edited by Kevin McDermott and Matthew Stibbe, *Slavonic and East European Review*, April 2014

Democracy and Authoritarianism in the Postcommunist World, edited by Valerie Bunce, Michael McFaul, and Kathryn Stoner-Weiss. *Slavic Review* Summer 2011.

Political Parties and the State in Post-Communist Europe, edited by Petr Kopecky, *Party Politics*, May 2010

Institutions and the Fate of Democracy, by Michael Bernhard, *Journal of Cold War Studies*, Winter 2010.

In Pursuit of Liberalism, by Rachel Epstein, *Governance*, December 2009.

Political Parties in Post-Communist Societies, by Maria Spirova, *Slavic Review*, Fall 2008.

Constraints and Opportunities of Leadership in Post-Communist Europe, by Timothy Houghton, and *Policy Reform and the Development of Democracy in Eastern Europe*, by Chris Hasselman, *Canadian-American Slavic Studies*, 2008.

Post-Communist EU Member States: Parties and Party Systems, by Susanne Jungerstam-Mulders, *Slavic Review*, Fall 2008.

From Elections to Democracy: Building Accountable Government in Hungary and Poland by Susan Rose-Ackerman, *Political Science Quarterly*, Spring 2006.

Developments in Central and East European Politics, edited by Stephen White, Judy Batt, and Paul Lewis, *Europe-Asia Studies*, January 2004.

Political Parties After Communism: Developments in East-Central Europe, by Tomas Kostecky, in *Slavic Review*, 3, 2003.

The Radical Right in Central and Eastern Europe Since 1989, edited by Sabrina Ramet, *Newsletter of the ECPR-SG on Extremism & Democracy*, No. 3, Autumn 2000

Working Papers

"Post-Communist Competition and State Development," Center for European Studies Working Paper 59, Harvard University, December 2004

"The Ignored Transition: Post-Communist State Development,'" with Pauline Jones Luong. Weatherhead Center for International Affairs Working Paper Series, 02- 02, February 2002

"Post-Communist Coalitions and the Regime Divide," Center for European Studies Working Paper Series, 52, November 1999

Popular Publications

"Poland's Presidential Election Just Got More Complicated," *Monkey Cage* 8 May 2020.

"Once, the 'Judeo-Christian tradition' united Americans. Now it divides them," *Monkey Cage*, 17 April 2019.

"Poland's new right wing government has a new prime minister," *Monkey Cage*, 12 December 2017.

"Austrian election proves right-wing populism is the new normal," *The Hill*, 22 October 2017.

"A Tale of Two Illiberalisms: Why Is Poland Failing Where Hungary Succeeded?," *IPI Global Observatory*, August 3, 2017.

"Why are there protests in Poland? Here are five things you need to know," *Monkey Cage*, December 19, 2016.

"Thousands of Poles took to the streets and defeated a draconian antiabortion law," *Monkey Cage*, October 14, 2016

"Why Would Poland Make Its Already Strict Abortion Law Draconian," *Monkey Cage*, April 18, 2016

"How Irish Gays Became 'Normal' and Why the Church Was Unable to Do Much About It,'" *Irish Times*, May 14, 2015

"Remembering Duverger," *Mischiefs of Faction*, December 31 2014

"Area Studies Centers are Vital but Vulnerable,?" *Chronicle of Higher Education*, September 30, 2013

"The Role of God in the 2012 US Election" *The Guardian* 'Comment is Free' Blog, 29 August 2012, with Mia Bruch

"Let Us Now Praise the Unlikely Triumph of Polish Democracy," *The New Republic*, 12 April 2010

Media Appearances

NPR (April 2010), France 24 Radio (November 2014), CBS Radio (November 2014), World Affairs San Francisco (February 2019), World Affairs Sonoma County (June 2019), World Affairs Monterey (October 2020)

Conferences and Workshops Organized

"Global Populisms and their International Diffusion" conference, March 2019.

"Immigration and Populism" Workshop, Stanford University, June 2018.

"Global Populisms" Conference, Stanford University, November 2017.

"The Contemporary Interpretation of Historical Legacies in East Central Europe" Conference, POLIN Museum, Warsaw, May 2016.

"Sovereignty Under Threat?" Conference, University of Michigan, May 2015.

"Religion, Identity, and Politics" Conference, University of Michigan, May 2013.

"Making Autocracies Work: Beyond the Electoral Paradigm" Conference, University of Michigan, April 2011.

"Religion and Its Ramifications" Faculty Study Group, University of Michigan, 2006-7.

"Democracy, Governance, and Identity" Conference, University of Michigan, May 2006.

Comparative Politics Workshop, University of Michigan, 2005-2015.

"New Challenges for Political Parties and Representation" Conference, University of Michigan, May 2005 (with Ken Kollman)

Workshop on Post-Communist Politics, Yale University, 2002-4 (with Keith Darden and Pauline Jones Luong)

"Rethinking the Post-Communist State" Conference, Yale University, April 2001 (with Pauline Jones Luong.)

Awards and Fellowships

2020-1 Guggenheim Fellow

2020-1 Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences Fellow

2018 Engaged Scholar Award, University of Denver

2017 American Academy of Arts and Sciences Fellow

2017 Gregory Luebbert Best Book Prize, APSA Comparative Politics Section

2017-19 Hewlett Foundation Grant for "Global Populisms" research project (total project funding \$650,000)

2017 Mary Parker Follett Best Article Prize, APSA Politics and History Section

2016-2017 Andrew Carnegie Fellow

- 2016 Laura Shannon Prize in Contemporary European Studies
- 2016 APSA European Politics Section Prize for Best Book.
- 2016 APSA Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Section, Giovanni Sartori Award, Honorable Mention
- 2015- Senior Fellow, Center for European Studies, Harvard University
- 2014 Fernand Braudel Senior Fellowship, European University Institute, Florence
- 2013 Faculty Recognition Award, University of Michigan
- 2012 APSA Alexander George Award for Best Article in Qualitative Methods
- 2009 Henry Russel Award, University of Michigan
- 2008 Ed A. Hewett Prize for Best Publication on the Political Economy of the Former Soviet Union and East Central Europe
- 2008 APSA Greg Luebbert Award for Best Article in Comparative Politics
- 2004 APSA European Politics Section Best Paper Award.
- 2003 NCEEER Policy Research Fellowship Grant for Public Opinion Research
- 2003 ISPS Grant for Public Opinion Research in Poland, Czech Republic, and Slovakia.
- 2003 IREX Short-Term Grant
- 2002 Yale University Social Science Research Fund Award
- 2001-2 and 1999-2000 Harvard Academy for Area Studies Post-Doctoral Fellowship.
- 2000 Gabriel Almond Award for Best Dissertation in Comparative Politics, APSA
- 1998-9 Brookings Institution Research Fellowship in the Foreign Policy Program.
- 1998-9 Program for the Study of Germany and Europe Dissertation Writing Fellowship.
- 1997-8 American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS) Dissertation Fellowship.
- 1996-7 Krupp Foundation Grant for Research Abroad.
- 1996 Center for European Studies Short-Term Opportunity Grant.
- 1996-7 Mellon Foundation Summer Fellowships.
- 1995-6 Mellon Fellowship for the Sawyer Seminar on the Performance of Democracies.
- 1992-1993 Cambridge Overseas Trust Fellowship for study at Cambridge University.

Invited Presentations

Council on Foreign Relations, November 2020

Center for Russian and East European Studies, University of Michigan, October 2020

State and Capitalism Workshop, Harvard University, October 2020

Center for Russian and East European Studies, University of CA-Berkeley, June 2020

Griffith University, Queensland, Australia, August 2020

European Politics Online Workshop, August 2020

National Intelligence Council, July 2020

Center for European Policy Analysis, Washington DC, May 2020

State and History Workshop, Harvard University, March 2020

Johns Hopkins University, Departmental Workshop, March 2020

Zaleski Lecture, Harvard University, November 2019

University of California, Berkeley, Comparative Politics Workshop, March 2019

Northwestern University, Comparative Politics Workshop, March 2019

University of British Columbia, Comparative Politics Workshop, January 2019

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Comparative Politics Workshop, December 2018

University of Michigan, Weiser Center, October 2018

University of Chicago, Center for Democracy, October 2018

University of Southern California, Comparative Politics Workshop, September 2018

Bocconi University, Comparative Politics Workshop, May 2018

George Washington University, Comparative Politics Workshop, April 2018

Harvard University, Harvard Academy, April 2018

University of Denver, Korbel School, March 2018

University of Virginia, Department of Politics, April 2017

Princeton University, Comparative Politics Workshop, March 2017

Vanderbilt University, Comparative Politics Workshop, March 2017

University of Kansas, Department of Political Science, February 2017

University of Oregon, Department of Political Science, January 2017

University of California, Irvine, Department of Political Science, January 2017

Tulane University, Department of Political Science, April 2016

University of Pennsylvania, Department of Political Science, March 2016

University of California, Berkeley, Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, February 2016
Johns Hopkins, SAIS, December 2015
Stanford University, Department of Political Science, May 2015
Georgetown University, March 2015
Kennedy School of Government, Harvard, February 2015
Northwestern University, December 2014
University of Chicago, November 2014
Georgetown University, September 2014
Institute for Political Economy and Governance, Barcelona, March 2014.
European University Institute, February 2014
SAIS-University of Bologna, Bologna, February 2014.
Northwestern University, Comparative Politics Workshop, January 2014.
George Washington University, Comparative Politics Workshop, December 2013.
Harvard University, Center for European Studies, November 2013.
Yale University, Comparative Politics Workshop, November 2013.
Columbia University, Comparative Politics Workshop, October 2013.
Arizona State University, Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict, March 2013.
Blanka Rosenstiel Lecture, Florida International University, January 2013.
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, November 2012.
University of Michigan, Osher Institute for Lifelong Learning, October 2012.
Juan March Institute, Madrid, April 2011.
Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington DC, March 2011.
Brigham Young University, February 2011.
University of Toronto, October 2010.
Columbia University, September 2010.
World Bank, Washington DC, April 2010.
Princeton University, April 2010.
University of Rochester, April 2010.
Brown University, March 2010.
University of Florida Center for European Studies Lecture, January 2010.
University of Chicago, March 2009.

University of California, Los Angeles, February 2009.
Yale University, March 2008.
Princeton University, October 2007.
University of Pennsylvania, Comparative Politics Workshop, February 2007.
Stanford University, Comparative Politics Workshop, January 2007.
Columbia University, Harriman Institute, January 2007.
Harvard University, Davis Center and Center for European Studies, November 2005.
University of Notre Dame, Kellogg Institute, August 2005.
World Bank Social Policy Unit, June 2005.
University of Toronto, Center for Russian and East European Studies, February 2005.
University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Political Science, November 2004.
McGill University, Department of Political Science, March 2004.
University of Michigan, Department of Political Science, February 2004.
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Department of Political Science, February 2004.
University of Washington-Seattle, Department of Political Science, December 2003.
Columbia University, Department of Political Science, December 2003.
University of California, Berkeley, Department of Political Science, October 2003.
Cornell University, Department of Government, April 2003.
University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, October 2002.
University of Chicago, Department of Political Science, April 2002.
The Ohio State University, Department of Political Science, April 2002.
EUI, Florence, February 2002.
Laval University, Quebec, September 2001.
Yale University, Department of Political Science, November 1999.

Conference and Workshop Presentations

2020: "Global Challenges to Democracy" conference, Cornell University, "Institutional Weakening" Workshop, Columbia University.

2019: "Populism in Europe" Workshop, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, "Varieties of Communism" Conference, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China.

2018: "Parties, Representation, and Governance," (Stanford University)

2017: "The Democratic Change Research Initiative: Global Trajectories and Policy Analysis," Northwestern University, "Why Do Democracies Fail (And Could it Happen Here?)," Yale University, "State Capacity in Comparative Perspective," Harvard University

2016: Where the Party Rules book workshop (Harvard University), Compliance and Resistance in Iraq under Saddam Hussein book workshop (Stanford University)

2015: Conference on Life after Dictatorship: Authoritarian Successor Parties Worldwide (University of Notre Dame), Dilemmas of Inclusion book workshop (Stanford University), Rich Voters Poor Voters book workshop (Duke University)

2014: Whither Eastern Europe? Conference (ACLS and University of Florida), 10 Years of the New Europe Conference (European University Institute), EU Enlargement and State-Building Workshop (European University Institute)

2013: Parties and Partisans Conference (Juan March, Madrid), Rivalry and Revenge book workshop (Duke University), States and Sinners book workshop (Brown University)

2011: Ruling Politics: The Formal and Informal Foundations of Power (Harvard University), Conference on Communist Legacies (Princeton University)

2010: Conference on Economic Integration and Political Fragmentation (European University Institute), Conference on Developing Party Systems (Princeton University)

2009: Workshop on Legitimacy (Harvard University)

2008: Vote Maximizing Strategies of Political Parties conference (Washington University)

2007: Workshop on Historical Institutionalism and Institutional Change (Northwestern University), Conference on Research Frontiers in Comparative Politics (Duke University)

2006: Conference on Learning to Lose: Adapting To Democracy in One-Party Dominant Systems (University of Toronto), New Frontiers of Social Policy (World Bank), Club de Madrid IV General Assembly, Post-Communist State and Society: Transnational and National Politics Conference (Syracuse University)

2004: Conference on The Role of Ideas in Postcommunist Politics (Havighurst Center, Luxembourg)

2004: Dilemmas of Europeanization Conference (Harvard University), Globalization and Social Stress Conference (TIGER, Warsaw)

2003: Eastern Enlargement of the European Union: Confronting New Unknowns? (University of California, San Diego), Overcoming State Weakness Conference (European University Institute), Evaluating Success and Failure in Postcommunist Reform (Claremont-McKenna College)

1996-1999: Postcommunist Transitions a Decade Later (Harvard University), Czech Academy of Science, Woodrow Wilson Center, New Directions in the Study of East European State Socialism (Harvard University)

American Political Science Association: 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2013, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1998.

Council of Europeanists: 2020, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2013, 2012, 2008, 2000, 1998

Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies: 2019, 2017, 2015, 2013, 2008, 2004, 2003, 2001, 1998

Teaching

Graduate courses

Comparative Politics
Authoritarian Regimes
States and Regimes
Party Politics
Qualitative Methods
Strategies of Research Design

Undergraduate courses

Populism and the Erosion of Democracy
Hidden Politics
Authoritarian Regimes
East Central European Politics

PhD Committees

Stanford University:

Alexandra Blackman (Assistant Professor, Cornell University)
Jiwon Lee
Hans Lueders
Aliz Toth

University of Michigan:

Amit Ahuja (Assistant Professor, UC-Santa Barbara)
Janna Bray (Airbnb)
Eli Feiman (Senior Analyst, US Department of State)
Jennifer Gonzalez-Miller, co-chair (Senior Analyst, Penn Schoen Berland)
Maiko Heller (Mediaplus, Munich)
Trevor Johnston, chair (Kennedy School Post-Doc)
Carolina Moyer de Miguel (Assistant Professor, University of Toronto)
Yoshi Ono (Professor, Tohoku University, Japan)
Nico Ravanilla (Stanford Shorenstein Post-Doc)

Michael Robbins (Project Director, Arab Barometer)

David Smith, chair (Assistant Professor, University of Sydney, Australia)

Jessica Steinberg (Assistant Professor, University of Indiana)

Serban Tanasa (State University School of Higher Economics, St. Petersburg)

Kharis Templeman (Taiwan Democracy Program, Stanford University)

Alon Yakter (Assistant Professor, Hebrew University)

Yale University:

Aleksandra Sznajder (Assistant Professor, University of Richmond)

Professional Service

Program Co-Chair, APSA, 2018

President, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies, 2017

Chair, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA, 2015-17

Chair, European Politics and Society Best Book Committee, APSA, 2017

External Review Committee, Harvard University, February 2016

Laura Shannon Prize Committee, Nanovic Institute, University of Notre Dame, 2014

Alexander George Best Article Award Committee, Qualitative Methods, APSA, 2013

Best Article Award Committee, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA, 2012

University of Michigan Press Board Member, 2012-4

SSRC International Dissertation Research Fellowship Committee, 2011-2012

Chair, Luebbert Best Article Award Committee, Comparative Politics Section, APSA, 2011

External Reviewer, Center for European, Russia, and Eurasian Studies, University of Toronto, 2011

Chair, Best Book Award Committee, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA, 2009-2010

Chair, European Politics Section, APSA, 2008-9

Luebbert Best Book Award Committee, Comparative Politics Section, APSA, 2009

National Science Foundation Study Panel, 2009-2012

Editorial Board, Annual Review of Political Science, 2009-13

Guest Editor, Annual Review of Political Science, 2008

APSA Program Committee, Division Chair, European Politics Section, 2008

National Science Foundation Study Panel (IGERT), 2007

Program Committee, Section Chair for European Politics, MPSA Annual Meeting, 2007

AAASS Advisory Board, APSA Liaison 2006-12

Shulman Prize Committee, AAASS, 2005-7

Book Award Committee, Comparative Democratization Section, APSA 2006

Executive Board, Comparative Politics Section, APSA, 2005-7

Almond Best Dissertation Prize Committee, Comparative Politics Section, APSA, 2005

Executive Board, European Politics Section, APSA, 2001-3

Officer at Large, Slovak Studies Association, 2000-2

Program Committee, Council of Europeanists 2003

University and Departmental Service

Co-Director, Changing Human Experience Initiative, 2019-

Director, The Europe Center, 2018-

Director, Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies and Weiser Center for Europe and Eurasia, 2010-6

Member, Comparative Politics Search Committee, 2018

Chair, Comparative Politics Search Committee, 2013

Member, Comparative Politics Search Committee, 2012

Chair, Middle East Politics Search Committee, 2011

International Institute Steering Committee, 2010-11 and 2014-15

Executive Committee, Department of Political Science, 2007-8 and 2009-10

Weiser Center for Emerging Democracies, Steering Committee, 2007-9

Copernicus Steering Committee, CREES, 2007-2016

Center for International and Comparative Studies, Interim Director, 2006-7

Fulbright Campus Evaluation Committee, 2007-2009

Center for International and Comparative Studies, UM, Advisory Board 2007-9

Junior Faculty Manuscript Workshop organizer, Department of Political Science, 2005-2015

Comparative Politics Workshop organizer, Department of Political Science, 2005-2015

Peer Review

Editorial Boards: Cambridge University Press Religion and Politics Series (2017-), Cambridge University Press Comparative Politics Series (2014-), *Government and Opposition* (2018-), *Perspectives on Politics* (2017-), *Journal of Politics* (2016-), *Annual Review of Political Science* (2009-2014), *Comparative Political Studies* (2005-2012), *East European Politics* (2011-), *Journal of Politics* (2007-9), *Religion and Politics* (2013-), *Slavic Review* (2014-), *West European Politics* (2005-15), *World Politics* (2010-).

Manuscript reviewer for: *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Political Science Review*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative European Politics*, *Comparative Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *East European Politics and Societies*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *Governance*, *Journal of Contemporary History*, *Journal of Politics*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *New England Journal of Political Science*, *Party Politics*, *Political Studies*, *Perspectives on Politics*, *PLOS ONE*, *Review of International Political Economy*, *Slavic Review*, *Social Forces*, *Studies in Comparative International Development*, *World Politics*.

Manuscript reviewer for: Cambridge University Press, Cornell University Press, University of Michigan Press, University of Notre Dame Press, Oxford University Press, Princeton University Press.

Grant reviewer for: Social Science Research Council, National Science Foundation, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

Languages

Native speaker of Polish, fluent in Czech. Some Slovak, Russian, German, Spanish, Italian, and Latin.