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EDUCATION:

Yale University, 1994-2000

Ph.D. in Political Science (granted with Distinction), December 2000

Dissertation: "When Candidates Attack: The Effects of Negative Campaigning on Voter Turnout in Senate Elections"

Winner of the 2002 Carl Albert Award for Best Dissertation in Legislative Studies

University of California, Santa Cruz, 1989-1993

B.A. with double major in Politics and Psychology (granted with College Honors),
June 1993

RECENT POSITIONS HELD:

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Department of Government, Dartmouth College, July 2011-present.
Research and teach in the field of American politics.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, Department of Government, Dartmouth College, July 2003-2011.
Research and teach in the field of American politics.

SENIOR RESEARCH DIRECTOR, The Gallup Organization, 1998-2003.

Managed all phases of the survey research process. Wrote questionnaires, assured accurate fielding of surveys, analyzed and presented results.

AWARDS AND HONORS:

- The Victoria Schuck Award, awarded in 2014 by the American Political Science Association for the best book published on women and politics
- The David O. Sears Book Award, awarded in 2014 by the International Society of Political Psychology for the best book published in the field of the political psychology of mass politics
- Honorable Mention for the Best Experimental Paper Award presented by the Experimental Research Section at the 2010 American Political Science Associate meetings
- Best Paper Award for the best paper presented on an Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior Panel at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association

- Carl Albert Award for Best Dissertation in Legislative Studies, 2002
- Granted Award of “Distinction” for Ph.D. Dissertation, Yale University, 2001
- Honors in Politics Major, University of California, Santa Cruz, 1993
- College Honors, University of California, Santa Cruz, 1993

BOOK:

“He Runs, She Runs: Why Gender Stereotypes Do Not Harm Women Candidates,” Princeton University Press, 2013.

REFEREED ARTICLES:

“Assessing Accountability in a Post-Citizens United Era: The Effects of Attack Ad Sponsorship by Unknown Independent Groups,” American Politics Research, May 2012, 40: 383-418, with Michael Murov.

“Testing the Double Standard for Candidate Emotionality: Voter Reactions to the Tears and Anger of Male and Female Politicians,” The Journal of Politics, April 2011, Vol. 73(2): 597-615.

“A War of One’s Own: Understanding the Gender Gap in Support for War,” Public Opinion Quarterly, June 2011, Vol. 75 (2): 270-286, with Ben Valentino.

“A Negativity Gap? Voter Gender, Attack Politics, and Participation in American Elections,” Politics & Gender, September 2010, Vol. 6(3): 319-341.

“Beyond Negativity: The Effects of Incivility on the Electorate,” American Journal of Political Science, January 2007, Vol 51(1): 1-16, with John Geer.

“The Resilient Voter: Moving Toward Closure in the Debate over Negative Campaigning and Turnout,” The Journal of Politics, August 2006, Vol. 68 (3): 684-696.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS:

“Comment on Turned Off or Turned On? How Polarization Affects Political Engagement,” in Red and Blue Nation? Consequences and Correction of America’s Polarized Politics, Volume Two, edited by Pietro S. Nivola and David W. Brady (Baltimore: Brookings Institution Press, 2008), with John Geer.

CURRENT RESEARCH:

The Publicity Paradox, with Danny Hayes

Cognitive Dissonance, Information Correction, and Political Attitudes

Juries and Jury Instructions: An experimental examination of instructions regarding evidentiary standards

Multilateralism and Partisanship in U.S. Foreign Policy Opinion, with Stephen Brooks.

Burden Sharing, Institutions, and U.S. Foreign Policy Opinion, with Stephen Brooks.

The Demographic Peace, with Stephen Brooks, Brian Greenhill, and Mark Haas

Against Type Foreign Policy Attitudes, with Josh Kertzer and Stephen Brooks

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2013 Rockefeller Grant for the project “The Publicity Paradox” (with Danny Hayes)
- 2011 Milton and Miriam Handler Foundation Grant in Law and Politics, Dartmouth College, for “Juries and Jury Instructions: An experimental examination of instructions regarding evidentiary standards.”
- 2008-2009 Rockefeller Grant for the project “America’s Approach to the Institutional Order” (with Stephen Brooks)
- 2007 Dartmouth Faculty Fellowship
- 2006 Milton and Miriam Handler Foundation Grant in Law and Politics, Dartmouth College, for “Assessing Accountability in a Post-Citizens United Era: The Effects of Attack Ad Sponsorship by Unknown Independent Groups.”
- Dartmouth College Venture Fund Grant for Teaching with Technology, 2005. Funded Project: “Communicating Politics: A Campaign Communication Simulation”
- 2004-2005 Rockefeller Reiss Family Grant for the project “Assessing the Dimensions of Campaign Negativity”
- Full project funding for “Assessing the Dimensions of Campaign Negativity” (with John Geer). This grant was awarded through a 2004 peer-reviewed proposal competition sponsored by Time-Sharing Experiments in the Social Sciences (TESS), which is funded by the National Science Foundation.
- Gallup 21st Century Fellowship, The Gallup Organization, 1998
- Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Yale University, 1998, (declined)

- National Science Foundation Graduate Student Fellowship, 1994-1997
- University Fellowship, Yale University, 1994-1998

INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCES:

Middlebury, Invited Presentation, April 2013

Title: "The Pretty Prudent Partisan Theory of U.S. Foreign Policy Opinion."

Yale University, Invited Presentation, January 2013.

Title: "The Pretty Prudent Partisan Theory of U.S. Foreign Policy Opinion."

APSA Annual Conference, Chicago., September 2013.

Title: "Burden Sharing, Institutions, and Public Opinion."

Wesleyan University Media Project, Conference on Campaign Finance, Political Communication, and the 2012 Elections, November 2012.

Title: "Campaign Finance and Candidate versus Interest Group Ads."

Boston College, Invited Presentation, April 2012.

Title: "The Pretty Prudent Partisan Theory of U.S. Foreign Policy Opinion."

Vanderbilt University, Invited presentation, February 2012.

Title: "The Pretty Prudent Partisan Theory of U.S. Foreign Policy Opinion."

New Research on Gender in Political Psychology Conference, Rutgers University, March 2011.

Title: "He Runs, She Runs: Gender Stereotypes, Double Standards, and Political Campaigns"

APSA Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., September 2010.

Title: "Assessing the Toughness-Related Double Bind for Female Candidates"

MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, April 2010.

Title: "Assessing the Toughness-Related Double Bind for Female Candidates"

MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, April 2010.

Title: "Voter Reactions to the Tears and Anger of Male and Female Politicians"

APSA Annual Conference, Toronto, September 2009.

Title: "Does the Public Have a Double Standard for Candidate Emotionality?"

APSA Annual Conference, Toronto, September 2009.

Title: "The Gender Gap & the Use of Force: An Experimental Approach"

MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, April 2009.

Title: "Sponsorship and Accountability in Political Advertising."

APSA Annual Conference, Boston, August 2008.

Title: "Sponsorship and Accountability in Political Advertising."

Vanderbilt University, "Unconventional Wisdom" Conference, April 2008.
Title: "Unconventional Wisdom about Independent Group Advertising."

APSA Annual Conference, Philadelphia, August 2006.
Title: "A Negativity Gap? Voter Gender and Attacks Politics in American Elections."

AAPOR Annual Conference, Montreal, Paper, May 2006.
Title: "Incivility and Campaigns."

NEPSA Annual Conference, Portsmouth, Paper, May 2006.
Title: "A Negativity Gap? Voter Gender and Attacks Politics in American Elections."

Indiana University, Invited presentation, March 2006.
Title: "Assessing the Effects of Campaign Attacks on the Public."

Vanderbilt University, Invited presentation, March 2006.
Title: "Gender and Campaign Advertising."

APSA Annual Conference, Philadelphia, Paper, August 2005.
Title: "Incivility, Negativity, and Campaigns."

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES:

American Political Science Association, Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior section, Executive Committee Member (2013-2015.)

Member of Committee on Instruction at Dartmouth College (Fall 2013-present)

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2013 Program Co-Chair for the Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior section

Member of the nominating committee for the Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior section for 2012-2013

Member of the Dissertation Awards Committee for the Political Psychology section of the American Political Science Association in 2013

Member of Committee on Off Campus Activities (COCA; appointed Spring 2012)

Chair, John Sullivan Award Committee for the best graduate student paper presented on an Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior panel at the 2010 APSA conference

Summer Enrichment at Dartmouth (SEAD) Summer Advisor (2008-2010)

Dartmouth College Council on Computing (2006-2007)

Government Department Prize Committee Member (2005 and 2006)

American Politics Search Committee (Fall 2003)

Comparative Politics Search Committee (Fall 2003)

COURSES TAUGHT:

First-Year Writing Seminar on The Media and Politics (Win12, Spr13, Spr14)

Polling, Public Opinion, and Public Policy (Spr12, Spr13, Spr14)

Leading Voices (Co-instructor, Sum11)

Women and Politics (Spr11, Win13, Win14)

The Media and Advertising in American Politics (Spr 11, Spr12, Win13, Win14)

The Presidency and the Public in American Politics (Win11, Sum11)

Public Opinion (Win04, Win05, Win06, Fall06, Fall07)

American Political Institutions (Fall03, Win04, Win05, Win06, Spr06, Spr08, Fall09, Sum11, Win 12)

Seminar on Political Communication (Spr06, Fall06, Fall07, Spr08, Fall09, Spr10)

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE:

PROJECT DIRECTOR, Yale University, New Haven, CT. 1997-1998.

TEACHING ASSISTANT, Department of Political Science, Yale University, New Haven CT.
Fall 1996 and Spring 1997.

RESEARCH ANALYST, Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, CA. 1992-94.