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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Arthur F. Bentley Chair in Political Science, Indiana University, 2017 – present.

Professor, Department of Political Science, Indiana University, 2017 – present.

Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Indiana University, 2011- 2017.

Adjunct or affiliated faculty member: African Studies Program; Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis; Center on Philanthropic Studies; Native American and Indigenous Studies Committee; International Studies Program.

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Indiana University, 2005- 2011.

Robert Wood Johnson Scholar of Health Policy Research, University of Michigan, 2002-2004.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of California at Berkeley, Political Science, December 2002.

M.A. University of California at Berkeley, Political Science, May 1995.

B.A. University of Pennsylvania, Cum Laude, International Relations with honors, 1991.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

2015. *Field Research in Political Science* (co-authored with Diana Kapiszewski and Benjamin Read). Cambridge (UK): Cambridge University Press, Strategies of Social Inquiry Series.

2014. *The Politics of Non-State Social Welfare* (co-edited with Melani Cammett). Ithaca: Cornell University Press.

2010. *Informal Institutions and Citizenship in Rural Africa: Risk and Reciprocity in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire*. New York: Cambridge University Press, Cambridge Studies in Comparative Politics Series.

Articles in Refereed Journals

2018. "Rethinking Power and Institutions in the Shadows of Neoliberalism." (Co-authored with Prakash Kashwan and Gustavo Garcia Lopez.) *World Development*.

2018. "Power and Resistance in the Liberalization of the Electricity Sector in Africa." (Co-authored with Elizabeth Baldwin, Jennifer N. Brass, and Christopher Gore.) *World Development*.

<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.worlddev.2018.03.003>

Articles, contd.

2017. "Neoliberal Democratization, Colonial Legacies, and the Rise of the Non-State Provision of Social Welfare in Africa." *Review of African Political Economy* 44 (153): 1-23.

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/03056244.2017.1319806>

2017. "Expectations of Power: The Politics of State-Building and Access to Electricity Provision in Ghana and Uganda." (with Christopher Gore, Elizabeth Baldwin, and Jennifer N. Brass.) *Journal of African Political Economy & Development* 1 (1): 103-134.

2016. "The Construction of Citizenship and the Public Provision of Electricity for the 2014 World Cup in Ghana." (with George Bob-Milliar, Elizabeth Baldwin, and Elisa Dickey.) *The Journal of Modern African Studies* 54 (4): 555-590. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S0022278X16000574>

2016. "Global Expansion of Renewable Energy Generation: An Analysis of Policy Instruments" (with Sanya Carley, Jennifer Brass, and Elizabeth Baldwin). *Environmental and Resource Economics*. DOI: 10.1007/s10640-016-0025-3

2016. "Global Renewable Electricity Policy: A Comparative Policy Analysis of Countries by Income Status." (with Elizabeth Baldwin, Sanya Carley, and Jennifer N. Brass.) *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis*. DOI:10.1080/13876988.2016.1166866

2015. "Foreign Aid, NGOs and the Private Sector: New Forms of Hybridity in Renewable Energy Provision in East Africa" (with Jennifer Brass). *Africa Today* 62 (1): 57-84.

2015. "Democracy and the Location of NGOs Promoting Renewable Energy in Africa" (with Jennifer N. Brass, Sanya Carley, Ashraf El-Arini and with Scott Breen). *Journal of Development Studies* 51 (6): 725-742. DOI: 10.1080/00220388.2014.989994

2014. "Electrification and Rural Development: Issues of Scale in Distributed Generation" (co-authored with Elizabeth Baldwin, Jennifer Brass, and Sanya Carley). *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Energy and Environment* 4: 196-211. DOI: 10.1002/wene.129.

2014. "Citizen or Client?: An Analysis of Everyday Politics in Ghana." *African Studies Quarterly* 15 (1): 93-124. <http://asq.africa.ufl.edu/current-issue/>

2012. "Power for Development: A Review of Distributed Generation Projects in the Developing World" (with Jennifer N. Brass, Sanya Carley and Elizabeth Baldwin). *Annual Review of Environment and Resources* 37: 107-36. DOI 10.1146/annurev-enviro-051112-111930.

2011. "State Retrenchment and the Exercise of Citizenship in Africa." *Comparative Political Studies* 44(9): 1238-66. DOI 10.1177/0010414010374704.

2011. "The Paradox of State Retrenchment in Sub-Saharan Africa: The Micro-Level Experience of Public Service Provision." *World Development* 39(7): 1155-65, DOI:10.1016/j.worlddev.2010.10.005.

2011. "Exhaustion and Exclusion in the African Village: State Legacies and Non-State Social Welfare in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire." *Studies in Comparative and International Development* 46(1): 118-36. DOI: 10.1007/s12116-010-9082-8

2011. "Non-State Social Welfare in the Global South" (introduction to special issue) (with Melani Cammett). *Studies in Comparative and International Development* 46(1): 1-21. DOI 10.1007/s12116-010-9082-8

Articles, contd.

2004. "Mediating Ethnic Conflict at the Grassroots: The Role of Local Associational Life in Shaping Political Values in Cote d'Ivoire and Ghana." *The Journal of Modern African Studies* 42(4): 589-617. DOI: 10.1017/S0022278X04000

2004. "Empire of the Young: The Legacies of State Agricultural Policy on Local Capitalism and Social Support Networks in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire." *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 46(3): 469-96. DOI:10.1017/S0010417504000246

2003. "State Social Policies and Social Insurance Networks: The Unintended Consequences of State Policymaking on Informal Networks in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire." *International Journal of Public Administration* 26(6): 665-91. DOI: 10.1081/PAD-120019240

2002. "Constructing a Social Safety Net in Africa: An Institutional Analysis of Colonial Rule and State Social Policies in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire." *Studies in Comparative International Development* 37(3): 64-90. DOI: 10.1007/BF02686231

Book Chapters

2018. "Reconceptualizing Field Research in Political Science." (with Diana Kapiszewski and Ben Read). In *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*. William Thompson, eds. New York: Oxford University Press. DOI: 10.1093/acrefore/9780190228637.013.722

2014. "African Politics and the Future of Democracy" (with Amos Sawyer and Carolyn E. Holmes). In *Africa: Fourth Edition*. Maria Grosz-Ngate, John H. Hanson, and Patrick O'Meara, eds. Bloomington: Indiana University Press.

2013. "The Power of the Interviewer." In *Interview Research in Political Science*. Layna Mosley, ed. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, p. 67-83.

Other Publications

2018. "A Conversation with Lauren MacLean and George Bob-Milliar on Recent Student Protests in Ghana." *Ufahamu Africa Podcast: A Weekly Podcast about Life and Politics on the Continent*, December 8, 2018.

2018. "Student Protests and the Weakness of Democracy in Ghana" (with George M. Bob-Milliar and Prince Nii Afotey). *Africa is a Country* blogpost, December 5, 2018.
<https://africasacountry.com/2018/12/the-weakness-of-democracy-in-ghana>

2018. "Cape Town Still Has Water - for now. This may take political solutions as well as technical fixes" (with Jennifer N. Brass, Elizabeth Baldwin, and Christopher Gore). *Washington Post* Monkey Cage blogpost, April 23, 2018. https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2018/04/23/cape-town-still-has-water-for-now-this-may-take-political-solutions-as-well-as-technical-fixes/?utm_term=.d4a40e628bb2

2017. "Research Ethics and Human Subjects: A Reflexive Openness Approach" (with Elliot Posner, Susan Thomson, and Elisabeth Wood). Qualitative Transparency Deliberation Working Group 1.2 Statement, posted 8/29/17 online at <https://www.qualtd.net/viewtopic.php?f=14&t=225>.

2016. "Unsettling the Core Concepts and Epistemologies of the Discipline: A Response to Kennan Ferguson's 'Why Does Political Science Hate American Indians?'" *Perspectives on Politics* 14 (3).

2016. "The Challenges of Collaboration among Africanist Scholars Conducting Field Research: Unintended Consequences of the DA-RT Initiative for the Study of African Politics" (with Fatai Aremu). African Politics Conference Group Newsletter, Symposium: Data Access and Research Transparency and Research on African Politics.

2015. "Introduction to the Special Issue: The Politics of the Non-State Provision of Public Goods in Africa" (with Danielle Carter). *Africa Today* 62 (1): vii-xvii.

2015. "Do Public Goods Have to be Public?: Not in some African Countries" (with Danielle Carter Kushner and Jeffrey Paller). *Washington Post* Monkey Cage blogpost, September 23, 2015. <https://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/monkey-cage/wp/2015/09/23/five-things-you-should-know-about-the-politics-of-public-goods-in-africa/>

2014. "Local Communities and the State in Africa." (Introduction to special issue co-authored and co-edited with Parakh Hoon). *African Studies Quarterly* 15 (1): 1-11. <http://asq.africa.ufl.edu/current-issue/>

2013. "Field Research in Africa: Extending the Dialogue from the ASPA Africa 2012 Workshop in Botswana" (with Sethunya Tshepho Mosime and Parakh Hoon). African Politics Conference Group Newsletter, Symposium: Field Research in Africa: New Challenges and Strategies in the 21st Century, Lauren M. MacLean, ed., 9(1): 2-3. http://africanpoliticsgroup.org/wp/wp-content/uploads/2011/08/APCG_Newsletter_Feb2013.pdf

2007. "The Micro-Dynamics of Welfare State Retrenchment and the Implications for Citizenship in Africa." Afrobarometer Working Paper No. 73 (September): 1-34. http://www.afrobarometer.org/files/documents/working_papers/AfropaperNo73.pdf

2006. "The Power of Human Subjects and the Politics of Informed Consent." Newsletter of the *Qualitative and Multi-Method Research section of the American Political Science Association*, Symposium: Field Research: How Thick? How Rich? How Participatory? 4(2): 13-15. <http://www.maxwell.syr.edu/uploadedFiles/moynihan/cqrm/Newsletter4.2.pdf>

1999. "The Politics of Poverty Alleviation in Ghana." *Briefing Paper*, Center for Democracy and Development (Accra, Ghana) 1(2):1-4.

Book Reviews

2018. *Energy Politics & Rural Development in Sub-Saharan Africa: The Case of Ghana*, by Naaborle Sackeyfio. *African Studies Review*.

2018. (with Keven Taber). *African Miracle, African Mirage: Transnational Politics and the Paradox of Modernization in Ivory Coast*, by Abou B. Bamba. *Journal of Colonialism and Colonial History*.

2014. *Multiethnic Coalitions in Africa: Business Financing of Opposition Election Campaigns*, by Leonardo R. Arriola, *Perspectives on Politics* 12 (4): 935-936. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S1537592714002503>

2014. (with Cathryn Johnson). *Identity, Citizenship and Political Conflict in Africa*, by Edmond J. Keller, *Journal of Modern African Studies* 52 (4): 671-672. DOI:<http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S0022278X14000470>

2011. *Child Soldiers: Sierra Leone's Revolutionary United Front*, by Myriam Denov, *Comparative Political Studies* 44(5): 625-28.

2009. *The Moral Force of Indigenous Politics*, by Courtney Jung, and *Struggles of Voice: The Politics of Indigenous Representation in the Andes*, by Jose Lucero, *Perspectives on Politics* 7(2):, p. 427-29.

1997. *Votes and Budgets: Comparative Studies in Accountable Governance in the South*, eds., John Healey and William Tordoff, *Public Administration and Development* 17(5):, p. 546-48.

Manuscripts under Review or in Progress

Power to the People: Electricity State-Building, Climate Change and Citizenship in Ghana (currently drafting book manuscript under contract at Indiana University Press)

“The Multiple Logics of Distributive Politics: A Spatial Analysis of Voter Mobilization and Need in a New Democracy.” (Co-authored with Elizabeth Baldwin, Jennifer N. Brass, and Justin Schon.) Under review.

“The Anti-Politics of Electricity: Access to the Grid and Reduced Political Participation in Africa.” (Co-authored with Jennifer N. Brass and Kirk Harris.) Under review.

“Climate Change and Energy Poverty in New Democracies: Explaining Citizen Response to the Electricity Crisis in Ghana.” Presented at University of Gothenburg, Sweden.

“Field Research and Analytic Iteration in Political Science.” (Co-authored with Diana Kapiszewski and Benjamin Read). Presented at APSA; preparing for submission.

“Democratization, the Neoliberal University and Field Research on African Politics: The Political Economy of Knowledge Production for Africanists Based in Africa and the West.” Presented at APSA and ASA; preparing for submission.

“Why the ‘Cowboys’ Have to Talk to the ‘Indians’: Policy Feedback Effects and The Origins of Institutional Change in U.S. Federal-Indian Policy.” Under review.

“Health Policy Learning by Litigation: Mobilization in the Courtroom and the Expansion of Tribal Consultation by U.S. States.” Presented at MPSA; preparing for submission.

RESEARCH AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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| 2017 | Carnegie Fellow 2017-2019
(\$200,000) |
| 2016 | David Collier Mid-Career Achievement Award
(from the APSA Qualitative and Multi-Method Research Organized Section) |
| 2015 | Honorable Mention for Best Book Award at ARNOVA (Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action) for <i>The Non-State Provision of Social Welfare</i> (co-authored with Melani Cammett) |
| 2014 | Best Comparative Paper Award at APPAM 2013 for “Global Expansion of Renewable Energy Generation: An Analysis of Policy Instruments” (co-authored with Sanya Carley, Jennifer Brass, and Elizabeth Baldwin). |
| 2011 | Qualitative and Multi-Method Research section of the American Political Science Association Sartori Book Award for <i>Informal Institutions and Citizenship in Africa</i> (\$500) |
| 2011 | African Studies Association Finalist for the Herskovits Award for Best Book in African Studies for <i>Informal Institutions and Citizenship in Africa</i> |

2011 Indiana University Summer Faculty Fellowship (\$8,500)

2005 Honorable Mention, Best Article of the Year, African Politics Conference Group, American Political Science Association.

2005 Indiana University Summer Faculty Fellowship (\$8,000)

2002-2004 Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy Research, University of Michigan (\$138,000)

2000-2001 Graduate Fellowship, Department of Political Science, University of California at Berkeley

2000-2001 Andrew and Mary Thompson Rocca Write-Up Grant

1998-1999 Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship

1998-1999 Institute for the Study of World Politics Fellowship

1998-1999 Andrew and Mary Thompson Rocca Research Grant

1998 American Women in Science Foundation Award

1997 Social Science Research Council International Pre-Dissertation Fellowship

1994-1996 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship

1994 Teagle Foundation Fellowship

RESEARCH AND CONFERENCE GRANTS

2018 APSA Special Projects Grant for “Avoiding ‘Day Zero’ in the U.S. and Global South: Climate Justice in Teaching and Policy Action (co-PIs with Prakash Kashwan (UConn), Frank Matose (U. Cape Town), Navnita Behera (U. Delhi); \$25,000)

2014 Institute for Advanced Study Individual Research Awards (\$1,500)

2013 APSA Africa Workshop Alumni Networking Grant (\$12,116)

2013 Indiana University Office of the Vice Provost for Research Grant-in-Aid Award (\$2,000)

2012 Indiana University Faculty Research Support Program (co-PIs with Jennifer N. Brass and Sanya Carley; \$74,484)

2012 APSA Africa Workshop award, University of Botswana, Gaborone, Botswana

2012 Indiana University African Studies Program Travel Grant (\$200)

2009 Indiana University African Studies Program Travel Grant (\$300)

2009 Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies (with Melani Cammett) for “The Politics of the Non-State Provision of Social Welfare” international conference (\$22,000)

- 2008-09 Lilly Endowment New Frontiers in the Arts and Humanities Grant (\$40,909)
- 2007 Center on Philanthropy Research Grant (\$11,005)

TEACHING AWARDS

- 2015 Indiana University Trustee Teaching Award (\$2,500)
- 2013 Indiana University Trustee Teaching Award (\$2,500)
- 2011 Indiana University Trustee Teaching Award (\$2,500)
- 2009 Indiana University Trustee Teaching Award (\$2,500)
- 2006-07 Community Outreach and Partnerships in Service-Learning Faculty Fellow (\$1,000)
- 2006 Indiana University Summer Instructional Course Development Grant (\$6,500)

SELECTED INVITED AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 University of Virginia, CDD-Ghana
- 2018 World Bank, University of Gothenburg (Sweden), CDD-Ghana, American Political Science Association (APSA), African Studies Association (ASA)
- 2017 University of Gothenburg (Sweden), Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Advanced Placement Symposium on US and Comparative Government, African Studies Association (ASA)
- 2016 Notre Dame University, University of Connecticut, Kettering Foundation, MPSA, Advanced Placement Comparative Government Professional Development (Salt Lake City, UT)
- 2015 University of Illinois, Indiana University African Studies Program
APSA, MPSA, ASA
- 2014 University of Florida, IU Center for Global Security Studies
MPSA, APSA, ASA
- 2013 Harvard University, University of Bremen (Germany), APSA
- 2012 Purdue University, Wayne State University, Indiana University Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis, Indiana University Institute for Curriculum and Campus Internationalization
MPSA, ASA
- 2011 Case Western Reserve University, MPSA, APSA
- 2010 University of Michigan, Duke University, Brown University, Indiana University Maurer School of Law, Indiana University Native American and Indigenous Studies, Indiana University Mini-University, MPSA, APSA
- 2009 Princeton University, Harvard University, Oklahoma State University, University of Tulsa, Indiana University Purdue University at Indianapolis Center on Philanthropy, Research Group for

- the Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research at Syracuse University, Indiana University Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis, MPSA, ASA
- 2008 Indiana University Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis, MPSA, APSA, ASA
- 2007 Michigan State University, University of Minnesota
MPSA, APSA
- 2006 The Newberry Library CIC Conference, National Science Foundation Workshop at Indiana State University, Indiana University African Studies Program, Indiana University School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis
MPSA, APSA
- 2005 Humboldt University (Germany), Indiana University African Studies Program, Indiana University School of Public and Environmental Affairs
MPSA
- 2004 Robert Wood Johnson Annual Meeting, Indiana University African Studies Program
APSA, ASA
- 2003 Robert Wood Johnson Annual Meeting
APSA
- 2001 APSA, ASA
- 2000 APSA
- 1999 Center for Democracy and Development (Ghana), University of Ghana at Legon
ASA
- 1998 Agricultural University of Wageningen (The Netherlands)
- 1997 Social Science Research Council (Senegal), Rockefeller Foundation Workshop
ASA

TEACHING AND ADVISING

Indiana University – Undergraduate Courses

- Introduction to Comparative Politics
- Analyzing Politics (required course in research methods)
- African Politics
- Politics of International Development
- Indigenous Politics: Contests over Democracy and Development
- Politics of Inequality and Identity
- Politics of Governance and Corruption

Indiana University – Graduate Seminars

- African Politics
- Political Economy of Development
- Ethnic and Indigenous Politics
- Qualitative Methods: Research Design, Data Collection, and Analysis

Indiana University - Advising

- Current chair or co-chair of 8 doctoral committees in Political Science and Public Policy.
- Current member of 8 additional doctoral committees in Political Science, Public Policy and Law.
- Served as chair for 9 students who have completed Ph.D. in Political Science or Philanthropy.
- Served as committee member for 14 students who have completed Ph.D.'s in Political Science.
- Chair or committee member for 7 students who have completed Masters degrees in Political Science or African Studies.
- Director of 21 undergraduate honors theses, individualized majors or capstone seminar theses.

American Political Science Association

Co-leader, APSA Alumni Writing and Methodology Workshop, "The Politics of Non-State Service Provision," Makerere University Business School, Kampala, Uganda, June 3-7, 2014.

Co-leader, APSA Africa Workshop, "Local Communities and the State in Africa," University of Botswana, Gaborone, Botswana, July 15-27, 2012.

Co-instructor, short course on "Designing and Conducting Field Research," 2002, 2004-2006.

Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse University

Co-instructor, "Designing and Conducting Field Research," 2007 (ASU), 2009-2016.

Wharton School of Business, The Lauder Institute Global Program Summer Immersion, University of Pennsylvania

Faculty Lead, Africa Segment July 2016; July 2017
Presented lectures and facilitated immersion experience for Wharton/Lauder Institute M.B.A. students in South Africa, Botswana, Ghana and Kenya.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2013 Advisor to the Constitutional Reform Committee, Government of Liberia (March – September)
Assisted in the development of procedures and materials for the public consultation to be held prior to the constitutional amendment process.
- 1995 U.S. Department of State, U.S. Embassy – Brazzaville, Congo, Summer Intern
Conducted research on women's rights and non-governmental organizations in Congo (Brazzaville). Directed two USAID-financed programs: 1) Ambassador's Self-Help Projects Program, 2) Democracy and Governance Program.
- 1991-4 World Resources Institute (WRI), Washington, D.C., Program Assistant
Provided research assistance and project management for several development projects in the Africa and Asia programs. Participated in USAID conference on natural resource management reform in Banjul, The Gambia, January 1994.

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Service to the Profession

Editor

Africa Today, 2011-present.

Editorial Boards

Comparative Political Studies, 2013-present
Journal of African Political Economy and Development, 2016-2021
University of Michigan Press African Perspectives Book Series, 2017 - 2019

APSA

Special Projects Award Committee (2018)
Chair, Nominating Committee, Qualitative and Multi-Method Research section (2017)
Committee Member, Working Group on Human Subjects, Research Ethics, and Research Openness, Qualitative and Multi-Method Research section (2016-17)
Vice Chair, African Politics Conference Group, newly recognized Organized Section, APSA (2013-15)
Comparative Politics Newsletter Search Committee (2013)
Chair, Sartori Book Award Committee, Qualitative and Multi-Method Research section (2012)
Chair, Nominations Committee, African Politics Conference Group (2012)

Member, AP Comparative Government Exam Development Committee (2014-2017 (member); 2018-2021 (Co-Chair)),

Member, Steering Committee for the AP Government and Politics Symposium (2017)

Chair, Selection Committee for Africa-Based IQMR Scholars Program funded by NSF (2013; 2015-2018)

Reviewer:

American Political Science Review; American Journal of Political Science; Perspectives on Politics; Journal of Politics; Political Research Quarterly; Canadian Journal of Political Science; World Politics; Comparative Political Studies; Comparative Politics; International Political Science Review; African Affairs; African Studies Review; Africa Today; African Studies Quarterly; Canadian Journal of African Studies; Journal of Modern African Studies; Economic Development and Cultural Change; Journal of Development Studies; World Development; Governance; Public Opinion Quarterly.

Cambridge University Press; Oxford University Press; Johns Hopkins University Press; Indiana University Press.

Grawemeyer Award; National Science Foundation; Institute for Food Policy Research Strategic Innovation Fund.

Professional Memberships

American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, African Studies Association, West African Research Association, American Association of University Women, and Fulbright Association.

Service to the University

Task Force on the New International Living Learning Center for the College of Arts and Sciences (2016-17)

School of Global and International Studies Title VI Review Committee (2016)

Research Integrity Investigation Committee (2016)

Office of the Provost Strategic Planning Committee, International Initiatives Subcommittee (2013-14)

Task Force on IU School of International Studies (2011)

Advisory Boards

Social Science Research Commons Board of Directors (2016-2019)
Advisory Board for the Institute of Advanced Study (2013-2019)
Faculty Advisory Board for the Global Village Living-Learning Center (2010-2016)
Advisory Board for the Law and Democracy PhD Program, Maurer School of Law (2010-2016)

African Studies Program:

African Studies Graduate Affairs Committee Chair (2015-17; 2011-12)
African Studies Admissions Committee for the Master's Program (2011; 2010; 2008)
African Studies Undergraduate Affairs Committee (2009-2011)
African Studies Hodge Prize Award Committee (2010; Chair in 2006)
African Studies Academic Initiatives Committee (2007-2008)
African Studies Program Executive Committee (2015-17; 2010-2011; 2005-2007)
African Studies Search Committee for Associate Director (2017)

Ostrom Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis:

Internal Advisory Board (2017-2018)
Ostrom Workshop Research Awards Selection Committee (2018)
Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis Research Committee (2012-2014)
Workshop on Political Theory and Policy Analysis Graduate Funding Committee Chair (2016)

Native American and Indigenous Studies Graduate Award Committee Chair (2011; 2010)

Fulbright Committee (2014; 2013; 2011; 2010; 2009; 2008; 2006)

Grant-in-Aid Award Committee (2014-15)

Service to the Department

Strategic Planning Committee (2017); Strategic Task Force (2015-16)
Joint Program and Public Policy Subfield Coordinator (2016-18)
Undergraduate Reform Committee (Chair, 2017-2018)
Curriculum Committee (2016-17)
Personnel Committee (2007-08; 2013-15; 2017-19)
International Human Rights Search Committee (2014-15)
International Relations Search Committee (2013)
American Politics Search Committee (2011)
Graduate Award Committee (2010-2011)
Undergraduate Education Committee (2008-09; 2009-2010)
Graduate Program Reform Task Force (January 2005-2006)
Comparative Politics Search Committee (Fall/Winter 2006)

Community Service

St. Charles Catholic School; Park Tudor School; St. Mark's Methodist Church; Rotary International;
Indianapolis Rowing Center

LANGUAGES

French: Functionally fluent speaking and reading, advanced proficient writing.
Ashanti Twi: Basic proficiency speaking.

FIELDWORK AND TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

United States	2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010 (field research for American Indian project)
Ghana:	2018, 2017, 2014, 1998-99 (field research); 1997 (field research, language training); 1994 (WRI)
Uganda:	2014 (APSA Africa Alumni Workshop; field research)
Botswana:	2016 (teaching); 2012 (APSA Africa Workshop)
Kenya:	2016 (teaching); 2012 (field research)
South Africa:	2016, 2017 (teaching)
United Kingdom	1998 (archival research)
Cote d'Ivoire:	1997 (field research); 1998-99 (field research)
Congo-Brazzaville	1995 (US State Department)
Senegal	1994 (WRI); 1997 (conference, archival research)
The Gambia	1994 (WRI)
France	1998 (archival research); 1990 (semester abroad)