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Academic Appointments

Postdoctoral Scholar, Vanderbilt University, 2016-
IAST Research Fellow, Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse, 2013-2016

Education

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Rochester, 2013.

Dissertation: Three Papers on Internet-Centered Activism: Mobilization, Governance, and Lobbying

Committee: David Primo (Chair), Lawrence Rothenberg, Michael Peress, and Richard Niemi

M.A. Political Science, University of Rochester, 2010.

B.B.A., University of Notre Dame, 2007.

Research

Book

More Than a Feeling: Personality, Polarization, and the Transformation of the U.S. Congress with Adam J. Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh, Jr. University of Chicago Press, 2017.

Publications

"Measuring Elite Personality Using Speech" with Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh (forthcoming at *Political Science Research and Methods*).

"Don't Know What You Got: A Bayesian Hierarchical Model of Neuroticism and Nonresponse" with Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh (forthcoming at *Political Science Research and Methods*).

"Are You Doing Your Part? Veterans, Political Attitudes and Heinlein's Conception of Citizenship", with Tyson Chatagnier *Armed Forces and Society*, 2014, 40(4), 673-695.

"The Development of Political Attitudes and Behavior Among Young Adults" (with Richard G. Niemi) *Australian Journal of Political Science*, 2012, 47(1), 31-54.

Working Papers/Projects

"What I Like About You: Legislator Personality and Legislator Approval" with Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh (revise and resubmit at *Political Behavior*).

"Attributes Beyond Attitudes: Measuring Personality Traits on the U.S. Supreme Court" with Matthew E. K. Hall, Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh (revise and resubmit at *Political Analysis*).

"Primary Constituency Focused Presidential Communication" (in progress).

"Political Capital in the 21st Century: Presidential Grassroots Lobbying Organizations in the Obama Administration" (under revision).

"Would You Like to Know More? Selection, Socialization, and the Political Attitudes of Military Veterans" with J. Tyson Chatagnier (under review).

"(Sympathy for) The Devil You Know: Openness to Experience, Risk Aversion and the Incumbency Advantage" with Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh (in progress).

"Targeted Partisan Appeals" (in progress).

Invited Talks

"Measuring Elite Differences Using Speech: Current Applications and New Directions." New York University Shanghai. February 7, 2017.

"Measuring Elite Differences Using Speech: Current Applications and New Directions." New York University Center for Data Science. December 20, 2016.

"Measuring Elite Differences Using Speech: Current Applications and New Directions." Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse. December 10, 2016.

"Political Capital in the 21st Century: Presidential Grassroots Lobbying Organizations in the Obama Administration." American Enterprise Institute. December 1, 2016.

"Incumbent Personality and Challenger Quality." Vanderbilt University Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions. November 18, 2015.

"Incumbent Personality and Challenger Quality." University of Rochester Political Science Department American Politics Working Group. November 12, 2015.

"Incumbent Personality and Challenger Quality." Binghamton University Political Science Department. November 6, 2015.

"More Than a Feeling: Personality and Congressional Behavior." Northwestern University Kellogg School of Management 5th Annual Text as Data Conference. October 10, 2014.

"More Than a Feeling: Personality and Congressional Behavior." University of Rochester Political Science Department American Politics Working Group. May 14, 2014.

"Presidential Grassroots Lobbying and Targeted Partisan Appeals." Institut d'études politiques de Toulouse. November 15, 2013.

Major Project Grants Awarded

€ 9000, Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse, Survey of American Veterans (SAVE) Project
 € 147000, Agence Nationale de la Recherche, SINT Project (with Astrid Hopfensitz and 9 others)

\$ 157000, New York University, Research Enhancement Fund (with Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh)

Additional Training

Winter Experimental Social Sciences Institute, New York University Abu Dhabi, 2015
 Summer Institute on the Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models, Washington University
 in Saint Louis, 2011

Teaching Experience

Instructor - Vanderbilt University

Introduction to American Government and Politics	Summer 2017
Conducting Political Research (Scheduled)	Spring 2018

Instructor - University of Rochester

Introduction to American Government	Summer 2013
Introduction to American Government	Summer 2012
Introduction to Game Theory (Rochester Scholars Pre-College)	Summer 2011

Teaching Assistantships

Game Theory, Survey Research Methods, Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Introduction to American Politics, Introduction to Comparative Politics, Politics and Markets: Innovation and the Global Business Environment, Business and Politics

Professional Activities

Referee, *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *PLOS One*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, *Political Psychology*, *Political Behavior*, and *Armed Forces and Society*.

AJPS Super Reviewer, 2016.

Member, Midwest Political Science Association 2010–Present.

Discussant, Issues, Agendas, and the Interest Group Environment, 2011.

Chair, Contributions, SuperPACs, and the New World of Campaign Finance in American Politics, 2013.

Discussant, The One about Personality Measures, 2015.

Discussant, The Rhetorical Presidency, 2017.

Member, American Political Science Association, 2008–Present.

Chair, Bias and Underreporting in Survey Research, 2017.

Discussant, Recent Advances in Scholarship on Legislative Politics Poster Session, 2017.

Discussant, Methodology in the Study of Law and Legislation, 2017.

Discussant, The Rhetorical Presidency, 2017.

Member, Southern Political Science Association, 2010–Present.

Chair, Presidents Versus Congress, 2014.

Member, European Political Science Association, 2014–2016, 2017–Present.

Chair, Political Speech, 2017

Discussant, Perspectives on Presidentialism, 2017.

Discussant, European Political Economy Consortium Workshop, 2015.
Co-Organizer, Elections and Electoral Institutions Conference, IAST, 2014-2015.
Discussant, Elections and Electoral Institutions Conference, IAST, 2014-2016.
IAST Harassment Counselor 2014–2016.
Organizer, Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse Weekly Seminar Series, 2013-2014.
Organizer, Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse Current and Former Research Fellows Workshop, 2017–Present.

Language Proficiencies

French - Conversational

Honors, Awards, & Fellowships

Visiting Scholar, *Fondazione Bruno Kessler*, October 2013.
University Fellowship, *University of Rochester*, 2007–2012.
Program in Empirical Policy Research Grant, Wallis Institute, *University of Rochester*, 2010-2011.
NSF-EITM Summer Fellowship Grant, *Washington University in St. Louis*, 2011.
Prestage-Cook Travel Grant, *Southern Political Science Association*, 2010.
Second Year Paper Fellowship, *University of Rochester*, Summer 2009.
Hamilton Award for Management (given to the graduating senior with the highest GPA in the Mendoza College of Business Department of Management), *University of Notre Dame du Lac*, May 2007.

Articles in Popular Media

What Trump and Clinton's personality traits tell us about how they might govern as president. *LSE U.S. Politics and Policy Blog* (with Adam Ramey and Gary Hollibaugh) November 2, 2016.
Étudier la personnalité des élus pour prévoir leur action. *UT1 Capitole Mag* (interview) September 16, 2016.
A Revolution in the GOP? *InsideSources.com* March 2, 2016.
Twitter, Personality, and Candidate Choice in the New Hampshire Senate Race. *InsideSources.com* June 30, 2014.
Republicans Make Relative Gains Among New Hampshire Registered Voters but the Shadow of 2012 Offers Hope to Democrats. *InsideSources.com* April 20, 2014.

References

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