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## PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

- 2018-present Full Professor of Political Science. *Purdue University Northwest*.
- 2014-2017 Associate Professor of Political Science. *Purdue University Northwest*.  
International Relations, Comparative Politics, Public Policy, European Politics, Politics and Gender,  
Post-Communism, Model United Nations, South Asian Politics.
- 2008-2014 Assistant Professor of Political Science. *Purdue University Calumet*.
- 2006-2008 Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science, *Illinois Wesleyan University*.  
Women and Politics, Comparative Politics, International Politics, European Politics,
- 2002-2004 Instructor, *Washington University in St. Louis*.  
Comparative Public Administration, Comparative Politics, British Politics.

## DEGREES

- Ph.D.: Political Science. Washington University in St. Louis. May 2006. Dissertation: *Women's Access to the Decentralized State: Engendering Regional-Level Government in Poland*. Certificate in New Institutions.
- M.A.: Political Science. Washington University in St. Louis. December 2002.
- B.A.: Political Science Major, English Minor. Illinois Wesleyan University. May 1998.
- Phi Beta Kappa. Magna cum laude. Research Honors.

## SCHOLARSHIP

### BOOK

- Rincker, Meg. 2017. *Empowered by Design: Decentralization and the Gender Policy Trifecta*.  
Philadelphia: Temple University Press.

### ARTICLES

11. Rowberg, Kathryn and Rincker, Meg. 2019. Environmental Sustainability at the Olympic Games: Comparing Rio 2016 and Tokyo 2020 Games. *European Journal of Sustainable Development*, 8(4), 121. <https://doi.org/10.14207/ejsd.2019.v8n4p121>
10. Rincker, Meg, Marisa Henderson, Renato Vidigal and Daniel Delgado. 2019. "Evaluating the Responsiveness of the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women to diverse women populations worldwide." Forthcoming at *Frontiers in Sociology: Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Studies*.
9. Jalalzai, Farida, and Meg Rincker. 2018. "Blood Is Thicker than Water: Family Ties to Political Power Worldwide." *Historical Social Research / Historische Sozialforschung* 43(4): 54-72. <https://www.jstor.org/stable/26544249>.
8. Meg Rincker, Meg and Susan Misner. 2017. The Jig Experiment: Development and Evaluation of a Cultural Dance Active Video Game for Promoting Youth Fitness, *Computers in the Schools*. (34): 223-235. DOI: [10.1080/07380569.2017.1387468](https://doi.org/10.1080/07380569.2017.1387468).
7. Rincker, Meg, Ghazia Aslam, and Mujtaba Isani. 2016. "Crossed my mind but ruled it out: Political ambition and gender in the Pakistani Lawyer's Movement 2007-09." *International Political Science Review*. (38): 246-263.

6. Rincker, Meg E. and Martin F. Battle. 2011. "Dissatisfied with Decentralisation: Explaining Citizens' Evaluations of Poland's 1999 Health Care Reforms." *Perspectives on European Politics and Society*. 12 (3): 340-357.
5. Ortals, Candice D. Meg E. Rincker and Celeste M. Montoya. 2011. "Politics Close to Home: the Impact of Meso-Level Institutions on Women in Politics." *Publius: the Journal of Federalism*. 42(1): 78-107.
4. Ortals, Candice D. and Meg E. Rincker. 2009. "Embodied Researchers: Gendered Bodies, Research Activity, and Pregnancy in the Field." *PS: Political Science and Politics*. 42(2): 315-319.
3. Ortals, Candice D. and Meg E. Rincker. 2009. "Fieldwork and Intersectionality: Negotiating Gender, Race, Class and Age in the Research Field Abroad: Editors' Introduction." *PS: Political Science & Politics*. 42(2): 287-290.
2. Rincker, Meg E. and Candice D. Ortals. 2009. "Leaders or Laggards: Engendering subnational governance through women's policy machineries in Spain and Poland." *Democratization*. 16(2): 269-97.
1. Rincker, Meg E. 2009. "Masculinized or Marginalized: Decentralization and Women's Status in Regional Polish Institutions." *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy (formerly Women & Politics)* 30(1): 46-69.

### BOOK REVIEW

Rincker, Meg. 2016. Review of: *The Principles of Gender-Sensitive Parliaments*. By Wängnerud, Lena. 2015. New York, NY: Routledge, 2015. For *Politics & Gender*.

### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Jalalzai, Farida and Meg Rincker. 2019. "Dynasties Still Run the World." *The Conversation*, 25 March. <https://theconversation.com/dynasties-still-run-the-world-113098>.

Republished by *Wire.com*, *Houston Chronicle*, *San Francisco Chronicle/SF Gate*, *Seattle Post-Intelligencer*, *RealClearWorld.com*, *politicalsciencenow.com*, *foreignpolicynews.org*, etc.

Aslam, Ghazia, Rincker, Meg and Mujtaba Isani. 2016. "On Glass Ceilings." *Dawn.com*, 13 August. <http://www.dawn.com/news/1277430/on-glass-ceilings>.

Aslam, Ghazia, Rincker, Meg, and Mujtaba Isani. June 12, 2016. "Ready to Run?" *The International News*, 12 June. <https://www.thenews.com.pk/print/127231-Ready-to-run>.

Rincker, Meg. 2013. "Anti-elite, anti-drone cricket star is best hope for Pakistan election and for US." *Christian Science Monitor*, 10 May. <http://www.csmonitor.com/Commentary/Opinion/2013/0510/Anti-elite-anti-drone-cricket-star-is-best-hope-for-Pakistan-election-and-for-US>.

### WORKS IN PROGRESS

2. Rincker, Meg and Rowberg, Kay. 2017. "Making the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games Environmentally Sustainable: A Comparison with the 2016 Rio Games. PNW Grant Proposal.

1. Battle, Martin and Meg Rincker. 2016. "Gender and Campaign Spending in the Devolved Parliaments." Presented at Midwest Political Science Association Meetings.

### CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Rincker, Meg and Kay Rowberg. Comparing the Rio 2016 and Tokyo 2020 Games on Environmental Sustainability. Presented at Purdue Days of Discovery, April 2019 and the Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, April 2019.

Rincker, Meg. Panelist. Roundtable for Midwest Political Science Association Roundtable on Lifetime Achievement Award for Lisa A. Baldez. April 2019.

Rincker, Meg, Marisa Henderson, Renato Vidigal and Daniel Delgado. Evaluating the Responsiveness of the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women to diverse women populations worldwide." Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Meetings April 6, 2018.

Author Meets Critics Roundtable on "Empowered by Design." Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Meetings April 5, 2018.

Rincker, Meg and Rowberg, Kay. 2017. "Making the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games Environmentally Sustainable: A Comparison with the 2016 Rio Games. Presented at PNW Faculty Research Days April 3, 2018.

"Empowered by design: gender inclusive leadership in local, national and international organizations worldwide." Presented at the Student Leadership Conference. August 9, 2017.

"How experiential learning honors your past, present and future." Presented at the Student Leadership Conference. August 15, 2016.

"Blood is Thicker than Water: Family Ties to Politics Worldwide." Conference Paper at Midwest Political Science Association." Spring 2016.

"Gender and campaign spending in Westminster and the UK devolved parliaments." Midwest Political Science Association, April 16-19, 2015.

American Political Science Association Meetings in San Francisco, 2015.

"Gender and campaign spending in Westminster and the UK devolved parliaments." Midwest Political Science Association, April 16-19, 2015.

"Ready to Serve if not Run: Political Ambition, Gender and the Pakistani Lawyer's Movement, 2007-2009." Midwest Political Science Association. April 16-19, 2015.

"Diversity and Gender Quotas in Corporate Boards and Parliaments: Perspectives from the United States and Japan." Presented at the International Conference for Education, Psychology and Society in Tokyo Japan, Feb. 3-5, 2015.

"New paradigms: non-western approaches to creating gender equitable societies." **Presented at the RIT Conference Post Modernity and Alternative Paradigms." In New Delhi, India Sept. 24-27, 2014.**

"Deparochializing Political Theory." At American Political Science Association Conference in Washington, D.C. August 28-Sept 1, 2014.

"How to Play Nice with Others." Presented at the Purdue University Calumet First Annual Student Leadership Conference, Purdue University Calumet, April 4-6, 2014.

"What Women Want: Decentralization and Democratization." Presented Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, April 3-5, 2014.

"How Social Movement Participation Affects Political Ambition: The Pakistani Lawyer's Movement, 2007-2009," April 3-5, 2014.

- “Mapping Women's Organizations that Participate in United Nations Policymaking.” Presented at the *American Political Science Association Meeting*, August 2013.
- “Using Geographic Information Systems (GIS) to Map Women’s Organizations that Participate in United Nations Policymaking.” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2013.
- “The Effect of Social Movement Participation on Women’s Political Efficacy and Candidacy: the 2007-2009 Lawyer’s Movement in Pakistan.” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2012, April 2013. American Political Science Association, September 2012.
- Purdue Conference for Pre-Tenure Women. September, 2012.
- Participant. From Margin to Center: Women’s Advocacy in an Expanded Europe. Colorado European Union Center of Excellence. University of Colorado Boulder, May 24-26, 2012.
- “Decentralization Shell Games and Gender Equality in Pakistan.” **Presented at the “International Conference on Implementing Human Rights” held at Fatima Jinnah Women’s University in Rawalpindi, Pakistan.** March 2012.
- “Policies on Violence against Women in Pakistan.” Short Course Gender Equality Policy. American Political Science Association, September 2011.
- “Politics Closer to Home: Decentralization and Women’s Empowerment Worldwide.” Presented at Midwest Political Science Association, April 2010.
- “Politics Closer Home: Survey Analysis of Decentralization and Women’s Empowerment in Pakistan.” Presented at the Annual Board Meeting of the Center for New Institutional Social Sciences, Washington University in St. Louis, November 2009.
- “Dissatisfied with Decentralization: Citizen Evaluations of Poland’s 1998 Health Care Reforms.” With Martin F. Battle. Paper prepared for the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2009, April 2008.
- “Relocating Feminist Policy: Decentralization and State Feminism in Chile and Pakistan.” Paper Prepared for the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2008.
- Preconference on Women and Politics. American Political Science Association Meeting, August 2007. “Gendering Democracy, Federalism, and Decentralization for Women.” With Candice D. Ortals. Paper prepared for the International Studies Association, April 2007.
- “Leaders or Followers? Engendering Subnational Governance through Women’s Policy Agencies in Spain and Poland.” With Candice D. Ortals. Paper prepared for Southern Political Science Association, January 2007, and at Midwest Political Science Association, April 2006.
- “Women in Regional Parliaments: Representation of Feminist Issues in the Transitional Context of Poland.” American Political Science Association. August 2005.
- Women's Representation in Post-Communist Europe: The Role of Party Gatekeepers and Individual Voters in the Election of Women to the Polish Sejm, 1997.” With Martin F. Battle. Poster Presented at the American Political Science Association. August 2005.
- “Decentralizing Europe: Regional Gender Empowerment in Poland.” Paper presented at Western Political Science Association. Western Political Science Association, March 2005.

“The Non-Salience of Gender in the ‘New’ Europe: Interview Evidence from Poland.” Paper presented at the Workshop on Politics, Ethics, and Society, Washington University, St Louis, November 2004.

“The Local Option: Decentralization and Women’s Representation.” Paper presented at the Society for Comparative Research. May 2004.

“Decentralized Policymaking: New Avenues for Women’s Representation?” Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April 2004.

“Is Local Better for Women?: Policy Decentralization and Women’s Representation.” Paper presented at the International Studies Midwest Conference. October 2003.

“Policy Decentralization and Women’s Health Care Access in Poland.” Paper presented at American Academy for the Advancement of Slavic Studies. November 2003.

"Decentralization and Access to New Institutions in Poland and Hungary." Paper presented at the Association for the Study of Nationalities. April 2002.

"Health Care Devolution in Poland: Parties, Protests, and Policy." Paper presented at the Association for the Study of Nationalities. April 2001.

### **FIELD RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

*Field Research in Pakistan.* Spring 2012. Interviewed and surveyed women’s group activists and lawyers’ movement participants in Islamabad.

*Field Research in the United Kingdom.* Spring 2011. Interviewed and surveyed women’s groups, legislators and gender equality policymakers in London, Cardiff, Belfast, and Edinburgh.

*Field Research in Poland.* Spring 2009. “Women and the Electoral Ladder in Poland.” Interviewed women in Poland active in provincial, national and EU level-politics.

*Field Research in Poland.* Summer 2007. “Decentralization and Women’s Access to the State in Poland.” Interviewed and surveyed regional-level legislators, women’s groups and bureaucrats about decentralization and gender equality in new regional institutions.

*Field Research in Poland.* Summer 2001, Summer 2002. “Does Decentralization Equal Responsiveness? Attitudes of Citizens and Street-Level Bureaucrats on Health Decentralization in Poland.” Surveyed doctors and patients in Poland on attitudes toward access to newly decentralized health care.

### ***SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY***

#### **ONGOING CAMPUS LEADERSHIP AND COMMITTEE SERVICE**

Coordinator, Political Science. 2019- present.

Member, Academic Task Force, Strategic Resource Allocation. 2018-2019.

Faculty Advisor, Purdue Northwest Student Government Association, 2014-2019.

Faculty Co-Sponsor. Pi Sigma Alpha, National Political Science Honor Society, Fall 2008-Present. (Award for Best Chapter in 2010 and 2011.)

Member, Faculty Intercollegiate Athletics Committee. Fall 2013- present.

Member, Athletics Gender Equity Committee. Fall 2015-present.  
Member, Purdue Leadership Program Planning Group. Spring 2018-present.

Member, Women's History Month Planning Group. Fall 2014-2019t.

Member, Faculty Ad Hoc Athletics Committee. Spring 2016-present.

Member. Purdue University Calumet Faculty Research Board. Fall 2009-Spring 2012.

### **DIGITAL LEARNING FACULTY MENTOR**

I was selected in Spring 2011 from across the PUC campus to be a Faculty Mentor in Purdue Calumet's acclaimed Digital Learning Certificate Program. Most spring and summer semesters, I attend the DLC Program workshops and am assigned to mentor three to four *PUC Faculty* from across campus.

Using the Quality Matters rubric, I mentored faculty as they created, and I ultimately evaluated their high-quality, student learning-centered, technology-enhanced online and hybrid courses. *Summer 2011-Spring 2016*. Mentees include: Edward Furticella, Beth Vottero, Cindy Huntoon, Rachel Clapp-Smith, Robert Rescott, Katie Paciga, Chandra Sekhar, Jamaluddin Hussain, Michelle Block, Haisu Zhang, Gloria Velez-Rendon, Daniel Punday, Besma Smida, Adam Rengstorf, Tae-Hoon Kim, Susan Misner, Kathryn Rowberg, Mark Letcher, Kathy Kleefisch, Jade Yang, Craig Engle, Maureen Mascha, Nicole Evans, Cynthia Cooke, Robert Kramer, and Shannon O'Brien.

Concurrent Enrollment Liaison for Political Science. 2018-present.

Area Committee, Promotion and Tenure, College of Humanities, Education and Social Sciences. 2018-present.

### **SEARCH COMMITTEE LEADERSHIP**

Chair, Job Search Committee for Assistant Professor of American Politics and Public Policy. 2018.

Chair, Job Search Committee for Clinical Instructor of American Politics and Public Policy. 2018

Chair, Job Search Committee for Visiting Instructor of American Politics. 2018.

Member, Search Committee, Vice Chancellor for Innovation. Purdue University Northwest. Spring 2018.

Member, Search Committee, Founding Director, Center for Crime, Forensics, and Cybersecurity. Summer-Fall 2018.

Member, Leadership Certificate Development Program. Fall-Spring 2018.

Chair, Committee for 2015-2016 Purdue University Calumet Outstanding Teacher Award, 2016.

Member, Committee to select the 2015-2016 College of Business Outstanding Professor Award. 2016.

Member, Political Science Job Search Committee, American Politics Tenure Track Search, 2016.

Member, Committee to select the PNW Head Softball Coach, Summer 2016.

Member, Political Science Job Search Committee, American Politics Tenure Track Search, 2015.

Member, PUC Student Employee of the Year Award Selection Committee, Spring 2012 and 2013.

Member, History and Political Science Department Chair Search Committee, Fall 2009.

Member, American Politics Job Search Committee. Purdue University Calumet. Spring 2009

Member. Honors College Dean Job Search Committee. Spring 2014.

Member. Purdue University Course Release Award Committee, Fall 2009.

### **CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS**

Organizer, Indiana Court of Appeals on Wheels at PNW, March 10, 2020.

Moderator, Fraternal Order of Police Forum for Candidates Running for the First Congressional District Race. Feb. 17, 2020.

Guest, WJOB on Getting out Student Vote for Student Body Elections. March 28, 2019.

Moderator, "Chicago Women Take Action." At Women's History Month Event, March 21, 2019.

Presenter, "Gender and Foreign Policy," At Rotary International Event at Purdue Northwest, November 18, 2018.

Invited Presentation, "Empowered by Design" Northern Illinois University. October 25, 2018.

Presenter, "Hamilton's Non-Stop Approach to Designing American Political Institutions." Presented in Rachel Clapp-Smith's Honors Course on Hamilton. October 17, 2018.

Presenter, "Thinking and Acting Diplomatically." PNW Student Leadership Conference, August 8, 2018.

Presenter, "Women's Voices Locally and Globally" for Women's History Month. March 6, 2018.

Presenter, "Getting Involved in International Policymaking on the Local, National, and International Level on Human Trafficking," At Rotary International Event at Purdue Northwest, November 18, 2017.

Invited Presentation, "Empowered by Design" 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Hannah Atkins lecture. Oklahoma State University. Sept. 19, 2017.

Invited Presenter, Oklahoma State University. Dr. Holly Hansen's "Political Inquiry" course. Sept. 18, 2017.

Guest, Purdue Northwest Today Radio Show WJOB. September 14, 2017. Speaking on Student Government Association and my book.

Presenter, Dean's Reading Circle for Women's History Month. *Half the Sky*. March 28 and 29, 2016.

Presenter, "Increasing American Global Civic Engagement through Model United Nations." for Japanese students from Takanawa University. August 27, 2015.

Presenter, "Increasing your Global Civic Engagement through Model United Nations." Purdue Student Leadership Conference. August 11, 2015.

Presenter. "Preventing the Scourge of Human Trafficking." At Rotary International Event at Purdue Calumet. November 21, 2014.

Presenter, "Women's Bridging Networks: Building Democratic Infrastructure" Invited Presentation at Illinois Wesleyan University. November 10, 2014.

Keynote Address, American Association of University Women, Indiana State meeting. "What Women Want: Global Decentralization and Democratization." September 13, 2014.

Presenter. "Why Model UN?" Department Undergraduate Research Day, May 2, 2014.

Presenter. "Why Digital Storytelling is a Great Method for Teaching and Learning." Feb. 19, 2014. Also Presented at the Department Undergraduate Research Day, May 2, 2014.

Presenter, "Lean In" Dr. Marianne Cooper, lead researcher for New York Times Bestselling Book, *Lean In*, worked with my Global Gender Politics students to present skits based on the book to Dr. Cooper in an in-class session with her on March 18, 2014.

Presenter, "Miss Representation." Led campus discussion of the film "Miss Representation" for Women's History Month on March 27, 2014.

Presenter, "Building Transnational Women's Networks at PUC and Beyond." For the International Programs Office World on Wednesdays Series, as well as Women's History Month, Wed. March 26, 2014.

Presenter. Purdue University Calumet English Course. Mothers and Daughters in Literature. March 19, 2013. "The British Women's Suffrage Movement."

Presenter and Simulation Leader. Purdue University Calumet, Rotary International High School Event and Simulation, *Considering World Peace*. "Considering U.N. Intervention in Syria." March 15, 2013.

Presenter. Purdue University Calumet, November 13, 2012. International Education Week. "Global Responses to the U.S. Elections."

Presenter. Purdue University Calumet Constitution Day, September 19, 2011. "Gender and Participation in American Politics."

### **CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY EVENTS ORGANIZED**

Organizer, Indiana Court of Appeals on Wheels at PNW, March 10, 2020.

Organizer, PNW participation at Model Illinois Government Conference, Feb. 28- March 1, 2020.

Participated, February 10, 2020 Purdue Lobby Day at the Indiana State Capitol.

Organizer, Model UN Simulation with Valparaiso University students on Oct. 17, 2019.

Organizer, Student Government Elections Event with Spanish Club to Get out the Vote. March 26, 2019.

Organizer, Model UN Simulation with Valparaiso University students on Thursday Oct. 18, 2018.

Organizer, Model UN trip to the Chinese Consulate in Chicago and Chicago Council on Global Affairs on the Chinese Economy, Wed. Oct. 12, 2018.

Organizer, Student Government Association and Political Science students attending the Debates among Candidates for U.S. Senator from Indiana. Oct. 8, 2018.

Organizer, Political Science Pizza Open House for all majors where Kylie Smolar spoke about experiences in the Indiana Statehouse on Monday Oct. 1, 2018.

Organizer, League of Women Voters Voter Registration Drive as part of Constitution Day on Sept 18, 2018.



Organizer, Skype Lecture with Jessica Davis on IUPUI's Sustainable Sports Events/ Olympic Diving Trial Event.

Organizer, Skype Lecture with Lead Attorneys on the Chicago Olympic Bid Chris Abbinante (Sidley Austin) and Jessica Fairchild. April 17, 2018.

Organizer, PNW Olympic Bid Day. Six Teams presented bids to PNW alumni and Community members for the purpose of hosting the Summer 2032 Olympic Games. Friday April 20, 2018.

Organizer, PNW Team competing in Model Illinois Government Conference, Mar 1-4, 2018 in Springfield IL. Student Alex Heaton won Republican Senate Minority Whip election.

Co-organizer, Trip taking PMW students to the Indianapolis State House in January 2018 to meet with Legislators and System Lobbyists.

Organizer, Political Science Pizza Open House where Model UN students present about their award-winning performance November 30, 2017.

Organizer, Hosted Five Lincoln-Way East High School Students from High School Model UN Team (Ryan Burns, Wesley Janicki, Yousaf Ilyas, Blake DeButch, Evan Petersen) at American Model United Nations conference Sunday Nov. 19, 2017.

Organizer, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, "the End of the TransAtlantic Era?" with the EU Ambassador to the U.S. October 5, 2017.

Organizer, Meeting with Indian Consul General Ms. Neeta Bhushan and 11 Model UN Students. Oct. 5, 2017.

Organizer, Meeting with Hungarian Consul General Mr. Ferenc Szebeni, and 20 Model UN Students. Nov. 1, 2016.

Organizer, "Election 2016 and the Global Women's Movement" with 20 Model UN Students at the Chicago Council on Global Affairs. Nov. 1, 2016.

Organizer, student participation in the American Student Government Association Conference (ASGA) Oct. 22, 2016.

Host for 5, 4 hour 2016 Election Voter Registration Events for Student Government Association and League of Women Voters. Friday Sept. 16, Monday Sept. 26, Tuesday Oct. 4, Wed. Oct 5. 2016.

Faculty member, Fair for Undecided Majors, Wed. Sept 28, 2017.

Coordinator, took 5 PUC students to participate as members of the Illinois House and Senate at the Model Illinois Government Conference, Feb. 25-28, 2016.

Host, 3 Guests from Musashino University, Feb. 22, 2016.

Coordinator, PUC Students participate in a 1-day Model Illinois Government Simulation at Prairie State College to prepare for MIG on Feb. 19, 2016.

Co-organizer, "Anticipating Purdue North West." Trip taking 12 Purdue Calumet students and team of 8 Staff and Students to the Indianapolis State House in January 2016 to meet with Legislators and System Lobbyists. 2016.

Organizer, Model UN Meeting with the Japanese Consul-General Toyushiki Iwado and Consul Kuniko Nakamura, Nov. 12, 2015.

Organizer, Model UN attends Chicago Council on Global Affairs seeing Garry Kasparov, Nov. 12, 2015.

Organizer, "Multilateralism and the United Nations," presentation by the honorable Dr. Srgjan Kerim, candidate for UN Secretary-General. Nov. 10, 2015.

Organizer, Campus Events for Constitution Day 2015, including: Voter Registration with League of Women Voters, Naturalization Quiz with Student Government and Pi Sigma Alpha.

Co-Organizer, campus visit of Dr. Marianne Cooper, March 3, 2015. Including visits to POL 491 Senior Seminar, PSY 251 Methods and campus address *Cut Adrift: Coping with Financial Insecurity* for Women's History Month.

Organizer, PUC Student Campus Presentation on Trip to Japan, February 2015.

Organizer, Career and Resume Workshop, Department of History, Political Science and Economics. Oct 29, 2014.

Co-Organizer with Dr. Omar Farook, PUC South Asian Student Association, Dr. Neeti Parashar, and Brooke Hewson, International Programs Office, Diwali Festival at Purdue University Calumet. Hindu Festival of Lights: featuring Lopa Banerjee Dhar, presenting on and instructing in Bollywood Dance. October 20, 2014.

Organizer, U.N. Security Council Simulation with Valparaiso University on Afghanistan: Oct. 15, 2014.

Organizer, Campus Voter Registration Drive, Constitution Day 2012.

## **STUDENT RESEARCH PROJECTS ADVISED AND STUDENT SUCCESS**

**Study Abroad to Tokyo, Japan, February 2015.** As part of Senior Seminar in Political Science, took 5 students to Tokyo for the ICEEPS Conference, to meet colleagues at partner University Musashino University, and to interview members of the Japanese Parliament on gender quotas.

Recommendation Letter writer for Mauricio Villacres, Evan Fus, Nicholas Jerkovic, Lucas Michel, Chelsea Maxwell, Kylie Smolar, Hannah Scheffer, Daquan Alexander, Mujtaba Isani, Ghazia Aslam, Araceli Aguilera, Leslie Fusinato, De'Joie Simmons, Susan Strong, Marisa Henderson, Jason Schultz, Kevin Frasier, Melissa Vlahu, Ghazia Aslam, Cheyenne Vaughn, Maria Dominguez, Brad Stagowski, John Decker, David Voss, Alice Rabelo, Joann Holmen, Daniel Curtin, James Gross, Myles Long, Daniel Delgado, Renato Vidigal, Marisa Henderson, Katherine Jorgenson, Michael Myers, Nicole Gullota, Jose Gutierrez, Amanda Weier, Beverly Kinder, Milan Kolundzija, Nela Taskovska, Chris Kazlaurich, Ashley Antonietti, Elizabeth Davies, Zack Thomas, Kayla Hale, Omar Garcia, Milos Racejvic, Justin Camper, Miles Krasic, Genae Barron, Mira Projovic, Kristal Gruevski, Neylan Poczontek, Amina Jones.

*Michael (Zack) Thomas*, Purdue University Calumet (Summer 2014) McNair Research Fellow presented his paper on the Sri Lankan LTTE nationalist movement.

*Daniel Delgado*, Purdue University Calumet. (Spring 2102, Spring 2013). Daniel presented research at the Midwest Political Science Association 2012, 2013. ***Daniel graduated from Georgetown University's International Service Institute with an M.A. in Spring 2015.***

*Renato Vidigal*, Purdue University Calumet (Spring 2012, Spring 2013). Renato presented research at the Midwest Political Science Association 2012, 2013. ***Renato is pursuing his Master's in International Affairs at the American University in Beirut, Lebanon.***

*Marisa Henderson*, Purdue University Calumet (Spring 2013). Marisa presented research at the Midwest Political Science Association in 2013, **works as Director of International Programs at Valparaiso University.**

*Genae Barron*, (Fall 2012) Purdue University Calumet Master's Degree Student in Communications, doing a project on women and the Constitutional Assembly in Nepal. **Genae was in Kathmandu, Nepal for 2012-13 academic year on internship with Forum for Women, Law and Development in Nepal.**

*Katherine Jorgenson*, (Spring 2011, Spring 2012). "Equal Protection Under the Law: Do Women Have a Different Voice?" published in the *Journal of Purdue Undergraduate Research*. **Kathy received her M.A. in Political Science at Arizona State University in 2014.**

*Michael Myers*, (Fall 2010). "Modernizing The Communist Manifesto." **Michael will begin his M.A. in Political Science at Boston University in Fall 2015.**

*Nicole Gullotta*, (Spring 2010). Undergraduate Research Project on Decentralization and Female Leadership in the British Isles, to be presented at Clement C. Stacy Undergraduate Conference. **Nicole graduated in May 2013 from DePaul University with a M.A. in International Studies.**

*Gabriella Villarreal*, (Spring 2009). *Undergraduate Research Project on Israeli-Palestinian Conflict* for Gabriella Villarreal, presented at Clement C. Stacy Undergraduate Conference. **American Field Service (AFS Cultural Exchange).**

McNair Scholar *Michael Hernandez*, (Summer 2009, Summer 2010). McNair Scholar *Samuel Boynes*, Summer 2012. **Michael earned a full scholarship to UC-Irvine Law School.**

*Mujtaba Isani* (Spring 2008). Mujtaba worked as a research assistant on Pakistani women's group project. **Mujtaba is a ABD in Political Science at the University of Muenster.**

**Tiffany Deaton graduated with her M.S. Nationalism from Central European University in Budapest, Hungary in Spring 2015.**

**Nela Taskovska received her Master's in Gender Studies from Roosevelt University in 2013.**

## **SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE**

### **DISSERTATION COMMITTEES**

Dissertation Committee Member, 2018. Aameena Mohyuddin Zia. University of Missouri-St. Louis. *From Descriptive to Substantive Representation: a study of gender quotas in Pakistan from 2008 to 2018.*

### **HONORS UNDERGRADUATE THESIS COMMITTEE**

External Reader, 2020. Sydney Folger. Knox College. Communist Legacies and Education: Gender Inequality in Education in Post-Communist Countries.

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Political Science Association and Women's Caucus

Member, Longley Award Committee for Best Paper on Representation and Electoral Systems. 2019.

Member, Nominating Committee, Organized Section for Comparative Politics, 2015-2018.

Chair, Best Paper on Women and Politics Presented at the 2015 American Political Science Association.

Member, Victoria Shuck Award for the Best Dissertation in the field of Women and Politics, 2011-2012.

Discussant, "Gender and Executive Leadership." APSA 2015.

Midwest Political Science Association and Women's Caucus

Member, Outstanding Lifetime Achievement Award Committee, 2020.  
Section Head, Midwest Political Science Association, Gender and Politics Section, 2017-2018.  
President, Midwest Women's Caucus for Political Science, 2013-2014.  
President-Elect, Midwest Women's Caucus for Political Science, 2012-2013.  
Newsletter Editor, Midwest Women's Caucus for Political Science, 2009-2011.  
Chair, MPSA 2018. Discussant, "Gender and Local Politics Around the Globe." MPSA 2016.  
Discussant, "Understanding the Success of Female Candidates." MPSA 2014.  
Chair, "Pathways to Prolific: Advice from Scholars and Publishers in the Field." MPSA 2014.  
Chair, "Midwest Women's Caucus Mentor-Mentee Session." MPSA 2014.  
Chair, "Comparative Political Participation." MPSA 2013.  
Chair, "Global Movements for Gender Equality." "In Search of Good Governance" MPSA 2012.  
Discussant, "Is There a Gender Gap in Political Knowledge or Participation?" MPSA 2010.  
Discussant, "All Hell Broke Loose: Race and Collective Action" MPSA 2009.  
Discussant, "Citizenship in Comparative Perspective" MPSA 2009.  
Chair, "Women, Men and Field Research: Tales and Advice from the Field." MPSA 2008.  
Discussant, "Politics and Motherhood." MPSA 2008.  
Discussant, "Explanations and Consequences of Civil Society in the Post-Communist World" MPSA 2008.  
Research Network on Gender and the State

## Reviewer

*Oxford University Press*  
*Politics, Groups, and Identities*  
*Politics & Gender (2)*  
*Publius: The Journal of Federalism*  
*Perspectives on European Politics and Society*  
*Political Research Quarterly (3)*  
*Journal of Women, Politics and Policy*  
*Scandinavian Political Studies*  
*Temple University Press*

## FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS AND GRANTS

### **Purdue University Northwest. Travel Grant. 1,000. 2019.**

Purdue University Northwest. Exploratory Grant Award \$4,000 with Kay Rowberg. 2017.

Purdue University Calumet College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences Summer 2016 Research Award. \$7,500.

### **Outstanding Teaching Award. Purdue University Calumet, 2014-2015.** One professor chosen on campus.

Fulbright Scholar Program. "Leveraging Online Instruction and Learning through Faculty Workshops and the Jig Experiment." Applied for Fulbright Award in Digital Humanities in Ireland, University College Cork, August 1, 2014. Selected in U.S. round, not selected in Ireland round.

Purdue University Calumet International Travel Grant. Spring 2015.

Submitted Grant to National Institutes of Health. R21. Spring 2014.

Purdue University Calumet International Travel Grant. Spring 2014.

Purdue University Calumet Proposal Development Grant, Spring 2013.

### **Purdue Research Fund Summer Grant. 2012. \$8,000 from Purdue University, West Lafayette.**

Purdue University Calumet Faculty Time Release Award, 2012.

Purdue University Calumet Faculty International Travel Grant, 2011.

Submitted grant to Social Science Research Council. 2012.

Purdue University Calumet Faculty Summer Grant, 2010.

Purdue University Calumet Experiential Learning Grant, 2010.

Pi Sigma Alpha Grant for National Political Science Honor Society, 2009.

Purdue University Calumet Summer Faculty Research Grant, 2009.

Purdue University Calumet Faculty Time Release Award, 2009.

Purdue University Calumet Faculty Research Abroad in Poland, 2009.

### **Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics, 2007. \$1,000.**

**American Political Science Association, Special Fund for the Study of Women and Politics.** 2007.  
\$3,500 to conduct structured interviews in Pakistan.  
**Eisenhower Institute Graduate Fellow.** 2005-2006.  
Center for New Institutional Social Sciences. 2002-04, Washington University.  
Provost's Office, Grant for International Research. \$2,000. Illinois Wesleyan University, 2007.  
**Kosciuszko Foundation Dissertation Grant.** 2002.  
International Pre-Dissertation Grant, Washington University, 2001.  
**Dean's Special Recognition Award for Teaching Excellence,** 2001, Washington University.  
Phi Beta Kappa, Pi Sigma Alpha, 1998.

### **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Intro to Spatial Analysis and GIS, Short Course Participant, University of Colorado Boulder, May 2012.  
Distance Education Certification Program, Purdue University Calumet. Fall 2009.  
Teaching and Instructional Technology Conference. Illinois Wesleyan University. June 2007.  
Frontiers of Women in Politics Research Conference. American University. August 2005.  
Summer Workshop in Polish Language and Culture, Jagiellonian University, Poland. 2002, 2001.  
Summer Workshop in Slavic, East European and Central Asian Language, Indiana University. 1999.  
Teaching Adults and Non-Traditional Students, Washington University Teaching Center.  
Web Workshop for Graduate Students in Arts & Sciences, Washington University Teaching Center.

### **OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE**

*Illinois Dunn Fellowship.* 1998-1999. Legislative Aide in the Governor's Office. Researcher, Department Human Services.  
*Michael Curry Intern,* 1997. Department of Human Services, Chicago Illinois. 1997.  
*Catholic Charities of Chicago,* 1995-1996. Office of the Continuum of Care.

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