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University Positions

Southern Methodist University, Vice President for Executive Affairs (2016–), Vice President For Academic Affairs and Provost *ad interim* (2015), Associate Provost (2010–2015), Geurin-Pettus Distinguished Chair in American Politics and Political Economy (2003–)
University of Rochester, Professor (1998–2003); Chairman, Political Science (1996–1999); Associate Professor (1988–1998); Assistant Professor (1982–1988); Instructor (1979–1981)
Southern Methodist University, Visiting Research Professor, 2000–2001
University of Alabama, Visiting Research Professor, 1987–1988
Yale University, Prize Teaching Fellow (1978–1979); Lecturer (Spring 1978); Teaching Assistant (1975–1977, Fall terms)

Education

Ph.D., Yale University, 1981, Political Science
M.Phil., Oxford University, 1975, Politics
B.A., Yale University, 1972, Political Science, Honors with Distinction, *magna cum laude*
Enterprise public schools, Enterprise, Alabama

Honors and Awards

Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar, 2015–2016
Outstanding Administrator Award, Southern Methodist University, 2013
“M” Award, Southern Methodist University, 2010
Distinguished University Citizen Award, Southern Methodist University, 2008
Distinguished Teacher of the Year, University of Rochester Student Association Senate, 1991
Voter Mobilization and the Politics of Race, Outstanding Academic Book, *Choice*, May 1989
National Science Foundation Dissertation Research Grant, 1979–1980
Prize Teaching Fellowship, Yale, 1978–1979
Rhodes Scholarship, 1972–1975
National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship, 1972 (declined)
Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Connecticut, June 1972
Honors with Exceptional Distinction in Political Science, Yale, 1972

Publications: Books

Vital Statistics on American Politics 2015–2016, 2015; CQ Press; *2013–2014*, 2013; *2011–2012*, 2011; *2009–2010*, 2009; *2007–2008*, 2007; *2005–2006*, 2005; *2003–2004*, 2003; *2001–2002*, 2001; *1999–2000*, 1999; *1997–1998*, 1998; 5th edition, 1995; 4th, 1993; 3rd, 1991; 2nd, 1990; 1st, 1988; on-line editions 2015; 2013; 2011; 2009; 2008; 2006 (with Richard G. Niemi)
Voter Mobilization and the Politics of Race: The South and Universal Suffrage, 1952–1984, Praeger, 1987
Senate v. Governor, Alabama 1971: Referents for Opposition in a One-Party Legislature, University of Alabama Press, 1975

Publications: Journal Articles

- “Introduction—The American Presidential Election of 2008,” *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties*, vol. 20, May 2010, 147–151
- “Partisanship, Party Coalitions, and Group Support, 1952–2004,” *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, vol. 36, June 2006, 172–188 (with Richard G. Niemi)
- “Class, Party, and South/Non-South Differences,” *American Politics Research*, vol. 32, 2004, 52–67 (with Richard Nadeau, Richard G. Niemi, and Jean-François Godbout)
- “State Economies and State Taxes: Do Voters Hold Governors Accountable?” *American Journal of Political Science*, vol. 39, November 1995, 936–957 (with Richard G. Niemi and Ron Vogel)
- “Minority Turnout and the Creation of Majority–Minority Districts,” *American Politics Quarterly*, vol. 23, April 1995, 190–203 (with Kim Brace, Lisa Handley, and Richard G. Niemi)
- “Class Polarization in Partisanship among Native Southern Whites, 1952–1990,” *American Journal of Political Science*, vol. 37, August 1993, 900–919 (with Richard Nadeau)
- “The Transformation of the New Deal Party System: Social Groups, Political Ideology, and Changing Partisanship among Northern Whites, 1972–1988,” *Political Behavior*, vol. 14, September 1992, 213–237 (with Edward G. Carmines)
- “Partisanship and Group Support, 1952–1988,” *American Politics Quarterly*, vol. 19, April 1991, 189–210 (with Richard G. Niemi); edited version, combined with earlier version, appears in Richard G. Niemi and Herbert F. Weisberg, eds., *Controversies in Voting Behavior*, 3rd ed., CQ Press, 1993, 350–367
- “Super Tuesday 1988: Regional Results, National Implications,” *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, vol. 19, Summer 1989, 19–37 (with Charles D. Hadley)
- “Southern Partisan Changes: Dealignment, Realignment or Both?” *Journal of Politics*, vol. 50, February 1988, 64–88
- “The Southern Presidential Primary: Regional Intentions with National Implications,” *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, vol. 17, Summer 1987, 83–100 (with Charles D. Hadley)
- “Partisanship and Group Support over Time: A Multivariate Analysis,” *The American Political Science Review*, vol. 80, September 1986, 969–976 (with William T. Bianco and Richard G. Niemi); edited version, combined with later update, appears in Richard G. Niemi and Herbert F. Weisberg, eds., *Controversies in Voting Behavior*, 3rd ed., CQ Press, 1993, 350–367
- “The Runoff: The Case for Retention,” *PS*, vol. 18, Spring 1985, 231–236
- “Testing the Converse Partisanship Model with New Electorates,” *Comparative Political Studies*, vol. 18, October 1985, 300–322 (with Richard G. Niemi, G. Bingham Powell, and Charles Evans)
- “Age and Turnout among the Newly Enfranchised: Life Cycle versus Experience Effects,” *European Journal of Political Research*, vol. 12, 1984, 371–386 (with Richard G. Niemi and Charles Evans)

Publications: Book Chapters

- “Reflections on Reading V.O. Key’s *Southern Politics in State and Nation: Race, Politics, and Economics*,” *Unlocking V.O. Key, Jr.*, University of Arkansas Press, forthcoming 2010.
- “The Latino Vote in 2008,” DuBose Kapeluck, Robert P. Steed, and Laurence W. Moreland, eds., *Presidential Elections in the South: Putting 2008 in Political Context*, Lynne Rienner, 2010.
- “The South and the Presidency,” Robert P. Steed and Laurence W. Moreland, eds., *Writing Southern Politics*, University of Kentucky Press, 2006, 219–239

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Publications: Book Chapters (continued)

- “The Inevitable, Unanticipated Consequences of Political Reform: The 2004 Presidential Nomination Process,” William J. Crotty, ed., *A Defining Moment: The Presidential Election of 2004*, M.E. Sharpe, 2005, 74–86 (with Christine L. Day and Charles D. Hadley)
- “Partisanship, Party Coalitions, and Group Support,” Herbert F. Weisberg and Clyde Wilcox, eds., *Models of Voting in Presidential Elections: The 2000 Election*, Stanford University Press, 2004, 123–140 (with Richard G. Niemi)
- “Alabama: Republicans Winning the Heart of Dixie,” Charles S. Bullock III and Mark J. Rozell, eds., *The New Politics of the Old South: An Introduction to Southern Politics*, 2nd ed., Rowman & Littlefield, 2003, 75–94
- “The South in the 2000 Elections,” Robert P. Steed and Laurence W. Moreland, eds., *The 2000 Presidential Election in the South: Partisanship and Southern Party Systems in the 21st Century*, Greenwood, 2002, 219–232
- “The Nominations: The Return of the Party Leaders,” Michael Nelson, ed., *The Elections of 2000*, CQ Press, 2001, 27–53
- “Alabama 1998: Luck Runs Out for GOP and Christian Right as Democrats Gamble on the Lottery,” John Green, Mark J. Rozell, Clyde Wilcox, eds., *Prayers in the Precincts: The Christian Right in the 1998 Elections*, Georgetown University Press, 2000, 145–162 (with Christian Grose)
- “Party Coalitions in Transition: Partisanship and Group Support, 1952–1996,” Herbert F. Weisberg and Janet Box-Steffensmeier, eds., *Reelection 1996: How Americans Voted*, Chatham House, 1999, 162–180, 252–253 (with Richard G. Niemi); edited version in Richard G. Niemi and Herbert F. Weisberg, eds., *Controversies in Voting Behavior*, 4th ed., CQ Press, 2001, 387–404
- “Alabama: Republicans Win the Heart of Dixie,” Charles S. Bullock III and Mark J. Rozell, eds., *The New Politics of the Old South: An Introduction to Southern Politics*, Rowman & Littlefield, 1998, 67–83
- “The South and the 1996 Presidential Election: Republican Gains Among Democratic Wins,” Laurence W. Moreland and Robert P. Steed, eds., *The 1996 Presidential Election in the South: Southern Party Systems in the 1990s*, Praeger, 1997, 223–243
- “The Nominations: Republican Doldrums, Democratic Revival,” Michael Nelson, ed., *The Elections of 1996*, CQ Press, 1997, 14–43
- “The Parties, the President, and the 1994 Mid-term Elections,” Colin Campbell and Bert Rockman, eds., *The Clinton Presidency: First Appraisals*, Chatham House, 1995, 188–211
- “The Southern Super Tuesday: Southern Democrats Seek Relief from Rising Republicanism,” William G. Mayer, ed., *In Pursuit of the White House: How We Choose our Presidential Nominees*, Chatham House, 1995, 158–189 (with Charles D. Hadley)
- “The Demise of the New Deal Coalition: Partisanship and Group Support, 1952–92,” Herbert F. Weisberg, ed., *Democracy's Feast: The U.S. Election of 1992*, Chatham House, 1995, 220–240 (with Richard G. Niemi)
- “Party Activists in the South,” in Charles D. Hadley and Lewis Bowman, eds., *Southern State Party Organizations and Activists*, Praeger, 1995, 201–210
- “The South and the 1992 Presidential Election,” Robert P. Steed, Laurence W. Moreland, and Tod A. Baker, eds., *The 1992 Presidential Election in the South*, Praeger, 1994, 197–210
- “Surviving the 1992 Presidential Nomination Process,” William Crotty, ed., *America's Choice: The Election of 1992*, Dushkin, 1993, 31–44, 186–189 (with Charles D. Hadley)

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Publications: Book Chapters (continued)

- “Assessing the Presidential Candidacies of Jesse Jackson,” Paul M. Sniderman, Philip E. Tetlock, and Edward G. Carmines, eds., *Prejudice, Politics, and the American Dilemma*, Stanford University Press, 1993, 256–270
- “Partisanship and Group Support over Time,” Richard G. Niemi and Herb Weisberg, eds., *Controversies in American Voting Behavior*, 3rd edition, CQ Press, 1992, 350–367 (with Richard G. Niemi)
- “The Reagan Legacy and Party Politics in the South,” Laurence W. Moreland, Robert P. Steed, and Tod A. Baker, eds., *The 1988 Presidential Election in the South*, Praeger, 1991, 21–33
- “Partisan Coalitions in the Electorate,” L. Sandy Maisel, ed., *Political Parties and Elections in the United States: An Encyclopedia*, Garland, 1991, 720–730 (with William T. Bianco and Richard G. Niemi)
- “Blacks, the Biracial Coalition, and Political Change,” Tod A. Baker, Charles D. Hadley, Laurence W. Moreland and Robert P. Steed, eds., *Political Parties in the Southern States: Party Activists and Partisan Coalitions*, Praeger, 1990, 43–64 (with Charles D. Hadley)
- “Ideological Realignment in the Contemporary South: Where Have All the Conservatives Gone?” Robert P. Steed, Laurence W. Moreland, and Tod A. Baker, eds., *The Disappearing South? Studies in Regional Change and Continuity*, University of Alabama Press, 1990, 21–33, 179–181 (with Edward G. Carmines)
- “Partisan Changes in the South: Making Sense of Scholarly Dissonance,” Robert Swansbrough and David Brodsky, eds., *The South's New Politics: Realignment and Dealignment*, University of South Carolina Press, 1988, 238–252 (with David S. Castle)
- “Runoff Primaries and Black Political Influence,” Robert P. Steed, Laurence W. Moreland, and Tod A. Baker, eds., *Blacks in Southern Politics*, Praeger, 1987, 259–276
- “The 1984 Presidential Election in the South: Race and Realignment,” concluding chapter in Robert P. Steed, Laurence W. Moreland, and Tod A. Baker, eds., *The 1984 Presidential Election in the South: Patterns of Southern Party Politics*, Praeger, 1986, 303–335; abridged version in *The American South Comes of Age*, Jack Bass, Thomas E. Terrill, eds., Knopf, 1986, 284–288

Publications: Other

- “The American Presidential Election of 2008,” special issue of the journal of *Elections, Public Opinion & Parties*, vol. 20, May 2010 (co-editor with Richard G. Niemi)
- “Introduction—The American Presidential Election of 2008,” *Elections, Public Opinion & Parties*, vol. 20, May 2010, 147–151 (with Richard G. Niemi)
- “Southern Bloc,” in William A. Darity, Jr., *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd edition. 9 vols. Detroit: Macmillan Reference USA, 2008, volume 8, pages 34–35
- Review of Earl Black and Merle Black, *The Rise of Southern Republicans, Perspectives on Politics*, June 2003, 400–401
- “George Wallace,” *American National Biography Online September 2000 Update*, Oxford University Press [<http://www.anb.org/articles/07/07-00721.html>]
- “V.O. Key,” *American National Biography*, Oxford University Press, 1999, volume 12, 640–641
- “Southern Bloc,” in Donald C. Bacon, Roger H. Davidson, and Morton Keller, eds., *The Encyclopedia of the United States Congress*, Simon Schuster, 1995, 1854–1855
- “Southern Republicans: Have They Fallen and They Can't Get Up?” Comment on Gregory Thielemann, “Party Development in the South: The Case for Southern Exceptionalism,” *Social Science Quarterly*, vol. 73, March 1992, 136–140

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Publications: Other

“Super Tuesday’—Did the South Gain?” (Baton Rouge) *Sunday Advocate*, 10 April 1988, 7b (with Charles D. Hadley)

“Expect a Super Tuesday Muddle,” *The New York Times*, 4 March 1988, 27 (with Charles D. Hadley)

“Fair Shake, Fair Share,” *The New Republic*, 30 November 1987, 39–41

Teaching Fields

American Government, Latino Politics, Political Parties and Elections, Presidential Elections, Southern Politics

Professional Associations

American, Southern, and Midwest Political Science Associations

Professional Service

Fulbright, National Screening Committee, United Kingdom, 2010–2014

Southern Political Science Association, President, 2000–2001; President-Elect, 1999–2000

American Political Science Association, Departmental Services Committee, 1998–2001; Chair 2000–2001

American Political Science Association, Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior Section, Warren E. Miller Prize Committee, 1999–2000

Southern Political Science Association, Strategic Planning Committee, Chair, 1998–2000

Southern Political Science Association, Vice President and Program Chair, 1997–1998

American Political Science Association, Artinian Fund Committee, 1997–1999

Southern Political Science Association, Artinian Award Committee, 1997–1998

American Review of Politics, Editorial Board, 1994–2005

Southern Political Science Association, Executive Council, 1992–2002

Journal of Politics, Editorial Board, 1991–2000, 2007–

Southern Political Science Association, Program Committee, 1987, 1992, 2008 Conventions

Midwest Political Science Association, Program Committee, 1989 Convention

Southern Political Science Association, V.O. Key Book Award Committee, 1986–1987, 1990, 1992–1993, 1995–1997, 2006–2007

University Service**SMU**

Vice President For Academic Affairs and Provost *ad interim* (2015)

Associate Provost overseeing (2010–2015) SMU-in-Taos, International Center, Altshuler Learning Enhancement Center, Center for the Development of Student Athletes, President's Scholars; and (2010–2011) Admissions, Financial Aid, Registrar, and Bursar

Chair, SACS monitoring report on assessment of general education competencies, 2012

Chair, search for Director of Education Abroad, 2012–2013

Chair, University Curriculum Monitoring Committee, 2014

Chair, search for Associate Vice President of Enrollment Management, 2010–2011

Athletics Admissions Review Committee, 2010

Co-chair, Faculty/Staff Steering Committee, Second Century Campaign, 2009–2010

General Education Review Committee, 2008–2010

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University Service**SMU (continued)**

Chair, Honors Task Force, 2006–2007

William M. Tate Distinguished Lecture Series, Board of Directors, faculty representative, 2006–2009

The John Goodwin Tower Center for Political Studies, Faculty Advisory Board, 2003–2015

University of Rochester

Chair, Political Science Department, 1996–1999

Director or Co-Director, British Parliament Internship, 1981–1986

Consulting

Ducksworth v. Mississippi, 2004

Metts v. Murphy (Rhode Island), 2004

Camacho v. Galvin (Massachusetts), 2003–2004

Black Political Task Force v. Galvin (Massachusetts), 2003–2004

Martinez v. Bush (Florida), 2002

Rodriguez v. Pataki (New York), 2002–2004

Douglas v. Alabama, 2001–2002

Montiel v. Davis (Alabama), 2001–2002

Leroux et al. v. Miller (Michigan), 2001

O'Lear v. Miller (Michigan), 2001

Wilson v. Jones (Alabama), 2000

U.S. v. City of Lawrence (Massachusetts), 1999–2002

NAACP v. Fordice (Mississippi), 1998

Anthony v. State of Michigan, 1997–1999

Mississippi v. Reno, 1997–1998

Dutmer v. City of San Antonio (Texas), 1996

Simpson v. City of Hampton (Virginia), 1995

NAACP v. Florence School District Number One (South Carolina), 1995–1996

Negron v. Diaz (Florida), 1995

H-FERA, et al. v. City of Buffalo (New York), 1994–2006

Coleman v. Ft. Pierce City Commission (Florida), 1994

NAACP v. Austin (Michigan), 1993–1994

Mendoza v. Salinas Valley Memorial District Hospital (California), 1993

NAACP v. City of Columbia (South Carolina), 1993

NAACP v. Kershaw County Board of County Commissioners (South Carolina), 1992

De Grandy v. Wetherell (Florida), 1992

Wesch v. Hunt (Alabama), 1991–1992

Attorney General, State of Virginia, 1991

Meek v. Dade County (Florida), 1991–1992

Suarez v. School Board of Dade County (Florida), 1991–1994

NAACP v. City of Niagara Falls (New York), 1991–1995

Johnson v. DeSoto County Board of County Commissioners and School Board (Florida), 1991–2000

Reed v. Town of Babylon (New York), 1990–1995

Goosby v. Town Board of the Town of Hempstead (New York), 1989–1998

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Consulting (continued)

Armstrong v. Allain (Mississippi), 1989–1993

NAACP v. Charleston County School Board (South Carolina), 1989–1990

NAACP v. Charleston County Council (South Carolina), 1989

McCray v. Mississippi State Board of Election Commissioners, 1988–1989

Concerned Citizens of Hardee County v. Board of Commissioners (Florida), 1988–1989

Mississippi v. U.S., 1988

NAACP v. Richland County Council, (South Carolina), 1988

Bradford County NAACP v. City of Starke (Florida), 1987–1988

Smith v. Clinton (Arkansas), 1988

Whitfield v. The Democratic Party of Arkansas (Arkansas), 1988

McNeil v. Springfield Park District (Illinois), 1988

United States of America v. City of Augusta, Georgia (Georgia), 1987–1988

Martin v. Allain (consolidated with) *Kirksey v. Allain* (Mississippi), 1987

Burrell v. Allain (Mississippi), 1986

Tallahassee Branch of NAACP v. Leon County (Florida), 1986

Jackson v. Edgefield County Board of Trustees (South Carolina), 1986

Gordon S. Black Associates, client statistical services, 1982