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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA, PhD Candidate (ABD) in Political Science
(PhD expected May 2014)

Fields: Public Law/Judicial Politics, Research Methodology

WOFFORD COLLEGE, B.A. in Government and Spanish, 2008.

Fields: Government (with concentration in World Politics), Spanish, Religion

CONVERSE COLLEGE, Sept 2008 – May 2009

Courses: Arabic I; Arabic II

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Summer Institute

UC Berkeley, 2013

Seminar Focus: Bridging the gap between formal models and empirical analyses

Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program

University of Michigan, 2012

Courses: Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Advanced Multivariate Statistical Methods, Advanced Game Theory, Applied Multilevel Models, Data Mining, Missing Data

RESEARCH INTERESTS

The establishment and consolidation of the rule of law

The role of courts in the rule of law

Comparative judicial politics

Human rights protections

International Law

Supranational courts, universal jurisdiction

Economic development and foreign aid

PUBLICATIONS

Songer, Donald R., Miroslava Radieva, and Rebecca Reid. "Gender Diversity in the Intermediate Appellate Courts of Canada." *Justice System Journal* (in press).

WORKING PAPERS

"Promoting Human Rights Development: International Institutions and Constitutional Change"

- “Legal Mobilization and Judicial Support: Reexamining Support Structures”
- “Judicial Institutionalization of Human Rights: The Role of Civil Society and NGOs”
- “Judicial Institutionalization of International Human Rights Laws”
- “Examining the Development of Judicial Independence” (with Kirk Randazzo and Douglas Gibling)
- “Unlocking the Black Box of Principle-Agent Models: How Gender and Race Impact Judicial Decision Making” (with Kirk Randazzo and Richard Watermann)
- “Statutory Language and the Separation of Powers” (with Kirk Randazzo)
- “Bottom-up or top-down? Courts and International Norms” (with Kirk Randazzo)
- “War and Gender: Gendered Differences in Making Tradeoffs Between Civil Liberties and National Security in the U.S. Courts of Appeals, 1950-2007” (with Susanne Schorpp)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- “Promoting Human Rights Development: International Institutions and Constitutional Change.” 2013. American Political Science Association, in Chicago, U.S.
- “Judicial Institutionalization of International Human Rights Laws: The Role of Global Civil Society and INGOs.” 2013. Midwest Political Science Association, in Chicago, U.S.
- “Judicial Institutionalization of International Human Rights Laws.” 2013. Southern Political Science Association, in Orlando, U.S.
- “Examining the Development of Judicial Independence.” 2012. Midwest Political Science Association, in Chicago, U.S. (with Kirk Randazzo and Douglas Gibling)
- “Unlocking the Black Box of Principle-Agent Models: How Gender and Race Impact Judicial Decision Making.” 2012. Western Political Science Association (with Kirk Randazzo and Richard Waterman).
- “Statutory Language and the Separation of Powers.” 2011. American Political Science Association, in Seattle, U.S. (with Kirk Randazzo).
- “Critical Mass and the Effect of Female Judges on Voting Patterns and Rate of Dissent in Canadian Courts of Appeal.” 2011. Midwest Political Science Association, in Chicago, U.S. (with Donald Songer and Miroslava

Radieva).

“Bottom-up or top-down? Courts and International Norms.” 2011. Southern Political Science Association, in New Orleans, U.S. (with Kirk Randazzo).

“War and Gender: Gendered Differences in Making Tradeoffs Between Civil Liberties and National Security in the U.S. Courts of Appeals, 1950-2007.” 2010. Midwest Political Science Association, in Chicago, U.S. (with Donald Songer and Susanne Schorpp).

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND DISTINCTIONS

SPARC (Support to Promote Advancement of Research and Creativity) (2012-13)

EITM (Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models) Summer Institute (2013)

USC Graduate School Travel Grant (2013)

EITM Travel Scholarship (2013)

Prestage-Cook Travel Award (2013)

West Forum Small Fellowship (2012)

EITM Certification Scholarship (2012)

Anna Todd Wofford Scholarship (full scholarship for 4 years)

S.C. Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

S.C. Tuition Grant

South Carolina Junior Academy of Sciences (1st place written paper winner; 3rd place oral presentation winner)

HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

Golden Key International Honour Society

National Spanish Honors Society, 2005-2008.

National Honors Society, 2004.

TEACHING INTERESTS

Constitutional Law

Judicial Process and Politics

Comparative Judicial Politics

American Government

Research Methods

International Law

Introduction to International Relations

Introduction to Comparative Politics

Game Theory

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

Poli 450: Constitutional Law (Fall 2013)

Poli 451: Constitutional Law: Civil Liberties (Spring 2013, Spring 2014)

Lectures

Politics of Leadership

Constitutional Law

English as a Second Language

Tutoring in Spanish

EMPLOYMENT

Research Assistant

Graduate Research Assistant, University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, 2012-2013. (10 hours/week)

Graduate Research Assistant, University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, 2010-2011. (10 hours/week)

Graduate Research Assistant, University of South Carolina, Grant: "Gender, Party, & Collegiality: Judicial Decision Making in Intermediate Appellate Courts of the United States and Canada." Donald Songer, Summer 2011.

Teaching Assistant

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, 2012-2013. (10 hours/week)

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, 2011-2012. (20 hours/week)

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, 2010-2011. (10 hours/week)

Other

Graduate Assistant, University of South Carolina, Department of Political Science, 2010. (10 hours/week)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

American Political Science Association

Assistant Editor for *Law and Courts* (Newsletter), 2011-2013.

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

University of South Carolina

Vice President of Political Science Graduate Student Organization, 2011-2012.

Vice President of Political Science Graduate Student Organization, 2010-2011.

Member of USC Political Science Women's Group, 2009-2011.

Member of Rule of Law Collaborative.

Presentations and Workshops

Transitions: Graduate Student to Faculty Member. April, 2012. Department of Political Science, Graduate Program. University of South Carolina.

Writing Professionalization Workshop. September, 2010. Department of Political Science, Graduate Program. University of South Carolina.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association
Southern Political Science Association
The American Society of International Law
The Academy of Political Science

SKILLS

Languages: Spanish (fluent in Latin American and Castillian)
Arabic

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Spartanburg, SC
Taught English as a Second Language

NON-POLITICAL SCIENCE ACTIVITIES

Publications

- Reid, R. A. and Reid, A. K. (2005). "Route finding by rats in an open arena."
Behavioural Processes, 68, 51-67.
Reid, R. A. (2004). "The Borderland." Skylark Poetry.
Reid, R. A. (2004). "Survival of the Fittest." Is the War of the Third Invasion
Justified? *The Novel Experience*. Wofford College, 9.

Experience Abroad

- Granada, Spain. Studied World Politics, Spanish, and Arabic, 2007.
Morocco. Studied Politics and Development, October 2007.
Israel. Studied archeology, religion, history, and politics, January 2005.
Jordan. Studied archeology, religion, history, and politics, January 2005.
Mexico. Studied Spanish, Mayan archeology, history, religion, and language,
January 2004.
Mexico. Studied Mayan language in Yucatan, 2002

REFERENCES

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