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Education

- 1990 Ph.D., Political Science, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN. *Dissertation:* Determinants of Political Violence in Latin America: A Cross-National Time-Series Analysis, 1973-1982.
- 1984 M.A., Political Science, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.
- 1980 Maestría, Ciencia Política, Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales (FLACSO), Mexico City, Mexico. *Dissertation:* Transferencia de Tecnología y Emigración, Un Estudio de Caso: La Industria del Tomate en Culiacán, Sinaloa.
- 1976 J.D., The National Law Center, The George Washington University, Washington, D.C. Managing Editor, *The Journal of International Law and Economics*.
- 1973 B.A., Political Science, University of Denver, Denver, CO.

Teaching Experience

- 2013-Present Professor, Political Science & Philosophy Department, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX.
- 1995-2013 Associate Professor, Political Science & Criminal Justice Department, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX.
- 1988-1995 Assistant Professor, Government Department, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX.
- 1984-1985 Instructor, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.
- 1982-1984 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.

Work Experience (non-teaching)

- 1981-1982 Private practice.
- 1977-1978 Assistant County Attorney, Nueces County, Texas.
- 1976 Licensed, State Bar of Texas.

Publications

- Review of *Theories of International Regimes* by Andreas Hasenclever, Peter Mayer, and Volker Rittberger. *Texas Journal of Political Studies*. 20.1 (Fall/Winter 1998): 99-101.
- "Syllabus: Comparative Political Systems." In *Comparative Politics Course Syllabi*, ed. Frank Lee Wilson. Washington, D.C.: American Political Science Association, 1998.

Papers Presented

“Realism, Idealism, and Liberalism in Montesquieu’s System of International Relations.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Arkansas Political Science Association, Searcy, Arkansas, February 23-24, 2001. In collaboration with Peter Levine, Angelo State University.

“Political Violence in Latin America: A Quantitative Appraisal.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association/Southwest, San Antonio, Texas, March 27-30, 1991.

“Militarism and Repression in Latin America: A Quantitative Appraisal.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association/Midwest, Chicago, Illinois, November 15-16, 1985.

“The Dynamics of International Migration Between Mexico and the U.S.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the North Central Sociological Association, Louisville, Kentucky, April 25-27, 1985.

Presentations

“Comments on Attack on World Trade Center,” KABC-TV Channel 5, San Angelo, TX (9/11/2001).

“2000 Presidential Elections,” Guest speaker for program entitled, ‘Ellos, Ustedes, y Nosotros,’ KSJT Radio 107.5 FM, San Angelo, TX (10/08/2000).

Conferences and Workshops Attended/Participant

ASU Summer Institute on Teaching and Learning, 2012 & 2014.

Writing Winning Grant Workshop, University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, Texas, August 16, 2008.

Arkansas Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Searcy, Arkansas, February 23-24, 2001.

Regional (Texas) Lilly Conference on College & University Teaching, San Marcos, August 3-4, 2001

A.A. White Dispute Resolution Institute, 40-Hour Basic Mediation Training Program, Houston, Texas, June 26-30, 2000.

Departmental Committees/Service

Advisor, Political Science Majors and Minors

Chair, 2015-2019

Coordinator/Advisor, MAIS Program, 1990-2004

Committee Chair, Graduate Advisory Committees, 18 after 9/1/1995

College Days, 2002

Cultural Competency & International Security Search Committee, Participant in 3 Committees, 2010-2011

Departmental Search Committee, Participant in 3 Search Committees

Departmental Search Committee, Chair, 2009

Departmental Peer Review Committee, Chair (2008-2009, 2014-2015), Member (2010-2014)

Discover ASU, 2010-2011

Experience ASU, 2016-2017

Faculty Advisor, Model Organization of American States-ASU Chapter, 2009-2016

NSO Advisor, 2016-2019

Pre-law Advisor, 2011-2012

Preview ASU Advisor

SOAR ASU

Web Content Coordinator for Department, 2008-2019

University Committees/Service

Athletic Council, Member, 2010-2014

Campus Safety and Security Committee, Member, 1992-2000, 2001-2002
 Carr Academic Scholarship Program Advisory Committee, Member, 2001-2008
 College of Arts & Sciences, Tenure & Promotion Reconciliation Committee, 2012
 College of Liberal & Fine Arts Tenure & Promotion Committee, 2012, 2015
 College Curriculum Committee, Member, 1995-1996, 2015-2018
 Committee for the Texas Tech University Law School Scholarships, Member, 1989-2008
 Faculty Research Enhancement Grants Committee, Member, 1993-1996, 2000-2013, 2015
 Faculty Senate, Senator, 2012-2015
 Guest Judge, Communications 2311: Argumentation & Debate, Fall 2011, Fall 2012
 Gonfalonier for the Graduate School, 2000-2001
 Foreign Affairs Speakers Program Committee (Chair 2011), Member (2012-2019)
 Judicial Committee, Chairperson (2000-2013), Member (2013-2015).
 Marshall for Commencement Services, 2002-2003, 2006-2007, 2013-2014
 Mexican American Studies Curriculum Committee, Member, 2009-2011
 Search Committee, Director, Center for Security Studies, 2010
 Search Committee, Dean of the College of Liberal and Fine Arts, 2002-2004
 Search Committee, Dean of Arts and Humanities, 2015-2016
 Search Committee, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, 2012
 Select Committee on Speakers Program for University Council, Member, 2004
 Select Faculty Committee to Suggest Changes in the Tenure & Promotion Policy, Member, 2002-2003
 Student Financial Aid Committee, Member, 1993-1999
 University Center Board, 2008-2009
 University Self-Study, Committee on Graduate Program, 2001

Awards and Grants

Faculty Travel Grant, Angelo State University, 2001
 Faculty & Staff Professional Development Grant, 2000
 Faculty Development Grant, Focus on Mexico FDIB sponsored by Texas A&M Center for International Business, May 19-29, 1998
 Sasakawa Fellowship, Participation in the National Faculty Development Institute on "Incorporating Japanese Studies in the Undergraduate Curriculum," June 5-July 3, 1996.
 Summer Fulbright, Seminar on South America Today, 1993

Community Service

Canterbury Association, 2005
 Center for International Studies' Host Family Program, Hosted 2 South Korean Students at Residence, 2010
 Contest Director, Current Issues and Current Events, Regional University Interscholastic League Contest, 1992-2010, 2016, 2019; Assistant Director, 2017
 Grand Jury, Member, 2002
 Multicultural Center's First-Generation Host Family Program, Sponsor Participant, 2010-2014
 San Angelo Rotary Club-Sunrise, Member, 2001-Present
 Vestry Member, Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, 1998, 2011-2013
 Volunteer Drive, Meals for the Elderly

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Political Science Association
 State Bar of Texas