Nicholas P. Nicoletti, Ph.D.

Curriculum Vitae

Education

- 2008–2013 Ph.D. Political Science, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
 - International Relations and American Politics
- 2007–2008 M.B.A., St. John Fisher College. **Business Administration**
- 2006–2008 M.S., St. John Fisher College. International Studies
- 2003–2006 B.A., COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT, SUNY.
 - Political Science and Criminal Justice
- 2000–2003 A.A., Monroe Community College. Liberal Arts

Doctoral and Masters Theses

- 2013 Ph.D. Dissertation, UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, SUNY, Politicizing War: Democracy, Information, and Public Opinion on War.
 - Committee: Phil Arena (Chair), Harvey Palmer, Michelle Benson, and Joshua Dyck
- 2008 M.S. Thesis, International Studies, St. John Fisher College, Innovation-Led Growth, A New Approach to Development: China's Development Shift Away from Export-Led Growth, and Toward the Innovation-Led Model.
 - Committee: John Roche (Chair) and David MacGregor

Currently Held Positions

Fall Interim Director of the Ph.D. in Leadership Program, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

2024-Present As the Director of Alvernia University's Ph.D. Program in Leadership, I oversee all aspects of program administration, including curriculum development, student recruitment, and faculty staffing, to ensure academic excellence and alignment with the university's values-based mission. I lead efforts to attract and support diverse cohorts of students while mentoring them through coursework, research, and the dissertation process. Collaborating with faculty, I foster an interdisciplinary and hybrid learning environment, integrating ethical leadership principles into all concentrations, including Corporate, Community, and Educational Leadership. Additionally, I manage accreditation compliance, budget planning, and strategic initiatives that enhance the program's impact and reputation. My leadership emphasizes innovation, inclusivity, and a commitment to preparing graduates to excel as ethical leaders in their fields.

Spring 2024 Executive Director of Academic Success, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

In this position, I coordinate the divisions in academic affairs associated with academic success including our Navigation Office (Title III), Academic Advising, Academic Success Center, Career Services, and various other support areas. A significant portion of my duties include developing and maintaining predictive models of student persistence, retention, and graduation for the purpose of developing data-guided strategies for student success.

2022–2024 First-Year Experience Director, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

In this position, I am the director of Alvernia's First-Year Seminar curriculum, as well as the Peer Mentor program. The curriculum focuses on the importance of the liberal arts, student success (retention and graduation), and helping our students transition into Alvernia's growing campus community, emphasizing our mission and Franciscan values.

2021-Present Associate Professor (tenured), ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

Political Science

Experience

Academic Positions

2021–Present Associate Professor (tenured), ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

Political Science

2018–2021 Honors Faculty, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.

Research Seminar and Senior Thesis Mentor

2018–2021 Associate Professor (tenured), Missouri Southern State University.

Political Science

2013–2018 Assistant Professor, Missouri Southern State University.

Political Science

2010–2013 Adjunct Professor, Buffalo State, SUNY.

Political Science and Public Administration

2008–2013 Instructor, University at Buffalo, SUNY.

Political Science

2009–2013 **Teaching Assistant**, University at Buffalo, SUNY.

2008 Research Assistant, University at Buffalo, SUNY.

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Leadership and Administrative Positions

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 - Spring Executive Director of Academic Success, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- 2024—Present In this position, I coordinate the divisions in academic affairs associated with academic success including our Navigation Office (Title III), Academic Advising, Academic Success Center, Career Services, and various other support areas.
 - 2022–2024 **First-Year Experience Director**, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

 In this position, I am the director of Alvernia's First-Year Seminar curriculum, as well as the Peer Mentor program.
- 2021-Present Coach, Alvernia Mock Trial, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
 - 2017–2021 **Empowering U Coordinator**, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. In this position, I was the director of MSSU's employee engagement and open-book management initiative. The role also included building and maintaining quantitative student persistence and retention models, aiming to inform the campus of how they could help improve retention within their academic area.
 - 2017–2018 Faculty Senate President, Missouri Southern State University.
 - 2013–2020 Coach, MSSU Mock Trial, Missouri Southern State University.
 - 2014–2017 Assistant Director, Spradling Center for Law and Politics, MISSOURI SOUTH-ERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
 - 2015–2016 Assistant Director, American Mock Trial Association, American Mock Trial Association.

Teaching (*Denotes a class taught regularly.)

International Relations/Comparative Politics

* **PSC 366**, *International Politics & Cyber-Security*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.

HNRS 495, *China: The Rise of a Global Power*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Honors Seminar in Political Science.

PSC 494, *The Politics of Technology and Cyber Conflict*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Seminar in Political Science.

- * PSC 321, International Relations, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- * **PSC 335**, American Foreign Policy, University at Buffalo, SUNY, Missouri Southern State University.
- * **PSC 326**, War and International Security, University at Buffalo, SUNY, Missouri Southern State University.
- * **PSC 498**, *Globalization and Development*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- * PSC 498, Comparative Politics, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.

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- * **PSC 498**, *Politics of the European Union*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Special Topics Course.
- * **PSC 102**, Intro. to International Relations, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
 - **PSC 326**, International Relations Theory, UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, SUNY.
 - **POS 290/Social Work 290**, *Advocacy and Activism Fundamentals*, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
 - **POS 290**, People Power: How Civil Resistance Changed the World, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
 - **POS 235**, The Politics of Civil Rights and Social Justice Movements, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

American Politics and Policy

- * POS 290, Mock Trial, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- * POS 111, American Democratic Government, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
 - POS 221, American Political Parties, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
 - **HNRS 298**, *The Politics of Moral Psychology*, Missouri Southern State University.
- * **PSC 120**, *American Government*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Honors Program.
- * PSC 303, Mock Trial Workshop, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- * PSC 120, American Government, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- * **PSC 101**, *Intro. to American Politics*, UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, SUNY. Traditional and Online
- * **PSC 314**, *The Policy Process*, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
- * **PSC 319**, *American Public Policy*, BUFFALO STATE, SUNY. Traditional and On-line
 - PSC 319, Media and American Politics, UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, SUNY.
 - PSC 498, The Living Constitution, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
 - **PSC 494**, Conspiratorial Thought and Theory, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
 - **PSC 494**, *Civil Rights Tour of the South*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.

Research Methods

- * PHD 853, Advanced Quantitative Research, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- * PHD 704, Quantitative Methods and Research Design, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- * POS 425/HIST426, Research Seminar, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- * HNRS 400, Research Methods and Design, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- * PSC 306, Political Science Research Methods, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.

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PAD 698, Research Methods for Public Administrators, BUFFALO STATE, SUNY. **Grad Lab**, Statistics with Stata, Buffalo State, SUNY.

General

- * SEARCH 101, Enduring Questions, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, This is an FYE
 - PSC 202, Arguments in Political Science, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVER-
- **PSC 101**, Intro. to Government and Politics, BUFFALO STATE, SUNY. Traditional and On-line

Adviser and Coach Roles

- 2011-2013 Adviser to SUNY Model European Union, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
- 2014-2021 Adviser to Midwest Model European Union, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE University.
- 2014-2021 Collegiate Mock Trial Coach, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- 2021-Present Collegiate Mock Trial Coach, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

Research Interests

International Relations

- American Foreign Policy
- International Security
- Domestic Forces in IR
- Development Economics
- International Relations Theory
- Political Economy
- Globalization
- International Political Economy
- European Politics (European Union)
 Civil Resistance Campaigns
- Nonviolent Civil Resistance

American Politics

- Moral Reasoning and Psychology
- The Public Policy Process
- Public Opinion
- Public Administration
- Direct Democracy
- Opinion Policy Congruence
- Term Limits
- Technology and Public Policy
- Civil Rights and Social Movements

Methods of Inquiry

- Econometrics
- Experimental Political Science

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- Survey Development
- Formal Theory
- Regression Analysis
- Causal Inference
- Opinion Polling

Publications, Presentations, and Working Papers

- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2023). "Moralizing Pandemic Mitigation Policy: Moral Conviction and Attitudes on COVID-19 Preventative Measures." Accepted at the Under Review at American Politics Research.
- o Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2024). "First-Year Experience Sustainability Programming: Moving the Needle on Environmental Consciousnesses." In Progress.
- o Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2024). "Moral Conviction and Sustainability: Moral Foundations and Environmental Behaviors Among First-Year College Students." In Progress.
- o Hassler, Michael, and Nicholas P. Nicoletti (2023). "Social Work Census." IRB Approved, In

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Progress.

- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and Tyler Coleman (2023). "Exploring Cyber Conflict: A New Cyber Incident Dataset." Accepted at the 2023 Midwest Political Science Association Meeting.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2023). "Moralizing Pandemic Mitigation Policy: Moral Conviction and Attitudes on COVID-19 Preventative Measures." Accepted at the 2023 Southern Political Science Association Meeting.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2022). "Moral Imperative? The Influence of Moral Psychology and Elite Cues on COVID-19 Preventative Measures." Accepted at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Meeting.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. et al., (2021). "Experiencing COVID-19: A Qualitative Analysis of Student Obstacles During a Pandemic."
- Barry, Alla, and Nicholas P. Nicoletti et al., (2020). "The Impact of Knowledge and Information Sources on Following COVID-19 Preventative Measures: An International Study of Campus COVID-19 Guidelines During the Pandemic."
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2019) "Introduction to Stata: Getting Started with Stata Programming."
 Published in: Introduction to Econometrics. Boston, MA. Pearson.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William K. Delehanty (2018) "(Im)Morality in Political Discourse? The Effects of Moral Psychology in Politics". *Moral Psychology: A Multidisciplinary Guide*. Springer International (DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-61849-4).
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2018) "Does Partisanship Overwhelm Moral Conviction?" Presented at the *2019 Midwest Political Science Association Meeting*.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2018) "Morally Convicted Attitudes and Partisanship: Does Political Party Matter?" Accepted at the 2019 Southern Political Science Association.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2018) "Measuring Moral Conviction: Assessing Current Questions and Presenting a New Alternative." Accepted at the 2018 Midwest Political Science Association Meeting.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2018) "The Problem with Measuring Moral Reasoning." Accepted at the *2018 Southern Political Science Association Meeting*.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2017). "Mobilizing Morality: Elite Cues, Moralization, and Baseball Fields" Presented at the 2017 Great Plains Political Science Association Conference.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2017). "Elite Cues and Moral Framing: The Politics of Moralizing Public Opinion." Presented at the 2017 Midwest Political Science Association

Meeting.

- Nicoletti, Nicholas P., and William Delehanty. (2017). "When the Message is Moralized: Elite Cues and Moral Framing." Presented at the 2017 Southern Political Science Association Meeting.
- Kienzle, Madison, and Nicholas P. Nicoletti. (2016). "Relationship between Manipulative Rhetoric and Ethnic Violence in Serbia in the 1990s and in the Post -Conflict Era."
- Principal Author, Pending Utility Patent (August, 2015), BLOOD SUGAR CONCENTRATION (BSC) TESTING AND MONITORING, US PATENT APPLICATION NUMBER: 14/717,366.
- Principal Author, Provisional Patent (February, 2015), BLOOD SUGAR CONCENTRATION (BSC) TESTING AND MONITORING, US PATENT APPLICATION NUMBER: 62/121,271.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2015) "Public Opinion Constraints on the Democratic Peace." Presented at the 2015 Midwest Political Science Association Conferences.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2015) "The Democratic Peace vs. the Rally 'Round the Flag Effect."
 Presented at the 2015 Southern Political Science Conferences.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2014) "Introduction to Stata: Getting Started with Stata Programming."
 Published in: Introduction to Economics. Boston, MA. Pearson.
- Arena, Phil, and Nicholas P. Nicoletti. (2014). "Selectorate Theory, the Democratic Peace, and Public Goods Provision." *International Theory.* 6(3): 391-416.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2013). "Democracy, Information, and Public Opinion on War." Presented at the 2013 Southern Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, and New York Political Science Association Conferences.
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2012). "The Permanence of the Ballot Initiative and Party Strength: Direct Democracy and the Adaptation of Political Parties in the American States."
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2011). "Opinion-Policy Congruence in American Foreign Policy: Does the Executive Order Follow the Pattern?"
- Nicoletti, Nicholas P. (2010). "Innovation-Led Growth and Federalism: The Relationship Between Federalism and Innovation Production."

University Service

Spring 2024 – **SOLAR Poverty Reduction Initiative**, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

Present

Spring 2023 - Graduate Academic Council, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

Present

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- Spring 2023 Mission Moments 65th Anniversary Advisory Committee, ALVERNIA UNIVER-
 - Fall 2022 **Search Committee**, *Computer Science Assistant Professor Position*, ALVERNIA Present UNIVERSITY.
 - Fall 2022 **Accreditation Self-Study Committee**, *Middle States Standard 3, Working Group*, Present ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
 - Fall 2022 General Education & Core Curriculum Committee, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

 Present
 - Fall 2022 Retention Task Force & Student Subcommittee, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.

 Present
 - Fall 2022 Faculty Handbook Committee, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY. Present
 - Fall 2022 **Institutional Review Board**, *Reviewer*, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY. Present
 - Fall 2021 College of Humanities, Education, and Social Services (CHESS) Mission 2022 Committee, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- Spring 2020 Data Management Task Force, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, 2021 Empowering U Representative.
- Spring 2020 **COVID-19 Task Force**, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Empowering 2021 U Representative.
 - Fall 2019- **Enrollment and Retention Work-Group**, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNI-2021 VERSITY, Empowering U Representative.
 - Fall 2019 **Presidential Search Commitee**, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, 2020 Empowering U Representative.
 - Fall 2018 **Promotion and Tenure Committee**, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. 2021
 - Fall 2016 Empowering U Employee Engagement and Open Book Management Com-2021 mittee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Chair and Coordinator.
 - Fall 2016 Empowering U Employee Engagement and Open Book Management Research 2021 Committee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Chair.
 - Fall 2017 Strategic Planning Committee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. 2021
- Spring 2014 **Department Website Manager**, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. 2021
 - Fall 2013 Academic Adviser, *Political Science*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. 2021
 - Fall 2018 **Teaching and Learning Committee**, *Winner of the 2018 Outstanding Teacher* 2019 *Award Member*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
 - Fall 2014 **Institutional Review Board**, *Reviewer*, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVER-2019 SITY, Chair, 2015–2016.

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- Fall 2018 Past Faculty Senate President, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY,
 - 2019 Faculty Senate Executive Committee.
- Fall 2017 Faculty Senate President, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, Faculty
 - 2018 Senate Executive Committee.
- Fall 2016 Faculty Senate, President Elect: Faculty Senate Executive Committee, MISSOURI
 - 2017 SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- Fall 2015 Faculty Senate, Parliamentarian: Faculty Senate Executive Committee, MISSOURI 2016 SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- Fall 2014 Faculty Senate, At-Large Elected Senator, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNI-2019 VERSITY.
- Fall 2017 School/College Restructuring Committee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNI-2019 VERSITY, Past Co-Chair (2017).
- Fall 2016 Committee on Committees, Missouri Southern State University. 2017
- Fall 2016 International Studies Committee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY, 2018 Past Chair (2016).
- Fall 2015 Honors Committee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. 2020
- Fall 2014 Institutional Review Board Policy and Compliance Committee, MISSOURI 2016 SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- Fall 2014 Writing Committee, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY. 2016
- Spring 2013 Faculty Handbook Committee, Faculty Appointments, MISSOURI SOUTHERN 2014 STATE UNIVERSITY.

Media Appearances

- November Expert Panel: System Error Expert Panel: Obstacles in a Digital Society, 2022 BCTV READING, PA. Host.
- November Expert Panel: Revolutionary Love by Michael Learner SEARCH Panel, BCTV 2021 READING, PA, Panelist.
- October 2019 Newsmakers 2019, Impeachment and the Presidential Election, KGCS-TV Joplin, MO.
- October 2018 Newsmakers 2018, Midterm Election Preview, KGCS-TV JOPLIN, MO.
 - April 2018 Newsmakers 2018, Political Climate Leading to the 2018 Midterms, KGCS-TV JOPLIN, MO.
 - September Newsmakers 2017, Political Environment, KGCS-TV JOPLIN, MO. 2017
- October 2016 Newsmakers 2016 Presidential Election, KGCS-TV JOPLIN, MO.
- October 2014 Newsmakers 2014 Midterm Elections, KGCS-TV JOPLIN, MO.
 - April 2014 Newsmakers USA Russia-Ukraine Crisis, KGCS-TV JOPLIN, MO.

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- August 2013 President, Congress Debate his Authority to take U.S. Into War, JOPLIN GLOBE.
 - September Local Experts, Area Lawmakers Weigh in on Syria Situation, JOPLIN GLOBE. 2013
 - September Newsmakers USA Syria Relations, $\mathrm{KGCS\text{-}TV}$ $\mathrm{Joplin},\ \mathrm{MO}.$ 2013

Grants and Conference Organization

- 2023-2024 NetVUE Vocation Across the Academy Grant (Working with Alvernia's DEI VP, we secured a significant grant for our FYE Curriculum with the possibility of renewal for three years).
- 2023-2024 AAC&U Institute Digital Equity.
- 2022-2023 AAC&U Interfaith America, Institute on Teaching and Learning for Campus-wide Interfaith Excellence (\$3,000).
- o 2020 MSSU Domestic Travel Grant, MSSU Model EU (\$4,000).
- o 2019 MSSU Domestic Travel Grant, MSSU Model EU (\$4,000).
- o 2018 MSSU Domestic Travel Grant, MSSU Model EU (\$4,000).
- 2017 MSSU Domestic Travel Grant, MSSU Model EU (\$4,000).
- o 2016 MSSU Domestic Travel Grant, MSSU Model EU (\$2,500).
- 2016 McCaleb Foundation International Travel Grant for research in Serbia, Bosnia, Croatia, and Kosovo (\$5,000).
- 2015/2016 Co-Wrote and received a 3-year, \$60,000 grant for the American Mock Trial Association (AMTA). I was specifically in charge of survey research and analysis for the organization.
- 2012 Using grant funds (\$2,500) provided by the Institute for European Union Studies at SUNY (IEUSS), I planned and organized the 2012 European Union and World Politics: The EU, its Member States, and International Interactions international graduate student conference.

Conference Participation

- 2023 Midwest Political Science Association, Paper Presentation: Exploring Cyber Conflict: A New Cyber Incident Dataset., Discussant on Panels: Social Media Strategies for Political Mobilization, Information Operations, and Social Movements.
- 2023 **Southern Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: Moralizing Pandemic Mitigation Policy: Moral Conviction and Attitudes on COVID-19 Preventative Measures., **Chair on Panels:** The Impact of Misinformation on Political Psychology.
- 2022 **Midwest Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: Moral Imperative? The Influence of Moral Psychology and Elite Cues on COVID-19 Preventative Measures.
- 2019 **Great Plains Political Science Association**, *Impeachment and Politics Today, Round Table*, Participant and Moderator.
- 2019 **Great Plains Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "Follow the Partisan Leader: Morally Framed Elite Cues and Public Opinion".
- 2019 **Midwest Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "Does Partisanship Overwhelm Moral Conviction?".

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- 2019 **Midwest Political Science Association**, *Teaching Panel: Innovative Teaching Methods in Political Science*, Panelist.
- 2019 **Southern Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "Morally Convicted Attitudes and Partisanship: Does Political Party Matter?".
- 2018 **Midwest Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "Measuring Moral Conviction: Lessons from Experimental Evidence".
- 2018 **Southern Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "The Problem with Measuring Moral Reasoning".
- 2017 **Great Plains Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "Mobilizing Morality: Elite Cues, Moralization, and Baseball Fields".
- 2017 **Midwest Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "The Politics of Moralizing Public Opinion".
- 2017 **Southern Political Science Association**, Paper Presentation: "Elite Cues and Moral Framing: The Politics of Moralizing Public Opinion".
- 2015 **Midwest Political Science Association**, *Paper Presentation: "Rally 'Round the Flag Effect vs. The Democratic Peace."*, **Discussant on Panel:** Authoritarian Regimes and Coup-Proofing.
- 2014 **Southern Political Science Association**, *Paper Presentation: "Rally 'Round the Flag Effect vs. The Democratic Peace."*, **Discussant on Panels:** Conflict, War and Justice: Undergraduate Research on Comparative Politics and Shaping Public Opinion, **Chair on Panel**: Technology and Political Science Education.
- 2013 **Southern Political Science Association**, "Politicizing War: Democracy, Information, and Public Opinion on War".
- 2012 **Midwest Political Science Association**, "Belief Formation During Wartime Elections: Accurate and Biased Signals".
- 2011 **Peace Science Society**, "Selectorate Theory, the Democratic Peace, and Public Goods Provision".
- 2008 Teaching and Learning Center, "Target Your Teaching".

Awards, Honors, Grants and Extracurricular Activities

- 2022-2023 Real World Faculty Learning Award, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY.
- 2017-2018 Outstanding Teacher Award, Missouri Southern State University, Writing Committee.
 - 2016-17 **Best Writing Assignment Award**, Missouri Southern State University, Writing Committee.
 - 2015-16 Omicron Delta Kappa, Leadership Honor Society, Missouri Southern State University, Gold Crest Circle.
- 2014-2017 American Mock Trial Association (AMTA) Grant, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY
 - 2012-13 Institute for European Union Studies at SUNY (IEUSS) Grant, UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, SUNY.

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- 2012-13 Excellence in Teaching Award, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
 - 2012 **Best Paper Award**, "Belief Formation During Wartime Elections", UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, SUNY.
 - 2012 President Graduate Political Science Club, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
 - 2011 Secretary of the Graduate Political Science Club, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
 - 2011 Comprehensive Exams Passed with Distinction, University at Buffalo, SUNY.
 - 2010 Paul D. Senese Graduate Assistantship Award, University at Buffalo, SUNY
 - 2008 Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities Award, St. John Fisher College.
 - 2006 Political Science and International Studies Outstanding Student Award, College at Brockport, SUNY.
 - 2003 Political Science and International Studies Outstanding Student Award, College at Brockport, SUNY.
- 2007–Present Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science National Honor Society), College at Brockport, SUNY.
- 2007–Present Alpha Chi National Honor Society, College at Brockport, SUNY.

Dissertation Committees

- Caitlin Long Healing Healthcare Heroes: Relationships Between Bosses, Burnout, & Balance, Chair, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, Grad: May 2024.
- James Leamy The Impact of Leadership Styles in Juvenile Probation Departments in PA On Dispositions in The Juvenile Justice System, Member, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, Grad: May 2024.
 - Semiha Teacher Shortages In Pennsylvania Schools: The Influences Of Leadership In Terms Of Economic Factors A Comprehensive Comparison Overall And During The COVID-19 Pandemic, Member, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, Grad: May 2024.
- Christine Joy

 Beyond The Revolving Door: Exploring The Nexus Of Job Satisfaction,
 Superintendent Leadership Style And Principal Turnover In Fourth-class
 County Schools In Pennsylvania, Member, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, Grad: In Process.

Community and Professional Service

- January 2024 Reading Firefighter Museum, Volunteer Hours, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, SEARCH.
 - April 2023 Reading Earth Day Fair, Volunteer Hours, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, SEARCH.
- October 2022 Helping Harvest Food Bank, Volunteer Hours, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, SEARCH.
 - April 2022 Reading Earth Day Fair, Volunteer Hours, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, SEARCH.

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- November The Camel Project 5K, Volunteer Hours, ALVERNIA UNIVERSITY, SEARCH.
- 2015–Present Boy Scouts of America, Citizenship in the Nation Badge, MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
 - 2017 Presentation to Kiwanis Club International, Joplin: "The 70-Year Stand-Off: A Deadly Game of Chicken or a Series of Uncalled Bluffs".
 - 2016 UK Semester Presentation, "The EU's Rocky Relationship with the European Union: Brexit, Euro-Skeptics, and EU Integration", MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
 - 2013 Italian Semester Presentation, "Barriers to Italian Economic Growth Debt, Bureaucracy, and the Black Market", MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY.
- 2015-Present Reviewer for International Studies Review.
- 2015-Present Reviewer for Political Research Quarterly.
- 2015-Present Reviewer for Research and Politics.
 - 2015 The Great Game of Business Get in the Game Workshop.
 - 2015 The Great of Businesses SRC Workshop.

Professional Memberships

- ♦ AMERICAN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION
- ♦ SOUTHERN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION
- ♦ MIDWEST POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION
- ♦ THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
- ♦ PEACE SCIENCE SOCIETY
- ♦ GREAT PLAINS POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION Organizing Committee
- ♦ PI SIGMA ALPHA, POLITICAL SCIENCE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
- ♦ Alpha Chi National Honor Society

Research and Presentation Skills

Advanced Blackboard LMS

Advanced Canvas LMS

Advanced Portfolium ePortfolio

Advanced Angel LMS

Advanced Top Hat Student Engagement Suite

Advanced Clickers

Advanced Stata

Advanced SPSS

Advanced R Statistical Package

Intermediate Minitab

Advanced LATEX

Advanced Qualtrics On-line Survey Software

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- Advanced Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point, Access, InfoPath, Publisher, Outlook, Front Page)
- Advanced Adobe Master Collection CS4/CS5.5 Suite (Dreamweaver, Adobe Professional, Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash)
- Advanced HTML and PHP
- Intermediate C, C++, Objective-C, and Cocoa
- 2011-Present Completed the Human Subjects Education for Social and Behavioral Research Investigators