

Walter Clark Wilson, Ph.D.
Curriculum Vitae (June 2022)

CONTACT INFORMATION

Department of Political Science and Geography
The University of Texas at San Antonio
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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, 2008

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

Dissertation Title: *Latino Representation in the U.S. Congress.*

Chair: Dr. Gary Copeland

B.A., Magna Cum Laude, 2003

Augustana College, Sioux Falls, SD

Department of Government and International Affairs

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Political Science, September, 2014-present

University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX

Assistant Professor of Political Science, August, 2008-August, 2014

University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX

Graduate Fellow, 2003-2008

Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center, Norman, OK

AWARDS AND HONORS

2022 UTSA Graduate School Excellence Awards: Outstanding Graduate Mentor Award,
\$2000

2020 UTSA College of Liberal and Fine Arts Stumberg Summer Research Award, \$5000

2017 UTSA Internal Research Award (INTRA) Grant, \$5000

2015 Margaret T. Lane/Virginia F. Saunders Memorial Research Award; Government Documents Roundtable of the *American Library Association* Awards Committee for "Surrogates Beyond Borders: Black Members of the United States Congress"

and the Representation of African Interests on the Congressional Foreign-Policy Agenda,” coauthored with William Curtis Ellis, *Auburn University, Montgomery*

2013 Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Mentoring Award for Exemplary Mentoring of Undergraduate Latino/a Students in Political Science, Presented by the *American Political Science Association* Committee on the Status of Latinos and Latinas in the Profession

2013 Faculty Development Leave for Research, Spring 2013, *University of Texas at San Antonio*. Book Project: Essential Representatives: Latinos in the U.S. Congress

2010 Jewel L. Prestage Best Paper on the Intersection of Race, Ethnicity, Gender and Political Behavior, *Southwest Political Science Association*

2009 Provost’s Ph.D. Dissertation Prize, Outstanding Dissertation in the area of Social Sciences, Education and the Professions, *University of Oklahoma*

2003-2008 Graduate Fellowship, *Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center*

2006-2007 Congressional Fellow, *American Political Science Association*, office of Congressman Charles A. Gonzalez (D-TX)

2005 The George B. Williams Award for best University of Oklahoma graduate student paper in Political Science, *University of Oklahoma*

RESEARCH

Books and Edited Volumes

Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin, and **Walter Clark Wilson**, 2021. *The Roads to Congress, 2020*, Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave McMillan. (1/3 contribution)

Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin, and **Walter Clark Wilson**, editors. 2020. *The Roads to Congress 2018*, Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave McMillan. (1/3 contribution)

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2017. *From Inclusion to Influence: Latino Representation in Congress and Latino Political Incorporation in America*. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press. (Reviewed in *Perspectives on Politics, Congress and the Presidency, American Review of Politics, and the Legislative Scholar*)

Peer Reviewed Published Works (*student co-author)

Gervais, Bryan and **Walter Clark Wilson**. 2017. “New Media for the New Electorate? Congressional outreach to Latinos on Twitter.” *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, online. (50% contribution)

- Wilson, Walter Clark** and William Curtis Ellis. 2014. "Surrogates Beyond Borders: Black Members of Congress and the Representation of African Interests on the Congressional Foreign Policy Agenda," *Polity* 46: 255-273. (Lead Author, IF 1.42)
- Wilson, Walter Clark** and Roberto Felix Carlos.* 2013. "Do Women Representatives Regender Legislative Bureaucracy? Assessing the Effect of Representative Sex on Women's Presence among Congressional Staff." *Journal of Legislative Studies*, 20: 216-235. (Lead author)
- Ellis, William Curtis, and **Walter Clark Wilson**. 2013. "Minority Chairs and Congressional Attention to Minority Issues: The Effect of Descriptive Representation in Positions of Institutional Power," *Social Science Quarterly*, 94: 1207-1221. (50% contribution, IF 1.24)
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2013. "Latino Congressional Staffers and Policy Responsiveness: An Analysis of Latino Interest Agenda Setting," *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, 1:2, 164-80.
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2011. "Descriptive Representatives, Party Status, and Latino Representation in Congressional Legislation," *American Review of Politics*, 32: 57-76.
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2010. "Descriptive Representation and Latino Interest Bill Sponsorship in Congress," *Social Science Quarterly*, 91:4, 1043-62. (IF 1.24)
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2009. "Latino Representation on Congressional Websites," *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 34:3, 427-448, 2009. (IF 1.655)

Book Chapters and Invited Journal Articles (*student co-author)

- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2021. "Texas's 21th-24th Congressional Districts: Texas Blues: Democrats' Bid to Flip Texas Falls Short" in Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin and **Walter Clark Wilson**. *The Roads to Congress 2020*.
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2021. "American Elections at a Crossroads: Lessons Learned and the Road Ahead" in Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin and **Walter Clark Wilson**. *The Roads to Congress 2020*.
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2020. "Reorienting Latino Representation Research in an Era of Democratic Reckoning." *The Legislative Scholar: The Newsletter of the Legislative Studies Section of the American Political Science Association*, Fall 2020, 32-34.
- Wilson, Walter Clark**. 2020. "Texas Senate race: If you want to run in Texas, you can't be a liberal man—Beto O'Rourke challenges Ted Cruz and conventional

wisdom.” In Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin, and **Walter Clark Wilson**. 2019. *The Roads to Congress 2018*, Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave McMillan (referenced above).

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2020. “Lessons learned from the 2018 Elections.” In Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin, and **Walter Clark Wilson**. 2019. *The Roads to Congress 2018*, Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave McMillan (referenced above).

Wilson, Walter Clark and Marcia Godwin. 2020. “Toward a more inclusive union? Examining the increased diversity of candidates and members of Congress.” In Foreman, Sean, Marcia Godwin, and **Walter Clark Wilson**. 2019. *The Roads to Congress 2018*, Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave McMillan (referenced above). (Lead Author)

Wilson, Walter Clark and William Curtis Ellis. 2018. “Opportunistic Partners: Mexican and Mexican-American Interests in Congressional Lobbying,” in James A. Thurber, Colton C. Campbell, and David Dulio eds., *Congress and Diaspora Politics*. Albany: SUNY Press. (Lead author)

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2017. “Texas District 23: Play it Again: A Nationalized Election in Texas’s Swingin’est District.” In Foreman, Sean and Marcia Godwin eds., *The Roads to Congress 2016*, Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave Macmillan Publishing.

Wilson, Walter Clark and Juan Luis Urbano. 2016. “Latinas and the Congressional Policy Agenda: The First Generation.” In Sharon Navarro, Samantha Hernandez, and Leslie Navarro, eds. *Latinas in American Politics: Changing & Embracing Political Tradition*, Lanham, MD: Lexington Books. (Lead Author)

Wilson, Walter Clark and David W. Romero. 2015. “Iowa Senate Race (Ernst v. Braley), Make ‘em Squeal: Republicans Find a Winning Formula in Iowa,” in Forman, Sean and Robert Dewhurst, eds. *Roads to Congress 2014*, Lanham, MD: Lexington Books. (Lead Author)

Wilson, Walter Clark and Christopher Tyler Camarillo.* 2013. “Texas District 23 Race (Canseco vs. Gallego), Congressional Bellwether, Partisan Prophet: Texas 23 and the Past, Present and Future of Party Fortunes,” in Foreman, Sean and Robert Dewhurst, eds. *Roads to Congress 2012*, Lanham, MD: Lexington Books. (Lead Author)

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2013. “The Congressional Hispanic Caucus and Immigration Reform,” *Extensions: A Journal of the Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center*, Summer, 2013.

Encyclopedia Articles

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2018. "Election and Appointment of Latinos in the 21st Century, 2000-Present." In Lilia Fernandez, ed., *50 Events that Shaped Latino History: An Encyclopedia of the American Mosaic, Volume 2*, 865-884.

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2018. "Founding of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus, 1976." In Lilia Fernandez, ed., *50 Events that Shaped Latino History: An Encyclopedia of the American Mosaic, Volume 2*, 711-728.

Other Publications

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2022. "Reorienting Latino Representation Research in an Era of Democratic Reckoning." *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 55:2, 302-305. (IF 2.472 in 2020, Updated and revised from earlier publication in *The Legislative Scholar*)

Wilson, Walter Clark. 2017. "Meeting Our Democracy's Greatest Contemporary Challenge: Latino Representatives and Latino Political Incorporation." *Ovations*, volume 12.

Book Reviews

No Longer Outsiders: Black and Latino Interest Group Advocacy on Capitol Hill, by Michael D. Minta, University of Chicago Press, 2021, *Congress and the Presidency* (forthcoming 2022).

Party Position Change in American Politics: Coalition Management, by David Karol. New York, Cambridge University Press, 2009. *Political Science Quarterly*, 2010, 125:4.

Interest Groups and Lobbying in the United States and Comparative Perspectives: Essays in Ethics, Institutional Pluralism, Regulation, and Management, edited by Conor Mcgrath and Kevin Moloney, 2009, The Edwin Mellon Press, *APSA Legislative Studies Section Newsletter* 2010, 33:1

Interest Groups and Lobbying in Latin America, Africa, the Middle East, and Asia: Essays on Drug Trafficking, Chemical Manufacture, Exchange Rates, and Women's Interests, edited by Conor Mcgrath and Kevin Moloney, 2009, The Edwin Mellon Press, *APSA Legislative Studies Section Newsletter* 2010, 33:1

Interest Groups and Lobbying in Europe: Essays on Trade, Environment, Legislation, and Economic Development, edited by Conor Mcgrath and Kevin Moloney, 2009, The Edwin Mellon Press, *APSA Legislative Studies Section Newsletter* 2010, 33:1

Works in Progress

Edited Volume: *The Roads to Congress 2022*, with Sean Foreman, *Barry University*, and Marcia Godwin, *University of La Verne*, under review for book contract with Palgrave McMillan

Book Project: *Reckless Abandonment: How Leftist Parties are Abandoning Workers and Opening the Door to Fascism*

Article: “Linguistic Media Environments and Latino Democratic Attitudes.” with Robert Preuhs, *Metropolitan State University, Denver*, and Bryan Gervais, *UTSA*, (Lead Author), Under review at the *Journal of Political Communication*

Article: “Spanish Language Media and the Latino Citizen: How Media Environments Shape Civic Engagement” with Robert Preuhs, *Metropolitan State University, Denver*, and Bryan Gervais, *UTSA*, (Lead Author)

Article: “Partisanship, Media Portrayals of Latinos, and Democratic Attitudes among Latinos: An Online Experiment” Bryan Gervais, *UTSA*, and Roberto Carlos, *University of Georgia*, (Lead Author)

Article: “Trumplandia? Exploring Evolving Latino Voting Patterns in the Trump Era”

Conference Presentations

The 2022 annual meeting of the Southwest Political Science Association. “Linguistic Media Environments and Democratic Attitudes Among Latinos” with Robert Preuhs, *Metropolitan State University, Denver*, and Bryan Gervais, *University of Texas at San Antonio*

The 2022 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. “Trumplandia? Exploring Evolving Latino Voting Patterns in the Trump Era.”

The 2022 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association. “Manufacturing Distrust: Threat Narratives and Latino Democratic Attitudes, an Online Experiment” with Bryan Gervais, *University of Texas at San Antonio*, Roberto Carlos, *University of Georgia*, and Robert Preuhs, *Metropolitan State University, Denver*

The 2021 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. “Partisanship, Media Portrayals of Latinos, and Democratic Attitudes among Latinos: An Online Experiment” with Bryan Gervais, *University of Texas at San Antonio*, Roberto Carlos, *University of Georgia*, and Robert Preuhs, *Metropolitan State University, Denver*

The 2019 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association. “Diverse Roads to Congress,” with Sean Foreman, *Barry University* and Marcia Godwin, *The University of Laverne*.

The 2018 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, “Spanish/English Media Ecosystems and Democratic Attitudes Among Latinos,” with Robert Preuhs, *Metropolitan State University, Denver* and Bryan Gervais, *University of Texas at San Antonio*

The 2018 annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, “Gender and Agendas in the U.S. House.”

The 2017 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, “Author Meets Critics, *From Inclusion to Influence: Latino Representation in Congress and Latino Political Incorporation in America*, by Walter Clark Wilson.

The 2017 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, “A Battleground Race in a U.S. House Border District.”

The 2016 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, “Not All Politics is Local: Parties, Nationalization, and Congressional Campaign Advertising,” with William Curtis Ellis, *Oral Roberts University*.

The 2015 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, “New Media for the New American Electorate? U.S. Representatives Use of Spanish in Tweets,” with Bryan Gervais, *University of Texas at San Antonio*

The 2015 annual meeting of the Southwest Political Science Association, “Latina Legislators in Congress: Assessing the Experiences and Influence of the First Generation of Latina Lawmakers,” with Juan Luis Urbano, *Texas A&M University, Corpus Christi*

The 2015 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, “Jester Politics: The Use of Humor in Congressional Campaign Advertising.”

The 2014 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, “Inspiration or Information? The Effect of Candidate Ethnicity on Appeals to Latino Voters.” with Juan Luis Urbano, *Texas A&M University, Corpus Christi*, and Christopher Tyler Camarillo, *University of Oklahoma*

The 2014 annual meeting of the Southwest Political Science Association, “A Gendered Agenda? Women Representatives and an Ethic of Care in Congressional Legislation,” with Sharon Navarro, *University of Texas at San Antonio*.

- The 2013 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, “Committee Assignment Succession & Bipartisan Breakdown in Congress.” with David W. Romero, *University of Texas at San Antonio* and William Curtis Ellis, *Auburn University, Montgomery*.
- The 2012 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association,*
 “Does Partisan Gerrymandering diminish Dynamic Responsiveness: Analyzing Redistricting-Induced Constituency Change and Congressional Voting Behavior?” *with William Curtis Ellis*.
- The 2012 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association,*
 “How do Descriptive Representatives Matter? An Analysis of Latino Representation in Congressional Debate.
- The 2012 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association,
 “Latino Staffers and Latino Representation in Congress: Does Passive Representation Affect Active Representation?”
- The 2012 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association,
 “Surrogates Beyond Borders? The Surrogate Representation of African Interests by African American Members of Congress,” *with William Curtis Ellis, Auburn University, Montgomery*
- The 2011 annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association,
 “Committee and Subcommittee Attention to Latino Issues in the U.S. House and Senate,” *with William Curtis Ellis, Auburn University, Montgomery*
- The 2011 annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association,
 “A Latino ‘Home Style’? Evidence from Patterns of Latino Representation in Congressional Press Releases”
- The 2010 annual meeting of the Southwest Political Science Association,
 “Partisan Control in Congress and Support for Latino Interests in Bill Sponsorship”
- The 2010 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association,
 “Prospects for moving from Passive to Active Representation? An Analysis of Sex and Ethnic Characteristics of Congressional Staff,” *with Roberto Carlos, University of Texas at San Antonio*
- The 2009 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association,
 “Latino Representatives Legislating Latino Interests: Latino Interest Bill Sponsorship in the 109th Congress”
- The 2009 annual meeting of the Southwest Political Science Association,
 “When Latinos Speak: Latino Representation in Floor Speeches to Congress”

The 2008 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association,
“What Can We Agree On? Congressional Caucus Diversity, Policy Agendas and
the Potential Impact of Associate Membership,” *with Kate Carney, University of
Oklahoma.*

The 2007 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association,
“Latino Descriptive Representation on Congressional Websites”

The 2006 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association,
“Economic Inequality and Democratization”

The 2005 annual meeting of the Southwest Political Science Association, “Redistricting,
Electoral Competition, and the Roll Call Response.”

*conference canceled due to Hurricane Isaac, paper reviewed online

Colloquial Presentations

University of South Dakota, “A Tale of Two Parties: Diversity, Tribalism, and Renewal
in an Era of Democratic Crisis,” January 28, 2019.

UTSA Department of Political Science and Geography Lecture Series, “Passive and
Active Representation by Congressional Staff: The Effect of Latino Legislative
Staffers on Latino Interest Bill Sponsorship,” November 18, 2011.

30th Anniversary Symposium, the Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center
Roundtable participant: “What We Know and Don’t Know,” a discussion of the
challenges of conducting academic research on Congress and other democratic
political institutions in the 21st Century, October 2009.

TEACHING

Courses Taught

University of Texas at San Antonio

Undergraduate:

POL 1013, Introduction to American Politics (Spr. 2009, 2014; Fall 2009, 2010,
2011, 2013, 2016, 2018)

POL 1213, Civil Rights in Texas and America (Fall 2015, 2016, 2017)

POL 2963, Designing Research in Political Science (Spring 2018, 2020, 2022 and
Fall 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021)

POL 3253, Participation in National Elections (Fall 2020)

POL 3603, Public Policy Process (Spring 2011)

POL 3363, Parties and Interest Groups (Spring 2016, Fall 2017)

POL 3373, Legislative Process (Fall 2008, 2012; Spring 2010, 2015, 2017, 2022)
POL 4973, Senior Seminar: Political Representation (Spring 2009)
POL 4973, Senior Seminar: Democracies in Crisis (Fall 2014)

Graduate:

POL 5003, Political Inquiry (Spring 2010, 2018; Fall 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2019, 2021)
POL 5153, Seminar on American Politics (Fall 2008; Spring 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017, 2020)
POL 5183, Seminar on Congress (Fall 2009; Spring 2012)

University of Oklahoma

Undergraduate:

Introduction to American Government (Spring 2005)

Graduate Mentorship

University of Texas at San Antonio

Jeffrey Wright, Ph.D. Committee Member, Demography
Anna Dorado, Master's Thesis Committee Chair
Ricardo Hernandez, Master's Thesis Committee Member
Jacqueline Zarate, Master's Thesis Committee Member
Charlie Alcalá, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated December 2021
Cuauhtemoc Toren, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated Dec. 2021
Stephanie Garza, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated August 2021
Kyle Gordy, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated May, 2021
Sophia Campos, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated December 2020
Ananda Thomas, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated May 2020
Taylor Puente, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated May 2020
Robert Villanueva, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated August, 2020
Jennifer Meyer, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated August 2018
Taylor Cone, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated December 2017
Ragan Robichaux, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated August 2017
Kevin Hernandez, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated August 2016
April Rodriguez, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated December 2016
Bryn Herrera, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated December 2016
Larry Moreno, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated May 2015
Armen Babajanian, Master's Committee Chair, Graduated May 2014
Jaymie Mangelsdorf, Master's Essay Committee Chair, Graduated May 2013
Samantha Hernandez, Master's Committee Member, Graduated August 2013
Abdulkader Mohktari, Master's Committee Member, Graduated August 2013
Roberto Carlos, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated August 2012
Eric Zinsits, Master's Essay Committee Member, Graduated August 2012
Sophia Kiwanuka, Master's Thesis Committee Member, Graduated May 2012

Sam Zuniga, Master's Essay Committee Member, Graduated December 2012
Pamela McReynolds, Master's Essay Committee Chair, Graduated August 2011
Phillip Scalise, Master's Essay Committee Chair, Graduated May 2011
Sarah Salinas, Master's Essay Committee Member, Graduated December 2011
Caroline Knutson, Master's Essay Committee Member, Graduated August 2011
Juan Urbano, Master's Thesis Committee Chair, Graduated August 2010

Independent Studies, Research Practicums, Undergraduate Theses Directed

University of Texas at San Antonio

Charlie Alcalá, Graduate Internship, Fall 2020
Anna Dorado, Graduate Internship, Fall 2020
Craig Elstak, McNair Scholars Program, Summer 2019.
Raven Douglas, Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Fall 2017-Spring 2018.
Taylor Puente, Departmental Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Spring 2018.
Madison Chilton, undergraduate independent study, Spring 2017
Ekaterina Akimova, graduate directed reading, Spring 2017
Jeffrey Wright, Ph.D. candidate in demography, directed reading, voting behavior and demographic change, Spring 2015
Eduardo Zerbe, Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Spring 2015
Christopher Camarillo, Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Spring 2014
Christopher Camarillo, undergraduate student, research practicum, Summer 2012
Christopher Camarillo, undergraduate student, independent study, Spring 2012
Meghan Glasper, graduate student, independent study, Spring 2010
Maria Flores, undergraduate student, independent study, Spring 2010

Teaching Assistant

The University of Oklahoma, 2003-2006

Undergraduate:

Crisis and Governance, Assistant to Dr. Cindy Rosenthal (Spring 2006)
American Government, Assistant to Dr. Ronald Peters (Fall 2004)
Congress, Teaching Assistant to Dr. Gary Copeland (Spring 2004)
Sex, Morality, and Public Policy, Assistant to Dr. Cindy Rosenthal (Fall 2003)

SERVICE

Department

Graduate Advisory Group, MA in POL, member (2013-2014)
Graduate Program Admissions Subcommittee, member (2013-present)
Strategic Planning Committee, Chair, (2013-2015)
Core Courses Committee, member (2013-2015)

Legal Studies minor, coordinator (2013-2015)
Committee for Invited Lectures and Colloquia, member (2013-2014), chair (2014-2017)
By-Laws Committee, member (2013-2015)
Scholarships Subcommittee, member (2013-present)
Department Faculty Review Advisory Committee (DFRAC), member (2014-present),
chair (2018-2020)
Department Assessment Committee, member, (2014-2015)
Political Science minor, coordinator, (2014-2016)
Non-Tenure Track Faculty Review Committee, member, (2014-2015)
Budget and Travel Committee, member (2014-2015)
Peer Mentoring Guidelines Committee, member (2014-2015)
Department Faculty Advisory Committee, member, (2015-2017)
Graduate Advisor of Record (GAR), 2015-2016
Graduate Program Chair (GPC) for Political Science, (2015-present)
Committee on Research, chair (2017-Present)
Merit Review Subcommittee, member (2018)
Academic Policy and Curriculum Committee, member (2018-present)
Undergraduate Program Committee, member (2018-present)

College

COLFA Committee on Research, member (2017-2019)
COLFA Faculty Grievance Representative, (2018-present)
College Faculty Review Advisory Committee (Fall 2018-Present)

University

Graduate Program Council, Member, (Fall 2013-Spring 2014)
University Core Curriculum Committee, Member (Fall 2011-Spring 2012)
Faculty Senate, Member (Fall 2011-Spring 2012, 2017)
Archer Fellowship Selection Committee, Member (2010-present)
Truman Scholarship Mock Interview Committee, Member (2018)
Tenure Track Networking Group (2020)

Discipline of Political Science

Southwest Political Science Association, Executive Council, (2022-)
American Political Science Association, Civic Education and Engagement Committee,
member, (Fall 2014-Spring 2017)
Southern Political Science Association, Committee for the Status of Latinos in the
Discipline, member (2015-2020)

Peer Reviewer

American Political Science Review
American Journal of Political Science

Journal of Politics
Journal of Women, Politics, and Policy
Politics, Groups, and Identities
Social Science Quarterly
American Review of Politics
American Politics Research
Political Research Quarterly
Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties
Legislative Studies Quarterly
Congress and the Presidency

Association Memberships/Conference Discussant

American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association
Southern Political Science Association
Southwest Political Science Association
Western Political Science Association

Community

Contributor to Local, State, and National Media, including:

KABB TV (FOX)
KSAT TV (CBS)
KENS TV (ABC)
Univision 41 San Antonio
KLRN Texas Public Radio
WOAI Radio
KTSA Radio
CNN.com
NBC.com
San Antonio Express News
San Antonio Business Journal
The Washington Post
The New York Times
The Texas Tribune
Politico
Fort Worth Star Telegram

Board of Directors, *The Beethoven Maennerchor* (2015)