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Appointments

Princeton University

Postdoctoral Research Associate, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, 2017-2018

Washington University in St. Louis

Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Political Science, 2016-2017

Education

University of Virginia

Ph.D., Government, Aug. 2016

Fields: American Politics, Methodology

Dissertation: "Essays on the Political Power of Bureaucrats"

Committee: Jeff Jenkins (Chair), Craig Volden, Rachel Potter,
David Lewis (Vanderbilt)

M.A., Government, May 2014

Baylor University

B.A., Political Science, Dec. 2011

Research

Journal Articles

Forthcoming. "Presidential Pork and U.S. Trade Politics," *Political Science Research & Methods* (with Jeff Jenkins and Andrew Clarke)

Forthcoming. "Tariff Politics and Congressional Elections: Exploring the Cannon Thesis," *Journal of Theoretical Politics*. (with Jeff Jenkins and Andrew Clarke)

2017. "Congressional Investigations and the Electoral Connection," *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization* 33 (1): 1-27. (with Justin Peck)

2016. "Informal Consequences of Budget Institutions in the U.S. Congress," *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 41 (4): 965-996. (with Andrew Clarke)

2014. "After the Orders: Presidential Memoranda and Unilateral Action," *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 44 (4): 724-741.

Editor Reviewed

Forthcoming. “Public Perception of the Presidential Toolkit,” Symposium on Experiments and the Study of the Presidency, *Presidential Studies Quarterly*. (with Thomas Gray)

2014. “‘We Can’t Wait’: Barack Obama, Partisan Polarization and the Administrative Presidency,” *The Forum* 12 (1): 3-27. (with Sidney M. Milkis)

Papers under Review

“Politicization and Responsiveness in Executive Agencies”

“Delegation or Unilateral Action?”

- Winner, Stephen Wayne Founders Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, *APSA Presidency and Executive Politics Section*, 2016
- Winner, Malcolm Jewell Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, *Southern Political Science Association*, 2017

Working Papers

“The Vote-Buying President” (with Andrew Clarke)

“Political Allocation of Federal Spending”

“Off-site Oversight: Who Polices the Administrative State?”

“Descriptive Representation, Legislative Responsiveness, and the Bureaucracy” (with Melinda Ritchie)

Work in Progress

“Non-compliance in the Unilateral Presidency”

“Presidential Policymaking and Bureaucratic Discretion: Evidence from Deferred Action” (with Michael Fogarty, Michael Lukauskas and August Mense)

“Bureau Bashing” (with Adam Hughes)

“The Politics of Police Militarization” (with Thomas Gray)

Conference Presentations

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2015, 2016, 2017 (planned).

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017.

Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2014, 2015, 2016.

Political Economy & Public Law Conference: University of Southern California, June 2017.

CSAP Annual American Politics Conference (poster): Yale University, June 2017.

Conference on Legislative Oversight: Wayne State University Law School, June 2017.

Congress & History Conference: University of Maryland, May 2014; Vanderbilt University, May 2015.

Southern California Law & Social Science Forum: University of Southern California, March 2015.

Conference on Executive Politics: Washington University in St. Louis, May 2014.

Professional Experience

Editorial Assistant - *Journal of Politics*, 2015–2016

Research Assistance - Jeffery A. Jenkins, 2013–2014; Sidney M. Milkis, 2012–2014; Presidential Recordings, Miller Center for Public Affairs, 2013.

Teaching

Washington University in St. Louis
Politics in Bureaucracies (L32-349)
American Presidency (L32-342)

University of Virginia
American Presidency (PLAP 3310)

Research Awards & Fellowships

Graduate Fellow - Quantitative Collaborative, University of Virginia, 2014–2016

University of Virginia: Quantitative Collaborate Bynum Grants, 2015, 2016; Summer Research Grants, 2013, 2015; Survey Research Grant, Political Psychology Working Group, 2014

Additional Training

Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models, University of Michigan, Summer 2015

Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, University of Michigan, Summer 2013

Service

Founders Best Paper Award (Ph.D. Holding Scholar) Committee, *APSA Presidency and Executive Politics Section*, 2017

Reviewer: *American Journal of Political Science*; *The Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Theoretical Politics*; *Legislative Studies Quarterly*; *Journal of Public Administration Research & Theory*; *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*; *American Politics Research*; *Congress & the Presidency*

Graduate Council, Department of Politics, University of Virginia, 2014

References

Jeffery A. Jenkins
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