6th Annual
Political Science Awards Reception
2013-2014

Thursday, April 24, 2014
3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Program at 4:00 p.m.

Union South
Varsity Hall III
1308 West Dayton Street
Madison, WI
Welcome and Introduction

- John Coleman, Department Chair

Faculty and Academic Staff Awards and Honors

John Ahlquist
- H.I. Romnes Faculty Fellow, UW-Madison Graduate School

Richard Avramenko
- Herbert and Evelyn Howe Bascom Professor in Integrated Liberal Studies, UW-Madison
- Honored Instructor Award, University Housing, UW-Madison

Barry Burden
- Robert H. Durr Award for the best paper applying quantitative methods to a substantive problem in political science at the 2013 annual meeting, for “Election Laws and Partisan Gains: The Effects of Early Voting and Same Day Registration on the Parties’ Vote Shares,” Midwest Political Science Association

David Canon
- Robert H. Durr Award for the best paper applying quantitative methods to a substantive problem in political science at the 2013 annual meeting, for “Election Laws and Partisan Gains: The Effects of Early Voting and Same Day Registration on the Parties’ Vote Shares,” Midwest Political Science Association

Katherine Cramer
- Award for the Best Qualitative and Multi-Method submission to the American Political Science Review in 2012. For the article, “Putting Inequality in Its Place: Rural Consciousness and the Power of Perspective”
Donald Downs
- 2013-14 recipient of the Hilldale Award for Social Studies
- UW-Madison Commencement Speaker, December 2013

Scott Gehlbach
- Abram Bergson Prize, Association for Comparative Economic Studies, for the best article published in *Comparative Economic Studies* in the previous two years, for "Did Post-Communist Privatization Increase Mortality?"

Daniel Kapust
- Faculty Development Seminar organizer, Spring 2014, Institute for Research in the Humanities

Noam Lupu
- Sage Paper Award, best paper in comparative politics at the 2012 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting for “Rethinking the Comparative Perspective on Class and Representation: Evidence from Latin America”

Melanie Manion
- Best in Class Instructor 2013, College of Letters and Science, UW-Madison

Benjamin Marquez
- Race, Ethnicity, and Indigeneity Faculty Fellow, 2014-15, UW-Madison Institute for Research in the Humanities

Kenneth Mayer
- Robert H. Durr Award for the best paper applying quantitative methods to a substantive problem in political science at the 2013 annual meeting, for “Election Laws and Partisan Gains: The Effects of Early Voting and Same Day Registration on the Parties’ Vote Shares,” Midwest Political Science Association

Ryan Owens
- Vilas Associate Award, UW-Madison Graduate School
- Undergraduate Student Mentoring Award in the Division of Social Studies, Office of the Provost, UW-Madison
**Jon Pevehouse**
- Best in Class Instructor 2013, College of Letters and Science, UW-Madison
- Honored Instructor Award, University Housing, UW-Madison

**Jonathan Renshon**
- 2013 Best Dissertation Award from the International Society of Political Psychology for "Fighting for Status"

**Howard Schweber**
- Leon Epstein Faculty Fellow, College of Letters and Science

**David Weimer**
- Radin Best Article Award, best 2012 article in the *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, for "Scientific Expertise and the Balance of Political Interests: MEDCAC and Medicare Coverage Decisions" (co-authors Daniel Walters and Stéphane Lavertu), Public Management Research Association

**Crawford Young**
- Best Book Prize, African Politics Conference Group, for the best book in 2012 on African politics for *The Postcolonial State in Africa: Fifty Years of Independence*

**John Zumbrunnen**
- Educational Innovation Grant, “Flipping and Blending PS 566: Contemporary American Political Thought,” UW-Madison Office of the Provost

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**Staff Service Awards**

Toni Landis, 1 year
Lance Potter, 1 year
Daniel Simanek, 1 year
Christy Lee Ward, 1 year
Graduate Awards and Honors

Adam Auerbach
- Best Dissertation Field Work Award 2013, American Political Science Association for “Cooperation in Uncertainty: Migration, Ethnicity, and Community Governance in India's Urban Slums”

Nicholas Barnes
- Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Award, U.S. Department of Education

Leticia Bode
- Best 2012 dissertation in information technology and politics, American Political Science Association for “Political Information 2.0: A Study in Political Learning Via Social Media”

Caitlin Carroll
- African Studies Program Graduate Student Summer Research Fellowship

Jessica Clayton
- Multicultural Graduate Network Peer Mentor Award, UW-Madison Graduate School
- Future Faculty Partner, UW-Madison Teaching Academy

Barry Driscoll
- L&S Teaching Fellow, College of Letters and Science, UW-Madison

Casey Ehrlich
- National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant
- Mellon-Wisconsin Summer Fellowship, UW-Madison Graduate School

Evgeny Finkel
- Gabriel Almond Award, best dissertation in comparative politics, American Political Science Association for “Victims' Politics: Jewish Behavior During the Holocaust”
Robert Gingerich
- Weaver Fellowship 2013, Intercollegiate Studies Institute
- Mercatus Center Adam Smith Fellowship 2013-14

Bradley Jones

Katelyn Jones
- Institute for Humane Studies Fellowship, 2013-14

Kathleen Klaus
- Jennings Randolph Peace Scholarship 2013-14, United States Institute of Peace
- Security Studies Pre-doctoral Fellowship, Robert S. Strauss Center, UT-Austin
- Mellon-Wisconsin Summer Fellowship, UW-Madison Graduate School

Jinjie Liu
- Institute for Humane Studies Fellowship, 2013-14

Roseanne McManus
- Leon Epstein Prize in American and British Politics, for "Fighting Words: The Effectiveness of Statements of Resolve in International Conflict," Department of Political Science, UW-Madison
- Stuart A. Bremer Award, Peace Science Society, the best graduate student paper presented at the 2013 Peace Science meeting for "When Words Have Power: What Makes Statements of Resolve Effective in International Conflict"

Jeremy Menchick
- Aaron Wildavsky Award 2013, Honorable Mention, for the best dissertation on religion and politics for “Tolerance Without Liberalism: Islamic Institutions and Political Violence in Twentieth Century Indonesia," American Political Science Association
David Ohls
- Capstone Teaching Assistant Award, College of Letters and Science

Jeffrey Paller
- Mildred Potter Hovland Journal Article Prize, for "Political Struggle to Political Sting: A Theory of Democratic Disillusionment," Department of Political Science, UW-Madison

Saemyi Park
- Outstanding Women of Color Award, for achievement and contributions to campus and the community, UW-Madison

Taylor Price
- Mellon-Wisconsin Summer Fellowship, UW-Madison Graduate School

Katherine Robiadek
- Hayek Fund for Scholars Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies
- Future Faculty Partner, UW-Madison Teaching Academy

James Sieja
- L&S Teaching Fellow (Alternate), College of Letters and Science, UW-Madison

Samantha Vortherms
- Institute for Humane Studies Fellowship
- Scott Kloeck-Jenson Fellowship, UW-Madison International Institute
- Fulbright-Hayes Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship, U.S. Department of Education
- Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation

Brianne Walsh
- Mercatus Center Adam Smith Fellowship 2013-14
Daniel Walters
- Radin Best Article Award, best 2012 article in the *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, for "Scientific Expertise and the Balance of Political Interests: MEDCAC and Medicare Coverage Decisions" (co-authors David Weimer and Stéphane Lavertu), Public Management Research Association

**Undergraduate Awards and Honors**

Hanna Homestead
- West Point Student Conference on U.S. Affairs, UW-Madison representative sponsored by Political Science Department

Kelsey Kleist
- Skornicka Public Service Award, Department of Political Science

**Scholarship Awardees**

Annelise Ayres, Leah Malkovich
- Zaka and Amed Khan Scholarship

Rachelle Dorr, Donya Khadem, Anne Venzor
- Rose Family Undergraduate Research Fellowship

Jacob Riederer
- Philip J. Schemel Scholarship

Drew Birrenkott
- Stanoch Family Scholarship/Elaine C. Davis Award

Johnna Sundberg
- Judith Hicks Stiehm Scholarship
# DC Summer Internship Recipients

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## Undergraduate Major non-Department Awards and Honors

**Benjamin Agatston**  
- Hilldale Undergraduate/Faculty Research Fellowship, UW-Madison

**Drew Birrenkott**  
- Rhodes Scholarship

**Andrew Bulovsky**  
- Marshall Scholarship

**Nick Desien**  
- National Excellence in Media Award, Media Plan Case Competition, Finalists, Washington Media Scholars Foundation

**Kyle Farrell**  
- Boren Scholarship
Lindsay Gordon
• National Excellence in Media Award, Media Plan Case Competition, Finalists, Washington Media Scholars Foundation

Julianna Jerosch
• Boren Scholarship

Donya Khadem
• Hilldale Undergraduate/Faculty Research Fellowship, UW-Madison

Devin Munger
• National Excellence in Media Award, Media Plan Case Competition, First Place, Washington Media Scholars Foundation

Bejamin Pauley
• Hilldale Faculty/Undergraduate Research Award, UW-Madison

Allison Perlin
• Hilldale Undergraduate/Faculty Research Fellowship, UW-Madison

Jeffrey Ziegler
• Fulbright U.S. Student Program Fellowship
Thank You to Our Board of Visitors

♦ David Adamany
♦ Robert Barnett
♦ Ronald Bonjean
♦ Rita Braver
♦ George Broder
♦ Edward Cohen
♦ Richard Davies
♦ Steven Freedman
♦ Jeffrey Gershman
♦ Lisa Gingerich
♦ Gayler Haller
♦ Martha Harris
♦ Scott Harris
♦ Eliot Jubelirer
♦ Sherry Kaiman
♦ Amed Khan
♦ Tracey Klein
♦ Laura Bartels Lake
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♦ Douglas Mark
♦ Laura Miller
♦ Keith Patiz
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♦ David Schaefer
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