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### **Current Position**

Professor of Political Science, University of California, Santa Barbara  
Professor Emeritus and Research Scientist Emeritus, University of Michigan

### **Education and Degrees**

B.A. (Government) University of Redlands, 1956, (magna cum laude)

Ph.D. (Political Science), University of North Carolina, 1961

### **Professional Experience**

Research Assistant and Research Associate, The Brookings Institution, 1960-63

Assistant Professor of Political Science, The University of Michigan, 1963-66; Associate Professor, 1966-69;  
Professor, 1969-1981; 1984-1996; Emeritus, 1997--

Professor of Political Science, University of California, Santa Barbara, 1982--

Research Associate, Survey Research Center, The University of Michigan, 1964-68; Program Director,  
1968-70; Research Scientist, Center for Political Studies, 1970-1996; Emeritus, 1997--

Director, Survey Research Archives, Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, 1968-  
1975; Associate Director of Consortium, 1975-1996.

Visiting Research Associate, Center for Advanced Study of Educational Administration, University of  
Oregon, 1969-70

Visiting Professor of Political Science, University of Tilburg, The Netherlands, 1971-72

Visiting Professor of Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles, Winter, 1980

Barry Goldwater Professor of American Institutions, Arizona State University, 1999-2000

## Professional Activities

Co-director of Summer Conferences on Political Behavior, Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, 1965, 1967

Editorial Board, *Acta Politica*, 1996-2014; *American Journal of Political Science*, 1968-1971; 1973-1975; *American Politics Quarterly*, 1972-1981; *Journal of Politics*, 1979-1980; *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 1999-2009; *Women and Politics*, 1979-1987; *Youth and Society*, 1975-79;

Consultant, National Assessment of Educational Progress, 1969-1975

Small Area Data Advisory Committee, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970-1973

Executive Council, American Political Science Association, 1976-1977

Committee on Research Support, American Political Science Association, 1977-1980

Vice President, Midwest Political Science Association, 1980-1981

Program Co-chair for the Meetings of the International Society of Political Psychology, 1981

Section Head, Program Committee for the Meetings of the American Political Science Association, 1982

Governing Council, International Society of Political Psychology, 1983-85

Section Head, Program Committee for the Meetings of the Western Political Science Association, 1984

Committee on Status of Women in the Profession, American Political Science Association, 1985-1988

Executive Council, Western Political Science Association, 1987-1989

Advisory Award Committee, Center for American Woman in Politics, Rutgers University, 1987-1988

President, International Society of Political Psychology, 1989-1990

President Elect of the American Political Science Association, 1996-1997; President 1997-1998.

Chair, Search Committee for first editor of new American Political Science Association journal, *Perspectives on Politics*, 2000-01.

Chair, External Review Committee of Institute for Social Science Research, University of California, Los Angeles, 2003.

## Honors and Awards

Phi Beta Kappa

J. Kimbrough Owen Award for Best Dissertation in the Field of State and Local Government, from the American Political Science Association, 1961

Faculty Fellow, National Center for Education in Politics, Summer, 1964

Fellow, Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioral Sciences, 1977-1978

Guggenheim Foundation Fellowship, 1977-1978

Elected to American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 1982

Prize from Western Political Science Association for best paper on the topic of Women and Politics, 1983

Fulbright Lecture Fellowship to South Korea, 1986-1987 (declined)

Japan Foundation Fellowship, 1987 (declined)

Fellow, Netherlands Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities and Social Sciences, 1989

Mentor of Distinction Award from The (National) Women's Caucus for Political Science, 1989, 2002

Winner of Award for Best Paper Presented at the 1992 Meetings of the International Society of Political Psychology (1993)

Nevitt Sanford Award for Distinguished Contribution to Political Psychology, from the International Society of Political Psychology, 1996

Distinguished Alumni Award from the University of Redlands, 1996

Lecturer at the second Annual Series in honor of Warren E. Miller and Philip E. Converse, University of Michigan, 1998

Warren E. Miller Prize for Outstanding Career of Intellectual Accomplishment and Service to the Profession, awarded by The Organized Section on Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior of the American Political Science Association, 2004.

Designated Honoree of Collegiate Chair Holder, University of Michigan, 2004—

Warren E. Miller Award for Meritorious Service to the Social Sciences, awarded by the Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, 2007.

Harold Lasswell Award from the International Society of Political Psychology for Distinguished Scientific Contribution in the Field of Political Psychology, 2014.

Research Grants: National Science Foundation, Russell Sage Foundation, Ford Foundation, National Institutes of Mental Health, Army Research Institute, National Institute on Aging, Volkswagen Foundation

## **Publications**

### A. Books

*Community Influentials: The Elites of Atlanta*. New York: Free Press of Glencoe, 1964, 212 pp.

*Source Book of a Study of Occupational Values and the Image of the Federal Service* (with Franklin P. Kilpatrick and Milton C. Cummings, Jr.). Washington, D.C.: The Brookings Institution, 1964, 681 pp.

*The Image of the Federal Service* (with Franklin P. Kilpatrick and Milton C. Cummings, Jr.). Washington, D.C.: The Brookings Institution, 1964, 301 pp.

*The Electoral Process* (with L. Harmon Zeigler, eds.). Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, Inc., 1966, 304 pp.

*Comparative Political Socialization* (with Jack Dennis, eds.). Beverly Hills: Sage Publications, 1974, 135 pp. First appeared as special issue of *Comparative Political Studies*, July, 1970.

*The Political Character of Adolescence: The Influence of Families and Schools* (with Richard G. Niemi). Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1974, 357 pp.

*Governing American Schools: Political Interaction in Local School Districts* (with L. Harmon Zeigler). North Scituate, MA: Duxbury Press, 1974, 269 pp.

*Generations and Politics: A Panel Study of Young Adults and Their Parents* (with Richard G. Niemi). Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1981, 427 pp.

*Parties in Transition: A Longitudinal Study of Party Leaders and Followers* (with Warren E. Miller). New York: Russell Sage, 1986, 284 pp.

*Continuities in Political Action: A Longitudinal Study of Political Orientations in Three Western Democracies* (with Jan Van Deth, et al). Berlin: Walter de Gruyter, 1989, 430 pp.

*Elections at Home and Abroad: Essays in Honor of Warren E. Miller* (with Thomas E. Mann, eds.). Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press, 1994, 336 pp.

#### B. Book Chapters and Contributions

"Study of Community Decision-Making," in Bert Swanson (ed.), *Current Trends in Community Studies*. Kansas City: Community Studies, Inc., 1962, pp. 18-32.

"Correlates of the Social Studies Curriculum," in C. Benjamin Cox and Byron G. Massialis (eds.), *Social Studies in the United States: A Critical Appraisal*. New York: Harcourt, Brace, & World, 1967, pp. 289-309.

"Legislative Politics and Water Pollution Control, 1956-61," in Frederic N. Cleveland (ed.), *Congress and Urban Problems*. Washington: The Brookings Institution, 1969, pp. 72-109.

"Political Expressivism Among High School Teachers: The Intersection of Community and Occupational Values" (with L. Harmon Zeigler), in Roberta S. Sigel (ed.), *Learning About Politics*. New York: Random House, 1970, pp. 434-453.

"Interest Representation in School Governance" (with L. Harmon Zeigler), in Harlan Hahn (ed.), *People and Politics in Urban Society*. Beverly Hills: Sage Publications, Inc., 1972, pp. 201-230.

"The Decision-Making Culture of American Public Education" (with Harmon Zeigler and G. Wayne Peak) in Cornelius P. Cotter (ed.), *Political Science Annual*, Vol. 5. Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill, 1974, pp. 177-219.

"Patterns of School Board Responsiveness," in Peter J. Cistone (ed.), *Understanding School Boards*. Lexington: Lexington Books, 1975, pp. 235-251.

"Political Participation and Vietnam-Era War Veterans: A Longitudinal Study" (with Gregory B. Markus), in Nancy Goldman and David Segal (eds.), *The Social Psychology of Military Service*. Beverly Hills: Sage Publications, 1976, pp. 175-200.

"Generations and Families: General Orientations and Political Satisfaction," and "Generations and Families: Political Action" (with Klaus Allerbeck and Leopold Rosenmayr), in Samuel Barnes, Max Kaase, et al., *Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies*. Beverly Hills: Sage Publications, 1979, pp.487-522.

"Whither the Study of Political Socialization?" in J. H. G. Segers and E. J. Bijnen (eds.), *Onderzoeken: Reflecteren en Meten* (festschrift for Philip Stouthard). Tilburg: Tilburg University Press, 1986, pp. 152-60.

"The Vietnam Generation in Perspective," in Institute of American Culture (ed.), *After the Storm: American*

*Society a Decade after the Vietnam War*. Taipei, Taiwan: Institute of American Culture, Academia Sinica, 1987, pp. 81-104.

"Preface," in Carol Mueller (ed.), *The Politics of the Gender Gap: The Social Construction of Political Influence*. Beverly Hills: Sage Publications, 1988, pp. 7-12.

"Women in Party Politics," in Patricia Gurin and Louise Tilly (eds.), *Women, Politics, and Change*. New York: Russell Sage, 1990, pp. 221-48.

"Gender and Politics: Convergence or Differentiation?" (with Barbara G. Farah), in Risto Sankiahho, et al., *People and Their Politics* (festschrift for Pertti Pesonen). Helsinki: The Finnish Political Science Association, 1990, pp. 27-66.

"Political Trust and the Roots of Devolution," in Margaret Levi and Valeries Braithwaithe (eds.), *Trust and Governance*. New York: Russell Sage 1998, pp. 218-44.

"Socialization: Political," in Neil J. Smelser and Paul B. Baltes (eds.), *International Encyclopedia of the Social and Behavioral Sciences*, Vol. 21. Amsterdam: Pergamon, 2001, pp. 14, 522-25.

"Survey Research and Political Socialization," in James House, et al (eds.), *A Telescope for Society: Survey Research and Social Science at the University of Michigan and Beyond*. Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press, 2004, pp. 98-117.

"Political Participation as Viewed through the Lens of the Political Socialization Project," in Margaret Herman (ed.), *Advances in Political Psychology*. Oxford: Elsevier, 2004, pp. 1-18.

"Political Similarity and Influence between Husbands and Wives" (with Laura Stoker), in Alan Zuckerman (ed.), *The Social Logic of Politics*. Philadelphia, PA: Temple University Press, 2005, pp. 51-74. .

"Political Socialization," in Russell J. Dalton and Hans-Dieter Klingemann (eds.), *Handbook on Political Behavior*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2007, pp. 30-43, .

"Rounding up the Activists," in Gary King, Kay Lehman Schlozman, and Norman Nie, *The Future of Political Science: 100 Perspectives* (Routledge, 2009), 29-30.

"The Dynamics of Good Citizenship Norms," in Thomas Poguntke, Sigrid Rosseutscher, Rüdiger Schmitt-Beck, and Sonja Zmerli (eds.), *Citizenship and Democracy in an Era of Crisis*. New York: Routledge, 2015, pp. 93-111.

### C. Journal Articles

"Public Administrators and Community Decision-Making," *Administrative Science Quarterly*, 8 (June, 1963), 18-43.

"Class, Party, and Race in Four Types of Elections: The Case of Atlanta" (with L. Harmon Zeigler), *Journal of Politics*, 28 (May, 1966), 391-407.

"Party Identification at Multiple Levels of Government" (with Richard G. Niemi), *American Journal of Sociology*, 72 (July, 1966), 86-101.

"Trusted Leaders: Perceptions of Appointed Federal Officials" (with Franklin P. Kilpatrick and Milton C. Cummings, Jr.), *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 30 (Fall, 1966), 368-384.

"Pre-Adult Orientations to Multiple Systems of Government," *Midwest Journal of Political Science*, 11 (August, 1967), 291-317.

"Federal and Nonfederal Employees: A Comparative Social-Occupational Analysis" (with Milton C. Cummings and Franklin P. Kilpatrick), *Public Administration Review*, 27 (December, 1967), 393-402.

"The Transmission of Political Values from Parent to Child" (with Richard G. Niemi), *American Political Science Review*, 62 (March, 1968), 169-184.

"Patterns of Political Learning" (with Richard G. Niemi), *Harvard Educational Review*, 38 (Summer, 1968), 443-467.

"Political Socialization and the High School Civics Curriculum in the United States" (with Kenneth P. Langton), *American Political Science Review*, 62 (September, 1968), 852-867.

"Parental Grievances and School Politics," *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 32 (Fall, 1968), 363-378.

"Men and Women in Party Elites: Social Roles and Political Resources" (with Norman Thomas), *Midwest Journal of Political Science*, 12 (November, 1968), 469-492.

"Intra-Party Communications and the Selection of Delegates to a National Convention" (with Richard G. Niemi), *Western Political Quarterly*, 22 (March, 1969), 29-46.

"Mothers vs. Fathers: The Formation of Political Orientations Among Young Americans" (with Kenneth P. Langton), *Journal of Politics*, 31 (May, 1969), 329-358.

"Lowering the Voting Age" (with Paul Allen Beck), *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 33 (Fall, 1969), 370-79.

"The Saliency of American State Politics" (with L. Harmon Zeigler), *American Political Science Review*, 64 (June, 1970), 523-535.

"The Division of Political Labor Between Mothers and Fathers" (with Richard G. Niemi), *American Political Science Review*, 65 (March, 1971), 69-82.

"Response Styles and Politics: the Case of School Boards" (with Harmon Zeigler), *Midwest Journal of Political Science*, 15 (May, 1971), 290-321.

"Partisan Commitment and Electoral Behavior in the Netherlands," *Acta Politica*, 7 (October, 1972), 445-470.

"An Aggregate Analysis of Home and School Effects on Political Socialization," *Social Science Quarterly*, 55 (September, 1974), 394-410.

"Parents as 'Middlepersons' in Political Socialization" (with Paul A. Beck), *Journal of Politics*, 37 (February, 1975), 83-107.

"Continuity and Change in Political Orientations: A Longitudinal Study of Two Generations" (with Richard G. Niemi), *American Political Science Review*, 69 (December, 1975), 1316-1335.

"Discontent with Schools: Some Implications for Political Socialization and Behavior," *Youth and Society*, 7 (September, 1975), 49-68.

"The Impact of Vietnam on Trust in Government" (with Jerald G. Bachman), *Journal of Social Issues*, 31 (No. 4, 1975), 141-155.

"The Variable Nature of Generational Conflict: Some Examples from West Germany," *Comparative Political Studies*, 9 (July, 1976), 171-188.

"Youthful Orientations Toward Political Change and Diversity in Germany: The Impact of Social Structure

and the Family" (with Rolf Jansen), published as "Die Jugendlichen in der Bundesrepublik: der Wunsch nach Veränderung und Meinungsvielfalt in der Politik: der Einfluss von Sozialstruktur und Familie," *Politische Vierteljahresschrift*, 17 (September, 1976), 317-343.

"Political Attitudes of Parents and Social Studies Teachers: Comparisons and Linkages" (with Lee H. Ehman), *Theory and Research in Social Education*, 4 (August, 1976), 67-84.

"The Effects of Military Service on Political Attitudes: A Panel Study" (with Gregory B. Markus), *American Political Science Review*, 71 (March, 1977), 131-147.

"Continuities in Comparative Research Strategies: The Mannheim Data Confrontation Seminar" (with Barbara G. Farah), *Social Science Information*, 16 (No. 2, 1977), 231-250.

"Analyzing Pairs in Cross-National Survey Research," *European Journal of Political Research*, 5 (June, 1977), 179-197.

"The Persistence of Political Orientations: An Overtime Analysis of Two Generations" (with Richard G. Niemi), *British Journal of Political Science*, 8 (July, 1978), 333-363.

"Political Periods and Political Participation" (with Paul Allen Beck), *American Political Science Review*, 73 (September, 1979), 737-750.

"Another Look at the Life Cycle and Political Participation," *American Journal of Political Science*, 23 (November, 1979), 755-771.

"Ideology, Gender, and Political Action: A Cross-National Survey" (with Barbara G. Farah), *British Journal of Political Science*, 10 (April, 1980), 219-240.

"Comment on Richard Merelman's Democratic Politics and the Culture of American Education," *American Political Science Review*, 74 (June, 1980), 333-337.

"Political Continuities in French Families: A New Perspective on an Old Controversy" (with Annick Percheron), *Comparative Politics*, 13 (July, 1981), 421-36. (A translated version appears as "La Transmission du Politique dans la Famille," in Annick Percheron, *La Socialization Politique* (Paris: Armand Colin, 1993).

"Social Roles and Political Resources: An Over-Time Study of Men and Women in Party Elites" (with Barbara G. Farah), *American Journal of Political Science*, 25 (August, 1981), 462-82.

"Pathways to Participation" (with Paul Allen Beck), *American Political Science Review*, 76 (March, 1982), 94-108.

"Gender Roles and Inequalities in Political Participation: Results from an Eight-Nation Study," *Western Political Quarterly*, 36 (September, 1983), 364-84.

"Updating Political Periods and Political Participation" (with Paul Allen Beck), *American Political Science Review*, 78 (March, 1984), 198-201.

"The Intergenerational Transfer of Political Ideology in Eight Western Nations," *European Journal of Political Research*, 12, (1984), 261-76.

"Partisan Orientations over the Long Haul: Results from the Three-Wave Political Socialization Panel Study" (with Gregory B. Markus), *American Political Science Review*, 78 (December, 1984), 1,000-18.

"Preface," (Symposium on Gender and Socialization to Power and Politics) *Women and Politics*, 5 (Winter, 1985/86), 1-3.

"Residues of a Movement: the Aging of the American Protest Generation," *American Political Science Review*, 81 (June, 1987), 367-82.

"Political Involvement in the Later Years: A Longitudinal Survey" (with Gregory B. Markus), *American Journal of Political Science*, 32 (May, 1988), 302-16.

"Party Identification and Party Closeness in Comparative Perspective" (with Samuel H. Barnes, Ronald Inglehart, and Barbara Farah), *Political Behavior*, 10 (Fall, 1988), 215-31.

"Thinking about Social Injustice," *Political Psychology*, 12 (June, 1991), 187-204.

"Family Traditions, Political Periods, and the Development of Partisan Orientations" (with Paul Allen Beck), *Journal of Politics*, 53 (August, 1991), 742-63.

"Issues and Inheritance in the Formation of Party Identification" (with Richard G. Niemi), *American Journal of Political Science*, 35 (Nov., 1991), 970-88.

"Ideology among Mass Publics and Political Elites," *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 56 (Winter, 1992), 419-41.

"Education and Political Development among Young Adults," *Politics and the Individual*, 3 (# 2, 1993), 1-24.

"Life-Cycle Transitions and Political Participation: the Case of Marriage" (with Laura Stoker), *American Political Science Review*, 89 (June, 1995), 421-36.

"Support for Confrontational Tactics among AIDS Activists: A Study of Intra-Movement Divisions" (with Ellen Andersen), *American Journal of Political Science*, 40 (May, 1996), 311-34.

"Political Knowledge over Time and Across Generations," *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 60 (Summer, 1996), 228-52.

"Political Participation in the Chinese Countryside," *American Political Science Review*, 91 (June, 1997), 361-72.

"Gender and Political Participation in the Chinese Countryside," *Journal of Politics*, 60 (November, 1998), 954-73.

"Political Responses to Pain and Loss: Presidential Address, American Political Science Association," *American Political Science Review*, 93 (March, 1999), 1-13.

"Generation Units and the Student Protest Movement in the United States: An Intra- and Intergenerational Analysis," *Political Psychology*, 23 (June, 2002), 303-24.

"The Effect of Advance Letters in Cooperation in a List Sample of Telephone Surveys," (with Kenneth Goldstein), *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 66 (Winter, 2002), 608-17.

"The Importance of Social and Political Context: The Case of AIDS Activism" (with Ellen Ann Andersen), *Political Behavior* 25 (June, 2003), 177-99.

"Internet Use and Civic Engagement: A Longitudinal Analysis," (with Vickie Zeitner), *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 67 (Fall, 2003), 311-34.

"Local Problem Agendas in the Chinese Countryside As Viewed by Cadres and Villagers," *Acta Politica*, 38 (2003), 313-32.

"The Effects of Social Class Identification on Participatory Orientations toward Government," (with Katherine

Cramer Walsh and Laura Stoker), *British Journal of Political Science*, 34 (June, 2004), 469-95.

"Social Trust and Civic Engagement across Time and Generations," (with Laura Stoker), *Acta Politica* 39 (2004), 342-79.

"A Little of This, a Lot of That." *Perspectives on Politics*, 3 (June, 2005): 319-20.

"Generations, Political Status, and Collective Memories in the Chinese Countryside," (with Ning Zhang), *Journal of Politics*, 67 (November, 2005), 1164-89.

"The Gender Gap in Attitudes and Beliefs about the Place of Women in American Political Life: A Longitudinal, Cross-Generational Analysis," *Politics & Gender* 2 (June, 2006), 193-219.

"Perceptions of Injustice in the Chinese Countryside" (with Kuang-hui Chen), *Journal of Contemporary China*, 17 (May, 2008): 319-37. .

"Of Time and the Development of Partisan Polarization" (with Laura Stoker), *American Journal of Political Science*, 52 (July, 2008): 619-35.

"Politics across Generations: Family Transmission Reexamined" (with Laura Stoker and Jake Bowers), *Journal of Politics*, 71 (July 2009), 782-99.

"Exploring Multi-Issue Activism" (with Ellen Ann Andersen), *PS: Political Science & Politics*, 43 (January, 2010), 63-67.

"The Intergenerational Transmission of Contending Place Identities" (with Guillem Rico), *Political Psychology*, 33 (October 2012), 723-42.

"Familial Origins of Gender Role Attitudes" (with Nicole Filler), *Politics and Gender*, 11( March, 2015), 27-54.

"The Formation of Left-Right Identification: Pathways and Correlates of Parental Influence" (with Guillem Rico), *Political Psychology*, forthcoming 2016.