

Christian Davenport

Curriculum Vitae
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Personal Information

Education

Ph.D. in Political Science. Binghamton University. 1992.
Masters of Arts in Political Science. Binghamton University. 1990.
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science. Clark University. 1987.

Work History

Professor. Political Science. University of Michigan – Ann Arbor. (September) 2012-present.
Faculty Associate. Center for Political Studies, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor. 2012-present.
Professor. Peace Studies. Kroc Institute, University of Notre Dame. 2008–2012.
Political Science. University of Notre Dame. 2008–2012.
Sociology. University of Notre Dame. 2010–2012.
Professor. Government and Politics. University of Maryland – College Park. 2006–2008.
Associate Professor. Government and Politics. University of Maryland – College Park. 1999–2005.
Associate Professor. Political Science. University of Colorado – Boulder. 1996–1999.
Assistant Professor. Political Science. University of Houston. 1992–1996.

Directorships

Co-Director, The Conflict Consortium. University of Michigan. 2010–Current.
Director, The Illustrative Information Interface. University of Michigan. 2010–2013.
Director, Stop Our States. University of Michigan. 2006–Current.
Director, Radical Information Project. University of Michigan. 2000–Current.
Director, Minorities at Risk. Center of International Development and Conflict Management. 2002–2004.
Director, Co-Director & Advisory Board Member, Minorities at Risk Data Project. Center of International Development and Conflict Management. 1999–2001.
Director of Research. Center for International Development and Conflict Management. University of Maryland – College Park. 1999–2003.
Director, Comparative Politics Center. University of Colorado – Boulder. 1997–1999.

Fellowships

Residential Fellow. Center for the Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (CASBS). Stanford University. 2008–2009.
Visiting Fellow. Peace Research Institute in Oslo – Center for the Study of Civil War. 2007–2008.

Visiting Fellow. Transitional Justice Institute – University of Ulster. August 2007.
Residential Fellow. Russell Sage Foundation. 2006–2007.
Senior Fellow. Center for International Development and Conflict Management.
University of Maryland – College Park. 1999–2003.

Published Work

Books

Authored

5. *How Social Movements Die: Repression and Demobilization of the Republic of New Africa* (Cambridge University Press – Cambridge Studies in Contentious Politics; Forthcoming, 2014)
4. *Media Bias, Perspective and State Repression: The Black Panther Party* (Cambridge University Press – Cambridge Studies in Contentious Politics; 2010)
– Winner of the 2011 Best Book on Racial Power and Social Movements, American Political Science Association
3. *State Repression and the Domestic Democratic Peace* (Cambridge University Press – Cambridge Studies in Comparative Politics; 2007)

Edited

2. *Repression and Mobilization* (with Carol Mueller and Hank Johnston). University of Minnesota Press. 2005.
1. *Paths to State Repression: Human Rights Violations and Contentious Politics*. Boulder: Rowman & Littlefield. 2000.

Articles

Refereed

38. “Activism and Awareness: Resistance, Cognitive Activation and ‘Seeing’ Untouchability Among 98,316 Dalits” (with Priyamvada Trivedi). *Journal of Peace Research* 50(3): 369-383. 2013.
37. “Fighting the Youth: Youth Bulges and State Repression” (with Ragnhild Nordas) *American Journal of Political Science* 57(4): 926-940. 2013.
36. “The State of State Repression Research in the 1990s” (with Molly Inman). *Journal of Terrorism and Political Violence* 24(4): 1-16. 2012.
35. “The Coercive Weight of the Past: Temporal Dependence in the Conflict-Repression Nexus” (with Cyanne Loyle and Chris Sullivan). *International Interactions* – Special Issue on Event Data. 38(4):1-17. 2012.
34. “The States Must be Crazy: Dissent and the Puzzle of Repressive Persistence” (with Cyanne Loyle) – Special Issue on Escalation/De-escalation. *International Journal of Conflict and Violence* 6(1):75-95. 2012.

33. "When Democracies Kill: Reflections from the US, India and Northern Ireland." *International Area Studies Review*. 15(1): 3-20. 2012.
32. "Protesting While Black? The Differential Policing of American Activism, 1960 to 1990" (with Sarah Soule and David Armstrong). *American Sociological Review* 76(1): 152-178. 2011.
31. "The Puzzle of Iraqi Mortality: Surges, Civilian Deaths and Alternative Meanings" (with Molly Inman). *Yale Journal of International Affairs* 5(1): 57-68. 2010.
30. "Regimes, Repertoires and State Repression." *Swiss Political Science Review* 15(2): 377-385. 2009.
29. "Velvet Glove, Iron Fist or Even Hand? Protest Policing in the United States, 1960-1990" (with Sarah Soule). *Mobilization* 14(1): 1-22. 2009.
28. "The Darkside of International Studies: Race, Racism and Research in International Studies." *International Studies Perspectives* 9: 445-449. 2008.
27. "State Repression and Political Order." *Annual Review of Political Science* 10:1-23. 2007.
26. "State Repression and the Tyrannical Peace." *Journal of Peace Research* 44(4): 485-504. 2007.
25. "Licensing Repression: Dissent, Threats and State Repression in the United States." *University of Minnesota Law Journal*. 2007.
24. "Understanding Covert Repressive Action: The Case of the US Government Against the Republic of New Africa." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 49(1): 120-40. 2005.
23. "Human Rights and the Promise of Democratic Pacification." *International Studies Quarterly* 48(3): 539-560. 2004.
22. "Democracy and the Violation of Human Rights: A Statistical Analysis from 1976-1996" (with David Armstrong). *American Journal of Political Science* 48(3): 538-554. 2004.
21. "Sometimes You Just Have to Leave: Domestic Threats and Refugee Movements, 1964-1989" (with Will Moore and Steve Poe). *International Interactions* 29(1): 27-55. 2003.
20. "Views to a Kill: Exploring the Implications of Source Selection in the Case of Guatemalan State Terror, 1977-1996" (with Patrick Ball). *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 46(3): 427-450. 2002.
19. "Polity IV, 1800-1999: A Reply to Munck and Verkuilen" (with Ted Gurr, Monty Marshall and Keith Jagers). *Comparative Political Studies* 35(1): 40-45. 2002.
18. "Cued to Coerce or Coercing Cues? Exploring the Relationship Between Dissident Rhetoric and State Repression" (with Marci Eads). *Mobilization* 6(2): 151-172. 2001.
17. "Assessing the Validity of the Post-Materialist Index in the U.S" (with Darren Davis). *American Political Science Review* 93(3): 649-664. 1999.
16. "Human Rights and the Democratic Proposition." *Journal of Conflict Resolution* 43(1): 92-116. 1999.
15. "Tracking Down the Empirical Legacy of the Black Panther Party (or Notes on the Perils of Pursuing the Panthers)" (with Claudia Dahlerus). *New Political Science* 21(2/June): 261-279. 1999.
14. "The Brother Might Be Made of Steel, But He Sure Aint Super... Man." *Other Voices* 1(2): <http://dept.english.upenn.edu/~ov/1.2/index.html>. 1998.

13. "Liberalizing Event or Lethal Episode: An Empirical Assessment of How National Elections Effect the Suppression of Political and Civil Liberties." *Social Science Quarterly* 79(2): 321-340. 1998.
12. "From Ballots to Bullets: National Elections and State Uses of Political Repression." *Electoral Studies* 16(4): 517-540. 1997.
11. "Black is the Color of My Comic Book Character: An Examination of Ethnic Stereotypes." *Inks: Cartoon and Comic Art Studies* 4(1): 20-28. 1997.
10. "The Political and Social Relevancy of "Malcolm X": The Stability of Black Political Attitudes" (with Darren Davis). *Journal of Politics* 59(2): 550-564. 1997.
9. "Constitutional Promises and Repressive Reality: A Cross-National Time-Series Investigation." *Journal of Politics* 58(3): 627-654. 1996.
8. "The Weight of the Past: Exploring Lagged Determinants of Political Repression." *Political Research Quarterly* 49(2): 377-403. 1996.
7. "Winning the Cold War and the U.S. Industrial Decline" (with James Petras). *Journal of Contemporary Asia* 25(3): 319-337. 1995.
6. "Multi-Dimensional Threat Perception and State Repression: An Inquiry into Why States Apply Negative Sanctions." *American Journal of Political Science* 38(3): 683-713. 1995.
5. "Assessing the Military's Effect on State Repression." *Journal of Political and Military Sociology* 23(Summer): 119-144. 1995.
4. "Prestigious Publications and Public Relevance: Vietnam War and Black Protest in the American Sociological Review (ASR) and the American Political Science Review (APSR)" (with James Petras). *Crime, Law and Social Change* 17: 107-121. 1992.
3. "Crime and the Transformation of Capitalism" (with James Petras). *Crime, Law and Social Change* 16: 155-175. 1991.
2. "Crime and the Transformation of Capitalism" (with James Petras). *Monthly Review* (September). 1990.
1. "Transformation of the U.S. Ruling Class in the 1990s" (with James Petras) *Realidad Economic* (January/February). 1990.

Non-Refereed

8. "The Arab Spring, Winter and Back Again? (Re)Introducing The Dissent-Repression Nexus with a Twist" (with Will Moore). *International Interactions - Commentary on the Arab Spring*. 2012. 38(5): 704-713..
7. "The Next Generation: Making Sense of Contemporary Contentious Politics" (with Will Moore). 2011. *States, Power and Societies* 16(3): 6-8.
6. "Evidenced-Based Peacekeeping: Exploring the Epidemiology of Lethal Violence in Darfur" (with Alex DeWaal, Chad Hazlett and Joshua Kennedy). 2010. *Harvard Humanitarian Initiative*.
http://hhi.harvard.edu/images/resources/reports/evidence-based%20peacekeeping_2.pdf.
5. "What Really Happened in Rwanda" (with Allan Stam). *Miller-McCune Magazine*. 2009.
4. "Going Global and Coming Black to the World." 2007. *NAACP - Special Edition*.

3. "The Black Panthers." 2007. *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd Edition.
2. "Understanding Rwandan Violence in Space and Time" (with Allan Stam). 2005. *GIS Educator*. (Spring): 6-7.
1. "Political Science at the NSF: The Report of a Committee of the American Political Science Association" (with Miriam Golden, Arthur Lupia, Lee Sigelman, Frank Sorauf, and Susan Welch). 2000. *PS – Political Science and Politics* 33(4): 895-898.

Other Works

Book Chapters

10. "Blowing Flames into the Souls of Black Folk: Ollie Harrington and his Bombs from Berlin to Harlem" in *Black Comics: Politics of Race and Representation*. New York: Bloomsbury Academic. 2013.
9. "Chronic and Coercion: Exploring how Legalizing Marijuana Might Get the U.S. Government off the Backs and Throats of Americans (or, not) in *Some Things in the Air: Race, Crime and the Legalization of Marijuana*. New York: Routledge. 2013.
8. "Data Limitations as Impediment to Genocide Intervention" (with Cyanne Loyle). In Sam Totten ed. *Impediments to the Prevention and Intervention of Genocide* (Transaction Press, Forthcoming).
7. "Political Democracy and State Repression." In *Human Rights: Politics and Practice*, Michael Goodhart, ed. New York: Oxford University Press. 2009. (Now in Second Edition)
6. "Scholarship Under the Gun, Lawsuit and Innuendo: Understanding and Navigating Academic Repression." In *Academic Repression: Reflections from the Academic Industrial Complex*, Anthony Nocella and Steven Best, eds. Oakland: AK Press. 2009.
5. "Six Feet Over: Internal War, Battle Deaths and the Influence of the Living on the Dead" (with David Armstrong). In *Insecurity in Intra-State Conflicts: Governments, Rebels, and Outsiders*, Stephen M. Saideman and Marie-Joëlle Zahar, eds. London: Routledge. 2008.
4. "Introduction." In *Repression and Mobilization*, Christian Davenport, Carol Mueller and Hank Johnston, eds. University of Minnesota Press. 2005.
3. "Tracking Down the Empirical Legacy of the Black Panther Party (or Notes on the Perils of Pursuing the Panthers)" (with Claudia Dahlerus). In *Liberation, Imagination and the Black Panther Party*, Kathleen Cleaver and George Katsiaficas, eds. Boulder: Routledge. 2000.
2. "Rereading the Voice of the Vanguard Party: A Content and Rhetorical Analysis of the Black Panther Party Intercommunal Newsletter From 1969–1973." In *The Black Panther Party Reconsidered: Reflections and Scholarship*, Charles Jones, ed. Baltimore: Black Classic Press. 1998.
1. "Domestic Effects of Third World Militarization." In *Comparative Study of Political Conflict: Political Conflict, Political Development and Public Policy*, Eduard Ziegenhagen, ed. New York: Praeger. 1994.

Monographs, Reports, and Extension Publications

3. *Understanding Untouchability* (with Martin Macwan, David Armstrong, Allan Stam, Monika Kalra Varma and Amanda Klassing). Ahmedabad, India: Navsarjan Trust. 2009.
http://navsarjan.org/Documents/Untouchability_Report_FINAL_Complete.pdf/view
2. “The Conflict-HIV/AIDs Nexus: An Empirical Assessment” (with Cyanne Loyle). The Aids, Security and Conflict Initiative - Clingendael and the Social Science Research Council. Report 21. 2009.
<http://asci.researchhub.ssrc.org/working-papers/ASCI%20Research%20Paper%2021-Davenport%20and%20Loyle.pdf>
1. *Project X: Monitoring the Pulse of Black Public Opinion* (with Darren Davis). Houston: University of Houston Center for Public Policy. 1993.

Commentary

1. “The Next Generation: Making Sense of Contemporary Contentious Politics” (with Will Moore) *States, Power and Societies* 16(3): 6-8. 2011.

Reviews

8. *50 Years, 100 Peace and Conflict Perspectives* (2008) written by Johan Galtung, in *Journal of Peace Research* 48(5): 685-686. 2011.
7. *Crimes of Dissent: Civil Disobedience, Criminal Justice and the Politics of Conscience* (2009) written by Jarrett Lovell, in *Perspectives on Politics* 9(3): 723-724. 2011.
6. “Hobbes ‘n the Hood: A Review of “Crips and Bloods – Made in America” a film review of *Bloods and Crips: Made in America* (2008) by Stacy Peralta in *Dynamics of Asymmetric Conflict Pathways toward terrorism and genocide* 2(3): 207-210. 2009.
5. *The Evolution of Inequality: War, State Survival, and Democracy in Comparative Perspective* (2002) written by Manus Midlarsky, in the *American Political Science Review* 94(1): 223-224. 2000.
4. *Ethnic Conflict in World Politics* (1996) written by Ted Robert Gurr and Barbara Harff, in *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics* 2(3): 475-477. 2000.
3. *Taking Lives: Genocide and State Power* (1997) by David Horowitz, in the *American Political Science Review* 91(4): 979-981. 2000.
2. *Terror, Force, and States: The Path from Modernity* (1996) by Rosemary O’Kane, in the *American Political Science Review* 91(4): 979-981. 1998.
1. *Social Movements, Political Violence, and the State: A Comparative Analysis of Italy and Germany* (1996) by Donatella Della Porta, in the *American Political Science Review* 91(4): 979-981. 1998.

Unpublished work (Underway or Under Review)

Academic Books

3. *Pop Struggle! Repression and Dissent in Film, Comics and Graphic Novels* – Underway
2. *If you Arrest a Revolutionary, Do you Arrest a Revolution? Understanding the Impact of Repression on Dissent* (with Chris Sullivan) – Underway
1. *In Search of a Number: Rethinking Rwanda, 1994* (with Allan Stam) – Underway

Refereed Articles

10. “If you Arrest a Revolutionary, Do you Arrest a Revolution? Understanding the Impact of Repression on Political Dissent” (with Chris Sullivan) – Under review at *American Political Science Review*
9. “Protest, Policing and Perception: An Experimental Test” (with Rose McDermott and David Armstrong) – Under review at *American Political Science Review*
8. “Intervention, Sanctions and Ending Atrocities, 1955-2005” (with Ben Appel) – Under review at the *Journal of Peace Research*
7. “State vs. Challengers: Unifying the Study of Political Violence” – Underway
6. “Stopping Genocide or Taking the Nation? Intent, Violence and the (Il)Legitimacy of Paul Kagame/The Rwandan Patriotic Front (with Allan Stam) – Underway
5. “Mass Murder Incorporated: Security Force Structure and State Repression” (with Ernesto Verdeja and Meredith Blank) – Underway
4. “An Evolutionary Theory of State Repression” (with Rose McDermott) – Underway
3. “The Logics of Violence” (with Jule Kruger) – Underway
2. “Tenure Through Tyranny? Examining the Influences of Repression on the Timing and Method of Leader Removal (with Reed Wood) – Underway
1. “Stopping the Juggernaut: Understanding What (if anything) Terminates Spells of Large-Scale Human Rights Violation” (with Ben Appel) – Underway

Databases, Webpages & Software

Databases managed

Radical Information Project (www.radicalinformationproject.com)

- Free the Land: Dissent and Repression in the Republic of New Africa, 1968-

1973

- Rashomon & Repression: State Coercion, Perspective and the Black Panther Party, 1967-1973

- Northern Ireland Research Initiative: Political Conflict and Violence, 1968-1998

- GenoDynamics: Understanding Rwandan Political Violence in 1994

- Understanding Untouchability in 1589 Gujarat Villages, 2005-2008

Webpages managed

www.christiandavenport.com

This serves as the webportal for my professional career linking research projects, written work and my vitae as well as my personal/creative life linking photographs, stories and board games.

The Northern Ireland Research Initiative

This is the webpage for my research on Northern Ireland including data, written work, maps and photographs

GenoDynamics

This is the webpage for my research on Rwandan political violence during 1994 including data, written work, maps and photographs

Everyday Oppression (under construction)

This is the webpage for my research on untouchability in India including data, written work, maps and photographs

www.staterepression.com

A resource for those who study human rights violation/state repression including references, data and other ephemera

Software Developed

The Illustrative Information Interface

The Minorities At Risk Data Generation and Management Program Margene

Professional Achievements and Activities

Contracts and Grants

20. National Science Foundation. Forthcoming. \$50,000. (With Will Moore). Title: Conflict Consortium. 2012-2013.

19. Clingendael Institute with the Social Science Research Council. Spring 2008. \$50,000. Title: Aids and Armed Conflict: A Global Assessment.

18. National Science Foundation (Human Social Dynamics Program - SBE-0527498). Fall 2005. (With Deborah Gerner, Craig Jenkins, Katherine Meyer, Phil Schrod, Jillian Schwedler, Mary Ann Tetreault). \$575,000. Title: "Understanding the Conflict-Repression Nexus in the Middle East."

17. National Science Foundation (SES-0321518). Spring 2003. (With Allan Stam). \$105,187. Title: "Mass Killing and the Oases of Humanity: Understanding Rwandan Genocide and Resistance."

16. University of Maryland, College Park – BSOS. Spring 2003. (With Kathleen Young and Victor Assal). \$4,000. Title: "Instructional Improvement Grant."

15. General Research Board, University of Maryland, College Park– Semester Award.

- Fall 2003. \$9,250. Title: "The Promise of Democratic Pacification: State Repression and Democracy During the Third Wave."
14. Carnegie Foundation. Fall 2001. (With Ted Gurr and Monty Marshall). \$400,000. Title: "Initiation and Settlement of Self-Determination and Autonomy Movements 1985-2004: A Global Analysis."
 13. American Sociological Association – Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline Award. Spring 2001. (With Carol Mueller and Hank Johnston). \$5,000. Title: "Repression and Mobilization: What Do We Know and Where Do We Go From Here."
 12. National Science Foundation (SES-0118989). Spring 2001. (With Carol Mueller and Hank Johnston). \$5,000. Title: "Repression and Mobilization: What Do We Know and Where Do We Go From Here."
 11. University of Maryland, College Park – Latin American Studies Center. Spring 2000. (With Eyda Merediz, Phyllis Peres, and Leslie Roland). \$4,000. Title: "The Truly Wretched of the Earth: A Global Assessment of Race and Persecution". Part of the "Trans-Atlantic Study Group."
 10. National Science Foundation (SBR-9819274). Fall 1998. \$30,000. Title: "Filling the Gap in Contentious Understanding: The Republic of New Africa and the Influence of Political Repression."
 9. Big Twelve Fellowship. Fall, 1998. University of Colorado at Boulder. \$2,500.
 8. National Science Foundation (SBR-9731382). Spring, 1998. (With Mark Lichbach). \$120,000. Title: "Tsuris in the Soul: Inter-Ethnic Politics and the Black-Jewish Question."
 7. Implementation of Multicultural Perspectives and Approaches in Research and Teaching (IMPART) Grant. Spring, 1998. University of Colorado at Boulder. \$4,000. Title: "Uncovering History: Exploring Alternative Sources in Events-Based Data Collection."
 6. National Science Foundation (SBR-9617900). Spring, 1997. \$18,000. Title: "Rhetoric Under the Gun: An Empirical Investigation of the Relationship Between Political Opportunity Structures and Dissident Frames within the Black Panther Party."
 5. University of Colorado Faculty Development Award. Fall, 1997. University of Colorado at Boulder. \$2,000. Title: "Comparing Dynamics of Human Rights Violations - A Survey of the Literature."
 4. Implementation of Multicultural Perspectives and Approaches in Research and Teaching (IMPART) Grant. Fall, 1997. University of Colorado at Boulder. \$2,000. Title: "Race, Racism and Social Science Research: Patterns and Prospects."
 3. Limited Grant in Aid. Summer, 1994. University of Houston. \$2,000.
 2. African-American Research Development Grant. Spring, 1994. University of Houston. \$1,000.
 1. Faculty Recruitment Incentive Grant. Summer, 1991 - Summer 1995. University of Houston. \$2,000.

Fellowships, Prizes, and Awards

14. National Science Foundation (the Alliance for Graduate Education & the Professoriate Program – HRD-0829399). Title: "Developing Professorial Leadership: A Pilot Partnership." 2008-2009.
13. Residential Fellowship. Center for the Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (CASBS). Stanford University. 2008-2009.

12. Visiting Scholar Award. Transitional Justice Institute – University of Ulster. August 2007.
11. Pi Sigma Alpha “Best Paper Award” (for 2005 conference). Midwest Political Science Association.
10. William J. Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Award – Norway. William J. Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board and The Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the United States Department of State (Accepted). 2006-2007.
9. Visiting Scholar Award. Peace Research Institute in Oslo – Center for the Study of Civil War. 2007-2008.
8. Russell Sage Foundation Visiting Scholar Award. Russell Sage Foundation. 2006-2007.
7. William J. Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Award – Norway. William J. Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board and The Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the United States Department of State (Withdrawn due to Russell Sage Award). 2006-2007.
6. Social-Political Relevancy – Article selected for distribution to mass media. *American Journal of Political Science*. 2004.
5. College of Behavior and Social Sciences Research Award (Semester Leave). University of Maryland. Fall, 2004.
4. Research Fellowship, “Contentious Politics: Seeking Causes.” Summer Institute for Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences. Stanford, CA; Stanford University. July 10 through August 18, 2000.
3. Who’s Who Among African Americans. Gale Research Inc. Fall, 1998; 1996.
2. Leader of Tomorrow Award (1 of 50 selected nationally). *Ebony Magazine*. November, 1995.
1. Keeper of the Flame Award. Malcolm X Lovers Network. 1992.

Editorships, Editorial Boards, and Reviewing Activities for Journals and Other Learned Publications

Editor, *Human Rights Section Newsletter*, 2011-Present

Associate Editor, *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 2009-2013

Editorial Board Member

International Studies Quarterly, 2014-2017.

American Political Science Review, 2012-2016.

Journal of Politics, 2010-2012.

International Interactions, 2009-2012.

American Sociological Association Rose Series in Sociology, 2008-Present.

International Studies Quarterly, 2002-2005.

Journal of Politics, 2001-2004.

Political Research Quarterly, 2000-2003.

American Journal of Political Science, 1994-1997.

Reviewer, 1994-Current:

American Journal of Political Science

Law and Society Review

<i>American Journal of Sociology</i>	<i>Mobilization</i>
<i>American Political Science Review</i>	National Research Council
<i>American Sociological Review</i>	National Science Foundation: International Program, Law and Society, Political Science, Sociology
<i>British Journal of Political Science</i>	<i>Perspectives on Politics</i>
<i>Comparative Political Studies</i>	<i>Political Behavior</i>
<i>Comparative Politics</i>	<i>Political Studies</i>
<i>Conflict Management and Peace Science</i>	Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
European Research Council – European Commission	Rowman and Littlefield
<i>International Interactions</i>	<i>Security Studies</i>
<i>International Organization</i>	<i>Social Forces</i>
<i>International Sociology</i>	<i>Social Science and Humanities Research Council</i>
<i>International Studies Quarterly</i>	<i>Social Science Quarterly</i>
<i>Journal of Conflict Resolution</i>	<i>Southeastern Political Science Review</i>
<i>Journal of Political Research</i>	Technology in Education Survey System (TESS)
<i>Journal of Politics</i>	University of California Press
<i>Journal of Qualitative Sociology</i>	<i>World Politics</i>
<i>Nationalism and Ethnic Politics</i>	

Advisory Boards

- Member, Cosmos, A Consortium on Social Movement Studies. 2012-Present.
- Member, Research Committees of the Center for Global Nonkilling (CGNK).
<http://www.nonkilling.org/node/39>. 2011 – Present.
- Creator and Convener, The Troubles Consortium:
http://web.me.com/christiandavenport/Site_50/The_Troubles_Consortium.html.
2009 – Present.
- Honorary Board Member, The Sacco and Vanzetti Foundation (SVF):
<http://www.saccoandvanzettifoundation.org/>.
2009 – Present.
- Research Associate, Conflict Analysis Resource Center (CERAC):
http://www.cerac.org.co/home_english.htm. Bogota, Colombia. 2008 – Present.
- Member, Violent Intranational Political Conflict and Terrorism Research Laboratory,
2005 – Present.
- Member, The Laboratory in Comparative Ethnic Processes (LICEP). 2000 – 2008.
Including: Robert Bates, Kanchan Chandra, James Fearon, Karen Ferree, Elise Giuliano, Pauline Luong, Stathis Kalyvas, Nelson Kasfir, David Laitin, Ian Lustick, Daniel Posner, Nicholas Sambanis, Ashutush Varshney, Steven Wilkinson; http://www.yale.edu/macmillan/ocvprogram/LICEP_archive.html.
- Member, European Consortium on Political Research - Standing Group on Extremism and Democracy: <http://www.bath.ac.uk/Departments/ESML/ps/>. 2000 – Present.
- Member, the American Association for the Advancement of Science Committee for Scientific Freedom and Responsibility (CSFR). Washington, DC. 1999 – 2006.
- Member, Advisory Board for Systematic Studies of Human Rights. Inter-Consortium of Political and Social Research. Spring, 1997 – Present.

Participation in the Profession

Invited talks, etc.

Workshops (not yet updated):

43. Presenter, "Protest, Policing and Perception: An Experimental Test." Studies in Politics and Movements (SPAM) – University of Notre Dame. November 2, 2011.
43. Presenter, "Publishing in American Political Science." Political Science - Uppsala University. October 21, 2011.
42. Presenter, "Peace by Piece: Developing a Measure." Peace Research Institute of Oslo. October 18, 2011.
41. Presenter, "Repression with Synonyms." Peace and Conflict Workshop. Kroc Institute – University of Notre Dame. October 12, 2011.
40. Presenter, "The Micro-Foundations of Coercion in Democracies." John F. Kennedy School – Harvard University. April 20, 2010.
39. Presenter, "Ending Genocide." Georgetown University International Theory and Research Seminar – Georgetown University. November 15, 2010.
38. Participant, "From Mountains to Movements: Repression, Dissent and the Escalation to Civil War." Social Movement and Politics Workshop. Sociology - University of Notre Dame. January 20, 2010.
37. Participant, "Anticipating, Preventing and Responding to Genocide and Mass Atrocities." University of Pittsburgh-Henry Stimson Center. Washington, DC. July 22-23, 2009.
36. Presenter, "Rethinking Rwanda 1994." Comparative Politics Workshop. University of California – Berkeley. May 2, 2009. April 23, 2009.
35. Presenter, "How to Kill a Movement." Stanford University Workshop on Contentious Politics – Stanford University. April 23, 2009.
34. Presenter, "To Kill a Movement." March 18, 2009. Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences – Stanford University.
33. Presenter, "Understanding Untouchability." Comparative Politics Research Workshop. University of Chicago. February 5, 2009.
32. Discussant, "How Genocides End." Harvard University and Social Science Research Council. October 10-11, 2008.
31. Participant, "Responses to Political Violence and the Growth of Anti-Americanism." Stanford University and Macarthur Foundation (Organized by the UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation and the Stanford Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences). May 21-23, 2008.
30. Presenter, "Rwandan Political Violence in Space and Time." "How Genocides End." Harvard University and Social Science Research Council. May 8-10, 2008.
29. Presenter, "The States Must be Crazy: The Problem of Repressive Persistence." DC Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. University of Maryland. March, 2008.
28. Presenter, "Rwandan Political Violence in Space and Time" (with Allan Stam). Workshop on Contentious Politics. Columbia University; New York, NY. March, 2008.
27. Participant, "Dissent, Surveillance and Mass Killing in Space and Time." ESRI, San Diego. July 23 - 25, 2005.
26. Presenter, "Getting Rwanda Right." Solomon Asch Center of Ethnopolitical Conflict. June 2005.

25. Participant, "Repression and Mobilization in the Middle East." Mershon Center, Ohio State University – November 4th–6th 2005.
24. Presenter, "Repression All the Way Down." Measuring Human Rights, APSA Workshop, September 1st 2004.
23. Presenter, "Mass Killing and the Oases of Humanity: The Case of Rwandan Genocide." D.C. Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. University of Maryland; College Park, February 12th, 2003.
22. Presenter, "Contingency, Inherency and the Onset of Civil War" (with Mark Lichbach and David Armstrong). D.C. Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. University of Maryland; College Park, March 12th, 2003.
21. Presenter, "Against Citizens: Towards an Understanding of Political Control." D.C. Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. Center for International Development and Conflict Management; University of Maryland; College Park, MD. November 18th, 2002.
20. Commentator, "Democracy, Development and Armed Conflict" by Harvard Hegre, World Bank. Center for International Development and Conflict Management. University of Maryland. September 4th, 2002.
19. Commentator, "Policing Jordan From Left to Right and Back Again" by Jillian Schwedler, University of Maryland. D.C. Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. Center for International Development and Conflict Management; University of Maryland; College Park, MD. October 16th, 2002.
18. Moderator, "Doing Science After September 11: Scientific Freedom & Responsibility Issues." The American Association for the Advancement of Science. The War on Terrorism: What Does it Mean for Science? A Symposium. December 18, 2001.
17. Participant, "The Systematic Study of Human Rights Violations." Workshop 9, ECPR Joint Sessions (with David Armstrong). The European Consortium for Political Research; Turin, Italy. March 22-27, 2002.
16. Presenter, "Understanding Covert Repressive Action." D.C. Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. Center for International Development and Conflict Management. University of Maryland; College Park, MD. December 5, 2001.
15. Organizer and Director. D.C. Area Workshop on Contentious Politics. Center for International Development and Conflict Management; University of Maryland; College Park, MD. 2001- 2012.
14. Associate Conference Director, "Repression and Mobilization: What We Know and Where We Should Go From Here." University of Maryland; College Park, MD. June 21-24, 2001.
13. Presenter, "The Devil is in the Details: Media Attentiveness, Conflict Cycles and the Unexplored Micro-Foundations of Event Data." University of Maryland; College Park, MD. June 21-24, 2001.
12. Participant, Human Rights Workshop. United States Embassy (Embassy Auditorium); Kigali, Rwanda. March 20, 2001.
11. Presenter, "Quantitative Workshops on Basic Data Collection and Analysis." Center for Conflict Management Butare, Rwanda. March 12-14.
10. Participant, "Poverty, Entitlement, and Resource-Related Conflict" Clingendael (Netherlands Institute of International Relations). Den Haag (the Hague), Netherlands. March 5, 2001.
9. Participant, "Brookings-Johns Hopkins Center on Social and Economic Dynamics: Workshop on the Dynamics of Communal Violence." Brookings Institution; Washington, D.C. January 26, 2001.
8. Participant, "Intrastate and International Negotiations and Mediation." University of Maryland; College Park, MD. May, 2000.

7. Reviewer. Workshop on Contentious Politics. Columbia University; New York, NY. November, 1999.
6. Participant as presenter of "Truths and Consequences: Quantitative Reflections on Alternative History and Repression Against the Black Panthers." Workshop of Contentious Politics. Columbia University; New York, NY. October, 1999.
5. Participant for "Social Change as Art. "12th Annual International Association of Blacks in Dance Conference." Denver, CO – January, 1999.
4. Conference Director. "Comparative Human Rights and Repression: Theories, Explanatory Variables, and Continuing Paradoxes." Boulder, CO – June, 1997
3. Affiliated with "Comparative Human Rights and Repression: Theories, Explanatory Variables, and Persisting Paradoxes." Boulder, CO – June, 1997.
2. Participant for "Political Survival and Education." West Dallas Detention Center Houston, TX – Summer, 1995.
1. Participant for "Conversation for Racial Harmony." Midtown Arts Center. Houston, TX – 1995.

Lectures:

43. Presentation on Indian Untouchability. Delivered to the Penn Humanities Forum, University of Pennsylvania. October 17, 2013.
42. Presentation on "Rethinking Rwanda, 1994." Delivered to Uppsala University. October 20th, 2011.
41. Presentation on "To Kill a Social Movement." Delivered to the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (Stanford University). March 3rd, 2009.
40. Presentation on "Conflict in Urban Contexts." Delivered to the Urban Affairs Association. Baltimore, MD. 2008.
39. Presentation on "State Repression and the Tyrannical Peace." Delivered to the University of Rochester. April 20th, 2007
38. Presentation on "State Repression and the Tyrannical Peace." Delivered to Columbia University. Spring 2007
(<http://www.iserp.columbia.edu/news/articles/tyrannical.html>).
37. Presentation on "From Mountains to Movements: Dissent, Repression and Escalation to Civil War." Delivered to University of Arizona. March 14th, 2006.
36. Presentation on "From Mountains to Movements: Dissent, Repression and Escalation to Civil War." Delivered to Rutgers University. March 3rd, 2006.
35. Presentation on "Mass Killing and the Oases of Humanity: The Case of Rwandan Genocide." Comparative Politics Workshop. Department of Government; Princeton University. March 3rd, 2004.
34. Presentation on "Getting Rwanda Right: Genocide and Social Science Research." Delivered to University of Alabama, Martin Luther King – Distinguished Lecture Series. October 28th, 2004.
33. Presentation on "Massacres and Me." Delivered to Stillman College. October 28th, 2004.
32. Presentation on "Research on Human Rights Violations." Delivered to Class on International Law at the University of Alabama, October 29th, 2004.
31. Presentation on "Human Rights Scholarship and Civic Engagement." Delivered to Robert F. Kennedy Memorial. August 26th, 2004.
30. Presentation on "Minorities at Risk and Data Generation." Delivered to Ethnic Politics course at Princeton University. March 4th, 2004.
29. Presenter, "Rashomon Goes to Rwanda: The Politics of Documenting Mass Killing" New York University. February 10th, 2003

28. Presenter, "Disaggregating Rwandan Genocide: Time, Space and Narrative" Harvard Africa Seminar Series, sponsored by the Harvard Committee on African Studies, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, and Center for International Development. February 4th, 2003.
27. Presentation on the Radical Information Project. Delivered to UN delegation of NGO representatives; Presented at the Center for International Development and Conflict Management. May, 2001.
26. Presentation on "Personal Life History." Presented at the Government and Politics Course on Professional Political Science. April, 2001.
25. Presentation on "Media Bias and the Black Panther Party." Presented at the University of Maryland's 7th annual Diversity Initiative Research Forum on Race, Gender, and Identity. March 29, 2001.
24. Presentation on "How to Give A Job Talk." Presented at the Government and Politics Course on Professional Political Science. March, 2001.
23. Roundtable Participant "Perspective, Space, and Black Nationalism: Exploring the Unexplored Dimensions of Contentious Politics." Presented at Arizona State University – Department of Sociology. Tempe, Arizona–April, 2000.
22. Roundtable Participant "Scholars of Color Panel." Presented at Penn State University – MOST Program. College Station, PA–March, 2000.
21. Lecture on The Rashomon Effect in the Social Sciences. Presented at Penn State University – Department of Political Science. College Station, PA – March, 2000.
20. Discussion on "Race and Academia." Presented at University of Maryland – University of Maryland Faculty/Staff Club. College Park, MD – February, 2000.
19. Lecture on "Developing African-American Political Understanding." Presented at Big 12 African-American Conference on Leadership. Boulder, CO (University of Colorado) – March, 1999.
18. Lecture on "Exploring the Rashomon Effect in Contentious Politics: The Case of Black Panther Party – Authority Relations." Presented at the University of Kansas at Lawrence – December, 1998.
17. Presenter "Transcending Plantation Politics: Toward an African-American Agenda." Presented at "African-American Studies 30th Anniversary." Houston, TX – October, 1998.
16. Plenary Speaker "Untangling the Relationship between Democracy and Repression." Presented at the Hinman Symposium on Democratization and Human Rights. Binghamton, NY – September, 1998.
15. Lecture on "Human Rights and the Effect of Regime Change." Presented at the Political Science Department/Graduate School of International Studies, University of Colorado – Denver. May 1998.
14. Lecture on "Interethnic Conflict and Cooperation between Blacks and Jews." Presented at the Political Science Department – University of Colorado. September 1997.
13. Lecture on "The Impact of Racism on White and Black Americans." Presented at the "Morning X Speaker's Series". Francis W. Parker School. Chicago, Illinois – March 1997.
12. Lecture on "Censorship, Restrictions and the Effect of Democratization." Presented at the Institute of Behavioral Science - University of Colorado. February 1997.
11. Lecture on "The Pacifying Influence of Democracy on State Repression." Presented at Binghamton University. Binghamton, NY – January 1997.
10. Lecture on "Social Science Approaches and Ethnic Empowerment in America." Presented at Binghamton University. Binghamton, NY – January 1997.
9. Lecture on "Zen and the Art of Political Control." American Center Colloquium

Series.

- Presented at the Department of Political Science (Co-sponsored by the Comparative Politics Center) – University of Colorado. November 1996.
8. Lecture on “Leadership Within the Black Community.” Presented at the National African-American Honors Association 7th Annual Meeting - Benedict College. Columbia, South Carolina – February, 1996.
 7. Lecture on “Elections, Democracy and Political Repression.” Presented at the University of North Texas. Denton, TX – 1995.
 6. Lecture on “Mass Activism in the 1990’s and the Efficacy of Political Marches.” Presented at the Shape Cultural Center. Houston, TX – 1995.
 5. Lecture on “Education and Empowerment.” Presented at the African-American Studies New Student and Family Orientation. Houston, TX – 1995.
 4. Lecture on “Execution of Political Prisoners.” Presented at the Citizens Against Legal Executions. Houston, TX – 1995.
 3. Lecture on “Political Economic Influences on At-Risk Youth.” Presented at the Communities and Schools 7th Annual Conference. Houston, TX – 1995.
 2. Lecture on “Reflections on Racism, Popular Culture and Everyday Existence.” Presented at Rice University. Houston, TX – 1994.
 1. Lecture on “Black Struggle in Historic Perspective.” Presented at Prairie View University, Benjamin Bannecker Honors Program. Prairie View, TX – 1994.

Refereed conference proceedings (not yet updated):

74. Presenter, “Ending Genocide – An Empirical Analysis” on “Ending Political Violence” on April 25, 2009. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.
73. Presenter, Author Meets Critics Session on my book *Media Bias, Perspective and State Repression – The Black Panther Party*. April 22, 2009. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.
72. Presenter, Roundtable on Data in the Study of Ethnicity. April 22, 2009. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting.
71. Presenter– “Donuts, Distance and Domestic Spying: The Republic of New Africa and Political Surveillance.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. March, 2008.
70. Presenter– “(N)ever Again, Until Tomorrow: Understanding and Ending Political Atrocities.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association. March, 2008.
69. Presenter– “From Mountains to Movements: Dissent, Repression and the Escalation to Civil War” with David Armstrong and Mark Lichbach. International Studies Association. March, 2006.
68. Present– “Invisible Hand, Visible Fist: Understanding Globalization and Repression.” International Studies Association. March, 2006.
67. Discussant– Panel on “Forced Migration and Political Violence.” International Studies Association. March, 2006.
66. Presenter– “A License to Kill: Dissent, Threats and State Repression in the United States.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2005.
65. Presenter– “Conflict Escalation and The Onset of Civil War.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2005.
64. Presenter– “Six Feet Under.” Presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association.

63. Discussant– “Understanding Civil Conflict.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. August, 2004.
62. Presenter– “Contingency, Inherency and the Onset of Civil War” (with David Armstrong and Mark Lichbach). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2004.
61. Panelist– “Publishing in Political Science.” Rountable Presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. March, 2004.
60. Presenter– “State Repression and the Dictatorial Peace.” Presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. March, 2004.
59. Presenter– “Democracy and the Violation of Human Rights: A Statistical Analysis of the Third Wave.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. August, 2002
58. Presenter– “Faster Nation-State, Kill, Kill: Exploring the Coercive Foundations of Modern Government.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2002.
57. Presenter– “Democracies Love Me, They Love Me Not: Levels of Measurement, State Repression and the Domestic Democratic Peace” (with David Armstrong). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2002.
56. Roundtable Participant– “Responding to Terrorism and the Rule of Law.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2002.
55. Presenter– “Constructing Domestic Peace: Analyzing the Impact of Trade and Investment on Human Rights Violations” (with Katherine Barbieri). Presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association. 2002.
54. Presenter– “State Violence and the Promise of Democratic Peace.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. August, 2001.
53. Presenter– “Violations, Restrictions and the Promise of Democratic Pacification.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2001. (nominated for the Pi Sigma Alpha Award)
52. Roundtable Participant– “Comparative Measures of Democracy.” Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2001.
51. Presenter– “The Spaces of Contention: Understanding the Geography of Repression and Dissent” (with David Reilly). Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. August, 2000.
50. Presenter– “First Tango in New York or Rioting Alone? Explaining and Interpreting The Harlem “Riot” of 1935 and the Complexity of Black-Jewish Relations.” (with Mark Lichbach). Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. August, 2000.
49. Presenter– “Blackademia: The Position of African-American’s in Political Science.” Presented at a “Special Session: Racial Diversity in American Academic Organizations” at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. August, 2000.
48. Presenter– “Truths and Consequences: Alternative Histories, the Rashomon Effect, and Political Repression.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. August, 2000.
47. Presenter– “Views to a Kill: Exploring the Implications of Source Selection in the case of Guatemalan State Terror, 1960-1996” (with Patrick Ball). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2000.
46. Presenter– “Contentious Spaces: Repression and Dissent in Detroit, 1968-1974” (with David Reilly). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2000.

45. Presenter– “Understanding Illiberal Democracies, Liberal Autocracies, and Everything in Between: A Cross-National Examination from 1972-1996.” Presented at the World Democratization Conference 2000. Houston, TX – February, 2000.
44. Presenter– “Improving Sankofastic Tendencies: On Researching African-American Social Movements.” Presented at the Stanford Conference on Race. Stanford, CA - November, 1999.
43. Presenter– “Confronting Democratic Perspectives: The Case of State-Dissident Interactions.” Presented at the Souers Conference on Democracy and Tolerance. St. Louis, MO – October, 1999.
42. Presenter– “Sometimes You Just Have to Leave: Threat and Refugee Movements, 1964-1989” (with Will Moore and Steve Poe). Presented at the American Political Science Association. September, 1999.
41. Presenter– “Can Economic Diplomacy Bring Domestic Peace? A Cross-National Investigation on how Trade and Sanctions Influence Human Rights and Democracy” (with Katherine Barbieri and Dan Drezner). Presented at the American Political Science Association. September, 1999.
40. Presenter– “Truths and Consequences: Alternative Histories, the Rashomon Effect, and Social Science Research.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1999.
39. Panel Chair & Discussant– “Power of the Media.” Presented at “Democracy and Democratic Discourse.” Boulder, CO – March, 1999.
38. Panel Chair– “Democratization and Human Rights: Large-Scale Studies.” Presented at the Hinman Symposium on Democratization and Human Rights. Binghamton, NY (Binghamton University) – September, 1998.
37. Discussant– “Democratization and Human Rights: Large-Scale Studies.” Presented at the Hinman Symposium on Democratization and Human Rights. Binghamton, NY (Binghamton University) – September, 1998.
36. Presenter– “Political Repression as a Vocation.” Presented at “Social Movements and Society: Identity, Culture and Institutions - State, Movement Sectors and Cycles of Protest.” Davis, CA. – August, 1998.
35. Roundtable Chair & Participant– “Measuring Contentious Politics: Current Projects, Dilemmas and Solutions.” Presented at the American Political Science Association. September, 1998.
34. Presenter– “What You See Might Be What You Get, But What You Get Ain’t All There Is: Exploring Biases in News Coverage and the Observation of Human Rights Violations” (with Glen Galaich). Presented at the American Political Science Association. September, 1998.
33. Presenter– “Examining Contentious Black-Jewish Relations: A Theoretical Perspective” (with Mark Lichbach). Presented at the American Political Science Association. September, 1998.
32. Presenter– “The Ins and Outs of Contentious Politics: External Linkages as a Causal Determinant of African-American Social Movement Behavior.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1998.
31. Presenter– “Comprehending Ill Communication: An Analysis of Black Panther Party Rhetoric and State Repression from 1969-1973.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1998.
30. Discussant– “Political Repression in International Perspective.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1998.
29. Presenter– “Tsuris in the Soul: Interethnic Conflict and Cooperation of Blacks and Jews in New York.” Presented at the First Nashville Conference on Black-Jewish Relations. Nashville, TN – April, 1998.

28. Panel Chair– “Protest Policing.” Presented at “Unfinished Liberation.” University of Colorado. Boulder, CO – March, 1998.
27. Presenter– “Trade and State Repression: Does the Linkage Instigate or Deflate Coercive Governance.” Presented at the American Political Science Association. September, 1997.
26. Presenter– “Movements, Countermovements and Political Domination.” Presented at Comparative Human Rights and Repression: Theories, Explanatory Variables, and Persisting Paradoxes. Boulder, CO – June, 1997.
25. Panel Chair– “Understanding Domestic Political Processes.” Presented at Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1997.
24. Presenter– “Democratic Transitions and the Evolution of Political Control.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1997.
23. Presenter– “Post-Materialism and the Effect of Oppression.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1997.
22. Presenter– “The Brother Might Be Made of Steel, But He Sure Ain’t Super... Man” Presented at the Popular Culture Association. March, 1997.
21. Presenter– “Globalizing the Struggle: Towards an Understanding of African-American Social Movements and International Linkages.” Presented at the National Conference of Black Political Scientists. March, 1997.
20. Presenter– “Rereading the Voice of the Panther Party: A Content and Rhetorical Analysis of the Black Panther Party Intercommunal Newsletter From 1969-1973.” Presented at “The Black Panther Party Reconsidered.” Georgia State University. Atlanta, GA – October, 1996.
19. Program Committee Chair– “Comparative Politics Section - Transitions to Democracy.” Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1996.
18. Presenter– “Post-Materialism and Race: ‘Its All Good’.” Presented at the American Political Science Association. August, 1996.
17. Panel Chair– “Human Rights and Democratization.” Presented at Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1996.
16. Presenter– “Ballots, Bullets and Democratization: Towards an Understanding of How Elections Effect State Repression.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1996.
15. Roundtable Participant– “Crime in Modern America.” Presented at the Conference on World Affairs. Boulder, CO – May, 1996.
14. Roundtable Participant– “Africa in Perspective.” Presented at the Conference on World Affairs. Boulder, CO – May, 1996.
13. Roundtable Chair– “Confronting the Million Man March.” Presented at the National Conference of Black Political Scientists. March, 1996.
12. Roundtable Participant– “A Rational Choice Explanation for the Million Man March” Presented at National Conference of Black Political Scientists. March, 1996.
11. Presenter– “If We Could Only Democratize...: An Empirical Assessment of the Relationship Between Constitutional Changes, Elections and Political Repression.” Presented at the American Political Science Association. August, 1995.
10. Panel Chair– “Human Rights and Democracy in Comparative Perspective.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1995.
9. Presenter– “Black Stereotypes in Comics: A Content Analysis of African-American Superheroes from 1970-1995.” Presented at the National Popular Culture Association. April, 1995.
8. Panel Chair– “Protest and Revolution.” Presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association. March, 1995.
7. Discussant– “Protest and Revolution.” Presented at the Southwestern Political Science

- Association. March, 1995.
6. Discussant– “Violent and Non-Violent Opposition in Transitional Regimes.” Presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association. March, 1995.
 5. Presenter– “Are Negative Sanctions Habitual or Based on Perceived Effectiveness?: An Empirical Inquiry into State Repression and Regulatory Feedback.” Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1994.
 4. Presenter– “The Civil Rights Movement: Successes, Failures and Future Strategies.” Presented at the University of Houston African-American Studies Program 25th Anniversary Celebration. Houston, TX – November, 1993.
 3. Presenter– “Understanding the Legacy of Malcolm X.” Presented at the National Conference of Black Political Scientists. March, 1993.
 2. Presenter– “Examining Sequential Repressive Interactions: An Inquiry into How Regimes Learn.” Presented at the Association for the Advancement of Policy, Research and Development in the Third World: Towards a New World Order. Orlando, FL. November, 1992.
 1. Presenter– “Persistence in Applied Political Repression: Assessing the Military’s Influence Within the Regulation of Political Systems.” Presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association. March, 1992.

Outreach

Media Coverage of Research (not yet updated):

43. "Survey shows untouchability still rampant in Gujarat" - *IBN Live* (January 29, 2010)
42. "Controversy Details" - Emalayalee, The Official NRK Site (January 29, 2010)
41. "Gujarat discriminates in 99 ways" - *Times of India* (January 28, 2010)
40. "Untouchability still prevalent in rural Gujarat: survey" - *The Hindu* (January 28, 2010)
39. "Understanding Untouchability - Study" - *Atrocity News* (January 28, 2010)
38. "Untouchability is still practised in Swarnim Gujarat" - *Data News & Analysis (DNA)* (January 28, 2010)
37. "Untouchability is still practised in Swarnim Gujarat" - *All India Christian Council* (January 28, 2010)
36. "Untouchability still rife in modern india" - International Dalit Solidarity Network (January 28, 2010)
35. "Untouchability still prevails across Gujarat: study" - *Navhind Times* (January 27, 2010)
34. "New India study finds untouchability pervasive across public and private life" – *Subaltern Expression* (January 27, 2010)
33. "Dalit kids shamed at mid-day meals" - *Times of India* (December 9, 2009)
32. "Vibrant Gujarat? 98% Dalits have to drink tea in separate cups" - *Times of India* (December 8, 2009)
31. "No temple entry for dalits in Gujarat" - *Times of India* (December 7, 2009)
30. “Professors Denounce Torture” 2007–The Diamondback
29. “Torture is Immoral, Illegal and Used by Most Nations” 2007–Ascribe Newswire
28. “Torture Remains Widespread, U.S. Human Rights Commission Told” 2007–AHN
27. “Torture Antidote Against Political Violence Used in 98% of Nations” 2007–The Cheers News

26. "Rwandan Genocide 10th Anniversary: Correcting the Record--University of Maryland Expert" 2004--Ascribe Newswire
25. "Rwanda 1994 killings weren't 'genocide - U.S. study" 2004--Reuters
24. "Rwanda 1994 killings weren't 'genocide': US study" 2004--ABC Online News
23. "Rwanda killings weren't 'genocide'" 2004 - Yahoo News UK
22. "Study: Rwanda killings not a genocide" 2004--The Washington Times
21. "1994 Rwanda Killings 'Not Genocide,' Claims US Study" 2004--East Africa
20. "Rwanda 1994 killings weren't 'genocide' - US study" 2004--Yahoo India News
19. "Study Finds No Genocide" 2004--Calgary Sun
18. "Study: Rwanda killings not a genocide" 2004--United Press International
17. "Rwanda killings weren't 'genocide' - US study" 2004--Gulf-News.com
16. "Rwanda 1994: More Than Genocide" 2004--University of Maryland
15. "Rwanda's Genocide, One Decade Later" 2004--NPR News, The Tavis Smiley Show
14. "Rwandan Genocide" 2004--Kojo Nnamdi Show
13. "Learning the Wrong Lessons About Rwanda" 2004--Livingontheplanet.com
12. "Professor's Rwanda research draws fire" 2004--Diamondback Online, University of Maryland
11. "Revisionism in Rwanda Genocide Story" 2004--AllAfrica.com
10. "Rwandan victims not just Tutsis, study suggests: 'There was much more to the tragedy' than genocide,' says the lead author of the report" 2004--Vancouver Sun
9. "Study questions 'genocide' in Rwanda: Hutus killed by Tutsis may account for half of victims" 2004-- National Post Canada
8. "Could U.N. 'Special Adviser' Prevent Future Genocide?" 2004--Inter Press Service News Agency
7. "From the Front Line" with Rev. Jew Don Boney (KYOK). (Houston) 1994-1995. Topics: Black Activism in the 1990s, Political Prisoners, Propaganda in the Black Community.
6. "One World" with Jaqueline Batiste (KPFT). (Houston) 1995. Topic: The Legacy of Repression from the 1960's to the 1970's.
5. "National Public Radio" (National) 1994. Topic: The Political Significance of the film "Malcolm X."
4. "WABC Radio" (New York) 1994. Topic: Malcolm X and The State of Black America
3. "WMAQ All News 67" (WMAQ). (Chicago) 1994. Topic: The Political Significance of the film "Malcolm X."
2. "WBBM Newsradio 78 (WBBM). (Chicago) 1994. Topic: The Political Significance of the film "Malcolm X."
1. "KNX 1070 Newsradio" (KNX). (Los Angeles) 1994. Topic: The Political Significance of the film "Malcolm X."

Exhibits, Performances, Demonstrations, and Other Creative Activities

Spoken Word Performance: "Black Expressions - Speaks!!!" Cramton Auditorium; Howard University campus. 2006

Artistic Exhibit "Call and Response II." Presented at the Museum of Fine Arts. Houston, TX--1995.

Teaching and Instruction

Courses (Selected Classes Taught Over the Last Ten Years)

Disaggregated, Subnational and Microfoundational Conflict Studies
Death by Government
Ending Political Violence
Saving the World or Wasting Time: Understanding What Works Best to Change the World
States Vs. Challengers
Governments Vs. People
State Violence and Terror
Pop Struggle: Repression and Dissent in Graphic Novels, Film and Music
Comparative Human Rights
Conflict and Violence in the US
Introduction to Comparative Politics
Genocide and Political Violence
Black Power Movements
The Systematic Study of Contentious Politics

Service

Professional

Offices and committee memberships held in professional organizations

President. Human Rights Section - American Political Science Association. 2012-2013.
Member. Committee on Professional Ethics, Rights and Freedoms - American Political Science Association. 2011-2014.
Vice President/President Elect. Human Rights Section - American Political Science Association. 2011-2012.
Section Chair. Human Rights Section - American Political Science Association. 2011.
Member. Task Force on Governance and Democracy Measurement - American Political Science Association. 2010-2011.
Co-conceiver and Member. Task Force on Political Violence - American Political Science Association. 2004-2008.
Chair, Westview Paper Award Committee, Midwest Political Science Association. 2004.
Chair, Professional Development Committee. International Studies Association. 2002-2004
Subcommittee on Mentorship. Executive Council, Midwest Political Science Association. 2002-2003.
Subcommittee on Outreach and External Visibility Committee. Executive Council, American Political Science Association. 2002-2003.
Executive Council. American Political Science Association. 2002-2004.
Executive Council. Midwest Political Science Association. 2002-2004.
Program Committee Chair. Terrorism, Conflict and Human Rights Section (founding year of section). Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2003.
Selection Committee. International Studies Association Workshop Grants Committee. 2001-2002.
Chair. Methodology Section (founding year of section). National Conference of Black

Political Scientists. [Month], 2002.
Co-Editor (with Will Moore). Conflict Processes Newsletter. American Political Science Association. 2001-present.
Member and Chair. Franklin L. Burdette, Pi Sigma Alpha Award Committee. October 15, 2000 – September 1, 2001.
Program Committee Chair. Political Culture Section. (with Darren Davis) Midwest Political Science Association. April, 2000.
Program Committee Chair. Conflict Processes Section. (with Katherine Barbieri) American Political Science Association. September, 1999.
Program Committee Chair. International Relations Section. Midwest Political Science Association. April, 1998.
Executive Council Member. Conflict Processes Section. American Political Science Association, 1997-2000.

Reviewing Activities

Selection Committee. John D. & Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation – Global Security and Sustainability. Fall 2001.
National Science Foundation: International Programs, Law and Society, Political Science, Sociology. 1998-2006

Other non-University Committees, Commissions, Panels, etc.

Consultant. Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights. 2003-Present.
Consultant. Human Rights Watch. Washington, D.C. Office. August, 2002.

International Activities Not Listed Above

Consultant. Navsarjan Trust – Ahmedabad, India. Research design, data collection and analysis to assess variation in untouchability. 2004-Present.
Consultant and Expert Witness: For Prosecution [2003-4] and Defense [2004-5] International Criminal Tribunal of Rwanda, Arusha, Tanzania.

Departmental

Member, World Politics Search Committee – University of Michigan. Fall 2013-2014.
Member, World Politics Search Committee – University of Michigan. Fall 2012-2013.
Chair, Research Committee, Kroc Institute – University of Notre Dame. Fall 2010 – Fall 2011.
Member, Committee on Appointments and Positions, Political Science – University of Notre Dame. Fall, 2010 – Spring, 2011.
Member, American Politics Search Committee, Department of Government and Politics – University of Maryland. Fall, 2002.
Member, Executive Committee, Department of Government and Politics – University of Maryland. Spring, 2001- Spring 2003.
Member, Awards Committee, Department of Government and Politics – University of Maryland. Fall, 2000.
Member, American Politics Search Committee, Department of Government and Politics – University of Maryland. Fall, 2000.
Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, Department of Government and Politics – University of Maryland, 2000-2002.

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