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EDUCATION (THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS)

2019 Doctor of Philosophy, Political Science

Major Fields: American Politics: Judicial Politics & Political Behavior

Dissertation: “Media Coverage of LGBTQ Issues: Legal, Religious, and Political Framing”

2013 Master of Arts, Political Science

2007 Bachelor of Arts, Political Science with Pre-Law Concentration

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Pres.- Professor of Practice in American Politics
-2020 Tulane University

2020- Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science
-2018 Tulane University

2018- Adjunct Professor of Political Science
-2015 Tulane University

2018- Graduate Teaching Fellow [Solo-Instructor] of Political Science
-2013 University of New Orleans

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

2019 *LGBT Americans in the U.S. Political System*, Edited by Jason Pierceson

Chapter on Lawrence vs. Texas (2003)

Chapter on Hurley vs. Irish-American G.L.B. Group of Boston (1995)

Chapter on Boy Scouts of America vs. Dale (2000)

Chapter on Doe vs. Regional School District #26 (2014)

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

- 2024 Finalist, Weiss Medal for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching. Spring 2024. Campus-Wide. Student-Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2023 Finalist, Weiss Medal for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching. Spring 2023. Campus-Wide. Student-Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2022 Winner, Duren Professor Fellowship Program Award for Innovation and Excellence in Teaching. Campus-Wide. Administratively Selected.
- 2022 Winner, Tulane School of Liberal Arts' April Brayfield Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award. Student Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2022 Winner, Tulane NTC Honor Board Faculty Member Panelist of the Year. Campus-Wide. Administratively Selected.
- 2021 Winner, Tulane Mortar Board Society Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, AY 2020-21. Campus-Wide. Student Nominated. Student Selected.
- 2020 Winner, National Phi Alpha Delta Pre-Law Fraternity, National Faculty Advisor Award for Biggest Growing Chapter (#1 in the United States)
- 2019 Finalist, Weiss Medal for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching. Spring 2019. Campus-Wide. Student-Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2019 Winner, Tulane "Excellent Faculty-Student Mentor" Award, AY 2018-2019. Campus-Wide. Student Nominated. Student Selected.
- 2018 Finalist, Weiss Medal for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching. Spring 2018. Campus-Wide. Student Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2018 Winner, UNO Meritorious Service Award for [Pre-Law] Advising (AY 2017-18), Campus-Wide. Student Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2018 Finalist [Placed 3rd] for UNO Student-Advocate Award for Excellence in Teaching (AY 2017-18). Student Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2017 Finalist [Placed 2nd] for UNO Meritorious Service Award for Advising (AY 2016-17). Student Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2017 Finalist [Placed 5th] for UNO Student-Advocate Award for Excellence in Teaching (AY 2016-17). Student Nominated. Administratively Selected.
- 2015 Winner, UNO Political Science Graduate Student of the Year (AY 2014-15). Program-Wide. Faculty-Selected.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

POLS 2010: Scope & Methods of Political Science Research (9 Semesters)

Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 22, Spring 2024

POLA 2100: American Government (18 Semesters)

Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2016, Spring 2018, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Summer 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Fall 2024, Spring 2025

POLA 3000: Intro. to Courts & Law (NTC Pre-College Summer Program)

Summer 2019

POLA 3010: LGBTQ Politics (11 Semesters, 2 as Duren Fellow)

Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2019, Spring 2022, Fall 2022 (Duren), Spring 2023 (Duren), Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Fall 2024

POLA 3010: Criminal Justice in America (5 Semesters)

Spring 2016, Summer 2016, Spring 2017, Summer 2017, Spring 2018

POLA 3010: Crime, Policing, & Criminal Courts (5 Semesters)

Summer 2019, Fall 2019, Summer 2020, Summer 2022, Spring 2025

POLA 3240: Public Policy (2 Semesters)

Summer 2024, Summer 2025

POLA 3270: Courts & Politics (13 Semesters)

Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Summer 2018, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022, Fall 2023, Fall 2024

POLA 3300: Race & American Politics (1 Semester)

Fall 2021

TEACHING EXPERIENCE, CONTINUED

POLA 4260: Race, Gender, and Sexuality in the Law (6 Semesters)

Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Spring 2023,
Spring 2025

POLA 4270: Constitutional Law (2 Semesters)

Spring 2016, Spring 2017

POLI 6999: Political Science Capstone Course [Courts Week] (3 Semesters)

Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017

SERVICE TO STUDENTS

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Work via Tulane-NTC Honors Program

Directing	Emily Gould (2023 - 2024) Topics: Courts, Juvenile & Young Adult (18-25yo) Crime
Directing	Natalie Rudman (2022 - 2023) Topics: Juvenile Justice, Prison or Execution for Juveniles
Directing	Benton Meldrum (2020 - 2021) Topics: Medicare, Medicaid, LGBTQ Healthcare
Directing	Miranda Sinsheimer (2020 - 2021) Topics: Homelessness, Housing Policy in California
Second Reader	Michael Chen (2020 - 2021) Topics: Public Opinion, Immigration
Third Reader	Erica Gan (2022 - 2023) Topic: Heterosexuality & Queer Themes in Film
Third Reader	Jack Rieger (2022 - 2023) Topic: Climate Change & Global Conflict
Third Reader	Jered Davidson (2020 - 2021) Topic: U.S. & Native/Tribal Relations, Law, Healthcare
Indep. Study	Molly Thornton (2024) Topic: Drug Legalization in the United States

SERVICE TO STUDENTS, CONTINUED

- Pres.- **Tailored Pre-Law Advising for Political Science Majors & Minors**
-2015
- 2-Hour Talk “The Path to Law School” Annually 2015-2022
 - 1-on-1 LSAT Preparation & Advice on Student Undergraduate Calendar
 - 1-on-1 Outgoing Application Reviews
 - 1-on-1 Critiques of Resumes, Personal Essays, Diversity Statements, et al.
 - 1-on-1 Review of Merit-Based & Need-Based Aid Application Documents
 - 1-on-1 Post-Acceptance School Selection and Career Trajectory Advising
 - 305 Formal Letters of Recommendation Written 2015 - 2024
- Pres.- **Faculty Advisor for *Phi Alpha Delta* Pre-Law Fraternity**
-2020
- Special Events (Faculty Panels, Professional Networking & Development, Community Service, & Alumni Events) (x 21 Since 2015)
 - Supervising Student-Executive Board, Congress, and Member Events
 - Approval of Budgets, Events, and Rules Compliance During COVID
 - Winner, Award in 2020 for #1 Student Recruiting from the National Office
- Pres.- **Faculty Advisor for the Tulane Mock Trial Club**
-2020
- Supervising Student-Executive Board, Practices, & Member Events
 - Approval of Budgets and Rules Compliance During COVID
 - Advising members on case-trial presentation tactics and techniques.
 - Booking/Coordinating travel, lodging, and competition logistics.
 - Budget and Fundraising via Tulane Lavin-Bernick Center’s RSO Office.
 - Oversaw Creation of Second Club Team, AY 2021 - 2022
 - Oversaw First National Championship Appearance, AY 2023 - 2024
- Pres.- **Faculty Advisor for the Tulane Pi Sigma Alpha Poli. Sci. Honor Society**
-2021
- Supervising Student-Executive Board & Initiation Event
 - Collecting GPA Reports, Invitation & Registration of New Members
 - Stocking and Distributing Graduation Regalia
- 2023- **Newcomb Tulane College Tenenbaum Program**
2022
- Ind. Study Topic: Higher Education and Tulane Student Org. Policy
Compliance with American with Disabilities Act (Olivia Fish [2022-2023])
- 2018- **Pre-Law Advisor for Undergraduates at the University of New Orleans**
-2015
- Located in the Department of Political Science
- This role included all duties listed above in Pre-Law Advising at Tulane.
 - Winner, Campus-Wide Student-Nominated Award for Meritorious Service (a.k.a. “Campus Advisor of the Year” Award) for AY 2017-18.

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL, & DEPARTMENT

- Pres.-
-2024 **Newcomb Tulane College, Office of the Assoc. Dean of Curriculum & Policy, Committee on the Core Curriculum**
- Pres.-
-2024 **Newcomb Tulane College, Office of Academic Integrity Committee on Academic Integrity Appeals and the Honor Board**
- Review of Appeals of the NTC Honor Board
 - Review of Honor Code; discussions with Faculty and Administrators about evolution and reform of the Honor Code and processes.
- Pres.-
-2023 **Tulane Univ. Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs Civic Engagement Coalition & Task Force**
- Coordination of Annual Civic & Political Career Week
 - Civic & Political-Themed Panel Events (x 7)
- Pres.-
-2023 **Tulane Univ. Faculty Senate, SLA Senator Tulane Univ. Faculty Senate, Senator-at-Large**
- Committee on Student Affairs
 - LGBTQ Research & Teaching Faculty Cohort
- Pres.-
-2023 **Tulane Univ. School of Liberal Arts, Department of Political Science**
- Committee on Undergraduate Studies (2022-Pres.)
 - Search Committee for Professor of Practice in American Politics (2023-24)
- Pres.-
-2021 **Newcomb Tulane College, Office of Academic Integrity Faculty Member of the Honor Board**
- Winner, Honor Board Faculty Member of the Year Award for AY 2021-22
 - Academic Misconduct Hearings (x 23)
- 2023-
-2022 **Newcomb Tulane College, Office of Academic Programs**
- NTC Academic Enrichment Grant Committee (via Duren Professorship)
 - Dispersed ~\$100,000 to Students & Campus Organizations
- 2023-
-2020 **Tulane Univ. Office of First-Year Experience First Year Faculty Fellow Representing School of Liberal Arts & Dept. of Political Science**
- CAST Events (x 9)
 - Destination Tulane Events (x 6)
 - Honors Weekend Events (x 6)
 - Teaching Demos for Prospective & Admitted Students (x 3)
 - 1-on-1 Meetings with High Achieving High School Students (x 9)
 - 4.0 Dinner for High-Achieving Freshman (x 4)

SPECIAL GUEST LECTURES & CO-TEACHING

- 2023 NTC Summer Book Discussion Leader ("On Earth We're Briefly Beautiful")
- 2023 "LGBTQ Politics & Rights Abroad" in POLI 2500, Spring 2023
- 2022 NTC Summer Book Discussion Leader ("Parable of the Sower")
- 2021 NTC Summer Book Discussion Leader ("Transcendent Kingdom")
- 2021 "Modern & Meaningful Political Activism" in TIDE 1145, Fall 2021
- 2019 Warrants & Amendment IV in American Courts in POLA 4270, Spring 2019
- 2019 "LGBT Organizations as Community Partners" in SOWK 3000, Fall 2019
- 2019 "Aviation Weather in Climate Change" in POLA 4010, Spring 2019

CONFERENCES & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2025 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2024-25. January 2025.
- 2024 Equitable Faculty Search Training Workshop. SLA. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2023-24. January 2024.
- 2023 Equitable Faculty Search Training Workshop. SLA. Fall 2023.
- 2023 APSA's Teaching and Learning Conference. Baltimore, MD. Spring 2023.
- 2023 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2022-23. January 2023.
- 2022 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2021-22. January 2022.
- 2021 APSA's Teaching and Learning Conference. Albuquerque, NM. Spring 2021.
- 2021 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2021-22. December 2021.
- 2021 The Online Learning Consortium Annual Conference on Online Teaching and Learning. Summer 2021.

CONFERENCES & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, CONTINUED

- 2021 Anti-Racism in the Classroom: Equity, Diversity, Inclusion Teach-In. Tulane University. Spring 2021.
- 2021 The Online Learning Consortium Innovate Conference. Spring 2021.
- 2020 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2020-21. Winter 2020.
- 2020 NTC Honor Board Faculty Training. Fall 2020.
- 2020 Tulane Registered Student Organization Faculty Advisor Training. Fall 2020.
- 2020 The Online Learning Consortium Annual Conference on Online Teaching and Learning. Summer 2020.
- 2020 CELT Online Teaching and Learning Course. Summer 2020.
- 2020 APSA's Teaching and Learning Conference. Albuquerque, New Mexico. Spring 2020.
- 2019 Undergraduate Student Advisors Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. Fall 2019.
- 2018 "Word Cloud Visualization of U.S. Supreme Court Decisions 1946-2016". @ Southern Political Science Association Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- 2018 Sparking Success: A Faculty Development Conference. Tulane University, New Orleans, LA. AY 2018-19. Winter 2018.
- 2018 Summer Program: Introduction to R
Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research ("ICPSR")
@ University of Houston's Hobby School of Public Affairs
Tuition Funded by Scholarship from ICPSR via The Hobby School
- 2016 Nolan, Scott N. "Institutions, Politicians, Parties, and Political Information in Media Coverage of LGBT Issues". @ Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago.
- 2016 Nolan, Scott N. "Religious and Moral Language in Media Coverage of LGBT Issues". @ Southwestern Political Science Association Conference, Las Vegas.
- 2015 Nolan, Scott N. "Judicial and Legal Information in Media Coverage of LGBT Issues". @ Western Political Science Association Conference, Las Vegas.

- 2015 Nolan, Scott N. “The Mainstream Media’s Obsession with Same-Sex Marriage”. @ Southern Political Science Association Conference, New Orleans.
- 2014 Nolan, Scott N. “Quantifying LGBT Issues in News Coverage”. @ Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago.

CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT, PANELS, INTERVIEWS, & SPECIAL EVENTS

- 2025 Invited Talk: “Sex Week at Tulane. Professor Nolan on LGBTQ Laws, Project 2025, & Second Trump Administration”. Spring 2025.
- 2025 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Paying for Law School”. Spring 2025.
- 2025 Invited Event: 4.0 Freshman Dinner with the Office of First-Year Experience
- 2025 Invited Panelist: Sexual Violence Prevention Hotline. Panel on Social-Sexual Culture at Tulane. Speaking on LGBTQ violence and criminal justice issues. Spring 2025.
- 2024 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “What the next Trump Presidency means for Louisiana”. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “State House minority leader joins college democrats to discuss Project 2025”. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “New Louisiana law creates barriers for new voters”. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Interview: SLA Magazine for Tulane University Mock Trial Club Performance and Awards in 2023 and 2024 competitions seasons. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Talk: “We Are Everywhere! LGBTQ People in Ancient History and Civilizations”. LGBTQ Unity (OGSD Group). Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Event: “Tulane-Celebrity Guest Judge” for the Greek Groove 2024 Closing Night Dance-Off Contest, with 3 others. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Panelist: Ballot Battle! The 2024 Election. Hosted by the Tulane Student Journal of Economics, Policy, and Politics. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Panelist: Project 2025! What Does It Mean For You? Panelist With Louisiana State Legislature House Minority Leader Rep. Matthew Willard (D). Hosted by the Tulane College Democrats. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Fall 2024.

CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT, PANELS, INTERVIEWS, & SPECIAL EVENTS, CONT.

- 2024 School of Liberal Arts “Open House” Showcase Tabling. Fall 2024.
- 2024 Invited Event: Graduation Marshall of Student Procession at Unified Commencement & SLA Graduation. May 2024.
- 2024 Event Coordinator for Civic Connections: Career Prep and Networking Event Presented by the Civic Engagement Coalition & Tulane Alumni Relations
Invited Panelist: Night One on Jump Starting Your Career [Pre-Law Info]
- 2024 Invited Event: 4.0 Freshman Dinner with the Office of First-Year Experience
- 2024 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2024.
- 2023 Invited Event: “Tulane-Celebrity Guest Judge” for the Greek Groove 2023 Closing Night Dance-Off Contest, with 3 others. Fall 2023.
- 2023 School of Liberal Arts “Open House” Showcase Tabling. Fall 2023.
- 2023 Faculty Guest of Dan Jacobs and Tulane Football Team at their annual recruitment brunch with highly sought players and their families. Fall 2023.
- 2023 Invited Event: Graduation Marshall of Student Procession at Unified Commencement & SLA Graduation. May 2023.
- 2023 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “Louisiana Advances Transgender Healthcare Ban for Minors”. Spring 2023.
- 2023 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “After Mayor Recall Fails, City Looks Forward”. Spring 2023.
- 2023 Invited Panelist on First Amendment Law with Tulane Law Prof. Amy Gadja. Hosted by the Tulane Civic Engagement Coalition. Spring 2023.
- 2023 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2023.
- 2022 Invited Event: AKPsi’s “Politics, Law, & Your Career with Professor Nolan”. Fall 2022.
- 2022 Invited Event: AKPsi Panel on “Business & Law-Related Careers”, with 2 other panelists. Fall 2022.
- 2022 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “More Homophobic Profanity Reports Alarm Campus Groups”. Fall 2022.

CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT, PANELS, INTERVIEWS, & SPECIAL EVENTS, CONT.

- 2022 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “Political Science Professors Analyze Midterms”. Fall 2022.
- 2022 Invited Special Event: Faculty Guest of Dan Jacobs and Tulane Football Team at their annual recruitment brunch with highly sought players and their families. Fall 2022.
- 2022 Invited Moderator of Civic Engagement Panel with State Rep. Richard Nelson and Times-Picayune Editor Stephanie Grace. Hosted by the Tulane Civic Engagement Coalition. Fall 2022.
- 2022 Invited Event: “Tulane-Celebrity Guest Judge” for the Greek Groove 2022 Closing Night Dance-Off Contest, with 2 others. Fall 2022.
- 2022 School of Liberal Arts “Open House” Showcase Tabling. Fall 2022.
- 2022 Invited Event: Graduation Marshall of Student Procession at Unified Commencement & SLA Graduation. May 2022.
- 2022 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2022.
- 2021 Invited Event: “Tulane-Celebrity Guest Judge” for the Greek Groove 2021 Closing Night Dance-Off Contest, with 2 others. Fall 2021.
- 2021 Invited Event: Faculty Judge for 2021 Homecoming Court Nominees, with 2 others. Fall 2021.
- 2021 Invited Event: “Are You Smarter Than A Tulane Professor?” [Game Show] (Charity Event for Children’s Hospital; Represented College of Liberal Arts) Hosted by the Tulane University Mortar Board Honors Society. Spring 2021.
- 2021 Invited Panelist: Pre-Law Panel for First-Year Students. Tulane/NTC Office of First Year Experience. April 2021.
- 2021 Invited Talk: “Medical Malpractice Litigation in Louisiana Courts”. Hosted by Phi Alpha Delta. Spring 2021.
- 2021 Invited Talk: “Biden’s First 100 Days”. Hosted by Tulane College Democrats. Spring 2021.
- 2021 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2021.
- 2020 Invited Panelist: SLA Dean’s Panel: “Election 2020: Experts Bring Context to Historic Election” Hosted by School of Liberal Arts. Fall 2020.

CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT, PANELS, INTERVIEWS, & SPECIAL EVENTS, CONT.

- 2020 Invited Panelist: “A Time for Dialogue” A special event about Black Lives Matter, Policing Reform, White Allyship, Anti-Racism Initiatives, Civic Engagement. Hosted by Biden for America. Summer 2020.
- 2020 Invited Panelist: Democratic Debate Watch Event, with 1 other. Hosted by The Tulane Hillel and Tulane College Democrats. Spring 2020.
- 2020 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2020.
- 2019 Invited Talk: “Civil Rights and the Upcoming 2020 Election” at the Louisiana Model U.N. Conference. Hosted by Tulane Model UN. Fall 2019.
- 2019 Invited Talk: “LGBTQ Cases at the U.S. Supreme Court” Hosted by Tulane *Phi Alpha Delta* Pre-Law Society. Fall 2019.
- 2019 Invited Event: “Mondays at Greenbaum with Professor Scott Nolan” Hosted by Prof. Lisa Molix and Tulane Housing & Residence Life. Fall 2019.
- 2019 Invited Panelist: “How Political Science Students Approach Law School” @ Tulane’s First Campus-Wide Student Advisor’s Conference. Fall 2019.
- 2019 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “Professor Profile: Scott Nolan’s courses offer intersection of courts, law, and sexuality”. Spring 2019.
- 2019 Invited Interview: Tulane Hullabaloo Article: “College Admissions Scandal Must Focus On Those Impacted Most”. Spring 2019.
- 2019 Invited Retreat: Annual Posse+ Weekend for Tulane Posse Scholars. Theme: State of Our Union. Orange Beach, AL. March 15-17, 2019.
- 2019 Invited Event: “Getting To Know UNO” with Prof. Chervenak @ UNO. Special Event for Applicants, H.S. Students, and Parents. Spring 2019.
- 2019 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2019.
- 2018 Invited Talk: “Judicial Implications of the 2018 Midterm Election” Hosted by Tulane College Democrats. Fall 2018.
- 2018 Organized Panel: “Kavanaugh and the U.S. Supreme Court” with 3 Others @ Tulane Lavin-Bernick Center. Fall 2018.
- 2018 Invited Interview: “Same-Sex Marriage in the United States” @ East St. John High School; A.P. U.S. Gov. & Politics Class. Spring 2018.

CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT, PANELS, INTERVIEWS, & SPECIAL EVENTS, CONT.

- 2018 Invited Retreat: Annual Posse+ Weekend for Tulane Posse Scholars. Theme: Hope, Hate, and Race. Orange Beach, A. March 2-4, 2018.
- 2018 Invited Event: “Are You Smarter Than A Tulane Professor?” [Game Show] (Charity Event for Children’s Hospital; Represented College of Liberal Arts) Hosted by the Tulane University Mortar Board Honors Society. Spring 2018.
- 2018 Invited Event: “Getting To Know UNO” with Prof. Chervenak @ UNO. Special Event for Applicants, H.S. Students, and Parents. Spring 2018.
- 2018 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2018.
- 2017 Invited Retreat: Annual Posse+ Weekend for Tulane Posse Scholars @ Orange Beach, AL (March 3-5, 2017) [Theme: “Us v. Them”]
- 2017 Invited Event: “Are You Smarter Than A Tulane Professor?” [Game Show] (Charity Event for Children’s Hospital; Represented College of Liberal Arts) Hosted by the Tulane University Mortar Board Honors Society. Spring 2017.
- 2017 Invited Panelist: “Alumni in Higher Education” with 3 Others @ Hahnville High School’s Career Week 2017. Spring 2017.
- 2017 Invited Interview: “Minority Rights in President Trump’s America” @ East St. John High School; A.P. U.S. Gov. & Politics Project. Spring 2017.
- 2017 Invited Talk: “Collison Course! Queer Politics and the Trump Presidency” Hosted by UNO-UNITY (LGBTQ) Student Group. Spring 2017.
- 2017 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2017.
- 2016 Invited Panelist: “Trump Won! Now What?” with 7 Others @ Tulane Lavin-Bernick Center. Fall 2016.
- 2016 Invited Event: “Debate, Discussion, & Dessert Series: Prof. Scott N. Nolan” @ Tulane Lavin-Bernick Center. Fall 2016.
- 2016 Invited Panelist: “Careers in Law and Academia” with 2 Others Hosted by Tulane’s *Phi Alpha Delta* Pre-Law Society. Spring 2016.
- 2016 Special Pre-Law Advising Event: “Getting into Law School”. Spring 2016.
- 2015 Invited Talk: “Turning Your Tulane Degree into a Career in the Legal Field” Hosted by Tulane’s *Phi Alpha Delta* Pre-Law Society. Fall 2015.

MONEY FOR TEACHING, RESEARCH, & TRAVEL

- Pres.- **\$3,250.** Tulane Undergraduate Activities Funding for Classroom Enhancement.
-2016 Money used for panel events, documentary screenings, guest speakers, city field trips, tours, food, and beverages. (\$250 x 11 Courses)
- Pres.- **\$3,450.** Misc. Grants and Awards for Conference-Related Travel: ASPA,
-2016 APSA-TLC, SPSA, MPSA, and SWPSA. Amounts varied.
- 2022 **\$5,000.** Tulane Duren Professor Fellowship Program and Award for Innovation and Excellence in Teaching.
- 2022 **\$1,000.** Tulane Professor of Practice Professional Development Fund Award for the APSA Teaching & Learning Conference 2022 in Baltimore, MD.
- 2022 **\$2,000.** Tulane School of Liberal Arts' Tenenbaum Program Mentor Stipend
- 2022 **\$2,500.** Tulane School of Liberal Arts' April Brayfield Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award
- 2021 **\$15,000.** Stipend-honorarium for producing an all-online version of POLS 2010 for Tulane's Office of Strategic Initiatives & Institutional Effectiveness
- 2020 **\$2,150.** Tulane Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) Award for Faculty-Mentored Undergraduate Research for Summer 2020.
- 2019 **\$500.** Tulane Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) Funding for Classroom Improvement / Enhancement
- 2018 **\$500.** Tulane Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) Funding for Classroom Improvement / Enhancement
- 2019 **\$1,000.** Tulane Center for Public Service (CPS) Award for Community-Engaged Research. Money used for RA.
- 2018 **\$500.** Tulane Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) Funding for Classroom Improvement / Enhancement
- 2018 **\$3,000.** Tulane Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) Award for Faculty-Mentored Undergraduate Research. AY 2018-2019.
- 2017 **\$500.** Tulane Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) Funding for Classroom Improvement / Enhancement
- 2016- **\$3,000.** University of New Orleans Graduate Student Grant for Conference-
-2014 Related Travel.

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE – SCIENTIFIC

2020- **New Orleans International Airport**
-2002 **Aviation Meteorologist / Weather Observation**

- Federal Contractor for the U.S. National Weather Service and the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration for weather observation for commercial and private aviation, and climatological data collection.
- **Government Credential:** The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's National Weather Service Certification in Weather Observation (2001, 2011, 2021)
- **Government Credential:** Federal [Secret] Security Clearance (2001-Pres.)
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PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE – LEGAL

2015- **The Sakla Law Firm, A.P.L.C.**
-2010 **Full-Time Complex State & Federal Healthcare Litigation**

- Trial and Appellate Practice in Louisiana and Texas
- Legal Fields: Medical Malpractice; Healthcare Law; Medical Products Liability; Medical Professional Licensing and Insurance Issues; Immigration; Qui Tam Actions arising under the U.S. False Claims Act; Zoning; Landlord-Tenant Issues

2009- **Adelson, Loria, & Weisman, P.C., & Trinchard & Trinchard, LLC**
-2008 **Full-Time Real Estate Paralegal**

- Legal Fields: Residential and Corporate Real Estate Transactions; Closing, Buying, Selling, Foreclosures, Landlord-Tenant Issues; Construction Contracts & Litigation

2008 **Trombly Business Law, P.C.**
Full-Time Corporate & Business Transaction Paralegal

- Legal Fields: Corporate Formation and Transactions; SEC Filings; Taxation; Corporate Governance; Corporate Mergers, Dissolutions, & Acquisitions

2005- **Law Office of Cameron Gamble, A.P.L.C.**
-2001 **Full-Time Law Clerk, then Legal Secretary, then Litigation Paralegal**

- Jury Trial and Appellate Practice
- Legal Fields: Tortious and Personal Injury; Family Law (Divorce, Alimony, Child Custody and Adoption); City Zoning Disputes & Historic Preservation; Wills, Trusts, Estates and Successions

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE – ACADEMIC

- Pres.- **Grader-Reader for The College Board’s A.P. Exam**
-2016 U.S. Government & Politics Section (9 Days Every June)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2024 Tulane Workers United (Union for NTT Faculty)
2021 NCFDD (National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity)
2019 GLSEN (Gay, Lesbian, and Straight Educators Network)
2018 AAUP (American Association of University Professors)
2010 APSA (American Political Science Association)
2010 SPSA (Southern Political Science Association)

REFERENCES / FORMER CHAIRS

- Pres.- **Chair, Professor Martin Dimitrov**
-2023 Tulane University, Dept. of Political Science
mdimitro@tulane.edu
- 2023- **Chair, Professor Nancy Maveety**
-2017 Tulane University, Dept. of Political Science
nance@tulane.edu
- 2018- **Chair, Professor Christine Day**
-2015 University of New Orleans, Dept. of Political Science
clday@uno.edu