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## EDUCATION

**HARVARD UNIVERSITY,** Cambridge, Mass.
A.M. in Government, 1999; Ph.D. in Government, 2003. Focus field: American politics.
Dissertation: *Disarmed: The Real American Gun Control Paradox*
Winner, American Political Science Association's Harold D. Lasswell Award, best dissertation in public policy, 2003; published by Princeton U. Press, 2006/2009
Committee: Robert D. Putnam (chair), Theda Skocpol, Mark H. Moore, Philip J. Cook

**DUKE UNIVERSITY,** Durham, N.C.
Master of Public Policy, with faculty award for overall excellence, 1996
Master's Thesis: *"We All Have to Come Together": Moms' Role in Disarming Kids in the Nation's Capital*. Chair: Philip J. Cook

**HARVARD COLLEGE,** Cambridge, Mass.
Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude* in History and Literature, 1987
Certificate in Latin American Studies
Honors Thesis: *Coverage of Human Rights Abuses in the Buenos Aires Daily Press During Argentina's 'Dirty War,' 1976-1979: A Rule of Silence and Its Exception*

## FACULTY POSITIONS

**Sanford School of Public Policy, Duke University**, 2005-present
**Susan B. King Distinguished Professor of Public Policy; Professor of Political Science**
Founder & Director, Duke in DC
Director, Duke Center for the Study of Philanthropy and Voluntarism
Bass Society of Fellows
Duke Affiliations: Center for Strategic Philanthropy and Civil Society, Hart Leadership Program, Duke Center for Firearms Law
*Prior Positions: Professor, 2022-2024; Kevin D. Gorter Professor 2019-2022; Kevin D. Gorter Associate Professor 2017-2019; Associate Professor 2012-2017; Assistant Professor, 2005-12; Faculty Supervisor, DukeEngage DC, 2010-2013; Coordinator, Research Methods Training, Service Opportunities in Leadership, 2008-2012*

**Georgetown University**, 2003-2005
*Faculty Advisory Committee, Center for Democracy and the Third Sector, 2004-2005*
*Visiting Assistant Professor 2003-05; Adjunct Lecturer/Professor, 2002-03*

# PUBLICATIONS

## ***Books***

Kristin A. Goss. 2020 (1st ed. 2012). *The Paradox of Gender Equality: How American Women's Groups Gained and Lost Their Public Voice*. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press. Named one of the best political science books of 2013 by the Huffington Post.

Philip J. Cook and Kristin A. Goss. 2020 (1st ed. 2014). *The Gun Debate: What Everyone Needs to Know*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Jennifer D. Carlson, Kristin A. Goss, and Harel Shapira, eds. 2018. *Gun Studies: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Politics, Policy, and Practice.* New York: Routledge.

Kristin A. Goss. 2006. *Disarmed: The Missing Movement for Gun Control in America*. Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press. Paperback edition, 2009. Cited authority in Justice John Paul Stevens, dissenting, *McDonald v. City of Chicago*, Sup. Ct. (2010).

## ***Scholarly Articles & Chapters***

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Kristin A. Goss and Matthew Lacombe. 2020. "Do Courts Change Politics? *Heller* and the Limits of Policy Feedback Effects." *Emory Law Journal* 69(5), 881-918.

Kristin A. Goss, Carolyn Barnes, and Deondra Rose. 2019. "Bringing Organizations Back In: Multi-Level Feedback Effects on Individual Civic Inclusion." *Policy Studies Journal* 47(2), 451-470.

Kristin A. Goss. 2018. "Whatever Happened to the 'Missing Movement'? Gun Control Politics Over Two Decades of Change." In Jennifer Carlson, Kristin A. Goss, and Harel Shapira, eds., *Gun Studies: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Politics, Policy, and Practice*, 136-150 (Ch. 7). New York: Routledge.

Jennifer Carlson, Kristin A. Goss, and Harel Shapira. 2018. "New Approaches to Research on Guns." In Jennifer Carlson, Kristin A. Goss, and Harel Shapira, eds., *Gun Studies: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Politics, Policy, and Practice*, 1-8 (Introduction). New York: Routledge.

Jeffrey M. Berry and Kristin A. Goss. 2018. "Donors for Democracy? Philanthropy and the Challenges of Pluralism in the 21st Century." *Interest Groups & Advocacy* 7(3), 233-257.

Kristin A. Goss and Jeffrey M. Berry. 2018. "Foundations as Interest Groups." *Interest Groups & Advocacy* 7(3), 201-205. Symposium co-editor.

Kristin A. Goss. 2018. "U.S. Women's Groups in National Policy Debates, 1880-2000." In Lee Ann Banaszak and Holly McCammon, eds., *100 Years of the Nineteenth Amendment: An Appraisal of Women's Political Activism*, 198-226 (Ch. 9). New York: Oxford University Press.

Kathryn Webb Farley, Kristin A. Goss, and Steven Rathgeb Smith. 2017. "Advancing Philanthropic Scholarship: The Implications of Transformation. *PS: Political Science & Politics* 51 (1), 39-42.

M. Siegel, Z. Xuan, C.S. Ross, S. Galea, B. Kalesan, E. Fleegler, and K.A. Goss. 2017. "Easiness of Legal Access to Concealed Firearm Permits and Homicide Rates in the United States." *American Journal of Public Health* 107 (12), 1923-1929. **Cited by Breyer, J., dissenting,* New York State Rifle & Pistol Assn., Inc., v. Bruen *(US Supreme Court, 2022)*.

V. Smith, M. Siegel, Z. Xuan, C. Ross, S. Galea, B. Kalesan, E. Fleegler, K. Goss. 2017. "Broadening the Perspective on Gun Violence: An Examination of the Firearms Industry, 1990-2014." *American Journal of Preventive Medicine* 53 (5), 584-591.

M. Siegel, M.A. Pahn, Z. Xuan, C.S. Ross, S. Galea, B. Kalesan, E. Fleegler, K.A. Goss. 2017. "Firearm-Related Laws in All 50 States, 1991-2016." *American Journal of Public Health* 107 (7), 1122-1129.

C. Díez, R.P. Kurland, E.F. Rothman, M. Bair-Merritt, E. Fleegler, Z. Xuan, S. Galea, C.S. Ross, B. Kalesan, K.A. Goss, and M. Siegel. 2017. "State Intimate Partner Violence-Related Firearm Laws and Intimate Partner Homicide Rates in the United States, 1991-2015." *Annals of Internal Medicine* 167 (8), 536-543.

Kristin A. Goss. 2017. "The Socialization of Conflict and Its Limits: Gender and Gun Politics in America." *Social Science Quarterly* 98 (2), 455-470.

Jennifer D. Carlson and Kristin A. Goss. 2017. "Gendering the Second Amendment." *Law and Contemporary Problems* 80 (2), 103-128.

Kristin A. Goss. 2017. "The Swells Between the 'Waves': American Women's Activism, 1920-1965." In Holly McCammon et al., eds., *The Oxford Handbook of U.S. Women's Social Movement Activism*, 51-70 (Ch. 2). New York: Oxford University Press.

Kristin A. Goss. 2016. "Policy Plutocrats: How America's Wealthy Influence Governance." *PS: Political Science & Politics* 49 (3), 442-448. * Symposium Editor.

Kristin A. Goss. 2015. "Defying the Odds on Gun Regulation: The Passage of Bipartisan Mental Health Laws Across the States." *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry* 85 (3), 203-210.

Kristin A. Goss. 2014. "Introduction: Does the United States Still Need a Women's Movement?" *Politics & Gender* 10 (2), 265-301.

Kristin A. Goss. 2014. "Gender Identity and the Shifting Basis of U.S. Women's Groups' Advocacy, 1920-2000." In Robert Pekkanen, Steven Rathgeb Smith, and Yutaka Tsujinaka, eds., *Nonprofits & Advocacy: Engaging Community and Government in an Era of Retrenchment*, 170-201 (Ch. 7). Baltimore: The Johns Hopkins University Press. Also: Tokyo: Bokutakusha (Japanese edition).

Kristin A. Goss and Michael T. Heaney. 2010. "Organizing Women *as Women*: Hybridity and Grassroots Collective Action in the 21st Century." *Perspectives on Politics* 8 (1), 27-52 (lead article).

Kristin A. Goss. 2010. "Civil Society and Civic Engagement: Toward a Multilevel Theory of Policy Feedbacks." *Journal of Civil Society* 6 (2), 119-143.

Kristin A. Goss, David Gastwirth, and Seema Parkash. 2010. "Research Service Learning: Making the Academy Relevant Again." *Journal of Political Science Education* 6 (2), 117-141.

Kristin A. Goss. 2009. "Never Surrender? How Women's Groups Abandoned Their Policy Niche in U.S. Foreign Policy Debates, 1916–2000." *Politics & Gender* 5 (4), 1-37 (lead article).

Kristin A. Goss and Shauna Shames. 2009. "Political Pathways to Child Care Policy: The Role of Gender in Statebuilding." In Joyce Gelb and Marian Lief Palley, eds., *Women and Politics around the World: Comparative History and Survey*,143-157. Oxford, UK: ABC-CLIO.

Kristin A. Goss. 2007. "Foundations of Feminism: How Philanthropic Patrons Shaped Feminist Politics." *Social Science Quarterly* 88 (5), 1174-1191.

Kristin A. Goss and Theda Skocpol. 2006. "Changing Agendas: The Impact of Feminism on American Politics." In Brenda O'Neill and Elisabeth Gidengil, eds., *Gender and Social Capital*, 323-356 (Ch. 13). New York: Routledge.

Kristin A. Goss. 2004. "Policy, Politics, and Paradox: The Institutional Origins of the Great American Gun War." *Fordham Law Review* 73 (2), 681-714.

Kristin A. Goss. 2003. "Rethinking the Political Participation Paradigm: The Case of Women & Gun Control." *Women & Politics* 25 (4), 83-118.

Kristin A. Goss. 2003. "Altruism." In Karen Christensen and David Levinson, eds., *Encyclopedia of Community*, 36-40. Great Barrington, Mass.: Berkshire Publishing Group.

Kristin A. Goss. 2003. "Social Capital in the Workplace." In Karen Christensen and David Levinson, eds., *Encyclopedia of Community*, 1295-1297. Great Barrington, Mass.: Berkshire Publishing Group.

Robert D. Putnam and Kristin A. Goss. 2002. "Introduction." In Robert D. Putnam, ed. *Democracies in Flux: The Evolution of Social Capital in Contemporary Society*, 3-19. New York: Oxford University Press.

Robert D. Putnam, with the assistance of Kristin Goss. 2000. "Section IV: So What?" (6 chapters on social capital's effect on social and governmental performance). In Robert D. Putnam, *Bowling Alone: The Collapse and Revival of American Community*. New York: Simon & Schuster, 2000.

Kristin A. Goss. 1999. "Volunteering and the Long Civic Generation." *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly* 28 (4), 378-415 (lead article).

***Book Reviews & Reports***

Kristin A. Goss. 2019. Review of Nonprofits and Government: Collaboration and Conflict, 3rd ed., Elizabeth Boris and C. Eugene Steuerle, eds. *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly* 48(1), 227-231.

Kristin A. Goss. 2016. "What Reproductive Rights Advocates Can Learn From the Pro-Gun Movement." Scholars Strategy Network policy memo, 17 February 2016.

Kristin A. Goss. 2014. Review of The U.S. Women's Jury Movements and Strategic Adaptation. *Perspectives on Politics* 12 (1), March, 188-190.

Kristin A. Goss. 2014. "Response to Holly McCammon's Review of The Paradox of Gender Equality: How American Women's Groups Gained and Lost Their Public Voice." *Perspectives on Politics* 12 (1), March, 187-188.

Kristin A. Goss. 2013. Review of Gendered Money: Financial Organization in Women's Movements, 1880-1933. *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy* 34 (3), 290-291.

Kristin A. Goss. 2006. Review of It Takes a Candidate. *Georgetown Public Policy Review* 11 (2), Spring-Summer, 27-33.

Kristin A. Goss. 2002. Review of Gun Violence in America: The Struggle for Control. *Political Science Quarterly* 117 (3), Fall, 532-533.

Kristin A. Goss. 2000. *Better Together: Report of the Saguaro Seminar: Civic Engagement in America*. Cambridge, Mass., December.

Philip J. Cook and Kristin A. Goss. 1996. "A Selective Review of the Social-Contagion Literature." Terry Sanford Institute Working Paper, Duke University.

Kristin A. Goss. 1995. "Conflict and Collaboration: USAID's Work With Non-Governmental Organizations in Costa Rica." Working Paper prepared for 50-year evaluation of U.S. foreign aid programs in that country, August.

Kristin A. Goss. 1987. "Taking a Stand Against Sexism." In Jane E. Aaron, *The Compact Reader*, 2nd ed. New York: St. Martin's Press. Also in Rise B. Axelrod and Charles R. Cooper, *The St. Martin's Guide to Writing*, 2nd ed. New York: St. Martin's Press, 1988; and J. Karl Nicholas and James R. Nicholl, *Effective Argument: A Writer's Guide with Readings*, 2nd ed. Boston: Allyn and Bacon, 1998.

***Work Under Review or in Progress***

Kristin A. Goss, *Donors for Democracy? Elite Philanthropy in an Illiberal Age.* Under advance contract & review, University of Chicago Press.

***Opinion***

Kristin A. Goss, Interview with Frank Wilkinson. 2022. "America's Gun Laws Are as Old as Its Gun Politics." Bloomberg View. July 7. Ran in *The Washington Post*, July 8.

Kristin A. Goss and Jeffrey M. Berry. 2018. "Foundations and Their Interests." HistPhil. November 14. Lead article in Goss & Berry co-edited Symposium.

Kristin A. Goss. 2018. "What's next for the Parkland activists? The questions one gun politics expert is asking now." Q&A with The Trace. March 27.

Kristin A. Goss. 2017. "Reckoning with the Allocation of Voice and Power in America: A Review of Callahan's THE GIVERS." HistPhil Blog, June 14.

Kristin A. Goss and Jeffrey M. Berry. 2017. "Are Foundations Part Of The Resistance? Challenges To Elite Donors In A Neo-Populist Age." *The Nonprofit Quarterly*, June 1.
Also published on HistPhil Blog, May 26.

Kristin A. Goss 2017. "How American Women Gained, Lost, and Are Regaining Their Collective Voice." *Vox* (Mischiefs of Faction), April 2.

Kristin A. Goss. 2017. "In an Age of Populism and Government Failure, Elite 'Policy Plutocrats' Are Playing an Increasing Role in Remaking Society." LSE US Centre Blog.

"A Political Scientist Explains the Exaggerated Reactions to Obama's Executive Actions on Guns." 2016. *The Trace*, January 13.

Kristin A. Goss. 2015. "Gun Laws Are Being Reformed, but Just Not on Capitol Hill." *The Conversation*, 10 December. Reprinted in *Newsweek*.

Kristin A. Goss. 2014. "Two Years After Sandy Hook, the Gun Control Movement Has New Energy." *Washington Post*, Monkey Cage Blog, 16 December.

Kristin A. Goss. 2014. "Turn Emotion Into Action". *New York Times*, 18 April.

Philip J. Cook and Kristin A. Goss. 2014. "In School Rampages, the Weapon Matters." CNN.com, 11 April; reprinted on KSPR.com (Springfield, MO)

Kristin A. Goss (interview). 2013. "Up in Arms: The Political Science Behind Gun Control." *Georgetown Public Policy Review*, 25 March.

Kristin A. Goss. 2013. "Another View: How Military Leaders Can Change the Conversation on Guns." *Des Moines Registe*r, 20 January; also appeared as "Military Voices in the Gun Control Chorus." *News & Observer* (Raleigh), 23 January 2013.

Kristin A. Goss. 2013. "Why We Need to Talk About Guns." Newsweek/Daily Beast.com, 4 January.

Kristin A. Goss. 2012. "NRA's Vision of 'Genuine Monsters.'" CNN.com, 24 December.

Kristin A. Goss and Donna Dees. 2012. "Rallying for Gun Reform." *Tampa Bay Times*, 21 December; also appeared as "Harnessing the Power of Parents." *News & Observer* (Raleigh), 20 December 20/12

Kristin A. Goss. 2010. "Taking Aim at the Gun Debate." *The Star-Ledger* (Newark), 14 June; *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, 16 June; *The News & Observer* (Raleigh), 18 June.

Kristin A. Goss. 2010. "Is Tenure a Matter of Life or Death?" *The Chronicle Review (The Chronicle of Higher Education)*, 21 February.

Kristin A. Goss. 2007. "Good Policy, Not Stories, Can Reduce Violence." *The Chronicle Review (The Chronicle of Higher Education)*, 4 May. Also published in *The Herald-Sun* (Durham).

Kristin A. Goss. 2007. "A Family Affair. *The Guardian* (online), 18 April.

Kristin A. Goss. 2006. "The Missing Movement for Gun Control." *Chronicle Review* (*Chronicle of Higher Education*), 11 October. Also published in *The Herald-Sun* (Durham).

Kristin A. Goss. 2006. "Keeping Arms Behind Our Backs." *The Star-Ledger* (Newark), 5 October. Also published in *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution* and *The News & Observer* (Raleigh), 6 October; in *The Des Moines Register,* 7 October; in the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, 8 October; and in *The Clarion-Ledger* (Jackson, MS), 11 October.

Robert D. Putnam and Kristin A. Goss. 2000. "Picking Up the Pieces: What Bush Needs to Do Now – Restore Faith in Civic Action." *Newsday*, 17 December, p. B4.

Robert D. Putnam and Kristin A. Goss. 2000. "It's About Time: Who has time to enjoy family life, connect with the community or be an active citizen? In this work-driven society, it's everyone for themselves." *San Francisco Chronicle*, 24 September.

## HONORS

Bass Society of Fellows (for exemplary teaching, research, and service, Duke University)
Susan E. Tifft Undergraduate Teaching and Mentoring Award, Sanford School of Public Policy, Duke University (2021)
Top 5% of Duke instructors in the social sciences (Spring 2022, Fall 2020)
Celebrating Mentors honoree (student-nominated award as part of senior gift) (2018)
Engaged Citizen Award, League of Women Voters of Virginia (teaching, research, service) (2013)
Harold D. Lasswell Award, best dissertation in public policy studies, American Political Science Association (2003)
Robert Wood Prize, best graduate student paper, New England Political Science Assn. (2002)
Hauser Doctoral Fellowship (2000-2002)
Mellon Dissertation Completion Fellowship (awarded; declined in favor of other fellowship)
Harvard Graduate Society Fellowship (awarded; declined in favor of other fellowship)
National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (1997-2000)
Arthur Maass Prize Fellow in Government, Harvard University Graduate School
Emerging Scholar Award, Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (1998)
Faculty Award for Overall Excellence, Duke University
(prize given to top graduating student in the Master of Public Policy Program)
Award for Outstanding Master's Thesis, Sanford Institute of Public Policy, Duke University
Full Merit Scholarship, Duke University Graduate School
John Harvard Scholarship, Harvard College (for academic achievement)
Harvard College Scholarship (for academic achievement)
Elizabeth Cary Agassiz Certificate of Merit, Radcliffe College (for academic achievement)
Harvard Traveling Fellowship (for senior-thesis research)
Board of Aldermen Citation for Service to Ward 2, Somerville (Mass.), May 2001

## POLICY ENGAGEMENT & SERVICE

<u>Political Science/Public Policy Community</u>
Participant, Harvard-Johns Hopkins Arbor Forum on climate-related power building, 2025-present.
Member, APSA Ad Hoc Committee on Organized Sections, 2025
Co-Convenor, Duke Conference on Philanthropy and Democracy, June 2024, Durham, NC
Editorial Board, Cambridge Series in Gender and Politics, 2022-present
Editorial Board, *Interest Groups & Advocacy*, 2015-2025
Member, Pew-Gallup Working Group on Guns & Public Opinion, 2023-2024
External reviewer, promotion to full (university omitted for anonymity), 2023
External reviewer, promotion to tenure (university omitted for anonymity), 2023
Member, APSA Public Policy Section Mentoring Award Committee, 2023
Founder & Chair, APSA Related Group on Civil Society, Policy, and Power, 2016-2022External reviewer, promotion to full professor, (4 universities, omitted for anonymity), 2022
Editorial Board, *Politics & Gender*, 2019-2022
External reviewer, promotion to senior lecturer (university omitted for anonymity), 2021
External reviewer, promotion to full professor (university omitted for anonymity), 2021

External reviewer, promotion to tenure (university omitted for anonymity), 2021
Research Advisory Committee, Philanthropic Legacies Project (CSU/Duke/Packard Fdn), 2018-present
External reviewer, promotion to associate professor with tenure (university omitted for anonymity), 2020
Editorial Board, *PS: Political Science & Politics*, 2016-2020
Co-Organizer, Women and Politics Section, APSA annual meeting, 2019
"Dream Mentor," Jefferson Scholars Program, 2018-2019
Chair, Lasswell Award Committee, American Political Science Association, 2019
Book Workshop, Prof. Jennifer Carlson, U. of Arizona, 2019
Member, Public Policy Section Council, American Political Science Association, 2016-2019
Invited Participant, Academic Exchange Mission to Israel and the Palestinian Territories, 2018
Chair, Wildavsky Enduring Contribution Award Committee, American Political Science Association, 2017
Section Co-Chair (Soc Mvts/Civ Society), European Conference on Politics and Gender, 2017
Chair, Civic Education Committee, American Political Science Association, 2013-2016
Co-Director, Scholars Strategy Network of the Research Triangle, 2012-2016
Convener, Working Group on Philanthropy, Politics, and Democracy, 2014-2016.
Organized a two-day conference of high-profile practitioners and academics, January 2015; organized APSA 2016 conference Working Group.
Editor, Symposium on Philanthropy, Politics, and Democracy. *PS: Political Science & Politics*
Coordinator, "Semester in DC" Community List-Serve, 2013-2016
Member, Leon Epstein Award Committee, Political Organizations & Parties Section, APSA, 2015
Member, Lowi Award Committee, Public Policy Section, APSA, 2015
Chair, Best Dissertation Award Committee, Women & Politics Section, APSA, 2014
Organizer, Theme Panel on Women in American Politics, American Political Science Association annual meeting, 2013
External reviewer, promotion to associate professor with tenure (university omitted for anonymity), 2013
Organizer, Interest Groups Section, Southern Political Science Association annual meeting, 2011
Member, ARNOVA Research Committee, 2008-2010
Member, Best Article Award Committee, Political Organizations & Parties Section, American Political Science Association, 2008
Organizer, Social Policy section, 2007 annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association
Member, Excellence in Mentoring Award committee, American Political Science Association, 2007
Member, Best Graduate Student Award committee, Public Policy Section, American Political Science Association, 2007-08

<u>University Community</u>
Director, Duke in DC program, 2013-present
Member, Provost's Advisory Committee on Bass Professorships, 2024-present
Member, eMPA Advisory Committee, 2025-present
Chair, Reappointment Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2025-present
Member, Civil Society Center Committee, 2023-present
Director, Center for the Study of Philanthropy and Voluntarism, Duke University, 2020-2025
Chair, Reappointment Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2025-2026
Member, Nakayama Public Service Scholarship Advisory Board, Duke University, 2020-2024
Chair, Duke in DC Faculty Search Committee; Member, Program Coordinator Committee, 2023-2024
Member, Promotion to Tenure Committee, 2024
Faculty Advisor, Duke Students for Gun Safety, 2023-present

Member, Fleishman Chair Search Committee, 2023-2024
Member, Cluster Search Committee, 2023-2024
Member, Program Coordinator Search Committee, 2023
Member, Structural Inequality Curriculum Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2020-present
Member/chair, Undergraduate Student & Faculty Awards Committee, Sanford School, Duke U., 2022-24
Member, Review Committee for Vice Provost for Faculty Advancement, Duke University, 2022
Member, POLIS Steering Committee, Duke University, 2015-present
Member, Patterson Prize Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2022
Member, Bass Connections Faculty Advisory Council, 2019-2022
Chair, Reappointment Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2022
Member, E-MPA Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2022
Faculty Advisor, Sanford Women in Policy, 2019-present
Chair, Promotion to Full Professor Committee, 2021
Member, Technology and Policy Search Committee (2021)
Member, Patterson Chair Search Committee, 2020-2021
Member, Mentoring Committee, Assistant Professors, 2017-present
Member, Tenure Review Committees (2), Duke University, 2021
Member, Faculty Review Committees (2), Sanford School, Duke University, 2019
Member, Knight Fellowship Committee, Center for Strategic Philanthropy, Duke University, 2015-present
Member, Political Science Search Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2019
Nominee, Duke Graduate School Dean's Award for Excellence in Mentoring, 2017
Member, Speakers & Colloquium Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2015-2018
Chair, Asst. Prof. Tenure Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2017
Chair, Asst. Prof. 3rd Year Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2016-17
Duke Conversations (student-faculty colloquium), invited speaker, 2015 and 2016
Member, Undergraduate Program Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2015-2016
Member, Shepley Professorship Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2013-14; 2015-16
Member, Communications Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2014-15
Member, MPP Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2014-15
Member, Politics Initiative Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2014
Chair, Asst. Prof. 3rd Year Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2014
Member, Holsti Undergraduate Research Award Committee, Duke University, 2014
Member, Asst. Prof. Review Committee, Sanford School, Duke University, 2013-14
Member, PhD Admissions Committee, Sanford School, Duke University 2011, 2006
Member (elected), Executive Committee, Sanford School of Public Policy, 2009-12
Member, Paletz Innovative Teaching Fund Award Committee, Duke University, Fall 2011
Member, American Politics Search Committee, Sanford School of Public Policy, 2010
Member, MPP Admissions Committee, Sanford Institute, Duke University, 2006-10
Member, Faculty Advisory Committee, DukeEngage, 2007-08
Member, President's Council on Women, Duke University, 2006-08
Member, Appointments Committee, Sanford Institute, Duke University, 2007-08
Member, Social Policy search committee, Sanford Institute, Duke University, 2006
Faculty Advisor, *The Current* (Harvard journal of public affairs), 1998-2001

Refereeing

2025: *Social Problems; Law & Social Inquiry; Cornell University Press; Journal of American History; Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law*
2024: *American Political Science Review, American Journal of Public Health, University of Michigan Press, NYU Press, Radcliffe Institute Fellowship Program*
2023: *New England Journal of Medicine*
2022: University of Michigan Press, Columbia University Press, *Nonprofit Policy Forum*
2021: *American Political Science Review, Perspectives on Politics, Public Administration Review*, *Social Science Research, Nonprofit & Voluntary Sector Quarterly, Politics & Gender*, Princeton University Press, Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Columbia University Press, Routledge, University of California Press, University of Michigan Press
2020: *American Political Science Review, Political Behavior, Politics & Gender*, *PS: Political Science & Politics, Social Problems, Sociological Perspectives,* Columbia University Press, Princeton University Press, University of Michigan Press
2019: *American Political Science Review, PS: Political Science & Politics, Social Science Quarterly, Political Behavior, American Journal of Public Health, Interest Groups & Advocacy*, *Mobilization*, Princeton University Press, Columbia University Press.
2018: National Science Foundation; Oxford University Press; *American Journal of Political Science*; *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy*
2017: National Science Foundation, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *Yale Law Journal, Stanford Law Journal, Rowman & Littlefield, Routledge, Journal of Women, Politics & Policy, PS: Political Science & Politics, Stanford University Press*
2016: University of Kansas Press, *Social Problems*, *Mobilization*
2015: Cambridge University Press; New York University Press; *Policy Studies Journal*, University of Michigan Press; *Environmental Politics*; *PS: Political Science & Politics*; Lynne Rienner
2014: Oxford University Press, *Journal of Political Science Education*, *Perspectives on Politics*
2013: Oxford University Press, Routledge
2012: *Nonprofit Policy Forum, Public Administration Review*, Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press
2011: *American Politics Research, Journal of Political Science Education, Public Administration Review, Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*
2010: *Political Research Quarterly; Nonprofit & Voluntary Sector Quarterly; American Politics Research*
2009: *American Journal of Political Science, Perspectives on Politics, Public Choice; Journal of Political Science Education*
Prior Years: *Social Science Quarterly, Nonprofit & Voluntary Sector Quarterly*; *Journal of Politics*; *The Sociological Quarterly*; *Eastern Economic Journal*; *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*; Routledge; Oxford University Press; New York University Press.

## INVITED TALKS & PRESENTATIONS

"Donors for Democracy?" Roundtable on "Plutocracy," at the annual conference of the Consortium of the American Political Economy, July 29, 2025. Virtual.

"Outsourcing Oversight: Philanthropy and Democracy Protection in an Illiberal Age." American Law Institute Conference on Nonprofit Law and Neoliberalism, Philadelphia, June 2-3, 2025.

"Donors for Democracy?" Talks before Duke University alumni board alums (March 27, 2025) and Duke Sanford School of Public Policy's Board of Visitors (April 11, 2025).

"Foundations of Democracy: If Elites Are the Problem, Can They Be a Solution?' SNF Agora Institute, Johns Hopkins University, March 28, 2024.

"Gun Control and Firearms Policy." Moderator, John F. Kennedy Library, November 28, 2022.

"The Pivot: One Pandemic, One University." Panelist, Duke University, November 7, 2022.

"Pushing the Policy Envelope." Panelist, Council on Foundations Annual Meeting Pre-Conference Session on Public Policy, June 14, 2021.

"Gun Violence Prevention in the COVID Era." Panelist, Guns in Crisis Series, University of Arizona, March 23, 2021.

"How American Women's Groups Gained, Lost…& Are Regaining their Public Voice." Panelist, Women's Empowerment and Leadership, Junior Leagues of NC, March 16, 2021.

"How American Women's Groups Gained, Lost…& Are Regaining their Public Voice." Keynote Address. "Since Suffrage" Symposium, Auburn University, October 23, 2020.

"Donors for Democracy: If Elites Are the Problem, Can They Be a Solution?" American Politics Workshop, University of Chicago, December 10, 2019.

"The Promises and Perils of Philanthropy in a Polarized World." Plenary (with Erica Kohl-Arenas and Rob Reich), 48th Annual ARNOVA Conference, San Diego, November 21, 2019.

"Every Life Sacred: The Urgency of Gun Violence." Symposium, Duke University Chapel, Durham, NC, October 15, 2019.

"Preventing Gun Violence with 'Extreme Risk' Laws." Symposium, Duke Center for Firearms Law, Durham, NC, September 19, 2019.

"Heller's Hollow Hope?" Emory Law School, Randolph W. Thrower Symposium, Atlanta, February 7, 2019.

"Whatever Happened to the 'Missing Movement'? Gun Control Politics Over Two Decades of Change." Muhlenberg College Election 2018 Series, Allentown, PA, September 13, 2018.

"Resurgent Women: Rising to Resist." Duke Boston Women's Forum. Cambridge, MA, May 1, 2018.

"Social Capital: Celebrating the Career of Professor Robert D. Putnam." Cambridge, MA, April 20, 2018.

"What Does Citizenship Demand of Us?" (with Fritz Mayer). 36 Hours at Duke. Washington, DC, March 3, 2018.

"Locked & Loaded: The Great American Gun Debate in a Polarized Era." American Democracy Project Lecture. SUNY-Brockport, February 12, 2018.

"Mobilizing & the Gun Issue: "Plus ça change"…plus ça change?"
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, December 1, 2017
Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT, October 28, 2017

"The Evolution of the Gun Violence Prevention Movement." Gun Studies Symposium, Plenary Session. University of Arizona, Tucson, October 20, 2017.

"Policy Advisory Systems and Political Regimes." Plenary Session Roundtable, International Conference on Public Policy, Singapore, June 28-30, 2017.

"A Twenty-One Gun Salute." Comments at the Festschrift Honoring Philip J. Cook, Durham, NC. April 21, 2017.

"The Gun Debate: What Everyone Needs to Know" (with Philip Cook). Temple Emanu-El, New York, May 4, 2017.

In Conversation with David Callahan, *The Givers*. New America Foundation, Washington. April 26, 2017.

"Movements & Women: Complexities, Challenges, Opportunities." Symposium on Women, Philanthropy, and Civil Society. Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis. Chicago. March 14, 2017. Introductory video.

"The 2016 Election Results: What Do They Mean?" Sanford School of Public Policy (panel), November 17, 2016.

"What Does the 2016 Election Mean for Women?" Duke Law School (panel), November 16, 2016.

"What Does the 2016 Election Mean for Gun Violence Prevention?" North Carolinians Against Gun Violence (keynote), November 15, 2016.

"Why Are We (Still) Talking about Guns in an Election Year?"
University Scholars Program, Duke University, September 21, 2016.
Conference on *Activism and American Political Parties*, The Pennsylvania State University, February 26-27, 2016.

"Gun Violence in America: Challenges & Opportunities." Talk before the annual meeting of the National Association of Latino Elected Officials, Washington, June 24, 2016.

"How Movements Bounce Back: What Gun Rights Advocates Can Teach Abortion Rights Advocates." Invited presentation, "Learning from Social Movements" conference, Scholars Strategy Network, New York, May 31-June 1, 2016.

"Gendering the Second Amendment." Invited presentation (with Jennifer Carlson), conference on The Second Generation of Second Amendment Law and Policy," Brennan Center for Justice at NYU School of Law, New York, April 8, 2016.

"What's New Since Newtown: Gun Politics Over Two Decades." Everytown for Gun Safety, New York, October 21, 2015.

"Firearms: Reducing the Risk in Fairfax County." Moderator, League of Women Voters of the Fairfax Area, Burke, VA, March 22, 2015.

"Ground Zero for Gun Control: The District of Columbia and the New Politics of the Second Amendment." Moderator, American Society for Public Administration, National Capital Area Chapter, Washington, March 18, 2015.

"Gun Politics After the Midterms." Carolina Society for Future Leaders, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, November 18, 2014.

"What's New Since Newtown: Gun Politics in the Run-Up to the November 2014 Elections." Seattle, October 24, 2014.
University of Washington (academics)
Museum of History and Industry (academics, advocates, public officials)

"The New Politics of Gun Control." Participant, panel discussion hosted by U.S. Rep. Robin Kelly, Capitol Hill, June 25, 2014.

"The Gun Debate." Keynote Address (with Philip Cook), World Affairs Council of Harrisburg (PA), May 15, 2014.

"The Gun Debate." Invited Talk (with Philip Cook), Cooper Union, New York, May 8, 2014.

"What's New After Newtown?" Invited Talk, Center for Legislative Studies Fall Lecture Series, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, September 25, 2013.

"How U.S. Women's Groups Gained and Lost Their Public Voice." Keynote, Annual Meeting of the League of Women Voters of the National Capital Area, May 4, 2013.

"How U.S. Women's Groups Gained and Lost Their Public Voice." Invited Talk, Board of Directors, League of Women Voters of the U.S., April 5, 2013.

"How U.S. Women's Groups Gained and Lost Their Public Voice." Invited Talk, League of Women Voters of Arlington, February 23, 2013.

"Guns and Gun Violence: Crisis, Policy and Politics." Invited Talk, Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., February 6, 2013.

"The Missing Movement for Gun Control." Invited talk, Dartmouth in DC program, Washington, D.C., May 15, 2012; May 26, 2011.

"The Policy Agendas of Women's Groups in the Post-War America." Invited Talk to Durham Public Schools history teachers under a federal Teaching America grant, Durham, N.C., January 26, 2012.
"Empowerment in Practice: Influencing Public Policy." Invited Talk (via video conference) to leaders of NGO's in Mongolia, US Department of State, Washington, D.C., January 5, 2012.

"The Paradox of Gender Equality." Invited Talk, Center for American Political Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., October 28, 2011.

"A Political History of Gun Control." Invited talk, Presbyterian Church USA Study Group, Washington, D.C., September 11, 2009.

"Voice & Equality? Women's Group Advocacy on Capitol Hill, 1878-2000." Invited talk, Spring Seminar Series, Department of Political Science University of Florida, Gainesville, March 2, 2009.

"Altruism & Ambivalence: How America Celebrates, Channels, and Constrains Its Benevolent Spirit." Invited plenary address before the Conference on Contemporary European Perspectives on Volunteering, Ersta Skondal University College, Stockholm, September 10, 2008

"The Role of Citizens' Groups in Environmentalism." Panelist representing League of Women Voters at a conference unveiling a youth-generated policy report, the "Youth Earth Plan." Arlington, Va., August 2008.

"The Experience of Women in Academia." Invited Talk, Duke House Course, Durham, N.C., February 2008.

"Disarmed: The Missing Movement for Gun Control in America." Invited Talk, Fall Meeting of the American Society for Public Administration, Triangle chapter, Research Triangle Park, N.C., November 10, 2006.

"When Moral Support is Not Enough." Keynote, Annual Meeting of North Carolinians Against Gun Violence, Chapel Hill, January 2006

"Have Women's Groups Lost Their Civic Spirit?" Invited Talk, 13th Annual Government Documents Speaker Series, Georgetown University Library, Washington, D.C., November 2005.

"The Missing Movement." Opening Address, Annual Meeting of the Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence, Washington, D.C., October 2003.

"American Politics 101." Guest Lectures for international audiences of business people, government officials, Academy for Educational Development, Washington, D.C., 2003-2005.

"The Politics of Gun Control." Invited Talk, Institute of Politics "101," Harvard College, Cambridge, Mass., April 2001.

"Political Culture as Popular Culture." Invited Lecture, Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., November 1998.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

A Movement-Within-a-Movement: Elite Philanthropy and the Collective Defense of U.S. Democracy." Paper presented at the biennial World Congress of the International Political Science Association, Seoul, July 12-16, 2025.

"When Do Industries Cast Doubt on Scientific Evidence? Comparing Commercial Aviation Against Four Others." Paper presented (with Adam Seth Levine) at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Vancouver, September 11-14, 2025; and under a different title, "Clearing the Air: Why Aviation Embraced Sustainability in an Age of Climate Denialism," at the biennial World Congress of the International Political Science Association, Seoul, July 12-16, 2025.

"Foundations of Democracy: Elite Philanthropy in an Illiberal Age." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Los Angeles, August 31 – September 3, 2023; and at the biennial World Congress of the International Political Science Association, Buenos Aires, July 15-19, 2023.

"Why Do Issues Whose 'Time Has Come' Stick Around? Agenda Durability and the Case of Gun Control" (with Matthew J. Lacombe). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Montreal, September 15-18, 2022.

"Bringing Organizations Back In: Multi-Level Feedback Effects on Individual Civic Inclusion" (with Carolyn Barnes and Deondra Rose). Paper presented (by Barnes) at the 25th World Congress of the International Political Science Association, Brisbane, Australia, July 21-25, 2018.

"What Makes Philanthropists Powerful? Policy Choices, Policy Drift, and the Rise of the New Plutocracy." Paper presented at the 25th World Congress of the International Political Science Association, Brisbane, Australia, July 21-25, 2018.

"Donors for Democracy? Philanthropy and the Challenges of Pluralism in the 21st Century" (with Jeffrey M. Berry). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, August 31-September 3, 2017; and at the International Conference on Public Policy, Singapore, June 28-30, 2017.

"Social Media & Social Movements: The Case of Women & Guns" (with Jennifer Carlson). Paper presented at the European Conference on Politics and Gender, University of Lausanne, Switzerland, June 8-10, 2017.

"Policy Feedback, Path Dependency, and Political Behavior: Roundtable." Research presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 31-Sept 4, 2016, Philadelphia.

"Uncertainty in Action: Young American Women and the Dilemmas of Gender-Based Organizing" (with Sierra Smucker and Avery Waite). Paper presented at the European Conference on Politics and Gender, Uppsala University, Sweden, June 11-13, 2015.

"Are American Billionaires Really Unaccountable?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August 28-31, 2014.

"Will Annie Get Her Gun? The Battle for Women in the American War over Guns." Invited paper presented the conference on "Challenging the 'Women and Peace' Hypothesis: New Approaches to Gender Roles in Peace-Making," Hebrew University of Jerusalem, June 16-17, 2014.

"Who Speaks for Women?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, January 9-11, 2014.

"Engaged Scholarship: Pros and Cons for Political Science and for Women." Talk at the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, January 9-11, 2014.

Gender Identity and the Shifting Basis of U.S. Women's Groups' Advocacy, 1920-2000." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, September 1-4, 2011; and at the Georgetown Conference on Nonprofit Advocacy, Washington, D.C., March 21, 2011.

"Research Service Learning: Making the Academy Relevant Again" (with Alma Blount and Bruce Kuniholm). American Association of Colleges and Universities conference, "Creativity, Inquiry, and Discovery: Undergraduate Research In and Across the Disciplines." Durham, November 2010. Also presented (with Alma Blount and Andrea Marston) at the Council on Undergraduate Research conference, "Undergraduate Research as Transformative Practice." Ogden, Utah, June 2010.

"Building Community from the Top Down: The Role of the State and International Donors in the Diffusion of Local Philanthropy" (with Catherine Herrold). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 2010.

"A Virtuous Circle? Women's Participation, Voice, and Status, 1878-2000." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2010.

"Women's Organizing in the New Millennium: Beyond the Crisis of 'Feminisms'" (with Michael T. Heaney). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, August 2008 (presentation handled by co-author).

"Research Service Learning: Making the Academy Relevant Again" (with David Gastwirth and Seema Parkash). Paper presented to the conference on Youth and Politics: Strange Bedfellows?" Bruges, Belgium, July 2008; also presented at the APSA Teaching & Learning conference, San Jose, Calif., February 2008.

"The Language of Citizenship: From Responsibility to Rights in Women's Policy Claims." Paper presented to the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, August 2007.

"Stratification, Mobilization, and Policy Design: The Case of Child Care in Six Nations" (with S.L. Shames). Paper presented to the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2007.

"Women's Organizations' Retreat from Foreign Policy and Why It Matters." Paper presented to the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, January 2007.

"A Silenced Majority? The Rise and Fall of Women's Groups on Capitol Hill, 1878-2000." Paper presented at the 20th World Congress of the International Political Science Association, Fukuoka, Japan, July 9-13, 2006.

"Our Policies Our Selves: Women's Organizations and the Retreat from Social Reform in Post-War America." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, September 2005, Washington; and of the Southern Political Science Association, Atlanta, January 2006.

"Changing Agendas: The Impact of Feminism on American Politics." Paper presented at "Women & Social Capital" conference, May 2003, Winnipeg, Canada; and at the Midwest Political Science Association meeting, Chicago, April 2004.

"Nazis & Commies: The Institutional Origins of the Great American Gun War." Paper presented at the conference on The Second Amendment and the Future of Gun Regulation, Fordham University School of Law, New York, April 2004.

"Gun Control and the Policy-Politics Paradox." Paper presented at the University of Delaware conference on Gun Control: Controversy, Social Values, and Policy, Newark, October 2003.

"Not NOW: Women & Gun Control in the United States." Paper presented at "Alva Myrdal's Questions to Our Time" conference, Uppsala, Sweden, March 2002; and at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Long Beach, Calif., March 21-24, 2002.

"Let's Make an Issue of It: The Forgotten Role of Emotion and Cognition in Political Participation." Paper presented at the 2001 annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco; the annual meeting of the New England Political Science Association, Portsmouth, N.H., May 2001; and the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2001.

"The Smoking Gun: How Focusing Events Affect Politics." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Las Vegas, March 15-17, 2001.

"Volunteering and the Long Civic Generation." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Research on Non-Profit Organizations and Voluntary Action, Seattle, November 5-7, 1998.

## GRANTS

Duke University, Bass Connections, "Measuring American Democracy." 2022-2023.

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, "Building a Culture of Health around Firearms: The Relationship between Social Gun Culture, Gun Ownership, Firearm Policy, and Firearm Violence," 2015-. Consultant. PI: Michael Siegel, MD, Boston University School of Public Health.

Sanford School, Eads Family Undergraduate Research Endowment, "Gender Perspectives of Millennial Women," 2014-15.

Sanford School, Duke, Innovation & Impact Fund, "Philanthropy, Politics, and Democracy," 2015.

Aspen Institute, Nonprofit Sector Research Fund, 2003-06. "Foundations of Feminism."

Ford Foundation, 2004-06. "Women's Agendas Project" (with Prof. Theda Skocpol, P.I.)

## MEDIA

Television/Documentaries:

- CBC News Network (Canada), February 16, 2018 (guns)
- CCTV, April 8, 2016 (segment on women & the presidential election)
- Voice of America, January 2016 (program on the gun issue in America)
- CCTV, Chinese state television, 2016 (documentary on the gun issue in America)
- "Five Women Awake," 2016 (documentary on women's role in gun reform advocacy)
- Live on WCVE, WHUT, other Virginia TV stations, October 13, 2014 (US Senate debate panel)
- Live on CTV primetime news (Toronto), January 16, 2013 (Sandy Hook massacre, politics)
- Live on CTV primetime news (Toronto), January 9, 2013 (Sandy Hook massacre, politics)
- Live on France24 "Focus" news show (Paris), January 3, 2013 (Sandy Hook massacre)
- By phone, CTV, July 21, 2012 (gun violence in the U.S.)
- Live on CBC primetime "Connect with Mark Kelley" (Toronto), January 26, 2011 (President Obama's handling of the gun issue)

Podcasts & Short Videos:

- Chaire Philanthropie, ESSEC Business School (France), "Philanthropy to Defend Democracy," February 2025
- Chaire Philanthropie, ESSEC Business School (France), "Philanthropy and Gender Politics," February 2023
- Vox, Today Explained, "Has the Gun Control Movement Failed?" June 2022
- Scholarship Highlight, "Do Courts Change Politics?" September 2020
- Ways & Means, "The Battle Over Guns in America: What's Changed?"; (Short Take), September 2020
- American Diagnosis, "The Gun Violence Prevention Movement," December 2019
- Policy 360, "The Missing Gun Control Movement" (Sanford School), October 2017

- Ways & Means, "A Brain and a Uterus" (Sanford School), January 2016
- No Jargon, "Feminism: A Century Later" (Scholars Strategy Network), January 2016
- New Books in Political Science, "The Paradox of Gender Equality" (New Books Network), January 2014

Radio:

- Vermont Public Radio & 7 Other Stations, "Has the Gun Control Movement Failed?" June 2022 (gun politics)
- NPR, "All Things Considered," November 4, 2019 (gun politics and gender)
- Vermont Public Radio, August 2, 2018 (gun politics)
- BBC, March 24, 2018 (gun politics)
- NPR, "Marketplace," February 15, 2018 (gun politics)
- Sirius XM Insight, "Tell Me Everything," February 24, 2016 (political participation)
- North Carolina Public Radio (WUNC), "The State of Things," January 8, 2016 (gun politics)
- Seattle Public Radio (KUOW), November 5, 2014 (commentary on the success of a background check initiative in Washington state)
- Vermont Public Radio, May 6, 2014 (commentary on gun politics in that state)
- Minnesota Public Radio, February 4, 2013 (commentary in advance of President's gun violence event in Minneapolis)
- ABC/Australian Radio, January 16, 2013 (Sandy Hook & gun politics)
- Wisconsin Public Radio, January 14, 2013 (Sandy Hook & gun politics)
- NewsTalk 93FM (Univ of the West Indies, Jamaica), January 7, 2013 (Sandy Hook massacre)
- ABC Radio/Australia, December 16, 2013 (Sandy Hook massacre)
- WHUR (Washington, DC), October 9, 2012 (the women's vote in 2012 election)
- Deutsche Welle (Bonn), August 15, 2012 (gun politics)
- TBS eFM, "This Morning" (Seoul), July 24, 2012 (gun violence in the U.S.)
- ABC Radio/Australia, July 23, 2012 (gun violence in the U.S.)
- ABC/FM4-Australia, January 2011 (gun violence in U.S.)
- WNCU-Durham, April 2008 (panelist, N.C. primary election)
- WBEN-Buffalo, April 2007 (gun violence)

Newspapers/magazines/TV (quoted or featured; for op-eds I wrote, see above):

- PolitiFact, (gun politics), September 9, 2025
- Denver Post (gun politics), August 3, 2025
- *USA Today* (gun politics), February 14, 2025
- Think Global Health (alcohol politics), July 24, 2024
- Washington Post (gun politics), June 2, 2023
- Vox & MSN.com (gun politics), April 18, 2023
- Washington Post (gun politics), December 8, 2022
- Bangor Daily News (gun politics), October 12, 2022
- Courthouse News (American politics), June 29, 2022
- Bloomberg Law (gun politics), June 24, 2022
- Washington Post (gender politics, guns), June 6, 2022
- Vox (gun politics), May 27, 2022
- Wall Street Journal (gun politics), May 27, 2022
- PolitiFact (gun politics), May 25, 2022

- ABC News (gun politics), October 28, 2021
- RTE - Ireland (gun politics), June 1, 2021
- New York Times (gun politics), May 26, 2021
- Franknews.com (philanthropy), May 26, 2021
- CNBC (gun politics), December 17, 2020
- The Trace (gun politics), January 3, 2020
- Duke Chronicle (gun politics), November 22, 2019
- Nonprofit Quarterly (philanthropy), November 22, 2019
- Virginian-Pilot (gun politics), November 15, 2019
- Duke Chronicle (gun politics), November 11, 2019
- Duke Chronicle (gender politics), November 6, 2019.
- *Baltimore Sun* (gun politics), October 4, 2019; also ran in 20 other publications
- *The Guardian* (gun politics), September 8, 2019
- *Christian Science Monitor* (gun politics), August 8, 2019
- *Le Télégramme* (gun politics), August 7, 2019
- AFP (gun politics), August 6, 2019
- *Boston Globe* (gun politics), August 6, 2019
- *The Hill* (gun politics), February 16, 2019
- Sinclair Broadcast Group (gun politics), February 14, 2019
- *The Hill* (gun politics), December 16, 2018
- *Christian Science Monitor* (gun politics), November 16, 2018
- *Sydney Morning Herald* (gun politics), November 4, 2018
- *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* (gun politics), October 22, 2018
- *Fast Company* (gun politics), September 10, 2018
- *The Trace* (gun politics), July 19, 2018
- CNN.com (gun politics), May 20, 2018
- *MLive*, April 20, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Detroit News*, April 18, 2018 (gun politics)
- *The Guardian*, April 17, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Wall Street Journal*, March 26, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Education Week*, March 22, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Washington Post*, March 20, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Washington Post*/MonkeyCage, March 15, 2018 (gun politics)
- CNBC.com, March 5, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Politico Magazine*, March 1, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Huffington Post*, February 27, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Perfil* (Buenos Aires), February 17, 2018 (gun politics)
- Toronto *Globe and Mail*, February 15, 2018 (gun politics)
- *Buzzfeed*, February 6, 2018 (philanthropy)
- *Wilmington Star* (NC), Jan 20, 2018 (gender politics)
- NBC.com, January 1, 2018 (gender politics); picked up by six other outlets
- *Huffington Post*, September 26, 2017 (gun politics)
- *The Chronicle of Philanthropy*, February 7, 2017 (philanthropy & policy)
- *The Atlantic*, September 19, 2016 (gender politics)
- *Tampa Bay Times*, August 18, 2016 (gender politics)
- *Inside Philanthropy*, July 29, 2016 (philanthropy & policy)

- *The MonkeyCage/Washington Post*, July 26, 2016 (philanthropy & policy)
- Slate.com, July 5, 2016 (gun policy)
- *Christian Science Monitor*, June 22, 2016 (gun policy)
- NBCNews.com, June 21, 2016 (gun policy)
- *Durango Herald* (CO), February 5, 2016 (gun policy)
- *Roll Call*, February 1, 2016 (gun politics)
- Voice of America, January 25, 2016 (gun politics)
- Vox, January 15, 2016 (gun politics)
- *Duke Chronicle*, January 14, 2016 (gun politics)
- Associated Press, January 5, 2016 (picked up by ~400 outlets)
- *Christian Science Monitor*, January 5, 2016 (gun politics)
- *Maclean's*, December 9, 2015 (gun policy)
- *Charlotte Observer*, December 3, 2015 (gun policy)
- *International Business Times* October 5, 2015 (gun politics)
- *VOX*, October 4, 2015 (gun politics)
- *More* magazine, October 2014 (gun politics)
- *Tucson Sentinel*, September 30, 2014 (gun politics)
- *Huffington Post*, September 23, 2014 (gun politics)
- *Mother Jones*, Sept/Oct 2014 (gun politics)
- MSNBC.com, May 27, 2014 (gun politics)
- *Houston Chronicle*, April 3, 2014 (gun politics)
- *Christian Science Monitor*, December 14, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Duke Magazine*, Summer 2013 (gun politics)
- *USA Today*, May 6, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Wall Street Journal*, April 17, 2013
- *Wall Street Journal*, April 8, 2013 (gun politics)
- Deutsche Welle, April 4, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Wall Street Journal*, April 3, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Washington Examiner*, March 28, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Connecticut Post*, *Greenwich Times*, March 9, 2013 (gun politics)
- *The American Prospect*, March 4, 2013 (gun politics)
- Wesleyan Connection blog, February 20, 2013 (coverage of gun violence forum)
- *Congressional Quarterly*, February 9, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Hartford Courant*, February 6, 2013 (coverage of gun violence forum)
- *Wall Street Journal,* February 6, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Wall Street Journal*, January 25, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Washington Examiner*, January 17, 2013 (gun politics)
- *The Chronicle* (Duke), January 17, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Globe & Mail* (Toronto), January 16, 2013 (gun politics)
- CBSNews.com, January 15, 2013 (gun politics)
- *La Presse* (Montreal), January 14, 2013 (gun politics)
- *The Hill*, January 13, 2013 (gun politics)
- Gannett/*USA Today*, January 12, 2013 (gun politics)
- Deutsche Welle (Bonn), January 11, 2013 (gun politics)
- Reuters, January 9, 2013 (gun politics); carried on Huffington Post
- *Christian Science Monitor*, January 8, 2013 (gun politics)

- *El País* (Madrid), January 8, 2013 (gun politics)
- Deutsche Welle (Bonn), January 5, 2013 (gun politics)
- *Straits Times* (Singapore), December 23, 2012 (gun politics)
- *Toronto Star*, December 21, 2012 (gun politics)
- NPR, December 21, 2012 (gun politics)
- CNN.com, December 18, 2012 (gun politics)
- Ria Novosti (Moscow), December 18, 2012 (gun politics)
- *Washington Examiner*, December 17, 2012 (gun politics)
- *Globe and Mail* (Toronto), December 16, 2012 (gun politics)
- BBC (London), December 15, 2012 (gun politics)
- Deutsche Welle (Bonn), August 23, 2012 (gun politics)
- *The National* (United Arab Emirates), July 24, 2012 (gun politics)
- CNN.com, July 23, 2012 (gun politics)
- *Wall Street Journal*, July 20, 2012 (gun politics)
- CurrentTV.com, July 20, 2012 (gun politics)
- Reuters, July 20, 2012 (gun politics; picked up in numerous outlets around the world)
- Agence-France Presse, April 21, 2012 (gun politics)
- *Correio Braziliense* (Brasilia), April 8, 2011 (gun politics)
- *News & Observer* (Raleigh), February 26, 2011 (gun politics)
- *Correio Braziliense* (Brasilia), January 12, 2011 (gun politics)
- *News & Observer* (Raleigh), June 29, 2010 (Supreme Court ruling on gun rights)
- Scotus Blog, June 16, 2010 (mentions my op-eds in the roundup of stories to read)
- *Straits Times* (Singapore), June 2010 (gun politics)
- *The Denver Post*, May 4, 2008 (gun politics)
- *News & Observer* (Raleigh), April 16, 2008 (gun violence; research mentioned in op-ed by President Brodhead and James Moeser)
- *Público* (Lisbon), October 17, 2007 (women/minorities in politics)
- *Alemeen Dagblad* (Netherlands), August 28, 2007 (gun politics)
- *Independent Weekly* (N.C. Triangle), "On gun control & massacres," April 25, 2007 (feature on my research)
- *Congressional Quarterly Weekly*, April 23, 2007 (gun politics)
- *News & Observer* (Raleigh), April 22, 2007 (gun politics)
- *Philadelphia Daily News*, April 18, 2007 (gun politics)
- ABCNews.com, April 17, 2007 (gun politics)
- *Duke Magazine*, "Giving Gun Control a Shot," March/April 2007 (feature on my book)
- *The Chronicle* (Duke Univ.), November 8, 2006 (election turnout)
- *New Era* (Lancaster, Penn.), October 6, 2006 (gun politics)
- *The News & Observer* (Raleigh), January 26, 2006 (gun politics)
- AlterNet.org, April 27, 2004 (gun politics)
- *The Star-Ledg*er (Newark), January 12, 2004 (gun politics)

Other Media:

- Twitter: @KAGoss, 2012-present
- Contributed by invitation to *The Huffington Post*'s real-time fact-checking and analysis of the State of the Union address, January 25, 2011

# TEACHING & ADVISING

***Courses***

Measuring American Democracy (co-taught; Duke University)
Theory in Practice: People, Places, and Policy Cases (Duke in DC)
Philanthropy & Public Policy (Duke)
Women & Public Policy (Duke)
Research Methods for Service Opportunities in Leadership Participants (Duke)
Politics of the Policy Process / Political Analysis for Public Policy (Georgetown and Duke)
Civic Engagement & Public Policy (Georgetown and Duke)
Introduction to American Government (Georgetown)
Media & Politics (Georgetown)
Policy Analysis (Universidad Nacional de San Martín)

***Doctoral Students***

Catherine Grodensky, Public Policy, Duke. The politics of criminal justice reform. (principal advisor, defended May 2023)
Sierra Smucker, Public Policy, Duke. *Three Essays on Domestic Violence Related Firearms Regulations in the United States.* (principal advisor/chair, 2013-2018; defended May 2018)
Danielle Vance-McMullen, Public Policy, Duke. *Nonprofit Market Structure and Its Consequences* (committee member, 2014-2017; defended May 2017)
Catherine Herrold, Public Policy, Duke. *Bankrolling the Arab Spring: The Role of Philanthropy in Egypt's Political Transition* (principal advisor/chair, 2007-2013; defended November 2013)
Winner, Gabriel G. Rudney Memorial Award for Outstanding Dissertation in Nonprofit and Voluntary Action Research (2014)
Caitlin Burke, Forestry and Environmental Resources, NC State U. *Who Litigates and Who Collaborates? Evidence from State and Local Environmental Groups Influencing National Forest Policy in the American West*. (committee member, 2007-2011; defended March 2011)
PhD. Exam Committee Service: Danielle Vance (Duke), Rebecca Lehrman (Duke), James Riddlesperger (Duke).

***Master's and Undergraduate Theses Supervised, 1998-present***

The Internet's Effects on Political Communication (senior thesis, Harvard)
Civic Participation in Community Development in the U.S. and South Africa (senior thesis, Harvard)
Gun Control in the U.S. and U.K. (senior thesis, Harvard)
Quilting Groups as Social Capital (senior thesis, Harvard)
Symbolic Racism and Public Education Financing (senior thesis, Georgetown)
Cuban-American Politics in Miami (senior thesis, Duke)
Reducing Truancy in North Carolina (master's thesis, Duke)
The Internet's Role in Reducing Incumbent Advantage (independent study, Duke)
Strengthening Youth Participation in the ACLU (master's thesis, Duke)
Understanding What Sustains Student Service and Advocacy Organizations (independent study, Duke)
Eradicating Polio in Nigeria (master's thesis, Duke)
Passing an Anti-Human-Trafficking Bill in Massachusetts (master's thesis, Duke)
Sustaining Community Development Initiatives in Atlanta (senior thesis, Duke)
Sustaining Government-Funded Food Security Projects (senior thesis, Duke)

Compliance with HUD-Sponsored Community Development Plans (master's thesis, Duke)
Integrating Transportation Policy into World Health Organization Programs (master's thesis, Duke)
Predicting Grassroots Groups' Participation in Community Forestry (independent study, Duke)
The Civic Life of Educated Mothers in the "Opt-Out" Generation (master's thesis, Duke)
The Gender Equality-Difference Debate in Political Campaign Advertisements (senior thesis, Duke)
Parents' Choice of Public over Nonprofit Preschools in New York City (master's thesis, Duke)
Evaluating Women's Political Leadership Program in North Carolina (master's thesis, Duke)
A Comparison of Newspaper Coverage of the Gaza Conflict (senior thesis, Duke)
The Effect of Occupation on Bill Sponsorship in the NC Legislature (senior thesis, Duke)
Do Gender Quotas Encourage Mass Political Participation by Women? (master's thesis, Duke)
How Can a Foundation Improve Data Use in Anti-Domestic Violence Programs? (master's thesis, Duke)
Implementation of the Violence Against Women Act in North Carolina (master's thesis, Duke)
What Affects Local Governments' Response to Disasters? (senior thesis, Duke)
What Barriers Prevent Low-Income Women from Accessing Social Services? (senior thesis, Duke)
Designing a Philanthropic Foundation to Support Animal Therapy for Humans (independent study, Duke)
Modeling the Compound Effects of Predatory Financial Practices (master's thesis, Duke)
Overcoming Barriers to Healthy Eating in Low-Income Urban Communities (master's thesis, Duke)
Using Social Media to Generate Youth Turnout in Same-Sex Marriage Referendum (master's thesis, Duke)
The Effect of North Carolina Policy Changes on Women (master's thesis, Duke)
Competency-Based Education in Community Colleges (master's thesis, Duke)
Women's Business Incubators in North Carolina (master's thesis, Duke)
Does Diversifying the Police Force Improve Performance? (master's thesis, Duke)
Can Urban Agriculture Help the Poor? (master's thesis, Duke)
What Can We Learn from Sex Discrimination Claims in the District of Columbia? (master's thesis, Duke)
The Relationship Between Sexual Health Resources & Sexual Violence on Campuses (senior thesis, Duke)
The Public Roles and Policy Advocacy of American First Ladies (senior thesis, Duke)
How Can Fuqua Enhance the Recruitment and Experience of Female Students? (master's thesis, Duke)
The Worldviews of Chinese Philanthropists (senior thesis, Duke)
Do American Foundations Redistribute Wealth to Poor Regions? (senior thesis, Duke)
What Role Did African-American Women Play in the Suffrage Movement? (senior thesis, Duke)
Implementation of the National Voting Rights Act in public assistance agencies (senior thesis, Duke)
How Might Universities Diversify Their Administrative Staffs? (master's thesis, Duke)
Assessing the Impact of a Foundation-Funded Program for Teacher Education (master's thesis, Duke)
How Do Foundations Exercise Their Influence as Program Investors? (master's thesis, Duke)
How Ex-Prisoners Reintegrate into Civic Life (senior thesis, Duke)
Do Democracy Vouchers Equalize Political Voice? (senior thesis, Duke)
Organizational Responses to Human Trafficking in North Carolina (senior thesis, Duke)
Opportunities for "Refunding" the Police in NC (master's thesis, Duke)
Where Do Undergraduates Register to Vote and How Do They Choose? (senior thesis, Duke)
Does Non-Response Bias Explain Errors in Political Polls? (senior thesis, Duke)
Does Nation-of-Origin Help Explain Asian-Americans' Party Identification? (senior thesis, Duke)
Using Online Tools to Prevent Sex Trafficking (Hart Fellowship, Duke)
Reducing Police Responses to False Alarms (master's thesis, Duke)
Improving Adult Education in Maryland (master's thesis, Duke)
How High School Textbooks Teach Civics (senior thesis, Duke)
Improving Impact Valuation (master's thesis, Duke)

Policy Advocacy for Public Defenders (master's thesis, Duke)
Diversion Programs for Homeless People (master's thesis, Duke)
Asian-Americans and Voting: Lessons from 2024 (master's thesis, Duke)

## PRIOR PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Visiting Scholar, Stanford University Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society, Palo Alto, Calif., Fall 2018

Visiting Scholar, George Mason University School of Public and International Affairs, Arlington, Va., 2008-2009

Fellow, Center for American Political Studies, Harvard University, 2003-2008

Visiting Assistant Professor, Universidad Nacional de San Martín, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Course: "Public Policy – Theory and Method," December 2004

Consultant, Corporation for National and Community Service, 2002-2003
Conducted research and helped develop policy for federal volunteer programs

Research Assistant, Prof. Robert Putnam (Harvard), 1996-2000
Contributed to research and writing of *Bowling Alone*

Research Fellow, The Saguaro Seminar: Civic Engagement in America (Harvard), 1998-2000
Wrote nationally distributed report for blue-ribbon panel on how to reinvigorate social capital through the arts, workplaces, politics, youth organizations, and houses of worship

Participant, Sloan Working Group on Youth Violence (Harvard), 1995-1998
Co-authored theoretical chapter on modeling youth violence as an epidemic

Research Assistant, Prof. Philip Cook (Duke), 1996
Conducted research on youth violence

Policy intern, U.S. Agency for International Development (San José, Costa Rica), 1995.
Assisted with a 50-year retrospective of U.S. foreign aid's contribution to Costa Rican development, "Real Progress: Fifty Years of USAID in Costa Rica," October 1998.

Staff Editor, *Duke Journal of Gender Law and Policy*, 1994-95

Senior Editor, *The Chronicle of Philanthropy*, Washington, D.C., 1992-94; Senior Writer, 1990-92; Staff Writer, 1988-90
Wrote more than 500 articles for premier newspaper covering non-profit groups and foundations. Topics included the community-development role of black churches; the community-service movement; the proliferation of projects to strengthen participatory democracy; and the surge in efforts to "rebuild community."

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Media outreach volunteer, Liberty Walks, 2024-2025
Member, League of Women Voters of Arlington, Va., 2004-present
Member, Suffrage Centennial Committee of Arlington, 2018-2020
Chair, Nominating Committee, 2018 and 2017
Member, Budget Committee, 2017
President, 2013-2016
*Panelist, US Senate Debate, October 2014*
*Co-Director, LWV-Inspire-Arlington Public Schools Voter Registration Program*
- *Strengthening Democracy Award for LWV-Arl from LWVUS (2016)*
- *Community Leader of the Year Award for LWV-Arl from Inspire Virginia (2016)*
Voter Service Co-Chair, board member, 2011-2013
- Organized voter registration at Northern Virginia naturalization ceremonies
Vice President & Program Co-Chair, 2008-2011
Program Co-Chair, 2005-2008
Delegate, National Convention, Portland, Ore., 2008
Delegate, State Convention, Richmond, Va., 2007
Delegate, National Convention, Minneapolis, 2006
Board member, Bulletin editor, 2004-05
Chief of Staff, Alderman Kevin Tarpley, Somerville, Mass., 1998-2001; Precinct Captain, 1997-2001
Member, Democratic Ward & City Committee of Somerville, 2000-2001
Alternate Delegate, Massachusetts Democratic Convention, June 1998
Member, Community Service Coordinating Committee (Duke), 1995-1996
Volunteer Counselor, Transition House (Cambridge, Mass., women's shelter), 1986-1987