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Curriculum Vitae

Contact Information

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Academic Appointments

Idaho State University, Pocatello, ID
Assistant Professor, Political Science, 2014 to present

Education

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL
Ph.D., Political Science, May 2014
Major Fields: Public Law and Methodology
Dissertation: States on the Federal Stage: The *Amicus Curiae* Role of State Attorneys General

Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH
B.A. in Political Science and History, 2007

Research Interests

Public Law & Judicial Behavior
Institutions
Amicus Curiae Briefs
State Courts

Other Fields
Social Network Analysis
Quantitative Textual Analysis
Gender & Judicial Decisions

Publications

1. Shane A. Gleason. 2017. "The Dynamics of Legal Networks: State Attorney General Amicus Brief Coalition Formation." (Forthcoming at *Justice System Journal*).
2. Shane A. Gleason, Jennifer J. Jones, and Jessica Rae McBean. 2017. "Gender Performance in Party Brief Success." (Forthcoming at the *Washington University Journal of Law & Policy*).
3. Jeremy N. Thomas, Becca A. Alper, and Shane A. Gleason. 2017. "Anti-Pornography Narratives as Self-Fulfilling Prophecies: Religious Variation in the Effect that Pornography Viewing Has on the Marital Happiness of Husbands." (forthcoming at the *Review of Religious Research*).

4. Shane A. Gleason and Colin Provost. 2016. "Representing the States Before the U.S. Supreme Court: State *Amicus* Brief Participation, the Policy-Making Environment, and the Fourth Amendment." *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*. 46(2):248-273.
5. Shane A. Gleason and Robert M. Howard. 2015. "State Supreme Courts and Shared Networking: The Diffusion of Education Policy." *Albany Law Review*. 78(4):1485-1511.
6. Philip Habel, Daniel Bennett, Shane A. Gleason, and Scott A. Comparato. 2015. "The Implications of Salary for the Quality of Nominations to the Federal Courts, 1964-2012." *Justice System Journal*. 36(4): 323-340.
7. Shane A. Gleason and Christopher T. Stout. 2014. "Is There Really Any Change? Exploring the Causal Relationship Between Descriptive Representation and Black Empowerment." *The Journal of Black Studies*. 45:635-659.
8. John A. Hamman, Shane A. Gleason, and Charles DiStefano. 2014. "Incumbent Vulnerability and Gubernatorial Elections: The Case of Former U. S. Governors." *Social Science Journal*. 51(2): 212-218.
9. Scott A. Comparato, Scott D. McClurg, and Shane A. Gleason. 2012. "Patterns of Policy Making across State Supreme Courts." In Kevin T. McGuire (Ed.), *New Directions in Judicial Politics*. New York: Routledge.

Current Working Papers

1. Shane A. Gleason, Jennifer J. Jones, and Jessica Rae McBean. "Beyond Mere Presence: Gender & Psychology in Judicial Decision-Making at the U.S. Supreme Court." (Revise and resubmit returned October 2017).
2. Shane A. Gleason. "It's All In What You Say and How You Say It: State Attorney General *Amicus* Brief Success."
3. Shane A. Gleason and Robert Howard. "State Supreme Courts and Shared Networking: The Diffusion of Education Policy."
4. Shane A. Gleason, Scott A. Comparato, and Christine M. Bailey. "A Network Model of State Supreme Court Citations."
5. John A. Hamman and Shane A. Gleason. "The Rising Tide of Amateurs in Gubernatorial Elections."
6. Hyunjin Song, Shane A. Gleason, Scott McClurg, and William Eveland. "Choice and Context in the Production of Social Network (Dis)agreement: Clarifying Issues in Theory and Measurement" (Under review).

Book Project

1. Robert M. Howard, Christine Roch, Susanne Schorpp, and Shane A. Gleason. "Power, Constraint and Policy Change: Courts and Education Finance Reform." (writing phase, interest expressed by University of Chicago Press).

Book Reviews

1. Shane A. Gleason. 2017. "Review of: Federalism on Trial: State Attorneys General and National Policymaking in Contemporary America," by Paul Nolette. *Law & Politics Book Review*.27(4):59-61.
2. Shane A. Gleason. 2016. "Review of: Justices on the Ballot: Continuity and Change in State Supreme Court Elections," by Herbert M. Kritzer *Law & Politics Book Review*. 26(5):100-102.

Conference Participation

1. "A Network of Friends: Citations Between State Supreme Court Justices." (with Kristen Reberg), *Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA*, January 2018.
2. "Leaders and Followers: Mapping the State Supreme Court Citation Network." (with Scott A. Comparato and Christine M. Bailey), *Annual Meeting of the Political Networks Section of the American Political Science Association, Columbus, OH*, June 2017.
3. "Gender Norms in Oral Arguments at the U.S. Supreme Court." *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2017.
4. "It's Who You Are and How You Say It: The Psychology of Gender in Attorney Success at the Supreme Court." (with Jennifer J. Jones and Jessica Rae McBean), *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2016.
5. "Mr. Justice Ginsburg? The Psychology of Gender and Success at the U.S. Supreme Court," (with Jennifer J. Jones, Aditi Ahlawat, and Jessica Rae McBean), *Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Boise, ID*, October 2015.
6. "Individual-Level Determinants of State Attorney General *Amicus Curiae* Brief Participation," *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2015.
7. "Examining Influence within the State Supreme Court Citation Network" (with Scott Comparato), *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2015.
8. "The Changing Legal Policy Diffusion Network: State Supreme Courts and Education Policy," (with Robert Howard), *Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV*, April 2015.
9. "Gender and Success at the Supreme Court," (with Aditi Ahlawat and Jessica Rae McBean), *Gender & Sexuality in Everyday Life Conference, Pocatello, ID* March, 2015.
10. "State Supreme Courts and Shared Networking: The Diffusion of Education Policy" (with Robert Howard), *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC*, August 2014.
11. "The Importance of Context and Opinion Author Identity in State Supreme Court Citation Networks" (with Scott Comparato), *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2014.
12. "Asking Many, Many Sensitive Questions: A "Person-Count" Method for Social Desirability Bias" (with J. Tobin Grant and Ruth Moon), *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2014.
13. "The Rising Tide of Amateurs in Gubernatorial Elections" (with John A. Hamman and Christopher T. Stout), *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL*, April 2014.

14. “The Structural and Personal Determinants of Political Disagreement in Social Groups” (with William Eveland, Scott McClurg, and Hyunjin Song), *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2014.
15. “A Hierarchy of Peers: Reputation in the State Supreme Court Citation Network” (with Scott Comparato), *Center for American Political Responsiveness Conference on Politics in the Judicial Hierarchy*, Pennsylvania State University, March 2014. (*invited*)
16. “It’s All In What You Say and How You Say It: The Strategic Nature of State Attorney General *Amicus Curiae* Brief Content,” *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, August 2013.
17. “Lobbying Together: State Attorney General *Amicus Curiae* Coalitions,” *Annual Meeting of the Political Networks Section of the American Political Science Association*, Bloomington, IN, June 2013. — *Nominated for Best Paper Presented by a Graduate Student.*
18. “Influencing the Law From Afar: State Supreme Court Citation Networks.” (with Scott Comparato), *Annual Meeting of the Political Networks Section of the American Political Science Association*, Bloomington, IN, June 2013.
19. “The State Attorney General Goes to Washington: Examining When State Attorneys General File *Amicus Curiae* Briefs.” *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2013.
20. “A Network Model of State Supreme Court Citations,” (with Scott Comparato) *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2013.
21. “Riding back from the sunset: the re-emergence of candidates for high level elected office,” (with John A. Hamman and Charles DiStefano) *Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Orlando, FL, January 2013.
22. “Balancing Budgets and Briefs: Solicitor General Responsiveness to Congressional Preferences.” (with Chris Nicholson) *Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Orlando, FL, January 2013.
23. “A New Method for Asking Many, Many Sensitive Questions,” (with J. Tobin Grant and Ruth Moon) *Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, November 2012.
24. ““Mr. Congressman, Can you Spare a Dime?” The Solicitor General’s *Amicus* Briefs and Congressional Budgeting,” (Poster) (with Chris Nicholson) *American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, August 2012.
25. “A Network Analysis of State Supreme Court Citations,” (with Scott Comparato) *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2012.
26. “Who’s Empowering Who?: A Quasi-Experimental Approach to Black Elected Officials and Political Efficacy,” (with Christopher Stout) *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2012.
27. “Friends of the Court’s Friends: State Attorney General *Amicus* Coalitions,” *Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, January 2012.
28. “Friend of the Court, Friend of the People? The Solicitor General and Litigant Status,” *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2011.
29. “The Solicitor General and Litigant Status in *Amicus Curiae* Briefs: Political, Legal, and Administrative Considerations,” *Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, January 2011.

30. Chair. Panel, "Religion in a Political Context," *Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, January 2011.
31. "Tracking American Evangelical Politics: Collecting Data on Evangelical Interest Groups," (with J. Tobin Grant, Daniel Bennett, Emily Carroll, and Ruth Moon) *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, April 2010.

Teaching Interests

Public Law

Constitutional Law
 Judicial Behavior and Process
 Law and Society

Research Design and Methods
 Institutions
 State Politics

Teaching Experience

Courses Taught

Idaho State University

- *Judicial Behavior*, Fall 2015, Fall 2017
- *Law & Society*, Spring 2015, Fall 2016
- *Constitutional Law: Separation of Powers*, Fall 2014-2017
- *Constitutional Law: Civil Rights & Liberties*, Spring 2016
- *Research Methods*, Spring 2017
- *Introduction to American Government*, Fall 2014-2017, Spring 2016-2017, Summer 2016-2017
- *Graduate Seminar in Institutions: The Supreme Court*, Spring 2016
- *Independent Graduate Study in Methodology*, Spring 2015, Summer 2015, Fall 2015

Southern Illinois University

- *Contemporary Intergovernmental Relations*, Spring 2014
- *Law in American Society*, Fall 2013
- *Civil Rights and Civil Liberties*, Fall 2012

Other Teaching

- *Methods Tutor for First Year Graduate Students*, Southern Illinois University, Fall 2012, Spring 2013.

Awards and Honors

Idaho State University, State Board of Education Undergraduate Research Funds Grant—\$2,700, For research support in Fall 2017.

Idaho State University, Student Government—Advisor of the Year for 2016-2017.

NSF-Travel Grant—\$900, For travel to the 2017 Annual Meeting of the Political Networks Section of the American Political Science Association, Columbus, OH, June 2017.

Idaho State University, College of Arts & Letters Irregular Salary Grant—\$5,000, For research assistant support in Spring 2017 (received with Kellee J. Kirkpatrick, Jeffrey Callen, and James Stoutenborough).

Idaho State University, College of Arts & Letters Course Release—For research activity in Spring 2017.

Idaho State University, College of Arts & Letters Travel Grant—\$1,000, For travel to the 2017 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 2017.

Idaho State University, College of Arts & Letters Travel Grant—\$1,200, For travel to the 2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 2016.

Idaho State University, College of Arts & Letters Course Release Grant— For research activity in Spring 2015.

Idaho State University, College of Arts & Letters Travel Grant—\$1,200, For travel to the 2015 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 2015.

APSA-Travel Grant—\$150, For travel to the 2013 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago IL, August 2013.

NSF-Travel Grant—\$900, For travel to the 2013 Annual Meeting of the Political Networks Section of the American Political Science Association, Bloomington IN, June 2013.

Professional Activities

Reviewer

Sage: Congressional Quarterly Press, 2017

University of California Press, 2017

Research & Politics, 2017

Journal of Law & Courts, 2017

Publius, 2017

Cognella Academic Publishing, 2017

National Science Foundation, 2016

Political Research Quarterly, 2016, 2017

American Political Science Review, 2015

Justice System Journal, 2013, 2014, 2017

Law & Policy, 2016

Political Behavior, 2015

State Politics & Policy Quarterly, 2014, 2016, 2017

Memberships

American Political Science Association

- *Law and Courts Section*
- *Political Methodology Section*

Southern Political Science Association

Midwest Political Science Association

Service

Statistical Consultant for the Museum of Idaho, Idaho Falls, Idaho, 2017-present

University Library Committee, Idaho State University, 2016-present

Law Club, Faculty Advisor, Idaho State University, 2014-present

Pre-Law Advisor, Idaho State University, 2014 - present

Assistant to the Department Network Administrator, Southern Illinois University, 2010 - 2014

Computing Skills

Proficient in Stata, R, L^AT_EX, and HTML.

References

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