Activities

Jean-Marc F. Blanchard, assistant professor, department of international relations, San Francisco State University, has been named associate director of the University's newly-created Center for U.S.-China Policy Studies.

Mary-Jane Deeb has been named chief, African and Middle East Division, Library of Congress, where she has worked since 1998. Previously, she had taught at George Washington University and Georgetown University.

Samuel B. Hoff, Delaware State University, has been reappointed as George Washington Distinguished Professor of History and Political Science, and has been reelected chair of the Dover, DE, Human Relations Commission.

Frances Fox Piven, professor, Graduate School, CUNY, has assumed the presidency of the American Sociological Association.

Terrel L. Rhodes, formerly vice provost for curriculum and dean for undergraduate studies, Portland State University, has been named vice president, office for quality, curriculum, and assessment, Association of American Colleges and Universities.

Sanford Thatcher, director, Pennsylvania State University Press, was named president-elect of the Association of American University Presses.

Administrative Appointments

Nathaniel Beck, chair, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

David S. Birdsell, dean, school of public affairs, CUNY, Bernard M. Baruch College.

James E. Campbell, chair, department of political science, SUNY, Buffalo.

Youssef Cohen, director of undergraduate studies, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Paul F. Diehl, acting head of political science, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

Jorge Domínguez, vice provost for international affairs, Harvard University.

Berenecea Johnson Eanes, vice president for student development, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY.

Michael Gillespie, acting chair, department of political science, Duke University.

Michael Gilligan, director, international relations program, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Kerry L. Haynie, associate chair, department of political science, Duke University.

Sheldon Kamieniecki, dean, division of social sciences, University of California, Santa Cruz.

Richard C. Kearney, director, school of public and international affairs, North Carolina State University.

Elizabeth E. Kiss, president, Agnes Scott College.

Johathan Nagler, director of graduate studies, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Emerson Niou, director of graduate studies, department of political science, Duke University.

Donald J. Puchala, director of graduate studies, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

Lyn Ragsdale, dean, school of social sciences, Rice University.

Jerel Rosati, director of undergraduate studies, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

Michael Steinman, provost and senior vice president for academic affairs, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY.

Reeta Chowdhari Tremblay, dean, faculty of arts, Memorial University of Newfoundland.

FOR THE RECORD



Karen Beckwith, professor, department of political science, College of Wooster, has been appointed Case Western Reserve University's first holder of the Flora Stone Mather Professorship.

Beckwith is a distinguised scholar in the fields of women in politics and the politics of gender. She is founding co-editor of *Politics & Gender,* the journal of APSA's organized section on Women and Politics Research, as well as past president of that section. She also is co-editor of Oxford University Press's series on Gender and Politics.

Beckwith received her Ph.D. from the Maxwell School of Public Administration at Syracuse University in 1982. Her dissertation was published by Greenwood Press in 1986 as *American Women and Political Participation: The Impacts of Work, Generation and Federalism.* Subsequent work has focused on electoral politics and women officeholders in Western Europe, particularly in France and Italy; conflicts between employers and coal miners in both the U.S. and the UK, specifically the role of women in these conflicts; the methodological and analytical challenges in comparing the politics of gender across countries; and the intersection of gender, regime change, and public policy in advanced industrial democracies.

Beckwith's teaching fields include elections and parties, interest groups, comparative politics and American politics, public policy, and research methods.

Beckwith begins her new position at Case in the fall 2006 semester.

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Leonard Wantchekon, MID contact, APSA, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Christopher Zorn, vice chair, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

New Appointments

Jason Barabas, assistant professor, department of political science, Florida State University.

William Bianco, professor, department of political science, Indiana University.

Pamela Blackmon, assistant professor, department of political science, Valparaiso University.

Ray Block, assistant professor, department of political science, Florida State University.

Meena Bose, professor and Peter S. Kalikow Endowed Chair in Presidential Studies, department of political science, Hofstra University.

Barry C. Burden, professor, department of political science, University of Wisconsin, Madison.

Bruce A. Carroll, assistant professor, department of political science, Eastern Michigan University.

Jose Cheibub, associate professor and Harold Boeschenstein Scholar of Political Economy and Public Policy, department of political science, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

Xi Chen, assistant professor, department of political science, Louisiana State University.

Lan T. Chu, assistant professor, department of diplomacy and world affairs, Occidental College.

Rose Corrigan, assistant professor, department of history and politics, Drexel University.

Marian Currinder, senior fellow, goverment affairs institute, Georgetown University.

Matthew Dull, assistant professor, Center for Public Administration and Policy, school of public and international affairs, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.



Marion Orr, professor, departments of political science, urban studies and public policy, Brown University, has been appointed Frederick Lippitt Professor of Public Policy. Orr has served on the APSA Executive Council and is a past president of the Urban Politics Organized Section. He is the author and co-author of two award-winning books: *Black Social Capital: The Politics of School Reform in Baltimore* and *The Color of School Reform*. Orr is currently working on two projects: examining the politics of community organizing in central cities and analyzing regime transition in Providence, Rhode Island. He was previously on the faculty at Duke University.



Lauren Cohen Bell, associate professor, department of political science, Randolph-Macon College, has been named a 2006–2007 Supreme Court Fellow. During her tenure as fellow, she will conduct legal research for the U.S. Sentencing Commission. Bell is an alumna of the APSA Congressional Fellowship Program, having worked with the Senate Judiciary Committee's Subcommittee on Immigration from 1997–1998. She has authored two recent books: *The U.S. Congress: A Simulation for Students* and *Warring Factions: Interest Groups, Money and the New Politics of Senate Confirmation*. She holds a Ph.D. from the University of Oklahoma.



Thomas R. Morris, formerly president and professor of political science, Emory and Henry College, has joined Governor Tim Kaine's administration in Virginia as Secretary of Education. Prior to his over 13 years of service at Emory and Henry, Morris was a faculty member at the University of Richmond for 21 years, where he was honored as University Distinguished Educator, received many faculty research grants, and served as chair of the Faculty Council. Morris is the author or co-author of four books, including *Virginia Government and Politics: Readings and Comments, Fourth Revised Edition*. He earned his Ph.D. from the University of Virginia, and received fellowships for additional advanced study, including a year as a Liberal Arts Fellow at Harvard Law School and a year as a fellow of the National Endowment of the Humanities at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.



James S. Fleming, professor, department of political science, Rochester Institute of Technology, has received the Andrew Eiseman Writers Award for his recent book, *Window on Congress: A Congressional Biography of Barber B. Conable, Jr.* The award honors authors living in the Rochester community. Fleming is a native of eastern North Carolina. He earned his B.A. at Wake Forest University, and his M.A. and Ph.D. at the University of Arizona. He was also a Rotary Foundation Fellow for International Understanding at the University of Adelaide. He has been at R.I.T. for 24 years, teaching courses in American politics, with a specialty in Congress and the Presidency.

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Joshua J. Dyck, assistant professor, department of political science, SUNY, Buffalo.

Jeffrey Fine, assistant professor, department of political science, Clemson University.

Kristin A. Goss, assistant professor, department of public policy studies and political science, Duke University.

Thomas G. Hansford, assistant professor, program in politics, school of social sciences, humanities, and arts, University of California, Merced.

Matthew Jarvis, assistant professor, department of political science, Indiana University.

Laura S. Jensen, associate professor, Center for Public Administration and Policy, school of public and international affairs, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Jennifer Jerit, assistant professor, department of political science, Florida State University.

Marisa A. Kellam, assistant professor, division of politics, administration, and justice, California State University, Fullerton.

Ozge Kemahilioglu, assistant professor, department of political science, Florida State University.

Tina Kempin, assistant professor, department of government and public affairs, Christopher Newport University.

Volker Krause, assistant professor, department of political science, Eastern Michigan University.

Shuhei Kurizaki, assistant professor, department of political science, Texas A&M University.

Christopher W. Larimer, assistant professor, department of political science, University of Northern Iowa.

Bahar Leventoglu, assistant professor, department of political science, Duke University.

Quan Li, assistant professor, department of political science, University of Central Florida.

Christine S. Lipsmeyer, assistant professor, department of political science, Texas A&M University.



Timothy Kaufman-Osborn, professor and Baker Ferguson Chair of Politics and Leadership, Whitman College, has been named interim dean of the faculty for the 2006–2007 academic year. He has been on the faculty at Whitman since 1982 and holds an M.A. and a Ph.D. from Princeton University. He is president of the American Civil Liberties Union of Washington, is a member of the APSA Executive Council, and served as president of the Western Political Science Association from 2001 to 2003. Among his many publications are *From Noose to Needle: Capital Punishment and the Late Liberal State*; *Creatures of Prometheus: Gender and the Politics of Technology*; and *Politics/Sense/Experience: A Pragmatic Inquiry into the Promise of Democracy*.

Daniel M. Shea, director of the Center for Political Participation, has been promoted to professor, department of political science, Allegheny College. He has also been named Social Science Teacher-Scholar Divisional Chair, an honor given to a member of the faculty who has exhibited excellence in both teaching and scholarship. He has published widely in the areas of parties, elections, participation, and the legislative process. His most recent books include *Living Democracy*, with Christopher Smith and Joanne Green, and *Fountain of Youth*, edited with John Green.



Elena V. McLean, assistant professor, department of political science, Texas A&M University.

Subhanan Mukherjee, assistant professor, department of political science, University of Notre Dame.

Stephen P. Nicholson, assistant professor, program in politics, school of social sciences, humanities, and arts, University of California, Merced.

David K. Park, assistant professor, department of political science, George Washington University.

Dianne M. Pinderhughes, professor, department of political science and department of Africana studies, University of Notre Dame.

Joseph Prud'homme, assistant professor, department of government and public affairs, Christopher Newport University.

Brian Rathbun, assistant professor, department of political science, Indiana University.

Patrick S. Roberts, assistant professor, Center for Public Administration and Policy, school of public and international affairs, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Sebastian Rosato, assistant professor, department of political science, University of Notre Dame.

Alexander Rosenberg, Taylor R. Cole Professor of Philosophy and Political Science, Duke University.

Peter Rosendorff, associate professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Gary Schaub, assistant professor, department of warfighting strategy, Air War College.

Holger Schmidt, assistant professor, department of political science and Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University.

David Siegel, assistant professor, department of political science, Florida State University.

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Gisela Sin, assistant professor, department of political science, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

Regina Smyth, assistant professor, department of political science, Indiana University.

Jas Sullivan, assistant professor, department of political science, Louisiana State University.

Zeynep Taydas, assistant professor, department of political science, Clemson University.

Craig W. Thomas, associate professor, Daniel J. Evans School of Public Affairs, University of Washington.

Joshua Tucker, associate professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Joseph Ura, assistant professor, department of political science, Louisiana State University.

Dana Villa, assistant professor, department of political science, University of Notre Dame.

Lee D. Walker, assistant professor, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

Steven A. Weldon, assistant professor, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

Visiting and Temporary Positions

Jorge Castañedo, Global Distinguished Professor of Politics and Latin American and Caribbean Studies, New York University.

Thrainn Eggertsson, professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Ethan J. Leib, visiting assistant professor, Brooklyn Law School.

James T. McHugh, visiting professor, School of International Service and associate director, Center for North American Studies, American University.

Michael Leo Owens, visiting scholar, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Pasquale Pasquino, professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Promotions

Deborah D. Avant, professor, department of political science and Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University.

Christopher Bosso, professor, department of political science, and associate dean, school of social science, urban affairs, and public policy, Northeastern University.

John Camobreco, associate professor with tenure, department of government and public affairs, Christopher Newport University.

Giovanni Capoccia, professor, department of political science, Clemson University.

James Forest, associate professor of political science and director, terrorism studies, U.S. Military Academy.

Steven Greene, associate professor, department of political science, North Carolina State University.

Christine Harrington, professor of comparative politics, University of Oxford.

Christopher Howard, professor, department of government, College of William and Mary.

Xiaobo Hu, professor, department of political science, Clemson University.

Scott de Marchi, associate professor with tenure, department of political science, Duke University.

Michael C. Munger, Earl D. McLean, Jr., Professor of Political Science, Duke University.

Laura R. Olson, professor, department of political science, Clemson University.

Leigh S. Raymond, associate professor, department of political science, Allegheny College.

Mark Redhead, associate professor, department of political science, California State University, Fullerton.

Shanker Satyanath, associate professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Kiron K. Skinner, associate professor, department of social and decision sciences, Carnegie Mellon University.

Leonard Wantchekon, professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University.

Eleanor Zeff, associate professor with tenure, department of politics and international relations, Drake University.

Awards

Jack Barlow, professor, department of politics, Juniata College, received the College's Beachley Award for Distinguished Academic Service for 2006.

Nathaniel Beck, professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University, has been elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

James T. Hamilton, professor, departments of public policy, political science, and economics, Duke University, received a Fellowship in Environmental Regulatory Implementation from Resources for the Future to document the origins and outcomes of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Conservation Reserve Program.

Carrie Konold, Ph.D. candidate, political science, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, was awarded a Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship for her dissertation entitled, "Contesting Secularisms: Citizenship, Religion, and Democracy in Comparative Perspective."

Michael Laver, professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University, received the Jack L. Walker Award from the Political Organizations and Parties organized section of APSA for his article, "Policy and the Dynamics of Political Competition," published in the May 2005 issue of the *APSR*.

Kenneth Mayer, professor of political science at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, has been named Fulbright Distinguished Chair at the Australian National University in Canberra for 2007–2008.

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Larry Mead, professor, Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University, was a co-winner of the Louis Brownlow Book Award from the National Academy of Public Administration for his book, *Government Matters: Welfare Reform in Wisconsin* (Princeton University Press, 2004).

Gregg Daniel Miller, recent Ph.D., University of Washington, received the 2006 Best Dissertation Award from the Western Political Science Association for his dissertation, entitled "Mimesis and Communicative Action: Habermas and the Affective Bond of Understanding."

Norman Nie, chairman and co-founder, MR and SPSS, has been honored with a Lifetime Achievement Award by the American Association of Public Opinion Reasearch (AAPOR). The award recognizes Nie's groundbreaking work in survey research tools and methodology and his award-winning writing over three decades.

Raymond A. Rosenfeld, head, department of political science, Eastern Michigan University, received a Fulbright Senior Specialist Award to conduct comparative civic culture research at Oslo University College and Halden University College, Norway.

Christopher Skeaff, Ph.D. candidate, political science, Northwestern University, was awarded a Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship for his dissertation, entitled "The Praxis of Critique: Spinoza's Enlightenment, Our Democracy."

Donley T. Studlar, Eberly Family Distinguished Professor of Political Science, West Virginia University, received awards from the Fulbright Commission and Aarhus University to teach and conduct research at Aarhus University, Denmark, for 2006–2007.

Retirements

Charles W. Kegley, Jr., Pearce Professor of International Relations, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

Robert Melson, professor, department of political science, Purdue University.

Patricia J. Mills, associate professor, department of political science, University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

Woodrow Wilson International Center 2006–2007 Scholars Named

The Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, established by Congress in 1968 and headquartered in Washington, D.C., is a nonpartisan institution, supported by public and private funds and engaged in the study of national and world affairs. Lee H. Hamilton, president and director of the Woodrow Wilson Center, announced the selection of the 2006–2007 fellowship class. The 23 fellows, most of whom will arrive in September 2006 to spend an academic year in residence at the Center, will include scholars and practitioners from the United States, Bolivia, France, Germany, Great Britain, Egypt, India, Poland, Tanzania, and Turkey. Those who practice in the field of political science are listed below with the projects they will pursue during their Wilson Center residency.

Gordon Adams, professor of the practice of international affairs, Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University. "Buying National Security: Transforming the U.S. Resource Planning Process"

Pinar Bilgin, assistant professor of international relations, Bilkent University, Turkey.
"Globalization and Security in the Developing World: The Case of Turkey"

Dieter Dettke, executive director, Washington office, Friedrich Ebert Foundation. "In Search of Normalcy: Germany's Defense and Security Policy Between Realpolitik and the Civilian Power Paradigm"

Bruce Dickson, professor of political science and international affairs, George Washington University. "Turning Wealth into Power: The Evolving Political Influence of China's 'Red Capitalists'"

Francine Frankel, professor of political science, University of Pennsylvania.
"Challenges of Establishing an Indo-U.S. Global Partnership: the Broader Historical and Cultural Framework"

Andreas Heinrich, researcher, Koszalin Institute of Comparative European Studies, Poland. "Eurasian Pipeline Politics: Conflict and Cooperation"

Charles Kupchan, professor of international affairs, Georgetown University. "The Sources of Stable Peace"

René Mayorga, professor of political science, Centro Boliviano de Estudios Multidisciplinarios (CEBEM), Bolivia. "Weak States and Institutional Reforms in the Andean Region"

Cynthia McClintock, professor of political science, George Washington University.
"The Majority Runoff Presidential-Election Rule in Latin America"

Sebastien Peyrouse, consulting expert on Central Asia, Zones Grises.
"Islam and Politics in Post-Soviet Central Asia: A Response to Globalization"

Janelle Wong, assistant professor of political science, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.
"Immigration, Religion, and Conservative Politics in America"

Michael Yahuda, professor emeritus of international relations, London School of Economics; visiting scholar, George Washington University.
"Sino-Japanese Relations and their Implications for the United States"

George T. Sulzner, professor, department of political science, University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

Peter C. Sederberg, professor, department of political science, University of South Carolina.

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In the News . . .







Marcus Pohlmann (Rhodes College) believes Tennessee's 9th District primary Independent candidate Jake Ford "is almost immediately viable . . . he has the Ford name and he's an African-American in a minority-majority district."—*Knoxville News,* August 8

Don Kettl (University of Pennsylvania) declares the Democrats' label of the GOP-run Congress as 'do-nothing' a charge that "adds to the drumbeat of their campaign . . . and so far, it's paying off."—*Los Angeles Times,* August 6

Karim Makdisi (American University of Beirut) explains Michel Aoun's rapid "rise [as] Lebanon's Napoleon."—*Globe and Mail,* August 5

William Boone (Clark Atlanta University) regarded Rep. Cynthia McKinney's upcoming election as "the fight of her career" and says McKinney's focus on racial issues is one reason she might lose on Tuesday.—*USA Today,* August 4

David Fleishcer (University of Brasilia) remarked on Brazilian President, Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva's decision to hold a constitutional convention to help end corruption and inefficiency in the country's government and political-party system.—Bloomberg.com, August 3

Javier Corrales (Amherst College) comments on the important development in Cuba as Raul Castro steps into power.—AScribe Newswire, August 1

Mark Rozell (George Mason University) shared his insight as to why psychologist James Dobson's influence has grown steadily "since he entered the political spotlight in 2004 by formerly endorsing George Bush for president."—*Virginia Pilot,* July 31

Susan MacManus (University of South Florida) understands why Florida's Democratic candidate for governor, Rod Smith, has become the first Democrat to air a television commercial. Television advertising is "the fastest way to close the gap with people."—*Tampa Tribune,* July 29

Georg Lutz (University of Berne) spoke about the Geneva Convention's discussion of the Lebanon crisis.—swissinfo.org, July 27

Joe Kunkel (Minnesota State University, Mankato) sees the television ads of Minnesota's Senate candidate, Congressman Mark Kennedy, as "a signal that Kennedy is trying to separate himself from President Bush and the Republican Party."—*Minnesota Public Radio,* July 25

Alan Rosenthal (Rutgers University) writes about government ethics and believes that now legislators and lobbyists deal with one another "at arm's length."—*Statesman Journal* (Salem, OR), July 24

Joe Corso (East Tenessee State University) understands the flood of candidates in the 1st District in upper-East Tennessee to be for the only open door to Congress "opportunity probably for the next 10 years."—*Knoxville News,* July 23

John McGlennon (College of William and Mary) argues that those against Richmond Mayor L. Douglas Wilder may be missing the point that he is "not the kind of politician who acts quietly, behind the scenes."—*Richmond Times-Dispatch,* July 22

Robert Spitzer (SUNY, Cortland) believes President Bush "drew the line in the sand" when he rejected the stem cell bill.—*USA Today,* July 21

Carol Swain (Vanderbilt University) argued "it's too late into his [Bush's] presidency to expect to neutralize how African-Americans feel about the Republican Party" after Bush addressed the annual conference of the NAACP.—BBC News, July 20

Nolan McCarty (Princeton University) designates President Bush's use of the veto as a tool to be used "when you don't have any other sources of influence."—*Baltimore Sun,* July 19

Shlomo Avineri (Hebrew University) analyzed the decisions of the Israeli government, saying "Political psychology is an important factor . . . an Israeli government that responds weakly can't pull back or disengage" from occupied territory.—*International Herald Tribune,* July 18

Seth G. Jones (RAND Corporation) wrote an opinion on "How to curb rising suicide terrorism in Afghanistan."—*Christian Science Monitor,* July 17

Darrell West (Brown University) heads the Brown University polling system, which is keeping tabs on Rhode Island's unexpectedly competitive gubernatorial race "with two recent polls showing [Republican Governor Donald] Carcieri and Democratic Lt. Gov. Charles Fogarty running neck-and-neck."—Associated Press, July 16

Robert A. Pape (University of Chicago) shared insight on Islamist terrorism from his book "Dying to Win: The Strategic Logic of Suicide Terrorism."—*New York Times,* July 15

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Booklist: Upcoming Publications in the Political Science Discipline

This section lists upcoming book publications across the broad field of political science. This list is fully reader-generated. If your first-edition book is scheduled for publication in the three months before publication of the next issue of *PS* (i.e., if it will be published in the September, October, November, or December months that lay between publication of *PS*'s October and January issues), enter the details of publication in the box found at *PS*'s web site: www.apsanet.org/section_223.cfm. We hope that spreading word of upcoming work will help keep our members even more attune to new scholarship within the discipline.

Academic Freedom at the Dawn of a New Century: How Terrorism, Governments, and Culture Wars Impact Free Speech
Edited by Evan Gerstmann and Matthew J. Streb
Stanford University Press

Addressing the State of the Union: The Evolution and Impact of the President's Big Speech
Donna R. Hoffman and Alison D. Howard
Lynne Rienner Publishers

The Afterlife of America's War in Vietnam: Changing Visions in Politics and on Screen
Gordon Arnold
McFarland & Company, Publishers

Age in the Welfare State: The Origins of Social Spending on Pensioners, Workers and Children
Julia Lynch
Cambridge University Press

The American Journalist in the 21st Century: U.S. News People at the Dawn of a New Millennium
David H. Weaver
Lawrence Erlbaum Associates

Apologia Politica: States and Their Apologies by Proxy
Girma Negash
Lexington Books

Bazaar and State in Iran: Politics of the Tehran Marketplace
Arang Keshavarzian
Cambridge University Press

Black Feminist Voices in Politics
Evelyn M. Simien
State University of New York Press

Building the Next Ark: How NGOs Work to Protect Biodiversity
Michael M. Gunter, Jr.
Dartmouth College and University Press of New England

Business and Government: Methods and Practice
Edited by Wyn Grant and David Coen
Barbara Budrich

Challenging the Performance Movement: Accountability, Complexity and Democratic Values
Beryl A. Radin
Georgetown University Press

Champions for Peace: Women Winners of the Nobel Peace Prize
Judith Hicks Stiehm
Rowman and Littlefield

Comparative Environmental Politics
Jerry McBeath and Jonathan Rosenberg
Springer

Competition and American Politics
Edited by Michael P. McDonald and John Samples
Brookings Institution Press

The Cuban Missile Crisis: A Concise History
Don Munton and David A. Welch
Oxford University Press

Devolution and Black State Legislators: Challenges and Choices in the Twenty-first Century
Tyson King-Meadows and Thomas F. Schaller
SUNY Press

Digital Era Governance: IT Corporations, the State and e-Government
Patrick Dunleavy, Helen Margetts, Simon Bastow and Jane Tinkler
Oxford University Press

Ethics and Public Policy: Method and Cases
Wm. T. Bluhm and Robert A. Heineman
Prentice-Hall

Executing the Constitution: Putting the President Back into the Constitution
Christopher S. Kelley
SUNY Press

Family Feuds: Wollstonecraft, Burke, and Rousseau on the Transformation of the Family
Eileen Hunt Botting
State University of New York Press

Financing the 2004 Election
Edited by David B. Magleby, Kelly Patterson, and Anthony J. Corrado
Brookings Institution Press

From the Corn Laws to Free Trade: Interests, Ideas and Institutions in Historical Perspective
Cheryl Schonhardt-Bailey
MIT Press

Gandhi's Philosophy and the Quest for Harmony
Anthony J Parel
Cambridge University Press

Gender and the Political Opportunities of Democratization in South Korea
Nicola Jones
Palgrave USA

Government and Politics in Russia and the Post-Soviet Region
Vicki Hesli
Houghton Mifflin

Hegemony and Power: Consent and Coercion in Contemporary Politics
Edited by Mark Haugaard and Howard H. Lentner
Lexington Books

Identifying Threats and Threatening Identities: The Social Construction of Realism and Liberalism
David L. Rousseau
Stanford University Press

Integrating Islam: Political and Religious Challenges in Contemporary France
Jonathan Laurence and Justin Vaisse
Brookings Institution Press

International Space Commerce: Building from Scratch
Roger Handberg
University Press of Florida

Interpretation and Method: Empirical Research Methods and the Interpretive Turn
Edited by Dvora Yanow and Peregrine Schwartz-Shea
M E Sharpe

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Is There a Culture War?A Dialogue on Values and American Public Life
James Davison Hunter and Alan Wolfe
Brookings Institution Press

Israel's Higher Law: Religion and Liberal Democracy in the Jewish State
Steven V. Mazie
Lexington Books / Rowman & Littlefield Publishers

Japan in A Dynamic Asia: Coping with the New Security Challenges
Yoichiro Sato
Lexington Books (Rowman and Littlefields)

Leo Strauss: An Introduction to His Thought and Intellectual Legacy
Thomas L. Pangle
Johns Hopkins University Press

Liberating Oedipus? Psychoanalysis as Critical Theory
Filip Kovacevic
Lexington Books

The Logic of Pre-Electoral Coalition Formation
Sona N. Golder
Ohio State University Press

Making Political Science Matter
Brian Caterno
NYU Press

Managing Your Academic Career
Wyn Grant (with Philippa Sherrington)
Palgrave

The Marketplace of Democracy: Electoral School Money Trials: The Legal Pursuit of Educational Adequacy
Edited by Martin R. West and Paul E. Peterson
Brookings Institution Press

Mayors and Schools: Minority Voices and Democratic Tensions in Urban Education
Stefanie Chambers
Temple University Press

Media and the Politics of Failure: Great Powers, Communication Strategies, and Military Defeats
Laura Roselle
Palgrave

Mr. Democrat: Jim Farley, the New Deal, and the Making of Modern American Politics
Daniel Scroop
Michigan University Press

Musical Democracy
Nancy S. Love
State University of New York Press

No Child Left Behind and the Transformation of Federal Education Policy, 1965–2005
Patrick McGuinn
University Press of Kansas

Pessimism: Philosophy, Ethic, Spirit
Joshua Foa Dienstag
Princeton University Press

Pius XII, The Holocaust And The Revisionists
Patrick J.Gallo
MCFarland & Co. Publishers

The Politican Management of HIV and AIDS in South Africa: One Burden Too Many?
Pieter Fourie
Palgrave Macmillan

Postcolonial Politics and Personal Laws: Colonial Legal Legacies and the Indian State
Rina Verma Williams
Oxford University Press

Promoting the General Welfare: New Perspectives on Government Performance
Edited by Alan S. Gerber and Eric M. Patashnik
Brookings Institution Press

Public Program Evaluation: A Statistical Guide
Laura Langbein (with Claire Felbinger)
ME Sharpe

Red and Blue Nation? Characteristics and Causes of America's Polarized Politics
Edited by Pietro S. Nivola and David W. Brady
Brookings Institution Press

Regulating Aversion: Tolerance in the Age of Empire and Identity
Wendy Brown
Princeton University Press

Republicanism, Religion and the Soul of America
Ellis Sandoz
University of Missouri Press

Resorting to Casinos: The Mississippi Gambling Industry
Edited by Denise von Herrmann
University Press of Mississippi

Rethinking Political Institutions: The Art of the State
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Frances E. Willis (1899–1983), Ph.D. in political science from Stanford University in 1923, was among six diplomats commemorated on the "Distinguished American Diplomats" postage stamp in May, 2006. Willis was assistant professor of political science at Vassar College when, in 1927, she decided to enter the Foreign Service. She was only the third woman to enter the Foreign Service, and did so, she later told an interviewer, because she "didn't want to just teach political science, I wanted to be a part of it."

Willis was the first woman to make the Foreign Service a career and the first American woman to be honored with the title of Career Ambassador. She enjoyed many other "firsts" during her career, including serving as the first woman charge d'affaires, the first woman deputy chief mission, the first U.S. ambassador to Switzerland, and the first woman to serve as ambassador at three of her posts.

In 1953, Willis was presented with the *Los Angeles Times*' Woman of the Year award. In 1955, she received the Eminent Achievement Award from the American Woman's Association, and in 1973 she received the Foreign Service Cup from the American Foreign Service Association.

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