Activities

Herbert Werlin, retired, University of Maryland, is being honored by Exeter College, Oxford for his contribution to political philosophy in the Summer 2007 issue of *The Journal of Social, Political, and Economic Studies,* "Corruption and Democracy: Is Lord Acton Right?"

Administrative Appointments

Amílcar Antonio Barreto, associate dean and director, Graduate School for the College of Arts & Sciences, Northeastern University.

W. Bartley Hildreth, Regents Distinguished Professor of Public Finance, Wichita State University, appointed interim dean of the W. Frank Barton School of Business.

Michael Minkenberg, professor, European University Viadrina Frankfurt, has been named the 2007-2009 Max Weber Chair for German and European Studies, Center for European and Mediterranean Studies, New York University.

Bernard Rowan, chairman, department of history, philosophy, and political science, Chicago State University.

Lawrence Solum, the John E. Cribbet Professor of Law and Professor of Philosophy, named the inaugural Associate Dean for Faculty and Research at the University of Illinois College of Law.

Janelle Wong, interim director of the Jesse M. Unruh Institute of Politics, department of political science, University of Southern California.

New Appointments

Robert K. Adcock, assistant professor, department of political science, George Washington University.

Stephen Ansolabehere, professor, department of government, Harvard University.

Luis Cabrera, lecturer, department of political science and international studies, University of Birmingham.

Sonja Amadae, assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Bear Braumoeller, assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Hans Hacker, assistant professor, department of political science, Arkansas State University.

Kate Ivanova, assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University-Newark.

Alana Jeydel, assistant professor, department of political science, American River College.

Marc Lynch, associate professor, department of political science, George Washington University.

Corrine McConnaughy, professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Eric MacGilvray, assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

William Minozzi, assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

David L. Paletz, director, Film/Video/Digital Program, professor, department of political science, Duke University.

Sean Richey, assistant professor, department of political science, Georgia State University.

Elizabeth N. Saunders, assistant professor, department of political science, George Washington University.

Sara Watson, professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Ishmail White, professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Visiting and Temporary Positions

Andrea Haupt, visiting assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Rafi Youatt, visiting assistant professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

FOR THE RECORD



Mark C. Miller, Clark University associate professor of Government and International Relations and Director of Clark's Law and Society Program, received a Fulbright Distinguished Chair Award for 2007–2008.

Miller will teach at the University of Leiden in the Netherlands during the spring 2008 semester. There he will hold the Thomas Jefferson Distinguished Chair, teaching in the American Studies Program, which is one of the largest American Studies program in Europe. He will teach a master's level course called "The Supreme Court in American History" and a bachelor's level class titled "Government and Politics in the United States."

Miller is the editor of the forthcoming book, *Exploring Judicial Politics* (Oxford University Press), and co-edited, *Making Policy, Making Law: An Interbranch Perspective* (Georgetown University Press). His first book was called, *The High Priests of American Politics: The Role of Lawyers in American Political Institutions* (University of Tennessee Press).

He came to Clark University in 1990 and has served as chair of the government department, and director of the Law & Society program. His current research interests include the interactions between Congress and the courts; constitutional law issues involving the powers of Congress; and comparisons of judicial politics in North America and Western Europe.

He is currently working on another book entitled, *The View of the Courts from the Hill: Interactions between Congress and the Federal Judiciary*. He has been named Outstanding Teacher of the Year and received The Oliver and Dorothy Hayden Junior Faculty Fellowship Award for excellence in teaching and research as well as the Seymour N. Logan Faculty Fellowship for excellence in teaching and research.

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Promotions

Li Bennich-Björkman, Skytte Professor of Elocution and Political Science, Uppsala University. She is the first woman to hold what is probably the world's oldest chair in political science, endowed in 1622.

Karl DeRouen, Jr., professor, department of political science, The University of Alabama.

Jennifer Leigh Disney, associate professor, department of political science, Winthrop University. Disney was also named the director for the Office of Nationally Competitive Awards (ONCA) at Winthrop University.

Scott H. Huffmon, associate professor (tenured), department of political Science, Winthrop University.

Michael E. Lipscomb, associate professor (tenured), department of political science, Winthrop University.

Rosemary O'Leary, Maxwell School Advisory Board Endowed Chair, departments of public administration and political science, Syracuse University.

Randall Schweller, professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Michael A. Unger, assistant professor, School of American and International Studies, Ramapo College of New Jersey.

Daniel Verdier, professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

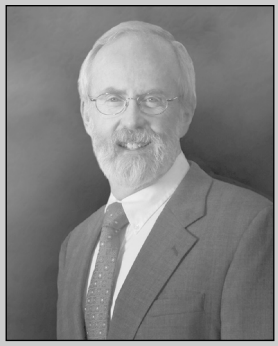
Craig Volden, associate professor, political science department, Ohio State University.

Awards

Lawrence Baum, professor, political science department, Ohio State University, received the C. Herman Pritchet Award for the best book on law and courts.

Jason Davidson, assistant professor of political science and international affairs, the University of Mary Washington has been named the "Outstanding Young Faculty Member" for 2007.

Dennis M. Foster, assistant professor, department of international studies and political science, Virginia Military Institute, received the Institute's 2006-2007 Thomas Jefferson Award for teaching excellence by a junior faculty member.



The University of Denver's Graduate School of International Studies (GSIS) received a $7.45 million gift from investor-philanthropist Frederick S. Pardee to support and expand the school's International Futures program. Chancellor Robert Coombe said the gift will be used to create the Frederick S. Pardee Center for International Futures at GSIS, funding its endowment and operating costs from 2008 through 2012. One-half million dollars will go to the Frederick S. Pardee Pavilion, to be constructed within GSIS. Developed by GSIS Professor **Barry Hughes**, International Futures is a sophisticated computer modeling system that can help forecast long-term global changes and trends in demographics, economics, the environment, and international politics.



Susan Herbst was appointed executive vice chancellor and chief academic officer (EVC/CAO) for the University System of Georgia (USG). The EVC/CAO is responsible for meeting the academic needs of more than 260,000 students and approximately 10,000 University System faculty members. The position also provides leadership to the System's comprehensive universities and to a division at the University System Office that includes academic programs and planning, faculty affairs, student affairs, international programs, teacher-education initiatives, strategic research and analysis, and information and instructional technology. The presidents of the 15 institutions in the System's university sector report to her. She previously served as the acting president of the University at Albany, State University of New York.



University of California, Berkeley, political scientist **Jack Citrin** was appointed the director of the Institute of Governmental Services. The seventh director in IGS's 88-year history, Citrin took over from Bruce Cain. Associate Vice Chancellor for Research Robert Price made the appointment, saying "Jack has proved himself both an outstanding scholar and an excellent administrator." Citrin, an expert on public opinion in the United States and Europe, already launched a new program at the Institute, titled "America Elects the President: Issues, Questions, and Campaigns." He also plans to create a Center on the Study of Representation and to strengthen the traditional IGS focus on California politics. He previously served as the Institute's associate director and has taught at Berkeley since 1969.



Larry Dodd, the Manning J. Dauer Eminent Scholar in Political Science at the University of Florida, was selected the 2006–2007 Teacher/Scholar of the Year from across the university. Originating in 1960, this is the university's most prestigious and oldest faculty award. During his 12 years at UF Dodd has continued his scholarly work on Congress, including research as a fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in Washington. He is now engaged in an NSF-funded study of the 2006 elections in Nicaragua jointly undertaken with Leslie Anderson, his political science colleague and wife. He has authored four books, edited five, and written over 50 essays and articles. Dodd is the second political scientist to win the award since its inception.

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Marcus Kurtz, Alumni Award for Distinguished Teaching, 2007, Ohio State University.

B. Rick Mayes, associate professor, department of political science, University of Richmond, received a campus-wide Distinguished Educator Award.

Gerson Moreno-Riano, chair of the government department, Regent University, won a second place Templeton Enterprise Award for his article "Natural Law and Modern Economic Theory" in the *Journal of Markets and Morality*,

John Mueller, political science department, Ohio State University, received the Warren Mitofsky Award for excellence in public opinion research.

Barry G. Rabe, professor, Gerald Ford School of Government and School of Natural Resources and Environment, University of Michigan, named recipient of a Climate Protection Award from the U.S. Environment Protection Agency for his contribution to the understanding of climate policy.

Irfan Nooruddin, Distinguished University Mentor of the Year Award, 2007, Ohio State University.

Israel Waismel-Manor, assistant professor, department of government and political theory, school of political sciences, University of Haifa, Israel, received Outstanding Lecturer award, faculty of social sciences.

Award-Winning Political Science Faculty, Academic Year 2006–2007

PS learned of an additional award recipient after publication of the October issue.



Houman A. Sadri
University of Central Florida
Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching
This award is offered to a tenured (or tenured earning) faculty who selected by an interdisciplinary group of faculty members from all university departments. The award is given in recognition of excellence in teaching in terms of: classroom effectiveness, creative methods, impact on students' success, and scholarship of teaching. This is an annual award program. Nominees for the award must have at least three years of continuous service.

American University Names Rojer W. Jones Award for Executive Leadership Recipients



From left to right: AU professor Robert Tobias, director School of Public Affairs' Key Executive Leadership Programs; John Potter, CEO and postmaster general, US Postal Service; William LeoGrande, dean, AU School of Public Affairs; MaryAnne Musumeci, director, James J. Peters VA Medical Center, Bronx.

John Potter, postmaster general and chief executive officer of the United States Postal Service, and **MaryAnn Musumeci**, director of the Bronx/James J. Peters Veteran Affairs Medical Center in New York have been honored as the 2007 recipients of The Roger W. Jones Award for Executive Leadership, presented annually by American University's School of Public Affairs. William M. LeoGrande, dean of the School of Public Affairs, hosted a ceremony at the Katzen Arts Center's Abramson Family Recital Hall to honor these two Federal career executives, who have demonstrated outstanding commitment to excellence, leadership, and professional development. Mark W. Everson, president and chief executive officer of the American Red Cross (former commissioner of the IRS) offered the keynote speech, "Thoughts from a Recovering Political Appointee."

National Academy of Public Administration Announces 2007 Fellows

The National Academy of Public Administration has elected 34 Fellows for 2007. NAPA Fellows provide leadership, analysis, and recommendations on projects commissioned by Congress, federal agencies, state and local governments, and the private sector. Fellows advise and actively participate in Academy studies and testify before congressional committees on emerging public management challenges. Academy panels recently have advised top FBI leadership on the agency's human capital efforts, offered comprehensive changes to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and constructively advised the National Institutes of Health and the Corporation for National and Community Service.

Stuart Bretschneider, associate dean and chair, department of public administration, Syracuse University.

Michael Britnall, executive director, American Political Science Association.

Jack H. Knott, Irwin C. and Ione L. Piper Dean and Professor, School of Policy, Planning, and Development, University of Southern California.

Alasdair S. Roberts, professor of public administration, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University.

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