

Samuel A. Chambers — Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Positions

Professor of Political Science <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>	2017 — Present <i>Baltimore, MD</i>
Distinguished Visiting Professor <i>University of Le Havre</i>	2016 <i>Le Havre, France</i>
Leverhulme Visiting Professor <i>University of Brighton</i>	2015 — 2016 <i>Brighton, UK</i>
Chair of Political Science <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>	2020 — 2023 <i>Baltimore, MD</i>
Associate Professor of Political Science <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>	2010 — 2017 <i>Baltimore, MD</i>
Assistant Professor of Political Science <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>	2008 — 2010 <i>Baltimore, MD</i>
Senior Lecturer in Politics <i>Swansea University</i>	2006 — 2008 <i>Swansea, UK</i>
Lecturer in Politics <i>Swansea University</i>	2005 — 2006 <i>Swansea, UK</i>
Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science <i>Penn State University</i>	2004 — 2005 <i>State College, PA</i>
Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science <i>University of Redlands</i>	2003 — 2004 <i>Redlands, CA</i>
Assistant Professor of Political Science <i>Saint Mary's College of Maryland</i>	1999 — 2003 <i>Saint Mary's City, MD</i>
Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science <i>Saint Mary's College of Maryland</i>	1998 — 1999 <i>Saint Mary's City, MD</i>

Education

University of Minnesota <i>Doctor of Philosophy in Political Science</i>	1994 — 1998
Vanderbilt University <i>Master of Arts in Political Science</i>	1993 — 1994
Pomona College <i>Bachelor of Arts in PPE</i>	1989 — 1993

Publications

Authored Books

- *Money Has No Value*. Berlin: De Gruyter, 2023.
- *Capitalist Economics*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2022.
- *There's No Such Thing as "The Economy": Essays on Capitalist Value*. Brooklyn, NY: Punctum Books, 2018.
- *Bearing Society in Mind: Theories and Politics of the Social Formation*. London: Rowman and Littlefield International, 2014.
- *The Lessons of Rancière*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2013. [Korean Translation, Greenbee Press, 2021]
- *The Queer Politics of Television*. New York: Palgrave, 2009.
- *Judith Butler and Political Theory: Troubling Politics*. Written with Terrell Carver. London and New York: Routledge, 2008.
- *Untimely Politics*. New York and Edinburgh: New York University Press and Edinburgh University Press, 2003.

Edited Volumes

- *Michael Shapiro: Discourse, Culture, Violence*. Edited with Terrell Carver. London and New York: Routledge, 2012.
- *Carole Pateman: Feminism, Democracy, Welfare*. Edited with Terrell Carver. London and New York: Routledge, 2011.
- *Jacques Rancière on the Shores of Queer Theory*. Special Issue of *Borderlands*, edited with Michael O'Rourke Vol. 8, No. 3, 2009.
- *Judith Butler's Precarious Politics: Critical Encounters*. Edited with Terrell Carver. London and New York: Routledge, 2008.
- *William E. Connolly: Democracy, Pluralism and Political Theory*. Edited with Terrell Carver. London and New York: Routledge, 2007.

Series Editor, Routledge Innovators in Political Theory

- Fourteen volumes published to date: Mouffe, Shapiro, Connolly, Pateman, Laclau, Pitkin, Kateb, Flathman, Gunnell, Dallmayr, Mansbridge, Rogin, Tully, and Young. Forthcoming: Honig.

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- "Geldpolitik" *Review of Politics*. Vol 87, No. 1, 2025: 104–106.
- "Insurrection Through the Balance Sheet." *Finance and Society*. Vol. 10, no. 3, 2024: 297–305.
- "The Sky and the Mud: The Art and Politics of Television." *TV/Series*. no. 22, 2023: 1–15.
- "The Money Array; or, Show Me the Debtor," *Finance and Society*. Vol. 9, no. 2, 2023: 1–20.
- "From Restricted to General Political Economy: Derrida and Marx on Meaning and Value." *Parrhesia: A Journal of Critical Philosophy*, 35, 2022: 93–118.
- "Undoing Neoliberalism: *Homo Œconomicus*, *Homo Politicus*, and the *Zōon Politikon*." *Critical Inquiry*, 44 (Summer 2018): 706–732.
- "On Norms and Opposition." *No Foundations: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Law and Justice*, Vol 14, 2017: 1–26.
- "What Kind of Theory is The Labor Theory of Value? Marx as Genealogist in *Zur Kritik*." *Political Power and Social Theory*, Vol 32, 2017: 63–98.
- "[Political Theory as Forestry](#)." *Syndicate Network*. October 2016.
- "Translating Politics." *Philosophy and Rhetoric*. Vol. 49, No. 4, 2016: 524–548.
- "Walter White is a Bad Teacher: Pedagogy, *Partage*, and Politics in Season 4 of *Breaking Bad*." *Theory & Event*, 17.1, 2014.
- "Whiteness and the Social Formation: Democracy Through Abolition." *New Political Science*, Vol. 36, No. 2, 2014: 245–254.
- "Jacques Rancière's Lesson on the Lesson." *Educational Philosophy and Theory*, Vol. 45, No. 6, 2012: 637–646.
- "Untimely Politics *avant la lettre*: The Temporality of Social Formations." *Time and Society*, Vol. 20, No. 2, 2011, pp. 199–225.
- "Jacques Rancière and the Problem of Pure Politics." *European Journal of Political Theory*, Vol. 10, No. 3, 2011, pp. 303–326.
- "Les Publics du Terrorisme apres Obama: 24, Saison 7." Published in French, written with Anne Caldwell. *Poli – Politique de l'image* No. 2, March 2010, pp. 83–100.
- "A Queer Politics of the Democratic Miscount." *Borderlands* Vol. 8, No. 2, 2009.
- "Ann Coulter and the Problem of Pluralism: From Values to Politics." Written with Alan Finlayson. *Borderlands* Vol. 7, No. 1, 2008.
- "'Sex' and the Problem of the Body: Reconstructing Judith Butler's Theory of Sex/Gender." *Body & Society*, Vol. 13, No. 4, 2007, pp. 47–75. [Reprinted in *Structure and Agency*. edited by Mike O'Donnell, London: sage, 2010.]
- "Kinship Trouble: *Antigone's Claim* and the Politics of Heteronormativity." Written with Terrell Carver. *Politics and Gender*, Vol. 3, No. 4, 2007, pp. 427–449.
- "Philosophy, Politics, and User Interface: The Medium is Still the Message (A Response to Carver)." *Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies*, Vol. 4, No. 4, 2007, pp. 426–429.
- "'An Incalculable Effect': Subversions of Heteronormativity." *Political Studies*, Vol. 55.3, 2007: 656–679.
- "Normative Violence after 9/11: Rereading the Politics of *Gender Trouble*." *New Political Science*. 29.1, 2007: 43–60.
- "Cultural Politics and The Practice of Fugitive Theory." *Contemporary Political Theory*, 5.1, 2006: 9–32.
- "Working on the Democratic Imagination and the Limits of Deliberative Democracy." *Political Research Quarterly*, Vol. 58, No. 4, 2005: 619–623.
- "The Politics of Literarity." *Theory & Event*, Vol. 8, No. 3, 2005.
- "Democracy and (the) Public(s): Spatializing Politics in the Internet Age." *Political Theory*, Vol. 32, No. 1, 2005: 125–136.
- "Anti-Imperialism in the Buffyverse: A Challenge to the Mythos of Bush as Vampire-Slayer." Written with Daniel Williford. *Poroi*, Vol. 3, No. 2, 2004.

- "Giving Up (on) Rights? The Future of Rights and the Project of Radical Democracy." *American Journal of Political Science*, Vol. 48, No. 2, 2004: 185–200.
- "Ghostly Rights." *Cultural Critique*, No. 54, 2003: 148–177.
- "Telepistemology of the Closet; Or, The Queer Politics of *Six Feet Under*." *Journal of American Culture*, Vol. 26, No. 1, 2003: 24–41.
- "Foucault's Evasive Maneuvers: Nietzsche, Interpretation, Critique." *Angelaki*, Vol. 6, No. 3, 2001: 101–123.
- "Language and Politics: Agonistic Discourse and *The West Wing*." *CTheory*, November 12, 2001.
- "Digital Democracy: When Culture Becomes News." Written with Patrick Finn, *CTheory*, November 12, 2001
- "The Hegemonic Politics of Race: The Place of an Abolitionist Personality in the Democratic Imaginary." *Stanford Agora*, Vol. 1, No. 2, 2001.
- "Spectral History, Untimely Theory." *Theory & Event*, Vol. 3, No. 4, 1999.

Book Chapters and Essays

- "Marx's Critique of Political Economy and the Institution of Slavery, Ancient and Modern." Written with Rothin Datta and Benjamin Taylor. Forthcoming in "*These Ancients remain ever new*": *Critical Antiquities After Marx*, edited by Tristan Bradshaw and Benjamin Brown.
- "Subject Positions and Seriality in *The Good Wife*." In *Exploring Seriality on Screen: Audiovisual Narratives in Film and Television*, edited by Anne Cremieux and Ariane Hudelet. London: Routledge, 2021.
- "What Kind of Theory is The Labor Theory of Value? Marx as Genealogist in *Zur Kritik*." In *International Origins of Social and Political Theory*, edited by George Lawson and Tarak Barkawi. London: Emerald Publishing, 2017; 63–98.
- "Learning How to Be a Capitalist: From Neoliberal Pedagogy to the Mystery of Learning." In *The Pedagogics of Unlearning*, edited by Eamonn Dunne and Michael O'Rourke. Brooklyn: Punctum Books, 2016; 71–106.
- "Author's Preface" to the Korean edition of the *The Lessons of Rancière*, 2016.
- "Editing and Curation." Editorial essay, *Contemporary Political Theory*, 15.1, 2016: 1–16.
- "Democratic Cosmopolitics." In *Re-Grounding Cosmopolitanism: Towards a Post-Foundational Cosmopolitanism*, edited by Tamara Caraus and Elena Paris, London: Routledge, 2015; 203–222.
- "Subjectivation, The Social, and a (Missing) Theory of the Social Formation: Judith Butler's 'Turn'." In *Butler and Ethics*, edited by Moya Lloyd, Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press, 2015; 193–218.
- "Jacques Rancière." In *The Encyclopedia of Political Thought*. London: Wiley-Blackwell, 2014.
- "'Do You Know What it Means': Introduction to a Critical Exchange on *Treme*." *Contemporary Political Theory* Vol 6. No. 3, 2011; pp. 401–403.
- "The Politics of the Police: From Neoliberalism, to Anarchism, and back to Democracy." In *Reading Rancière*, edited by Paul Bowman and Richard Stamp. London: Continuum, 2011; pp. 18–43.
- "Charlie Kaufman, Philosophy, and the Small Screen." In *The Philosophy of Charlie Kaufman*, edited by David LaRocca, Lexington: University of Kentucky Press, 2011; pp. 155–168.
- "Pluralism." In the *Encyclopedia of Modern Political Thought*, edited by Gregory Claeys and Lyman Sargent. London: CQ Press. 2011.
- "Rancière." In *From Agamben to Žižek: Contemporary Critical Theorists*, edited by Jon Simons. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press, 2010; pp. 194–209.
- "Police and Oligarchy." In *Jacques Rancière: Key Concepts*, edited by Jean-Phillipe Deranty. London: Acumen, 2010; pp. 57–69.
- "Performativity." *Encyclopedia of Political Theory*. Berkeley: Sage, 2010.
- "Jacques Rancière on the Shores of Queer Theory." Written with Michael O'Rourke. *Borderlands* Vol. 8, No. 2, 2009.
- "24 after 9/11: The American State of Exception." Written with Anne Caldwell. *Reading 24: TV Against the Clock*, edited by Steven Peacock. London: I.B. Tauris, 2007; pp. 97–108.
- "Desperately Straight: The Subversive Sexual Politics of *Desperate Housewives*." *Reading Desperate Housewives: Beyond the White Picket Fence*. Edited by Janet McCabe and Kim Akass. London and New York: I.B. Tauris and Palgrave, 2006; pp. 61–73.
- "Heteronormativity and *The L Word*: From a Politics of Representation To a Politics of Norms." *Reading The L Word: Outing Contemporary Television*. Edited by Sarah Warn. London: I.B. Tauris, 2006; pp. 81–98.
- "Revisiting the Closet: Reading Sexuality in *Six Feet Under*." In *Reading Six Feet Under*. Edited by Janet McCabe and Kim Akass. London and New York: I. B. Tauris and Palgrave, 2005; pp. 174–190.

- "Dialogue, Deliberation, and Discourse: The Far-reaching Politics of *The West Wing*." In *The West Wing: The American Presidency as Television Drama*. Edited by Peter Rollins and John O'Connor. Syracuse: Syracuse University Press, 2003; pp. 83–100.

Reviews

- Review of *Normality: A Critical Genealogy*, by Peter Cryle and Elizabeth Stephens. *GLQ* 26.1, 2019: 200–02.
- Review of *Assembly*, by Michael Hardt and Antonio Negri. *Political Theory*. October 2018: 1–10.
- Review of *Rancière Now: Current Perspectives on Jacques Rancière*. *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*. 25 June 2014.
- Review of *The Cambridge Companion to Strauss*. *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*. 2 June 2010.
- Review of Elena Loizidou's, *Judith Butler: Ethics, Law, Politics*. *Social and Legal Studies*. Vol. 17, 2008: 418–421.
- Review of Daniel R. Pinello's, *America's Struggle for Same-Sex Marriage*. *Political Studies Review*. Vol. 6, No. 3, 2008: 399–405.
- Review of Stuart Elden's, *Speaking Against Number: Heidegger, Language and the Politics of Calculation*. *Contemporary Political Theory*, Vol. 6, 2007: 378–380.
- Review of Davide Panagia's *The Poetics of Political Thinking*, *Political Theory* 35.2, 2007: 233–236.
- Review of *Collateral*. *Film and History* Vol. 35, No. 1, Spring 2005.
- Review of Joseph Lewandowski's *Interpreting Culture: Rethinking Method and Truth in Social Theory*. *Cultural Critique* No. 58, Fall 2004: pp. 193–197.
- Review of Timothy Mitchell, ed., *Questions of Modernity*. *Theory & Event* Vol. 6, No. 3, 2003.
- Review of Wendy Brown's *States of Injury*. *Women & Politics* Vol. 20, No. 3 (1999): 111–114.

Interviews, Media Appearances, and Publications in Popular Press

- "Money has Always Been an Enigma." Interviewed by Patricia Trutescu, De Gruyter Press, 4 October 2023.
- "The Washington Post 'fact checks' Sanders on Wealth Inequality: This is What Ideology Looks Like." *The Contemporary Condition*, December 2017.
- "Walter White's Biggest Failure Was Being A Bad Teacher." *Huffington Post*, 1 April, 2014.
- Interviewed by Eliana Dockterman, for her article, "Hollywood's Surprising New Character." *Time* August 2, 2013.
- Bret McCabe, "*Breaking Bad* articulates a French philosopher's thoughts." *Johns Hopkins Magazine*, 10 September 2013. Feature article and interview on my work on Rancière, Pedagogy, and *Breaking Bad*.
- "Was Marx Right?" Live studio participant in discussion on *The Marc Steiner Show*, WEAA 88.9 FM Radio, 2 April 2013.
- "Snapshots of the Social Formation: The Agony and the Ecstasy of Lance Armstrong." *Los Angeles Review of Books*, March 19, 2013.
- Interview with Bill Ordine. *The Philadelphia Inquirer*. September 30, 2010.
- Interview with Allison Sherry. *The Denver Post*. July 21, 2010.
- Live Appearance on BBC2, *am.pm*, 5 March, 2008.
- Interview with John Allemang. *The Globe and Mail*. November 16, 2002 (Page F6).
- "Closet Politics in *Six Feet Under*." *River Gazette* Vol. 2, No. 4, April 24, 2002.
- Interview with Ian Bailey. *National Post*. November 9, 2001 (Page A18).

Conference Papers

Symposium on Economics and Ethics <i>Creighton University</i>	Nov 2022 Omaha, NE
American Political Science Association	Sep 2019 Washington, DC
Political Studies Association <i>2 Papers</i>	Mar 2016 Brighton, UK
Conference on Origins of Social and Political Theory <i>London School of Economics</i>	Mar 2016 London, UK
Association for Political Theory <i>University of Colorado</i>	Oct 2015 Boulder, CO
American Political Science Association	Sep 2015 San Francisco, CA

American Political Science Association	Sep 2014 Washington, DC
Western Political Science Association <i>Author Meets Critics</i>	Apr 2014 Seattle, WA
American Political Science Association	Sep 2013 Chicago, IL
Western Political Science Association	Mar 2013 Hollywood, CA
Western Political Science Association	Mar 2012 Portland, OR
American Political Science Association	Sep 2010 Washington, DC
American Political Science Association <i>Nominated for Best Paper Award</i>	Sep 2009 Toronto, Canada
Western Political Science Association	Mar 2009 Vancouver, BC
Manchester Workshops in Political Theory	Sep 2008 Manchester, UK
American Political Science Association <i>2 Papers</i>	Sep 2007 Chicago, IL
Political Studies Association	Apr 2007 Bath, UK
American Political Science Association <i>Nominated for Carey McWilliams Award</i>	Sep 2006 Philadelphia, PA
Association for Political Theory <i>Washington University</i>	Oct 2005 St. Louis, MO
American Political Science Association	Sep 2005 Washington, DC
Association for Political Theory <i>Colorado College</i>	Oct 2004 Colorado Springs, CO
American Political Science Association <i>Won Best Paper Award</i>	Sep 2004 Chicago, IL
Association for Political Theory <i>Calvin College</i>	Oct 2003 Grand Rapids, MI
Fidelity to the Disagreement <i>Goldsmiths College, University of London</i>	Sep 2003 London
American Comparative Literature Association	Apr 2003 San Marcos, CA
Western Political Science Association	Mar 2003 Denver, CO
Midwest Political Science Association	Apr 2002 Chicago, IL
Popular Culture Association	Mar 2002 Toronto, Canada
Midwest Political Science Association	Apr 2001 Chicago, IL

American Presidency on Film <i>Center for the Study of Film and History</i>	Nov 2000 Los Angeles
American Political Science Association	Sep 2000 Washington, DC
Midwest Political Science Association	Apr 2000 Chicago, IL
Western Political Science Association	Mar 2000 San Jose, CA
Eastern Sociological Society	Mar 1999 Boston, MA
American Political Science Association	Sep 1998 Boston, MA
Midwest Political Science Association	Apr 1997 Chicago, IL
Western Political Science Association	Mar 1997 Tucson, AZ

Invited Talks

Silver and Gold (and Money) <i>CUNY Political Theory Workshops</i>	Apr 2025 New York
Contribution to the Critique of Fictitious Capital <i>Columbia University</i>	Apr 2025 New York
Money/Power <i>JHU Dept Seminar</i>	Feb 2025 Baltimore, MD
Money Has No Value <i>Red May</i>	May 2024 Seattle, WA
Capitalism, Marx, Money <i>Macalaster College</i>	Apr 2024 St. Paul, MN
A New Theory of Money <i>University of Limerick</i>	Nov 2023 virtual
Show Me the Debtor <i>University of Brighton</i>	May 2023 Brighton, UK
Money Has No Value <i>Creighton University</i>	Nov 2022 Omaha, NE
Keynote for Finance and Society Conference <i>City, University of London</i>	Sep 2022 London, UK
Capitalist Economics <i>Red May</i>	May 2022 Seattle, WA
Money Has No Value <i>University of Chicago</i>	Oct 2021 Chicago, IL
Symposium on Business and Economics (cancelled) <i>Creighton University</i>	Mar 2020 Omaha, NE
Marx's Unorthodox Account of Money <i>Georgetown University</i>	Oct 2019 Washington, DC
From Restricted to General Political Economy <i>Portland State University</i>	Jul 2019 Portland, OR

Money is Not a Commodity <i>Cornell University</i>	Mar 2019 <i>Ithaca, NY</i>
Neoliberalism in the History of Economic Thought <i>Reed College</i>	Sep 2018 <i>Portland, OR</i>
In the Long Run, Are We all Keynesians? <i>University of Indiana</i>	Mar 2018 <i>Bloomington, IN</i>
As the Hart Pants: Marx on Money <i>University of New South Wales</i>	Feb 2018 <i>Sydney, Australia</i>
How (not) to Read Marx <i>University of New South Wales</i>	Feb 2018 <i>Sydney, Australia</i>
Leverhulme Trust Lecture <i>University of Brighton</i>	Jan 2017 <i>Brighton, UK</i>
Workshop on Marx and the Value-Form <i>University of East Anglia</i>	Jan 2017 <i>Norwich, UK</i>
Marx as Genealogist in Zur Kritik <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>	Nov 2016 <i>Baltimore, MD</i>
Homo Politicus Neoliberalis <i>Reed College</i>	Nov 2016 <i>Portland, OR</i>
Subject Positions, Normativity, and Political Agency <i>Le Havre University</i>	Sep 2016 <i>Le Havre, France</i>
Character, Seriality, Subject Positions (keynote) <i>Sercia Conference</i>	Sep 2016 <i>Paris, France</i>
Capitalism and the Value-Form <i>University of Vienna</i>	Apr 2016 <i>Vienna, Austria</i>
Leverhulme Trust Lectures (3 Lectures) <i>University of Brighton</i>	Apr 2016 <i>Brighton, UK</i>
This Ain't About Your Money <i>Newcastle University</i>	Mar 2016 <i>Newcastle, UK</i>
Stories that Capitalist Societies Tell Themselves <i>Queen Mary, University of London</i>	Mar 2016 <i>London, UK</i>
Roundtable on Bearing Society in Mind <i>University of Brighton</i>	Mar 2016 <i>Brighton, UK</i>
Pedagogics of Unlearning (keynote) <i>University College Dublin</i>	Sep 2014 <i>Dublin</i>
Rancière's Lessons <i>Oxford Political Thought Conference</i>	Jan 2014 <i>Oxford</i>
Critical Foundations of Cosmopolitanism (Keynote) <i>New Europe College</i>	Nov 2013 <i>Bucharest, Romania</i>
The Lessons of Rancière <i>University of Minnesota</i>	May 2012 <i>Minneapolis, MN</i>
Democracy not Liberalism <i>University of Helsinki</i>	Dec 2011 <i>Helsinki, Finland</i>
University of Virginia Political Theory Colloquium <i>University of Virginia</i>	Nov 2011 <i>Charlottesville, VA</i>
Distinguished Global Lecture <i>Ewha University</i>	Oct 2011 <i>Seoul, South Korea</i>

Conference on Jacques Rancière <i>Northwestern University</i>	Apr 2011 Evanston, IL
Queer Politics of Television <i>SPSA Meetings – Author Meets Critics</i>	Jan 2011 New Orleans
It's not TV, it's Queer Theory <i>Johns Hopkins University</i>	Apr 2009 Baltimore, MD
Ethos and Politics <i>Gregynog Conference</i>	Nov 2007 Gregynog, Wales
Troubling Politics <i>Napier University</i>	Jul 2007 Edinburgh, Scotland
Queer Theory and the Cultural Politics of Television <i>Goldsmiths College</i>	Feb 2007 London, UK
Unintelligibility and the Miscount of Democratic Politics <i>University of Essex</i>	Nov 2006 Colchester, UK
On the Tension between Justice and Pluralism <i>Swansea University</i>	Oct 2006 Swansea, Wales
Normative Violence <i>University of Edinburgh</i>	May 2006 Edinburgh, Scotland
Butler's Political Ontology <i>Swansea University</i>	May 2006 Swansea, Wales
Judith Butler's (post-9/11) Political Theory <i>Whitman College</i>	Mar 2006 Walla Walla, WA
Thinking Through Heteronormativity <i>University of Redlands</i>	Mar 2004 Redlands, CA
Heteronormativity and the Politics of Television <i>St. Mary's College</i>	Feb 2002 St. Mary's City, MD
Thoughts on the 2000 Presidential Election <i>St. Mary's College</i>	Jan 2001 St. Mary's City, MD
Untying the Knot <i>University of Delaware</i>	May 2000 Newark, DE
The Place of Language in Politics: Function or Fundament <i>University of Minnesota</i>	May 1997 Minneapolis, MN
The Role of the Theorist and the Practice of Politics <i>University of Minnesota</i>	Feb 1997 Minneapolis, MN
Language and the "Burden" of Politics <i>St. Olaf College</i>	Nov 1996 Northfield, MN

Teaching

Johns Hopkins University 2008 — Present

- Introduction to Political Theory, 190.180
- Political Theory of Gender and Sexuality, 190.221
- Introduction to Political Economy, 190.267
- Classics of Political Thought, 190.280
- Virtue, Labor, Power (Classics of Political Thought), 190.281
- How to be a Capitalist, 190.302
- The Cultural Politics of Television, 190.303
- What is Money? 190.314
- Political Monsters, 190.318 (co-taught with PJ Brendese)

- Finding Democracy, 190.325
- Pluralism, 190.368
- Marx's "Second Project of Critique," 190.603
- Language, Order, Action, 190.606
- Feminist and Queer Theory, 190.611
- The Rise and Fall of the Frankfurt School, 190.612
- The Many Machiavellis, 190.636
- Racial Capitalism, 190.638 (co-taught with Lester Spence)
- The Economic and the Political, 190.649
- Arthur Bentley and Jacques Rancière, 190.660
- Reading (Volumes 2 and 3 of) *Capital*, 190.662
- Capitalism, Marx, and the Value-Form, 190.670
- Money, 190.672
- Nietzsche and Freud, Drive, Will and Eros, 190.680 (co-taught with Jane Bennett)
- Rereading Marx, 190.684
- The Politics of Intelligibility, 190.686
- Students of Althusser, 190.688
- Political Theory in/as Political Economy, 190.696

Swansea University

2005 — 2008

- Politics and the People, PO 107
- History of Political Thought, PO 202 (co-convenor)
- Class, Nation, Gender, and Politics, PO 226 (co-convenor)
- The Politics of Pluralism, PO 3002 (convenor)
- Approaches to Political Theory, PO M36 (convenor)
- Gender and Culture, SEL M08

Penn State University

2004 — 2005

- Modern and Contemporary Political Theories, PI Sc 432
- American Political Thought, PI Sc 435 and PI Sc 435W
- Graduate Research Seminar, PI Sc 597

University of Redlands

2003 — 2004

- Queer Theory, JNST 000V
- American National Government and Politics, GOVT 111 and 111E
- Contemporary Political Theory, 319
- Language and Politics, GOVT 361
- Theorizing The Political, GOVT 361

Saint Mary's College

1998 — 2003

- American Politics, Political Science 101
- IDIS 180, Leadership Seminar
- Women Studies 200
- Introduction to Gender Studies, Women Gender & Sexuality 210
- Introduction to Democratic Political Thought, Political Science 262
- Political Explanations, Political Science 304
- History of Political Thought: Ancient and Medieval, Political Science 362
- History of Political Thought: Modern, Political Science 363
- Topics, Theorists, and Texts: Gender and Sexuality, Political Science 372
- Rethinking Freedom and Power: Political Science 469/Philosophy 410
- Giving Up (on) Rights? Political Science 469/Philosophy 410
- Post-Politics, Political Science 469/410
- Language and Politics, Political Science 469/410, English 420

Graduate Advising and Mentoring

Johns Hopkins University

2008 — Present

Dissertation Defense Committees

- Marshall Meyer, David Shipko, Rothin Datta, Ben Taylor, Yunqi Tian, Darko Vinketa, C.J. Higgins, Jason Yonover, Jo Giardini, Patrick Giamario, Fernando Romero, Katherine Goktepe, Chris England, Nathan Gies, Tripp Rebrovick, Drew Walker, Pamela Shuggi, Chas Phillips, Bill Dixon, Sylvain Perdigon, Don Selby, Antonina Gentile, Claire Jarvis, Amanda Eaton McMenamin

External PhD Examiner

- Jacob Swanson (Cornell University)
- Jessica Thrasher (University of Le Havre)
- Rachel Magnuson (York University)
- Jemima Repo (University of Helsinki)

Doctoral Exam Committees

- Farah Farid, Cécile Cadet, Rothin Datta, Felicia Jing, David Johnson, Ben Taylor, Emma Cyntrynbaum, Darko Vinketa, CJ Higgins, Nanxi Zeng, Jon Masin-Peters, Kavi Abraham, Michael Albert, Katie Glanz, Túlio Zille, Patrick Giamario, Tripp Rebrovick, Chris England, Drew Walker, Nathan Gies

Swansea University

2005 — 2008

Graduate Advisees

- Sofia Hadjisavvidou
- Andrew Bidmead
- Nathan Roger
- Patrick Holland

Penn State University

2004 — 2005

Graduate Advisees

- Petya Kirilova
- Sally Ford

Administration and Service

Johns Hopkins University

2008 — Present

- Dept Subfield Coordinator, Political Theory (2025–2026)
- Member of Dept committee on external funding (2025)
- Member of Tenure and Promotions committee (2025)
- Member of the Theory Search Committee (2024–2025)
- Member of Tenure and Promotions committee (2024)
- **Chair of the Department of Political Science** (2020–2023)
- Member of the Shared Governance Council of KSAS (2022–2023)
- Director of Graduate Studies, Political Science (2016–2020)
- Board Member, PhD in Interdisciplinary Humanistic Studies (2017–present)
- Member of the Political and Moral Thought Committee (2017–2021)
- Member of the Board of Directors, Program for the Study of Women, Gender, and Sexuality (2009–2020)
- Interim member, Homewood Graduate Board (2019)
- Member of the Homewood Graduate Board (2015–2018)
- Advisory Committee for Interdisciplinary Humanities PhD
- Member of ad-hoc committee on HGB and DPB
- Member of Junior Faculty Review Committee (2011–present)
- Chair of the Department Seminar Planning Committee (2011–2013)
- Chair of the Theory Search Committee (2011)
- Member of the Undergraduate Curriculum Review Committee (2011–2012)

- Member of the Dept. Futures Seminar Planning Committee (2010–2011)
- Member of the Steering Committee, Center for Advanced Media Studies
- Member of the Planning Committee, Humanities Conference (2010)
- Political Science Department Seminar Co-Coordinator (2009–2010)
- Member of the Tucker Prize Committee (2009)

Swansea University

2005 — 2008

- Examinations Officer (2007–2008)
- Member, Political Studies Association Planning Committee (2006–2008)
- Coordinator, Politics Joint Degree Schemes (2006–2008)
- Member, Learning and Teaching Committee (2005–2006)
- Member, Student/Staff Consultative Committee (2005–2006)
- Officer, Website and Technology (2005–2008)
- Secretary, to the Examinations Officer (2005–2006)
- Member, Postgraduate Progressions Committee (2005–2006)

University of Redlands

2003 — 2004

- Coordinator, Liberal Studies Program (2003–2004)

Saint Mary's College of Maryland

1999 — 2003

- Chair, Academic Resources Committee (2001–2003)
- Member, Action Committee on Diversity (2001–2002)
- Member, Faculty Seminar Committee (2000–2003)
- Member, Women Studies Steering Committee (2000–2003)
- Adviser, College Republicans (2000–2003)
- Member, Women Studies Colloquium Committee (2000–2001)
- Adviser, Pi Sigma Alpha, Political Science Honors Society (2000–2003)

Fellowships, Awards, Grants, and Honors

- Global Fellow University of Brighton, 2023 (£5,000)
- Visiting Professor Grant (Mark Devenney) Leverhulme Foundation, 2016 (£21,000)
- National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer Stipend, 2013 (\$6,000, unsuccessful)
- Prose Award Nomination for *The Lessons of Rancière*, 2013
- Distinguished Graduate Award University of Minnesota, Political Science (2011)
- Political Studies Conference Grant, Political Studies Association, 2007 (£500)
- British Academy Conference Grant, British Academy, 2006 (£2,000)
- Humanities Research Council, Swansea University, 2005 (£1,400)
- Best Paper Award, American Political Science Association 2005
- Humanities Center Fellowship, Stanford University, 2004 (\$40,000, unsuccessful)
- National Humanities Center, University of North Carolina, 2004 (\$25,000, unsuccessful)
- Institute for Advanced Study, Radcliffe College, 2004 (\$200,000, unsuccessful)
- Boone Award, Best thesis (Daniel Williford), St. Mary's College, 2003
- Post-Doctoral Fellowship, All Souls College, 2003 (£50,000, unsuccessful)
- Student convocation speaker finalist St. Mary's College
- Boone Award, Best thesis (Melissa Ballowe), St. Mary's College, 2002
- Student convocation speaker finalist, St. Mary's College, 2001
- Faculty Development Grants, St. Mary's College, 1999–2003 (\$12,500)
- Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 1997 (\$12,000)
- Political Science Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 1995
- Political Science Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, 1993
- Honnold Fellowship, Pomona College, 1993

- Honors Distinction, Senior Thesis, Pomona College, 1993

Professional Miscellany

- External Advisor Centre for the Study of Culture and Politics, Swansea University, 2008–2015
- Officer, Sexuality and Politics Section of APSA, 2007–2008
- Member David Easton Book Award Committee, 2017
- Member Leo Strauss Award Committee (best dissertation 2008)
- Area Convenor International Conference for the Study of Social and Political Thought (2005–2008)
- Associate Editor, Film Reviews, *Film and History*, 2000–2005
- Associate Director Centre for Research into Gender in Culture and Society, Swansea (2007–2008)
- **External Examiner** – The Australian National University, PhD thesis, 2014; York University, PhD oral exam, 2014; University of Helsinki, Phd Defense, 2011; Queen Mary, University of London, PhD thesis, 2007; University of Auckland, M.A. thesis, 2001; Cornell University PhD dissertation, 2022.
- **Reviewer** – *Political Theory*, *American Political Science Review*, *Constellations*, *European Journal of Political Theory*, *Cultural Critique*, *Angelaki*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Culture, Theory, and Critique*, *New Political Science*, *GLQ: A Journal of Lesbian and Gay Studies*, *Theory & Event*, *Distinktion*, *Theory, Culture & Society*, *Political Studies*, *Perspectives on Politics*, *Redescriptions*, *Transformations*, *Hypatia*, *Time & Society*, *Polity*, *Journal of Politics*, *Southern Journal of Philosophy*, *Mosaic*, *Cambridge Journal of Economics, Finance and Society*, *Review of Politics*.
- **Reviewer** – University of Minnesota Press, University of Illinois Press, Duke University Press, Edinburgh University Press, Acumen Press, Polity, University of Wales Press, I.B. Tauris, Fordham University Press, Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Wallflower Press, Palgrave, Stanford University Press, University of Pennsylvania Press, Northwestern University Press, Cornell University Press, Johns Hopkins University Press, University of Chicago Press.