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## ACADEMIC RECORD

PhD, in Political Science, University of Houston, May 2013

MA, in Political Science, University of Houston, December 2012

MPA, Public Administration, University of Illinois at Chicago, May 2004

BA, French, University of Illinois at Chicago, May 2002 Institute for American Universities in Avignon, France

#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Lamar University, Fall 2013 ó present.

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

Graduate: Human Resource Management, Introduction to Public Administration, Public Policy Analysis, Public Organizations, State Law & PolicW\*hBTF1 11.04 Tf1 0 0 1 501.34 511.03 Tm0 g-5(s20 Book Chapters õMqpg{ kp U.S. Engevkqpu: Ap Opi qkpi Rgxqnwkqpö kp The People and American Government,

- õSetting State Appellate Court Agendas: An Event History Analysis of Sex Offender Registration and Community Notification (SORN) Laws.ö Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, New Orleans, LA. March 2013.
- õDecision-making in State Criminal Courts: The Impact of Ptqugewqtøu Ptgss Releases and Case Scrkgpegö (y kj Salmon Shomade). Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. March 2011.
- õWj gp [ qwReally Nggf c -Ftlgpf :øExamining the Impact of Amicus Participation in State Supreme Court Criminal Casesö (with Chris Nicholson). Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. March 2011.
- õFgrqpu Nggf -Ftkgpf uø Tqq: Ezco kpkpi Ao kewu Pctvkekr cvkqp kn Criminal Cases before State Supreme Courtsö (with Chris Nicholson). Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA. January 2011.
- õSgr ctcvkpi from the Pack: State Supreme Court Judicial Decision-mcnkpi kp Ctko kpcnCcugu.ö Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Houston, TX. April 2010.

## INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

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